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## Results of Beach Events — 1963

The Kiddies' Beach events of July 20, 1963 were favoured with ideal beach weather as was evidenced by a record turnout of over 200 children.

Following are the results:

GIRLS	SUN TAN CONTEST	BOYS
4 & under — 1. Kim Hill. 2. Tara Little.	4 & under — 1. David Hill. 2. George Harrison.	4 & under — 1. David Hill. 2. George Harrison.
5 & 6 — 1. Jennifer Harris. 2. Marcy Pollock.	5 & 6 — 1. Joel MacFarlane. 2. John Harrison.	5 & 6 — 1. Joel MacFarlane. 2. John Harrison.
7 & 8 — 1. Andrea Little. 2. Pamela Swystun.	7 & 8 — 1. Doug McMillan. 2. Mickey Pollock.	7 & 8 — 1. Doug McMillan. 2. Mickey Pollock.
<b>SAND CASTLE CONTEST</b>		
4 & under — 1. Ruth McMorris. 2. Barbara Mann.	4 & under — 1. John Wylie. 2. James Mann.	4 & under — 1. John Wylie. 2. James Mann.
5 & 6 — 1. Susan Robinson. 2. Evelyn McMorris.	5 & 6 — 1. Gregory Shenton. 2. Jimmy Hartman.	5 & 6 — 1. Gregory Shenton. 2. Jimmy Hartman.
7 & 8 — 1. Paula Dangerfield. 2. Patricia Thorlakson.	7 & 8 — 1. Bruce Guest. 2. Brett Schumacher.	7 & 8 — 1. Bruce Guest. 2. Brett Schumacher.
9 & 10 — 1. Kim Glenn. 2. Myra Mason.	9 & 10 — 1. Peter Robinson. 2. Drew Williams.	9 & 10 — 1. Peter Robinson. 2. Drew Williams.
<b>SWIMMING CONTEST</b>		
8 & under — 1. Paula Dangerfield. 2. Gwyneth Thomas.	8 & under — 1. John Ishister. 2. Ted Tindall.	8 & under — 1. John Ishister. 2. Ted Tindall.
9 & 10 — Carol Guest. 2. Marion Carmichael.	9 & 10 — 1. Jamie Grant. 2. David Gartrell.	9 & 10 — 1. Jamie Grant. 2. David Gartrell.
11 & 12 — 1. Jennifer Campbell. 2. Gail Conklin.	11 & 12 — 1. Bruce Boyd. 2. Andy Wiswell.	11 & 12 — 1. Bruce Boyd. 2. Andy Wiswell.
<b>UNDERWATER SWIM CONTEST</b>		
1. Gail Conklin. 2. Joyce Wylie.	1. Andy Wiswell — Bruce Boyd — Tie.	1. Andy Wiswell — Bruce Boyd — Tie.
<b>FRECKLE CONTEST</b>		
1. Susan Jones. 2. Cheryl MacFarlane. 3. Lynn Murray.	1. Ken Sarson. 2. Tom Rathwell. 3. Lorry Muldrew.	1. Ken Sarson. 2. Tom Rathwell. 3. Lorry Muldrew.

### LARGEST FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. R. MacFarlane — Robert, Billy, Cheryl, Ross, Janet, Joel.

A Freckle Contest was held for the first time — (see record for winners).

The committee for the Annual Beach Event wish to thank all those who helped to make this day a success:

Mrs. Allan Moore, Mrs. Norm Hill, Mrs. Richard Quinton, Mrs. Peter Sudermann, Mrs. Jim Dangusfield, Mrs. Irene Booth, Mrs. Nestor Swystun, Mrs. Michael McCraig, Mrs. Bill Mann, Mr. Dave Guest, Janet Carmichael, Barbara Guest, Dianne Horne, Betty Muldrew, Andrea Guest, Ken Tully.

A special thanks to Mr. Nestor Swystun who so ably announced the events and to Mrs. Gordon Tully who was on hand bright and early to see us through the morning's activities.

Chocolate bars were enjoyed by all the children.

Mrs. Arnold Little.



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19. Boys Sack Race — 5 & under. — 20. Girls Sack Race — 5 & under. — 21. Boys Sack Race — 6-7. — 22. Girls Sack Race — 6-7. — 23. Boys Sack Race — 8-9. — 24. Girls Sack Race — 8-9. — 25. Boys Sack Race — 10-11. — 26. Girls Sack Race — 10-11. — 27. Boys Sack Race — 12-13. — 28. Girls Sack Race — 12-13. — 29. Boys Sack Race — 14 & over. — 30. Girls Sack Race — 14 & over.

Wheel Barrow Race Combined —  
Boys and Girls — Girls up — Boys down.

31. — 6 & under. — 32. — 7-8. — 33. — 9-10. — 34. — 11-12. — 35. — 13-14. — 36. — 15 & over.

37. Boys Slow Bike Race — All Ages.

38. Girls Slow Bike Race. All Ages.

39. Father and Son Three Legged Race.

40. Mother and Daughter Three Legged Race.

41. Boys Broad Jump — 9-10-11. — 42. Boys Broad Jump — 12-13-14. — 43. Boys Broad Jump — 15 & over.

44. Boys High Jump — 9-10-11. — 45. Boys High Jump — 12-13-14. — 46. Boys High Jump — 15 & over. — 47. Girls Ball Throw — 8-9-10. 48. Girls Ball Throw — 11-12. — 49. Girls Ball Throw — 13-14. — 50. Girls Ball Throw — 15 & over. — 51. One Mile Run — Open.

**TEEN-AGE MASQUERADE**

There weren't too many in costume, but there was a good crowd with plenty of dancing at the Teen Masquerade. Our Friday and Saturday Teen dances this year have been better attended than for the last couple of years. Keep coming. You know that it takes a big gang to make a good dance. I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Teen-agers for their co-operation and good behaviour in the hall during dances.

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**BEACH PEOPLE CONTINUED —**

Mrs. Dorothy Torbiak, and her infant son Mark are visiting at Allendale, 312-4th Ave. with her mother Mrs. T. E. Seeback for the month of July.

Mrs. Torbiak has spent last year with her husband at Arctic Red River in the Arctic Circle, 50 miles south of Inurik. Mr. Torbiak teaches school in this community of about 100 people, and his wife tells us that they have experienced temperatures ranging from 58 below to 50 above, in this hilly, heavily treed area.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson, of Ottawa, with Jennifer and Christopher are spending July at 315 Second Ave.

Mrs. A. M. Carruther has been spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. C. S. Galusha, 319-5th Ave.

Mr. Ignacy Polta and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Galusha were recent guests of Mrs. C. Galusha and Dorothy.

N.B. — Does any one know the whereabouts of the Membership Board, which normally is located outside Hugh Stewart's store? Mrs. Arnold Little is most anxious to see this Board returned — no questions will be asked.

(Pretty poor show — prankster, GDB.)

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**TIMES HAVE CHANGED**

The Victoria Beach Club's budget for 1963 appears at left. It grows larger each year, as more services are supplied, and more enjoyment provided, for the cottagers. All officers of the club serve on a voluntary basis, and contribute a great deal of time and effort to make sure that the operations run smoothly.

Our support comes of course, from membership fees provided by our residents. This has nothing to do with municipal taxes, or services, and is collected on a voluntary basis. Unfortunately, everyone enjoying the benefits of the club's programme does not contribute to its cost.

We endeavour to make this easy to do, through the coupon in the Herald, and the box at Hugh Stewart's store, as well as through a membership table at sporting events. If you, the reader, have already taken out a membership subscription — we thank you. If you have not done so, will you please help us to keep your holidays enjoyable.

It is interesting to refer to the 1941 Herald and see just what was provided, and what fees were requested then. An ad tells the story. Twenty-two years ago the fees were \$4.00 per family for the season. But tennis memberships were extra — \$5.00 per season, to be exact. Swimming lessons, our most popular service, and our most costly, were not provided at all. We think you will agree that nowhere else in the province is such a programme provided at such a modest fee.

Incidentally, this Herald, which you are now reading, is another benefit of your membership.

LET'S ALL DO OUR PART AND KEEP OUR CLUB STRONG.

**PROPOSED BUDGET 1963 SEASON**

Receipts:	1963	1962
Membership Dues	\$1,500.00	\$1,425.00
Movie Show (net)	1,100.00	1,238.11
Receipts from Dances	375.00	411.00
Municipal Donation	200.00	200.00
Rental and Bond Interest	140.00	147.07
Receipts from Bingo	150.00	150.59
	\$3,465.00	\$3,571.77

**Disbursements:**

Recreational Director	\$ 750.00	\$ 700.00
Supplementary Director	150.00	150.00
Swimming Instructors and Expenses	850.00	914.24
Repairs, Maintenance—Clubhouse	250.00	130.19
Insurance	125.00	123.38
Tennis Courts	350.00	348.28
Sports Equipment—Replacements, etc.	220.00	240.10
Stationery, Printing and Postage	250.00	185.90
Prizes, Trophies, etc.	150.00	189.40
Dance Orchestra	155.00	155.00
Miscellaneous and General Expenses—		
Power	50.00	
Garden Club	50.00	
General	63.00	
Miscellaneous	16.63	175.00
Annual Meeting	100.00	85.31
Bank and Safekeeping Charges	15.00	13.80
	\$3,640.00	\$3,430.38

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July 28th

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### The Whitefish Family

by George Heffelfinger

The names used by ichthyologists to identify their fishes has been a source of great confusion to me in the nearly 20 years that I have read of and studied fish as an interested amateur. The use of Latin scientific names is not nearly so confusing as it may seem at first glance but trouble arises when these names vary so greatly from one publication to the next and from one year to the next. Apparently each serious student of the subject likes to retain his own individuality and point of view in describing the subject of his particular scientific pursuit. A convention of ichthyologists must be sheer bedlam. I can only imagine the ruffled feeling blown up by the storm of two different points of view being raised on the naming of a species or sub-species of fish.

Of all the confusion that exists in the classification and naming of fish none seems to be so great as in the group which includes the whitefish and their near relatives. In the four books I use as reference texts the only point on which the authors agree is that whitefish, tulibee and cisco all fall into the general family Coregonidae!

In all fairness it should be stated that there is still a great deal of study yet to be done on this great family of fresh water food fishes. In many cases the biologist has not even been able to penetrate into our Northern wilderness to make as complete an investigation as will be necessary to clear up the many questions yet to be answered. Keeler and Kooymann have said in their supplement to *The Fishes of Manitoba*, "The number of species of ciscoes occurring in Manitoba and their correct scientific names are at present under study. The difficulty in their classification arises in that many characters used for identification vary with age and growth rate of the fish and probably the environmental condition in which it lives".

In this particular area, the whitefish family divides itself naturally into two parts. I will save the whitefish itself for subsequent treatment and devote the rest of this

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article to its smaller relative the cisco or tulibee as it is more frequently called by local fishermen. Certain species in this group are sometimes called herring or lake herring but bear no family relationship to the oceanic herring.

Generally speaking, like the whitefish, the tulibee is more or less silvery in colour and in addition to a normal dorsal fin on the back they have a second smaller dorsal fin called an adipose fin behind. They have a small mouth either lacking in teeth or having very small ones. You won't catch tulibee at the Victoria Beach jetty but you will often see dead tulibee floating on the water or washed up on the beach. They will be instantly identifiable by their silver colour and deeply forked tail.

Tulibee are extremely important in Lake Winnipeg where they travel in great schools. Like other members of the family, they spawn in the fall of the year, broadcast their eggs on the bottom where they hatch over the course of the winter. No parental care is given to the young.

Probably the most important role played by tulibee is in the food chain as forage for larger more rapacious species, such as pickerel, sauger, pike, muskie and lake trout (however, lake trout are not normally found in Lake Winnipeg). The tulibee themselves have a weak mouth and feed on plankton, aquatic larvae and insects and occasionally minnows.

Certain varieties of tulibee are important in themselves from a commercial point of view particularly when smoked. Regrettably, some tulibee are heavily infected with the larvae stage of a tapeworm which encysts in the flesh and while not infectious to man has a rather unpleasant appearance. Infected fish are normally excluded from the market. Tulibee is occasionally smoked, dyed and sold as goldeye. The cautious buyer can easily detect this deception by the fact that tulibee has the adipose fin and lacks teeth which is not the case with goldeye.

NOTE: Weekend before last I saw the real beginning of the fishly (more properly the Mayfly) season. Lake Winnipeg produces an immense crop of these insects each year. They blanketed foliage and the walls of cottages, untold millions hovered just over the tree-tops at dusk and great windrows of adults and larval skins were thrown up on our benches in the high winds of Fri. and Sat. July 13 and 14. While mayfly create a temporary annoyance to the camper, they are, of course, immensely important to the production of fish in our lakes. Most of our fish, and particularly sturgeon and members of the whitefish family live on aquatic mayfly larvae during much of the year. The appearance of mayfly adults and the reduction of mosquito population this year is entirely a coincidence. The mayfly does not feed upon mosquitoes, in fact, the adult mayfly does not feed at all. Their only purpose in life is to mate and deposit the eggs of next year's crop on the surface of the water. While the adult mayfly lives only a few days the aquatic larvae crawls over the bottom for a year growing larger with each successive molt and being eaten by fish in countless numbers.

(Next week: A Northern Pioneer — The Whitefish.)

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### MORE SWIMMING GRADUATES

The first testing session was held July 13th with a large number of swimmers passing and advancing to higher stages.

The following beginners passed: Kimberly Tooth, Kathryn Cummings, Peggy Butler, Averie Hill, Pamela McKinnon, Gary Hargman, Ronald Braun, Jennifer Braun, Robbie Jackson, Roberta Dunka, Jack Alexander, Jim Alexander, Douglas Alexander, Phyllis Tully, Chris Brandy, John Stafford, Sandra Harpman, Bruce Langford, Susan Grant, Patrick Grace.

The Juniors that passed are: Clifton Trainer, Barbara Jackson, Brian Jackson, Winfried Wachsmann, Ken Fletcher, Michael Grace, Eric David, Allan Hill, Bruce Hill, Donovan Dales, David Smith, Chris Juzda, Jimmy Allott, Lorna Scott.

The following intermediates are now Seniors: Totten Heffelfinger, Park Heffelfinger, Korrine Horn, Nina Hooper, Shaun Jones, Susan Gee, Colleen Johnson, Jean Boshko, David Kilvert, Carol Guest, Ian Kerr, John Neal, Patricia Reeve, Elizabeth Anderson, Jennifer Cox, Jeff Moon, Kerry Williams, Doug Harvey, Tommy Rathwell, Doug Muir, Tammy Scott, Cheryl McFarlane, Donna Froom, Janice Young.

These Seniors passed their test: Neil Moore, Andrea Guest, Ron Hooper, Nancy O'Brien, Susan Brayshaw.

The next set of tests will be held Friday, July 28th. On Saturday, July 27th, the above swimmers and the ones who pass on the 28th will receive their awards. The swimmers and their parents will meet at the clubhouse in the morning, where the awards will be given and where examiner Pat Little will show some special Red Cross films.

On Tuesday, July 30, at 4:00 the three swimming instructors will give demonstrations of mouth-to-mouth respiration. This demonstration will be performed for those who are interested to be able to apply this life-saving technique on the three main beaches — Patricia, Alexander, King Edward. Posters will be put up to remind people just prior to the demonstration.

Jane Harvey

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### THANKS FROM THE LADIES' AUXILIARY

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Victoria Beach would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who contributed so generously to our annual summer sale of Sewing and Homebaking.

The response to the sale was a success, realizing the total amount of \$327.00.

Proceeds of this sale will be used to cover expenses at the church, and making any necessary contributions within the community as the need may arise.

Prizes were won by the following:

Fish Cakes — Saren Warner — Toronto, Ont.  
Cakes — Mrs. William Sinclair — Victoria Beach.  
Quill — Mrs. E. DeFehr — Winnipeg.  
Pillow Cases — Mr. John Anderson — Victoria Beach.  
Tea Cloth — Mrs. G. C. Siler — Winnipeg.  
Pillow — Mrs. Freida Johnson — Victoria Beach.  
Picture — Donna Mac Anderson — Victoria Beach.  
Rug — Mrs. B. Dawson — Victoria Beach.

May we take this opportunity to thank the executive of the community club for so kindly relinquishing the club house.

Sincerely,

The Secretary-Treasurer for the Ladies' Auxiliary at Victoria Beach.

### TEEN AGE MASQUERADE PRIZES

#### GIRLS

Original

1st. — Lynne Taylor and Judy Glen.

Girls' Comic

1st. — Dorothy Fife. 2nd. — Gail Taylor.

Fancy

1st. — Sharon and Signi Thorsteinson.

Masquerade Judges

Mrs. W. D. Smith, Pat Cowan, Barry Place.

Live Winners

Pat Cowan and Alex Petchkin.

Twist Winners

Sharon Thorsteinson, Allan Cundel.

### Now About That Eclipse . . .

Never have so many cardboard boxes been over so many people's heads, never have so many developed negatives been held up to eyes, never have so many ingenious gadgets been used, as were seen on the beaches on July 26. While we did not all get a perfect view of the moon passing across the sun that day, the light cloud screen probably saved sore eyes for many intrepid viewers. Fortunately most of us saw about an 88% eclipse, and had a lot of fun doing it. Also we saw a lot of our friends which is always a good way to spend an afternoon.

### FIRE SIREN TEST ON SUNDAY

Reeve Gibson informs us that the municipal fire siren will be tested Sunday, July 28 at noon. This is only a test to determine the distance at which the sound can be heard, so no one need be alarmed.

This test may be repeated at the same time on succeeding Sundays.

**BEACH PEOPLE CONTINUED —**

Mr. and Mrs. R. Baldock, Gregory and Christine are at 407-5th for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Daley and Janet are spending the summer at 407-5th.

Mr. and Mrs. "Joseph" Lukuvka and their daughters Christina, Evelyn and Susan are spending 6 weeks on Pine Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Saunders are at 341-3rd for July with Kirk, Laura, Michael and Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Russell, Robyn, Ray and Barry are spending the summer at 425 Sunset.

Mr. and Mrs. John Innis, Wendy, Moira and Aven are enjoying their new cottage at 215-8th. Mrs. H. Penner is their guest for 2 weeks.

The J. A. Lyon family at 335-5th had as their guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Chemago of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Lyon.

Mrs. A. McDonald of Winnipeg is visiting her family, the O'Briens at 317 Sunset.

Miss Linda Benningen and Miss Helen McGregor spent the weekend with the Benningens at 304-5th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Graham are here for the season with Jim and Bob with Mrs. Phenix at 405-4th.

Mrs. D. R. Young and family are visiting from Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler are here for the season at 169 Victoria Boulevard. Fred Jr. joins the family for weekends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Nicholas and son David were recent vacationers here.

Mrs. J. W. Beech and Mary are now at 113 Sunset after a 3 month overseas trip.

Mr. Peter Curry, Mark and Cathy were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Vincent.

Twelve Wolf Cubs from the 67th St. Aidan's Anglican "Moostooz" Wolf Cub Pack, under the leadership of their Cubmaster Mr. Geo. Heron and Asst. Cubmaster, Mr. Bob Masterman, attended the Community Church at the clubhouse, last Sunday morning. They camped for the weekend at their Cubmaster's cottage, 339 Fourth Ave.

Joy McDiarmid spent the weekend with her grandmother Mrs. Harry Little. Mrs. J. Patterson and her daughter, Mrs. Kay Thompson also were visitors of Mrs. Harry Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vadeboncoeur and their 5 boys, Ray, Rod, Roy, Richard and Gerard are spending July at 107 Sunset with Dr. McNeil. Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Simpson were their guests last Wednesday.

**FISH FLIES — PHOOEY!**

These insects — properly called mayflies — may be wonderful food for fish in their early stages, but they certainly are pests as soon as they fly. This year every cottage swept thousands of them off screens and gables and literally picked them out of his hair. The last, and most odoriferous part of their cycle is seen on our beaches where millions of their carcasses pollute the sand and the air. Why these were not raked up and burned or buried by our municipal employees I do not know. They have certainly had time enough to see and recognize this blight on beach enjoyment. As at last weekend the only action was voluntary, and by a swarm of little youngsters organized by Art Fletcher, and armed with rakes. This is not good enough. If the beaches are not properly kept up the whole focal point of the summer season is being neglected for less essential things.

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