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Hilliard man charged with attempted murder

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Staff) - A Hilliard Township man has been charged with attempted murder after police say a woman suffered serious injuries earlier this week.

Temiskaming Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) say they responded to a call about an altercation at a Swamp Hollow Road residence at about 4:40 p.m. Sunday, July 24.

Police say a 46-year-old woman was immediately taken by ambulance to Englehart and District Hospital with injuries described as serious.

A 32-year-old Hilliard man is in custody and was charged with attempt to commit murder.

Both the victim and the accused live at the residence, and they are not related, said Constable Renée Taylor, community safety officer with the Temiskaming detachment.

Officers from the Temiskaming OPP's crime unit and the North Bay forensic identification services, under the direction of Detective Inspector Jim Gorry of the OPP's criminal investigation branch, are continuing the investigation.

Police are asking anyone with any information about the incident to contact the OPP, at 1-888-310-1122.

Callers who wish to remain anonymous can contact Crime Stoppers, at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS).



ENGLEHART SAFARI

"I see a grandma," said six-year-old Cameron Plaunt as she tried out homemade binoculars at the Englehart and Area Historical Museum. While visiting grandmother Anne Plaunt in Englehart, the Bracebridge girl took in a safari-themed kids' day at the museum. It included a scavenger hunt for photos of critters that were hidden among the museum's exhibits. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

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ELK LAKE (Staff) – An Elk Lake tradition reaches 70 this weekend with Civic Holiday celebrations. All the favourites are back.

They include fully booked fastball and slopitch tournaments, sawdust scrambles for cash, a rubber duck race and fireworks.

But to make the 70th edition even more special, organizers have beefed up the schedule.

There will be a Saturday parade, beginning at

2 p.m., with floats, horses and bagpipers.

The Saturday night dance features live music by Undone, a classic rock band from Sudbury.

On Sunday night, visitors can enjoy music committee. from the Hygraders.

Another newcomer to the line-up is an Amazing Race, Elk Lake-style, that will offer clues to lead teams through the community.

But the weekend is also a homecoming for

families and former residents.

"People come back year after year," said Janet MacDowall, who heads the organizing

She extended thanks to the weekend's sponsors, and noted that three - Eacom Timber Corporation, Aecon and the Elk Lake branch of the Royal Canadian Legion – are particularly strong supporters.









CITY BULLETIN]



Temiskaming Shores Public Library

The Library will be closed for the Civic Holiday on Monday, August 1 and Tuesday, August 2.

Summer Reading Scavenger Hunt for Children aged 5-12 at both Branches of the Library

Pick up your map at your branch library and complete the reading challenges. For every book you read from the map you get a raffle ticket to enter the draw. Prizes to be won in both branches of the library—get a map and start reading today! For more information call your library at 705-647-4215 or 705-672-3707.

TD Summer Reading Club Storytime at Both **Branches of the Library**

The Temiskaming Shores Public Library is pleased to offer a T.D. Summer Reading Club STORY TIME for the first time. This STORY TIME is for children of preschool age right through to 7 year olds accompanied by an adult. Older siblings may want to read on their own or use a public access computer while their younger siblings enjoy STORY TIME.

This program will run on Wednesdays from 11:15 a.m. until noon

Haileybury Branch: August 3rd, 17th

New Liskeard Branch: July 27th, August 10th, 24th Drop in to join in the fun or contact us for more information. Call 705-647-4215 or email us at newliskeard@temisklibrary.com

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TD Summer Reading Program Craft Sessions at Both Branches of the Library

Join us for the Wild About Reading craft sessions for the TD Summer Reading Program. Children aged 5-10 years old are invited to come to the story and craft sessions in July and August in both branches.

Sessions run from 1:00-2:30 on the following dates: Haileybury Branch: Saturday, August 13

New Liskeard Branch: Saturday, July 30 and Saturday, August 27

Get Wild about Reading! For more information, contact us at the library: Haileybury Branch 705-672-3707, New Liskeard Branch 705-647-4215

To register or for more information about any of the Library's programs, call 705-647-4215 or 705-672-3707, see our facebook page, email NewLiskeard@ temisklibrary.com or Haileybury@temisklibrary.com, visit our website at www.temisklibrary.com, or visit your Library Branch!

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

REGULAR COUNCIL

Tuesday, August 2, 2016 – 6:00 P.M. City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Wednesday, August 10, 2016 - 6:30 P.M. City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

REGULAR COUNCIL

Tuesday, September 6, 2016 - 6:00 P.M. City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

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Temiskaming Shores Fire Department 705-672-3363

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Collision results in multiple charges

ENGLEHART (Staff) - A James Township man faces multiple charges after a singlevehicle collision near Elk Lake last week.

Temiskaming Ontario Provincial Police say officers responded to a collision on Cook Lake Road shortly before 7 p.m. July 20.

Police say two male passengers – a 22-year-old and a 53-year-old, both from James Township - were treated at the Englehart and District Hospital for non-life threatening injuries.

A 50-year-old James Township man faces six charges.

They include driving while ability impaired and causing bodily harm, and exceeding blood alcohol limits and causing an accident with bodily harm.

He is also charged with failure to comply with a probation order, driving while under suspension, driving a vehicle with no plates, failing to apply for a permit on becoming an owner, and operating a vehicle without insurance.



HISTORY IS COOL

What's better on a hot summer day than a banana split, loaded with nuts, whipped cream and caramel sauce? Elevenyear-old Tanner Fuller, left, and his nine-year-old sister, Georgia, of New Liskeard enjoyed a cool treat at the Haileybury Heritage Museum last week. Volunteers transform the museum into an ice cream shop for a single day each year to raise funds to keep the facility operating. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

Cobalt seeking meetings with Coleman

Darlene Wroe Speaker Reporter

COBALT -- Cobalt will be extending an invitation to Coleman Township for the two councils to meet on a regular basis in the future.

"It would be constructive over the long term," said Cobalt Councillor Perry Wuest who made the proposal at Cobalt council's regular meeting Wednesday, July 13.

commented that she believes there are some issues which

between the two councils.

Councillor Wuest expressed the hope that the public would not consider the joint meetings as the opportunity for "a bruiseup" because that would not be the purpose.

The proposal was accepted by Cobalt council, but was not fully endorsed.

Councillor Gary Bigelow expressed the opinion that Cobalt should not meet with Coleman Township at this time until cer-Cobalt Mayor Tina Sartoretto tain actions being taken by the township are resolved.

Councillor George Othmer could benefit from a discussion also expressed caution, saying

that the town and township's departments, such as the fire department, are working together well at this time, "so why don't we just stay out of it for now."

But council also saw the benefit of working more closely with the township.

Councillor Sue Nielsen commented that she could work more with Coleman Township in the area of recreation.

Council's vote on the proposal saw councillors Bigelow and Othmer voting against it.

Councillor Nielsen noted that the town's previous mayor, clerk and council met quarterly in Coleman Township.



Family & friends are invited to a celebration of life for Charlotte Smith

on Friday, August 5th, 2016 at 11 am at Pioneer Cemetery on High St., New Liskeard.

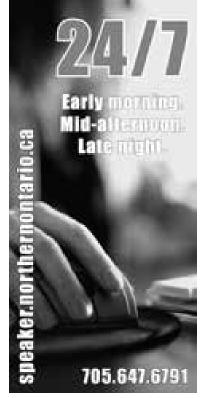
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Life is good

What does a night sky full of a million stars, campfires, holidays, marshmallows, a canoe, loons, family and sunshine spell?

Summer fun at Bass Lake that's what.

Anyone who has swam in the cool, clear waters of Bass Lake will likely be disappointed when they get to heaven.

If I was going to list the Top Ten lakes in the South Temiskaming region, I might be tempted to put Bass Lake at the top.

And for all the readers at Twin Lakes, maybe it would be a tie.

Every summer Bass Lake is my destination...I go to renew something primal, something intuitive that has nothing to do with words, numbers or statistics, but everything to do with feelings about the land and the elements of nature.

Our parents brought us to the lake as kids and we spent our summers happily enjoying the beach, the lake and its waters.

I can still picture my mother and father, sitting in their usual spot at second beach.

They both loved the lake, none more so than my mother.

She believed the waters of Bass Lake had healing powers and I think she was right.

This week I am going with the flow and the flow for me means anything and everything to do with water.

I've also sat near a campfire with that double star in the big dipper winking down at me and thought to myself: life sure is good.

No need to buy the Life Is Good t-shirt because I am actually living it.

I am enjoying my holidays. I am not quite sure what time it is. I haven't put on any mascara



Sue Nielsen

today and I haven't even put my bra on to be truthful.

My holiday agenda includes a backcountry canoe trip to Obabika Lake and I hope the weather cooperates.

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Glide out onto a waterway in this region with paddle in hand and you will experience clean waters, old growth forests and the ancient Canadian Shield.

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When I first began canoe tripping with a group called Wild Women Expeditions, I wondered what I would get out of it.

Well, let me say I get a wonderful life from it. Canoe tripping gives me strength; it is invigorating and highly spiritual.

What did Pierre Trudeau say? Travel a thousand miles by train and you are a brute, pedal five hundred miles on a bike and you remain a bourgeois, paddle

a hundred miles in a canoe and

you are a child of nature.

It is beyond thrilling to paddle a canoe over waters that the Courier de bois once travelled and to try and put my arms around an old growth white

They say you never fully capture the feeling of Wild Temiskaming, it captures you.



Whitebreak Challenge Canoe Race Results

EDITORIAL

Summer paving

Several area roads in South Temiskaming have, or are in the process of receiving, new surfaces.

The City of Temiskaming Shores recently paved a section of Highway 11 B between Haileybury and New Liskeard and drivers happily notice the difference.

The provincial government is re-surfacing Highway 11 B between Highway 11 and Cobalt in Coleman Township and a section just north of Cobalt.

These improvements are certainly welcome additions to improve the safety and driveability of our roadways.

Please be courteous and respectful when approaching a flag person carrying a stop or slow sign.

It is always a good idea to reduce speed when travelling over gravel roads about to be paved and when you are near large equipment.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Fishing times

Dear Editor:

I saw on your web site the picture of my two brothers Victor and Emile Heroux, fishing in Haileybury. (Front page of July 22 Weekender. Photo captioned "Family Line".)

This is the end of an era.

With our brother Clement, we had a lifetime of outdoor activities: hunting, fishing and also camping with the families.

I shed a few tears when I saw the picture. This is almost the end of the line for our fishing days. Thanks to Mom and Dad for giving us early in life a real appreciation and the joy of the great outdoor life.

Marcel Heroux **Timmins**

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K Lake's Weekend

WEDNESDAY July 27th, 2016

Civic BINGO - doors open at 6:00pm 7:30 pm

- Legion

FRIDAY, July 29th, 2016

4:00 - 7:00 pm. Steak Supper - Legion Slo Pitch Tournament - Ballpark 6:00 pm

SATURDAY, July 30th, 2016

7:00 -10:00 am Civic Breakfast - Ballpark Pavilion 8:00 am Slo-Pitch Tournament - Ballpark 9:30 am Fast-Ball Tournament - Ballpark 10:00 am - 5:00 pm Inflatables- Ballpark 11:00 am Sawdust Scramble - Ballpark 12:00 - 6:00 pm Little Blind Pig - Ballpark Pavilion (special occasion permit) 12:00 - 4:00 pm Face Painting - Ballpark 12:00 - 4:00 pm Elk Lake Amazing Race - Library 2:00 pm Parade - Downtown 3:00 pm Swim Races - Beach Radar Throw-Ballpark 3:00 pm 7:00 pm Mass - Nativity R.C. Church 9:00 pm - 1:00 am Dance (Age of Majority) - Community

SUNDAY, July 31st, 2016

8:00 am

Slo-Pitch Tournament - Ballpark 10:00 am - 11:30am. Ceramic Painting - 2-6 year old/ must be accompanied by an adult -

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Ballpark

11:00 am Fast-Ball Tournament - Ballpark Family Bible Hour & Sunday School -11:00 am

Elk Lake Bible Chapel

11:00 am Sawdust Scramble - Ballpark Ceramic Painting - 7 year olds and up -12:00 - 1:30 pm

Ballpark

12:00 - 9:00 pm Little Blind Pig - Ballpark Pavilion

(special occasion permit)

12:00 - 4:00 pm Face Painting - Ballpark

2:00 pm Children's Field Games - Ballpark Duck Races - start at the Bear Creek 5:00 pm

Bridge on Fourth Street

7:00 pm Euchre - New Prospects - Legion Hall

Basement

9:00 - 11:00 pm Live Music by the Hygraders - Little

Blind Pig - Ballpark Pavilion

9:30 pm (dusk) Fireworks - Government Dock 9:30 pm (dusk) Boat Parade - Government Dock

MONDAY, August 3rd, 2015

8:00 am Slo-Pitch Tournament - Ballpark Fast-Ball Tournament - Ballpark 9:30 am 11:00 am Children's Sawdust Scramble - Ballpark

12:00 am - 6:00 pm Little Blind Pig - Ballpark Pavilion (special occasion permit)

11:00 am - 2:00 pm Penny Sale - Community Centre 2:15 pm Penny Sale Draw - Community Centre 3:00 pm Presentation of Prizes and Draws -

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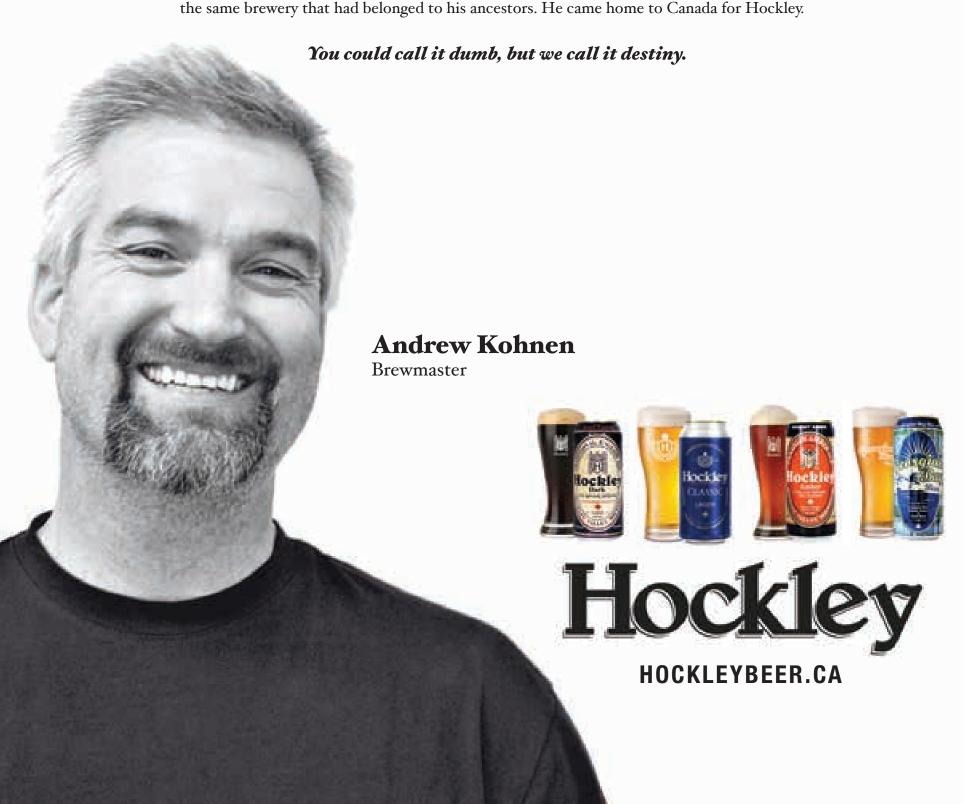
From the Book of Hockley

The one time playing hooky paid off!

Andrew threw away a successful career in Logistics to pursue his dream of reconnecting with the brewing roots of his family. This carried him to the UK's prestigious Brewlab in Sunderland, England, where he procured the alchemy that would drive his signature brewing style.

Moment of clarity: I was sitting in a movie theatre catching a matinee – the first and only time I ever played hooky from work. I was in Operations Management at the time and could not, for the life of me, see myself in the same environment for the next 30 years. I submitted my resignation the next day and applied to the Brew School in England. I've been following the path ever since.

He took what he could from there and ventured to Scotland, Cornwall, and ultimately to Krefeld, Germany to pick up near where his mother's family brewery had been, working in



Cobalt wants walking trail signs installed

Darlene Wroe Speaker Reporter

COBALT -- Cobalt's new walking trail signs were a subject of discussion at the town's regular council meeting Wednesday, July 13.

The town has the signs but they have not yet been installed.

The council discussed the fact, and whether the public works department has the time to put the signs up.

Councillor Perry Wuest urged that the signs should be set up.

But he noted that the bases for the old signs are not the right bases for the new signs.

The town discussed the potential impact on the budget of getting new bases for the signs, and the labour to erect them, and Councillor Wuest queried whether the town might be able to get the materials donated.

Mayor Sartoretto said the town's agreed portion of the project had been in-kind labour.

Council decided to discuss the project with public works director Victor Legault to determine what is needed to move the project forward.

"We need them up," said Councillor Wuest.

"The installation of the branding signs is a priority," agreed Mayor Tina Sartoretto.

She added that the street signs that have already been erected do "look nice."

One of the concerns expressed by Councillor Wuest is that he only observed 24 of the 28 signs ordered.

The town received \$50,000 in funding for its branding project, noted Mayor Sartoretto.

Councillor Wuest noted that of the old signs, 11 are missing and more than two-thirds of those still standing are damaged beyond repair.

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INAUGURAL AWARD

Brendon Jacksic was the first ever recipient of The Dean Karn Memorial Award at **Timiskaming District** Secondary School's graduation on June 24. Mr. Karn was a "businessman with many talents who enjoyed woodworking and built log homes with his sons," said his daughter Karen Laffrenier. The plaque and monetary awards will be presented to a graduating student who has the abilities and passion, according to the plaque, for "a trade in woodworking, mechanics or welding. The student must possess determination, the qualities to be a mentor and contribute to society." Mr. Jacksic is seen here with Mr. Karn's wife Betty. (Supplied photo)





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Harrow Diamond peaches - July 30; Red Haven peaches - Aug. 6 & 13 Early Golden plums - July 30; Blue plums - Aug. 6 & 13 Apricots - July 30; Nectarines - Aug. 6 & 13; Bartlett pears - Aug. 20 & 27 Apples (many, many varieties) - beginning of October

(some varieties might be ready earlier) Niagara & Concord grapes - end of September or beginning of October

Due to rising demand, we plan to go down to Niagara almost every week this summer, therefore we will have access to a greater variety of fruit. If you would like a certain type of fruit that you do not see listed, but you know is grown in Niagara, feel free to five us a call and we'll see what we can do for you. Call Michael at 705-676-6926 or Betty at 705-563-2397 (No Sunday

Watch the classified ads for further updates or visit us at the Riverside Farmer's Market every Saturday morning between 8 a.m. and 12 noon or in Kirkland Lake on Tuesdays between 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. Hope to see you there!

Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Summer Safe Food Handling Tips

Picnic and BBQ season bring lots of opportunities for outdoor fun with family and friends, but with the warm weather also comes opportunities for foodborne bacteria to thrive. As food heats up in the summer temperatures, bacteria can quickly multiply.

Pack and Transport Food Safely

- **Keep cold food cold** place it in a cooler with ice or frozen gel packs.
- Organize cooler contents. Pack drinks separately, that way as you open and reopen the drink cooler, the perishable foods won't be exposed to warm tem-
- Keep coolers closed. Limit the number of times the cooler is opened. This helps to keep the contents cold longer.
- Don't cross contaminate. Be sure to keep raw meat, poultry, and seafood securely wrapped. This keeps their juices from contaminating prepared/cooked foods or foods that will be eaten raw, such as fruits and vegetables.
- Clean produce. Rinse fresh fruits and vegetables under running tap water before packing them in the cooler. Dry them with a clean cloth towel or paper

Safe Grilling Tips

- Marinate safely in the refrigerator never on the kitchen counter or outdoors. Don't reuse marinade.
- **Cook food thoroughly.** Have your food thermometer ready. Always use it to be sure your food is cooked thoroughly.
- Don't reuse platters or utensils. Using the same platter or utensils that you previously used for raw meat, poultry or seafood allows bacteria to spread to the cooked food. Instead, have a clean platter and utensils ready to serve your
- Check for foreign objects in food. If you clean your grill with a bristle brush, check to make sure that no detached bristles have made their way into your

Outdoor Hand Cleaning

If you don't have access to running water, use a water jug, some soap, and paper towels or consider using moist disposable towelettes for cleaning your hands.

Protect yourself and your family and practice safe food handling!

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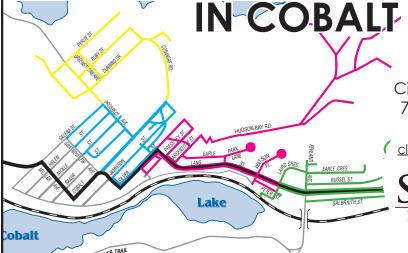


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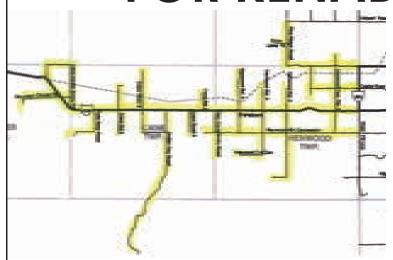
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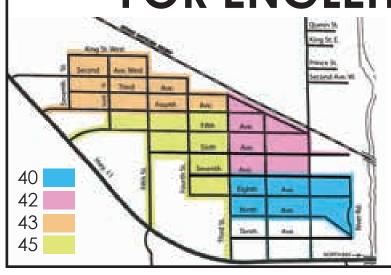
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A STUDY IN BLACK AND WHITE

Mackenzee Perreault, above, and his father Gilles, who heads Poly-Ure Castings in Earlton, helped give Ms. Claybelt a facelift last week. The giant Holstein underwent repairs and received a fresh coat of paint. The City of Temiskaming Shores has estimated the cost of the work at \$10,000. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)



DETAILING

Rick Moore, on the ladder, and Mario Bujold of Belanger Construction spruced up the Graydon Bowman Memorial Kiosk. The kiosk, which provides a snapshot of Temiskaming's agricultural scene, is adjacent to the Little Claybelt Homesteaders Museum. It too was restained, with the total cost of the refurbishment to the two structures tallying \$12,500. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)



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COUNTRY COOKING

At Sutton Bay Park, Countryfest music fans looking for a hot meal could drop by the kitchen, with proceeds going to **Temiskaming Hospital's CAT Scan Foundation. While** figures had yet to be finalized, the canteen was estimated to have raised about \$6,800. Volunteering a shift at the weekend festival were, from left, Bill Graydon, Margaret Beatty, Janet MacDowall, Heather Brazeau, Archie Brazeau, Judy Graydon, Bonny Koistinen, Arlene Hearn and Sharron Graydon. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)





DANCIN' TO STOMPIN'

Toronto's Whiskey Jack recorded and toured with Stompin' Tom. On the weekend, the band brought the stories and tunes of the late Canadian musical icon to the eighteenth edition of Sutton Bay Park's Countryfest – and the dance floor quickly filled up. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)



Arabella Mathers, left, and Ashley Belanger tapped their way into the crowd's hearts at the Sutton Bay Park Countryfest. They were among the students from the Paula Davey Dance School who performed between musical acts. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)







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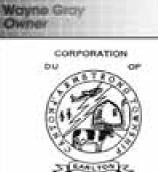
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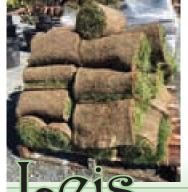
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If getting in and out of a kayak is what keeps you from trying your new favourite sport, relax. A few tries using these guidelines will have you in your kayak in no time! At the dock:

- Put your lifejacket on
- Until the kayak and keep the line in your hand
- In shallow water you can lift your paddle vertically - set one end into the bottom of the water snug against the kayak side to steady it. If you're in deeper water lay your paddle within reach and use the dock edge to steady you.
- Sit on the dock edge dangling your legs over and balance the cockpit edge with your feet to line up your entry position - drop the tie line into the cockpit.
- Using the dock edge to steady you, swing one foot then quickly the other into the center of the cockpit - quickly crouch down - then sit.

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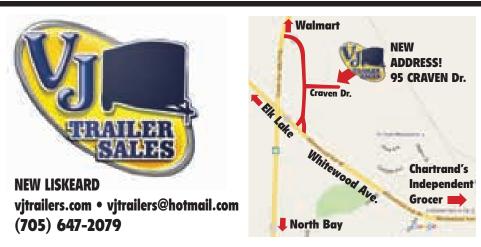


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But white-nose syndrome (WNS) has killed almost six million bats in North America in the last nine years. The presence of the fungus Pseudogymnoascus destructans, which causes WNS, has been confirmed in at least five Canadian provinces: Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario.

During hibernation, when a bat's immune system is vulnerable, P. destructans infects the skin of its nose, wings and ears. It also causes infected bats to wake more often, consume their fat reserves and starve.

Government departments in Canada and the United States, along with the private sector and scientists around the world, are searching for solutions to contain and treat the deadly disease. In 2014-15 the bacteria Rhodococcus rhodochrousin was successfully field tested on infected bats in Kentucky and Missouri caves. The bacterium, which can be found in almost all North American soil and is safe for animals and plants, inhibits the growth of WNS.

Because bats generally only have one pup a year, their populations are fragile. Until there is a treatment or vaccine for WNS, scientists believe it will continue to spread westward toward the prairies.







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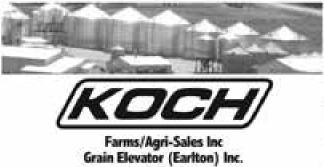
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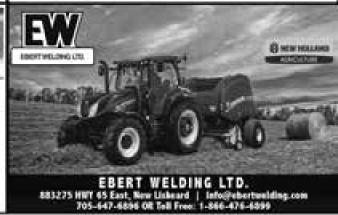
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CLUES

ACROSS

- Umps' kin
- Mushy stuff
- In the distance
- 12. Exclude
- 13. Total
- 14. Middle Eastern bread
- 15. Stripped down
- 17. Hunted animal
- 18. Actor Hawke
- 19. Market
- 21. Viewed
- 23. Invaded
- 27. Combat
- 29. Bro or sis
- 31. Annoy
- 32. Tall trees
- 34. Here's partner
- 36. Large amount
- 37. Andes animal
- 39. Damp
- 41. Interfere
- 42. Hard-working person
- 44. Two together
- 46. Potato
- 48. Materialize
- 51. Uninteresting

CROSSWORD ANSWERS ON 6B

56. Madden

54. Astaire

57. Age of note

specialty: 2 wds.

- 58. Make a call
- 59. Fruit drinks
- 60. Color of rubies
- 61. Cup handles

DOWN

- 1. Went by car
- Project
- Angler 3.
- Homeless dog
- 5. Gossip
- Some poems
- More peculiar
- Spreads 8.
- Christmas tree
- 10. Took food
- 11. Sunbeam
- 16. Small bills
- 20. Race section
- 22. Commotion

buttercups 25. Always

24. Certain

- 26. Moist, as a lawn
- 27. Join metal
- 28. Partner
- 30. Hair ornament
- 33. Breaks
- 35. Network
- 38. Electrical unit,

for short

- 40. Croaker
- 43. External
- 45. Baseball deal
- 47. Challenge
- 49. Wound
- remainder
- 50. Wiggly creatures
- 51. Swimsuit top
- 52. Container's
- cover
- 53. Brewery order
- 55. Bachelor
- apartment



Horoscopes

CAPRICORN

Absence really does make the heart grow fonder, at least this week, Capricorn. Give your loved one some space. A special occasion



ARIES

Your friend doesn't mind. Really, Aries. Why are you getting so worked up about it? Perhaps it's time to change your tune. A contract is broken.



Romance makes for an interesting week. Enjoy, Cancer. It's been a while since you've focused on your relationship. A project begins. Take it slowly.



LIBRA

A loved one lashes out. Be there for them, Libra, but don't egg them on. This is one fight you want no part of. A business opportunity is ripe for the picking.



AQUARIUS

but you won't. Be honest and decline the offer. Efforts to be debt free continue in earnest. Jealousy pervades at home.

You could, Aquarius,

You've got plenty

to say on the matter, Pisces, but now is not the time. Reserve your remarks for when they will count. A bargain buy fills a need.



Breathe, Gemini,

breathe. You've

been much too

busy as of late.

Take a trip and do

something fun. You

deserve a break. A

windfall makes a

purchase possible.

TAURUS

No, Taurus. It's not your job to fix every little problem that comes your way, especially when you are not the one responsible. Back off, and let the ones at fault do the work.



LEO

Memories of long ago pave the way. Follow them with care, Leo. The to-do list grows at home, and you have no choice but to bring in a pro.



Uh-oh, Scorpio. You're in over your head. Admit it and take help where you can get it. A financial review uncovers a few errors. Correct them



SCORPIO



Loved ones continue to weave a web of deceit. Take no part in it, Virgo. They will get caught. A business relationship improves with a report.



SAGITTARIUS

Got a hunch, Sagittarius? Follow it. You're right on. A clash in opinions at home calls for the intervention of a third party. It calls for you. What do you think?







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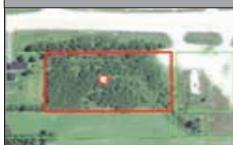
67 - Tenth Avenue, Earlton – \$265,000 Motivated sellers. All brick, 13 yrs old, 4 beds, 2 baths, double lot (132'x115'), paved driveway, heated double garage, 20x40 deck, 8 person hot tub, finished base nent, 2 person Jacuzzi iet tub, central air, and so much more!

Earlton - Starter how



125 Tenth Street, Earlton - \$125,000 MLS# 161910 3 Beds, 1 bath, 18x24 garage, tin roof, low maintenance, well maintained...good bargain!

PRIME Commercial Land on Hwy 11!



Hwy 11, New Liskeard - \$159,900 2.17 Acre vacant commercial building lot on hwy 11. Located on west side across from Holiday Inn and Toyota dealership.

Fartton -



52 Ninth St., Earlton - \$219,900 MLS# 161723 All brick bungalow on double lot! 4 beds.,1.5 baths, oversized living room and foyer entrance! Nice wide hallways and huge unfinished basement...lots of potential with room for everyone here!



231289 Dairy Lane, Hilliard - \$299,900 MLS# 160716 Approx 9 acres, 5 beds, 1.5 bath, 50x100 machine shed, 44x120 Quonset, 2 barns, 2 storey garage...storage galore!



Twin Lakes Rd., Hudson Twp. - \$55,000 80.50 acres. Building lot on Twin Lakes Road. Hydro and phone at paved road!

Duplex \$1000-Up, \$800-Down - Earlton



75 Seventh St. South, Earlton - \$179,900 UP-2 Beds, rented \$1,000/month. DOWN-2beds, rented \$800/month. Utilities incl. Roof approx. 8 yrs old. Identical layouts. Garage, shed, well kept home...simply collect the rent!

Hilliard - Nicely renovated 1,600 square feet!



231287 Dairy Lane - \$199,900 MLS# 152505 2+1 beds, 2 bath, main floor beautifully renovated...drilled well 2015, septic system 2014, new shingles. Priced to sell!

Acres on Development Road



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Lot 11&12 Arnold Dr., Haileybury



\$37,500 Arnold Dr., Haileybury. MLS# 161375 Nice building lot on upscale street. 100' x 100'. Utilities at the road. A rare find!

Building Lot - Elk Lake



396 Fourth Street - Elk Lake - \$5,900 MLS# 153048 Cheap, flat, cleared bbuilding lot featuring South-West exposure. 66' \times 132'. On town water.

Building lot - Blanche River



Lots 2 & 6 St-Joseph Boulevard - Belle Vallee - \$19,900 Waterfront building lots Only 2 lots remain. 100° x 184° +. Paved road. Hydro at street. Town lagoon hook-up.



Henwood Rd. 4 - just off Hwy 65 West - \$24,900 MLS# 160379 330' x 132'. Partly treed, flat lot with 2 entrances to Henwood Rd. 4. Cheap taxes and few building restrictions!

6.85 Acres - Bay Lake



56651 Victor's Way - Bay Lake - \$94,900 MLS#160422 Treed 6.85 acre building lot featuring 180 feet of west facing frontage on Bay Lakel Year round road access, hydro nearby, partial driveway.