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TAG DAY CREW

Lance Corporal William Kensett, at left, and Cadet Bradley Goddard were among the 2344 Algonquin Regiment Army Cadets out in force on Tag Day March 31. The donations support cadets' participation in, for example, drill activities, orienteering, biathlon and marksmanship training. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

New pumper-tanker ordered for Haileybury station

Diane Johnston
Speaker Reporter

TEMISKAMING SHORES – A new pumper-tanker is coming to the Haileybury fire station.

Temiskaming Shores council has approved the purchase of the new vehicle, at a cost of \$417,000 plus taxes for a total estimated at \$428,000.

Fire Chief Uttley said the new pumper-tanker will actually replace two – a 1989 pumper and a converted milk truck.

It'll mean the vehicle complement at the Haileybury station will drop from four to three.

He said the delivery date for the new truck, which is custom-made to a client's specifications, will be in 300 to 330 days.

The purchase is over the \$370,000 originally budgeted for the new vehicle.

But it is within the city's overall 2018 budget for fleet upgrades, and it is part of the fire department's vehicle replacement plan.

The city first issued a request for bids from truck suppliers in January.

When they all came in over budget, a committee of fire department representatives

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**DID YOU GET
THE SPEAKER
THIS WEEK?**

**Here are some of the stories in our
APRIL 4, edition...**

- The issue of dental care for seniors was raised in the Ontario legislature after a local woman wrote to her MPP.
- A GoFundMe campaign has been set up to raise funds for a Haileybury woman in need of a double-lung transplant.
- The BIA, with over 150 members, continues to advocate for New Liskeard businesses.
- The Temiskaming Municipal Association is boarding the latest

- effort to restore passenger train service between Cochrane and Toronto.
- The area's MPP is urging the provincial government to hold off regulations that would require the certification of volunteer firefighters.
- When applying for a new passport, or renewal of an existing one, be aware you can't file online.
- Getting better and having fun doing it were the driving themes of the Scotiabank Atom Girls

season.

- Saying the Temiskaming Veterinary Services Pee Wee Puckhounds had a great year doesn't do their accomplishments justice.
- A school of thought in sports is: the better a team's competition, the better the development.
- Our C front this week features a story and photos on Andy and Dot Poupore, a couple who owned the Northern Stock Yards and helped to develop the Earlton Steam Show.

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SpeakerSports

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 2008

Atom OWWA

ScottishBank girls improved their season

Byline: Laura Reid

SCOTTISHBANK (SMB) - Glenora and Hibernian Ladies Golf Clubs have been the beneficiaries of the Scottish Bank Girls' tournament, which was held at the Royal Golf Club, St. Andrews, on the 2nd and 3rd of April.

The girls, who were aged 14 and 15, were divided into two teams, the Glenora and Hibernian teams. The girls from Glenora were led by Captain, Sarah, who was also the best player in the tournament. The girls from Hibernian were led by Captain, Sarah, who was also the best player in the tournament.

FUELING HUNGER INTEREST

With the growing number of people who are hungry, the need for food is becoming a major issue. The need for food is becoming a major issue. The need for food is becoming a major issue.

Building Communities

Dancing through the years

THE TEMISKAMING SPEAKER

Andy and Dot Poupre reflect on sales bars and steam shows

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Pee Wee OWWA

Vet Services ride hot year into provincials

The Pee Wee OWWA team is looking forward to the provincial tournament. They are looking forward to the provincial tournament. They are looking forward to the provincial tournament.

Bantam OWWA

Mike's making last stop at provincial

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RECYCLING PROGRAM

Residents of the City of Temiskaming Shores continue to ensure our diversion rate is maintained or increased by the recycling efforts they have done since the program started in 2014.

However, the processor of the City’s recyclables has recently noticed an increase in the amount of garbage or non-recyclable materials in our shipments.

Non-recyclable materials can cause problems during the sorting process and are expensive to dispose of, as the processor hand sorts the materials to get the garbage out. Mixing garbage with recycling significantly increases program costs, and ultimately the cost to the taxpayer.

Beginning immediately, random inspections will be completed by looking inside the recycling bins to check for garbage. Recycling bins found with unacceptable materials will be tagged to identify why the notice was issued, and to ensure the bin is not collected. Further occurrences may lead to fines or the suspension of collection services.

Please help to reduce the amount of garbage found in our recycling, and do not place the following prohibited materials in the blue recycling bin:

- Batteries
 - Clothing, shoes, other fabric materials
 - Christmas Lights
 - Diapers
 - Electronics
 - Wood
 - Extension Cords
- Garbage Bags and Diapers
 - Garden Hoses
 - Plastic Shovels, Toys, Buckets
 - Large Plastics: Tarps, Pool Covers/Liners
 - Yard Waste: grass clippings, leaves, sticks, branches

Prior to setting out your recycling bin for collection, please ensure all of your mixed recyclable materials are placed in the bin loosely (except for shredded paper packaged in a clear plastic bag). Any items received at the processing facility in garbage bags are considered non-recyclable, as these bags are not opened and the contents are not sorted.

Residents can find guidelines regarding curbside garbage and recycling collection on the City’s website at www.temiskamingshores.ca or by contacting City Hall at (705) 672-3363.

AGE FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES

GetBowling
Tuesday April 10, 2018 @ 1:00 pm @ Tri-Town Bowling Lanes, 331 Main St., Haileybury; \$3.00

Indoor Walking (extended until end of April at both locations)
Wednesday, April 11, 2018 @ 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm @ Timiskaming District Secondary School, 90 Niven St N., New Liskeard
Friday, April 13, 2018 @ 9:00 am - 10:30am @ Northern College Gymnasium, 640 Latchford St., Haileybury

RECREATION DEPARTMENT
SEASONAL CONCESSIONS

HAILEYBURY BEACH
DYMOND RECREATION PARK

Individuals interested in operating a Seasonal Concession may obtain an Application form from:

Temiskaming Shores City Hall
325 Farr Drive
Haileybury, Ontario POJ 1K0

Or Contact Paul Allair – Superintendent of Parks & Facilities
pallair@temiskamingshores.ca
705-647-5728

Application Deadline:
2:00 pm Tuesday, April 10, 2018

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

RECREATION COMMITTEE
Monday, April 9, 2018 – 6:30 P.M.
Community Hall, 90 Whitewood Avenue, New Liskeard

REGULAR COUNCIL
Tuesday, April 17, 2018 – 6:00 P.M.
City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

LIBRARY BOARD
Wednesday, April 18, 2018 – 7:00 P.M.
Temiskaming Shores Public Library, Haileybury Branch,
545 Lakeshore Road S., Haileybury

Environmental Services Superintendent
Competition No. 2018-002

The City of Temiskaming Shores is currently seeking a full time Environmental Services Superintendent within the Public Works Department. The Superintendent position is responsible for the operation of the water and wastewater collection and distribution systems, and the supervision of labourers, skilled trades and equipment operators, involved in installation, repair and operation of those systems. Unless otherwise described, the position is the formal “operator in charge” for the purposes of MOECC reporting. The position also provides supervisory responsibilities for the maintenance of the road system in the absence of the Superintendent of Transportation Services.

- The ideal candidate will possess the following qualifications and education:
- College diploma in a related discipline from a recognized post-secondary institution is preferred;
 - Five (5) years of related responsible experience in a public works maintenance and/or construction operation, with specific experience in all aspects of water and sewer operations, including equipment operation, materials specifications, and three (3) years in a supervisory position;
 - Possesses a valid province of Ontario Class DZ driver’s licence with an acceptable driving record;
 - Class 2 water distribution systems certificate from MOECC;
 - Class 2 sewage collection systems certificate from MOECC; and
 - Certified Road Superintendent designation would be an asset.

Applicants are encouraged to submit their cover letter and resume quoting **Job Competition No. 2018-002** no later than **April 13th, 2018** by regular mail or email to:

Shelly ZubycK
Director of Corporate Services
P.O. Box 2050
Haileybury, Ontario POJ 1K0
szubycK@temiskamingshores.ca

We appreciate the interest of all applicants however, only those selected for interviews will be contacted. The Corporation of the City of Temiskaming Shores is an equal opportunity employer that provides equality of opportunity for employment without discrimination, consistent with The Ontario Human Rights Code and the candidate’s ability to successfully perform the duties of the job.

Are you thinking of running for Municipal Council?
Election Day – October 22, 2018
Ministry of Municipal Affairs will be holding a **pre-election information** session geared towards those considering running for municipal Council.

Cobalt Community Hall
(18 Silver Street)
April 4, 2018
6:00 p.m.

Further Information
David B. Treen, Clerk
705-672-3363
Email: dtreen@temiskamingshores.ca

Public Consultation

The Temiskaming Shores Public Library Board and the City of Temiskaming Shores are conducting Public Consultations about Library Services in the City of Temiskaming Shores
Haileybury: City Hall, Tuesday, April 10, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.
New Liskeard: Community Hall, Wednesday, April 11, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.
New Liskeard: Community Hall, Thursday, April 12, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.
What library services do you currently use? What is on your library wish list?
How do you get to the library (what transportation do you use)? What time of day do you usually access library services? What prevents you from accessing library services?
We want to hear from you!

Temiskaming Shores Public Library

Spring Session Preschool Storytime at both branches of the Library
All preschoolers accompanied by an adult are invited to join us for this fun filled, active and exciting introduction to early literacy and the wonders of the library. For more information please contact us at 705-647-4215 or 705-672-3707 or email newliskeard@temisklibrary.com or haileybury@temisklibrary.com
Wednesdays from 11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
New Liskeard Branch: April 4 and 13, and May 2, 16 and 30
Haileybury Branch: March 28, April 11 and 25, and May 9 and 23

Power Off and Play at the Haileybury Branch
Join us at the Haileybury Branch Library on Wednesday, March 7 and every second Wednesday until May 2 for story time, crafts and games!
Date: Wednesday, April 4
Time: 4:15 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Age Group: 6-12 years old
Call 705-672-3707 or stop by either branch to sign up!

Temiskaming Shores Public Library Bookclub at the New Liskeard Branch
The Book Pick for March is Dark Matter by Blake Crouch. Come on out to discuss on:
Thursday, April 5, 2018 at 6:00 PM
Call (705) 672-3707 for more information

Family Story, Game and Play Time at the New Liskeard Branch
The Library is partnering with the Healthy Kids Community Challenge #PowerOffAndPlay to provide a bi-weekly family story and play time to encourage screen free time for parents and kids! The last session is on
Saturday, April 7 at 1:30 p.m.
1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.- story time (8 & under/preschoolers with adult)
2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.- board games to be played/pages to colour
2:45 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.- active play time with different apparatus
This will be a fun time for the whole family! Call 705-647-4215 for more information

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Le 10 avril
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Gadget Helper at Both Branches of the Library
Gadget Helper is Back! Would you like to make better use of your devices? Want to improve your connection to the digital world? Come and get some help with the Gadget Helper!
What? One-on-One 45-minute session with a library clerk to help you with your electronic device (phone, iPad, laptop, Fitbit, tablet, or other)
When? Every Thursday at one of our local library branches
Cost? FREE!!
How? Call to book your appointment! Haileybury 705-672-3707 New Liskeard 705-647-4215

TechSocial at the New Liskeard Branch
Starting in April 2018, NEOnet will be hosting seniors (age 55+) technology training at New Liskeard Public Library! Workshops will cover: the basics of your device, safety and security features, the default applications associated with your device, and some fun application options for you to enjoy. Workshops will cover each topic in-depth and will include practice time, as well as a question and answer period. Space is limited, so make sure to sign-up early! We encourage everyone to bring their smartphone or tablet along with them; if not, NEOnet has limited devices that they will provide to participants for use in the workshop.
Workshop sessions are as follows:
• **April 13th, 2018 at 1:00 pm** – Workshop 1: The Basics – Covering the basic functions of your device and getting you acquainted with it. If you’re new or need a review, come on out!
• **April 27th, 2018 at 1:00 pm** – Workshop 2: Safety and Security – Reviewing some of the safety and security features of your device. As well, we’ll go over internet safety and how to ensure you are protected while online.
• **May 11th, 2018 at 1:00 pm** – Workshop 3: Default Applications – We’ll walkthrough some of the applications that come with the device. As well as show you some useful tips and tricks.
• **May 25th, 2018 at 1:00 pm** – Workshop 4: Entertainment Applications – Time for the fun to start! We’ll take you through some fun and useful apps that you can enjoy in your everyday life.
For more information or to sign-up for the workshops:
visit <https://goo.gl/forms/xP6Q27SMaEHjto6l2>, call us at 705-360-1353, or email the team at TechSocial@neonet.on.ca, or contact the New Liskeard Library at 705-647-4215.


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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!



TOY PARTY STORY

On Benjamin Roy’s birthday, he forgoes gifts and friends and family are instead asked to make a donation to a local charity that has touched their lives. This year, the Roy family chose Timiskaming Child Care’s toy lending library. “Benjamin and his friends collected numerous toys as well as a monetary donation,” said toy librarian Monique Skinner-Ritchie. The centre “is thankful for generous families like Ben’s and his friends,” she said. Pictured above are, from left, Benjamin’s mom Kayla Roy and Benjamin, with friends Quinn Dubois, mom Janie Dubois and Mycah Dubois; at back is Skinner-Ritchie. Both families are patrons of the toy and resource library. (Supplied Photo)



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City hopes to repeat as showcase lead

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Staff) – City officials believe investing in a Northern Ontario presence at an annual mining conference is paying dividends.

Temiskaming Shores is applying to FedNor once again for support to lead the Northern Ontario Mining Showcase at the Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada (PDAC) conference next year.

It also wants to secure the services of Markey Consulting of Sturgeon Falls to continue coordinating the event.

The city has served as the lead agency for the regional showcase for the past five years.

It’s grown from a one-day event with 35 exhibitors in 2014 to a five-day showcase with 100 exhibitors from across Northern Ontario this year.

It focuses on small- and medium-sized mining-related businesses and organizations.

This year, they were exposed to more than 25,000 visitors from around the world who came to the PDAC conference.

In an April 3 report to council, Temiskaming Shores economic development officer James Franks said participants have been pleased with the impact of the showcase.

Almost half of all participants reported making new sales at the event and all attendees created new leads, he said.

In a survey, almost all judged the showcase “extremely” or “quite” useful or valuable.

Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Rosacea Awareness

What is it?

Rosacea is a common, chronic, inflammatory skin conditions causing redness on the face and for some people, small red bumps and pimples.

It often begins as a tendency to flush and blush frequently and in time, persistent areas of redness appear on the cheeks and nose. The chin, forehead and neck can also be affected. Tiny blood vessels may be seen on the cheeks and nose. The skin is often very sensitive and may feel dry, rough or swollen. Up to half of people with rosacea also experience eye involvement causing red, watery eyes, frequent styes and an irritated, dry or gritty feeling.

Who Gets Rosacea?

Most often:

- People between the ages of 30 and 50
- People with fair skin
- More women than men are affected
- Those with a family history of rosacea
- Those with extremely sensitive skin

When is it time to see a health care provider?

1. Do you have noticeable areas of redness on your face that do not go away?
2. Do you feel embarrassed, socially anxious, frustrated, or low about deep flushing or redness on your face or neck?
3. Does your skin burn, sting or swell during periods of flushing?
4. Do you have pimples, red bumps and persistent red areas on your face?
5. Are your eyes frequently bloodshot, watery and irritated?
6. Is there an area of thickened, bumpy, red skin on the nose, chin forehead or ears?

If you answer yes to any one of these questions, you should consider scheduling an appointment with your health care provider. The Temagami FHT is an OTN Tele-derm Site which means that you could have a consultation with a dermatologist right here at the clinic. Diagnosis and treatment recommendations are typically turned around within one week.

For more information about rosacea go to <https://www.rosaceahelp.ca>

Committed to keeping you as healthy as possible!



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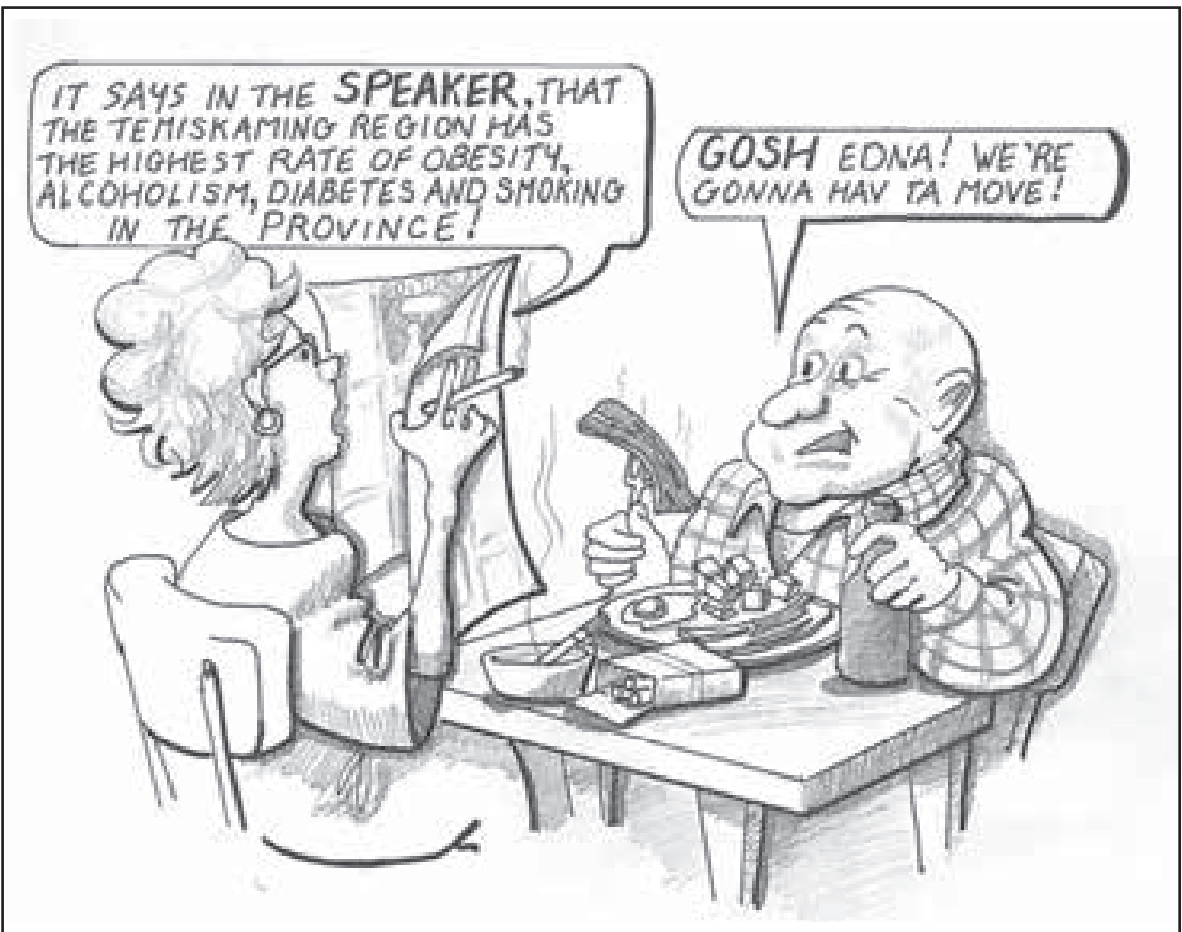
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EDITORIAL

Empty promises

Boreal gift

The blue of an April sky is lovely.

Soon birdsong will fill the air as birds return to the life-giving Boreal forest to raise their off-spring.

I spotted two Canada geese honking loudly as they flew over Cobalt last weekend.

I imagined them saying, "But we didn't bring our long underwear?"

There's nothing quite like birdsong to shake off winter's weariness.

The birders at the Hilliardton Marsh Research and Education Centre are likely preparing for a busy spring banding season.

The work being done at the Marsh is commendable. I am no expert, but I love birds and I am learning so much about them because of the Marsh.

Please find it in your hearts to support the Marsh's newly created *Raise the Roost* campaign to build a nest (accommodations) for volunteer researchers at the Marsh.

Conservation work done by these ornithologists uses science to understand birds and our world.

The last of the winter birds are nibbling on fallen seeds at bird feeders. Some ducks and swans have found their way back to ponds and lakes but the spring ice is defiantly holding strong.

For six months the lakes lay dormant covered in their winter shell but soon canoe travel will be possible.

Did you hear that folks? Canoe travel will soon be possible.

Amongst the rocks and pines and waterways of the Boreal forest I am most alive.

I understand the who, what, where and when of wilderness



Sue Nielsen

travel but it is the why that I comprehend the most. This realization has only taken about 50 or so years.

I wish to listen to the sound of loons and the wind as it rolls through the pines and the swish, swish of my paddle over the intrusive buzz of a cell phone.

The Temiskaming region is a land steeped in the history of Indigenous people, fur trading, canoe tripping and exploration.

There are no limits to the places one can explore in the region following Ojibwa trails called the Nastawgan. Just ask adventurers Murray and Vicky Muir.

The Muir's *Discovering Wild Temiskaming* book is the bible for those who fancy disconnecting than to connect.

My entertainment need not be turned on but rather to unfold in front of me.

In the canoe, life slows down, the senses tingle and life is for living as this forest and its waterways are teachers.

I am mindful of my steady place in this unsteady world as within me I comprehend the Boreal forest as an incredible gift.

Why do I travel the wild places of Temiskaming? I feel so incredibly alive.

My dreams are of summer as we welcome April and I look forward to open water.

The Liberal government unveiled its 2018 budget last week at Queen's Park.

It seems all three political parties - the Liberals, Progressive Conservatives and New Democratic Party - have all been busy making promises to the taxpayers of Ontario.

These promises are largely a result of the upcoming provincial election.

The promises involve free dental health care, free child care, lower hydro bills, Ring of Fire development and on and on.

Specifically for the North, the Liberals pledged \$490 million over 10 years to refurbish the Ontario Northland Transportation Commission.

They also set aside \$85 million for electricity rebates to support businesses in the mining and forestry sectors.

The debt-ridden Wynne government continues to push the boundaries of fiscal responsibility. But it sure seems easy to spend when the public purse is seemingly bottomless.

A vision to create a truly great Ontario would include plans to look after the needs of the North.

The needs of the North are many and involve improved health care, job creation and poverty reduction.

A clear plan to address these important issues hasn't as yet been revealed by the Queen's Park elite.

Our Northern poverty issue is per-

haps hidden amongst the awesome landscapes and vacation lifestyles of tourism promoters.

But it is revealed in the school breakfast programs, at the food banks and with social service agencies understaffed and overwhelmed with the need.

It is an experience of poverty often hidden within high rates of people living on social assistance combined with a lack of affordable housing, substance abuse, chronic disease and mental health rates well above the provincial averages.

Access to health care services is a big factor in the lives of Northerners.

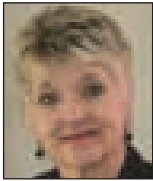
The lack of a clear plan coming from the government for Northerners says to all communities across Northern Ontario and outside of the Greater Toronto Area that you don't matter to the government.

While billions of dollars are invested in Southern Ontario for social housing, health care, poverty reduction and job creating schemes, we see the North limping along.

The North won't progress if Northern politicians don't unite to take on the myopic Southern-based politicians who make the big decisions concerning our future.

Northern communities must determine their own future and that future is now.

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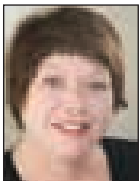


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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

A serious matter

Dear editor,

Justin Trudeau’s Liberals aren’t taking Canada’s opioid crisis seriously.

According to the latest statistics released by Public Health Agency of Canada, 2,923 Canadians died from opioid-related overdoses in the first nine months of 2017. It is expected that number will be over 4,000 for all of 2017, well over the 2,800 deaths in 2016. Justin Trudeau must recognize the scope of this growing epidemic.

Conservatives recognize the serious harm caused by the opioid crisis. These drugs can tear families apart, lead to criminal behaviour and destroy lives. And yet, Justin Trudeau continues to offer but a fraction of the support required to fight this growing epidemic compared to nearly a billion dollars he is spending to legalize marijuana.

As Canadian families continue to face this growing problem, the Liberals should be focused on real solutions and making sure dangerous drugs stay out of the hands of vulnerable Canadians. However, the 2018 Liberal Budget failed to support drug treatment centres and did nothing to help parents who are becoming increasingly concerned that their children are being exposed to dangerous opioids.

Canada’s Conservatives take the opioid crisis seriously. That’s why we’re demanding that Justin Trudeau put the safety of our communities and the health of Canadians first, and come up with concrete actions to save lives.

Sincerely,
Marilyn Gladu, MP
Conservative Shadow Minister for Health

New pumper-tanker ordered for Haileybury station

Continued from A Front

took a second look at what was required in a new vehicle.

It revised the specifications and invited the two lowest bidders – Fort Garry Fire Trucks of Winnipeg and Carrier Centres of Brantford – to submit a second bid.

Carrier was the lowest at almost \$414,000. Fort Garry’s bid was a little higher, at just over \$417,000.

But the latter’s proposal was more than \$31,300 lower than its original bid, and its warranty package covered a longer period.

The municipality will finance the new vehicle through a \$422,000 debenture through the Ontario Infrastructure and Lands Corporation.

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Kade Williams of Earlton kept things spic and span at the Earlton Lions Club’s Retail Expo held March 23-25. The second annual trade show was another big success at the Earlton arena with more than 100 booths and 74 exhibitors, some from as far away as Toronto. (Staff photo by Steven Larocque)

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EXAMEN

Examen des travaux forestiers proposés : centre d’information Plan de gestion forestière 2019-2029 unité de gestion de Temagami

Le **ministère des Richesses naturelles et des Forêts (MRNF)** de l’Ontario, **First Resource Management Group** et le **comité local de citoyens (CLC) Temagami** vous invitent à venir à un centre d’information. Il sera tenu dans le cadre de la planification détaillée des travaux forestiers associés à la période de dix ans {2019 – 2029} du plan de gestion forestière (PGF) pour l’**unité de gestion de Temagami**.

Le processus de planification

Environ trois ans seront nécessaires pour mener à bien le PGF. Durant cette période, il y aura cinq occasions officielles de consultation publique, et les communautés des Premières Nations et des Métis seront consultées et invitées à participer. La deuxième occasion (étape 2) pour ce PGF a été offerte du **8 novembre 2017 au 7 décembre 2017**, lorsque l’on a invité le public à examiner et à commenter l’orientation pour la gestion à long terme. Le présent avis de l’**étape 3** a pour but :

- De vous inviter à examiner et à commenter les points suivants :
 - les détails concernant le tracé des routes d’accès, la coupe, la régénération forestière et les soins sylvicoles pour la période de dix ans du plan;
 - les corridors de chemins primaires et d’embranchements proposés ainsi que les limites des chemins d’exploitation proposées pour la période de dix ans du plan.
- de vous inviter à contribuer à l’information générale qui doit être utilisée pour la planification.

Comment participer

Pour faciliter votre examen, un centre d’information aura lieu de **16 h à 20 h** aux dates et aux endroits suivants :

Le 16 avril 2018 au Temagami Community Centre & Arena, au 100, Spruce Drive, Temagami (Ontario) P0H 2H0

Le 17 avril 2018 au New Liskeard Golf Clubhouse, au 804027, chemin Golf Course, New Liskeard (Ontario) P0J 1P0

On pourra obtenir, au centre d’information, les renseignements suivants :

- Le résumé de la version préliminaire pour l’orientation de la gestion à long terme proposée par le directeur régional du MRNF.
- Les cartes schématiques :
 - indiquant les zones proposées pour les travaux de coupe, les travaux de régénération forestière et les travaux sylvicoles, ainsi que les tracés proposés pour les routes forestières, et
 - les corridors proposés pour les nouveaux chemins primaires et d’embranchements pour la période de dix ans du plan.

En plus des versions les plus récentes de l’information et des cartes qui étaient disponibles aux étapes 1 et 2 de la consultation publique, l’information suivante sera offerte au centre :

- rapport de renseignements généraux sur les Premières Nations et les Métis;
- rapport sommaire sur la protection des valeurs déterminées pour les Premières Nations et les Métis;
- résumé des soumissions et des commentaires publics reçus jusqu’à présent, et toutes les réponses à ces soumissions et commentaires;
- stratégies de gestion des utilisations des routes proposées;
- liste des modifications requises à la suite de l’examen public de l’orientation pour la gestion à long terme.

Les détails des travaux forestiers proposés seront accessibles pour examen et commentaires au bureau de l’entreprise First Resource Management Group et bureau de district de North Bay du MRNF, aux endroits indiqués ci-dessous et aux heures normales d’ouverture pendant une période de 60 jours du 16 avril 2018 à 14 juin 2018. Les commentaires sur les activités proposées pour l’unité de gestion de Temagami doivent être reçus par Shelley Straughan de l’équipe de planification au bureau de district de North Bay du MRNF, d’ici le **14 juin 2018**.

On peut demander en tout temps, durant le processus de planification, une réunion avec les représentants de l’équipe de planification. Des possibilités raisonnables de rencontres avec les membres de l’équipe de planification en dehors des heures de bureau habituelles seront offertes sur demande. Si vous avez besoin de plus amples renseignements ou si vous souhaitez discuter de vos intérêts et de vos préoccupations avec un membre de l’équipe de planification, veuillez communiquer avec l’une des personnes suivantes :

Shelley Straughan, F.P.I.
Bureau de district de North Bay du MRNF
3301, chemin Trout Lake
North Bay (Ontario) P0L 1C0
tél. : 705 475-5615
courriel : shelley.straughan@ontario.ca

Etienne Green, F.P.I.
First Resource Management Group
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courriel : etienne.green@frmg.ca

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courriel : lhillcoat@temfund.ca

Pendant le processus de planification, vous avez la possibilité de présenter par écrit une demande de résolution de problème en communiquant avec le chef de district ou le directeur régional du MRNF. L’édition 2017 du *Forest Management Planning Manual* (partie A, section 2.4.1) décrit le processus en question.

Continuez à participer

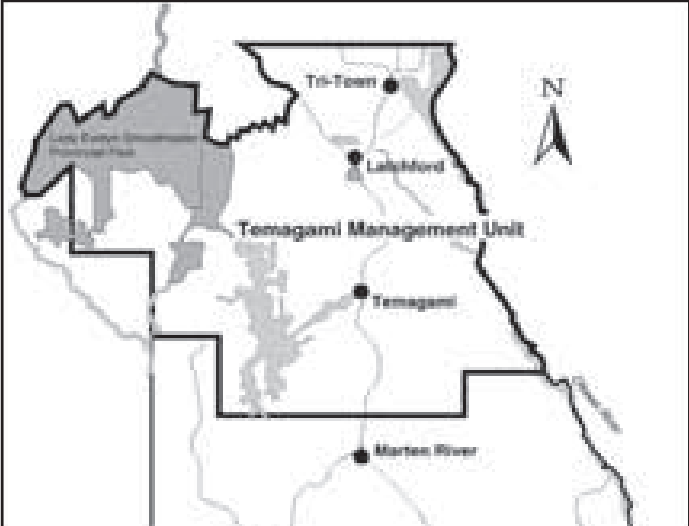
La soumission de l’ébauche du plan de gestion forestière est provisoirement prévue pour le **12 août 2018**. Vous aurez deux autres occasions formelles de participer. Les étapes en question sont indiquées ci-dessous et prévues provisoirement aux dates suivantes :

Étape 4 -	Centre d’information : Examen de l’ébauche du plan de gestion forestière	octobre 2018
Étape 5 -	Inspection du plan de gestion approuvé par le MRNF	janvier 2018

Si vous souhaitez être ajouté à la liste de diffusion afin d’être informé des occasions de participation du public, veuillez communiquer avec Shelley Straughan au 705 475-5615.

Le ministère des Richesses naturelles et des Forêts recueille vos renseignements personnels et vos commentaires en vertu de l’autorité de la *Loi de 1994 sur la durabilité des forêts de la Couronne*. Tout renseignement personnel que vous fournirez (adresse, nom, numéro de téléphone, etc.) sera protégé conformément à la *Loi sur l’accès à l’information et la protection de la vie privée*; cependant, vos commentaires seront intégrés au processus de consultation publique et pourraient être communiqués au grand public. Vos renseignements personnels peuvent être utilisés par le ministère des Richesses naturelles et des Forêts pour vous transmettre davantage de renseignements sur cet exercice de planification de la gestion forestière. Si vous avez des questions sur l’utilisation de vos renseignements personnels, veuillez communiquer avec Marilyn Mills au 705 475-5598.

Information in English : Guylaine Thauvette at 705-475-5539.



Englehart hospital upgrades IV medication pumps

ENGLEHART (Special) – New equipment at Englehart hospital upgrades the delivery of intra-venous medications.

The hospital recently purchased 10 new Plum 360 intra-venous (IV) pumps, at a cost of \$45,000.

They’re described as “the next generation” of the IV pump that the hospital had been using.

“The new pumps are ready for the future of medication administration in hospital settings,” the hospital announced in a news release.

“The pump can incorporate scanning of the bar code from the patient’s identification band, the intravenous bag, and the medication order and show the unique dosage instructions and settings for each individual patient.”

Another feature of the new equipment will come into use next year.

The pumps have a built-in medication library that keeps nursing staff up to date with medication drug limits.

The Englehart hospital will begin using the medication library feature in a joint initiative with Kirkland and District Hospital in 2019.

“This joint initiative means standardized IV equipment across both sites resulting in standardized training, policies and overall efficiencies for patient safety,” the hospital stated.

“All of this helps us meet patient quality improvement initiatives and patient safety goals.”

It added that the transition to the new pumps was fairly smooth, given their similarity to the equipment the hospital had been using.

The hospital said the need for the new pumps became apparent over the past few months as patient numbers increased and the equipment was in short supply.

To cope, it used surplus pumps from Kirkland and District Hospital.

The hospital credited donations from an annual fundraiser conducted by “a dedicated group of sponsors and volunteer organizers” with making the purchase possible.



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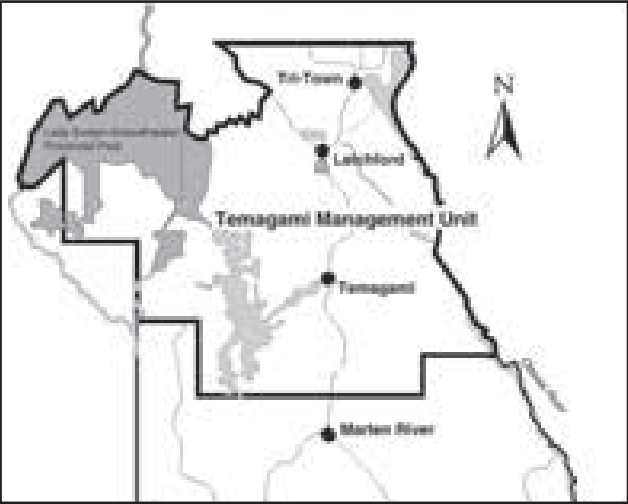
Review of Proposed Operations: Information Centre Temagami Management Unit 2019-2029 Forest Management Plan

The Ontario **Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF)**, **First Resource Management Group** and the **Temagami Local Citizens’ Committee (LCC)** invite you to an information centre. This information centre is being held as part of the detailed planning of operations for the ten-year period of the 2019–2029 Forest Management Plan (FMP) for the **Temagami Management Unit**.

The Planning Process

The FMP takes approximately three years to complete. During this time, five formal opportunities for public consultation and First Nation and Métis community involvement and consultation are provided. The second opportunity (Stage Two) for this FMP occurred November 8, 2017 to December 7, 2017 when the public was invited to review and comment on the long-term management direction. This ‘Stage Three’ notice is:

- To invite you to review and comment on:
 - the details of access, harvest, renewal and tending operations for the ten-year period of the plan, and
 - the proposed primary and branch road corridors and the proposed operational road boundaries for the ten-year period of the plan, and
- To request contributions to the background information to be used in planning.



How to Get Involved

To facilitate your review, information centres will be held at the following locations from **4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** on the following days:

- April 16, 2018 at the Temagami Community Centre & Arena, 100 Spruce Drive, Temagami, ON P0H 2H0**
- April 17, 2018 at the New Liskeard Golf Clubhouse, 804027 Golf Course Road, New Liskeard, ON P0J 1P0**

The following information may be obtained at the information centre:

- Summary of the MNRF Regional Director preliminary endorsed long-term management direction; and
- Summary map(s) of:
 - the planned areas for harvest, renewal and tending operations for the ten-year period of the plan; and
 - the proposed corridors for new primary and branch roads for the ten-year period of the plan.

In addition to the most current versions of the information and maps which were available at Stages One and Two of the public consultation, the following information will be available at the information centre(s):

- First Nation and Métis Background Information Report;
- Preliminary Report on Protection of Identified First Nation and Métis Values;
- Summary of public comments and submissions received to date and any responses to those comments and submissions;
- The proposed road use management strategies; and
- The list of required modifications resulting from the public review of the long-term management direction.

The detailed proposed operations will be available for review and comment at the First Resource Management Group office and at the MNRF North Bay District Office at the locations shown below during normal office hours for a period of 60 days April 16, 2018 to June 14, 2018. Comments on the proposed operations for the Temagami Management Unit must be received by Shelley Straughan of the planning team at the MNRF North Bay District Office, by **June 14, 2018**.

Meetings with representatives of the planning team and the LCC can be requested at any time during the planning process. Reasonable opportunities to meet planning team members during non-business hours will be provided upon request. If you require more information or wish to discuss your interests and concerns with a planning team member, please contact one of the individuals listed below:

Shelley Straughan, R.P.F. MNRF North Bay District Office 3301 Trout Lake Road North Bay, ON P0L 1C0 tel: 705-475-5615 e-mail: shelley.straughan@ontario.ca	Etienne Green, R.P.F. First Resource Management Group P.O. Box 850 New Liskeard, ON P0J 1P0 tel: 705-650-3360 e-mail: etienne.green@frmg.ca	Lorne Hillcoat Local Citizen Committee Rep. Site C - 74 Scott Street P.O. Box 1810 New Liskeard, ON P0J 1P0 tel: 705-628-2444 e-mail: lhilcoat@temfund.ca
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During the planning process there is an opportunity to make a written request to seek resolution of issues with the MNRF District Manager or the Regional Director using a process described in the 2017 *Forest Management Planning Manual (Part A, Section 2.4.1)*.

Stay Involved

The tentative scheduled date for submission of the draft FMP is **August 12, 2018**. There will be two more formal opportunities for you to be involved. These stages are listed and tentatively scheduled as follows:

Stage Four -	Information Centre: Review of Draft FMP	October 2018
Stage Five -	Inspection of MNRF-Approved FMP	January 2019

If you would like to be added to a mailing list to be notified of public involvement opportunities, please contact Shelley Straughan at 705-475-5615.

The Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry is collecting your personal information and comments under the authority of the *Crown Forest Sustainability Act*. Any personal information you provide (address, name, telephone, etc.) will be protected in accordance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*; however, your comments will become part of the public consultation process and may be shared with the general public. Your personal information may be used by the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry to send you further information related to this forest management planning exercise. If you have questions about the use of your personal information, please contact Marilyn Mills at 705-475-5598.

Renseignements en français : Guylaine Thauvette au 705 475-5539.





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Pictured above is Temiskaming Shores' age-friendly committee – from left, city recreation director Tammie Caldwell, Irene Chitaroni of the Alzheimer Society Timmins-Porcupine, Jean-Claude Carriere of ACFO Témiskaming, Age-Friendly/Get Active coordinator Danielle Covello, Jan Edwards of Zone K-1 Legion Veterans Home, older adult representative Judy Lee, Caroline Morin of Timiskaming Home Support, older adult representative Marg Hooey, Lorna Desmarais of the Timiskaming Health Unit, Cheryl Bakhuis of Northdale Manor, Karli Hawken of the Canadian Mental Health Association, and occupational therapy student Amanda Herzberg. Missing from the photo are Temiskaming Shores Councillor Patricia Hewitt, Josette Côté of the city's accessibility advisory committee, Melissa Boivin of Community Living Temiskaming South, older adult representatives Bertha Yandt and Deb Parmar, and Nadia Pelletier of the Centre de santé communautaire du Témiskaming. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

Tracking progress on age-friendly community

Diane Johnston
Speaker Reporter

TEMISKAMING SHORES – Older adults have been taking steps to be active this winter as participants in indoor walking sessions at Northern College and Timiskaming District Secondary.

Their goal was to collectively put enough mileage on their sneakers to make a symbolic trip to Florida.

As of March 21, they'd walked a combined total of 947 miles, or 1,524 kilometres.

"That brings us to just outside of Atlanta, Georgia," said Danielle Covello, coordinator of the Age-Friendly/Get Active initiative, in an email.

The indoor walking program is one of the activities launched under Temiskaming Shores' efforts to make itself a more age-friendly community.

The planning began in 2015 with funding from the province. A survey and consultation sessions drew input from almost 2,000 people.

A formal plan was adopted by the municipality the following year, and a broad-based committee meets regularly in conjunction with the project.

In recognition of the implementation of the plan and its evaluation, the city is receiving a 2018 Ontario Age-Friendly Community Award.

Covello recently provided a progress report on the initiative.

Among the highlights are the coordination of a 1-800 line, provided through Timiskaming Home Support, to help local seniors find appropriate transportation options.

There was also an info fair for older adults held in the fall of 2016, the compilation of a community services guide, the launch of weekly coffee hours to learn and socialize, and physical activity opportunities.

The full report can be found on the city's website.



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Jigs come in various shapes, designed for specifically different fishing situations. Choosing the right one can make all the difference.

The most common shape is the ball-style jig. These are very versatile and can be used in the current or in still water. If in doubt, this is almost always a good walleye lure option. Ball-style jigs can be casted or trolled and are great for vertical jigging as well.

When you're fishing in the weeds for walleye, try a swimming snagging and tempts those walleye to come out from their hiding spots.

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Fishing lure size is another important factor. A 1/8 oz. jig is a pretty good place to start in most fishing conditions. The most important thing to consider is whether you are getting all the way to the bottom. If you can, try going lighter with a 1/16 oz. Or you may need to go a bit bigger with a 1/4 oz. or 3/8 oz. These four walleye lure sizes should cover most situations, but other options in your tackle box are great too.

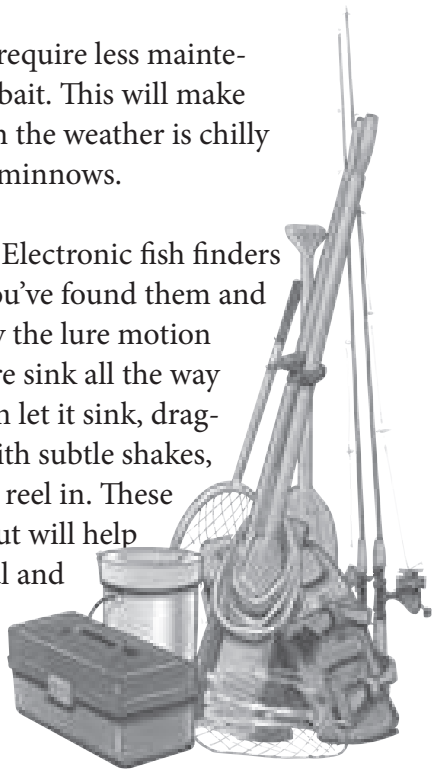
If you're fishing at night or in murky water you might try a bulkier wall-eye lure with fluorescent colors for increased visibility. No matter what, it is always a good policy to keep trying new fishing lure colors. Light conditions change very quickly underwater and good part of walleye fishing will always be a game of chance.

After you have the right walleye lure picked out, consider tipping it with either live bait or a plastic substitute. Both options have their advantages and you're better off having both available to you. When it comes to live walleye bait, minnows, leeches, and night crawlers will work best. Generally minnows work best in cooler water (spring and fall), leeches in warmer, and night crawlers in either. You should experiment, however, with all three regardless of when you are walleye fishing.

Plastic substitutes are nice because they require less maintenance and can be just as effective as live bait. This will make it more comfortable on your hands when the weather is chilly and you don't want to be fumbling with minnows.

Of course, you still need to find the fish. Electronic fish finders can be a fisherman's best friend. Once you've found them and your lure is in the water, you should vary the lure motion on your retrieve. First, let the walleye lure sink all the way down. Try popping it off the bottom then let it sink, dragging the fishing lure along the bottom with subtle shakes, and slowly lifting and dropping it as you reel in. These methods take some practice to perfect but will help make your fishing lure look more natural and attractive to 'the big one'.

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The four Scotiabank branches in South Temiskaming - Earltan, New Liskeard, Haileybury and Temagami, each recently donated \$1,000 to the Temiskaming Shores Minor Hockey Association (TSMHA). They also gave toques, crests and clipboards. From the left are Earltan branch manager Krystal Gervais, TSMHA president James T. Paterson, New Liskeard branch manager Nancy Frey and Haileybury branch manager Lisette Gauthier. Paterson said the money would be used to offset ice time costs for minor hockey players. Missing from the photo is Temagami branch manager Wendy Allair. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)



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- ACROSS**
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 - 5. Bed board
 - 9. Corolla part
 - 14. Withdraw gradually
 - 15. Container weight
 - 16. Deposed leader, perhaps
 - 17. Betrothal gifts (2 wds)
 - 20. Do museum work
 - 21. Short, sharp drum sound (hyphenated)
 - 22. Jail, slangily
 - 23. Balances
 - 25. Without previous ex mination (2 wds)
 - 29. Not yet dry
 - 32. Doing nothing
 - 33. Fail to see
 - 34. Kidney waste product
 - 36. Approaches
 - 38. Brown-capped mushroom
 - 39. Blends
 - 40. Art able to
 - 41. Ex per ienced
 - 43. Sean Connery, for one
 - 44. Antiquity, in antiquity
 - 45. Ex pressions of loathing
 - 48. Wilkes-____, Pa.
 - 49. Elephant’s weight, maybe
 - 50. Stanley Kowalksi’s wife
 - 53. Rat
 - 57. Respect of one nation for another’s laws (3 wds)
 - 60. Gorillalike
 - 61. Old Glory
 - 62. Clothing
 - 63. Airheaded
 - 64. Sort
 - 65. Eye affliction
- DOWN**
- 1. The America’s Cup trophy, e.g.
 - 2. Characteristic carrier

- 3. Comedian’s stock
- 4. “Invasion of the Body _____,” film
- 5. Chest protector
- 6. Flimsy, as an exu se
- 7. “_____ we having fun yet?”
- 8. Big _____ Conference
- 9. Yearly (2 wds)
- 10. Leaves
- 11. Hair colorer
- 12. Aquatic plant
- 13. “_____ we forget”
- 18. Attack
- 19. Certain surgeon’s “patient”
- 23. Core
- 24. Evening bell
- 25. Because
- 26. Archetype
- 27. Pituitary, e.g.
- 28. Neigh softly
- 29. Ex pression that radio message will be acted upon
- 30. _____ a high note (2 wds)
- 31. Ex ms
- 35. Plastics containing organic material
- 37. Furtive
- 42. Power
- 46. Inside shot? (hyphenated)
- 47. Barfly’s binge
- 48. Seventh heaven
- 50. Bunch
- 51. Pith helmet
- 52. Give off, as light
- 53. Become unhinged
- 54. Boor
- 55. May racing event, for short
- 56. “_____ quam videri” (North Carolina’s motto)
- 58. “How _____ Has the Banshee Cried” (Thomas Moore poem)
- 59. Bug out


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Horoscopes

Answers For Crossword on 7b

CAPRICORN


You'll be feeling unusually emotional this week. To restore harmony in your relationship, dedicate some time to a heart-to-heart conversation. This will help you get to know each other better.



December 22 - January 19

AQUARIUS


You're overflowing with vitality and feel ready to tackle all kinds of problems. Various situations have had you considerably worried for a while, and you'll be happy to put them behind you.



January 20 - February 18

PISCES


You'll be more and more worried about a minor health problem. By taking the situation seriously, you'll succeed in obtaining all the care you need, and you should be feeling better in no time.



February 19 - March 20

ARIES


You'll definitely be surrounded by lots of people this week. Your friends will invite you to all sorts of goings-on, each more action-packed than the last. Someone might try to get you to lose your cool.



March 21 - April 19

TAURUS


Whether at work or at home, expect to have a lot of responsibilities end up on your shoulders this week. You'll need to rethink your priorities and stop procrastinating if you want to get everything done.



April 20 - May 20

GEMINI


You may find yourself spontaneously planning a magnificent voyage. You'll get in touch with your spiritual side, and this will put you on the path to greater well-being.



May 21 - June 21

CANCER


You'll go through the whole gamut of emotions this week. Your family and friends will be there to help you navigate a complicated situation on the home front. Things should clear up quickly.



June 22 - July 22

LEO


It's always easier to get along with people with whom you aren't involved emotionally. You may need to go a bit heavier on the discipline with your kids, who know exactly how to push your buttons.



July 23 - August 22

VIRGO


You'll have a lot of little details to straighten out. At work, there's a significant promotion waiting for you just around the corner, but you'll need to work on your negotiation skills to get the most out of what you're offered.



August 23 - September 22

LIBRA


If you're single, expect love to come knocking at your door. It may even be an old friend. On the financial front, a considerable amount of cold hard cash will fall out of the sky.



September 23 - October 22

SCORPIO


Your plans to move out of your current area will start to take shape. You'll put the needs of your family before your own, even if your schedule for the next few days is already jam-packed.



October 23 - November 21

SAGITTARIUS

You'll feel compelled to treat yourself to a new car. Be reasonable: you wouldn't want to put too much of a strain on your finances. Give yourself a few days to think about it, and the urge may disappear on its own.



November 22 - December 21

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

4TH SATURDAY OF THE MONTH - KIRKLAND LAKE ARTS CLUB MEETINGS AT 1PM at the Kirkland Lake Museum of Northern History, 2 Chateau Dr. Each monthly meeting we have a different activity for members to enjoy. Call the museum for more info at 705-568-8800. New members are always welcome!

ENGLEHART AREA ARTISTS HOLD THEIR MONTHLY MEETINGS ON 4TH WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH, 7:pm, at Rebekah Hall, 48 Fourth Ave., Englehart ON. Check out club site to view our active members and their accomplishments and what we have in store for this year. Here is the link.....<https://englehartareaartists.weebly.com> We have many activities and events planned for the year. Come join us, take part and have fun too. Call 705-544-7722 or 705-544-2653.

EVERY FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH: TILL JULY 2018, DIABETES CAFÉ FROM 2:00-3:30 PM at the Centre de Santé; 20 May St. S. New Liskeard. Come discover new diabetes information, have a snack and yack! Questions? Call Katherine 705-647-8722

BLANCHE RIVER GOLDEN AGE CLUB is holding a Euchre Card Game **EVERY SECOND TUESDAY** at 7pm at the Hilliardton Community Hall See you there.

The Church of **ST. PAUL & ST. JOHN INVITES YOU TO AN ITALIAN GOURMET DINNER**. Corner of Rorke & Browning Haileybury. Menu items include: Italian Wedding Soup, Antipasti Salad, Chicken Cacciatore, Past Primavera, Sweet & Sour Carrots, Gilled Mushrooms & Italian Cheesecake. Friday, **APRIL 6TH AT 6PM**. 40 tickets available. For more info, please call Linda at 705-630-2101.

Silent Auction & Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser For our Local Bowlers. Salvation Army Church, 260 Whitewood Ave, New Liskeard. **Saturday April 7, 2018 2:00 pm SILENT AUCTION & BAKE SALE, SUPPER AT 4:00 PM UNTIL 7:00 PM. Cost: \$10:00 for Adult Child: \$5.00 (12 under).**

Come on out and Support the Bowlers that are going to **the Nationals April 26 to 28, 2018.** Silent Auction & Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser For our Local Bowlers

THE KENABEEK COMMUNITY SOCIETY IS HOLDING A PANCAKE BREAKFAST on **SATURDAY APRIL 7**, From 8:30 am to 11am at the Kenabeek Community Hall. For more information watch for posters or call Kerry 705 563-2875 or Jean 705 563-2487.

APRIL 8TH LOOK GOOD FEEL BETTER COMPLIMENTARY WORKSHOPS. Helping Women with Cancer feel like themselves again. Information on how to alleviate appearance-related effects of cancer and its treatment, including cosmetic hygiene, sun care, skin care, cosmetics, nail care and Hair alternatives. Register for a workshop online at lgfb.ca Workshops held at College Boreal in Timmins. **Sunday April 8, Monday May 8, September 17.**

FUNDRAISING EVENT FOR LOCAL ATHLETE KAYLA MARWICK SPECIAL OLYMPIAN SWIMMER & PARA SWIMMER. **FRIDAY APRIL 13TH, YOGA FOR BUDDHAFUL BODIES AT 7:15 PM. SPECIAL REQUEST FOR A BEGINNERS FLOOR YOGA CLAS FOR PLUS SIZE BODIES.** **FRIDAY APRIL 27TH, BEGINNER FLOOR YOGA AT 6:00 PM. DISCOVER THE ART OF YOGA THROUGH BREATH, MOVEMENT AND RELAXATION.** **FRIDAY APRIL 27TH THAI AROMA AT 7:30PM.** An intimate class setting including a healing combination of Thai Massage, Rstorative suspension yoga and therapeutic grade essential oils. **PAY WHAT YOU CAN. ALL DONATION WILL GO DIRECTLY TO KAYLA.** Classes at YogArt Studio, 251 Grant Drive, New Liskeard. Register on MINDBODY. Email yogart.be@gmail.com for more information.

One day Workshop MOSAIC APPROACH TO ACRYLIC LANDSCAPE PAINTING, Instructor Liz Pacey. **Saturday April 21st** from 9:30 to 4pm. at St Peters Anglican Church, 7 Kirkland St. across from Tech Library.

TDSS TLC CLASSES will be holding their **SPRING EXTRAVAGANZA THIS YEAR ON APRIL 21ST, 2018**

FROM 10AM – 3PM at TDSS in the cafeteria. We will have over 30 vendors, BBQ and silent auctions. Donations at the door are accepted for a ballot to win gift baskets. Proceeds are going to class trip. Everyone welcome!

Enjoy a **HEARTY SPAGHETTI DINNER WITH LIVE COUNTRY/ EASY LISTENING MUSIC – APRIL 22, 2018 FROM 5PM-7PM.** Chamberlain Recreation Hall, Chamberlain Road 5 Hwy11, Approx 9kms North of Englehart. For more info please call: 705-544-8088.

TEMIKSAMING HOSPITAL WILL BE HOLDING AN OPEN BOARD MEETING ON TUESDAY APRIL 24TH 2018 AT 1730 HOURS in the Hospital Boardroom. *The Hopsital requires that individuals wishing to attend the Open Board meeting must give notice to the Board Liaison at 705-647-1088 Ext. 2220 by 1530 hours on Friday, April 20.* Anyone wishing to make a presentation to address the Board is asked to first submit a request to the Secretary by noon, one week prior to the meeting.

TEMISKAMING ANGLER & HUNTER ASSOCIATION (TAHA) – Meetings held in Room 105 – TDSS at 7pm on the following Wednesdays: **MAY 2ND & June 6th, 2018**

THE SUDBURY AND DISTRICT BEEKEEPERS' ASSOCIATION IS OFFERING TWO HANDS-ON INTRODUCTORY BEEKEEPING COURSE, JUNE 10TH AT SCIENCE NORTH AND JUNE 16TH A Creek-bend Farm in Lavigne. For more information please check our web page or facebook page. <http://www.sudburybeekeepers.com> <https://www.facebook.com/Sudbury-District-Beekeepers-Association-1394362140801932> Richard Conrad President of the Sudbury and District Beekeepers' Association

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 41/2mm. Yarn and needles area available. All are welcome! For more

information, call D. Caldwell at 705-647-6056.

EXPLORING MMS/CDS/WPD Handling your own health and healing with low cost alternative methods. Check out jimhumble.is or google MMS and Dr. Andreas Kalcker. Hoping to start a Self-help group. If interested call Judy Tinney 705-672-9241

ENGLEHART HOSPITAL AUXILIARY IS RECRUITING VOLUNTEERS to work in the hospital gift/tuck shop. It is two hours a time. We have monthly meetings to plan for luncheons, To help support Englehart Hospital. If you are interested in giving back to the community please call Wendy Venne 705-544-2058. We would love to have your help. Our meetings are the 2nd Monday of the Month at 1:00 PM.

THE MUSICAL JAM EVERY WEDNESDAY: every Wednesday from 7pm till 10pm at the Grand Boulevard in Earltton. Come listen and dance to country music or bring your instrument to plug into our system. Always some 15 players to entertain you.

HARD OF HEARING? DEAF? Or anyone interested in taking a local Speech (Lip) Reading Course, free of charge? 1 evening of 2 hrs per week for 10 weeks. Call 1-800-718-0436 to register.

FRIENDS OF YOGART EXCEPTIONAL KIDS CAMP – Seeking community donors and support in this years fundraising initiative. The camp meets the needs of exceptional children through a variety of fitness, nature and play-based activities, arts and crafts, gardening and more! We want to make this summer camp experience a reality for a group of really special kids! If you have any questions or are interested in joining this initiative please contact Lorie Charlton at 705-648-0255, or email at ekcpco@gmail.com. Your support will bring smiles to many special faces!

TEMISKAMING HOSPITAL AUXILIARY GIFT SHOP – check out our selection of jewellery, scarves, purses, baby gifts, variety of giftware. all proceeds from sales go toward purchasing equipment, patient comfort items, etc. in hospital.

ENGLEHART PUBLIC LIBRARY: Passport Photos will be every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 6pm. Senior Surf with Dan Wednesdays 1:30 to 4pm. Free computer training and information for 55+-. Juniors Knitting on Wednesdays at 4:30 with Burnie, Full for this season.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS MEETINGS The "Just for today" group holds N.A. meetings on Sundays and Thursdays at 7 pm, in New Liskeard on 70 Wellington street at St Paul's United church. We welcome new comers. Very simply an addict is a man or woman who's life is controlled by drugs. This is a place where addicts come to share their experience with other fellow addicts. As long as you have the desire to stop using or drinking you are in the right place and are always welcome at these meetings. **ONE DAY LONGER, ONE DAY STRONGER**

THE TEMISKAMING HOSPITAL AUXILIARY: The Temiskaming Hospital Auxiliary is recruiting volunteers to work in the hospital gift/tuck shop. If you have 2 hours of time to spare as a volunteer, either morning, afternoon or evening, please contact the Auxiliary President Diane Vachon at 705-647-8066 or Wendy Whalen at 705-647-7194. This is a rewarding way of giving back to the community.

OVERTONES - COMMUNITY MEN CHORUS MEETS EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 7:00PM ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, NEW LISKEARD. For all who wish to sing The Oldies but Goodies. For Information call 705-647-5762 or 705-647-6433.

EVERY 2ND AND 4TH WEDNESDAY – Hudson Young at Heart - Adults 55 years and over meet every 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 12 noon for potluck lunch and activities. Located at the Hudson Hall. Everyone welcome! For more information, call 705-647-9670.

EVERY 2ND THURSDAY – The Englehart & District Agricultural Society meet on the 2nd Thursday, of each month, at 7pm in the basement of St Paul's Prestbyterian Church.

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Temiskaming Area Roller Girls, practices 7-9pm. 705-676-6163.

Duplicate bridge downstairs at the Community Hall New Liskeard 1:15 pm on Mondays. No partner needed. Call 705-647-7981S

EVERY TUESDAY

ENGLEHART EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS GROUP meets at 3:00pm in the Pioneer Room. You are most welcome!

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Meet at 8pm at the Englehart United Church (next to the post office).

THE TEMISKAMING PALETTE & BRUSH CLUB Painting sessions are from **1:00 - 4:00**. Club room is in the Haileybury Arena at 400 Ferguson Street. Jeannine at 705-672-1028

EVERY WEDNESDAY

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets on **WEDNESDAY EVENING St. Paul's United Church, New Liskeard.** Weigh in begins at **6 PM.** For more information contact **Bonnie Quehe @ 705-647-1609.**

ENGLEHART SENIOR'S CLUB meets every Wednesday at 12 Noon at the Senior's Hall (basement of Northview Nursing Home) with a Pot Luck Lunch followed by various activities. For more information contact Dot @ 705-544-2784.

PIPE BAND BR 54 LEGION, 7pm. 705-672-5669.

TEMISKAMING AREA ROLLER GIRLS, PRACTICES 7-9pm. 705-676-6163.

EVERY THURSDAY

The Temiskaming Shores Heart of the North Duplicate Club meets every Thursday at **7:00 pm** at the Community Hall, New Liskeard. Newcomers welcome.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets on **THURSDAY MORNING New Liskeard Legion Hall, New Liskeard. 10am.** For more information contact Marianne Sowinski.

EVERY 2ND & 4TH FRIDAY

From 7pm to 9:30pm. Come to the **Music Jam at the Legion Hall** in New Liskeard. Come and jam, listen or dance to some country music!

LAST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

LADIES AUX. BR. 54, HAILEYBURY. HOSTING A STOP & SHOP. For more info, call 705-647-6907

EVERY 2ND SATURDAY OF MONTH

ALL COMMUNITY LADIES WELCOME TO JOIN LADIES MINISTRY FUN BREAKFAST @ 9:00am. The Salvation Army, 260 Whitewood 705-647-4115. or 705-647-5718.

1ST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

M.S. SUPPORT GROUP MEETING @ New Liskeard Arena lobby from 1-3 pm Call Dan Allaire 705-563-2796

THE CHARLTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. Regular monthly meetings are the **2nd Monday of every month** Info contact Lori 705-648-1229.

THE ENGLEHART HOSPITAL AUXILIARY. Regular monthly meetings are the 2nd Monday of every month at 1:00 PM in the Englehart Medical Clinic in the downstairs boardroom. Call Wendy Venne 705-544-2058 for more info.

EVERY 2ND & 4TH MONDAY

New Liskeard Lions meet at 6:30pm in Lions Den (below Community Hall in New Liskeard). New members always welcome. Your help is needed and much appreciated. Talk to any Lions member or call Eric Campsall 705-648-3481

3RD MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

TEMISKAMING LIONESS LIONS CLUB. "WE SERVE" New members are always welcome. Come join this group of ladies at the Lions Den (below the Community Hall in NL) the 3rd Monday of every month (**except July & August**) at 7 pm. For more info contact any Lioness or 1-705-647-4921 or 1-705-676-6777. <http://e-clubhouse.org/sites/tslcl/>

4TH MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

New Liskeard Lions meet at 6:30pm in Lions Den (below Community Hall in New Liskeard). New members always welcome. Your help is needed and much appreciated. Talk to any Lions member or call 705-648-1680 or 705-647-3696.

Temiskaming Hospital Auxiliary REGULAR MEETING 4TH MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT 2 PM in the boardroom at the hospital. Everyone Welcome!

2ND TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Coffee House Musical Jam - 7:00PM - 10:00PM - St Paul's United Church Auditorium - 70 Wellington St. New Liskeard. All musicians welcome, young and old of all abilities, all music - country, rock, gospel, jazz - Family, friends & anyone who appreciates the fellowship of music makers and their sound! For info contact Brian Matheson at 705-647-5671 or email coffeehouse2tues@outlook.com

EVERY 2ND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH

Fibromyalgia support group meet every second Tuesday of each month at Our Mother of Perpetual Help Church from 1pm-3pm. Contact Christine at 705-628-2019 for more info

2ND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

Golden Age Club: General membership meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month @ the Golden Age Hall, 22 Argentite St. Cobalt. 1 – 2 pm. Annual membership is available at a cost of \$15. For further information, call 705-679-5525 & leave a message.

3RD WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

WOMEN OF ALL AGES from Kerns and Hudson Townships are invited to the Milberta Community Women meetings every 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. Programs include guest speakers and fun activities. Call Audrey for more information at 705-647-6205

THE ENGLEHART AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY have their General Meeting on Wednesday, at 7:00 PM at the Presbyterian Church, Englehart, 55 Third Street.Come and enjoy a fun evening with fellow Horticulturalists. For more information call Bonnie at 705-544-8916.



EGGS-TRA SPECIAL

New Liskeard's Akeilah Chevrier, 5, left, and Willow Hutnick-Whitehead, 8, paused for a photo amid the Easter egg hunt at the New Liskeard library. It only took about 20 minutes for more than 70 kids – with parents, grandparents, relatives and friends in tow – to uncover some 40 bags of chocolate eggs. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

Promotion takes bite out of kids' dental woes

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Special) – Parents are being urged to “brush up on the facts” to keep their kids’ teeth healthy.

In honour of Dental Health Month, the Timiskaming Health Unit is joining its counterparts across Ontario and the Ontario Association of Public Health Dentistry (OAPHD) in an awareness campaign.

“When kids have dental pain, it is more than just having a cavity,” said Ryan Peters, the health unit’s oral health manager, in a media release.

“Children need to keep their teeth healthy for their overall health.”

The health unit notes that cavities are not only painful, but can also affect children’s ability to chew properly, pay attention at school and enjoy activities and impact their sense of self-esteem.

The health unit recommends that children visit a dental professional at least once a year to prevent problems from starting.

“Get dental issues checked immediately, regardless if they have ‘baby teeth or ‘adult teeth.”

To reduce the risk of dental problems, the health unit recommends limiting sugary snacks and drinks and helping children brush and floss properly.

For information about kids’ oral health and eligibility for free dental care, see www.oaphd.on.ca or the health unit’s website, at www.timiskaminghu.com.

The health unit’s oral health team can also be contacted at 705-647-4305 ext. 2280.

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