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Half million dollar marijuana seizure

The RCMP in Lac du Bonnet are advising that on September 3, 2002, members of their detachment along with members of Manitoba Conservation seized 500 marijuana plants from an outdoor grow site. The site was located in the Nopiming Park area just south of Tooth Lake. The area is approximately 120 kms north east of Lac du Bonnet. The seizure was the result of several months of investigative effort. The grow was very sophisticated for being at such a remote site. Generators, pumps, timers, tents and camouflage tarps were seized. After samples were taken the remainder of the plants were destroyed. The matter is still under investigation.

The street value of a marijuana plant is usually estimated to be around \$1000.00.



Top: the site of the outdoor grow operation where approximately \$500,000 in marijuana plants were seized.



Right: Some of the plants which RCMP had already cut down.

\$1.7 million bingo gone bad

by Charles Norman

Lorna Hamlin and Richard Stevens were millionaires last weekend.

Last Saturday morning they were playing bingo on the NCI radio station. To win \$1.7 million they needed to complete a diamond with the last number being a loony draw number. They completed the diamond except for one number - B14 - which was indeed the loony draw number.

With increasing tension they listened for the number. First G52 was called. The station waited about four minutes for a bingo call before calling another number. - No bingo call. Another number was called, another four minute wait - still no call.

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Hospital for Lac du Bonnet?

by Charles Norman

The North Eastman Health Association is investigating the feasibility of building a new hospital on Highway 11 - the exact location has not been determined but the intersection of Highway 317 and 11 has been suggested.

NEHA CEO Jim Hayes said the idea has been around a long time, but is being investigated

now because in the long term substantial upgrades will be required to the Pinawa Hospital. He said replacing the Pinawa Hospital with a new, more central, hospital would be an alternative. Hayes said NEHA is planning wellness centres, personal care homes and professional services in all communities and that the existing hospital building would

be used for that.

Hayes said NEHA has met with the Mayor and Chief Administrative Officer of Pinawa and "they took a progressive approach."

Hayes said the feasibility study will be looking at sewer/water and other infrastructure requirements and expects it to be completed in about two months.



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Blades defended

By now I'm sure everyone has heard of the incident involving the Blades. How could you not, with the article in last week's paper. Well the article did have some valid points. There were some players that went to the social, just like everyone else. There were some players that had drinks, just like everyone else. There were a couple of players involved in an unfortunate incident.

Our sympathy goes out to the young man who had to go to the hospital. This incident was not five guys on one, but a one on one face to face confrontation. At this point we must ask ourselves whether an article would have been written about two ordinary members of the community. Probably it would not have been.

It is true that players are in the public eye, which puts greater responsibility on them.

But we must remember that we are talking about teenagers who leave their homes at young ages. Most of them move away from their families, and start in new schools. Even professional adult players are subject to imperfection.

We would like to send out thanks to the members of the community who let these boys into their homes. We appreciate the way you make these boys part of your family. We also rely on the business community for sponsorship, and we are very grateful for their generosity. These businesses are supporting the team for the purpose of keeping a high standard of hockey in their town.

Only twelve privileged towns in Manitoba have this level of hockey entertainment in their community. Players get traded, they leave, and they get older. The team remains and

new players come. It is this continuity of a team, an asset to the community, that sponsorship makes possible.

The team staff does not condone fighting, we instruct the boys to stay out of trouble, and we have consequences in place for those that transgress. Let's remember that other members of the community become embroiled in their own negative incidents, but then of course their personal lives will not be in next week's paper.

Players want to come to this community to make friends, and not to be the enemy. They want to get along with everyone and be part of the community in a positive way. For the people that are not too fond of hockey players, try to look at them as just normal citizens, because hockey is what they do, not who they are.

Hockey is a game we love, so please don't hold that against us.

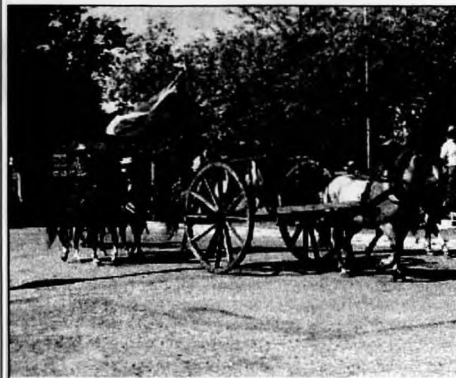
Clare Spence
Southeast Blades
Athletic Therapist

Hats off to volunteers

Dear 4P and the Echo:

It is with heart filled thanks to those few volunteers, that the PACE 75th year float was a great success. My apologies to everyone that got no candies, due to the overwhelming turnout. My judging at the pie and chili cookoffs was a pleasure and congratulations to the winners, 4P organizers and all that participated. It will be hard to top next year.

Yours,
Brett Sokoloski



Back in time

A Red River Cart in last weekend's 4P Parade was there to draw attention to the Crow Wing Trail from Winnipeg to Pembina which will be part of the Trans Canada Trail.

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Transcanada Recreation Trail

submitted

The local section of the Trans Canada Rec-

reational Trail known as the Blue Water Recreational Trail has moved



(l-r) Ed Forsyth, Councillor for the RM of Alexander presents Ken Cowie with a cheque for \$2000

several steps closer to reality, the first, being the generous donation of two thousand dollars from the RM of Alexander. The next being the approval of the funding from the Millennium Grant. This will make it possible to purchase necessary materials and to hire the necessary people to put them to the best use. We now have necessary agreements in place with Manitoba Hydro and also with the

Manitoba Department of Highways and Manitoba Department of Natural Resources. All that remains now is to get the necessary people to come out and volunteer a little time and labour to

make this a reality. Presently we are looking for people to bring their 4-wheelers and a small trailer to haul wood chips or just to help rake and spread them. We would like to plan work parties for the 21st and 22nd and 28th and 29th of September.

If you are interested in volunteering some time and labour, please call either Ken Cowie at 367-2919 or Ed Forsyth at 367-4381. We would like to plan working parties for the 21st and 22nd and 28th and 29th of September.

Bingo gone bad

from front page

Then it came. B14! Immediately Stevens called the station to report a bingo. He was asked the code number on the card at it was confirmed that it was a valid card. He was told that there was a possible winner with G52. They discovered later that there was another player, Miles Thorstein, from Stonewall with B14 but they did not discover that until Monday morning. On Monday

morning they also discovered that Emma Pascal from Pauingassi had called in with G52 almost immediately after Stevens had called in. Since G52 was called before B14 Emma Pascal was the winner. G52 was not a looney draw number so the card was not eligible for the jackpot. The prize was actually \$13,600.

No mention was made of this on the radio all weekend.

Because many of the players live in remote communities with limited access to the telephone players are allowed until Noon on the following Monday to claim a win.

Understandably both Hamlin and Stevens were upset to discover that they had not won the big prize - Hamlin especially so. She is suspicious of the delay in announcing the Pauingassi winner and plans to complain to the Lotteries Commission, and possibly see a lawyer.

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Trades Welcome

Arsenault wins Billy Roy memorial

by V. Anderson

This past Sunday, the Pine Falls golf course hosted their Juniors Tournament. There were 33 entries ranging in age from 6 to 18 participating in the playdowns.

This year was a special year for the Junior's club, due to the establishment of the Billy Roy Memorial Trophy. Billy Roy a former resident and avid golfer, played the Pine Falls course as a junior and was Club Champ in 1943 through to 1947. By the time he was 17 years of age he had attained two Manitoba Junior Championships. Roy also ranked 3rd and 4th on two consecutive Canadian Junior Champion Junior playdowns. He was also one of the few junior golfer's ever to represent Manitoba on the Willingdon

Cup Team. From 1951 to 2002 he was a P.G.A. Club Professional. Billy's wife, Linda and Junior's coach Jack Shwaluk along with family members, Jimmy Roy and sister Kathleen Black established this memorial as a contribution towards junior golfing in Pine Falls, where Billy Roy began his early golfing.

It was a special day for this year's Juniors, Linda Roy flew all the way from Green Valley, Arizona to present the first Billy Roy Memorial to our Junior's club tournament. The Roy Family is in the process of getting the clearance from the C.P.G.A. in order to establish a Provincial Junior's Golf Tournament in Billy Roy's name. At present serious negotiations are in the process with Titleist along with another major company to sponsor future junior golf tournaments. The Pine Falls Golf Club, Junior's coach Jack Shwaluk, and Junior player's were honoured that this type of support was given to them and the Club.

Brandon Arsenault was the winner of this year's tournament, in a very competitive field of golfers. Arsenault shot a 81 to take top honour's. There were six flights in Sunday's tournament, flights being determined by age. Champion Flight



Young golfer Brandon Arsenault (centre) the first to receive the Billy Roy Memorial trophy. He was presented the trophy from the late Bill Roy's wife Linda Roy (right) and his brother Jim Roy (left)

taken by Arsenault, with Kevin Chevrefils following closely with a score of 83. First flight winner was Andrew Bonekamp who shot an 84, followed by Payton Richardson with an 88. All subsequent flights were based on nine hole scores. Flight two was taken by Justin Wilcott with a 42, followed by Patrick Keating who shot 51.

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Junior Coach Jack Shwaluk presents Eddie Damen with the Ted Harrison Memorial Trophy for Most Improved Junior Golfer

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A "Legacy" for the Future

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Glen Schneider of Manitoba Hydro declared the Anniversary Park a "Legacy" for all future generations.

Friday, August 30th at 2:00 p.m., at the site of the Village of Powerview and Manitoba Hydro Anniversary Park, there was a great celebration. There were many people in attendance to mark this special day, along with Glen Schneider, from MB Hydro were Finlay MacInnes, Ron McKinnon and David Kemball.

Gerald Hawronik, MLA for Lac du Bonnet, Walter Tokar from the Manitoba Model Forest, Dan Boyer from Tembec-Pine Falls Operations, Darryl Parisian, Bill Borlase and Paul Pelland representing the Pine Falls Townsite, Ed Forsyth from the RM of Alexander and Father Gray of the Powerview Notre Dame du Laus Parish. The Village of Powerview Mayor and Council as well as all the Anniversary Committee members were also in attendance along with our special guest RCMP Constable Dwight Wilson in his red serge making this an extra spe-

cial day.

Some of the people who worked on the project were also present, Dean Spearman from Shelmerdine Nurseries, Doug Ursel and Vanessa Watson from Pine Falls Technical Services and Raymond Garand of Ray Ann Transport.

Mayor Henry Ostrowski welcomed everyone to the opening and ribbon cutting of the park. Dan Gelinas, Deputy Mayor and Co-Chair of the Anniversary Committee introduced the dignitaries and the rest of the committee, Co Chair Bev Dubé, Yvette Gelinas, Ted and Cheryl Pichor, Gord and Dorinda Watson, Yolande Fenez and David Kemball. Dan thanked the major sponsors, MB Hydro, Tembec-Pine Falls Operations and the Manitoba Model Forest for their generous financial contributions. Also mentioned were the local businesses that have supported the park with the purchase of the furniture. He talked about the history of the committee and how the park was born from the initial idea to it's completion.

A highlight of the

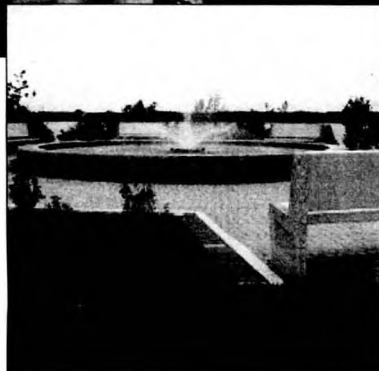


Ted Pichor, Allan Tardiff, Gord Watson, Deputy Mayor Danny Gelinas, Mayor Henry Ostrowski and Constable Dwight Wilson at the Grand Opening of the Village of Powerview and Manitoba Hydro Anniversary Park

opening included the history of the Odias and Rosalica Papineau family as the original homesteaders on the park site. In attendance were many descendants of Odias and Rosalica. Three of their surviving children, Roland Papineau, Jeannette Lavoie and Yvette Anderson joined together to cut the ribbon


for the park. It was a very touching and appropriate new beginning for this land which had remained vacant for thirty five years.

The Anniversary Committee and the entire community can be very proud of our "legacy". It is there for all to enjoy for many generations to come.



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Putting children and families first

Arsenault wins Billy Roy Memorial

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and Laine Lavallee was runner up with a 59. Forth flight was won by Eddy Damen who shot a 70, and was followed by Daniel Keating who shot a 71. The fifth flight winner was Faron Abdilla and second was Jordan Beck, who was the youngest participant in this year's tournament.

All contestants participated in the following events, longest drive, longest putt on hole number one, and a putting contest on the practice green. Putting Contest 12 and under Eddie Damen, over 12, Kevin Chevrefils, Longest Drive 8 and under, tie Jordan Beck and Trey Blatz, 10 yr. olds Myles Witford, 11 & 12 yr. olds Laine Lavallee, 13 & 14 yr. olds

Dylan Smitzniuk, 15 & 16 Payton Richardson and 17 & 18 yr. olds Brandon Arsenault. All golfers were awarded prizes for their participation in this years toumey. A special memorial trophy in Ted Harrison name, was awarded to the most improved junior golfer. This years recipient was 10 year old Eddie Damen.

The selection process was based on participation in the summer long junior golf program, and dedication and commitment towards improving their game. This past summer juniors were encouraged to attend clinics every Tuesday evening after 6:00 p.m. The average attendance for each session was usually about 12 to 15 golfers per week. After

a session on either the putting green or on the driving range, all went out and played as many holes as daylight would allow. Physical fitness was a priority (no riding was permitted) although golf is not a strenuous game, golfers walk approximately five kilometres, when playing nine holes of golf. In addition to the regu-

lar Tuesday night sessions a special clinic was conducted by Al Scott of Future Links. Future Links is an avid supporter of junior golf across Canada.

A mid-season golf tournament was held in early August. The girls winner was Ashley Houston, and Eddie Damen was tops amongst the boys.

Many thanks to all the parents, guardians, grandparents,

and friends who showed up to encourage their youngsters, (the future of our golf club), to participate.

A special thanks was extended to coach Jack Schwaluk from this years winner Brandon Arsenault, on behalf of all the Pine Falls Junior Golfers, for Jack's dedication and commitment in promoting and inspiring junior golfing in the area.

Library Allard Book Nook



Back to school means getting back to basics - reading, writing, and arithmetic... and a lot of fun stuff besides. At the library we are doing a review of our A, B, C's as well. Usually our book displays are a good way of letting patrons know what's new on the shelves... and of course, these books go out on loan very promptly. This fall we will feature another kind of display - older books that are sitting on the shelves waiting for attention. We plan to review the alphabet by featuring titles by authors whose name begins with the letter of the week. How many authors do you know whose name begins with "A"? Check it Out!

Our Fall Supper is just two short weeks away. Mark your calendar for September 21st and reserve your tickets immediately. We are still needing a few grocery items - if you are able to help out in this way,

please call the library to see what is still needed. To set your mouth - "awatering" just picture this: traditional roast turkey with dressing, gravy, cranberry sauce and fresh vegetables. Side dishes include home-made meatballs, cabbage rolls, jellied salads and pickles. Top this off, if you can, with a slice of delicious home-made pie. Beverages include tea, coffee or juice. This year we feature reserved seating for groups of six or more, so invite your friends and join us for either the 5:00pm or 6:30pm sitting. Any questions, just call the library at 345-2653.

We are curious - so we checked our competitors statistics to

see which were the top circulating adult fiction titles. In case you are interested, they are: "Fleece" by Carl Higgins Clark, "A Moment in Time" by Judith Gould, "The Surgeon" by Tess Grisham, "Orchid Blues" by Stuart Woods, "P is for Peril" by Sue Grafton, "A Woman Betrayed" by Barbara Delinsky, "The Next Accident" by Lisa Gardner, "Flesh and Blood" by Jonathan Kellerman, "Kentucky Rich" by Fern Michaels, "Treasures of the North" by Tracie Peterson, "Time and Again" by Nora Roberts, "Ghost Moon" by Karen Robards, "The Kiss" by Danielle Steel. Have you read a good book lately?

Happy Retirement Louis
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From the Fenzel Family

RM of Lac du Bonnet PUBLIC NOTICE BOARD OF REVISION

Notice is hereby given that the real property assessment roll of the RM of Lac du Bonnet for the year of 2003 has been deposited in the office of the RM of Lac du Bonnet and will remain open for inspection by all persons from this date.

The Board of Revision will sit to hear complaints and revise the said assessment roll on October 9, 2002 at 10:00 a.m. in the RM council chambers.

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BOARD OF REVISION

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Mariene Watson, Chief Administrative Officer
RM of Lac du Bonnet

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Recreation Ramblings

by Suzanne Lussier, Recreation Program Coordinator
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2002 Terry Fox events
In Lac du Bonnet, the traditional run will be held for a 2nd year in a row with Centennial School on Friday, September 13 at 10:30am.

In Pinawa, on Sunday, September 15 you can Golf at the Pinawa Golf Club's Terry Fox Golf OR you can take part in the Terry Fox Row with the Pinawa Rowing Club OR the Run has been revived and will also take place starting from the Pinawa Sailing and Rowing Club. Come on out and support an excellent cause.

Rhythmic Gymnastics
This fun classes gives girls age 4-6 a wonderful opportunity to learn skills and find joy in recreation. Classes will be on Tuesdays starting Sept. 24 - April 15th from 6:15 - 7:00 at F.W. Gilbert School. For more information, please contact the Rec. Office at 753-2639.

Aprons and Tux
Chef Josef from Jennifer's Restaurant will be cooking a Christmas meal on Friday Dec. 6th from 6-10 at LdBSS. Maximum participants, 20 and cou-

ples are recommended.
DeLuca's Cooking
Italian cooking at its finest. Come watch as Tony DeLuca and crew cook up a storm on Oct. 21st from 6-9 at Pinawa Secondary School Home Ec Room.

Royal Winnipeg Ballet Satellite Program
Ballet's back and it's bringing along Creative movement, Pre-Ballet and Jazz classes as well! Classes will run Saturdays from Sept. 28th - April in LdBSS gym for children ages 3 and up.

Cardio-Kickboxing
Need some motivation to increase the physical activity level in your life? Kim Ogren is just the leader to do it! Our Kickboxing instructor extraordinaire is offering a fall session running in Pinawa at the Community Centre on Wednesday from 6:15 - 7:15pm and Sunday nights from 5:30 - 6:30pm the gym and Lac du Bonnet on Monday nights from 6-7 in LdBSS gym. Please contact the Rec. Office for more information.

Classes are running now!
Drop in fee also available.

Hip Hop
Do you wanna dance? Kids' Hip Hop will be offered on Tuesdays from 6-7 p.m. for youth ages 6-12 in Centennial gym. Eddie Miller's XBX Dance Company will be instructing a second class for teens and adults (13 and up) running from 7-8 o'clock Sept. 17th - Nov. 19th. Eddie has been out to our area before for our Girls Club and our Girls On the Move day...his company is so energetic they make you really want to dance!

Tap
This more traditional type of dance is also being offered by XBX Dance Company and promises to be a fun and challenging class. It will be offered at Gilbert gym in Pinawa from 6-7 on Friday nights for ages 6-12 p.m. and from 7-8 p.m. for ages 13-adult commencing September 27 - November 29. Yoga is FULL!

Linda Tait will once again be instructing this relaxing recreational class. It will run from 7:15 - 8:15pm on Tuesdays, Sept. 17th - Nov. 19th. Maxi-

um participants are 25. Location is Gilbert Gym in Pinawa.

Art Classes
Local resident Sterling Flett will be instructing art classes for youth age 10-18 in Centennial School from 6-8 on Monday nights. The classes will run from Sept. 10th - October 15th and will explore different art techniques and styles.

Highland Dancing
Tara Lotz will be teaching this traditional dance style on Wednesday nights at 5 o'clock at Centennial for anyone ages 5 and up. Classes will run from Sept. 25th until April 16th. Please contact the Recreation

Office at 753-2639 for more information.
Therapeutic Stretching
Do you have a sore back? Shoulder? Muscle? Looking for a way to work a muscle or feel relief from tight muscles? Doug and Jean Stevenson are offering a four-month course to do exactly that! Please contact the Rec. Office for more information.

Engine Chatter
Taught by Darren Worona and Jill Augustine, this course teaches the basics of car care and gives you the confidence to deal with the "what ifs" or car travel. Held on October 7th from 7-9 p.m. at Worona's in Lac du Bonnet.


New Friends news

Many people will walk in and out of your life, but only true friends will leave footprints on your heart... New Friends Community Mentorship Inc. was started in Lac du Bonnet in 1993 and expanded to Pinawa in 1999. We're a homegrown product from two caring communities and the second largest mentorship program in Manitoba, after Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Winnipeg.

You don't have to be brilliant or perfect to be a good mentor! The qualities of an effective mentor are as follows: 1) Have a sincere desire to be involved with a young person 2) Respect young people 3) Actively listen 4) Empathize 5) See solutions and opportunities 6) Be flexible and open.

If you could spare a little time each week to make a difference in one child's life please telephone 345-2867 or 753-2406. The kids and I are waiting to hear from you.


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Coaches Comment

by Jamie Leach

Only a few more days till we finally get started on the new season! The coaching staff is looking forward to it, the players are chomping at the bit to get started and hopefully this community is ready to see some good hockey!

If the way these past 2 weeks have gone then it is a great sign of things to come for this organization. Rookie Camp was a success, Main Camp was fast and intense, and exhibition truly didn't dissapoint the coaches. Everyone is ready for this season and there is no better way to start it than back to back games against a team we will be fighting tooth and nail for the division championship. I think the 2 teams different style of play will bring some exciting

hockey to the MJHL. The Blades will be a tough defensive oriented team where the Steelers will be fast and ready to score goals at will. The Steelers have 2 of the most offensive threats this league has seen in a long time. Jonathan Parker came from a trade with the St.James Canadians and was a big reason the Steelers won a couple of huge games to help them make the playoffs. James Marquis Ken Petrash acquired from the Saints is a guy that can win any hockey game he plays in. It's obvious who we will be keying on our first 2 games.

The first weekend is extremely important to our club. 1 or 2 wins will be a huge confidence boost to help us continue where we left off last season. September's schedule isn't an easy one for all we

play is 2 home games. The biggest reason for that is the humidity and fog the Sargee Multiplex builds up in this late summer month. It is in the best interest of the Blades to play these games on the road then the weather will have cooled off and the ice will be better to perform on. The Blades want to make our building a place where opposing teams will not want to come to play not with the foggy conditions but the type of hockey we will play everynight.

As always a huge thank you to all the businesses and people that support our club in every way! See you at the game!

P.S. I am going to express my thoughts on the letter to the editor seen in last week's Echo once, then I am going to turn



MJHL
Southeast Blades

the page and get ready for this up coming season. Being the GM of this hockey club no one is sorer than myself for last week's incident. I have been involved in this game my entire life and these incidents happen all over the world not only with hockey players but with people that also are in the "spot light" and represent other communities besides their own. Not once have I seen a letter to any editor expressing how an individual spent their afternoon off visiting a children's hospital or a player after his training donate 4 more hours of his time on the ice with local minor hockey or how our boys spent time in the

schools working with community children. People are very quick to criticize and extremely apprehensive to give praise. These players are under strict guidelines coming from our entire organization and when they step out of line we make sure they are back in line pretty quick with consequences. This incident had nothing to do with these kids being hockey players, nor did it have anything to do with these kids being Blades, it had everything in the world to do with these kids being typical teenagers. Don't get me wrong I do not sanction these actions, but blame these guys for being guys not hockey players.

What Matters Most

I'd watched this old man for many months, with tattered clothes most worn.

I'd seen the look on many a face, as each looked at him with scorn.

He did not hold a sign up, on the corner where he stood begging for food or money, like others like him would.

And each day that I'd see him, I'd glimpse into his eyes.

He'd catch my gaze and look away, and I'd often wonder why...

I began to think to myself, what life he'd lived before.

A beggar not was this man I saw, was he rich or feigned be poor?

One day I noticed he wasn't there, that corner, his familiar place.

And I vowed that if I saw

him again, I'd speak to him face to face.

As days went by I forgot this man, this man who'd seen much hate.

He must have been just another bum, another corner would be his fate.

One day I walked past his spot, on my way to meet a friend.

And saw him right in front

ECHOES FROM THE Heart

of me, my vow this day I'd spend.

"Sir, I vowed I'd talk to you, if ever I saw you here. And ask you what your life had been, throughout your many years."

"Son", he said, "I know you, I've seen your face before I'm not a bum as you probably think, I'm rich and not poor."

"If rich why do you dress this way, can you explain this

to me? The rich own cars and have big homes, they stand not on the street."

He reached into his pocket, and showed me a picture of his wife who'd died one year ago, the one he dearly loved.

"It matters not how big the home, I have everything I need. What matters most in life my son, is that which we can't see."

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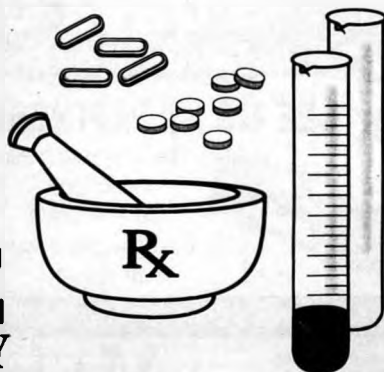
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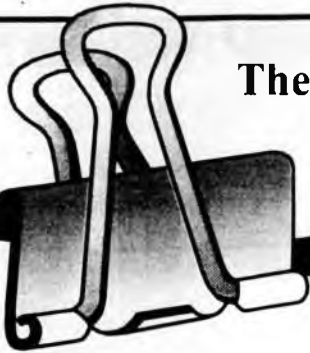
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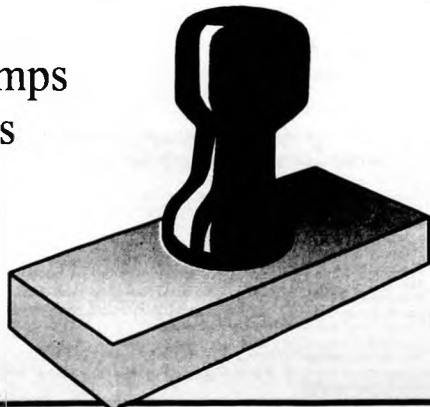
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Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report



August 29:

A report was received from Pinawa of a sum of money being paid to have a boat repaired, and the subject in question departing the area without doing the work.

August 30:

A report of dangerous operation of a personal watercraft at Pointe du Bois.

A report of an Intrusion Alarm at a location in Still Cove in the RM of Alexander. Found to be a false alarm.

A report of a street barricade being thrown through the window of a vehicle in Pointe du Bois while subjects were sleep-

ing in the vehicle. The culprit in question ran off and could not be identified at the time.

A report of an under age male being unlawfully at large from Milner Ridge Correctional Centre after failing to return on a temporary absence permit. Charge laid and warrant to arrest issued.

A report of vehicles speeding on McIntosh in the town of Lac du Bonnet after the high school ends for the day.

A report of an under age male having been caught shoplifting at a business in the town of Lac du Bonnet. Matter dealt with via the parent and child

and family services.

Police were called to a residence on Edward Crescent in the RM of Lac du Bonnet as a result of a domestic disturbance. Police attended and mediated the dispute.

A report of a vehicle having been stolen from a parking location at Tulabi Falls in Nopiming Provincial Park. Police began to investigate, however, the complaint found that he had in fact parked the vehicle at a different location, which he had forgotten.

A report was received of off-road vehicles on the roadway in Auglen Park in the RM of Alexander. Police patrolled, however, did not detect any offences.

A report of an Intrusion Alarm at a location on Lake Ave. in Lac du Bonnet. Found to be a false alarm.

A report of a single vehicle motor vehicle accident on PR 315 in the RM of Alexander. The vehicle had been left at the location overnight and on this date was found to have been vandalized.

September 1:

A report of a disturbance at a residence on McArthur in

the RM of Lac du Bonnet and possible assault with a knife. Police attended and no-one would provide any info re: a fight or usage of a knife. Police assisted on adult female to retrieve her children and go to another residence.

A report of a Sexual Assault at a location on Viking Way in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Matter to be investigated by Winnipeg Police Service as the complainant and suspect reside in Winnipeg. Statements taken by Lac du Bonnet Detachment from witnesses.

A report of an off-road vehicle being operated illegally on Tinant Road in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

A report of a noisy party at a location at the 8 Foot Falls Campground at Pointe du Bois. Police attended and had the music turned down.

A report of a vehicle roll over at Big Whiteshell Lake in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. DNR attended and the vehicle was towed.

A report of a suspicious vehicle containing four males at Seddon's corner. The vehicle had departed west on PTH #44. Police from Beausejour

patrolled, but did not locate.

A report of an adult male having been bitten by a dog at Brereton Lake in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Police investigated and charged the owner of the dog accordingly.

A report of an adult male causing a disturbance at a location in Seven Sisters. The subject had departed and matter was reported to the police for information.

A report of an assault at a location at Black Bear in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

A report of an off-road vehicle being operated illegally on the street at the Poplar Bay Trailer Park.

A report of a break and enter to a trailer at the Riverside camp in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

A report of an injury motor vehicle accident at the corner of 5th and McArthur. One adult male charged with failing to stop at a stop sign.

A vehicle was reported to

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Lac du Bonnet Community Billboard

Health Concerns? Guest speakers on homeopathy and ear candling. Monday, December 3, 7:00 p.m. in Lac du Bonnet. Call 268-3235 to book your seat.

Cooking for better health: Lose weight, gain energy and prevent illness. Classes begin for every five people registered. Cindy Reimann, certified in nutrition, call 268-2168.

Lac du Bonnet Pioneer Club Bake Sale: Saturday, November 24, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

PACE 7-1375: meets first Tuesday of the month. Chicken Chef. Powerview meeting room.

Sit and Be Fit exercise class: Thursdays, Lac du Bonnet Pioneer Club, 1:00 p.m.

Prenatal classes: held regularly at Lac du Bonnet. Please register with Gail 268-6106 or call your local public health nurse

Lac du Bonnet Lions Club meets the first and third Monday of each month, 7:00 p.m. LdB Community Centre
Lac du Bonnet Regional Library open Tues and Thurs 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.; Wed and Fri noon to 4:30 p.m.; Sat 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. ph. 345-2653.

Great Falls Women's Institute meets first Wednesday each month 7:00 p.m. Great Falls Hall. Pat 367-2586, Leone 367-8569.

Ladies' Auxiliary Royal Canadian Legion Branch #164 meets first Tuesday of the month 7:30 p.m. Legion Hall.

LdB Committee on Family Violence and Abuse meets second Tuesday of every month 7:00 p.m. Contact person 345-2664.

Royal Canadian Legion Branch #164 general meetings third Tuesday of each month 7:30 p.m. Legion Hall
Horticultural Society meets second Tuesday of every month 7:00 p.m., Centennial School.

St. John's ACW meets first Monday of every month 1:30 p.m., parish hall
Lakeshore Al-Anon Group Thursday 7:30 p.m. Lac du Bonnet District Health Centre, 89 McIntosh. Call Teri 345-8712.

Lac du Bonnet Church Directory

ABUNDANT LIFE CHAPEL

Pastor Jeff Andrews, church 345-2934, home 345-1950
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. - morning worship (children's church during service); 7:00 p.m. - hymn and prayer.

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS

Church/office 345-8654
Sunday: 11:00 a.m. - worship service

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Father Richard Machura, 345-2900
Lac du Bonnet, 5:00 p.m. - Saturday mass; 11:00 a.m. Sunday mass

PINAWA (senior school) 9:15 a.m. - Sunday mass

ST. JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

Rev. Brian Rasmussen 347-8615, church 345-2357
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Lakeshore Al-Anon Group For further information, Phone Kathie 367-8237 (evenings) - Vickie 345-6520 (days)

Town of Lac du Bonnet Council Meetings second and fourth Thursday of the month.

Lakeshore A.A. meetings every Sunday and Tuesday 8:00 p.m. at St. John's Anglican Church, 86 McArthur, Lac du Bonnet. Last Sunday of the month open to the public. Call Ted 345-2839, Ron 753-8403.

Ladies A.A. Meetings Thursdays 1:00 p.m., 18 McDermit, Pinawa. Doreen 753-8357

Battered Women's Crisis Line 1-800-362-3344.

Lac du Bonnet Health Centre Auxiliary meets fourth Thursday of the month. Health Centre 1:30 p.m.

Lac du Bonnet Wildlife Association temporarily meets at the call of the chair. Call Peter 345-6190 for information

New to town? Drop in to the Craft Basket on Second Street and pick up your Welcome to Lac du Bonnet gift, courtesy of the Chamber of Commerce.

Two Rivers Seniors Resource Council Inc. Call Pat at the Lac du Bonnet office, Health Centre at 345-1227 or 348-4610. Services: driver escort, life-line personal response system, friendly visitors, fee-for-service handy helpers

Pioneer Club meets first Monday of month 9:30 a.m., Pioneer Club.

RM of Lac du Bonnet Council Meetings second Tuesday of each month 10:00 a.m. and fourth Tuesday of every month 6:00 p.m.

Alzheimer Society Theresa Conroy, Whitemouth 348-3505. Lac du Bonnet, Pine Falls, Victoria Beach, Pinawa, Beausejour, Whitemouth, Oakbank, Hadashville.

Little Day Buddies Nursery School Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, 12:30 to 3:30 p.m., Lac du Bonnet Community Centre. Janice 345-8979.

Agassiz Horticultural Society meeting every 2nd Tuesday of the month, except January, July & August. Centennial School, 7:00 p.m. All gardeners welcome.

Report from Legislature



by Gerald Hawranik, M.L.A. Lac du Bonnet Constituency

Diverse Constituency - Diverse Issues and Concerns

Lac du Bonnet Constituency is really a reflection of the Province itself. The Constituency has a very diverse economy and diverse natural resources. We have forests for pulp and paper and lumber, rivers for hydro power generation, lakes and parks for recreation and tourism, minerals for mining, peat for harvesting, rich agricultural land for farming, and a well educated population to develop our scientific potential. Because we have such a diverse economy and diverse natural resources, we have diverse issues and concerns.

An issue is the construction of the road on the east side of Lake Winnipeg to connect our Constituency to the Aboriginal communities located there as well as to ensure a year round supply of wood to our pulp and paper and lumber industry and easy access to lakes for tourism and recreation.

Drainage is an important issue because the lack of attention to drainage affects our farmers as well as the integrity

of our road system. Farmers are going through some difficult economic times - they cannot control the escalating input costs, nor can they control the decreasing commodity prices. As a result, their profit margins are shrinking rapidly and they cannot afford losses due to poor drainage.

Employment is always an issue in our Constituency. I find it odd that a Constituency with such varied resources and incredible potential has not grown substantially within the last 30 years. Part of my job is to ensure economic growth for our area - economic growth which will ensure that jobs are created for our children and grandchildren.

Highways are important to our Constituency. Without proper roads, economic development is next to impossible. The condition of P.R. 304, PTH #15 east of Vivian and PTH #44 from Whitemouth to Rennie is of concern.

The quality of our water supply is a very important is-

ssue. Many residents in the Great Falls, Silver Falls and Broadlands area do not have an adequate supply of potable water. I believe that it is their right to have potable water and I support the activities and the actions of the Council of the RM of Alexander to provide same to their ratepayers. I will do what I can to ensure that a Federal Government Infrastructure grant is awarded to those areas.

These are just some of the issues that concern our Constituency. There are many others and I look forward to discussing more of them with you should you require.

If you have any questions regarding this article or any other issues in the Constituency, please feel free to contact me at 268-4664, write to me at P.O. Box 490, Beausejour, Manitoba, R0E 0C0, e-mail me at hawranik@granite.mb.ca or visit my website at www.geraldhawranik.com.

Packing School Lunches

By Crystal Rattai

It's Monday morning, and it's time to start the week off with a ritual shared by millions of parents all across the country: packing your child's school lunch. You want to do a good job, and create a nutritious, well-balanced meal. But you also know that your child is a picky eater, and you worry that the lunch may be traded or end up in the garbage can. What's a parent to do? Relax. Packing a school lunch that your child enjoys and that meets his nutritional requirements is as easy as ABC. All it takes is a little planning, some imagination, and feedback from your child. Planning is

Key
"The first step in planning any school lunch should always be to ask a child what he or she wants to eat," says Heidi Kecskenemethy, a pediatric dietitian. "Children tend to eat healthier if they have a say in preparing a meal." To make the planning process go smoothly

for both parent and child, consider employing a weekly school lunch menu. This avoids the morning panic of "What do I pack today?" and also ensures that you have all of the necessary ingredients on hand in your kitchen. It also prevents you and your child from choosing last-minute, unhealthy lunch choices. What kids eat for lunch matters to their health. Federal surveys show that children get about one third of their daily calories at lunch. And kids raised on sugar, fat, and salt are getting fatter these days. The percentage of obese children has nearly doubled in the past 20 years, and childhood obesity may be a risk factor for heart, circulatory, and other health problems in adulthood. Always refer to the Canada Food Guide.

Healthy Lunch Suggestions
Some healthy suggestions to include in your child's school lunches are:



Lunch
Bagels, rolls, pita pockets, English muffins, raisin or multigrain bread are healthy bases for a nutritious lunch. You can vary the type of bread you use each day to make it interesting and appealing. Cut the bread into a fun shape with cookie cutters, such as a star or a triangle, for a change of pace.

Pasta salad is another option. Use fun-shaped and colored pasta, such as small shells, wagon wheels, or ABCs.

Chicken, tuna, or egg salad is packed with protein. Serve it in pita bread or in a small cup or container (and remember to go light on the mayo).

Luncheon meats, such as lean cuts of turkey, ham, or roast beef are favorites with kids. Have the deli give you thick slices instead of thin ones, and then cut them into animal images with a cookie cutter. You and your child can experiment with making these

deli animals the night before.

Make old standbys with a new twist. A plain peanut butter and jelly sandwich will excite kids when it's jazzed up with raisins and granola.

Raw vegetables can be appealing when served in the right manner. For example, serve celery sticks cut into small pieces and filled with peanut butter. Or around the holidays, include slices of green and red peppers. You can also use "filler" vegetables - lettuce, onions, tomatoes, and peppers - in sandwiches to help your kids get the necessary amount of vegetable servings every day.

Love goes a long way in making lunch yummy. Hide a special note or card in your child's lunch box, telling your child how much you love him and how special he is to you. It's a guaranteed self-esteem booster, and it will give your child the extra confidence he needs to get through a test or a difficult subject in school.



Beverages

When it comes to selecting a beverage, milk is recommended by Kecskenemethy. "It doesn't matter if it's white or chocolate milk," she says. "When a child drinks milk at lunch, they are getting the proper nutrition." Of course, chocolate-flavored milk is likely to have more sugar, so this should be taken into account. You might also consider offering lowfat or nonfat (skim) milk instead of whole milk - it has the same nutritional value with less fat. For children who have lactose intolerance - the inability to digest lactose, the sugar found in milk - lactose-free milk (such as soy milk) is a good alternative.

"Fruit juices are OK as a substitute for milk occasionally, but make sure you are serving 100% juice, and not one of those less expensive, high-sugar fruit drinks on the market today," says Kecskenemethy. Use an insulated thermos or an ice pack in the lunch sack to keep the milk or juice cold.

More interesting information on parenting topics can be found at this website: kidshealth.com.



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September 14	vs. Selkirk
September 17	vs. Winkler
October 2	vs. Winkler
October 4	vs. Blues
October 11	vs. Saints
October 19	vs. OCN
October 22	vs. Neepawa
October 27	vs. Waywayseecapo
October 29	vs. Portage la Prairie
November 1	vs. St. James
November 6	vs. Neepawa
November 9	vs. Saints
November 12	vs. Winkler
November 17	vs. Swan Valley
November 19	vs. Poratage la Prairie
November 22	vs. Blues
November 24	vs. OCN
November 26	vs. Dauphin
December 13	vs. Blues
January 4	vs. Selkirk
January 14	vs. St. James
January 17	vs. Blues
January 19	vs. Swan Valley
January 24	vs. Saints
January 25	vs. Dauphin
January 29	vs. St. James
February 8	vs. Selkirk
February 11	vs. Winkler
February 15	vs. Selkirk
February 21	vs. Waywayseecapo
February 23	vs. St. James

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Winnipeg River RCMP Report



August 30:
Several calls received from irate drivers on the lack of respect shown by school children who are no longer allowed to smoke on school grounds and are now loitering on the street in front of the Powerview school. Police attended and several students were warned about blocking traffic.

At 13:15 a resident of Powerview reported that 60 Tylenol 3s were stolen from him while he was at the North-

ern store in Pine Falls. At 18:15 responded to a call of possible impaired driver near Pedden's. The driver was doing power turns all over road but was not impaired.

August 31:
Police responded to a call of motor vehicle accident on Laura St. in Powerview. Female driver hit a parked car and has been charged with impaired driving.

Police responded to a call of a possible assault on the

North Shore. There was no fight however one male individual was in need of medical attention and was taken to the hospital.

Police were advised of a theft of vehicle from a residence in Powerview. Stolen is a gold 1999 2 door Sunfire, Man Lic DDB 879.

A 17 year old from Sagkeeng reports being assaulted by her boyfriend. Matter is under investigation and charges are pending.

Police attended a residence in Hillside Beach as a young male had just come to the house intoxicated and was not making sense. After investigation, male was returned to Powerview Detachment and lodged. No offence had occurred.

A male was arrested for throwing a beer can at fight participant at the Pine Falls Arena and escorted from the Arena and held at Powerview until family members arrived to

take him home.

September 1:

Police received a request to assist the Victoria Beach Police with a large crowd at a loud party. 12 RCMP officers ended up having to assist with this call. Beer bottles were thrown at members by several youths. Two males were arrested, the matter is still under investigation and charges are pending.

Police received a call of a loud party on Art Street but upon police arrival all was quiet.

A resident of Sagkeeng was arrested and has been charged with the sexual assault on his young teenage daughter. He is presently in the Remand Centre in Winnipeg.

Police received a call of a house fire in Hollow Water. Investigation has revealed that it was arson and a female resident of Hollow Water is facing a charge of Arson.

September

2: Report that 2 men's mountain bikes were stolen from a house on Birch Street. One was purple with yellow neon paint and the other was a blue 18 spd with infant seat on back.

Received a report of sheds being broken into on Island on Wanipigow Lake and several rods and reels along with a tackle box was stolen.

A resident of Guffei Drive, Belair reports that his neighbour's shed appears to be broken into. Police attend and nothing appears disturbed. Investigation reveals that shed had been left unsecured.

First report received of possible boater missing on Lake Winnipeg. Same was located by coast guard but would not accept help and insisted on

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Pine Falls Community Billboard

Fort Alexander Health Centre: Diabetes Clinic 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. every Tuesday. Blood sugar check, nutritional counselling, phone 367-2208.
PACE 7-1375: meets first Tuesday of the month. Chicken Chef, Powerview meeting room.
Prenatal classes: held regularly at Pine Falls. Please register with Gail 268-6106 or call your local public health nurse.
Library Allard: Tuesday 10:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. and 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Friday 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Beaches Library: Tuesday 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., Thursday 4:00 to 8:00 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Knights of Columbus: meetings every second Tuesday of the month 7:30 p.m. Powerview Church basement.
Silver Haven Club: cribbage every fourth and fifth Monday 1:30 p.m., whilst every Thursday 1:30 p.m.
Pine Falls Health Auxiliaries: meetings first Tuesday of every month 1:30 p.m.
Cottage Country Business Assoc.: meets first Monday of the month 7:00 p.m. October through May, phone 756-2596.
Alcoholics Anonymous: Sunrise Group meetings every Monday, Wednesday and Friday 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., last Friday of the month open to the public, at St. Georges Catholic Church basement.
Pine Falls Legion: meetings held second Thursday of the month 7:30 p.m. Legion, meet rallies held at Legion on Fridays 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.
Pine Falls Masonic Lodge #154: meets second Friday of every month, Pine Falls United Church, except January and February.

Winnipeg River Church Services

NOTRE DAME DU LAUS: Powerview - Saturday evening 7:30 p.m. (English), Sunday 10:00 a.m. (English); Stead - Sunday 12:00 noon.
PINE FALLS UNITED CHURCH: Sunday service 11:00 a.m. Bonita E. Garrett, Minister Church 367-2633 or Cell 754-7220. Everyone Welcome. Sunday School, September 8 at 11:00 a.m., everyone welcome.
PINE FALLS ANGLICAN CHURCH OF THE ADVENT: Ph. 367-8347. Rector, the Rev. Brian Rountree. Sunday Service at 9:00 a.m.
ST. THERESA'S: Masses at Notre Dame du Laus.
ST. GEORGES: Mass Sunday at 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
ST. JUDE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH Grand Marais, Holy Eucharist - second and fourth Sundays, 11:00 a.m. Morning prayer 11:00 a.m. - first, third and fifth Sundays.
TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH Thalberg, 1 mile east and 1 mile south of Junction #12 and #304. St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Greenwald on Hwy. #12, 1 1/2 miles north of junction with #317. Sunday church school 10:00 a.m., worship 11:00 a.m. (alternate locations). For info call 635-2625 or 754-8682.
CHRISTIAN FAITH FELLOWSHIP - Bible study 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, church service 10:30 a.m. Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
HOUSE OF PRAYER FULL GOSPEL - 2:30 p.m. every Sunday, Scantebury, on Hwy. #59.
ST. MARGUERITE R.C. MISSION Pitt Road - Traverse Bay, 11:30 a.m. Sunday additional mass mid-June through Labour Day 7:30 p.m. Saturday. Closed November 1 to April 30th.
ST. ALEXANDER R.C. CHURCH located at Sagkeeng First Nations. Sunday mass 10:00 a.m.
ST. THERESA, R.C. MISSION 88 Glenvale Avenue, Grand Marais. Mass 12:00 noon first Sunday of November to last Sunday of April. May through October mass 10:00 a.m. Sunday.
SAGKEENG CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CHURCH - Lloyd Guimond (Pastor) Sagkeeng South Shore, service Thursday 7:30 p.m. and Sunday 2:00 p.m.
CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN - Sunday 2:30 p.m. at Hollow Water.
GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH - Bible study, Wednesday 7:30 p.m., call Pastor Trud, *Country, for information 367-2511.*

Crime of the week

The Winnipeg River RCMP/POLICE are seeking the public assistance in helping to solve a break enter and theft to a cottage located on Donner Lake approx 1.25 hrs. drive from Powerview on the Trans Licence road. Some time between the 15th of August 2002 and the 18th of August 2002 thieves went to the cottage area on Donner Lake and cut a cable that was used to secure a small aluminum boat at the boat dock, they then used the stolen boat to ferry them across to a cottage on the other side of the lake. Once there the thieves paid pried open the front door and entered the cottage, inside the thieves stole numerous items including some unique

items, items missing are: One Mastercraft 18v cordless drill and blue case c/w 2 batteries, one pair of LG chest waders made by Cabella's, they are made of green neoprene type material, one portable stereo that has "Ghetto Blaster" on it and is missing one of the knobs and the cover on the back that enclosed the batteries, one "Billy Bass" singing fish, two 10" long tie down straps, one mounted deer head c/w antlers, the antler has only 5 points on the right and 6 points on the left (has "Ken Hawkins" taxidermist label on it), one mounted 17" pickerel (has "Ken Hawkins" taxidermist label on it as well), one large steer



hide that is red and brown in colour, the back of the hide has a plaid green blanket sewn on it. If you or anyone have any information to the Break and Enter and Theft please call the Winnipeg River Detachment at 1-204-367-2222/8728 or Crime Stoppers.

If you have any information and want to remain anonymous to any of the above crimes, please call CRIMESTOPPERS at 1-800-782-8477

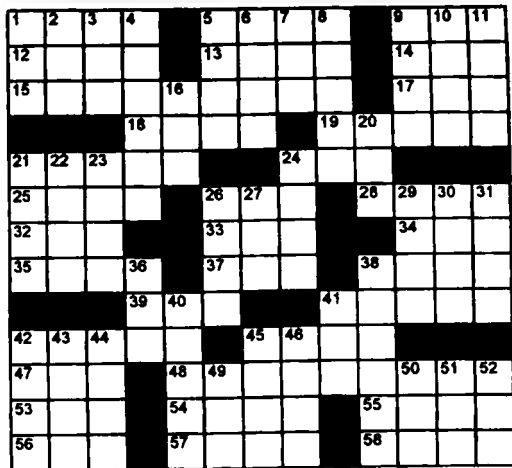
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WEEKLY CROSSWORD



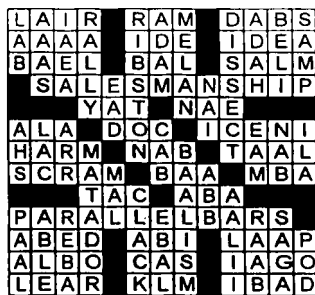
- 28. Pats lightly
- 32. Narrow shoe width
- 33. Publisher's org.
- 34. Actors unit (inits.)
- 35. Recline
- 37. Chalice veil
- 38. Afrikaans
- 39. Body measurement index (abbr.)
- 41. Cast by a tree
- 42. Close by
- 45. Bookseller org. (abbr.)
- 47. Dentists' org. (abbr.)
- 48. Omitting
- 53. Hidden fence
- 54. Spring (Heb.)
- 55. Literary society (abbr.)
- 56. Hear (word stem)
- 57. British award (abbr.)
- 58. Memory (comb form.)

- 7. Bruin Bobby
- 8. Jan van ____ Dutch artist
- 9. Burn slightly
- 10. Both (pref.)
- 11. Predict
- 16. Phenomena (comb form)
- 20. Same (Rx abbr.)
- 21. False god
- 22. Manchurian river
- 23. Mountain range
- 24. Weight
- 26. Measure
- 27. Filipino yan
- 29. Narrow shoe width
- 30. Droplet
- 31. Auction
- 36. Hunting dog
- 38. Chamber (comb. form)
- 40. Palmlike plant
- 41. So (Scot.)
- 42. Allergist (abbr.)
- 43. Pearl Harbour's island
- 44. On the ____
- 45. Breath (word stem)
- 46. Parisians preppies (Inits.)
- 49. Alphabet trio
- 50. Author Fleming
- 51. "Will Ye ____ Come Back?"
- 52. Ski teaching method (abbr.)

- ACROSS**
- 1. Very funny person
 - 5. Pollution
 - 9. Hansom
 - 12. ____ cadabra
 - 13. Kind of dollar
 - 14. Patient group (abbr.)
 - 15. Boorish behaviour
 - 17. Future Ph. D's final step (abbr.)
 - 18. Farm agency (inits.)
 - 19. Strange
 - 21. Fades
 - 24. Giant Titan
 - 25. Scottish point
 - 26. Hers (Lat.)

- DOWN**
- 1. Hebrew teacher
 - 2. Philippine tree
 - 3. Globe
 - 4. Loose
 - 5. Bristle
 - 6. Kettledrum tuning (mus.)

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS



Each letter represents another letter in the alphabet
See if you can break the code to figure out the famous quotation

Last Week's Solution

HE ASKED FOR A ROOM AND A BATH. THEY GAVE HIM A ROOM AND SAID HE'D HAVE TO TAKE HIS OWN BATH.



CRYPTIC PUZZLE

XB WCV DXFQGR P HVGR SR HPW
GXQR XD JVD WCV TXGG KR D P
BPL JXKKRL QXFQ CVD CB XD.

WEEKLY ECHO HOROSCOPE

for the week of Sept. 9 to Sept. 15

ARIES (Mar. 21 - April 20) You must deal with an emotional problem with your loved one that you have been avoiding for some time now. Beware of individuals who are not that reliable or well known to you. Money-making ventures may just turn your life around. You may be angry if someone tries to take credit for something you did.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
Uncertainty regarding your direction is likely. You can buy or sell if you're so inclined but be very careful and watch for danger. Discord may arise with someone you're close to. You may find that you're being used by them too.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Difficulties with females you live with could cause emotional stress. You can help other people with their financial problems by setting up a budget for them. Don't ruffle the feathers of those you care about most with misguided advice. Don't let your boss make you feel guilty enough to take work home with you.

CANCER (June 22 - July 22)
Your accomplishments could exceed your expectations if you mix a little business with pleasure. You are likely to be left alone if you aren't willing to bend just a little. Arguments with relatives may lead to a split in the family, but only temporarily. Maybe it's time to look into ways you can improve your health.

LEO (July 23 - Aug 22)
Problems with your boss could lead to unemployment if you are not careful. Romance is likely if you participate in unusual forms of entertainment. Family outings that aren't expensive will be enjoyable and help strengthen ties. Don't be too pushy or demanding, or you may find yourself all alone.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 - Sept. 23)
Be sure to think twice before you say something that might hurt your partner's feelings. Talk to your emotional partner about your intentions for the long range future. Exaggeration or deception coupled with overindulgence might be a problem toward the end of the week. This is a great week to start that new health regimen you've been thinking about.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Expand your knowledge and sign up for courses and seminars. Focus on your own domestic problems and they will be quickly solved. You could do extremely well in competitive sports events. You could have trouble persuading others to accept your ideas and opinions if you try too hard.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Take care of any pressing medical problems that you or one of your parents may be suffering from. You will attract new love interests but only if you get out and mingle. Try to curb overindulgence this week. Your mate may be distressed if you refuse to make a commitment.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 21)
Your changing attitudes may be causing concern for your partner, rethink your situation. Your ability to charm others will bring added popularity. Your charm will attract someone special too (provided you are single). You'll find travel or involvement in large groups gratifying.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22 - Jan. 20)
Your ability to dazzle others with your unique and innovative ideas will attract attention. Travel opportunities must be taken advantage of. Be careful not to lead someone on if you truly have no interest. You'll only hurt your lover if you don't tell them what's on your mind.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Your best efforts will come through making changes in your home. Regardless of your first reaction, the outcome will be favorable. Take time to look at any outdated papers or possible investments. Put your efforts into being creative.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar. 20)
You can purchase items that will enhance your home's appearance. You can win points if you present your ideas this week. You will have no problem getting your point across to those in a position to help you. Read between the lines before you sign your name on anything.

Echo Classifieds

Miscellaneous
Bankruptcy Info-line - free, confidential. Call 1-800-463-8371. This is a community service offered by L.C. Taylor & Co. Ltd., Trustee in Bankruptcy.
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Daycare
Dufour Daycare Limited space available at a Licensed Child Care Home. Call Darren -or Heather at 367-4598.
 15-2a

Help Wanted
Phase II Dental Assistant needed for full time employment at the Fort Alexander Dental Clinic, experience needed, please call Dr. Grant at 204-367-2208.
 16-1a

Card of thanks
 Romeo Berard, November 5, 1928 to August 12, 2002.

Craft Sale
Great Falls Christmas Craft Sale. Vendors needed for craft sale to be held, Saturday November 23rd, 2002, from 10am to 4 pm, at the Great Falls Hall. Table rental is \$20.00, plus a donation to the silent auction, canteen available, non-smoking hall. For more information please call-Pat@367-2998.
 16-1a

For Rent
Apartments for Rent - One bedroom apartment for rent in Powerview. New paint, new carpet, new counter top, preferably a non-smoker, for rental application call 367-4922 after 6:00 p.m.

For Rent/Sale
House for Rent or Sale in Pine Falls: 2 storey, 3 bedroom, insulated detached garage, approximately 1200 sq. ft. call Scott at 367-5317 (days) or 367-2164 (after 6:00pm).
 16-2a

For Sale
Water Distiller: Polar stainless steel water distiller, fully automatic, like new, \$1000.00, replacement value over \$2000.00, phone 345-8011.
 16-1a

In the recent loss of Romeo Berard, the family would like to thank you sincerely for sharing our sorrow, your kindness and sympathy is deeply appreciated. We are most grateful for all the cards, flowers, memorial donations, and all the phone calls. Your kind expressions, generosity, and support through this difficult time is truly overwhelming and will always be remembered. Family and friends have given us immense strength and comfort.
 Sincerely,
 Ileen, Nadine, Diane, Deb, Kevin Berard and their families.



Boat - 17 ft. Alumacraft boat, 100 HP Merc outboard, Shorelander trailer, \$13,500, excellent condition. Call 367-9284.
 16-1a

Miscellaneous Articles you would like to sell?
Call the Echo 367-9468

House for Rent - two bedroom in the Powerview area, call 367-8232.

NOMINATIONS

SUNRISE SCHOOL DIVISION PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 25, 26, 27 & 30, 2002 between the hours of 8:30 in the forenoon and 4:30 in the afternoon, (Closed at Noon 12-1) at the Sunrise School Division office located at 74 Fifth St. South, in the town of Beausejour, I will receive Nominations for the office of

WARD #1 - ONE TRUSTEE	
Voting Places:	
Poll 13: Whitemouth	Poll 16: River Hills
Poll 14: Rennie	Poll 20: Eima
Poll 15: Prawda	Poll 21: East Braintree
WARD #2 - ONE TRUSTEE	
Voting Places:	
Poll 3C, 5B, 5D, 5F Anola	Vivian
4A, 4B, 4C, 4D, 4E Hazelridge	Glass (E. Edgewood Rd.)
WARD #3 - ONE TRUSTEE	
Voting Places:	
Poll 1B, 5E, 5B	Dugald
1C, 5C, 5H, 3B	Cook's Creek
WARD #4 - TWO TRUSTEE	
Voting Places:	
Poll 1A, 3A	Oakbank
WARD #5 - ONE TRUSTEE	
Voting Places:	
Poll 1A	Beausejour A-L
WARD #6 - ONE TRUSTEE	
Voting Places:	
Poll 2: Garson	Poll 5: Brokenhead/Ladywood
Poll 3: Tyndall	Poll 17: Molson
Poll 4A: RM of Brokenhead A-L	Poll 18: Seddon's Corner
Poll 4B: RM of Brokenhead M-Z	
WARD #7 - ONE TRUSTEE	
Voting Places:	
Poll 6: St. Clements	Poll 9: Great Falls/Silver Falls
Poll 7: Powerview	Poll 10: Stead
Poll 8: St. Georges	
WARD #8 - ONE TRUSTEE	
Voting Places:	
Poll 11: Lac du Bonnet (Village)	Poll 12B: RM of LdB M-Z
Poll 12A: RM of LdB A-L	Poll 19: Woodrow

Of the aforesaid Local Authority, for a four year term, commencing the first meeting after the October 23rd, 2002 election. All nominations shall be made in writing and shall be signed by at least twenty-five electors, or NOT less than 1% of the electors (whichever is the lesser) of the authority or ward (as the case may be) but in all cases by at least two electors. Each nomination shall be accompanied by a written acceptance thereof by the candidate and also by the candidates' declaration of qualification duly signed and attested.

Nomination papers may be obtained upon application from: the Returning Officer (268-3219), OR Deputy Returning Officer (635-2128), OR from the Sunrise School Division Office, 75 Fifth St. South, Beausejour, Manitoba (268-6500).

Dated at Beausejour, in the province of Manitoba,
this 21st day of August 2002.

Mrs. Diane Hansell RETURNING OFFICER SUNRISE SCHOOL DIVISION	Mrs. Diane Gunning DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER SUNRISE SCHOOL DIVISION
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Winners of the Golden Leisure Club Silent Auction were:

Quilt - Julie Blatz	Winner of the
1st Hamper - Rose Vincent	Watkins
2nd Hamper - Bob Hebert	Draw:
Teapot - Nicole Lavhale	Natalie
Afghan - Doris Kahle	Vincent
Cookie Jar - Darlene McFee	

NOMINATIONS THE VILLAGE OF POWERVIEW PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 25th, 26th, 27 th and 30th day of September and the 1st day of October, 2002 between the regular office hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., At the Village of Powerview Office, #32 - P.T.H. No. 11, Powerview, Manitoba, I will receive nominations for the offices of:

MAYOR 4 COUNCILLORS

Of the aforesaid Local Authority, for the term of four (4) years expiring November 1, 2006.

All nominations shall be made in writing and shall be signed by at least twenty-five electors, or NOT less than 1 percent of the electors (whichever is the lesser) of the authority or ward (as the case may be), but in all cases by at least two electors. Each nomination shall be accompanied by a written acceptance thereof by the candidate and also by the candidate's declaration of qualification duly signed and attested.

Nomination papers not accompanied by the required documents and not properly filed shall be rejected.

Nomination papers may be obtained upon application at the Village of Powerview Office, #32 - P.T.H. No. 11, Powerview.

Dated at Powerview in the Province of Manitoba, this 3rd day of September A.D. Of 2002.

Local Authority of Village of Powerview
 J.M. Thavenot
 Returning Officer

Thank You

To Judy at Tembec, Shannon and Empower, Murray at Pine Falls School, Don at Pine Falls School, Angela at the Townsite Office along with my hard working friends who moved tables and helped clean the school gym Sunday night - Mel & Eileen Jaster, Ken and Doris Kahle, Bob Pfefferle, and my best friend and husband Raymond. Thank you to Val Anderson and her crew for another successful fun weekend, great job.

Shirley Lavalee
 4P Festival Market Square
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continuing.

Also reported overdue were three fishermen from Hollow Water First Nations, out on Lake Winnipeg.

September 3:

Police responded to a call of an attempted theft of a vehicle in Grand Marais. A second call was then received that a 1991 Dodge Voyager BHB 224 had been stolen from a resident of Grand Marais. This was followed by a third call of an attempted theft of a vehicle in Grand Marais. All

three vehicles were Dodge/Chrysler makes and in the two attempted thefts severe damage was done to the ignition column. This seems to have occurred in the early morning hours.

Police attended Hollow Water First Nations as overdue fishermen still not in. Enroute they were advised that local person had located two of the missing fishermen on shore. Dog handler was contacted to assist in ground search. Several hours later last of the overdue fishermen was located safe

and sound.

A parent on Sagkeeng called requesting police patrols on PTH 11 after school hours as traffic is going much faster than posted 70 km/hr. This is the time that children are getting off of school buses and she is afraid someone is going to get hurt.

Drivers are reminded that the school year has started and to keep safety in mind when following a school bus and around the school zones in our detachment area.

Second call on overdue

boater on Lake Winnipeg. Again CASARA dispatched.

September 4:

CASARA located boater at same spot he was in on Monday night. Boat had flipped, motor got wet and boater had been unable to start motor all day. He was towed in.

A local resident reports that someone used husband's name and got hooked up with Star Choice and they just received the invoice.

Public is reminded to be careful when disposing of personal identification or mail as personal information can be taken from this and used by others.

A small black and white dog was found on PTH 11 between Traverse Bay Corner and the Traverse Bay dump.

September 5:

A complaint was received of skateboarders placing barriers on Cedar Street and jumping same almost hitting oncoming car. Police patrolled

area but were unable to locate them.

Police responded to a call of assault on two youths by an adult female. Ongoing dispute between neighbours on Sagkeeng and matter is under investigation.

September 6:

Police responded to a call of adult male shooting at people with a .22 cal rifle in the Manigotoga area but after an intensive search were unable to locate the complainant or the suspect.

A complaint was received of an unruly drunk at an apartment at Woodlands apartment. Turned out he was a welcomed guest.

Addendum

At 11:00 am on Saturday received a call that a 1999 red 250 Honda ATV stolen from a residence near Clark's Corner sometimes overnight. Appears to have been pushed through the yard into a ditch and started at that time and driven away.

Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report

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be in the water at Dorothy Lake in the Whiteshell Provincial Park.

A report of shots being fired in the vicinity of Old Pinawa in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

A report of a vehicle being in the ditch in the Elma area with loud music coming from same.

September 2:

A report of trees being pulled up at a location on Armour Road in the RM of Alexander.

A report of the theft of a gas tank, duffel bag and tackle box from a boat at Arnold's Camper's Co-op in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

September 3:

A report from a location at

Pointe du Bois of an attempted break and enter to a garage.

A report of an abandoned vehicle along PR 211 in the LGD of Pinawa for a number of days. The vehicle in question was towed.

A report of a vehicle having been vandalized at the Heather Game and Fish property in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

September 4:

A report from Pinawa of concern being expressed for an individual who had not been contacted for a period of time. Police investigated and found all to be in order.

A report of the theft of two road restriction signs with 8' posts from Riverland and PR 313, and from Riverland and Tower Road in the RM of Lac

du Bonnet.

A report of an intrusion alarm on Black Bear Crescent in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Found to be a false alarm.

A report of the front and rear metal doors on a residence on 5th Street in Lac du Bonnet having been scratched with a sharp object.

A report of an apparently abandoned snowmobile trailer on the trail beside the Transmission Line just north of McArthur Falls in the RM of Alexander. Police investigated and ascertained who the owner was and made contact, and found that it had been left at the location due to a flat tire.

September 5:

A report of students from the Lac du Bonnet Senior School trespassing on private property in order to smoke.

NOTICE OF NOMINATIONS RM OF ALEXANDER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the following days of the 25th, 26th, 27th and 30th day of September and the 1st day of October, 2002 between the regular office hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., At the Rural Municipality of Alexander Administration Office, St. Georges, MB., I will receive nominations for the office of:

**REEVE
COUNCILLOR FOR WARD 1
COUNCILLOR FOR WARD 2
COUNCILLOR FOR WARD 3
COUNCILLOR FOR WARD 4**

Of the aforesaid Local Authority.

All nominations shall be made in writing and shall be signed by at least twenty-five electors, or NOT less than 1 percent of the electors (whichever is the lesser) of the authority or ward (as the case may be), but in all cases by at least two electors. Each nomination shall be accompanied by a written acceptance thereof by the candidate and also by the candidate's declaration of qualification.

Nomination papers not accompanied by the required documents and not properly filed shall be rejected.

Nomination papers may be obtained upon request from the Rural Municipality of Alexander Office #16-PTH 11, St. Georges, MB.

Dated at St. Georges in the Province of Manitoba, this 5th day of September A.D., 2002.

Margie Nault
Returning Officer
R.M. Of Alexander

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