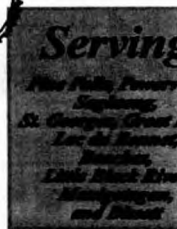


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(left to right) South Interlake Credit Union Manger, Brian Ryall and Tournament Coordinator, Kim Wilson present Ray Fawcett and Don Powell with a cheque for \$6500 for second place at this year's Canadian Walleye Championship.

## 2002 Canadian Walleye Championship

by V. Anderson

The 2002 Canadian Walleye Championship was held this past Friday and Saturday in Pine Falls. The event was once again hosted by master of ceremonies Al Parenteau of Fish MC Tournament Systems which is based in Dryden, Ontario. This year the tournament was filmed by Todd Million, host to the fishing show Full Contact Fishing. Full Contact Fishing is an action packed, high energy half hour sports variety fishing show where 10 time tournament champion and the "Don Cherry" of fishing, Todd Million, hooks up, hangs out, and high fives with high impact personalities for some great fishing adventures. "This is a

great event, Kim Wilson is a wonderful host and the people out here are really friendly. The weekend was a lot of fun" said Million. "We have been filming for two days and we got some really good interviews, Lyle Bauer CEO of the Blue Bombers did a great interview over the weekend. We managed to get some great shots of some really nice fish." The show will be aired sometime in January. You can go to their website [www.fullcontactfishing.com](http://www.fullcontactfishing.com) and find out the exact date the show will air.

There were 60 teams that entered this years Championship. First place winners Mark Christianson and Harv Lueck had a two day weight

of 47.11. On day one they weighed in at 25.86 and day two they weighed in 21.25 to capture first spot. They won a Lund boat with motor and trailer and they also won gold rings. "This was an excellent run tournament, we had a lot of fun. Kim Wilson did an really good job in organizing this event and the fishing in Manitoba waters is great." said Christianson.

**Don't forget to vote on October 23rd!**

## Election 2002

by Charles Norman

There were no fireworks at the all-candidates forum held in Powerview School last Wednesday.

Organized by Powerview School Principal, Paul Magnan, the forum included local candidates for School Trustee, Candidates for Mayor and council of Powerview, and for Reeve and three of the four wards of the RM of Alexander. Ward 4, which is in the Lord Selkirk School Division, was not invited.

Neither of the candidates for School Trustee was confident that taxes could be kept down without quality of education suffering although Jamie McMullen said that was the objective. McMullen made a plea for local representation on the Board of the new Sunrise School Division. Dallas Pasaluko said the board needs help from parents, teachers and the administration.

Only two of the three candidates for Mayor of Powerview were present. Incumbent Mayor Henry Ostrowski had

a prior commitment.

Ian Cyr said the amalgamation with Pine Falls was a priority. He said the Village of Powerview needs progress and cited the fact that the village office does not use email. He said progress requires people getting involved in their community. He said forums would be needed after the election.

Gord Watson said he supports the amalgamation of Pine Falls and Powerview, but says it has to be in the best interests of the people of both communities. He sees a growing, viable, vibrant future.

Three Powerview Council candidates couldn't make it; Marvin Morrisseau, Danny Gelinus, and Michelle Bruneau were not able to be present. Gelinus was working and Bruneau had a medical appointment in Winnipeg.

Bev Dube talked of her extensive experience in volunteer work in the community, and of her work with the Model Forest dealing with 22 municipalities and First Nations. She has previously

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### Training should be recognized

I wanted to write this letter in support of those frustrated people who took a stand to express their concerns.

I, too, feel what they feel. I'm a provincially certified Power Engineer. I've also successfully completed training at Red River College in "Water and Wastewater Treatment and Distribution." Upon arrival of certificates, I will be a Level I and II Water Treatment and Distribution Operator as well as a Level I and II Waste water Collection and Treatment Operator.

Despite all this training and certification, I'm employed as a Night Watchman with no hope of promotion or employment appropriate to my qualifications.

Sagkeeng First Nation is the only place I know of where certification and training have

no value or consideration. It makes me wonder why the Band pays for training and education, but have no interest in utilizing the resource. Instead, inexperienced and untrained personnel continue to be hired for positions that require trained and certified people.

I've read in the Echo about a complaint about the temperature inside the high school. Only think I can say about that is that you get what you pay for. This is just a reflection of what happens because of present hiring practices.

I've sent at least 50 lbs. of paper (in memos and letters) asking for employment appropriate to my qualifications. To date, I have not received any type of response, whether it be a memo, letter, phone call or visit. As long as we continue

to be run by idiots, I don't expect one. These people have no courtesy or professionalism.

The labour practices of Sagkeeng First Nation is shameful. I'm of the employees who is owed money for extra time worked as well as for Pension Contributions I paid. The Band is absolutely refusing to pay what they owe. I will not be getting this back unless I seek satisfaction via litigation. My opinion is that this is an outright illegal act.

Of course, and no one is accountable and this is something the Band hopes to get away with.

We, the people can make all kinds of enquiries with the Band and its organizations but we will never receive the courtesy of a response. People operating these organizations don't believe in answering any enquires or concerns. Around here, you get hired on the basis of how the hiring personnel personally feel about you and not by what you know or what you trained for. Personal feelings come first in Sagkeeng, not what's right. So, to those who tried to voice their concerns, you have my full and complete support.

Yours truly,  
William Courchene  
Sagkeeng First Nation

## RM meetings are open and transparent

Dear Editor:

With regard to a letter distributed through the Post Office and the remarks published in the local news paper berating Reeve and Council of the RM of Alexander. As a tax payer and President of two associations in the RM of Alexander I feel compelled to let the rate payers know, how the present Reeve and Council have worked to improve the RM during their present time. The question of transparency of the Council was raised. I feel the Council is very transparent, one only has to attend the Council meetings. While attending these meetings, I was asked if I wanted to sit in on the Public Works meetings on behalf of the Beach Assoc., which I accepted.

The invitation was extended to me also to attend the meetings of the Grand Beach Entertainment Centre. It's too bad that some one would distribute a letter which they didn't have the courage to sign, that totally misrepresented what happened with this project.

(i) Policing: The developer did know last year that the cost of this service was going to be \$42,000, this has nothing to do with Council it is between the Developer and the RCMP.

(ii) The construction of the

turning lanes are between the Developer and the Department of Highways, again nothing to do with Council.

(iii) The wading pool was stopped by the Developer because the Province of Manitoba's regulations were to have a life guard on duty as well as many other costly requirements.

(iv) On October 8, 2002, the Council discussed the road for Mr. Waugh and it was decided that the Developer would provide that road

(v) The agreement between the RM and the Developer has thirty five clauses in it and until every clause has been complied with there will be no festivals.

It was printed in the Winnipeg River Echo on October 16, 2002 that the addressing system for the 911 system has been completed since 2001 and the Council has done nothing to implement it. If the person making these remarks had attended some of the Council meetings, they would have been aware that it was the Province that caused the delay. In closing it should be pointed out the present Reeve and Council have supported ASDA in their efforts to have highway 59 twinned. They the Council are behind with support for a proposed Wellness Centre in the area.

Your truly,  
Ken Young,  
RM Alexander tax payer

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# Amalgamation of Pine Falls and Powerview is not "very complicated"

## Editorial

by Charles Norman

Powerview could have expected better from their candidates. Gord Watson says "Tembec has to be held accountable. Bev Dube says we need more public discussions. Ted Pichor says 7 million dollars is needed and it's a "very complicated" issue.

The deal with Tembec on the merging of Pine Falls

and Powerview is really very simple. All of the information needed for making a proposal to Tembec has been reported in this paper. It is no secret.

First you do not say to Tembec, "sure, we'll take Pine Falls, but it will cost you 7 or 8 million dollars."

A proposal costing that much money would have to go to Tembec's Board of Directors in Montreal. If

they were asked to agree with that sort of deal the discussion around the board table would not be about the proposal at all. The question would be "is Frank Dittori losing his mind? Should we be thinking of finding a replacement?" No one is going to take a deal like that seriously, and it's difficult to understand how Powerview even proposed it.

The Echo has previously reported that consultants

have determined that 8 million dollars will be needed over the next ten years to bring Pine Falls' roads, sewer and water up to standard. (Ted Pichor said 7 million but we'll be generous and stick with 8 million.) Of that between two and three million will be needed to fix up the storm sewer problem. Again we'll be generous and use the high figure, of three million.

Taking the three million out of the equation leaves five million of which perhaps two million does not have to be spent for ten

years, and can be paid for the way any other municipality does, from tax revenue.

So there is only six million dollars left to discuss with Tembec. Three million dollars for the storm drain system and three million for everything else.

But Powerview is eligible for grants of two thirds of the capital cost under the Federal/Provincial Infrastructure Agreement. If Pine Falls and Powerview amalgamate the only costs that Powerview and Tembec need to deal with are one million for the storm sewer system and another million for everything else.

Tembec is under the gun to solve the sewer problem. They are under a Conservation Department order to fix the problem. They *have* to do it. It will either cost them three million on their own or one million with Powerview. The choice is obvious.

Then we come to the other million dollars for everything else. - Here's something that hasn't been reported in The Echo, Pine Falls already has half a million dollars either in the bank or owed by Tembec.

In two and a half years they have collected half a million. They can presumably collect another half a million in the next two and a

half years. By the time the infrastructure grant application is made and approved, and the contracts let, the project will already be paid for.

Powerview can reasonably expect a little more from Tembec in view of the fact that they are being saved two million dollars. They should ask for, and get, a commitment not to appeal their tax assessment for at least ten years, and they should also be asked why they feel it necessary to Pine Falls and Powerview pay for the maintenance of their water treatment plant. For two million dollars Tembec could reasonably be expected to supply water for only the costs of treatment chemicals.

Now the question is, is this in the best interest of Pine Falls and Powerview, as everyone insists it should be?

It certainly is not in the best interest of the People of Pine Falls to have sewage in their basements. (Everyone, through higher insurance premiums will have to cover the cost, only some will have to deal with the sewage.)

\$250,000 a year is being wasted while we wait for Powerview to make a decision. That is not in anybody's interest, except possibly Tembec's.

It is the best deal Powerview can get? That depends on what the RM of Alexander is prepared to offer.

## Election 2002

from front page

erved for four years on Council, has a certificate in business administration and municipal management from Red River College. She said working together is the way to a brighter future for Powerview.

Mike Osis said the fact that more people are running for election this year is an indication that more people want to make Powerview a better place.

Ted Pichor cited economic development as the major issue. He said the council needs to work with Tembec and business people from Pine Falls and Powerview. He said there needs to be cooperation with the RM of Alexander on setting up an industrial park because there is no land available in Powerview. He also said that the community needed an economic development officer.

Both candidates for Reeve of the RM of Alexander were present.

Speaking first, incumbent George Harbottle said the area had a great

diversity and the RM was the fastest growing municipality in the eastern part of the province. He said the RM needs to cooperate with its neighbours for progress. "Without development we have stagnation." He said. He said the RM had given good government during the last four years and he stands by his record.

Doug Neal said there needs to be more transparency in the way the RM operates. He said the Grand Beach Entertainment was begun without any approvals being in place, and that it was proceeded with despite widespread opposition. He said it was approved by what appeared to be an orchestrated vote. However, in later questioning he said that the Grand Beach Entertainment project would probably fit in with the recreational nature of the area.

On a question regarding the possibility of setting up one municipality from Great Falls to Pine Falls almost everyone was in favour, some more enthusiastic than others.

George Harbottle said the communities have to work together but did not see a municipality that would require the break up of the RM. Mike Osis said he is 100% in favour of the idea, but did not expect it to take place any time soon.

The candidates were invited to give their opinion on the amalgamation of Pine Falls and Powerview. Gord Watson said good faith negotiations are needed and Tembec has to be held accountable for the costs of bringing Pine Falls' infrastructure up to standard.

Bev Dube said the main issues are fear of

change and fear of losing control. She said too few people have been involved and with a new term a new beginning is needed with open house workshops.

Mike Osis said too much emphasis has been put on the amalgamation of Pine Falls and Powerview first. He would like to see more attention paid to the larger community.

Ted Pichor said 7 million dollars needs to be spent to bring Pine Falls up to standard and somebody has to be responsible for that. He said it is very complicated but with the right people we can get it done.

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# 2002 Canadian Walleye Championship

from front page

Second place winners were Don Powell and Ray Fawcett on day one they weighed in 20.95 and day two 20.39 for a total weight of 41.34. They won \$6,500 and gold rings. Third place winners were Larry Lovold and Tom Backer on day one they weighed in 22.66 and day two 17.31 for a total weight of 39.97. They won \$4,500 and Original Native Art Prints. Forth place winners were Kent Christianson and Cory Ney on day one they weighed in 20.33 and day two 19.04 for a total weight of 39.37. They won \$3,500 for their efforts. Fifth spot went to Dan Stier and Brain Ney on day one they weighed in 18.88 and day two 19.83 for a total weight of 38.71. They won \$2,500. Sixth place was the team of John Magnusson and Devin Kushniryk on day one they

weighed in 21.91 and day two 16.46 for a total weight of 38.37. They won \$2,000. Seventh spot went to Ted Stewner and Geo Guertin on day one they weighed in 24.13 and day two 13.26 for a total of 37.39. They won \$1,500. Eighth place was the team of Tom Koizumi and Marvin Koizumi on day one they weighed in 13.88 and day two 20.97 for a total weight of 34.85. They received \$1,000. Prizes were given out for spots nine to fifteen.

Top Mixed team prize went to Pauline Vincent and Sylvio Chevrefils, they won a DVD Player and Lodge Package. Thier final weight for two days was 33.99. Top Lund Finish was given to Mark Christianson and Harv Lueck, they each received Lund Jackets. Big fish day one was Gord Neil and Jan Neil they received \$500 and a Plus Finline Jacket. Big fish day two was won by Dan Goulet and Roland Poirier they received \$500 and a Plus Finline Jacket. Calcutta day



Lyle Bauer, CEO of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers (right) weighs in his fish for day one. Total weight for the day was 4.03.

one and day two was won by Alice Bisson and she received two cheques for \$700 a piece. Can-Am Challenge Pot was won by Jim Reitan. Team U.S.A. won by 16.68. Cool under Pressure was won by Rene Dube and Keith

Seidlinger, they advanced 21 places from day one to day two, and they moved from 43rd spot to 22nd. They won a Lund A-12 boat.

The tournament was over all very successful and this year the Pine Falls Legion Dart

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CANADIAN INDEPENDENT

## Hillside Power Products celebrates 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary

by Ian Cyr

It all started 20 years ago in a 2 door garage 100ft from Wolf Kraft's back door. Wolf decided to hang up his electrical tool belt and start his own business WKP Enterprise that was short for Wolf Kraft Polaris. At the time Polaris only made snowmobiles so Wolf had five sleds booked and bought one for his showroom which also had snowmobile suits and accessories in it.

His very first customer was Harold Martin who purchased a 1983 Green Polaris Sport. Some of you sled heads out there would remember that at the time Polaris was on the verge of purchasing Arctic Cat because Arctic Cat was in financial trouble so this sled was suppose to be an Arctic Cat. Harold walked in to Wolf's shop and his exact words were, "That green one will do". Harold wrote the cheque and took her home. Harold also

came back the next year and purchased a bigger sled because the Sport was too small, but we really know he couldn't borrow it from his wife Pat. Wolf presented Harold with an engraved Polaris knife and a cake in appreciation of being the customer that started the business off and running.

In 1990, Wolf moved his business to Traverse Bay Corner where he stayed until the spring of 1994 to his present location Hwy 59 North into Tony Chapels old property. When he first started the business in 1982 he sold 5 units that year and today Hillside Power Products is up to 100 units sold, which includes everything from Polaris snowmobiles, Polaris Watercrafts, Polaris 4 wheeler quads, Mercury Outboard Motors and assorted boats from fishing to leisure craft.

Wolf would like to thank all the customers who have



From Left to Right: Laurie Danvich, Harold Martin, Byron Thomas and Wolf Kraft.

supported him over the past 20 years especially to the local people, without them his business would have not been viable. Wolf would also like to extend appreciation to his loyal staff Lori Danvich of 12 years and

Byron Thomas of 7 years, he has been Wolf's mechanic. Last but not least to his Wife Bunny and 2 girls Heidi and Cassie who put countless hours in so Wolf could go hunting and for the odd sled

ride.

The local snowmobile clubs would also like to congratulate Wolf, Bunny and staff on the 20th Anniversary. Your donations and contributions over the past 20 years have been greatly appreciated

## Blades streak ends at 12

by Jamie Leach

This week was an exciting time for this franchise. The Blades were rated #4 in the country, the highest this club has ever been ranked, and we got to face the 4 time MJHL champions OCN Blizzard here are the Sagkeeng Multiplex Arena.

On Thursday we squared off with the Winnipeg South Blues trying to extend our winning streak. Well our boys decided to take a 58 minute rest that saw the Blues up 2-0. Finally the rest was over and Darcy Weaselhead tied the game with 1 second remaining and then Josh Pawluk won it for us in the 1st minute of overtime. We haven't played too many full 60 minute games this season but to show up for 3 minutes and win a game is quite an accomplishment.

OCN drove into town on Sunday afternoon making this match the biggest in Blades history. It was a game that everyone wanted to see and none

of the 800 fans walked away disappointed in this team. The 4 time MJHL Champs won the game 4-2 but we proved to everyone and most importantly to ourselves that we can compete with anyone in Canada. 3 of their 4 goals resulted in mental mistakes that normally wouldn't occur but this wasn't a normal game. In the 3rd period we outshot the Blizzard 25-8 and couldn't find the net. This was the first time a lot of our players ever played in front of this many people and it can be very overwhelming. The coaching staff, even though we didn't get the result we wanted, was very pleased with the effort and determination showed by our players.

This week we face the Neepawa Natives on Tuesday here at home. On Saturday we finally get to show off our Black jerseys against the St. James Canadians at the Civic Center in Winnipeg and on Sunday at 4:00 pm the

Waywayseecapo Wolverines visit us for the first time this year still looking for their first win of the season.

As always a big thank you to the local business and local community members that support the Blades.



# MJHL Southeast Blades

### MJHL Team Standings

#### Addison Division

	W	L	OL	TL	Pts
Southeast Blades	12	2	0	0	24
Selkirk Steelers	9	3	0	0	18
Wpg. South Blues	8	6	0	2	18
Winkler Flyers	7	8	1	0	15
Winnipeg Saints	3	12	0	0	6
St. James Canadians	0	14	0	0	0

#### Sherwood Division

	W	L	OL	TL	Pts
OCN Blizzard	14	2	0	0	28
Portage Terriers	13	1	1	0	27
Swan Valley	10	3	1	1	22
Dauphin Kings	8	6	1	0	17
Neepawa Natives	7	9	0	1	15
Waywayseecapo	0	16	0	1	1

### Southeast Blades Roster 2002/03

	G	A	Pts	PIM
Justin Wise	7	16	23	18
Colin Tetrault	4	18	22	10
Josh Pawluk	8	12	20	14
Darcy Weaselhead	7	12	19	4
Lady Tresi	8	6	14	68
George Canard	1	8	9	5
Cory Tanguay	4	3	7	35
Kelvin Larocque	3	4	7	30
Joel Boyetchko	2	5	7	19
Jamie Mousseau	2	4	6	60
Damian Saunders	4	1	5	18
Abe Jolly	3	2	5	2
Cory Courchene	3	2	5	35
Joey Ewing	2	3	5	2
Blaine Beaulieu	1	2	3	77
Joe Matuszewski	0	3	3	17
John Borowy	2	0	2	54
Jaymes Pawluk	0	2	2	4
Aaron Cochrane	0	1	1	44
Dustin Tkachyk	0	0	0	0
Craig Lazaruk	0	0	0	0
Patrick Magee	0	0	0	0
Dustin Gangelhoff	0	0	0	6
Guy St. Vincent	0	0	0	4
Nathan McEntee	0	0	0	38

## Southeast Blades vs.

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# The Happy Tots Place

by Kathie Duff

It's not hard to tell it's the fall season with the colder weather, the need for warmer clothing due to the frost and snow. Here at The Happy Tots Place we began the first week of October talking about animals you would find at the Zoo, the sounds they make and what they eat. We did activities including Zoo animals and we made a train and pretended to go for a ride to the Zoo. The second week of October we talked about Thanksgiving, how we celebrate with our families and friends and all the things we are thankful for. October 15-18 we will be talking about the Fall Season the cold weather, warmer clothing and activities completed with Fall Leaves will be the highlight of this week. October 21-31 we will have a scary time preparing for the Ghosts and Goblins during Halloween time. The highlight will be our Halloween Party on October 31, 2002. The children will have a special scary snack and the staff will give out treats and play games and tell some spooky stories.

November 1 we will end

this week by talking and doing activities using Bubbles. It will be an exciting and busy month for us.

I would like to share with you some highlights of an article we received from The Canadian Child Care Federation. The article is called PAT; Provide, Allow, Teach. Parent's role in children's learning.

We often interact with our children in the same way that we were taught. We tend to assume that helping children learn means doing what we remember our parents and teachers did. But early childhood is a time for special learning. It is a time of first experiences and learning how to make connections. Much of the time, our role is not to instruct but to provide opportunities for children to do what comes naturally-learn on their own.

The parent's role in helping children learn is to PAT: by providing opportunities for children to learn with many kids of knowledge forms the foundation of future learning. If we allow our children to learn by letting learning hap-

pen naturally, this will encourage a love of learning and a positive attitude. Teaching by direct instruction and by modelling gives children a model for independent learning.

Provide Learning Opportunities: A child at play is learning. A simple trip to the store can be a stimulating learning environment. A simple leaf can open the door to explore colour, shape, texture, and more imagination. When your child sits on your lap start a conversation with them. By playing and interacting with other children a child's language, social skills and self esteem develops. Bath time can also be a science time where children discover what objects sink and float. This is a great place to explore and it's free and by adding cups, straws, funnels or anything else you might have around the house, your bath can turn into a science lab for your child.

Allow the children to lead: Your most important job is to let your child tell you how he wants to learn and where he or she wants to explore. A short attention span results in

spending a short time on one thing and then moving on to something else. He/she may have no interest in learning what you think is important. A short spurt of your attention, rather than a constant presence, helps your child feel self-confident and trusted. Because learning is a process of trial and error, repetition makes learning for your child easier. Doing things for your child takes away their chance to take risks and to develop a sense of competence. However if your child is frustrated or in a dangerous situation, step in and offer guidance.

Teach the children directly and by modelling: Children learn a great deal from the adults around them. They learn about relationships, behaviour, people, places and things. Children learn when adults teach them directly. Teach by sharing the child's excitement about his explorations. Talk with them and give him the words he needs for what he has discovered. Most of the time, your child's learning takes place through modelling - watching and imitating adults behaviour. A child uses his/her parents and

other important people as a filter to understand the world and his place in it. Provide occasions and environments for your child to learn. Take advantage of opportunities that arise form your child's interest. When your child asks questions he/she is researching the world, you are his encyclopedia. Every question is an opportunity to broaden your child's understanding of his world, guiding him to new ideas and further questions.

I would like to leave you with a poem, which I feel would be appropriate with this article:

Priorities:  
"A hundred years from now it will not matter what my bank account was, the sort of house I lived in, or the kid of car I drove... But the world may be different because I was important in the life of a child."

I will leave you with the Themes for November:  
November 4-8, Safety and Remembrance Day.  
November 11-15, Me, Myself and I.  
November 18-22, Sports.  
November 25-29, Winter.



**Winnipeg River Senior Service**

**Friday, October 25, 1:00 p.m.**

**Saturday, October 26, 9:00am**

**Lot 1, Lamoureux Lane**



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**November 1, 2, 3**

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# Recreation Ramblings

by Suzanne Lussier, Recreation Program Coordinator  
Winnipeg River Recreation District, 345-8816/753-2639  
Email: reccomm@granite.mb.ca

**DeLuca's Cooking Tonight!**  
Do you love Italian food? Would you like to learn how to cook it the DeLuca way? Come watch as Tony DeLuca and crew cook up a storm on Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> from 6:00-9:00 pm at Pinawa Secondary School Home Ec Room. The always animated Tony DeLuca provides excellent cooking tips and secret herbs that will kick your meal up a notch. Call the Rec office at 345 8816 or 753 2639 to register.

**Self Hypnosis for weight loss - Tonight!**  
The secret is a successful weight loss program is not the program itself but the ability to begin the program and stick to it. Even for those who successfully complete the program there can be a high rate

of relapse. Permanent weight loss occurs with a combination of nutritional awareness, long term physical fitness and exercise, changing poor eating habits with healthy ones, and altering emotional ties with eating. For many the habits of overeating or eating poorly are hard to break and the motivation to exercise is difficult to generate and maintain. Self hypnosis can help you achieve these goals naturally. Join instructor Gerry Beirne Mondays, Oct. 21 - Dec. 3 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at LdB Senior School. Contact the rec office at 345 8816 to register.

**Cardio-Kickboxing Location Notice**  
No class on Election Night, Wednesday, Oct. 23. Monday, November 4 - Kickboxing will take place at Centennial

School Gym in LdB due to High School Sports. Wednesday, November 6 class has been moved to Thursday, November 7 due to school sports. With all of those dates in mind... put on your gym clothes, grab a bottle of water and come participate in a great cardio program (Kim is a good teach too - but don't tell her I told you that). In Pinawa at

the Community Centre on Wednesday from 6:15 - 7:15 p.m. and Sunday nights from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. the gym and Lac du Bonnet on Monday nights from 6:00-7:00 p.m. in LdBSS gym. Please contact the Rec. Office for more information. Classes are running now! Drop in fee available.

Mrs. Lucci's Children's Toy Sale and Swap  
Wanna do some Fall clean-up and get rid of some children's toys-sports equipment-clothing? Mark Saturday, November 16 on your calendar AND call Kristin at Mrs.

Lucci's 345 9909 to register a table. It's as simple as that!  
Lac du Bonnet Annual Christmas Craft Sale - The Big One.

Mark Saturday, November 16 on your calendar for the Winnipeg River Recreation District's 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Craft Sale - the biggest one in Town! The sale will take place once again in the Lac du Bonnet Community Centre from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Candles, Baking, xmas ornaments, woodworking, ceramics, household items, carvings...so much more! This is where your Christmas Shopping begins!

## Library Corner Lac du Bonnet Regional Library



It is so good to see our young people reading. The books that are most popular right now are the titles nominated for the Manitoba Young Readers' Choice Award. All young people in grades 5 through 8 who have read or

heard at least 3 of the books on the list can vote for their favourite. There is plenty of time to read all 18 books that have been nominated. The deadline for entries is April 7, 2003. Last year's winner was "The Breadwinner" by Deborah Ellis. She will be presented with the award at a ceremony during I love to Read Month on February 21, 2003. The library has most of the titles on the shelf - kids, look for the display at the back of the library in the Junior/Teen Section! You won't be disappointed.

Thank you to those who have taken the time to complete our short Library Survey Questionnaire. This is a good time of the year to take stock and look ahead to the next

budget year. Are you satisfied with our lending policies, the hours, and the programs and services that we offer? Your suggestions will be given serious consideration.

We have begun to look ahead to November when we celebrate the Canadian Children's Book Week (November 29, 2002). This year's theme is especially appropriate - "Reading is a Family Adventure". Bring the whole family to our special Family night on Tuesday, November 5th from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Enjoy our displays of great Canadian books for kids, enter the book draws, and visit the refreshment table. For the kids we'll also have a storytime, and a scavenger hunt. Please mark your calendar for this event.

# Getting ready for Halloween

It's time to fill our yards with spooky pumpkins and scary creatures and time to find that perfect costume. Parents keep in mind that when your children go trick or treating that there is a lot of traffic. If your child's costume is dark please add a piece of reflective tape to it or send child out with a glow stick or flashlight.

We are getting into the Halloween spirit here at Wings of Power with some spooky decorations, and talk of what

we will be making for our Halloween Bash. We want to remind everyone that our Halloween Bash is from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. for the young and old. Come on over with your fantastic Halloween costume or just join in the fun and have some good times playing games and eating our eerie Halloween food. A reminder to parents about Story and Craft, the rest of October's Story and Craft will focus on Halloween stories and crafts of the spooky varieties.



Story and Craft Schedule  
October 23<sup>rd</sup> - Story - Clifford's First Halloween by Norman Birdwell

Craft - Spooky Spiders  
October 30<sup>th</sup> - Story - Clifford's Halloween by Norman Birdwell

Craft - Carving Pumpkins  
Wings of Power offers playgroup every Tuesday and Thursday in the afternoons. Everyone is welcome to our playgroups. Playgroup is unstructured and provides play time and socializing to those that attend. Our Second Hand Clothing Store and Community Access Site is open every day to everyone. So come over and visit our store or surf the web.

For More detail about any of our events or programs please call Wings of Power at 367-9641.

Up and Coming Events  
October: 17<sup>th</sup> Prenatal Drop In 11:00 - 1:00 p.m.  
22<sup>nd</sup> Postnatal Drop In 11:00 - 1:00 p.m.  
31<sup>st</sup> Prenatal Drop In 11:00 - 1:00 p.m.  
Halloween Bash 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

## Rec Report



by Jay Seymour  
Recreation Director

### Pulse on Participation

**Hockey School:** Last weeks hockey camp was a huge success. The kids worked very hard and also had a lot of fun. The camp would not have been a success without a few key volunteers. Shack Hibbert, Paul Magnon, Trevor Sokoloski, and some members of the Southeast Blades all help a great deal over the week. If the squirts and novice remember anything it will be Shack hollering "both hands on the stick, head up, and keep that darn stick on the ice!"

Look for another camp around Christmas break.  
**Ref clinic:** Lac Du Bonnet will be hosting a ref clinic (date unavailable). Just phone the rec office to sign up. We really need more referee's this year, so please sign up.

**Youth Gym Night:** YGN will be moved from Wednesday's to Thursday's starting this week. It will take place at the same time(7-9) but will not open on Oct 31 due to Halloween.

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## Sagkeeng Anicinabe High School News

This week I would like to introduce our support staff. The school wouldn't be able to function if it wasn't for our dedicated maintenance staff; Dwayne Swampy (Head Maintenance) and Clifford Courchene. With very few supplies to work with they manage to keep the school up and running on a daily basis. Keeping everything under control in the office is Rose Gerrard, without whom the school would be in a state of chaos. The school is kept safe at night by the two night watchmen: Clarence Abraham and William Courchene. Our school librarian is Liz Morisseau. We have five teaching assistants: Jackie Bruyere, Larry Canard, Charlene Courchene, Julia Courchene, and Allan Fontaine. Our home school coordinator/counselor is John Courchene. The janitor is Cecile Boubard along with a ro-

tating substitute. All three Sagkeeng schools share Jay Fontaine as our computer technician.

This year we are not following a six-day week as we have for the past several years. Every day the students follow the same schedule so there are no excuses for forgetting where one is supposed to be! This schedule will not be changed until second semester begins in January 2003. Classes are one hour and twenty minutes long so it is crucial to attend as a lot of work gets covered in that time period. Each course must have 120 hours teaching time to qualify for a full credit so it is very important to be present to receive that credit. We are following a semester system so students can earn a full credit in each of their courses by January 2003 and more credits will be offered from January to June. Exceptions are Physical Education and Ojibwe Language, which are offered all year

long but only in 40-minute classes. Twenty-eight credits are needed to graduate so everyone must work hard to get there.

We don't have enough funds to run a hot lunch program this year but fundraising groups have been offering items such as sandwiches, burgers, Pizza Pops, hot dogs, French fries and chips for sale at noon to raise money for their various causes.

The week of October 28 - November 1 is the school's first visit this year by Dorothy Penner, who has been the Artist in the School for the past several years. Dorothy teaches music (singing, guitar, keyboards, music video production) to interested students. In the past two years the students have produced a CD of original music and two music videos. This year they will be working on a children's musical theatre production called "A sub key ah she ace" (Itsy Bitsy Spider). Those participating must be regular attendees and

## The right moves

### ECHOES FROM THE Heart

One day, many years ago, when I was working as a psychologist at a children's institution in England, an adolescent boy showed up in the waiting room. I went out there where he was walking up and down restlessly.

I showed him into my office and pointed to the chair on the other side of my desk. It was in late autumn, and the lilac bush outside the window had shed all its leaves. "Please sit down," I said.

David wore a black rain coat that was buttoned all the way up to his neck. His face was pale, and he stared at his feet while wringing

his hands nervously. He had lost his father as an infant, and had lived together with his mother and grandfather since. But the year before David turned 13, his grandfather died and his mother was killed in a car accident. Now he was 14 and in family care.

His head teacher had referred him to me. "This boy," he wrote, "is understandably very sad and depressed. He refuses to talk to others and I'm very worried about him. Can you help?"

I looked at David. How could I help him?

There are human tragedies psychology doesn't have the answer to, and which no words can describe. Sometimes the best thing one can do is to listen openly and sympathetically.

The first two times we met, David didn't say a word. He sat hunched up in the chair and only looked up to look at the children's drawings on the wall behind me. As he was about to leave after the second visit, I put my hand on his shoulder. He didn't

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keep up the work in their classes to be eligible to participate in the program. Welcome back Dorothy!

Congratulations to this year's newly elected Junior Chief and Council: Chief Erin Norma Bruyere and Councillors

Anissa Courchene, Tanis Courchene, Isaiah Morrisseau, and Alice Swampy. Good luck in carrying out your duties!

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# The Seven Teachings

by Grade 4F,  
Sagkeeng Anicinabe School  
Because of the large number of bears in our area the students have chosen to write about the teaching Courage, which is carried by the bear.

by Esther Courchene  
Gray Wolf  
To know courage is to be able to say no to drugs or alcohol or anything else that will hurt you.

Courage means don't be afraid to use your Indian name.

If you want to know about courage watch a bear.

Saying no to friends when they ask you to do something bad.

Courage means to be brave and not scared.

by Obe Courchene  
To know courage is to be able to say no to drugs or alcohol or anything else that may hurt you. Courage helps you to do good things. And some people don't have courage. You need some courage to do things on your own. A lot of people have courage, some people don't. Courage is to not be scared to ask for help.

by Karl Guimond  
Courage is to be brave and be able to say no to drugs and say no to smoking and say not to anything that is bad for you to drink. Like beer, poison or anything else that can hurt you or kill you. Don't listen to your friends when they tell you to smoke, drink beer, alcohol, etc. Tell someone that you lied and tell the truth when you lie too. Don't be scared when you walk home in the dark yourself.

Terry Fox is a person with courage and he fought for cancer. He ran to raise money for cancer, even if he was getting sick.

by Adam Courchene  
To know courage is to be able to say no to drugs or alcohol or anything else that may hurt you. To know courage you can say no to bad drugs. To know courage you can say no to bad alcohol drinkers. To know courage you can say not to your friends that they want you to do bad stuff with them. Courage is that you can't smoke or drink alcohol. Alcohol is a bad drink for adults and uncles and aunts. Courage is that you can tell somebody that you care about them. Courage is something that you love. The Creator, Jesus, The Lord, Mary, Joseph and God.

Jacques Pacey  
Courage is to be able to say not to drugs and alcohol, also needles, smoking, and pills. Courage is also to tell the truth and to take risks and also to be brave. Also, courage is to take care of sick people and to care for people and to love the people. And courage is to stand up for what you believe and courage is to also do things on your own. Courage is not to fear anything or anyone. Courage is to face difficult times in a person's life. Courage is to save someone's life without thinking of your own life. Courage is going back to school even though you failed your grade.

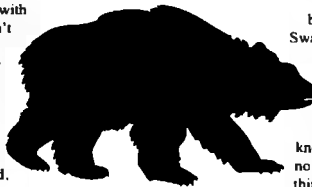
by Soaring Eagle  
Courage means saying no to drugs and tell the truth.

Courage means using your spirit name.

Courage means to be able to say no to drugs or alcohol or anything else that may hurt you.

Courage is the ability to control fear when facing danger or pain.

Bears carry courage. Courage means to not be afraid of anything.



Courage means to tell people about courage.

by Whitewolf, Tara Beaulieu  
To know courage is to say not to drugs. To know courage is to be proud of yourself. To know courage is to not be afraid to tell the truth. To have courage you must be brave. To know courage is to not be afraid to tell some you love them. To have courage you must be wise. To have courage you must not be afraid to use your spirit name. To know courage is to say not to alcohol. To have courage is to not be afraid of your fear. To know courage is to think before you do anything. To have courage is to not let your friend take pills.

by Tyler Guimond

Courage is saying no to drugs and telling the truth.

To know courage is to be able to say no to drugs or alcohol or anything else that may hurt you.

Bears carry courage. To know courage is to love your family.

Courage means using your spirit name.

Courage means the ability to control fear when facing danger or pain.

When you see a bear you are going to learn courage.

To know courage is having guts.

by Chaneylyne Patricia Swampy Courchene

Courage is in a bear's body. Bears have courage because they're not afraid.

Courage is the fourth teaching of the seven teachings. To know courage is to be able to say no to drugs or alcohol or anything else that may hurt you. If you see a bear watch it and you will see that they are not afraid.

by Laura Christy Mai Whitesell

Courage is to be able to say no to drugs, alcohol, pills, smoking. The beautiful bear carries courage. Courage is to be brave to use your Indian name. Courage is not to be scared of your worst fear. If you want to know more about courage so much watch the bears if you see one. Courage is not to be scared to hug people in front of your friends.

Little Buffalo Girl  
Courage is to be brave and not be scared.

Courage is carried by the bear.

Courage is not to be scared of your family.

To know courage is to say no to drugs or alcohol or anything else that may hurt you.

Courage is not to be scared to say no to bad people.

by Standing Black Bear, Dylan Hope

Courage is not being afraid.

Courage is to say not to drugs. Courage is to say not to alcohol.

Courage is to say not to your friends when they get you to do bad things. Courage is to say not when your friends try to get you to smoke. Courage is to say not to swearing. Courage is to be brave. Courage is to not be broke in anybody's home. Courage is to not be mean to animals. Courage is to respect other people. Courage is to respect other things. Courage is to listen. Courage is to be nice. Courage is to not be afraid to sing at the drum.

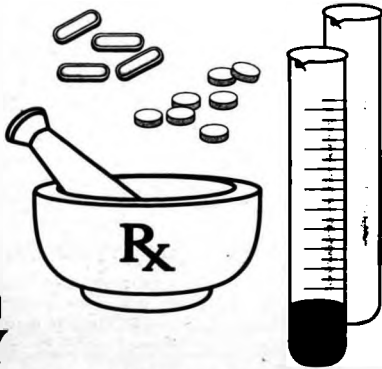
by Keri  
To know about courage is to be brave. You have to be brave when you see a bear. You got to be really brave in the dark. Say not to drugs, alcohol or anything else. Take a risk. Do not take drugs, alcohol or anything else. Courage is in the bear's body. The bear has courage. When you see a bear you will see it's courage. The bear is not scared of people.

by Faith Fontaine  
Courage is to stand up tall and say no to alcohol, drugs, smoking, pills, and drugs if your friends offer to you, say no. Say no to drugs and anything else that hurts you and drugs that can kill you. I carry courage in my heart. It's to be brave and use your Indian name. To be brave in yourself if you're alone. The bear carries courage. Last night I had a dream of bears. The bears carry courage. The bears teach you courage. If you wanna learn about courage watch a bear when you see one.

by Lexie Fontaine  
Bears are brave. You need to have courage to say no to drugs or smoking or drinking beer. Courage could keep people from fire and from car accidents. Courage is to not kill bears. Some people have courage in them and some people don't have courage in them. People who don't have courage in them, kill a whole lot of bears. People who do have courage in them don't kill bears.

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# Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report



**October 10:**  
A report of a number of willow trees apparently being killed by application of a chemical, and damage to garage siding at a location at Big Whiteshell Lake in the Whiteshell Provincial Park.

A report of the theft of a snowmobile and a generator from a location along PR 520 in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

**October 11:**  
A report of a vehicle passing another on PR 313 in the RM of Lac du Bonnet and while doing so, the driver of the vehicle being passed apparently sped up. Police followed up with the driver who was passed, and the subject advised that the other driver was passing where not permitted. Neither driver wanted to proceed to court.

A report of a possibly impaired driver having just left a business in Lac du Bonnet. Police patrolled in an effort to locate the subject, including attending at his residence, however, he was not located.

A report of a vehicle having a tire slashed while parked at a location on 5th Street in Lac du Bonnet.

A report of a suspicious adult male in the vicinity of McArthur Ave. in Lac du Bonnet. Police patrolled, however, the subject was not located, and it was believed that he had

caught a ride on PTH #11.

**October 12:**  
A report of the theft of a 14' aluminium boat and a 17' fibreglass canoe from a location on Belluk Road on the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

A report of an intrusion alarm at a business in Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and found that same was unfounded.

A report of an injury motor vehicle accident involving two vehicles at the corner of PR 313 and 433 in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Investigation revealed that one vehicle was attempting to turn from 313 onto 433 when it was struck by an on coming vehicle. The 63 year old driver of the vehicle which was making the turn subsequently passed away from his injuries.

A report from an inmate of the Milner Ridge Correctional Centre that he had received threats via the telephone from subject in Winnipeg.

Two calls were received regarding burning stubble along PR 317 causing hazardous driving conditions. Determined to be in Beausejour detachments area.

**October 13:**  
A report of an intrusion alarm at a business in the town of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and found same to be a false alarm.

A report of an intrusion alarm at a residence on Johnson Avenue in Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and found same to be a false alarm.

**October 14:**  
A report of subjects in a dark coloured Caravan having thrown a "For Sale" sign onto Oak Street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and removed the sign.

A report of an Intrusion Alarm at a location on McArthur in Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and found that same was a false alarm.

A report of an adult female having been assaulted by another female at a location in the Wendigo Trailer Park in

the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

A report of unidentified youths throwing rocks at the satellite dishes at the corner of Smith Road and PTH #11.

A report of a suspicious vehicle on PR 313 near the Lee River Bridge in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

**October 15:**  
A report of the theft of a 1999 Shorelander Boat Trailer having been stolen from a business in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Took place since the spring of this year.

A report of a single-vehicle motor vehicle accident on PTH #11 near PR 317. Two occupants taken to hospital with non life-threatening injuries.

A report of an adult male going to drive home under the influence from a licensed premises in Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and the subject See LAC DU BONNET/pg 14

## Lac du Bonnet Community Billboard

**Health Concerns?** 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. **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 Aft-noon Group** Thursday 7:30 p.m. Lac du Bonnet District Health Centre, 89 McIntosh. Call Ter 345-8712.

**Lakeshore Aft-Teen 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 McDermot, 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, lifeline 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, Whittemouth 348-3505. Lac du Bonnet, Pine Falls, Victoria Beach, Pinawa, Beausejour, Whittemouth, 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.

## Lac du Bonnet Church Directory

### ABUNDANT LIFE CHAPEL

Pastor Jeff Andrews, church 345-2934, home 345-1958. 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

### NOTRE DAME CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father Richard Macchura, 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 Sawatree 367-8615, church 345-2357

Sunday: 11:30 a.m. - worship; 11:30 a.m. - first and third Sunday of each month, holy eucharist.

# A promise to keep



## Your voice in Ottawa

Vic Toews, MP for Provencher

In 1993 Jean Chretien and the Liberals formed the federal government in Ottawa. The defeat of Brian Mulroney's Conservatives, led by Kim Campbell at the time, was in part caused by a perception among Canadians that the Conservatives had failed to maintain acceptable ethical standards regarding the use of taxpayers' money. One after another, Conservative ministers were caught in situations where public money was used in questionable ways or for questionable purposes.

A key element of the Liberal victory was its promise of good and ethical government. The "Red Book" promised that a Liberal government would appoint an independent ethics counselor. This counselor would examine any allegations of inappropriate behaviour by government ministers and report their findings to Parliament.

The independence of the ethics counselor would be guaranteed by the fact that he or she would be appointed by, and would report to, all of Parliament, not only the Prime Minister. All members of Parliament would have the opportunity to vote on who would

occupy this position. This independence from the Prime Minister would ensure that the counselor could carry out their obligations without concern that their findings might anger the Prime Minister and therefore result in their dismissal.

Unfortunately, the Red Book promise of good and ethical governance has fallen far short of its goal. Minister after Liberal minister, including our Prime Minister and most recently our "top cop", the Solicitor General, has been involved in providing government grants and contracts to political friends. The established rules governing how contracts should be awarded were simply pushed aside. As the Auditor General noted in reviewing the recent Groupaction advertising contracts, the federal government "broke almost every rule in the book" when awarding these contracts.

And where is the independent ethics counselor promised in 1993? To date the Prime Minister and his government have refused to agree to the appointment. In fact, as recently as May of this year, the Liberal majority, including the Prime Minister and his Cabinet Ministers, voted against a

Canadian Alliance motion to appoint an independent ethics counselor. Like the GST promise, this promise was also broken and conveniently buried.

The 1993 Red Book promise to appoint an independent ethics counselor was a good one. It still is. The events of this last year involving the serious abuse of taxpayers' money by government ministers and their political friends confirm the continuing need for an independent ethics counselor to investigate irregularities by Ministers handling the money taken from you in the form of taxes.

If the Prime Minister really wants to leave a legacy that will benefit our democracy and strengthen Parliament's control over the expenditure of taxpayers' money, he should take the necessary steps to fulfill this Red Book promise. Keeping this promise is the right thing to do.

Please feel free to contact my office if you have any concerns or issues you would like to discuss. You may contact me toll free at 1-866-333-1933 or at 204-326-9889 or in Alberta at 204-324-9709 or in Lac du Bonnet at 204-345-9762. You may write me at Box 2470, Steinbach, MB R0A 2A0, by fax at 204-346-9874, by e-mail at [toews.vj@mts.net](mailto:toews.vj@mts.net) or through my web site at [www.victoews.com](http://www.victoews.com).

# Winnipeg River RCMP Report



**October 14:**  
Police were contacted regarding 2 males target practicing in Sunset Beach. Patrols were made through the area but the individuals had left.  
A trailer was vandalized on the South Shore on Fort Alexander. The windows had been smashed. Police are still investigating the incident.  
Culprits broke into through a gym door to the school at Lit-

tle Black River. Electronic equipment was taken and the investigation continues.  
**October 15:**  
A Coca Cola vending machine was stolen from outside Clark's Corner restaurant and gas bar overnight. Police are still investigating.  
Police responded to a Break and Enter of a cottage at Albert Beach. It is unknown at this time what has been taken if anything. Still under investi-

gation.  
Police attended a Break and Enter at Hillside Beach area last week only to discover 3 more in the course of their investigation.  
A male adult was calmed down after police attended a residence for a disturbance call in Powerview. The individual left peacefully.  
Several Traffic accidents were reported involving wildlife. It is that time of the year when the animals are continually moving across roadways. Take care and proceed with caution in heavy wildlife crossing areas.

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**October 16:**  
Police responded to a vehicle fire in Traverse Bay. The incident is suspicious and members are still investigating.  
Police are investigating 2 reported Break and Enters on the South Shore. A residence and business were targeted.  
Culprits took 2 cedar yardage signs from 10th and 11th holes of the Grand Pines Golf Course. Under investigation.  
A Break and Enter occurred at a residence in Pine Falls and several items were stolen. An investigation continues.

dent is still under investigation.  
**October 18:**  
Police were called to an assault at the Birchwood Hotel In Traverse Bay. The incident is still under investigation.  
An assault involving a weapon was also reported from a Fort Alexander residence. Investigation continues in this incident.  
A Break and Enter was reported from a Traverse Bay cottage. Point of entry was a sliding glass door. A VCR was stolen. Still under investigation.  
**October 19:**  
Police removed an intoxicated unwanted guest from a residence. He was lodged until sober & released.  
Police responded to a domestic dispute on Fort Alexander. A male subject was arrested and charged accordingly.  
A motor vehicle hit a Hydro Pole at the Townsite of Fort Alexander. Investigation continues.  
**October 20:**  
Police received and attended a Break and Enter occurred in Traverse Bay to House Trailer & Shed. A VCR was stolen and damage to locks on both buildings.  
An assault was reported on

## Pine Falls Community Billboard

**Fort Alexander Health Centre:** Diabetes Clinic 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 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., what ever Thursday 1:30 p.m.  
**Pine Falls Health Auxiliary:** 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 raffles 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.  
**Badminton:** Pine Falls School gym, Sunday and Wednesday nights 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

**Powerview garbage pickup** every Wednesday, recyclable pickup first and third Thursday of each month.  
**PAAs:** meeting first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.  
**Village of Powerview:** meets second Tuesday of each month.  
**Winnipeg River Senior Service Inc.** Coordinator Tina Polischuk, Pine Falls Health Complex, phone 367-9128, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday to Friday. Services: transportation, home maintenance, foot care, volunteer help, info.  
**Family Care Giver Support Group:** at the United Church, Pine Falls, last Thursday of the month 7:00 p.m.  
**AA & Al-Anon - The Beaches family group,** Thursday 8:00 p.m., Senior Scene, Victoria Beach, 1 Aiesah Road, 756-8018 or 756-2101.  
**Happy Tots Day Care 367-2601,** board meetings last Monday of each month 7:00 p.m. at the daycare.  
**Senior Scene Inc. #1 Aiesah Rd., Victoria Beach:** General meetings second Tuesday of the month, 756-6468 for more info.  
**Mental Health Support Group:** meets second Wednesday of the month 7:00 p.m.  
**Wings of Power office:** Beaches HELP Centre (seniors service) 756-6471, Wednesday 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., Friday 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
**Powerview Parent Advisory Council:** meets first Thursday of every month.  
**Great Falls Hall workers -** Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.  
**Pine Falls Library** open 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday and Thursday.  
**Foster Homes** Open your heart and home to a foster child, foster homes needed in Pine Falls and surrounding area, call Debby at 268-6158.  
**Sunrise Ladies Ensemble:** meets every Thursday from 7:00 to 9:00pm at the Pine Falls United Church.

## Winnipeg River Church Services

**NOTRE DAME D'ILLAUS:** 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.  
**TRINITY 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'S 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 Saglekeng 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) Saglekeng 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 Todd Goudy for information 367-2531.

**October 17:**  
Police attended a residence on the South Shore of Fort Alexander after receiving a call of a spousal assault. The inci-

dent is still under investigation.  
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**October 20:**  
Police received and attended a Break and Enter occurred in Traverse Bay to House Trailer & Shed. A VCR was stolen and damage to locks on both buildings.  
An assault was reported on

the North Shore of Fort Alexander. A suspect was identified but could not be located. Investigation continues into this incident.  
A vehicle was stolen from a residence in Fort Alexander. Police are looking for a 1996 Black Sunfire.  
Several false alarms were reported over the weekend on a business and residences where police attended and all was secure.  
**Summary:**  
Police caution children and adults of 2 stray dogs roaming around Pine Falls, Powerview and the RM of Alexander. The Village of Powerview, The RM of Alexander and the Town of Pine Falls offices have been notified. The dogs are described as a smaller black collie looking dog with a white v on chest. And a larger lab with colouring similar to a Rotweiler. These dogs have been around the area for a while and have been known to chase people.  
Halloween is just around the corner and police are reminding parents to ensure children are visible in costume or plain clothes when walking down the streets for Halloween Apples (Trick or Treating). Let's have a Safe Halloween!!!

# Report from Legislature



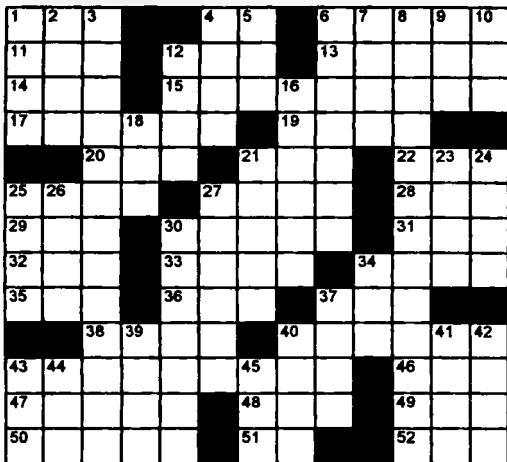
by Gerald Hawranik, M.L.A. Lac du bonnet Constituency

On October 8<sup>th</sup> the Legislature was buzzing with excitement. Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Phillip were about to arrive at the Legislature and 35,000 Manitobans were anxiously waiting on the grounds of the Legislature. One of those Manitobans was Kendra Ulrich, a Grade 11 student from Lac Du Bonnet. I donated my ticket for dinner with the Queen to one Senior School student in the Constituency. Kendra was the lucky recipient of this ticket after her name was drawn from among 6 other Senior School students whose names were submitted to me from their respective school. The dinner was an opportunity of a lifetime - how many people can say that they dined with the Queen. In the meantime, I was in the rotunda of the legislature at a reception hosted by all the M.L.A.s for the Queen. The Queen arrived with Prince Phillip at 8:15 p.m. and I spoke to Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Phillip briefly explain-

ing to them the nature and location of Lac Du Bonnet Constituency as well as the characteristics of those within the Constituency - a generous compassionate, community minded group of people.  
On October 9<sup>th</sup>, Pamela and me attended a Fall Dinner hosted by the Christian Women's Fellowship Association. This is a wonderful event attended by nearly 200 residents of our area. Entertainment was provided by Virginia Ridge, a local group who provided incredible music.  
On October 10<sup>th</sup> Pamela and me attended a fundraising breakfast at Bush Golf Course in Beausejour at 7:30 a.m. The breakfast was hosted to raise funds for the Lac Du Bonnet P.C. Constituency Association. This is just one of the events planned by the P.C. Constituency Association to raise funds to pay for the costs of the next Provincial general election in Manitoba. I anticipate an election next year, in the Spring or in the Fall. Many people ask me "when is the

next election?" I always advise that only the Premier knows for sure when the next election will be called, but my best guess is sometime in 2003. A total of 50 people attended the breakfast and we had a wonderful time. Not only did we receive a delicious breakfast from Bush Golf Course, we also received a tax deductible receipt of \$18.75. The effective cost of this \$25.00 breakfast, considering the tax deductible receipt was only \$11.00. The Association hopes to hold additional fundraising breakfasts in Lac Du Bonnet and Pine Falls/ Powerview within the next couple of months.  
If you have any questions regarding this article, or any other issues or concerns in the Constituency, please feel free to contact me at 268-4664, write to me at P. O. Box 430, Beausejour, Manitoba, R0E 0C0, E-mail me at Gerald@Geraldhawranik.com. Or visit my website at [www.geraldhawranik.com](http://www.geraldhawranik.com).

# WEEKLY CROSSWORD



**ACROSS**

- 1. Native land (obs.)
- 4. Pianist Emanuel \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. Icelandic mountain
- 11. Narrow shoe width
- 12. Architect I.M. \_\_\_\_\_
- 13. Designers perfume
- 14. British handicapped grp.

(abbr.)

- 15. Manners
- 17. English ivy
- 19. \_\_\_\_\_ friendly
- 20. Gab
- 21. Actor \_\_\_\_\_ Waterson
- 22. Carbohydrate (suff.)
- 25. African field

- 27. Flower genus
- 28. Opp. of pos.
- 29. Dentist's org. (abbr.)
- 30. Barbadian
- 31. Airport abbreviation
- 32. Plant amino acid (abbr.)
- 33. Poet translated by Fitzgerald
- 34. Iron \_\_\_\_\_
- 35. Lower limb
- 36. Synthetic rubber (abbr.)
- 37. Petroleum
- 38. Dried baobab leaves
- 40. Her cow down Chicago
- 43. Hasty flight
- 46. African group (inits.)
- 47. Lupin's river (Rus.)
- 48. Actors union (inits.)
- 49. Philippine tree
- 50. Relaxed
- 51. Musician Diddley
- 52. Swedish county

- 4. Luzon native
- 5. Roman dozen
- 6. Wrote "A Shropshire Lad"
- 7. Blade
- 8. Insect repellent (2 wds.)
- 9. Polish weight
- 10. Soul (Fr.)
- 12. Enliven
- 16. Stellar object
- 18. Same (Rx abbr.)
- 21. Soybeans
- 23. Bristle

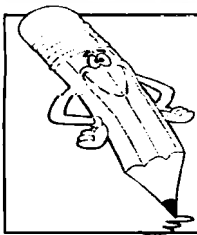
- 24. Mild oath
- 25. South African river
- 26. Slip (into)
- 27. Strict disciplinarian
- 30. Fen (hyph.)
- 34. Business firm (Fr.)
- 37. Olive
- 39. Two in music (2 wds.)
- 40. Margarine
- 41. River
- 42. Chinese dollar
- 43. So (Scot.)
- 44. Long-tailed ape
- 45. Small spot

**LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS**



**DOWN**

- 1. Apiece
- 2. Speed contest
- 3. Spider like insect (Hyph.)



## CRYPTIC PUZZLE

BZCY ZD YWFGQ HQVBY PVJ  
 HVRQ DZG V BZC ZD GZFK  
 LQZLBQ.

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**

**MOST WOMEN WOULD RATHER HAVE BEAUTY THAN BRAINS BECAUSE MOST MEN SEE BETTER THAN THEY THINK.**

## WEEKLY ECHO HOROSCOPE for the week of October 21 to October 27



**ARIES (Mar. 21- April 20)**

Travel and social activity will bring about interesting talks, not to mention contacts. Confusion at an emotional level will cause you to make wrong decisions concerning your personal life. Take care of chores that have been hanging over your head. You should be in business for yourself.



**TAURUS (Apr. 21- may 21)**

Turn your present relationship around or start a new one. Things may not be as they sound. You can have a working relationship with children if you exercise patience and understanding of the dilemmas they face. Your suggestions for fund raising events will be well received.



**GEMINI (May 22-June 21)**

Make changes that will enhance your appearance and entice potential partners. Unpredictable events will disrupt your routine. Sports, physical fitness programs, exercise in general will make you feel better and show some pretty quick results. Travel should be on your agenda.



**CANCER (June 22-July 22)**

Your partner could make you angry if they steal your thunder or embarrass you in front of others. You need more time to think this whole situation through. Business partnerships should turn out to be quite lucrative. Changes regarding family members will set you off.



**LEO (July 23-Aug 22)**

Think twice before you pursue an unrealistic endeavor. You have your own family to consider as well. Go after your professional goals. Pleasure trips will turn out to be better than anticipated. Your honesty will not only win you points but also respect.



**VIRGO (Aug. 23 -Sept. 23)**

Your charm will attract someone special. Don't count on your friends to be loyal when it comes to doing things. Travel and educational pursuits may help alleviate the stress you have been feeling. Go with the flow and don't let the unsettled atmosphere get on your nerves.



**LIBRA (Sept. 24 -Oct. 23)**

Kick your shoes off and relax. Look into family outings or projects. Be discreet and don't present your ideas until you're certain that they're foolproof. You may exaggerate your emotional situation.



**SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)**

You can make excellent purchases this week. Romantic encounters are evident through travel or educational pursuits. You might just as well let others do their own thing. Your interests could lead you down avenues you never realized existed.



**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 -Dec. 21)**

A romantic dinner, followed by a quiet evening with the one who is enticing you, should be most satisfying. Pleasure trips will be most enjoyable if you take them with that special person in your life. Set a limit on the amount you're willing to spend, and be sure to stick to it. You could find yourself left with someone's dirty laundry.



**CAPRICORN (Dec 22- Jan 20)**

Romantic encounters are evident through travel or educational pursuits. Calm down and take a step back. Control your anger. Think twice before you speak.



**AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 -Feb. 19)**

If they're really interested, they'll wait. Make sure to arrange in advance to spend quality time together. You can make amends by taking them somewhere special. Some relatives will be extremely perplexing.



**PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)**

Don't tell others of your plans. Sooner or later your partner will have had enough of the latest argument and make up. You can come into money that you don't necessarily work for. Unpredictable events will disrupt your routine.

# Echo Classifieds

**Apartment for Rent - 2BR** suite for rent, Utilities and parking included, call after 6:00 p.m. 367-4922.

21-1FN

**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.

31-1FN

**Freezer** - Frigidaire, 12 cubic foot upright freezer, one year old, excellent condition. \$400.00, phone Borody after 5:00 p.m. at 367-2656.

22-1A

Gallery of fine art & craft work. Jewelry, Clock, and watch repairs, call 345-9451, Unit 2 - 100 First Street, Lac du Bonnet.

22-1A

**Card of thanks**

We wish to thank Father James Gray who celebrated mass at our 50th Wedding Anniversary. To Ginette Roy for the beautiful singing, to family and friends who joined us in this celebration, thank you. To our children who again excelled in organizing this memorable day, thank you. Madeleine & Robert Guay



**Happy 50th Birthday Brother!**

Love your sister,  
Sharon

**Country Cottage Business Opportunity**



42 seat family restaurant and ice cream parlor. Miniature golf and arcade. Close to beach and store. High pedestrian traffic on busy thoroughfare. Lots of parking and staff quarters. \$175,000.00.

**Carolan & Company Real Estate Services**  
204-756-3967 or  
page Jim at 204-932-0585

**VILLAGE OF POWERVIEW 2002 ELECTION**

NOTICE is hereby given that a vote of the Electors of the Village of Powerview will be taken to elect a MAYOR from the following duly nominated candidates:

CYR, Ian  
OSTROWSKI, Henry  
WATSON, Gord

AND FURTHER NOTICE is hereby given that a vote of the Electors of the Village of Powerview will be taken to elect FOUR COUNCILLORS from the following duly nominated candidates:

BRUNEAU, Michelle  
DUBE, Beverly  
GELINAS, Dan  
MORRISSEAU, Marvyn  
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DATED at Powerview, in the Province of Manitoba, this 3rd day of October, 2002.

J.M. Thevenot  
Returning Officer

**Sunrise School Division**

**POSITION:** Garage Mechanic

**CURRENT LOCATION:** Beausejour Bus Garage.

**JOB SUMMARY:** Under the supervision of the Transportation Supervisor and Shop Foreman, maintains all school vehicles in a safe mechanical condition.

**DUTIES:**

- Perform routine scheduled and unscheduled vehicle maintenance as may be required in accordance with regulations.
- Maintains tools and equipment in good working condition.
- To be available for and attends to service calls as required.
- Assists in maintaining inventory of parts, oil and lubricants.
- Maintains garage facility.
- Attends training as required.
- Be familiar with the equipment of the W.H.M.I.S. regulations.
- Performs all other related duties as required.

**TIME EMPLOYED:** Full-time basis, twelve months/year, eight hours a day (as directed)

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** As soon as can be arranged.

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Education and Training:**
  - Grade 10 or equivalent.
  - Valid Power Mechanics Certification required.
- Be familiar with the requirements of the W.H.M.I.S. regulations.
- Provincial Transport Truck/Bus Mechanic Certificate (Provincial Requirement)

**Prior Experience:**

Three (3) years experience preferred.  
**SALARY:** \$2,727.18-\$2,840.68 monthly.

Interested candidates must apply in writing with resume of related qualifications, experience and skills to: Assistant Superintendent - Human Resources, Box 1206, Beausejour, MB R0E 0C0, on or before 3:00p.m. Thursday, October 24, 2002.

\*If the successful applicant does not have this certificate, they must be able to obtain it within six months of employment.

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- Monday, Oct. 28** Soup, meat loaf, wild rice, carrots, date square.

**Thank you....**

A special thank you is extended to Shack Hibbert, Trevor Sokolowski, and the Southeast Blades for helping with our hockey camp. Thank you also to the Manitow Lodge for the great food.

Jay Seymour,  
PRA Committee

**RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ALEXANDER PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING NOTICE REGIONAL WATER & SEWER PROJECT**

Council of the R.M. of Alexander wish to advise that a Public Information Meeting will be held on Wednesday, **November 6, 2002, from the hours of 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** at the Great Falls Hall in order to discuss and present information to the Public regarding a proposed regional water and sewer installation project which will involve the installation of a regional water & sewage system encompassing the area from Great Falls & the Chevrefils District up to the boundary of the Village of Powerview.

Council for the Municipality, various Provincial Finance and Water Services personnel and the engineering firm retained by the Municipality to oversee this project will also be in attendance and will be able to provide ratepayers with specific information concerning all aspects of the project and the applicable costs involved.

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Interested candidates can forward their resume to Gerakline Dandeneau, c/o Wings of Power, Box 66, Pine Falls, MB R0E 1M0 or call 367-8855 for further information. Closing date for receiving applications is Friday, November 1, 2001.

## The right moves

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shrink back, but he didn't look at me either.

"Come back next week, if you like," I said. I hesitated a bit. Then I said, "I know it hurts."

He came, and I suggested we play a game of chess. He nodded. After that we played chess every Wednesday afternoon - in complete silence and without making any eye contact. It's not easy to cheat in chess, but I admit that I made sure David won once or twice.

Usually, he arrived earlier than agreed, took the chessboard and pieces from the shelf and began setting them up before I even got a chance to sit down. It seemed as if he enjoyed my company. But why did he never look at me?

"Perhaps he simply needs someone to share his pain with," I thought. "Perhaps he senses that I respect his suffering." One afternoon in late winter, David took off his rain coat and put it on the back of the chair. While he was setting up the chess pieces, his face seemed more alive and his motions more lively.

Some months later, when the lilacs blossomed outside, I sat staring at David's head, while he was bent over the chessboard. I thought about how little we know about therapy - about the mysterious process associated with healing. Suddenly, he looked up at me.

"It's your turn," he said. After that day, David started talking. He got friends in school and joined a bicycle club. He wrote to me a few times ("I'm biking with some friends and I feel great"); letters about how he would try to get into university. After some time, the letters stopped. Now he had really started to live his own life.

Maybe I gave David something. At least I learned a lot from him. I learned how time makes it possible to overcome what seems to be an insuperable pain. I learned to be there for people who need me. And David showed me how one - without any words - can reach out to another person. All it takes is a hug, a shoulder to cry on, a friendly touch, a sympathetic nature - and an ear that listens.

## Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report



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in question made arrangements for a ride home.

A report of a motor vehicle accident on PTH 11 in the RM of Lac du Bonnet just south of PR 317. Police attended and found that there were no injuries, and the accident was due to slippery road conditions.

A report of a break and en-

ter to a cottage at Brereton Lake in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Stolen items included a cordless telephone, a 36" TV, and a satellite receiver.

October 16:

A report of a small brown and white dog having been found.

A report from the Lac du Bonnet Senior School of an adult male trespassing illegally on the premises. The subject in question was located at a different location and told not to be on the property.

A report of a vehicle speeding and going through a stop sign at Pinawa.

October 17:

A report of a window having been broken on the rear of

the Pinawa Elementary School.

A report of an under age female having been assaulted by another under age female in Lac du Bonnet.

A report from the Gausdin Point area of the RM of Lac du Bonnet of a deceased adult male having been found in a vehicle. Investigation revealed that the subject appeared to have passed away from a self inflicted injury.

A report of an intrusion alarm at a business in Lac du Bonnet. Found to be secure.

A report of a vehicle having passed another on the Winnipeg River Bridge on PR 313.

A black and red BMX bike was found at a residence on Cedar in Lac du Bonnet.

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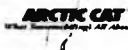
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