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Issues addressed around Rockin' On Canada Day event



Sue Nielsen
 Speaker Reporter

TEMISKAMING SHORES — Over 140 people crowded into the New Liskeard College Boreal auditorium for a meeting called by Rockin' On Canada Day organizer/president Barry Phippen.

It was a meeting that became heated at times.

Phippen invited members of Temiskaming Shores council and people from the community to the informal meeting September 10.

It began at 7 p.m., and by the time everyone had aired their concerns, the attendees left at around 9 p.m.

A barbecue was set up outside the entrance to College Boreal earlier in the day, hosted by the New Liskeard Lions Club.

Volunteers for Rockin' On Canada Day (ROCD) were mingling with the crowd asking them to fill out a two-question survey: "Would you like the Bikers Reunion Rockin' On Canada Day back?" and "Would you like the fireworks back?"

Phippen said about four per cent of online respondents so far out of about a thousand people said no to the questions.

He is taking that as a sign people want both to return in 2025.

Louise Young filled out a questionnaire marking yes to both questions because she said her husband, Larry Young, is a biker and he had helped organize the early Bikers Reunion events in 2016.

"We support what Barry does and it is good for the community," she said.

Phippen and his organizing committee were interested in gauging the public's opinion about hosting mega events in the city going forward and how they felt about bringing back the fireworks display and a tent city, denied this year by the city.

"I just want to say right from the start we are a peaceful people and also a passionate people," said Phippen.

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Rockin' On Canada Day lead organizer Barry Phippen (middle) stands with honoured guests Bill Kitts of Temagami (left) and 100-year-old Eric Campsall at the Rockin' On Canada Day Hey What's Going On event held outside College Boreal on September 10. Phippen said both men were instrumental to the success of the Bikers Reunion over the years. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

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DID YOU GET The Speaker THIS WEEK?

Here are some of the stories in our September 11 edition...

- The Temiskaming Health Unit is advising the public to take routine precautions after a rare human case of rabies was confirmed in a Southwestern Ontario resident. The suspected source of exposure was a bat in the Gowganda area.
- A shoplifting incident in Temiskaming Shores led to the seizure of \$112,000 in suspected illicit drugs and charges against four people.
- Excitement is building for the New Liskeard Fall Fair. Six contestants are vying for the Harvest Queen title.
- Temiskaming Shores keeps in place a ban on licensing door-to-door sales and transient traders.
- Chamberlain's recreation committee is planning a day for women and wellbeing on September 21.
- Wet weather did not discourage the runners and walkers at Get Active's annual Colour Run at the Temiskaming Nordic Ski Club.
- The Temiskaming Thunder basketball program is preparing for its sophomore season after a successful outing in 2023-24.
- The annual Terry Fox Run for cancer research takes place Sunday, September 15, in Temiskaming Shores (registration starts at 8:30 a.m.) and Englehart (leaves from Centennial Park at 1 p.m.).



PARADE FAVOURITES

The Englehart Fall Fair staged its annual parade Saturday morning through the town streets where a contingent of horses and riders delighted bystanders September 7. (Staff photo by Steven Larocque)

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Faye Naveau performs at Tamarack Festival

By Xavier Kataquapit

KIRKLAND LAKE - Faye Naveau, an Indigenous actress, artist and performer from Mattagami First Nation, has a vision that revolves around the creation of an Indigenous Theatre reality that features a venue, programming and a place where First Nation people can showcase their art in all forms.

Currently she is taking part in a leading role as Sybil in the upcoming play *Witches In The Woods* during the inaugural Tamarack Festival in Timmins from September 13 to 15.

Naveau hopes to inspire young Indigenous actors, performers, storytellers and writers into joining local theatre arts groups and encourage them to use the dramatic arts to share their stories and take part in a positive and creative outlet.

"This is an opportunity for me to do something I really enjoy which is to perform for others. It's also a chance for me to promote Indigenous theatre in the north and encourage all those young people from our First Nations to share their gifts in acting, performing, writing and story telling," explained Naveau.

A member of Mattagami First Nation, she is a Mental Health Care Worker for

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*Faye Naveau, Indigenous Actress from Mattagami First Nation, is developing her vision of encouraging theatre arts in North-eastern Ontario. She will be taking on the role of Sybil in the play *Witches In The Woods* at the Tamarack Festival in Timmins September 13 to 15. (Supplied photo)*

Porcupine and Timiskaming Health Units' branding survey made available to the public.



The Porcupine Health Unit (PHU) and Timiskaming Health Unit (THU) are currently working towards a voluntary merger to further strengthen public health in Northeastern Ontario.

The health units have collected feedback about branding from staff and community partners. Feedback from the public is the next valuable step in the process to help the new health unit shape their brand identity.

We are launching a short survey to get your input. The survey will be available to all residents in the PHU and THU region until Friday, September 13, 2024.

To participate in the survey, go to <https://bit.ly/phu-thu-survey-sondage>



Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Arthritis Awareness

Arthritis is Canada's most prevalent chronic health condition – for which there is no cure.

Fast Facts:

- Arthritis strikes people of every age, from infants to adults, and stays for life.
- Arthritis is a complex disease with over 100 different types. Major types are inflammatory arthritis (like rheumatoid arthritis, childhood arthritis, ankylosing spondylitis, psoriatic arthritis, and gout), and the most common form, osteoarthritis. Fibromyalgia has similar symptoms to arthritis.
- Arthritis results in painful inflammation and stiffness in joints, limiting the ability to move.
- Left untreated, arthritis can cause permanent joint damage and/or changes.
- A significant proportion of people with arthritis are overweight or obese and are physically inactive, adding undue stress to their joints.
- Some types of arthritis can affect the heart, eyes, lungs, kidneys and even the skin.
- A significant proportion of people with arthritis also have other serious diseases like heart disease or diabetes.

Warning Signs of Inflammatory Arthritis

There are many forms of inflammatory arthritis; signs that are typical for most include:

- Pain, swelling and stiffness in one or multiple joints
- Morning stiffness in and around the affected joints lasting at least one hour
- Pain and stiffness that worsens with inactivity and improves with physical activity
- Reduced range of motion
- Sometimes fever, weight loss, fatigue and/or anemia

Treatment

Arthritis affects everyone differently so treatment planning should be tailored to individual needs with guidance from members of your healthcare team (e.g. family doctor, rheumatologist, surgeon, physiotherapist, occupational therapist etc.).

For the over 6 million Canadians living with arthritis, pain is one of the many challenges they face on a daily basis. And though medication is only one option in terms of arthritis treatment, it can provide pain relief (and slow joint damage in many cases of inflammatory forms of arthritis). Keep in mind that many lifestyle changes, such as healthy eating, exercise and treatments such as physical therapy, should also be explored.

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EDITORIAL

A flood of concerns

A couple of weeks ago a heavy deluge of rain hit the Temiskaming region. Environment Canada issued warnings about a thunderstorm and rainfall that could amount to 50 millimetres or more on August 27.

The heavy rainfall caused flooding to several businesses and homes around Temiskaming Shores, in particular the businesses located near the mall.

This is not the first time this area has been hit with heavy flooding and it begs the question - why is there not sufficient drainage in that area?

Perhaps the city can plant a line of trees on municipal property behind those businesses to ward off a flooding risk, or increase the number of drain outlets so people don't

have to experience this devastation.

At one point a social media post had a photo of a man floating on a blow-up tube in the floodwaters near Hidden Treasures, there was that much water to deal with on the day.

Some of the businesses in that area may be fed up with the costs of clean-up after a flooding situation like that.

And they pay business taxes to the city.

So when will the city adequately address the issue of more potential flooding in that business-heavy lo-

cation?

Updated infrastructure is badly needed in that region of the city.

Roads, ditches and sewers all need to be working together in the same way to prevent losses to the business community.

Trees should not be cut down unless a thorough study is done about the secondary effects of flooding and land erosion.

Preparation and cooperation are needed to deal with future flash rainstorms.

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Hard road to adulthood



Sue Nielsen

I was driving down Clear Lake Road in Coleman Township during the early morning hours when I spotted her.

She came limbering up from the nearby lake dragging her prehistoric looking body up to the shoulder of the road.

It was early June, snapping turtle nesting season.

I stopped a safe distance away and watched her drop herself into a hole that she had likely dug under the cover of night.

She began to deposit her eggs right there in front of me, plop, plop, with a watchful eye on me.

I was likely looking like a huge predator and I had hoped not to disturb her as she laid her precious cargo in the soft warm gravel.

It would be a miracle if the eggs survived in that location to hatch almost 90 or more days later.

Raccoons love turtle eggs and chances are if the raccoons didn't smell them or the fox didn't find them, the eggs might survive.

After she lays her eggs, that's the last time momma turtle will ever see her offspring.

When the conditions are right, the baby turtles crawl out of the nest and find the nearest water.

If they are lucky enough, the baby snappers will quickly learn to swim. When the cooler weather does come in a few short weeks, then it is back to darkness as they dig deep into the muddy bottom of the lake in hibernation mode.

If they eventually reach adulthood, it is a miracle.

Why doesn't someone tell those mother turtles to find

safer nesting sites away from busy roadways?

I cannot tell you how many dead turtles I saw on the roads this past summer, crushed needlessly because people were not paying attention.

Author/poet Mary Oliver says attention is the beginning of devotion and so paying attention in this beautiful life is a good thing.

Being devoted to the preservation of wildlife is something I take seriously.

Please be on the lookout for baby turtles just hatching from their roadside homes.

They will have to orient their tiny eyes to the bright sunlight, miraculously find a nearby lake and crawl to it.

Last fall I was fortunate to see 42 baby snapping turtles

hatch from their nest at Loon Lake.

It was incredible, they were so tiny, fragile and beautiful.

I held one in my hands and it was not AI generated.

My friend Tim had protected the nest with a wooden box surrounded by bright orange cones all summer long.

Tim is the turtle whisperer and good on him.

It was his reward to see those babies hatch and get safely to the lake.

We know snapping turtles are listed as Special Concern under the Ontario Endangered Species Act.

Every turtle life counts in the preservation of the species.



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COMMUNITY NEWS

Council Meetings

Monday, September 23, 2024

Tuesday, October 15, 2024

All meetings start at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

2024 FALL CLEAN-UP WEEK

The Township's Fall Clean-up Week will occur the week of **OCTOBER 15-19, 2024**

The municipal landfill will be open daily that week from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

For pick-up, please place items at the end of your driveway **NO LATER** than 7:00 am on Tuesday, October 15, 2024

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1. When are the 2024 Final Tax Bills due?

September 27, 2024 and October 25, 2024

2. If I mail my payment, how can I get a receipt?

If a receipt for payment is required, please send a self-addressed stamped envelope with your payment.

3. Can I easily get a reprint of my tax bill/statement from the office?

Yes – A fee of \$10 shall be charged for a reprint of a tax bill or statement.

4. What method can I use for tax payments?

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The future of history may be on the move

Darlene Wroe
Local Journalism
Initiative Reporter

ENGLEHART - "If we can't get people to come to the museum, how can we take the museum to the people?"

That's the thought behind the work of an Englehart ad hoc committee as it attempts to arrange to have Englehart and Area Historical Museum artifacts displayed at locations throughout the town.

The museum at 67 Sixth Avenue has been housing the artifacts for decades. It has three stories of displays but is not fully accessible. A lift in the building had electrical failure several years ago and efforts were made to fundraise to replace it, but never reached the goal.

As 2025 looms, when municipally-owned buildings are required to be accessible, it has become clear the building doesn't meet the town's needs.

Councillor Jo-Anne Farmer,

who chairs the culture and heritage ad hoc committee, pointed to the efforts of previous councils and museum boards to maintain the museum site over the years during an interview there, but acknowledged "it's a hard grind," she said.

"We credit the work they did and the efforts they did to sustain and revitalize the museum."

Through the pandemic the museum doors were closed and in 2023 it opened again, but the number of visitors to the museum were minimal.

Community services coordinator Johanna Paradis has a background in education, majoring in history at university, and the project has been near to her heart. In the fall of 2023 she reached out to area schools in an attempt to raise interest and attract classes, students, and families to the museum, but did not have the success she was hoping for, she related.

Town council established the

ad hoc committee which has been meeting since the beginning of 2024.

Farmer said the committee was appointed by council "to look at what we could do with our situation. We report to council a lot about it. We're just trying to look at our artifacts and our collection."

With the building not meeting the needs of the town, work is now taking place to "re-envision" how the museum can continue, while the building's doors are no longer open.

ENGAGING IN LOCAL HISTORY

The mandate of the museum is to bring the

local story "to the people and engage people in our local history and we just think we have to do it in a different way," Paradis explained.

A summer student and members of the committee have been assisting in going through the artifacts to organize what is being kept, or to return donated items to families, and also to work with other museums there to complement their collections.

Paradis said that the committee has been receiving support from within the community and beyond as it works through

the artifacts.

For example, representatives of the Next Stop Englehart Quilters Guild have helped the committee examine the 14 sewing machines at the museum. Representatives of the Little Claybelt Homesteaders Museum have taken a number of items that will complement their collections, and Haileybury Heritage Museum representatives have helped the committee in compiling the documents of the Women's Institute and taken the materials to add to the collection in Haileybury.

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CELEBRATIONS OF LIFE

CARL BURK'S CELEBRATION OF LIFE



In celebration of Carl's life, please join us for an **OPEN HOUSE** to be held at the Harris Township Municipal Hall from **1-3 pm on Saturday, September 21, 2024.** Interment to follow at the Lakeview Cemetery in Harris Township.

Celebration of Life for **Lou Benoit** at the Haileybury Legion on **Saturday, September 21** from **4 pm to 10 pm**



Englehart community services coordinator Johanna Paradis (left) and Englehart Councillor Jo-Anne Farmer who chairs the Englehart culture and heritage ad hoc committee are pictured here with a few of the artifacts of the Englehart and Area Historical Museum. (LJI photo by Darlene Wroe)

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Faye Naveau performs at Tamarack Festival

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Wabun Health Services, which services First Nations in Northeastern Ontario. She is very active in the Indigenous community as an advocate for youth and First Nation issues. For many years, she has taken part in traditional ceremonies, gatherings, Pow Wows and events as a traditional dancer, singer and hand drummer.

Naveau is very passionate about supporting Indigenous youth and in creating opportunities to lead them into positive avenues in the arts, writing, music, dance and theatre.

A DOORWAY

“To me, I see theatre as a doorway for Indigenous people in the North to so many opportunities for positive change. One of my hopes in taking part in this performance is that it will encourage Indigenous youth to take up the arts in some form. I want to see those budding young actors and actresses embrace their artistic talents and become part of local theatre arts groups and associations in the north. I also want to thank Wabun Tribal Council and our Chiefs for sponsorship aid and for the support they have shown me,” said Naveau.

She hopes to see a growth of Indigenous participation in the theatre arts community in Timmins and Northeastern Ontario. She is inspired by Indigenous-based arts and theatre groups such as the nationally famous Debajehmujig Theatre Group based in Wikwemikong Unceded Reserve in Manitoulin Island and her vision and dream is to see a similar group and venue developed in the Timmins area.

If you want to be part of developing this vision you can contact Naveau on Facebook @faye.naveau to become involved. This will be an opportunity for Indigenous political organizations, tribal councils and First Nation arts promoters to help with this initiative.

“The theatre arts are a great platform to support our young people in so many ways. It is not just a way to encourage their talents but also a platform that can empower, build and strengthen our people emotionally, socially and mentally. It is also a great idea for everyone to support groups such as the Tamarack Arts Association and the festival they have created for everyone to enjoy,” said Naveau.

Witches in the Woods will be performed on Satur-

day, September 14, and on Sunday, September 15, during the first annual Tamarack Festival. Written by Playwright Amy Neufeld, the play is a retelling of the classic Grimms’ fairy tales with a modern twist.

“I’m really happy to be taking part in this as it is a lovely script taken from old classic stories of Hansel and Gretel but with a few modern twists and turns. It’s a story that is both heart pulling, funny but also with serious moments. We’re grateful to have playwrights like Amy share their talents to create performances like this. I think everyone will enjoy it,” commented Naveau.

The Tamarack Festival is a multidisciplinary event hosted by the Tamarack Arts Association and it will be held in Timmins at the Timmins Museum and Timmins Public Library. The event features theatre performances of Witches In The Woods as well as the play How A Bear Dies, musical concerts and literary presentations by northern writers and publishers.

For more information about the Tamarack Festival, event schedule and ticket purchase, you can visit their website at www.tamarackfestival.ca.

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The future of history may be on the move

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Efforts are also being made to set up displays of artifacts at places throughout the town such as at the Englehart Public Library, the Englehart and Area Community Arena Complex, and the Englehart town hall. Conversations have also been held with the Englehart Legion representatives about housing the military artifacts at that site, Paradis added.

Chelsea Smith has been preparing an interactive fibre arts exhibit for the Englehart Fall Fair, said Paradis. There will also be an agriculture exhibit upstairs during the event.

Smith “is going to be the keeper of our history,” said Paradis.

Paradis said the next step is figuring out the cabinets needed for the displays.

Farmer said the committee probably needs more money from the municipality for the project, and added that “if someone wanted to donate money that would be wonderful. We need access to some dollars to build cabinets, to buy cabinets, to make them accessible and get them installed so we can put the exhibits in them.”

Paradis noted that if any exhibits are being displayed off town property, the town will remain responsible for them, and ensure they are displayed in keeping with the Ontario Museum Association standards.

Paradis expressed gratitude “that council is allowing the time that it is going to take for the next chapter to be developed.”

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24. Corrosive substances
27. Damp
28. Foul up
31. Follower of neither
32. Vanity
34. Quick farewell
35. Forest female
36. Long period
37. Dressed
39. Fellow leading performer
41. Modifies
45. Nail polish
49. Penalty
50. Hint
52. Car for hire
53. Bible book
54. Night before
55. Yoked animals
56. Relaxation
57. Coloring
58. Increase

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1. Resist
2. Fragrance
3. Folklore giant
4. Insist upon
5. Influences
6. Pea's envelope
7. Sang a Swiss song
8. Hero's tale
9. Urge on
10. Skin woe
11. Remove
19. Esteem
21. Old soldier
23. Identical pairs
24. Also
25. Pigeon's cry
26. Fierce rage
28. Fade away
29. Deli loaf
30. Like a beet
33. Perched
38. Powerful speaker
40. Plains tent
41. Yonder
42. Game cubes
43. Picnic crashers
44. Bother
46. Skirt style
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48. Stripe
51. College vine

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Take the initiative to rebalance your friendships. If you're surrounded by energy-sucking friends, set boundaries to preserve your vitality and be respected.



TAURUS
If you have young children, it's essential to be disciplined and set clear rules. Being tactful with people around you can help avoid conflicts and hurt feelings.



GEMINI
You may be drawn to travel opportunities this week. At work, serving people in a language in which you're not entirely fluent will be a rewarding challenge, both personally and financially.



CANCER
If you've been working hard to eat healthy and exercise, you'll finally start seeing positive results. Perseverance is the key to regaining your well-being and self-confidence.



LEO
A friend will suggest an enriching experience. Responding to a particular need for adrenalin will provide a refreshing break from your routine and boost your self-esteem.



VIRGO
Expressing your opinions confidently and authoritatively can help you rise through the ranks at work. If you showcase your leadership skills, you may even find yourself in the boss's chair.



LIBRA
You'll indulge in luxury shopping this week. Renewing your wardrobe may be justified in taking on new responsibilities at work. Treating yourself can be highly gratifying and boost your confidence.



SCORPIO
Take the time to resolve problems at home or with family members. If necessary, consider refreshing your decor to prepare for fall.



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Make sure your car, phone and computer are in good working order. Charge the batteries so your devices remain functional no matter where you are. Preventative measures can go a long way to avoiding potential problems.



CAPRICORN
Set a strict budget to enjoy your hobbies while maintaining financial stability. Sound financial management will help calm your nerves, and financial matters will become very important at work.



AQUARIUS
New and demanding responsibilities may come your way at work and home this week. Patience and perseverance are necessary to overcome fatigue and stress, but the rewards will be worth it.



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"Just the fact you showed up shows your passion."

He mentioned they had two honorary guests at the meeting, Bill Kitts of Temagami and 100-year-old Eric Campsall, acknowledging both men had helped the Bikers Reunion's success over the years.

"One person can't do this alone, we all have to work together," said Phippen.

"This is a serious meeting to tell us the direction we want to go in," he added.

WORK THINGS OUT

"I think we have to work some things out and it is not just niceties. I am not going to ask my committee to do this. What sane mayor or council would not want a group of people to not give up their time to draw people from all over to raise millions of dollars for our hospital."

Phippen said for 12 years he worked with the city when Carmen Kidd was the mayor and it was a success for the Bikers Reunion.

"When you are voted in by the majority, you damn well better answer to the majori-

ty," he said of elected officials. "We can work together, it has been done."

City officials present for the meeting were Mayor Jeff Laferriere and councillors Mark Wilson, Jesse Foley and Danny Whalen.

Phippen said the meeting at College Boreal was about tent city and the fireworks display being denied by the city.

The Rockin' organizers wanted tent city to be situated on Armstrong Street in a green space owned by the city, across from the Service

Canada offices.

Council denied the request for tent city because of safety concerns.

"Tent city is the largest revenue generating part of our event, to raise money for specialized equipment for the hospital. Tent city is a lot of work," said Phippen.

Councillor Wilson spoke up and said the meeting was being held under false pretences.

"I am here peacefully as you said and I would like to read my statement and let your meeting continue," said

Wilson.

"My intention was to sit down with the committee and talk about the science of some of these safety issues in a private meeting. We set the date for September 10."

Wilson said he was not made aware the private meeting had been changed to a public event and he felt disrespected by the meeting's format.

"Some of you may know I am very passionate about road safety. There is nothing more important than safety."

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Breeze Creek kicked-off Saturday's entertainment at the Haileybury Block Party next to the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 54. Unfortunately it wasn't the best of conditions for the party September 7 with cold, strong winds and a steady stream of rain. (Staff photo by Steven Larocque)

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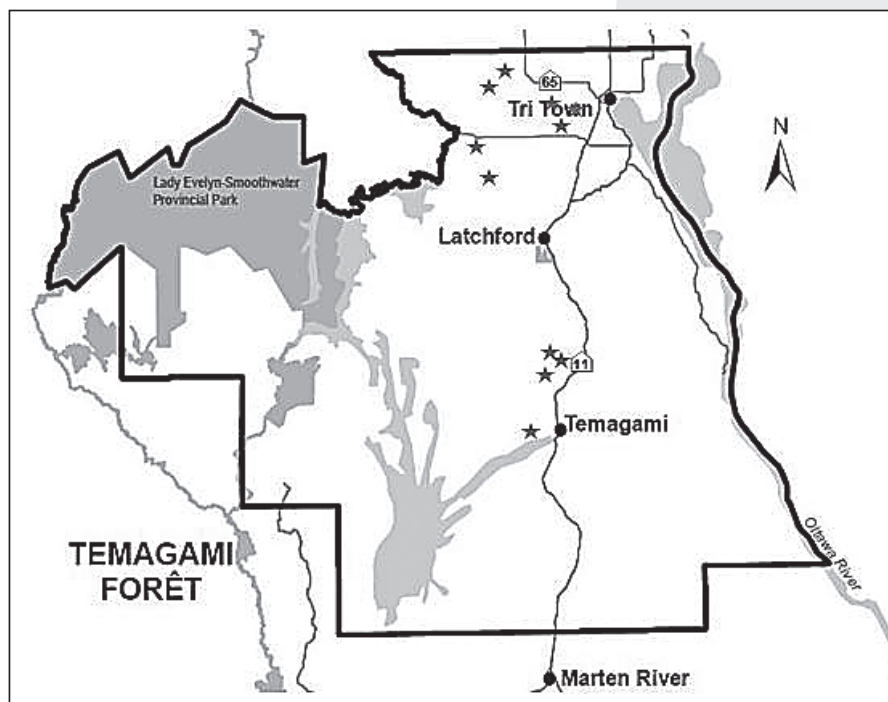
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INSPECTION

Inspection d'un plan de brûlage dirigé de déchets de coupe approuvé par le MRN pour la forêt Temagami

Le **ministère des Richesses naturelles (MRN)** de l'Ontario vous invite à inspecter un plan de brûlage dirigé de déchets de coupe approuvé par le MRN qui sera exécuté dans la **forêt Temagami** (voir la carte).



Dans le cadre de nos efforts soutenus pour régénérer et protéger les forêts de l'Ontario, des endroits où des coupes ont eu lieu récemment ont été sélectionnés pour faire l'objet d'un brûlage dirigé conformément aux lignes directrices énoncées dans le *Manuel sur le brûlage dirigé* du MRN. Le brûlage dirigé permettra de réduire la zone recouverte de résidus de coupe tout en augmentant la superficie de la forêt qui pourra être régénérée et en diminuant les risques d'incendie. Le brûlage devrait être lancé entre le **15 octobre 2024** et le **24 décembre 2024**.

Le plan de brûlage dirigé de résidus de coupe approuvé, qui indique les endroits où le brûlage aura lieu et qui comprend des cartes de ces endroits, peut être consulté par le public, en communiquant avec First Resource Management Group (FRMG) ou Temagami Forest Management Corporation (TFMC) et en visitant le Portail d'information sur les richesses naturelles à l'adresse <https://nrp.mnr.gov.on.ca/s/fmp-online?language=fr> et ce, jusqu'au **31 mars 2025**, date à laquelle le calendrier annuel de travail expirera. Les objectifs de l'opération sont de réduire la quantité de terres productives perdues à cause de l'accumulation non gérée de tas de rémanents et de réduire le risque d'incendie résultant de l'abattage complet des arbres, de manière sûre et efficace. La superficie nette (ha) de couverture de rémanents est de 30,09, dans le cadre du plan de brûlage de rémanents 2024-2025, et sera située dans les cantons de Lundy, Hudson, Firstbrook, Barr, Best et Strathy.

Les personnes et les organismes intéressés et concernés peuvent organiser une réunion avec l'équipe du MRN en ligne/en personne afin de discuter du plan de brûlage dirigé. Pour en savoir plus, veuillez communiquer avec :

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I would be remiss because it has affected my family significantly. I would be remiss in my duties as a councillor if I did not raise these issues of safety."

He left the gathering and invited the public to come to a council meeting to express further concerns about safety issues around such events.

Timiskaming-Cochrane MPP John Vanthof spoke up as well, saying he had hoped he would not have to speak, but he felt compelled to do so.

"I know Mark Wilson and he has done good things for the safety of Highway 11. It is a tough, thankless job that of a municipal politician because I was one for 12 years. You have heard how we all have to work together to get this done."

He urged the two sides to work together to resolve their issues so events like Rockin' can continue to do good work for the community and the Temiskaming Hospital as their fundraising benefactor.

MAPPING IT OUT

Phippen then drew a map on the blackboard of the tent city location and asked what the safety issues were in that location.

"There are other things in this town that are really quite dangerous."

Laferriere explained that the S corner in front of the Service Canada location was a busy roadway and the city's insurance provider advised them to deny the request.

"I am very passionate as well, I am behind the Bikers Reunion and the Rockin' On Canada Day event 100 per cent. This is not a Mark Wilson issue, this is a council issue."

The mayor explained that Wilson had to leave the meeting because it would have made a quorum situation with having four elected officials in one room at one time. That would be illegal and would require a notice sent out prior to the meeting for the public's interest.

"There is proper protocol that would have to go out about such a meeting like this," said the mayor.

"When we talk about tent city the only thing turned down was tent city on the S curve. We offered the ball fields as an alternative location."

The mayor said when you throw in heavy traffic and alcohol it is a safety issue and the city was concerned with liability.

Phippen denied that the city had offered the ball field location to his organizing committee.

FIREWORKS

The mayor then explained the reason they turned down the request for fireworks this year during the long weekend event.

He said the issue came to council and the vote came

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down to three councillors against and two for the fireworks.

The reasons involved pollution, noise levels and the impact of the fireworks on pets.

He told the audience he does not vote on issues at the council table, which drew the ire of people at the meeting who felt he should vote and perhaps change the trajectory of contentious issues.

"Council voted the fireworks down and as the mayor, I have to abide by the majority rule. Don't get me wrong, I love fireworks and was in favour of them. I have grandchildren and I wanted the fireworks," explained the mayor.

He was asked by Rockin' On Canada Day secretary/treasurer France Gauthier to make the issues clear to their committee about the 2025 event and to address communication issues within the city staff moving forward.

Phippen and his organizing committee have sent the city a "letter of request" listing five points they wish to have addressed and supported by the city before they begin to organize next year's ROCD.

The organizing committee was informed the site of the 2024 event will not be available next year, so Phippen and company must find another site around New Liskeard.

The five points to address: Use of the Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena and parking lot, use of the fall fair grounds, use of land for RV parking, use of a small stage and fencing, and a Canada Day parade and approval.

ROCD's goals are to foster community spirit, provide economic benefits to small businesses and the broader community and to raise funds for the Temiskaming Hospital.

At the end of the meeting, which was contentious at times, the mayor and Phippen shook hands and agreed to work together to bring the Rockin' On Canada Day event back in 2025.

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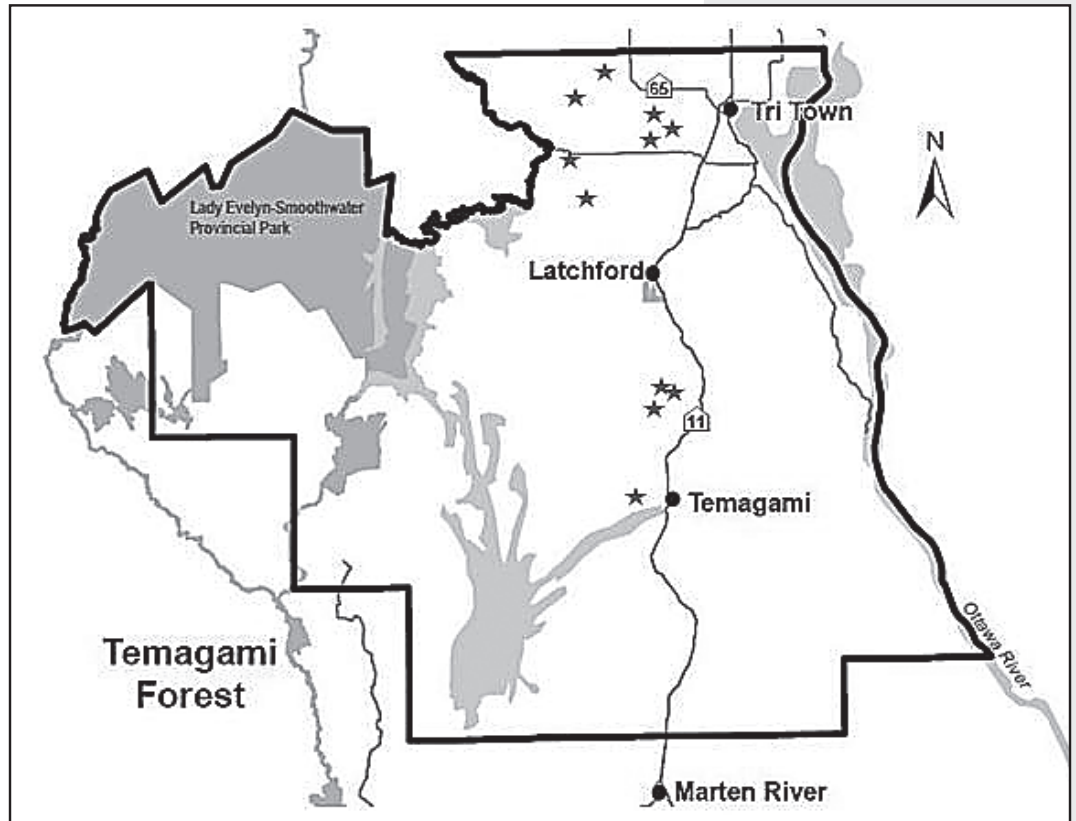
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INSPECTION

Inspection of MNR-Approved Prescribed Burn Plan for Slash Pile Burning for Temagami Forest

The Ontario **Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR)** invites you to inspect the MNR-approved prescribed burn plan for slash pile burning that will be carried out in the **Temagami Forest** (see map).



As part of our ongoing efforts to regenerate and protect Ontario's forests, some recently harvested areas have been selected to be burned under the guidelines of the MNR's *Prescribed Burn Manual*. The prescribed burn will reduce the area covered in slash piles while increasing the area available for regeneration and reducing the fire hazard. The burn is scheduled for ignition between **October 15, 2024** and **December 24, 2024**.

The approved prescribed burn plan for slash pile burning, including specific locations and maps, is available for public inspection by contacting First Resource Management Group (FRMG) or Temagami Forest Management Corporation (TFMC) and on the Natural Resources Information Portal at <https://nrp.mnr.gov.on.ca/s/fmp-online> until **March 31, 2025**, when the Annual Work Schedule expires. The objectives of the operation are to reduce the amount of productive land lost to unmanaged slash pile accumulation and reduce the fire hazard resulting from full tree logging in a safe and efficient manner. The net area (ha) of slash coverage is 30.09, within the 2024-2025 slash pile burn plan, and will be located within the Townships of Lundy, Hudson, Firstbrook, Barr, Best, and Strathy.

Interested and affected persons and organizations can arrange a virtual/in-person meeting with MNR staff to discuss the prescribed burn plan. For more information, please contact:

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Beading Workshop for Seniors - join us on **Sept 20 at Open Studio Libre!** We will be learning how to bead orange t-shirt pins with Elissa Marcil as we approach National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (Orange Tshirt Day). This event is free for seniors and older adults, but there's limited space left! Please call Temiskaming Art Gallery to register. 705-672-3706

The Royal Canadian Army Cadet Corps 2344 are holding a **Spaghetti Dinner and Silent Auction fundraiser on Friday, September 13th from 5pm to 7:30pm at the Haileybury Legion!** Cost is \$15 for adults, \$10 for children (3-12). Dinner includes spaghetti, bun, drink and dessert.

Chamberlain Rec Committee Women's Wellbeing Day. Come join us on **Saturday Sept. 21, 2024, from 10 am until 2 pm**, for a day of relaxation, rejuvenation, and self-care at the **Chamberlain Hall, 467500 Chamberlain Rd 5.** Indulge in workshops, yoga, meditation, and local self-care resources. Whether you're looking to de-stress, learn new self-care techniques, or simply pamper yourself, this event is the perfect opportunity to invest in your wellbeing. Please call the municipal office at 705-544-8088 for more information. Reserve a spot by calling the office or using Eventbrite: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/.../chamberlain-township-womens...>

LE GRAND JAM - We will be starting our weekly jam session again. **Starting Wednesday September 11th at 1 pm til 4 pm.** At Le Coeur Du Village in Earleton. Join us to play, dance and meet up with friends.

Want to learn to play Bid Euchre every Tuesday at 630 pm, Hudson Hall? Everyone welcome, don't need a partner. For more info call 705 647 6684.

Come out on **Sunday** to the **Harbour place in Haileybury** from 10 - ?? Mid afternoon meet the vendors and get some goodies you wont find in the stores. Something for everyone!

The **Temiskaming Community Choir** begins evening rehearsals **Monday, September 16** at the L. B. Eckensviller Community Hall from 7-9 pm. New members are welcome - a love of singing is all you need! For more information contact temcomchoir@outlook.com or call or text 705-622-7222.

THE COFFEE HOUSE SUPPORTING & PROMOTING LOCAL MUSICIANS AND THEIR MUSIC. On **Tuesday, October 8th**, please join us at **The Coffee House** and enjoy the musical stylings of Breeze Z Creek, Jessica & Faith, Dan Dalcour, Revival, Daniel Allaire, KATONA, & Random Chants to name but a few.. Please join us at St. Paul's United Church auditorium, 7 - 10pm at 70 Wellington St. in New Liskeard for **The Coffee House. Please consider donating to The Coffee House Fund.** For further information contact Brian Matheson at 705-647-5671 or email: coffeehouse2tues@outlook.com Follow us on Facebook, Instagram & YouTube at: **the coffee house new liskeard** www.coffeehousenewliskeard.ca

BREAKFAST IS BEING SERVED at the Haileybury Legion Saturdays and Sundays from 8am until noon. Eggs done your way or pancakes. Bacon or sausage, home fries, toast, coffee or tea and juice for only \$10. Come join our friendly dining atmosphere with your friends and family. Vendors also on site. 373 Broadway St in Haileybury.

EUCHRE STARTING SEPT 9TH HAILEYBURY LEGION 1pm Don't need a partner, Everyone welcome. For more info call 705 647 6684.

CRIB STARTING SEPT 8TH HAILEYBURY LEGION 1pm Need a partner. Everyone welcome. For more info call 705 647 6684.

BID EUCHRE EVERY TUESDAY EVENING AT 6:30 at the Hudson Hall. For more info call 705-647-6684.

BID EUCHRE is played at **1 p.m. every Saturday** at the **Northdale Manor.** Players are welcome. Please use the parking lot entrance.

ATTENTION KNITTERS: If you would like to knit for children in the third world, we could use your help. Join us on **TUESDAYS AT 1:30PM** at the Community of Christ Church on Niven St., New Liskeard. Just bring knitting needles size 4 or 4 1/2 mm. Yarn and needles are available. All are welcome! For more information, call D. Caldwell at 705-647-6056.

Open Studio Libre - (400 Ferguson Ave) Fall drop in hours are **Tuesdays 10-7, Wed 9:30-12:30, Thursdays 10-7.** Thursdays are Make Art with Mel. Everything is free or by donation.

TEMISKAMING TREASURES QUILT GUILD meet the **last Thursday of every month at 7pm** at the St. Pauls & St. Johns Hall (506 Rorke Ave., Haileybury). Welcome to all interested in quilting. For more information please contact Linda at 705-647-5812.

MUSIC JAM EVERY 2ND AND 4TH FRIDAY OF THE MONTH at the Sacred Heart Church in the basement from 1pm until 4pm. This is to replace the one we used to hold at the legion. Always good entertainment. Come to play, sing or dance to country music. Bring your friends!

Temiskaming Art Gallery's new exhibit "Dominic Lafontaine's 'Pastorale'" opens August 12th. The Gallery is free to view **Monday - Friday from 10 a.m. til 4 p.m.** Dominic Lafontaine's 'Pastorale' is a voyage deep into the Uncanny Valley, an unsettling place where things seem similar and yet foreign, beautiful yet frightening. Mixing the conventions of traditional French Pastorale painting & Artificial Intelligence visual generators, the artist creates a surreal & humorous experience that seeks to upturn the notions of the rural idyll. **Located at 325 Farr Dr., Haileybury.**

YARD SALE - Sat. Sept. 21 from 8 am til 1 pm at the Anglican Church in Haileybury (corner of Rorke & Browning).

Treasure and Art Sale - 10am-2pm on Sept 21 at 325 Farr Drive. Local art, housewares and baked goods. Proceeds go to the Temiskaming Art Gallery

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YARD SALE - Sat, Sept 14th from 9 am til 4 pm at 804331 Golf Course Rd., New Liskeard. New, old, used, antique, and free!!! Rain or shine! May be the last one of the season...

Answers for Crossword Puzzle from page 9

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General Manager

Temagami Forest Management Corporation is a recently established Crown Agency whose purpose is to manage the Temagami Forest. The Forest is within the North Bay administrative district of the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR). It encompasses 634,000 hectares and lies central to a world-class recreational area surrounding Lake Temagami and is centred between North Bay and Temiskaming Shores. The organized municipalities of Temiskaming Shores (Dymond, New Liskeard and Haileybury), Cobalt, Temagami, Latchford, Harris, Hudson and Coleman are located within the Forest.

The company is seeking an energetic General Manager to grow the organization to be a premier example of cooperative forestry in Ontario.

If you are looking for a challenging opportunity to use your expertise in economic development and forestry management/timber sales as well as your leadership skills, consider joining the Temagami Forest Management Corporation as a key executive. You will build the corporation to manage the planning and coordination of a comprehensive economic development, forest management planning and timber sales organization. You will lead a team responsible for the implementation of policies, programs and initiatives that will assist First Nations and communities and accelerate the growth of these communities. You will liaise with key stakeholders, including government officials and the forest industry to promote economic development in the north. You will also be responsible for overseeing the administration, human resources and financial resources of the Crown Agency as well as ensuring compliance to applicable laws, and government policies and directives.

Qualifications: a post-secondary education in business and/or natural resources, well developed management and leadership skills; demonstrated negotiation, networking and communication skills; political acuity; in-depth knowledge of business development, forest management, renewal programs and timber sales; strong interpersonal and consultative skills; proven analytical, evaluative and conceptual skills to analyze economic development opportunities, strategies and proposals; working knowledge of accounting, finance, marketing and economic theories; knowledge of project management and evaluation; knowledge of government policies and directives for Crown agencies. A driver's licence is mandatory. This is a full-time position with the office located in Temagami, Ontario. Salary commensurate on qualifications.

Interested applicants should reply no later than September 25th. Please apply in confidence by emailing your resume and cover letter, in Microsoft Word format, to Ms. Faye Johnson, Chair, Temagami Forest Management Corporation, c/o admin@tmcfmforestry.ca.

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