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Open house held for **Temiskaming Shores area** wind turbine proposal

Darlene Wroe

Local Journalism **Initiative Reporter**

DISTRICT - The Temiskaming Wind Project, proposed by ABO Energy, is investigating a possible wind turbine project in the rural areas surrounding Temiskaming Shores.

Areas being considered reach west along Highway 558 (the West Road) past Button's Corners, north up to Uno Park, Hanbury, and Maybrook, and east past Highway 65 East toward Sutton Bay.

An open house was hosted by ABO Energy August 7 at Riverside Place in New Liskeard.

Those present reviewing the displays and talking to team members included Temiskaming Shores Mayor Jeff Laferriere and other members of coun-

Laferriere said public consultation is part of the process for the proposal.

The open house had many displays and company representatives present to explain the project

Laferriere noted that opponents of the Kerns and Hudson townships wind turbine project also held an information session at Riverside Place on July 30.

He said he hoped people would take the infor-

mation from both sides, "looking at the pros and cons - the short, medium and long-term."

From that a decision can be made "taking into consideration all those factors," he said.

Temiskaming Shores council asked ABO to go ahead with public consultation, he said, and once that is done city staff can gather the information, share it with council, and provide a report from the municipality's senior leadership team, he said. The municipal staff will point out challenges, concerns and positives they see from the proposal, said the

He noted that if ABO Energy is going to proceed with a bid to do the project, it needs a municipal support resolution from Temiskaming Shores council before October 16 when the ABO bid would be due. The Independent Electricity System Operator has released the first of four years of requests for proposals from energy companies for proposed new energy projects, and the first deadline is October 16.

Laferriere added that if council gives a municipal support resolution for that stage of the project "it doesn't mean council is bound to that." He said even with a municipal support resolution, council or ABO Energy could make a decision to say there should be a change in course.

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DID YOU GET The Speaker THIS WEEK?

Here are some of the stories in our August 13 edition...

- More information on a proposed wind turbine project in Kerns and Hudson Townships was offered to area residents.
- FONOM is calling for a longterm solution concerning lumber tariffs that affect Northern Ontario's forestry sector.
- The topic of invasive species affecting Lake Temiskaming and other waterways was presented to boaters recently by Ozero Solutions.
- The Carter Antila Memorial Skate Park was the destination for youth artists who used graffiti to leave their mark.
- The over 500 youth who played soccer in Temiskaming Shores gave the boot to their successful season with a Day of Champions event.
- The Temiskaming Thunder basketball program is seeking participants to play rep ball this season.
- Temiskaming Northern Loon swimmers made waves in the pool this summer at the Ontario Swimming Championships in Toronto.



T-ERRIFIC BALL

It was a hot, humid day for T-ball players and their teams at the Gate's Gala T-ball wrap up games on August 10 at the Dymond Ball Field complex. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)





AT THE NET

Cameron Olsen, at left, and Trey Bigelow met at the net in an August 2 beach volleyball game at Pike Lake. Ten four-person teams played on two courts in the day-long tournament, just one of the Day in the Park activities. The event was organized by the Hudson Lakes Regatta in collaboration with Hudson Township Recreation, and also offered inflatables, a BBQ, car show, contests, vendors and fireworks. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Melanoma Skin Cancer Awareness

Melanoma skin cancer often starts as an abnormal mole on the skin. A mole is a common non-cancerous growth. It's normally a small, round, or oval spot that is usually brown, tan or pink. It may be raised or flat. Melanoma is most frequently found on the back of men and on the back and legs of women. It is the least common, but most serious, type of skin cancer.

Risk Factors:

- · Personal or family history of melanoma.
- · Presence of moles--especially if there are many, or if they are unusual or large.
- Sun sensitivity--sun burning easily, or difficulty tanning.
- · Light colored skin, eyes, and hair.
- · History of excessive sun exposure.
- Diseases that suppress the immune system.
- Occupational exposure to coal tar, pitch, creosote, arsenic compounds, or radium.

The ABCDE rule below can help you look for the common signs and symptoms of melanoma skin cancer:

A is for asymmetry – one half of a mole does not have the same shape as the other half.

B is for border – the edge of a mole is uneven (irregular). It can look jagged, notched, or blurry. The colour may spread into the area around the mole.

C is for colour – the colour of a mole is not the same throughout. It could have shades of tan, brown and black. Sometimes areas of blue, grey, red, pink, or white are also seen.

D is for diameter – the size of a mole is larger than 6mm (1/4 inch) across, which is about the size of a pencil eraser.

E is for evolving – there is a change in the colour, size, shape or feel of the mole. The mole may become itchy or you may have a burning or tingling feeling.

Other signs and symptoms of melanoma skin cancer include:

- · an area that does not heal
- a mole or sore that oozes or bleeds
- broken skin with an open wound (ulceration)

Melanoma is an aggressive form of cancer that can be lifethreatening. Schedule an appointment with your primary care provider if you have any of these skin changes.

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Family Health Team

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EDITORIAL

Fire bans due to dry conditions

matter of time before area the dry, hot humid weathmunicipalities would be er the region has experi-

We knew it was just a issuing fire bans due to

enced this last while.

The fire bans took effect last weekend and will last as long as the conditions are dry and potentially dangerous for wildfires.

The City of Temiskaming Shores, Cobalt, Coleman Township and Harris Township have issued fire bans.

With the drought-like conditions here and the escalating threat of fire ignition, fire bans are necessary and must be heeded.

There will be no fires al-

lowed, even for cooking and warmth for people travelling in the backcountry of the region.

The fire bans will remain in place until a significant amount of rainfall has fallen and temperatures cool down.

The lifting of the fire bans will be done in close consultation with area fire chiefs and municipalities, working together to protect area residents from harm.

There has been a wild-

fire crisis happening in the Western and Eastern provinces of Canada so far this summer and we do not want that situation to occur here.

A good number of those fires are due to human activity and people need to realize the consequences of their actions.

Everyone must respect a fire ban in their municipality or region.



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The original influencers

Sue Nielsen

When Mrs. McPherson, my Grade 7 teacher at Cobalt Public School, taught me how to clean out the fish tank at the back of the class and change the filters, she may not have realized what a big deal it was to me.

You see, she taught me that the fish living in that tank needed care and attention and that their very survival was dependent on me.

I soon realized how people could impact how living things survive and thrive.

She taught me to be responsible for something, to care for a living being. I never forgot that.

If I gave my word I was going to do something I had darn well better do it.

Despite the fact that some people in the class put things into that fish tank that should never have been allowed.

Somehow a bottle of ink got dumped into the tank one day.

Kids will be kids. Needless to say it was a big job cleaning the tank, but all the fish lived to see another day at good ole Cobalt Public.

Mrs. McPherson was a wonderful teacher and I admired her greatly.

We had another teacher who taught us songs he played on his guitar.

When he'd had a particularly rough weekend of curling or partying, he would bring his guitar to class and sing songs for hours on end.

His favourite song was "The Wild Colonial Boy," by the Clancy brothers.

It may have been Mr. Grozelle's personal anthem, ha,

I will never forget the words to that song: "There was a wild colonial boy, Jack Duggan was his name. He was born and raised in Ireland in a place called Castlemain, he was his father's only son and his mother's pride and joy and dearly did his parent's love, the Wild Colonial Boy."

The things teachers did back then would likely never be allowed in any classroom now-

My Grade 6 teacher, Miss Ramey, offered me rides home after school as we lived on Lang Street back then and it was a fair hike to get home.

And in -40 Fahrenheit cold, I was glad of the rides. What I remember was her car was covered in thick dog hair each time I got in.

And Miss Ramey's kindness towards me was a boost of confidence if you will.

My Grade 9 math teacher accused me of asking questions to disrupt the class when I was only seeking understanding.

Consequently, I suck at

I hope teachers realize that small gestures can have big impacts for their students.

Psychologist Julius Segal looked at what helps children overcome adversity and one leading factor was the presence of a charismatic adult.

Pens and pencils up to the many, many charismatic teachers I know in this region.

Thank you teachers and enjoy your summer.



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COMMUNITY NEWS

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Monday, August 11, 2025

Tuesday, September 2, 2025

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

BUILDING & RENOVATION

Looking to start your next building of renovation project in Coleman Township?

Please contact the Township office to arrange for a pre-consultation meeting and learn what kind of permits, applications and documents you will need before beginning your project.

RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Thursday, August 7, 2025

Thursday, August 21, 2025





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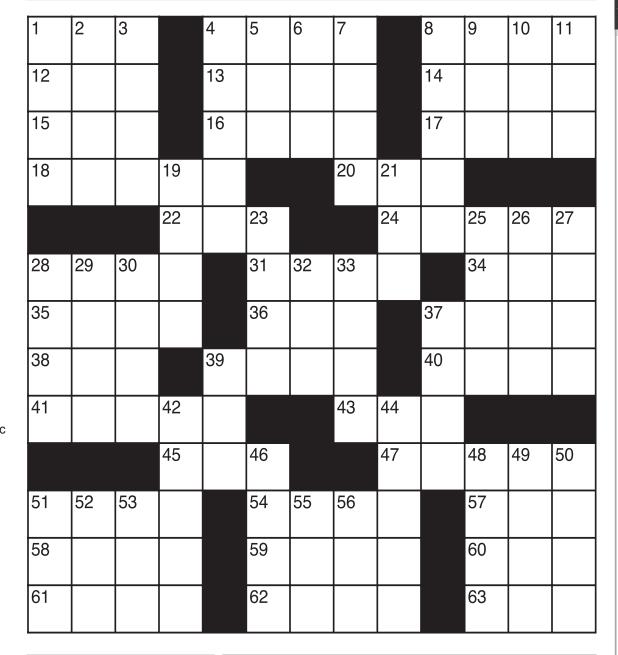
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- 8. Quote
- 12. Wintry
- Talk wildly 13.
- 14. Opera tune
- ___ ye leap" 15. "Look _
- Forewarning 16.
- Lincoln coin 17.
- Conditions
- 20. Morse code symbol
- Long fish 22.
- 24. Records
- 28. Creeps
- Copied 31.
- 34. Assembled
- 35. Avails
- Lock opener 36.
- 37. Soft drink
- 38. Ump's relative
- 39. "Chicago" star
- 40. Hideous 41.
- Louisiana marsh
- Mock 43.
- Troublesome tyke 45.
- 47. Villain
- October stone 51.
- On the cutting 54.
- Adam's wife 57.
- Official helper
- 59. Food fish
- 60. Male or female
- 61. Bassoon, e.g.
- James Brown's music 62.
- 63. Gallery offering

DOWN

- 1. Say no to seconds
- 2. Land measurement
- One who colors 3.
- 4. Not poetry
- Barnyard animal 5.
- Got Sixpence" 6.
- 7.
- Desert plants 8.
- Bitter resentment 9.
- 10. can
- Chew and swallow 11.
- Army cafeteria 19.
- Secondhand 21.
- Huron, e.g. 25. Haze
- 26. Relate, as a story
- 27. Stick around
- 28. Sidewalk border
- 29. On a voyage
- 30. Challenge
- 32. your request Observer
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- 39. Mouth part
- 42. Greased
- 44 Best
- Household animals
- 48. Flat hill
- 49. Concluded
- 50. Succeeding
- Paddle's kin 51.
- 52. Baked dessert
- 53. Citrus cooler
- 55. Twins Large antelope

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Week of August 17 to 23, 2025



ARIES

This week, you'll openly express what others are thinking, grabbing everyone's attention. You'll also find effective ways to restore balance if you're in a tricky financial situation.



TAURUS

Expect an enticing job offer from a competi-tor that will be impossible to refuse. You'll be busy going back and forth when a relative reaches out for support. When it comes to your love life, someone will surprise you with a bold confession, leaving you feeling



GEMINI

A new chapter in your life is unfolding, bringing your dreams closer to reality. You'll feel excited about the opportunities coming your way. A memorable encounter with a very romantic person could turn your life up-



CANCER

You'll need a strong cup of coffee to start your day and boost your energy. If you've been feeling unwell, you might discover treatments to improve your well-being. Try to turn your stress into motivation to power you through the day.



Get ready to tackle your challenges head-on. You may feel stressed having to juggle multiple negotiations. However, this intense period may lead to new connections and provide a chance to expand your social circle.



VIRGO

You may feel overwhelmed by urgent tasks at work or home this week. You'll feel as though everything must get done at once. Fortunately, those close to you will help you find more perspective. Focus on setting shared goals with your significant other to create a brighter future together.



LIBRA

You'll plan an exciting nature getaway. You deserve a vacation, and organizing every-thing in advance will make this a memorable adventure for you and your loved ones.



SCORPIO

You may feel a bit apprehensive when tackling major projects at work. However, your perseverance is your greatest strength. Embrace change as an opportunity for growth.
If your emotions are still heightened, take a moment to pause and find your inner peace.



SAGITTARIUS

Before making a decision that affects others, it's important to ask their opinions. At work, lengthy negotiations will lead to an especially lucrative financial agreement.



CAPRICORN

Prioritize self-care this week. Adopt new, healthy habits to boost your energy and restore your zest for life. Your doctor may suggest making a few changes to your lifestyle to improve your health.



AQUARIUS

You'll be in the spotlight this week as you lead a group or advocate for your community. Your charisma will shine through, and others will look to you for answers. This will boost your self-esteem.



PISCES

If you have young children, you'll spend a lot of time preparing for the new school year. A move may be on the horizon, or you could be undertaking major renovations at home. If you're single, you could fall in love at



Wildfire smoke, air quality and your health

DISTRICT (Special) - With wildfire season well underway, people living in Ontario may again experience increased risks to their health and safety from exposure to fire, heat and smoke.

el thousands of kilometres from a fire zone and is a major source of harmful safe level of exposure for most of these pollutants. Smoke can cause negative health effects even at very low levels when we may not be able to see or smell

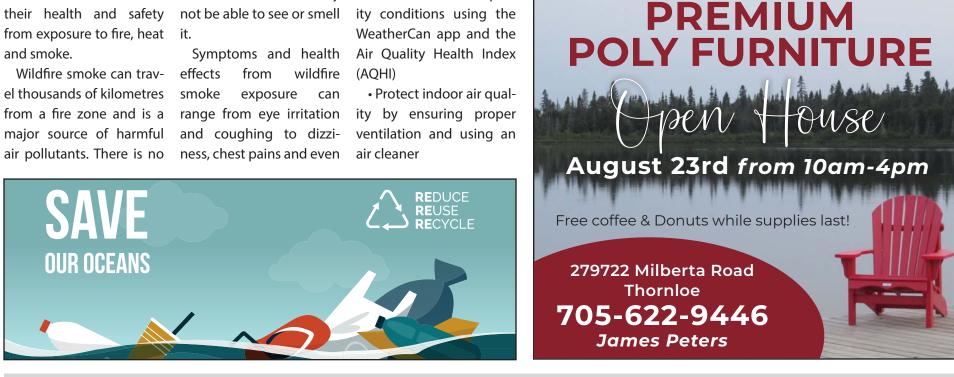
heart attacks.

Prepare yourself for wildfire smoke events:

· Check local weather advisories and air quality conditions using the WeatherCan app and the

· Limit outdoor activity and/or wearing a well-fitting respirator when outside

- Keep cool in combined wildfire smoke and heat
 - Access mental health supports





Open house held for Temiskaming Shores area wind turbine proposal

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Matthias Breuer from ABO's head office in Germany was one of the company representatives on hand to explain the project and said, if approved, construction would take place in 2028. The first year would be focused on preparation of roads and access, collector lines and connection to the transmission line. In 2029 or 2030 the foundations would be prepared and the wind turbines would be erected. The wind turbines

in the ABO project would be 80- to 90-metres high.

There would be 14 to 28 wind turbines if ABO is successful with the project bid, and it would take six to seven months to get all wind turbines erected, said Breuer.

ABO Energy would always try to employ local companies. He added that there are also maintenance jobs once the wind turbines are erect-



AT BAT

Becca Quesnelle of Balls a Fire was at bat in a Sunday morning slo-pitch game against Gay & Streight Alliance in Elk Lake. Fourteen slo-pitch teams competed in the tournament during Elk Lake's annual Civic Holiday celebrations. Proceeds from this year's festivities are earmarked for paving of the community's outdoor rink. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

ASK THE EXPERTS

MYTH / MYTHE: All people who are experiencing homelessness are dealing with su

homelessness are dealing with substance use issues.

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CIVIC PALETTE

Face painter Daniele Des Rochers posed for a photo with two of her subjects – twins Easton, at left, and Mackenzie Turcotte of Sudbury. The family was in Elk Lake to enjoy Civic Holiday celebrations and play some slo-pitch. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)





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SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S EMMANUEL COMMUNITY CHURCH (formerly Emmanuel United Church, Englehart) at 10am, every Sunday. Minister: Rev. Elaine Lush. All are welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH wishes to extend an invitation to join weekly services held every Sunday at 51 Wellington St. North, New Liskeard at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor George Paraskevopoulos officiating. The church is now fully accessible with an outside ramp & inside hydraulic lift elevator. We are also pleased to have completed our improvements to air quality in the building with the addition of air exchangers and Hepa air cleaners. For more information about the church and our ministries, call 705-647-8401 or visit our website www. presbyteriannewliskeard.ca

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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH invites all to come & worship Saturday morning at 453 Marcella St in Haileybury. 705-242-4848. Officiating Pastor Ivan Uriegas. Study time is 10am and divine service at 11am. Prayer meeting Tuesday at 5:30 pm. Everyone is Welcome.

COMMUNITY OF CHRIST invites you to attend Sunday morning family worship services at 33 Niven Street in New Liskeard at 10:30-11:30 each week. All are welcome. Enduring principles of our church include the worth of all persons, unity in diversity and the pursuit of peace. Weekly themes are posted on our Facebook page "Community of Christ - New Liskeard Branch". Communion service is the first Sunday of each month. There is a volunteer knitting group for third world Tuesday af-

HAILEYBURY & DISTRICT BAPTIST CHURCH extends a warm welcome to all. Worship Sunday at 1:30 pm with pastor Adam Kubias. Accessibility ramp. Call the church (705) 672-5855. www.haileyburybaptist.ca

EVERYONE IS WELCOME AT TEMISKAMING CHURCH - Feel free to attend any Sunday at 10:30 a.m. The church is located at 583472 West Rd. in Haileybury. For information about other things that are happening at the church visit the website at temiskaming.church or call 705-672-2020.

CHURCH SERVICES & MORE...

OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH COMING EVENTS

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: The First Friday of the month is now set aside in Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish as a special day of Eucharistic Adoration. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed from 11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. on Friday, June 6th. Come and spend an hour in prayer with our Lord.

YOUNG ADULTS GAME NIGHT: Calling all young adults ages 20 to 35! Join us at Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish for a fun-filled Game Night on Friday, June 13th, starting with pizza at 5:00 PM. Bring your competitive spirit, your favourite games (if you'd like), and enjoy great fellowship and food. Babysitting will be available until 8:00 PM to give parents a chance to relax and connect. At 7:00 PM, the fun opens up to all ages — everyone is welcome to join in the games! We'll have a variety of games available, but feel free to bring your favourites. Let's make it a night of laughter, strategy, and community!

KNOW OF SOMEONE WHO IS UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS AND WOULD LIKE COMMUNION? The Visitation Committee is a group of men and women who commit themselves to comfort and care for the sick and lonely of our Parish by making regular visits to them. Members of the Visitation Committee bring Holy Communion to those who are unable to attend Mass on a regular basis. If you know of someone who would like a visit or Holy Communion contact Judy Walsh at 705-679-3349 or the office.

SUNDAY MASS is celebrated at Our Mother of Perpetual Help on Sundays at 10:00 A.M. Sunday Mass at 10AM is live-streamed on our Facebook page: http:// www.facebook.com/OMPH.NL.

SUNDAY MASS is celebrated at Saint Patrick's Parish in Cobalt on Saturdays at 5:00 P.M..

LIVE-STREAMED MASS: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish live-streams their Sunday Mass on 10AM. On their Facebook page: http://www.facebook.com/ OMPH.NLParish.

OMPH IS NOW ON FACEBOOK: Check our new facebook page at facebook.com/ OMPH.NL and stay up to date on the latest happenings in the http://www.facebook. com/OMPH.NLParish.

WEEKLY OMPH E-BULLETIN: If you would like to receive the weekly e-bulletin from Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish, please email omphoffice@gmail.com. Stay in touch with all the latest news and events on a weekly basis.

PARISH WEBSITE: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish has updated its parish website. It contains information about the Parish, the weekly bulletin and a host of other useful information and links. Check out the website at www.ourmotherofperpetualhelp.ca.



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AA Meetings held in Englehart. 62 Fifth Ave. (St.Pauls Church) every Tuesday night at 8 p.m. Everyone welcome! If you would like additional information please call 705-544-0286.

ANONYMOUS ALCOHOLICS MEETINGS: To be held at various dates, times & locations. For more information, please call Shelby at 705-648-5315.

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NOTICES / COMING EVENTS

For Haileybury: THE HAILEYBURY ANGLICAN CHURCH located at the corner of Rorke and Browning is offering Soup's On (free soup and a bun) the second Monday of every month from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm. All are welcome.

For Cobalt: ST. JAMES ANGLICAN CHURCH located on Prospect Ave. in Cobalt is offering Soup's On (free soup and a bun) the fourth Saturday of every Month from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm. All are welcome.

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Don't miss the TEMAGAMI MARKET EVERY SATURDAY FROM 9AM UNTIL 1PM. Located at the Historic Train Station. Vendors offer fresh produce, baking, and homemade goods. New vendors welcome!

Quack, quack! The 8TH ANNUAL LATCHFORD FIRE DE-PARTMENT DUCK RACE is coming to you live at the Latchford Dam on Saturday August 23, 2025 at 2:00pm. Don't forget to buy your tickets!

THE LADIES AUXILIARY BRANCH 54 HAILEYBURY is excited to bring SHOP AND STOP back May 30. The menu is pulled pork sandwiches, fully loaded and will include roasted potatoes, macaroni salad, coffee, tea and a tasty dessert, all for \$18.00. Serving starts at 5:00 pm. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Are you interested in creating art? THE PALLET AND BRUSH CLUB is welcoming new members. Visit the club at the Haileybury Arena from 1:00pm to 4:00pm on Tuesdays.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE will be played every Monday at 7:00 PM at the Northdale Manor. New players are welcome and partners will be available. Please use the parking lot entrance. Call 705-647-7198 for information.

RUBBER BRIDGE will be played on the second and fourth Wednesday at 1:00 PM, at St. John and St. Paul Anglican Church hall in Haileybury. Partners are not required, and call 705-672-3700 for information.

THE COFFEE HOUSE SUPPORTING & PROMOTING LOCAL CA-NADIAN MUSICIANS AND THEIR MUSIC. On Tuesday September 9th please join us at The Coffee House and enjoy the Musical Stylings of many of your favourite local musicians and entertainers. Please join us the second Tuesday of every month at St. Paul's United Church auditorium, 7 - 10PM at 70 Wellington St. in New Liskeard. Please consider donating to The Coffee House Fund to keep the musical legacy of our musicians alive for years to come. 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

TEMISKAMING ART GALLERY'S NEXT EXHIBIT IS 'PETER FAN-CY: VIEW FROM THE STUDIO'. It opens July 27 with a reception from 1:30-3:30pm and runs until Sept 5. The gallery is open Monday-Friday 10-4 and later hours one Friday a month for Art After Dark. You can find the gallery in city hall on 325 Farr Drive.

LACTATION SUPPORT-LA LECHE LEAGUE CANADA, TEMISKA-MING SHORES is offering peer support for lactating families during pregnancy, postpartum, and beyond. We can provide free breastfeeding/chestfeeding support by email, text, and at 5 in-person meetings per month. For more information, visit https://www.lllc.ca/temiskaming-shores

EUCHRE at the Hudson Hall every Thursday at 1:15 pm. Everyone Welcome!

BID EUCHRE EVERY TUESDAY AT 1:15 at the Hudson Hall. For more info call 705-647-6684.

EUCHRE EVERY MONDAY AT HAILEYBURY LEGION 1pm Don't need a partner, Everyone welcome. 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.

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 \$12. Come join our friendly dining atmosphere with your friends and family. Vendors also on site. 373 Broadway St in Haileybury.

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 1/2mm. Yarn and needles are available. All are welcome! For more information, call D. Caldwell at 705-647-6056.

TEMISKAMING TREASURES QUILT GUILD meet the last Thursday of every month at 1:30 pm 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.

OPEN STUDIO LIBRE - (400 FERGUSON AVE) drop in hours are Mondays and Fridays 10-3pm, Tuesdays and Thursdays 1-7pm, Wed 9:30-12:30. Thursdays we have both upstairs and downstairs art rooms available. Everything is by donation. OSL is closed for Junior Artist Camps until July 25.

ON VOUS INVITE A DEVENIR MEMBRE DU CLUB DU SOURIRE (AGE D'OR DE NEW LISKEARD, ON). Achetez votre carte de membre 2025 le plus tot possible. Cette carte vous donnera la chance du profiter des activities et des soupers communautaires a prix reduit. Vous pouvez contacter Gilbert Breault au 705- 648-5913 pour plus d'informations.

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YARD SALE - August 15 located at 230 Whitewood Ave. Will be running from 8am until 2pm. All items under \$10.00. Free books and school stuff.

YARD SALE - Rain or Shine! 391 Lakeview Ave., North Cobalt (driveway on Carter Blvd.) Saturday, August 16th from 8 a.m. til 3 p.m.

YARD SALE - August 14th & 15th from 8:00 a.m. til ? at 146 Niven St., North, New Liskeard. Construction tools, kitchen items, household items, compressor, and much more...

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The successful candidate shall possess the following:

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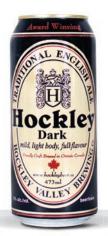
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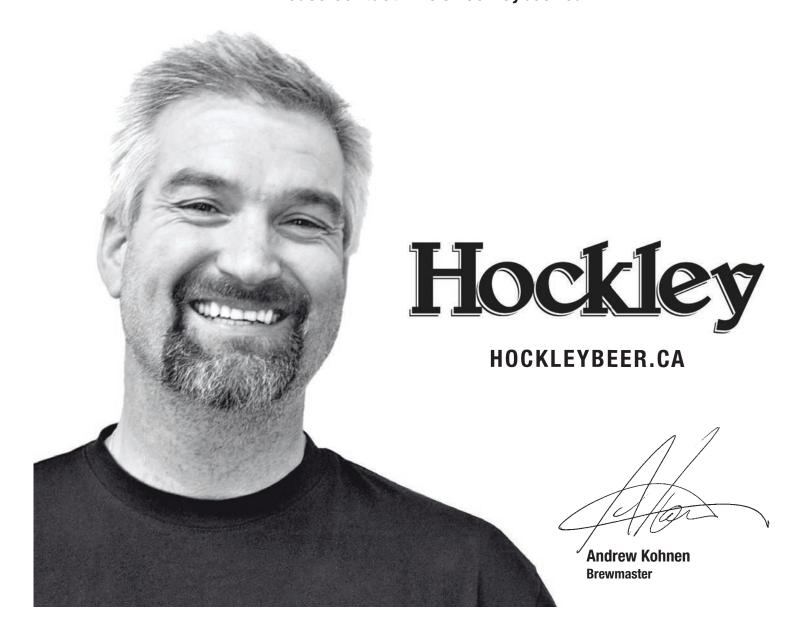






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