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## Boaters Beware



### Swollen Winnipeg River filled with debris

By Jim Hampshire

Not that the weather has been good for boating, but RCMP are warning boaters to exercise extreme caution when navigating the Winnipeg River just the same.

RCMP members were called out on Saturday this past weekend to aid a boater in distress. During the operation, Staff Sergeant Mel Mitchell of the Lac du Bonnet detachment reports that attending officers commented on the increase of floating debris in the river system, but its mostly what you don't see that causes the greatest dangers.

"Two of our detachment members assisted in a distress call and both were quite alarmed about the debris coming down the river," Mitchell noted. "But you also have to remember that some of the bigger logs often lurk a little below the surface and that poses the greatest dangers."

Mitchell also notes that Cst. Tara Lotz had an opportunity to experience the rapid water flow through the Whiteshell firsthand over the weekend, and based on her reports, novice boaters in the area are advised to stay off the water altogether.

"In all likelihood, inexperienced boaters would find themselves in trouble almost immediately based on flow reports in the Whiteshell," Mitchell cautioned. "According to Cst. Lotz, there was a terrible rip coming down the river in between the lakes."

Recent high water levels, combined with strong currents have resulted in rapid bank erosion, adding to the debris problem in the river system. Since early May, river levels have risen from below normal, to near record levels at more than four feet above normal in some areas of the Whiteshell. As a result, some docks along the Winnipeg River have disappeared completely under the high water levels, or have been swept away due to the high currents throughout the Whiteshell. Water levels monitored at Nutimik Lake show the Winnipeg River is approaching the record flow rate recorded in the summer of 2002, creating a dangerous situation for boaters in the area.

Closer to home, Blue Water Aviation say they are frustrated with hydro flow policies, where situations are so severe, the aviation company can't even use the docks.

"Our docks were submerged under eight inches of water last week and now we've heard that conditions could get worse as more water is expected to be dumped in the coming days," Ed Gaffray said this week.

To help curb the dock problem, the Gaffray brothers built a new top on the main loading dock in front their Silver Falls business location, but with more rain in the forecast, their efforts might not hold water.

"I'm not sure why, but it has only been a problem for us over the last four or five years," Gaffray said. "We've been



High water level and strong currents along the Winnipeg River add to the debris problem

here since 1972 and we've never once been flooded out like this."

Gaffray wonders aloud whether hydro is purposely

holding back too much water in the event of another drought, only to have to make sudden spills due to the heavy rainfall totals of late.

"It's a dismal situation for us any way you look at it," he summed up. "They should definitely review their water management policies."

## Community merger open house

An agreement has been reached in principle on the merger of the communities of Powerview and Pine Falls.

Community members have been invited to attend a Community Open House to be held at the Pine Falls School gymnasium on Thursday June 17th, at 7:00 pm.

A presentation will be made to community members that will touch base on

the key issues of the merger. Topics to be discussed will be the Effect of Taxes, the Effects on Infrastructure, the Effects of Governance, the Effects on Municipal Services, and the Effects on long term planning and participation. Community residents will also receive articles of the merger agreement. Residents are encouraged to attend this merger information session, and get your questions answered, there will be representatives from the Unification

Committee, Tembec Industries, Government of Manitoba and RLB Consulting. There will be a vote on June 22, 2004, for all property owners and residents to cast a ballot to agree whether the merger will proceed. A list of electors has been prepared for each community, to verify if your name is on the list contact either the Village of Powerview or the Townsite Office in Pine Falls.



## Happy Father's Day!

The Echo wishes all Dad's a special and fun filled Father's Day!





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## Farm issues relevant to federal election

Dear Editor,  
Should farmers vote in the upcoming Federal election? Some pundits and journalists are saying that there just aren't any important agricultural issues out there, that farmers now realize that nothing can be done, and that farmers have given up trying to make a difference.

**Bull.**  
It's easy to find important issues that make a real difference to a farmer's bottom line, and it's just as easy to find real differences in the way political parties would deal with each issue.

To keep this letter concise, I will pick only three issues of direct financial importance to Canadian farmers:

1. Beef packer gouging. At the end of the last session of Parliament, the Agriculture committee found two huge U.S.-based beef packers to be in contempt of Parliament for

not opening their books up to forensic auditors. Two of the three major parties voted to hold the beef packers accountable to the people of Canada, the other party wanted no such accountability which will help the gouging continue.

2. Farmer-owned hopper cars. Farmers have worked hard to enter into negotiations with the Federal government in order to own and operate the hopper car fleet. Ownership would give farmers another meaningful stake in the grain trade. Two out of the three major parties seem very supportive.

3. The Canadian Wheat Board. The "integrated North American market" for cattle has cost Canadian farmers billions since the U.S. border closure. Wheat and barley farmers are lucky that the CWB actively seeks out markets all over the world, so that one trade barrier does not bring the grain industry to a grinding halt.

Two of three major parties are supportive of the CWB and of farmers' right to choose their marketing system. The other major political party is opening saying that it will kill the CWB's effectiveness regardless of the wishes of farmers.

These issues, and others like them, are profoundly important to the financial health of Canadian farmers. There are real differences in the approaches of the political parties, and it is time well-spent for farmers to seek out the party that will represent their views.

When you have found the party that will give you more power and say in how the system works, please take the time to vote. With changes in the financing of political parties, and possibly a close Federal election this time around, your vote is important.

Sincerely,  
Stewart Wells  
President,  
National Farmers Union

## Pine Falls Muay Thai Hosts Canada Day Fights

The Pine Falls Muay Thai Club will be hosting a huge fight card July 3rd in Lac du Bonnet. The card will feature Boxing, Kickboxing, Muay Thai, and Mixed Martial Arts fights including local amateur and professional fighters. Four fighters from the Pine Falls Club have been training hard for the event: Erika "TNT" Head, Roger Lusty, Richard Cure, and Neil "The Real Deal" Boulette. There are 12 bouts in total scheduled for the fight card, including fighters from across Manitoba, Alberta, and British Columbia. One feature attraction is Jade Irwin (#1 ranked Canadian at 135lbs), Dawson Creek B.C. against Oralee Molberg (#1 ranked Canadian at 140lbs), Brandon, MB. These top Canadian female fighters will be fighting 5 rounds for Western Canadian Title.

Three professional matches are also lined up for July 3rd card. A professional boxing match between Darren Kenny

(Edmonton) and Mario Miranda (Columbia). Miranda who now resides in Winnipeg is the former Intercontinental Champ, NABF Champ, Latin Americas Champ, and Columbia National Champ. Miranda is out to prove he still has it, as he was a contender (top 10) for a decade (1980's). The second professional bout of the evening features Canadian MMA Champ (165lbs) Jason St. Louis against "Manitoba's Most Violent Man", AKA Mad Dog. This Muay Thai match should be entertaining as both fighters have been around the fight game for awhile. St. Louis definitely has the better record, but only has a couple Muay Thai matches. Mad Dog is a street thug who has learnt how to fight the hard way. Despite the lack of training the Dog has been getting better and is on a two fight winning streak, which includes a win #3 Canadian boxer Peter O'Kane.

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# D-Day 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

## International Ceremony Juno Beach, Normandy France

submitted by Donavan Fontaine

D-Day was a military campaign like no other. This was an event in which approximately 156,000 allied troops (American, British, and Canadian) landed on the shores of Normandy to liberate France from Germany. It was code named "Operation Overlord". They landed in the early morning on five beaches code named Utah, Omaha, Gold, Sword and Juno. Thousands of troops landed the subsequent days. Among these brave soldiers was Mr. Lawrence Morrisseau who was part of the Service Core 4<sup>th</sup> division as a Dispatch Rider. The service core was known as the "right-leg" of the army and it served a vital role. Mr. Morrisseau was only 17 years old at the time and had only been in the army for two years having enlisted at 15 years of age.

Many lives were lost that fateful day including over 6,000 US casualties, 340 Canadians dead, 574 wounded and 47 captured including Henry Fontaine of Sagkeeng. In a town near Juno Beach there is a street named "Fontaine-Henry" whether it was named after Sagkeeng's own

Mr. Henry Fontaine is unclear.

This past June 6<sup>th</sup> 2004 Mr. Morrisseau was once again on the shores of Normandy at Juno Beach for the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations. The federal government through the Department of Veteran Affairs (DVA) organized a delegation of veterans to attend this international ceremony. Among this group were 7 aboriginal veterans from across Canada including Lawrence Morrisseau who was chosen to represent Manitoba. More importantly, he represented Sagkeeng and all the other veterans who have since passed on. I was delighted when he called me to be his escort.

On June 1<sup>st</sup> we flew to Montreal and had a 6 hour stop over then flew another 6.5 hours to London Heathrow. We rented a vehicle and I drove from town to town throughout England. We visited downtown London and seen "Big Ben" and the traditional "Double-Decker Red Buses". Driving on the left side of the road was challenging and having the steering wheel on the right side was a test. I was confused to say the least. However, I had precious cargo with me (the veterans) so my eyes were

fixed on the road constantly. I was reminded by Mr. Morrisseau that he used to drive 3 ton trucks on those roads 60 years earlier and the roads were narrower then. This only added to the pressure. Eventually we arrived at Portsmouth, England and took a 6 hour ferry ride across the English Channel to Ouisterham, France.

The following day the Canadian Embassy picked up Lawrence and me and took us to the Deauville-Barrier Hotel where we stayed with Prime Minister Paul Martin and his staff. This was an elegant hotel with a famous history. Many stars and famous people stayed there including Al Pacino, Antonio Banderas, Kim Basinger and Tom Hanks to name a few. We were treated to an exquisite dinner later that evening. The Prime Minister and his staff treated the veterans with first class and utmost respect. They were in good care the entire time.

We had an early start the next morning as it was June 6<sup>th</sup> one of the most important days in modern history. We were escorted to the Juno Beach Centre in Courseulles-sur-Mer for the Canadian National Ceremony of



Honourary Veterans and invited guests were joined by the Prime Minister, Paul Martin on board flight CAF 001

Remembrance in the presence of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, His Royal Highness Prince Phillip, Governor General Adrienne Clarkson, Prime Minister Paul Martin & Mrs. Martin. Wreaths were laid at the cenotaph and speeches were made. Of particular interest was a wreath laid by Mr. Morrisseau's Aboriginal comrade Mr. Howard Anderson who laid a wreath in honour of six Cree "code talkers" from Saskatchewan. Lawrence was interviewed by countless media from France, England and Canada's own CBC.

We were then escorted by motorcade to Beny-sur-Mer to visit the

Canadian War Cemetery. This was one of the most impressive cemeteries I have seen. It is well kept and groomed and had an

abundance of beautiful flowers. I was amazed, considering this was on foreign soil and yet in our

See D-DAY/page 7

## Sagkeeng Jr. High Science Fair

We are pleased to share that the 1st annual Science Fair at the Sagkeeng Jr. High that was held on June 02/04 and was quite a successful. We were pleased with the turnout of parents and guests. The judges of the event were Denise Swampy, Debra Henderson, both high school science teachers and Carol Fontaine the community health nurse. The accurate and complete? Creative Ability- (How unique or original is the project idea? Is it significant or unusual for a child this age?) And Understanding- (Does it explain what the students learned about the topic?) The rating was then totaled on each project then verified who the winners of the Science Fair were. There were two categories of winners Level 3 and grade 4-8. We would like to congratulate the following. Level 3 category- 1st place Delbet Courchene (Buoyancy), 2nd place Molery Courchene (Capillary Action), 3rd place Steven Keeper (The Cat and the Current). Honorable mention going out to Corrine Crow (Bubbles). Grade 4-8, 1st place Shaylene Guimond (Lung Capacity), 2nd place Tia and Gage Alexander (Smoking), 3rd place Karl Guimond (Matter). Honorable Mention to Natalie Courchene/ Kaitlyn Sinclair (Pitch/Sound) & Pipoon Fontaine/ Nicole Guimond (Snakes).



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<p><b>June 21st, 2004</b>      <b>Beauséjour, Sun Gro Centre</b> <b>June 24th, 2004</b>      <b>Seymourville, Recreation Centre</b></p>	<p><b>June 21st, 2004 - Beauséjour NEHA AGM</b></p> <p>Barbeque Supper 6:00pm Meeting 7:00pm</p> <p>Speakers <b>Award Winning Long Term Care Program</b> Lorraine Dent, Director of Long Term Care and Team</p> <p><b>"Healthy Living - What does it mean?"</b> Dale Kornelson, Clinical Dietitian and Bonne Stefansson, Wellness Facilitator</p>
<p><b>June 24th, 2004 - Seymourville NEHA AGM &amp; Celebration of our Aboriginal Employment Partnership Agreement</b></p> <p>Barbeque Supper 5:30pm Meeting 6:30pm</p> <p>Featuring <b>Signing Ceremony - Aboriginal Employment Partnership Agreement</b></p> <p>Speakers <b>"Healthy Living - What does it mean?"</b> Dale Kornelson, Clinical Dietitian and Bonne Stefansson, Wellness Facilitator</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>We look forward to seeing you at one of the meetings.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Everyone Welcome</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>"Working together towards a healthy North Eastman"</b></p>

# Vic Toews is Riding the Wave

## Incumbent MP Encouraged by Polls

By Jim Hampshire

If you were to ask most political observers, the question isn't whether or not incumbent MP Vic Toews will retain his seat in Provencher for the new Conservative Party. The real question is: will Toews be a high profile cabinet minister in the next Federal Government?

According to the most recent polls, the New Conservatives have a slight lead over the Liberal Party heading into the third week of June and that has some political pundits speculating that changes are imminent at Parliament Hill. And considering that Toews currently carries the title of Justice Critic in Ottawa, further speculation says the future looks bright for the senior government official.

"Let's not get carried away," Toews smiled as he dismissed the rumours over the weekend. "I have to admit I am encouraged by the rapid turn of events in the polls, but we still have an election to win and my attention is strictly focussed on Provencher."

Toews was in Lac du Bonnet last Sunday to take part in the local Legion's Decoration Day ceremonies, and by the public response he received, Toews shouldn't be so quick to dismiss rumours.

"Traditionally, the conservatives have carried a lot of support from Western Provinces," Toews explained. "And right now our party has a leader that many Westerners can connect with."

Toews points to the conservative election platform as the main reason for the rapid shift in the popularity polls, where Conservative leader Stephen Harper has his sights set directly on the current gun laws.

"Bill C-68 is finished if we get elected," Toews stated. "There's no question about it. That was a 2-billion dollar blunder by the Liberal Government and it amounted to nothing but a lot red tape and wasted paperwork."

Toews says the conservatives will likely keep the Firearms Acquisition Certificate (FAC) requirements in place for new gun owners, but he is adamant that Bill C-68 is a fiasco the Canadian public can do without.

"What we intend to do is take the money spent in the administration of C-68 and put it to work in other areas," he noted. "We need to look at new child laws and expanding the sex offender registry, for instance."



Federal MP Vic Toews (left center) was in Lac du Bonnet over the weekend to salute veterans at the Legion's annual Decoration Day ceremonies

Currently, Bill C-12 is a political hot potato in parliament, where Toews says the Liberal Government is wavering on raising the age of consent from 14 to 16 years of age.

"Right now it's possible for someone to get away with sexual misconduct involving a child of 12 years old," he said. "All you have to prove is you thought the child was 14 years old, and even that's too young as far as our party is concerned."

Toews also touched on transfer payments made by the Federal Government to the provinces, regarding roads and infrastructure. According to Toews, the Conservative plat-

form calls for an overhaul that would involve municipalities, as well as provincial governments.

"We would like to see more money going to the municipalities, but without the province taking anything away," Toews said. "Often you see a provincial government cut back on spending in an area that's received federal funds and there's no reason to penalize a municipality that applies and receives Federal funds for improvements."

As for his future as a leading cabinet minister in any new conservative government, he said he would embrace the opportunity to administer programs, rather than taking on the job as Justice Minister.

"Believe me, there are plenty of lawyers in Ottawa better suited than I am," Toews laughed. "I have a few years of government experience under my belt but it's ultimately

up to Stephen Harper when the time comes and I'm confident he will make the right decisions."

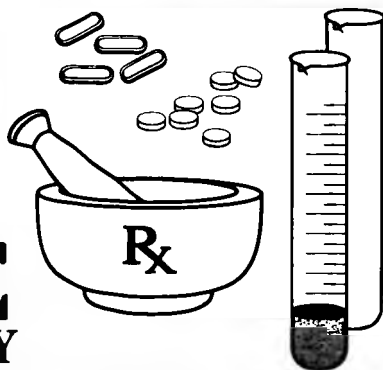
And while admitting he did not initially support Stephen Harper in his bid to become the Conservative leader, Toews has nothing but good things to say about the strides Harper has made to reunite the Conservative Party.

"I fully supported Grant Hill in the leader's race because I knew Grant was passionate about reuniting the party," he said. "But after the work that Stephen has done, I have no doubt we have the right man in place going into this election."

Before entering the Federal arena, Toews was the Conservative MLA from Rossmere under the Gary Filmon Government, where he held two portfolios as the Minister of Labour and the Minister of Justice.

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**The Merger Vote** will be held on June 22, 2004, 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**Advance Poll:** Monday, June 21, 2004, 5:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
The regular and advanced polls will be located in the Pine Falls Townsite office for Pine Falls electorate and in the Village of Powerview Municipal Office for the Powerview electorate.

Information about the meeting and agreement will be placed in the local papers and also distributed to both communities prior to the Meeting on June 17.

# Clouds darken Decoration Day in Lac du Bonnet

## Weather doesn't deter vets and dignitaries as Legion holds annual parade

By Jim Hampshire

Damn the tornadoes was the battle cry on Sunday afternoon when members of the Lac du Bonnet Legion gathered in parade formation under threatening skies on the annual march to the local cenotaph for Decoration Day ceremonies.



George Peterson from the Hong Kong Veterans Association presents a plaque to Legion President Norm Rimmer, listing the names of local soldiers killed during the Battle of Hong Kong

"We really didn't know what to expect regarding the weather or what the conditions would be like at mid day," Lac du Bonnet Legion President Norm Rimmer said prior to the ceremonies. "We have to consider the groups that have to make the trip to take part in the ceremonies and our first call was to the Winnipeg Police Pipe Band."

Because of the threatening skies, Rimmer said it would be understandable if the pipe band might reconsider making the trip pending a possible last minute parade cancellation, but in true military fashion, the band played on.

"They wouldn't entertain the possibility of a cancellation," Rimmer laughed. "They said they were coming and they were bringing their rain gear if needed, and that is true dedication."

As it turned out, dark clouds and the unseasonably cold conditions were all the parade members had to contend with

as more than 100 participants fell into formation in front of the Legion for the 1:00 o'clock scheduled start.

Members of the RCMP were on hand to escort the eight colour parties and invited dignitaries through the streets of Lac du Bonnet en route to the cenotaph, where two dozen wreaths were laid in memory of those who lost their lives while serving with the Canadian armed forces over the last decade. Invited dignitaries included Federal MP Vic Toews, MLA Gerald Hawranik, as well as Lac du Bonnet Mayor Paul Chapman and Reeve Don Halbert, who all laid wreaths on behalf of their electorate.

In an impressive show of support, 54 cadets from the Beausejour Air Cadet Squadron also made the march down Third Street to the Park Avenue cenotaph with a military precision that drew comments from many spectators and participants alike. In a speech following the ceremonies, Mayor Paul Chapman paid tribute to



RCMP lead the Lac du Bonnet Legion on parade this past Sunday during the annual Decoration Day ceremonies

the cadet squadron, as well another important parade participant.

"It was truly wonderful to see the cadet members come out in support while representing the youth of our country," he told the nearly 200 members and guests who gathered at the Legion following the parade. "And personally, I'd like to see the Winnipeg Police Pipe Band tune up for another trip around town if they're so inclined."

During the post-parade presentations at the Legion, President Norm Rimmer was visibly emotional when he accepted a plaque bearing the names of six Lac du Bonnet area residents who lost their lives during the Battle of Hong Kong.

"In all, 1,980 Canadians fought in the Battle of Hong Kong in 1941, and 550 soldiers didn't come home," Hong Kong Veterans' Association President George Peterson said when presenting the plaque. "And of those 550, six

soldiers were from the Lac du Bonnet area."

The presentation banquet also included a home cooked dinner for 170, which was carefully prepared by the Lac du Bonnet Ladies' Auxiliary. As always, the afternoon feast garnered much applause for the modest kitchen crew - some of whom, took part in the parade before donning apron and oven mitts for dinner duty.

Decoration Day ceremonies are observed by most Legions across Canada during the month of June, when Legion members parade to cenotaphs or local war memorials to pay tribute and decorate the monuments with wreaths. This year, six Legions and Veteran Associations made the trip to Lac du Bonnet to take part in the ceremonies, including Colour Parties from Patricia Pats Canadian Light Infantry, Sir Sam Steele, The Korean Veterans Association, The Hong Kong Veterans Association, and the Canadian Peacekeepers Association.

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## Powerview School High School sports news

It has been a busy spring for the athletes of Ecole Powerview School, participating in Lacrosse, Dragon Boat, and Track and Field. Powerview entered for the first time into the Manitoba High School Lacrosse league this year. The turnout of students was phenomenal. The boys and Shawn Siddall would travel to Winnipeg six times during the regular season. They would also play Sagkeeng twice, once in Sagkeeng and once in Powerview. The team finished 2nd after the regular season, but were steadily improving. The

team would compete at the provincials June 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup>, at Assiniboine Park in Winnipeg. Friday night the boys beat the Pas 14-1. On Saturday Powerview defeated Tec Voc 5-1, and rolled over Gordon Bell 10-0. On Sunday Powerview would meet Sagkeeng in the semi-final game. It was very close early on, but the Powerview boys and girl pulled out a 9-5 victory. Powerview would face Grant Park in the gold medal game, a team they lost to and tied in the regular season. It was a defensive battle early on. The bounces didn't

go Powerview's way and the boys were down a goal for the first time in Provincials. The team was unable to regain momentum and was handed an upsetting 6-3 loss in the gold medal game.

Congratulations to the whole team, you played well. Bouquets to the defense team of Mitch Berthelette, Daniel Bonekamp, and Andrew Bonekamp, who were the glue that held the team together. They will be missed next year, as they are all graduating. Big congratulations also to Mychal Bruyere who led in scoring at

the Provincials.

Another new sport at Powerview School this year was Dragon Boat racing. A group of 19 students from Powerview School practiced a couple times in our community before heading to the big competition in Winnipeg. The team had a rocky start their first race as the boat had a hard time going straight. However, in the second race the Powerview Team finished 2<sup>nd</sup> place, 1 sec

behind Churchill who would go on to win the whole competition. A good effort by all students' potential to win it all next year!

The Powerview Track Team competed in Beausejour May 27<sup>th</sup>; three athletes went on to the rural Provincials in Brandon. Alex Carello competed in long jump, Cassandra Flannagan in 100m, 200m, and long jump, and Mario Dupont in 400m and 800m. Both Mario and Cassandra qualified in Brandon and will be representing Powerview School at the Provincials at the University of Manitoba on June 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>.

## Manitoba Youth Job Centre

**Flower Frenzy reminder**  
The Odd Job Squad and The Yellow Door present the annual Canada Day Flower Frenzy. Brighten up your ~~hometown~~ ~~community~~ else's day with a bouquet of red and white carnations for only \$5. The deadline to order is **Friday, June 18<sup>th</sup>**. Flowers will be delivered on Friday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>. Call 345-6916 to place your order.

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**Education**  
Find out what kind of prior knowledge you need to bring to the job. For many jobs, post-secondary education is a requirement, which means choosing the right courses in high school to make sure you'll be accepted. Other jobs will

give you all the training you need after you've been hired.

**Experience**  
It's often those three words you don't want to hear: previous experience required. How are you supposed to get experience when all the jobs in a certain field require previous experience? Volunteer! Helping out at community events or businesses is a great way to pick up some job-related skills.

**Transferable Skills**  
Even your hobbies and interests can help you get a job. Everything you do has some hidden skills to it. Listening to the radio, playing sports, doing chores around the home, shopping, hanging out with friends and playing video games all involve important skills. Your favourite school subjects and extra curricular activities can also tell employers what tasks you enjoy. Play some games at <http://www.tgmag.ca/byws/> to determine your skills!

**Resume**  
These two pieces of paper might be all that the employer knows about you. Sound scary? The Manitoba Youth Job Centre can sit down with you and help you design your resume, or you can take home

a template and do it yourself.

**The Interview**  
Arrive early, dress appropriately and be honest. Plan ahead at home by brainstorming some questions you might be asked and decide how you want to answer them. Do a little background research on the company so that you can ask an appropriate question about them.

For more information on any of these topics, or to register with the Manitoba Youth Job Centre as a student or employer, call me at 345-6916, e-mail me at [brent\\_myjc@hotmail.com](mailto:brent_myjc@hotmail.com) or stop by the office, 40 Park Ave. (New Directions School), Lac du Bonnet. My regular office hours are weekdays, 8am-4pm. Check us out! Your dream job might be closer than you think.

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Saturday June 19 @ Memory Lane in Pine Falls

\*Call the Rec Office or Memory Lane to register  
\*Summer Camps and Activities scheduled for July & August, brochures sent home through the schools.

Registration Nights for the Summer Programs will be held: June 15 & 16

Powerview Arena @6:00pm - 8:30pm

\*Call the Recreation Office for more information or drop by on Registration Nights.

Tennis in Pine Falls is a common and a great sport, the court is looking great thanks to volunteers in the community, the only problem is the game can't be played when it's full of skateboard equipment. Skateboarders please remove your equipment to a better location, the court will get damaged and then there will be nothing for tennis or skateboarders. If anyone is interested in forming a "Skateboard Committee" call the rec office because these issues are important and have to be examined.

Winners for the Bar-B-Q Delight Pool Fundraisers are  
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# Quilts bring welcome cash

By Jim Hampshire

A small quilting club has quietly spun fabric into gold - so much sew that they were able to donate welcome dollars to three organizations over the weekend.

Lac du Bonnet Riverside Quilters is a group of approximately 20 ladies who share a unique talent combining art and quilting, and over the years, the group has donated, sold and raffled their wares while raising money in the process. So far this year the group was able raise \$1,150, which was divided last Sunday between the Lac du Bonnet Foodbank, the Lions Club Fireworks display, and

the new skateboard park, still under development.

Group spokeswoman, Terry Fisher, says the Riverside Quilters find comfort out of offering people comfort, often on the occasion there is real need.

"The idea was to turn a hobby into ways to raise money for local charities and it grew from there," Fisher said earlier this week. "But besides raising money through sales and raffles, we donate some beautiful

works to people who have endured misfortune."

Over the last year, the Riverside Quilters have donated quilts to two families, who suffered terrible losses due to house fires, and Fisher reports that two brand new quilting works are pegged for the Personal Care Home in Lac du Bonnet.

The group is currently preparing for a Canada Day exhibit at the Lac du Bonnet Curling Club, which will feature 100 quilts created over the last two years.

"We were at the curling club on Canada Day two years ago and we had a wonderful response," Fisher noted. "We really wish we could turn it into an annual event but it takes a couple of years to produce enough inventory."

During the upcoming Canada Day exhibit, Fisher notes that a special section will be set aside, displaying the work of longtime member Kay Buckborko, who passed away over the last year.

The Canada Day display begins at 10:00am and runs through to 5:00pm in the cool comfort of the curling club, located in Lac du Bonnet community centre.



Rita Lansard (2nd left) of the Riverside Quilters presents a donation cheque of \$450 to Eva Lussier (2nd right), accepting on behalf of the Lac du Bonnet food bank. \$500 to Mariette Evans(left) of the Skateboard Park committee. \$200 to Lions member Rollie Simard for their annual fireworks display

## Pine Falls Tumblers



Earlier this spring Pine Falls Tumblers' gymnasts Thomas Wood and Faron Abdilla cleaned up at the Provincial Regional Gymnastics Competition. Pictured here are the boys and their coach Lorette Sunstrom. Thomas won the Gold cup, first in the province and Faron won the Bronze Cup, third in the province. On June 18th they will be honoured for their accomplishments at an awards dinner hosted by the Manitoba Gymnastics Association.

## D-Day 60th Anniversary

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own community we fail to give the same respect to our veterans.

The motorcade rides were impressive and included many vans, limos and many police cars and motor bikes. I had never seen so much security in my life there was literally hundreds of French Police and army troops everywhere. An additional 2,500 police and army troops had to be called in for the event. There were helicopters all over the sky, soldiers with machine guns all over and every road had armed guards and patrol. Throughout the motorcade ride hundreds of peo-

ple in the many small towns applauded the Canadian motorcade as we went by. The French people's gratitude for the veterans was immense. The people are forever grateful for D-Day and the allied troops who liberated them from four years of German occupation and siege. Living in Canada we often take for granted the freedom we have. The allied soldiers and veterans were treated as heroes and liberators of France and Europe. Without them we can only fathom what the world would be like today. We have much to be thankful for and somehow giving thanks once every November seems to be an injustice to the veterans. They are symbols of courage, devotion, honour, duty, nobility and supreme selflessness.

After the cemetery visit we attended the main event of the day at Arromanches-les-Bains for the International Ceremony of Celebration. There has never been an event so big in France's history since the actual D-Day itself in 1944. This event was televised throughout the world. Many world dignitaries and Heads of State were in attendance including: Queen Elizabeth II, Queen Beatrix of Holland, King Harald of Norway, President Vladimir Putin of Russia, US President George W. Bush, President of France Jacques Chirac and Prime Minister Paul Martin to name a few. These individuals were a mere stones throw from where Lawrence and I were seated. After an emotional and eloquent speech by President Chirac an audio/video presentation on huge screens was shown. It was an epic presentation on the rise of Hitler and Nazism in 1933 to the landing of the allied soldiers by sea, land and air in the morning of June 6<sup>th</sup> 1944. It also showed the horrors, ruins and tears of

war. It ended by showing the aftermath of victory and celebration. Jubilant crowds in many cities and towns enthusiastically expressed and displayed a regained freedom. This presentation left many veterans in tears including Prime Minister Martin's father-in-law who is also a veteran.

It was an incredible experience that no Hollywood movie (e.g. Saving Private Ryan) can ever capture or compare. I was honoured to be seated with real veterans, real soldiers and real heroes with real tears, scars, memories and sadness. Like them, I too was emotional and profoundly affected. The true significance of the sacrifices, bravery and contributions the soldiers made hit home as never before. For many veterans this would be their last trip to Normandy. In their own way I sense that they had come to say goodbye.

They often express in France "You have our gratitude and respect forever" I can now appreciate this more than ever and I also better understand the "Unknown Soldier" more clearly. I am thankful for what Lawrence and others have done for the quality of life I have today. Dying for freedom is not the worst that can happen, being forgotten is. Mr Morrisseau has my utmost respect and I will be forever grateful for the once in a lifetime opportunity he bestowed upon me. I will not forget.

After the ceremony we were escorted by motorcade to Evreux-Fauville to board the Prime Ministers plane on flight CAF 001. The PM's aircraft is similar to the US President's Air force one plane. It had all the amenities included. We took several pictures with Prime Minister Martin and we safely arrived home on June 7<sup>th</sup>.

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# You can't be serious



by Jim Hampshire

## Planning a summer vacation? Think again.

Now that the school year is almost over, literally thousands of parents will soon be seen packing the kids into the mini van and hitting the highway - often with their fists because they're wrought with frustration as they're spending their hard-earned vacation time driving across the country in a jammed-packed mini van with their two children who would rather spend summer hanging out at a city Mac's store.

Just the same, the family vacation is one of the great Canadian traditions, by the way. One that has been handed down from generation to generation, from father to son and from mother to daughter. In fact this tradition dates back many centuries to the era of Christopher Columbus, who was actually on vacation when he discovered America.

Mrs. Columbus: "Admit it Chris, we're lost again."

Mr. Columbus: "Put away the map Mildred, I know exactly where I am! I'm sure France is just over the the next wave!"

Of course we all know that, like many vacationers, the Columbus family was lost and eventually ended up in New Jersey, where they had an awful time because there weren't any hotels in New Jersey in 1492.

Since the Columbus era, many families have longed to travel and take in the many sights on the continent. Even the early pioneers packed up the buckboard and rambled off across the open prairie, probably in search of something other than open prairie.

Pioneer son: "Is that the Grand Canyon, paw?"

Pioneer dad: "No son. That's the creek at the edge of our farm. We won't be anywhere near the Grand Canyon until next February."

Okay the buckboards were a little slow but the gas mileage was better. Actually it wasn't until the invention of the automobile that people began making long distance excursions. As it turned out the first automobiles weren't much faster than the buckboard but they were more cramped and confined, making summer vacation travel the fun-filled adventure it has become today. Which brings us back to the beginning of the story where thousands of Canadians can be seen hitting the road. This time with their foreheads as their mini van sits parked along the side of the highway while the kids wrestle in the backseat

because little Billy poured his soda over little Sarah's head. And lord knows you've tried to occupy the little scamps during the last three hundred miles but even the simplest games become annoying after fourteen hours of driving.

Mother: "I spy with my little eye, something that is blue."

Daughter: "I know! The throbbing blood vessels in daddy's forehead!"

Luckily there are several important landmarks along the way, that might help amuse the children for at least a few seconds. Naturally your first instinct is to drive as fast as you can between these landmarks in order to keep the kids occupied, but you have to keep in mind that these landmarks should have something to do with the invention of Sony Playstation or the invention of

a Sony Playstation game, otherwise the kids might be disappointed as depicted in this typical scenario.

Dad: "Look kids! It's Wheat Peak - the tallest mountain in Saskatchewan!"

Son: "Does it have a video arcade?"

Let's face it, 75 per cent of your summer vacation is spent driving and unless you're very creative, some of these problems I've mentioned could happen to you. The best solution would be to let the kids drive while you, the parents, sit in the backseat and fight, but there must be law someplace that prohibits an eight year-old child from driving through the Rockies while you pour soda on your wife's head.

The most sensible solution. I suppose, would be to saddle up the horses and hook up the buckboard, much like our ancestors did when they went on vacation. You might not get very far or get there very fast but you could always set the kids on the horses while you and the wife kick back and relax.

# Toews misleads Provencher, Waffles on words: Epp

STEINBACH, Manitoba - Comments made by Provencher MP and Conservative Justice Critic Vic Toews this morning on CJOB's Adler Online show that voters have been intentionally misled regarding Bill C-250, an amend-

ment to Canada's hate propaganda legislation that became law in May.

"Mr. Toews has neglected his duty as a Member of Parliament to fairly and accurately represent proposed laws to his constituents," Epp says.

Toews was confronted by host Charles Adler regarding a statement made in a letter to supporters indicating that he would repeal or substantially amend Bill C-250 in the next session of Parliament after the election. Adler asked Toews if he was being straight with the people of Provencher.

When pressed, Toews would not stand by his words in the letter to repeal the law, saying that he would now only amend it.

"I'm not sure that Mr. Toews is sure of where he stands on what to do with the law," Epp says.

Epp points to Toews' waffling on the statement as an example of his playing politics with this sensitive topic.

Stephen Harper and Vic Toews, his Justice Critic, are in direct conflict on the issue of the repeal of Bill C-250 the hate propaganda legislation that protects gay and lesbian Canadians from the incitement of willful hatred:

"I'm not going to repeal the law." (Stephen Harper, Press Conference Quebec City, June 7, 2004)

He further held up the position of Alliance-Conservative Justice Critic, Vic Toews, as his own:

"Vic Toews, who was our spokesperson for that during the debate on that bill, proposed some specific amendments that I think would address any of the concerns about the law. Those are the amendments that Mr. Toews proposed to clarify things in the bill to ensure that it doesn't negatively impact any existing rights and that some of the ambiguities Ms. Gallant referred to are addressed." (Stephen Harper, Press Conference, Quebec City, June 7, 2004)

However, Vic Toews made his position crystal clear in an April 30, 2004 letter he wrote to his supporters thanking them for the work they had done in fighting Bill C-250. Of the passing of Bill C-250, he stated that the only remedy available to "reverse this decision is to send a clear message to the Liberals when the next election comes." He thanked his supporters and said they had helped "to prepare the groundwork for the repeal or substantive amendment of this bill in the next session of Parliament after the election."

In addition, Toews has consistently fanned the fears of the faith communities and their leadership by giving incomplete information and a misleading



Peter Epp, Liberal Candidate

impression about the origin of the Bill, the content of the Bill, the safeguards built into the Bill and the circumstances surrounding the Bill's adoption.

"People I have spoken with tell me they have been left with the impression that the government is moving to "criminalize the scriptures", that the bible will constitute hate literature and that the law will prevent them from being able to express their opinions of homosexuality and same-sex marriage in their places or worship," Epp says. "When I point out the facts surrounding Bill C-250, religious leaders and lay-people alike ask, "Why wasn't I told that?!"

Bill C-250 added a total of fifteen words to existing hate

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# Library Corner

## Lac du Bonnet Regional Library



Let the summer begin! Everyone is ready for sun and games....and even a bit of outdoor work! A game we don't hear too much about in Canada is **Polo: The Galloping Game**. The Polo Association of Calgary recently sent us a copy of this book by author Tony Rees, a Calgary writer and historian. Together with Jeffery Williams, editor, he researched the history of Polo in Western Canada. We are told that "Polo was a cowboy sport in the Canadian West long before the advent of the organized rodeo with its bucking horses and chuck-wagon

races. Played there within twenty years of its introduction to Britain, it flourishes today." Enjoy a different sort of read!

There are so many beautiful hand-made items for sale at Farmers Markets throughout the summer! For all the crafters out there we offer a few interesting selections:

**Better Homes and Gardens 101 full-size Quilt Blocks and Borders** is a book to inspire the most reluctant quilter to take up a new project or two! With a chapter on quilting basics, including beautifully detailed illustrations, you are ready to begin.

**Glass Art: The Easy Way to a Stained Glass Look** will add eye-catching appeal to windows, vases, bottles, lamps, suncatchers - turn any glass object in your home into a work of art.

Enjoy a learning experience with **Donna Dewberry's One Stroke Painting Course**. This book gives you all the basic skills and patterns necessary to transform any object into something remarkable and decorative.

Learn about bobbin

lacemaking in the 1980's, and then discover how techniques have changed and been adapted in later years. Help to revive a lost art - check out **Modern Lace Designs** by Veronica Sorenson.

We're not too sure what to think of this next title....but then, that will be up to each reader to decide! We enjoyed a visit by local author, Garry Stewart, who is promoting a newly published novel. His friend, Al Simmons (inventive musical comedian) has written a "blurb" for the back cover. Stewart has written poetry, short stories, and a couple of previous novels. "**In a Darkened Room** is a wild odyssey through the mind of a reformed delinquent who has outwitted the

cycles of poverty and vagrancy and risen like a bubble through the aquarium of capitalism only to surface at the bottom of the barrel. Journey along as Orphan, with the help of his rubber rabbit and an unplugged television, confronts his demons."

Another local author, Gerard Beirne, traveled to his home country of Ireland recently - his debut novel, **The Eskimo in the Net**, had been shortlisted for the Kerry Group Irish Fiction Award. We understand that although his book did not win the prize, it was an honour to come that close to achieving this award. He did win two Hennessy awards for earlier writing. We applaud these achievements.

## Toews misleads Provencher, Waffles on words: Epp

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crime legislation. It simply expanded the definition of "identifiable group" in the section which deals with hate propaganda to include "sexual orientation" and added an additional express defence based on belief in a religious text. The law already contained other defences dealing with religion.

There are other facts that are relevant and necessary to any discussion of Bill C-250, especially the careful, thoughtful consideration of the matter that the faith communities deserve:

Points to consider surrounding this issue that Vic Toews, Justice Critic and constitutional lawyer, has seen fit to ignore are:

- Bill C-250 was a private member's bill - it was not Lib-

eral legislation; - It passed the House of Commons in a free vote and was broadly supported by Peter MacKay, Deputy Leader of the Conservative Party, Rick Borotsik and other members of today's version of the Alliance-Conservative Party;

- It received broad support in the Senate;

- Every Attorney General in Canada (from all political persuasions) called upon the Federal Government to adopt such legislation;

- The bill had the support of the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police and the Canadian Association of Police Boards;

- The law contains a number of express defences, some added to address the concerns of faith communities. For in-

stance the law provides that, "No person shall be convicted of an offence under [the law] if the statements were true or if in good faith, the person expressed or attempted to establish by argument an opinion on a religious subject or an opinion based on a belief in a religious text;

- The group distinguished by sexual orientation is the group in Canada that is targeted most frequently for violent hate crimes;

- There are safeguards built into the system. For instance, prosecutions must be brought by the Attorney General, intent must be proven, the criminal burden of proof and express defences apply; and

- The always vigilant and vocal civil liberties community has not seen fit to share Conservative Party concerns.

The federal Government has the responsibility to protect all of its citizens that are the target of hate propaganda. This law promotes the safety of a minority at risk at the same time as it protects individual freedom of religious belief

By exploiting the fears and legitimate concerns of faith communities without providing the above facts is a pure political manipulation of people of faith for Toews' own political purposes. It is unfair to the people of Canada, but particularly the people of Provencher who have been specifically targeted by Mr. Toews' campaign tactics.

# Faith Perspective

by Pastor Jake Doell

## The Value of a Promise

Election time is also promise time. Promises are popping up almost at the rate of dandelions. It is always easier to make a promise than to keep a promise. Political promises are often made more to solicit votes than to actually keep them. A promise is only as good as the integrity of the person making the promise and the resources available to keep the promise. All of us have made promises with the best of intentions and later discovered that we didn't have the resources to make the promise good. A promise only has value if it is kept.

There has only been one person who ever kept all His promises and that was Jesus Christ. When He was put on trial Pilate made this statement, "I find no fault in Him!" Had Pilate been able to point out even so much as a broken promise, he would have done so to ease his troubled conscience for allowing an innocent man to be put to death. Jesus made some incredible promises. He promised that he would die and rise again to life on the third day. (Matthew 12:40) There are those who have made similar promises but only one has made good on that promise. Almost 2000 years after His resurrection it is estimated that around 1 billion people celebrate Christ's

resurrection on Easter Sunday. When some one has a track record for keeping promises it makes it easier to believe other promises they have made.

Jesus also promised that He would return again. The words of Jesus in the Gospel of John chapter 14 verse 3: "And if I go to prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also." People sometimes doubt this promise with these words: "Slower than the second coming of Christ." On a mere human level it would appear to be slow but the Apostle Peter wrote these words concerning Christ's return: "But don't forget this dear friends, that a day or a thousand years from now is like tomorrow to the Lord. He really isn't being slow about His promised return, even though it sometimes seems that way. But He is waiting, for good reason that He is not willing that any should perish, and He is giving more time for sinners to repent. The day of the lord is surely coming as unexpectedly as a thief in the night. (2 Peter 3:8&9) Remember

He is only able to keep this promise because He kept His promise to rise from the dead on the 3rd day. The value of a promise is based on the ability of the promise maker to keep their promises.

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# Winnipeg River RCMP Report

Police Report for the period of June 7 to June 14th, 2004



**2004/06/07**  
Powerview - police are investigating a theft of a computer component at a local school. Sometime over the weekend culprits accessed the compu-

ter room and stole the main server. Anyone with information is asked to contact the RCMP in Powerview. Contents of a purse were

stolen which included a wallet, a gold pendant, car keys and a small amount of cash.

Manitogagan - a report of household items being stolen was received. Investigation continues.

had been broken and 1 from a backyard of a residence. 1 lady's, 1 men's and a

2004/06/11  
Pine Falls - police received a report of 2 large black dogs attacking a third in the area. Anyone seeing the pair is asked to contact local police immediately.

A query to locate a missing youth was received.

A complaint of 2 vehicles racing down on Maple Street had police patrol the area. 1 male was charged with racing, drive imprudently and carelessly under the Highway Traffic Act.

Fort Alexander - police are investigating an assault which occurred in the early morning hours.

RM of Alexander - a male was remanded into custody after being in breach of a court order and possession of a stolen vehicle. He was charged accordingly and transported to the Provincial Remand Centre.

2004/06/12  
Little Black River - a male was arrested, charged and remanded into custody after attempting to break into a residence and fleeing local police.

FORT ALEXANDER - an emotionally disturbed male fled police after threatening suicide. The police dog service was called in and located the male who was taken to hospital for treatment and later released to family.

Police intervened when an emotionally disturbed female was contemplating suicide.

A call of a male in breach of bail conditions was received by police. Investigation continues into the incident.

Powerview - a male was

lodged in cells for his own safety and charged accordingly after being in violation of a court order to abstain from alcohol. He was released in the morning when sober on a promise to appear in Powerview court at a later date.

Numerous calls were received when a family dispute involving a youth was escalating. The matter was referred to Child and Family services.

Fort Alexander - a report of a theft of a piece of heavy construction equipment is being investigated.

2004/06/13  
Victoria Beach - RCMP assisted the local police with an impaired driver.

Bissett - a complaint of theft of rock from a local quarry was made to police. An estimated \$10,000.00 worth of product has been taken from the site. Investigation continues.

Powerview - a report of mischief and an attempted break in to a local business was actioned by police. Investigation continues into the incident.

Fort Alexander - a reciprocal spousal assault occurred when an argument escalated out of control and police intervened. Investigation continues.

Police request that if you have any information with any of the above noted incidents, or any other criminal matter, you are asked to call the Winnipeg River Detachment at 367-2222 or you can remain anonymous and call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-782-8477.

## 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 10-71375:** 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 Ailard:** 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:** Tues 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Thurs 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. Fri 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Sat 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 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. - whist even, 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, meat raffles held at Legion on Fridays 5:00 to 6:00 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.  
**FAA:** 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.

**A & A Alliance - The Beaches family group:** Thursday 8:00 p.m., Senior Scene, Victoria Beach, 1 Ateah 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 Ateah Rd., Victoria Beach:** General meetings second Tuesday of the month, 756-6468 for more info.

**Mental Illness Support Group:** meets second Wednesday of the month 7:00 p.m. Wings of Power office.

**Beaches HELP Centre (seniors services):** 756-6471, Wednesdays 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., Friday 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Powerview Parent Advisory Council:** meets first Monday of every month.

**Great Falls Hall workers -** may days 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.

**Weight Watchers Meeting:** Every Thursday - weigh in at 4:45 to 5:30 p.m. - call Dolores for info. at 367-2945.

**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.

**Child Health Clinics -** will be provided by area Public Health Nurse every Thursday afternoon at the Pine Falls Complex, Community Health Office assessments of babies (or child's) height, weight, infant nutrition, advice, immunizations (as necessary) and any other advice you may wish, please call 367-5406 for more info.

**Weight Watchers:** Effective October 8th Wednesdays at 4:45 weigh-in and at 5:30 Meetings.

## Winnipeg River Church Services

**NOTRE DAME DU LAUS:** Powerview - Saturday evening 7:30 p.m. (English), Sunday 10:00 a.m. (English), Stead - Sunday 12:00 noon.

**PINE FALLS UNITED CHURCH:** Sunday service 11:00 a.m. Bob Rodger Minister Church 367-2633 or Cell 754-7220. Everyone Welcome. Sunday School, September 7 at 11:00 a.m., everyone welcome.

**PINE FALLS ANGLICAN CHURCH OF THE ADVENT:** Ph 367-9520. Rector, the Rev. Sandra Tankard. 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 1/2 mile south of Junction #12 and #304. St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Greenwald on Hwy. #12, 1 1/2 miles north of junction with #317. Sunday church school 10:00 a.m., worship 11:00 a.m. (alternate locations). For info, call 635-2625 or 754-8682.

**CHRISTIAN FAITH FELLOWSHIP -** Bible study 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, church service 10:30 a.m. Sunday school 10:00 a.m.

**HOUSE OF PRAYER FULL GOSPEL -** 2:30 p.m. every Sunday, Scantbury, on Hwy. #59.

**ST. MARGUERITE R.C. MISSION:** Pitt Road - Traverse Bay, 11:30 a.m. Sunday additional mass mid-June through Labour Day, 7:30 p.m. Saturday. Closed November 1 to April 30th.

**ST. ALEXANDER R.C. CHURCH:** located at Sagkeeng First Nations. Sunday mass 10:00 a.m.

**ST. THERESA R.C. MISSION:** 88 Glenvale Avenue, Grand Marais. Mass 12:00 noon first Sunday of November to last Sunday of April. May through October mass 10:00 a.m. Sunday.

**SAGKEENG CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CHURCH -** Lloyd Guimond (Pastor) Sagkeeng South Shore, service Thursday 7:30 p.m. and Sunday 2:00 p.m.

**CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN -** Sunday 2:30 p.m. at Hollow Water.

**GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH -** Bible study, Wednesday 7:30 p.m., call Pastor Todd Goudy for information 367-2531.

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# Library Allard Book Nook



Happy Father's Day! Did you know... (here I go with a little history lesson) Sonora Dodd, of Washington, first had the idea of a "father's day". She thought of the idea in 1909. Sonora wanted a special day to honor her father, William Smart. Smart, who was a Civil War Veteran, was widowed when his wife died while giving birth to their sixth child. Smart was left to raise the newborn and his other five children by himself on a rural farm in eastern Washington state.

After Sonora became an adult she realized the selflessness her father had shown in raising his children as a single parent. It was her father that made all the parental sacrifices and in the eyes of his daughter, a courageous, selfless, and loving man. Sonora's father was born in June, so she chose to have the first Father's Day celebration in Spokane, Washington on the 10<sup>th</sup> of June, 1910.

President Calvin Coolidge, in 1924, supported the idea of a national Father's Day. Then in 1966, President Lyndon Johnson signed a presidential proclamation declaring the 3<sup>rd</sup>

Sunday of June as National Father's Day.

In readiness for Father's Day, we have some excellent pics for your reading pleasure...

27 *Men Out* by Michael Coffey takes an expansive look at the history of fourteen perfect major league games in the modern era and their unsurpassable pitching performances. Coffey takes you right into the ballparks with a play-by-play account of how these games unfolded, and relates a host of fascinating stories of the players themselves.

Manitoban Jake MacDonald's *Houseboat Chronicles: Notes From a Life in Shield Country* is out for the first time in paperback. MacDonald discovers some of the last wild places in North America and the people who choose to live there. His memoir is sprinkled with their stories, from Inuit hunters who have been mauled by polar bears to a German soldier imprisoned in northern Ontario during WWII. MacDonald argues that the heart and soul of Canada begins in Shield country. A must read!

*True North* by Jim Harrison

is his most extraordinary book set in his homeland, Northern Michigan. True North is about its raw beauty and the brutal logging and mining it has endured over the last century. True North pits a son against the legacy of his family's desecration of the earth, and against his own father's more personal violation. It is a beautiful and moving novel that responds to the voice in our hearts calling us back to our roots.

Michael Connelly has come out with yet another spectacularly dramatic and shocking novel - *The Narrows* is also new and on our shelves!

Don't forget Dad's & male friends alike...we have some great magazines with your interests in mind as well... Sport's Illustrated, Men's Health, TIME, Consumer Reports, National Geographic, Canadian Geographic, This Old House, WOOD, & Home Workshop, are here for your perusal... just to name a few!

*Get Carried Away with Books* is our summer reading program theme this year and we are anxiously awaiting for munchkins to come in and reg-

ister! The program will start the first week in July until mid-August. The program is packed with crafts, story-time, activities inside and out and just a whole lot of fun!! Drop by either Library Allard or our Beaches Branch (limited spacing at the Beaches Branch) to register your child.

Library Allard - St. Georges

-367-8443  
Beaches Branch Library -  
Walter Whyte School - 754-  
4007

## ECHOES FROM THE Heart

### The Brick

A young and successful executive was traveling down a neighborhood street, going a bit too fast in his new Jaguar.

He was watching for kids darting out from between parked cars and slowed down when he thought he saw something.

As his car passed, no children appeared.

Instead, a brick smashed into the Jag's side door!

He slammed on the brakes and backed the Jag back to the spot where the brick had been thrown.

The angry driver then jumped out of the car, grabbed the nearest kid and pushed him up against a parked car shouting, "What was that all about and who are you? Just what the heck are you doing? That's a new car and that brick you threw is going to cost a lot of money. Why did you do it?"

The young boy was apologetic. "Please, mister...please, I'm sorry but I didn't know what else to do." He pleaded.

"I threw the brick because no one else would stop..." With tears dripping down his face and off his chin, the youth pointed to a spot just around a parked car. "It's my brother."

He said. "He rolled off the curb and fell out of his wheelchair and I can't lift him up."

Now sobbing, the boy asked the stunned executive, "Would you please help me get him back into his wheelchair? He's hurt and he's too heavy for me."

Moved beyond words, the driver tried to swallow the rapidly swelling lump in his throat. He hurriedly lifted the handicapped boy back into the wheelchair, then took out a linen handkerchief and dabbed at the fresh scrapes and cuts.

A quick look told him everything was going to be okay.

"Thank you and may God bless you," the grateful child told the stranger.

Too shook up for words, the man simply watched the boy push his wheelchair-bound brother down the sidewalk toward their home. It was a long, slow walk back to the Jaguar. The damage was very noticeable, but the driver never bothered to repair the dented side door. He kept the dent there to remind him of this message. "Don't go through life so fast that someone has to throw a brick at you to get your attention!"

Low Income? Call our Subsidy Spay & Neuter Program Coordinator, Melissa @ 982-2038 today!

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**Lady, 92605**

An absolutely wonderful dog who loves people. She was a stray from Higgins Avenue and no one has claimed her. Lady is quiet, well mannered, walks well on leash and likes to play. She is a joy to have hanging out in the office. She is

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If you or your family are interested in any of the listed animals here or others at the shelter, you can call us at 204-982-3551 or Fax 204-982-2047



**O'Hoy, 91593**

Found on Riel Avenue, O'Hoy has a tattoo but it is unreadable so his owner cannot be traced. He's been patiently waiting for a home for nearly 2 months now. He is friendly & needs a home. June is ADOPT A CAT MONTH: all adult cats over 6 months of age are 2 FOR 1. Come down & find out what is going on in your shelter this month!

*We are heading into high cat & kitten season and could really use non-clumping cat litter & canned cat food. All donations greatly appreciated!*

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# Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report



The following constitutes the Police Report for Lac du Bonnet Detachment for the period of June 7 to June 14, 2004

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a break and enter at a cottage in the Tall Timber area of the R.M. of Alexander, with a number of items stolen.

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an Intrusion Alarm at a location on Riverland Road North in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and found this was a False Alarm.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a 911 hang-up call from a location on Cedar in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and confirmed

that this was a false call and that all was in order.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an Intrusion Alarm at the Vanier Centre in Pinawa. This was found to be a False Alarm.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a yellow and black life jacket was lost from a vehicle along P.R. 313 in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a threat was rec'd via phone at a location in Pinawa.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report

was rec'd that gasoline was stolen from a vehicle parked on Ferguson in Great Falls. Took place between the 6<sup>th</sup> and the 9<sup>th</sup> of June.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a gravel truck pulled out of a gravel pit on the Julius Road in the R.M. of Reynolds without yielding the right-of-way to an oncoming vehicle. The complainant wanted follow-up done with the owner of the truck.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a bear at Vanier and Aikins. Police attended, however, the bear had departed.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that an improper phone call was rec'd at a residence on Edward Crescent in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet, originating from a residence on Riverland Drive in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Follow-up was done as per the wishes of the complainant.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a possibly Impaired Driver at Great Falls. Police attended to find that this was not the case, as the driver in question had pulled away from the pumps with the gasoline nozzle still in the tank.

On the 10<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a number of couch cushions were lost along P.T.H. #11 between Lac du Bonnet and Powerview.

On the 10<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a possibly impaired driver on P.T.H. #44 between Whitemouth and P.T.H. #11. Police stopped the vehicle in question and found that the driver was sober.

On the 10<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that an installed window was stolen from the Solvent Treatment Centre east of Seven Sisters in the R.M. of Whitemouth.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of two suspicious males walking through property on Dobals Road in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. They claimed to be looking at property which Man. Hydro had for sale, however, the caller felt that they were suspicious-looking.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a break and enter to a cottage and shed at Bird Lake. A DVD player and liquor were stolen.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a number of bears in a yard on Wood Duck in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Police were attending to the location when DNR attended and dispersed the group.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June a report was rec'd that a blue Camaro,

a black Camara and a red Mustang

were speeding through Seven Sisters Falls. No lic. Plates obtained, and vehicles in question were not located when police patrolled the area.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a trailer license plate was stolen from a boat trailer at Otter Falls in the Whiteshell Prov. Park.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a noisy party at a location in Seven Sisters Falls. Police attended and had the function quieted down.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, an adult male resident of Wpg. was stopped driving at the corner of P.T.H. #11 and P.R. 307 in the R.M. of Whitemouth and found to be under the influence of alcohol. The subject was subsequently released for court on a charge of Driving While over .08, with vehicle impounded and License suspended.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a break and enter to a cottage at Nutimik Lake in the Whiteshell Prov. Park. The door was kicked in but nothing stolen.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a lifeline was not being answered at a location at River Hills in the R.M. of Whitemouth. Police attended and found all to be in order.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of two vehicles stuck in the ditch on Hydro property in Seven Sisters Falls. Police attended to find that one vehicle had become stuck, and the second vehicle became stuck trying to tow the first one out. One driver was charged for not displaying a front license plate, and follow-up will be done with Hydro with respect to damage to the ditch.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a stranded boater on the Wpg. River north of the Wpg. River Bridge. Police attended via boat and found that the subject was already being towed in by another boat.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a subject stuck with a vehicle on a logging road near the intersection of P.R. 314 and P.R. 315 in Nopiming Provincial Park. Police attended and found that the adult male, who was from the U.S.A., was stuck in that location for 3 days. He was freed from being stuck, and went on his way.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an intoxicated under-age male at a residence on Lake Avenue in the

Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police and the ambulance attended and the subject was taken to Pinawa Hospital due to the level of intoxication.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of By-law enforcement officers using an improper level of force when dealing with an under-age male on an Off-Road Vehicle in the Tall Timber area of the R.M. of Alexander. The complainant will take the matter up with the R.M. of Alexander.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd from Pinawa of an under-age female in contravention of a court-imposed curfew. The subject returned home shortly after the call was rec'd, and same was warned on this occasion.

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a number of campers causing a disturbance at Nutimik Lake in the Whiteshell Prov. Park. These subjects were all charged with causing a Disturbance, and evicted from the camp-site.

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a noisy party at a residence on Third Street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and had the gathering quieted down.

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of approx. US\$1 500.00 worth of fishing tackle stolen from fishing boats parked overnight on Third Street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a 911 hang-up call from a location on Laurilla Drive in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and found that no-one was at the cottage, nor had there been.

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an Intrusion Alarm at the Pinawa Golf Course. This was found to be a False Alarm.

On the 14<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a fire at the Lac du Bonnet Library. Police attended and found that a piece of paper had been set in fire on the grass in front of the Library. The embers were put out by the police. This did not cause any damage, and patrols of the Town did not locate any suspects.

On the 14<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that 4 windows on the south side of the Lac du Bonnet Senior School were broken over the course of the weekend.

## 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 7-1378:** meets first Tuesday of the month. Chicken Chef, Power-view meeting room  
**511 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 Gal 268-7465 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 2:30 p.m. ph 345-2653  
**Great Falls Women's Institute** meets first Wednesday each month 7:00 p.m. Great Falls Hall Pat 367-2586, Leone 367-8569  
**Ladies' Auxiliary Royal Canadian Legion Branch #164** meets first Tuesday of the month 7:30 p.m. Legion Hall  
**LdB Committee on Family Violence and Abuse** meets second Tuesday of every month 7:00 p.m. Contact person 345-2664  
**Royal Canadian Legion Branch #164** general meetings third Tuesday of each month 7:30 p.m. Legion Hall  
**Horticultural Society** meets second Tuesday of every month 7:00 p.m., Centennial School  
**St. John's ACW** meets first Monday of every month 1:30 p.m., parish hall  
**Lakeshore Al-Anon Group** Thursday 7:30 p.m. Lac du Bonnet District Health Centre, 89 McIntosh Call Teri 345-8712  
**Lakeshore Al-a-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, Whitemouth 348-3505  
Lac du Bonnet, Pine Falls, Victoria Beach, Pinawa, Benuejour, Whitemouth, Oakbank, Hladashville  
**Little Day Buddies Nursery School** 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

**ABUNDANCE LIFE CHURCH**  
Pastor Jake Daell, church 345-2934, home 345-9766  
Sunday 11:00 a.m. - morning worship, 6:30 p.m. - Upper Room  
**LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS**  
Church/office 345-8654  
Sunday, 11:00 a.m. - worship service  
**NOTRE DAME CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Father Richard Machura, 345-2988  
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. Sandra Tanhard 367-9528, church 345-2357  
Sunday 11:30 a.m. - worship, 11:30 a.m. - first and third Sunday of each month, Holy eucharist.

# WEEKLY CROSSWORD



**ACROSS**

- 1. Fondles
- 5. State of India
- 10. "A \_\_\_ tale's best for winter"
- 13. Hawaiian island
- 14. \_\_\_ voice; privately
- 15. New Jersey senator
- 16. Pre-college school
- 17. Slender candle:
- 18. Pier (arch.)
- 19. Building part
- 20. Olympian queen of heaven
- 21. Luncheon
- 23. Operatic prince
- 25. Joiner
- 27. Purloined
- 29. \_\_\_majesty
- 30. Not \_\_\_ rule (2 wds.)

- 33. Lumberman
- 34. Eastern prince
- 35. Queen Anne's nickname, Brandy \_\_\_
- 36. British school
- 37. Attacks
- 38. Man from inverness
- 39. Sprite
- 40. Abounding in plants
- 41. Patriot of '76
- 42. \_\_\_ Moines, Iowa
- 43. Prayer ending
- 44. "\_\_\_! Foiled again!"
- 45. Screed
- 47. The Odyssey of The Iliad, e.g.
- 48. Broadway hit, The \_\_\_ of the Wedding
- 50. Sweet shop item
- 52. Rower's need
- 55. Cuban game Jai \_\_\_
- 56. Western indian
- 58. Competent
- 59. Roman god of war
- 60. Acid salt
- 61. "There is nothin' like a \_\_\_"
- 62. "\_\_\_ me no questions"
- 63. Hampton \_\_\_\_, Virginia
- 64. Borneo native

**Down**

- 1. Essay on man author
- 2. Nobelman
- 3. Venice tourist attraction (5 wds.)
- 4. Enjoy a repast
- 5. to the rear of the boat

- 6. "Angels alone that \_\_\_ above/Enjoy such liberty."
- 7. One of the midwest's Twin Cities (3 wds.)
- 8. Dined
- 9. Cavities
- 10. Pacific Coast inlet (3 wds)
- 11. Italian wine city
- 12. University administrator
- 15. Paris sidewalk attraction
- 20. Garden worker
- 22. Roman road
- 31. Disables
- 33. Nose
- 34. Riot
- 36. Sailor (sl.)
- 38. Small island
- 46. \_\_\_ Blue, comedian
- 47. Hugh O'Brian's TV role
- 50. Brag
- 52. Rounded mass
- 53. Countersink
- 54. \_\_\_ Ray, actor
- 55. Safe as Fort \_\_\_
- 56. Skin blemishes
- 57. Hindu philosophy
- 59. Sicilian volcano
- 60. Chair
- 62. \_\_\_Stration Zebra
- 63. Witty saying

**LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS**



## CRYPTIC PUZZLE



TFRK BOQH JHXJBH LBP KXNMU O  
E MUH ZOEMHF THSINKH OMK MX  
X LIF MX ZIBQ.

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**

EVERY JUNE MANY GIRLS LOOK ON THE BRIDE SIDE OF LIFE.

## Weekly Echo Horoscopes

This edition covers the week of June 14 to June 19



**ARIES** (Mar. 21- April 20)  
You can enjoy short trips. You may have more people on your domestic scene than anticipated. Don't turn down offers that include sports activities or children. You need to do more things that you enjoy.



**TAURUS** (Apr. 21- may 21)  
Spend some time on yourself. You should put in some extra hours developing that creative idea you have. Strong willpower will come to your rescue. You will be emotional about family matters.



**GEMINI** (May 22-June 21)  
Don't let coworkers get wind of your ideas or they might try to take credit for your hard work. Do not blow situations out of proportion. Read between the lines before you sign your name. Travel for business or pleasure will be enlightening.



**CANCER** (June 22-July 22)  
Your irritability will lead to family squabbles. Deception is probable if you don't use discrimination. Try to be reasonable. You'll regret every word for some time to come.



**LEO** (July 23-Aug 22)  
Find out all you can; secret enemies may lead you astray. This is a great day for a family outing or just a drive. Someone you care about may let you down or criticize your methods. Don't believe everything you hear.



**VIRGO** (Aug. 23 -Sept. 23)  
Empty promises will cause confusion. You can make changes that will enhance your appearance. Your bankbook will suffer and your restrictions will put a damper on your relationship. Hard work will bring rewards.



**LIBRA** (Sept. 24 -Oct. 23)  
You can meet a new romantic partner or secure the love connection you already have by going out and entertaining yourself. Get involved in sports groups or hobbies that attract you. You need to focus on yourself, not on others. You are best to sit back and think it through, rather than add to the ranting and raving.



**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)  
Property deals look good. Avoid getting trapped in internal disputes. You should consider getting into self improvement endeavors. You will have to control the way you feel.



**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23 -Dec. 21)  
Make sure that new mates live up to your high standards. This may not be the time to lend or borrow. Educational pursuits should help you develop your hobbies. Your determination may make you a little overbearing when dealing with others.



**CAPRICORN** (Dec 22- Jan. 20)  
Socially, you need a fast paced form of entertainment. Opportunities to make advancements through good business sense are apparent. Sudden changes at home will affect family members more than you anticipated.



**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 -Feb. 19)  
Dinner, theater, or a comedy club may be just the place. Be sure that you lay your cards on the table. Don't get involved in joint ventures. Children may cause limitations.



**PISCES** (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)  
Think twice before you agree to take on any new projects. Do your chores and get on with the things you enjoy doing. Don't let others try to create unwarranted guilt if you can't meet their demands.

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We are currently seeking students to fill summer employment placements for public works labourer, and recycling coordinator.

Applicants must provide proof of Metis or Inuit status, as well as student status at the time of application.

Applications will be accepted at the Townsite until 3:00pm, June 18th, 2004.

**UNDER THE MUNICIPAL ACT  
 NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
 REGARDING BY-LAW 09/04**

THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ALEXANDER

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Rural Municipality of Alexander has proposed a by-law providing for the closing, of the following Municipal Road Allowance:

All that portion of the municipal road shown on a plan of Government Road Allowance prepared by Douglas Theodore Stevens, Manitoba Land Surveyor, and sworn to be him on the 16th Day of July, 1999 described as Between Lot 18 and Lot 19, Township 18 Range 10 E.P.M.

As outlined by a heavy line of Appendix 'A' below

And for consolidating and transferring the Municipal Road Allowance to the owners of

Parcel B	Parcel A
Title No 1936292 WPG	Title No 1152634 WPG
DESC R.L. 18-18-10EPM	DESCA- Plan 23637

A copy of the above By-law of the Rural Municipality of Alexander and supporting material may be inspected by any person during regular office hours at the office of the Municipality at St. Georges, Manitoba.

The Council of the Municipality will hold a PUBLIC HEARING at the office of the Municipality at St. Georges, Manitoba on June 22, 2004, at 11:00 a.m. To hear in person or by agent any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the by-law and who applies to be heard.

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# Flanagan wins Gold in Track & Field

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Cassandra Flanagan beat the odds on Saturday! She won two gold medals in the MHSSAA McDonalds

Track & Field Championships at the University of Manitoba. Cassandra ran against girls who have trained for months in year round facilities with or-

ganized school track & field programs and most of those girls even had coaches.

Through sheer determination, speed and agility

Cassandra placed first in Junior Girls 100 meter with a time of 13.02 seconds. In the 200 meter, Cassandra was well ahead of her nearest competitor winning by 0.42 seconds with a time of 26.72 seconds. This isn't the first time Cassandra has done well at Track & Field. Last weekend at the Rural Provincials in Brandon, Cassandra won gold in the 200 meter and silver in the 100 meter. Last year at the University of Manitoba she

won bronze in the 100 meter.

Cassandra is an exceptional athlete with energy to burn. After running two races and winning two medals Saturday, she went on to play hockey on a women's team at the Winnipeg Winter Club. Not a bad for a 15 year old!

Cassandra already has her eye on next year when she will compete as a senior. We haven't heard the last of Cassandra Flanagan in Track & Field or in Hockey either!



Cassandra Flanagan shows off the two gold medals she won in the MHSSAA McDonalds Track and Field Championships held at the University of Manitoba



## Power Line Trainee

Manitoba Hydro is currently seeking qualified individuals to train for a career as a Power Line Journeyman

As a Power Line Trainee, you will participate in a four-year apprenticeship program that includes on-the-job training and eight weeks of competency-based trade school leading to Journeyman status. During your training, you will be stationed at various locations throughout the province

To be considered you must:

- be a high school graduate with a minimum of the following specific credits: Mathematics 40S (Applied Math or Pre-Calculus), Physics 30S, and English 40. Equivalent academic qualifications may require validation by the Department of Education
- possess a valid Class 5 Manitoba Driver's Licence and be eligible to upgrade.
- be capable of working at heights of nine meters to over 36.5 meters while on poles or towers.
- meet the challenge of physically demanding work in all types of weather, and
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The selection process includes aptitude testing, panel interview, medical examination, and a two day Manitoba Hydro sponsored Skills Assessment and Trades Orientation program.

Start: \$981.95 Bi-weekly  
Salary Range: \$981.95 - \$1,582.63 Bi-weekly  
Journeyman maximum: \$2,124.96

Interested applicants are requested to submit a personal resume, a complete transcript of high school marks and a current Driver Abstract by July 2, 2004. A demonstrated ability to communicate in both official languages (English & French) would be an asset.

## Aboriginal Line Trades Pre-Placement Trainee

Aboriginal candidates who do not meet the above qualifications may be considered for our six month pre-placement program. Selected candidates will be provided educational assistance to upgrade to the minimum academic requirements and on-the-job training to gain acceptance into the Power Line Training Program. There is no guarantee of ongoing employment at the completion of the Pre-Placement Program.

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*We thank all candidates for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be acknowledged.*

Crime Stoppers in cooperation with the Lac du Bonnet RCMP would like your assistance in solving the following offence:

## RCMP need your help

Manitoba CrimeStoppers in cooperation with the Lac du Bonnet RCMP would like your assistance in solving the following offence: Several Break, Enter and Thefts have occurred recently in the Cottage area of the RM of Alexander including Still Cove, Tall Timber, Cat Tail Dr., and Ledin Dr.

Culprits seem to be targeting cottages that have a Bell Express Vu Satellite dish on the cottage, as it seems that the culprit(s) are looking for the receivers and the cards.

The theft of the above may be used by person(s) who will then be involved in the theft of telecommunication(s).

If you have any information contact LdB RCMP at 345-6311 or CrimeStoppers.



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