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## Residents vote in favour of merger

The results of the Merger vote are as follows:

Powerview voters:  
Yes 200  
No 35  
85% in favour

Turnout in Powerview was : 47%  
Turnout in Pine Falls was: 64%

Pine Falls voters:  
Yes 220  
No 57  
79% in favour

Well the votes are in, and area residents have made their choice of merging the two communities together.

Turn out for the polls were

good with 200 votes in favour from Powerview and 220 votes in favour in Pine Falls. Powerview had a 47% turn out for the polls and 64% turn out for Pine Falls.

"I am very pleased with the results, votes showed that residents are in favour of amalgamating the two communities," said Jack Shwaluk/Chairperson for the Pine Falls Unification Group. "Tembec has requested that we stay on board until we complete and submit our application to the Municipal Board, and all have agreed. Our goal is to get everything in place and that by January 1, 2005 we will have these two great communities unified as one."

With the amalgamation of the two communities, there will also be a new council that will be reflective of both areas. There will be three representatives from the Pine Falls area, and three from the Powerview area, and a mayor whom may be from either area. The three new council members from Pine Falls will come aboard with the current Powerview council until elections take place in 2006.

"Well it is about time," said one Pine Falls resident, "this has gone on for way to long, we need to get our infrastructure attended to. Many things have been put on hold by this merger process, and it is about time. I think that the unification group did an excellent job with ensuring fair play to all parties involved. Community members showed their support towards the Unification Groups efforts today, by casting their ballots in agreement to merge two communities into one."



Luc Magnan led the chorus for the national anthem at the Powerview grad ceremonies on Saturday afternoon

See inside this week's Echo for detailed coverage of the Lac du Bonnet Senior School, Powerview School, Sagkeeng Anicinabe High School, Lac du Bonnet New Directions School, Empower School and Happy Tots Place Graduations.

## RCMP need volunteers for Criminal Justice Committee

The Powerview Community Office of the Winnipeg River RCMP Detachment is looking for volunteers to initiate a Criminal Justice Committee for this area. A group of concerned citizens, along with this Detachment, have begun the process and are actively seeking volunteers from the communities of Powerview, Pine Falls, St. Georges and the RM of Alexander and the RM of

Victoria Beach.

If you are interested in making your community a better and safer place to live please call or leave a message to Cst. Jarrid St. Pierre at 367-8728 or Yvonne Lesage at 756-8146.

Volunteers are required to complete a Criminal Record Check, be willing to volunteer a few hours every month and be able to work well with other people from our community.

## Rene & Mary Malo win Provincial Bridge tournament



Rene and Mary Malo of Pine Falls won the Provincial Contract Bridge Tournament at the 2004 Manitoba Society of Seniors (MSOS) Games in Portage La Prairie on June 16, 2004.

They had won the Eastman Division Tournament in Steinbach earlier to qualify for the finals.

Rene and Mary retired from the Mill and the Post Office in Pine Falls and have taken active roles in their retirement at the Golden Leisure Club. Both are enthusiastic members of the Pine Falls Golf Club, and if the sun ever shines can be found frequently on the fairways.

Having won the Provincial Bridge Tournament, they are now eligible to represent Manitoba at the National Seniors Games in Vancouver in the 2005 fall season.

# Senior School Grad Sizzles



In all, 36 students graduated from the Lac du Bonnet Senior School, Making the Class of 2004 one of the largest in recent memory.

## LDB Community Centre plays host to grad 2004

by Jim Hampshire

Although temperatures were relatively cool outside, the Lac du Bonnet Community Centre sizzled as over 500 guests packed the main hall to honour the grads of 2004 last Saturday.

Overall, 36 Senior School grads paraded to the main stage to receive diplomas and awards, and while the ceremonies were sprinkled with high-notes throughout the evening, the mood turned sombre on more than one occasion as students said their good-byes to

teachers and faculty at the Lac du Bonnet Senior School. During the evening, one of the more notable tributes came from Kim Richardson and Cherlyn Sullivan, who bid a fond farewell to staff members. Penny Osis and Rudy Klassen, who are both retiring this year.

Klassen, who has been a popular teacher around the halls of the senior school for thirty years, says he is leaving with mixed emotions. The Pinawa resident leaves an impressive legacy of learning and love for the dramatic as he has inspired hundreds of students towards better English and acting during his tenure.

Another moving moment came when Jamie Demyd was awarded the Ashley Kovari Memorial Scholarship, which was presented by Ashley's mother, Donna Kovari. Ashley Kovari died shortly after a lung transplant nearly four years ago at the age of 15 and the memorial scholarship is presented each year from the pro-

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Advertising and submission deadline is Friday at 3:00 p.m. prior to Tuesday's publication.

# Blue Water Regional Unity Center

The Blue Water Regional Unity Center committee is pleased to announce the appointment of Rachel Raymond as Project Manager. Rachel will guide us through the feasibility stage of our project with direction

from, Project Advisor, Ken MacMaster. Rachel and her family have lived in the area for many years. She has a background in administration, recreation, accounting and business. Rachel has taken a temporary leave

from her full time duties as recreation director but will still be involved with the Recreation Commission directing the Assistant Recreation Director Abbey Forsyth.

The Blue Water Regional Unity Center com-

mittee has been meeting frequently discussing survey stats, possible site locations and meeting with various organizations in the area. If anyone would like to volunteer with this project and haven't been contacted, please call the Rec Office @ 367-9142.

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## Notice of Public Hearing and Pre-Hearing Conference

### Applicant: The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation

**APPLICANT:** The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation (the Corporation) has applied to The Public Utilities Board (the Board) for approval of the Corporation's 2005 base rates and premiums charged for compulsory driver and vehicle insurance. The application is being filed pursuant to The Crown Corporations Public Review and Accountability Act and The Public Utilities Board Act.

#### RATE IMPACT:

The Corporation is requesting approval for basic Autopac rates effective March 1, 2005 which will leave overall premium revenue unchanged from last year. However, the changes proposed for 2005/2006 will affect average base premiums for each major vehicle use category as listed below.

These changes will affect the major vehicle classes as follows:

Major Use	Number of Vehicles	Increase/Decrease
Private Passenger	642,088	0.1%
Commercial	41,714	-0.2%
Public	9,360	1.1%
Motorcycles	9,133	15.0%
Trailers	103,531	-22.2%
Off-Road	28,737	-40.9%
<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>835,581</b>	<b>0.0%</b>

The impact of rate adjustments on the total vehicle population will be distributed as follows:

- 430,438, or 51% of vehicles will receive a rate decrease, most decreases will be less than \$50.
- 13,934, or 1.6% of vehicles will receive no change in rate;
- 191,071, or 22.9% of vehicles will receive a rate increase of up to \$20,
- 158,029, or 18.9% of vehicles will receive an increase between \$20 and \$50,
- 30,767, or 3.7% of vehicles will receive an increase between \$50 and \$100, and,
- 11,322, or 1.4% of vehicles will receive an increase greater than \$100.

Actual changes to an individual's premium will vary depending on the owner's claim experience, driving record, insurance use, territory and vehicle rate group. The cumulative effect of these variations on individual rates will all fall within the dollar amounts described above.

The Corporation is proposing to reduce the administration fee for monthly premium payments from \$8 to \$4. No changes are proposed to fleet rebates and surcharges, existing driver's licence premiums or accident surcharges, other existing time payment fees or other existing service and transaction fees.

#### PARTICULARS OF THE APPLICATION:

The Corporation proposes the following rate adjustments for policies issued between March 1, 2005 and February 28, 2006.

- Experience-based rate increases and decreases to individual classes ranging from +15% to -15%, with the following exceptions:
  - Increases for dealer plates ranging from 20% to 25%
  - Increase for mopeds averaging 110%, or an average of \$53 per moped
  - Decreases for motor scooters ranging from 40% to 50%
- For passenger vehicles and trucks, classification offsets ranging from -15.2% to +17.5%, to achieve revenue neutrality from rate group adjustments.
- For commercial vehicles, an expansion of the Corporation's merit discount program to include vehicles insured as artisan trucks less than 16,330 kg and common carrier trucks within city or within 161 km in Manitoba.
- For motorcycles, no classification offsets from rate group adjustments, resulting in rate changes of 0% up to 15% in addition to experience adjustments.
- Lower rates for off-road vehicles and most trailers through a reduction in the allocation of operating costs to these classes, which was begun three years ago.

For full particulars, interested parties should examine the Corporation's application, testimony and supporting materials at the Corporation's offices, or at the Board's office.

Interested parties who wish to obtain copies of the application should contact:

Manitoba Public Insurance  
Attention: Rick Sloan  
8th Floor, 234 Donald Street  
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3C 4A4  
Telephone: 985-7335 (collect calls accepted)

#### RATE VARIATION:

Rates for services by The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation shall be reviewed by The Public Utilities Board under The Public Utilities Board Act and no change in rates for services shall be made and no new rates for services shall be introduced without the approval of The Public Utilities Board. Rates for services means in the case of The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation, rate bases and premiums charged for compulsory driver and vehicle insurance provided by that Corporation. Upon any application to it, the Board may make an Order granting the whole or part only of the application or may grant such further or other relief in addition to or in substitution for that applied for, as fully and in all respects as if the application had been for such partial, further or other relief.

#### HEARING:

The Board will hold a public hearing at the Public Utilities Board Hearing Room, 4th Floor, 330 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, MB, commencing at 9:00 a.m., October 12, 2004.

#### RURAL MEETINGS:

Based on the public's response to this notice and other notices, the Board is prepared to convene meetings in Brandon or such other locations as are warranted by the response. People who intend to appear are to write the Board's Secretary confirming the location where they wish to appear. Notice of intention should be mailed to the Board by August 21, 2004.

Confirmation of these meetings will appear in future notices. Interested parties may also contact the Board office for details.

#### PROCEDURE:

The Board's Draft Rules of Practice and Procedure will apply to the conduct of the General Rate Hearing. Copies of this document are available upon request to the Board by writing to the Secretary or by calling 945-2638 or 1-866-854-3698 (toll free).

#### PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE:

All persons, firms or corporations wishing to intervene in respect of this application and to participate in the examination of witnesses, to provide evidence or to make submissions and final arguments are required to attend, or send a representative to, a Pre-Hearing Conference (PHC), to be convened by the Board in its Hearing Room, 4th Floor, 330 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Wednesday, July 7, 2004 at 9:00 a.m.

#### The objectives of the PHC are:

- to identify the intervenors, their reasons for intervention and to avoid duplication of content;
- to establish status of certain applicant intervenors; and
- to establish a timetable for the orderly exchange of evidence and information.

Persons wishing to address the public hearing in French are required to notify the Board's Secretary prior to June 28, 2004 and if possible at the PHC.

#### PARTICIPATION:

Intervenor shall be persons, firms or corporations wishing to examine witnesses, or to provide evidence, or to make submissions and final argument. Intervenor should notify the Board of their intention to do so by applying to the Secretary of the Board immediately.

Copies of such notices should also be sent to the Corporation's Counsel:

Kevin M. McCulloch  
Vice President, Corporate Legal  
General Counsel and Corporate Secretary  
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Telephone: 985-7383

Parties wishing to submit a brief or to express comments to the Board, but who do not wish to participate in the entire proceeding, are known as presenters. They should advise the Secretary of the Board of their intention to appear at the public hearing by no later than September 24, 2004.

#### INTERVENOR COSTS:

Intervenor may be entitled to financial assistance. Board Order No. 163/87 dated November 12, 1987 provides for the procedure for the award of costs to intervenors and Board's guidelines for an award of costs. Parties who may wish to make an application for costs should review this Order and obtain a copy of it from the Secretary.

DATED this 15th day of June, 2004

G. O. Barron  
Secretary  
The Public Utilities Board



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# Powerview School Salutes Grads of 2004

By Jim Hampshire

It was perhaps one of the largest graduating classes in the history of Ecole Powerview School as 43 senior four students donned cap and gown for ceremonies at the Powerview school gymnasium on Saturday

afternoon. Overall, 33 awards and scholarships were presented in the afternoon ceremony, which lasted just under three hours.

This year there were several repeat recipients, including Brigitte Grenier, who walked to the podium seven times to receive various awards and scholarships. Besides receiving the Governor General's Bronze Medal for Academic Achievement, Grenier picked up the Sunrise School Division Award for highest marks.

Other notable recipients included Claire Lussier, Jocelyn Vincent, and Mark Watling as

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The Class of 2004 had an impressive 43 graduates this year



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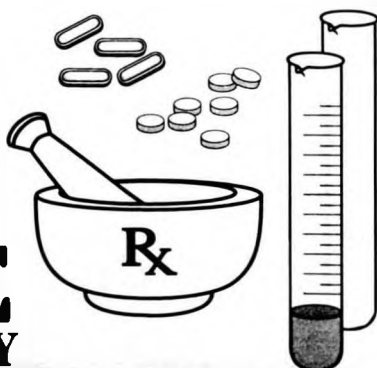
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# Sagkeeng Salutes Grads of 2004

By Jim Hampshire

It took a setting the size of the Sagkeeng Arena to host the

friends and families of the 2004 grads of on June 18, as students of Sagkeeng Anicinabe High

School were honoured by the community.

This year 19 students walked to the podium to receive diplomas and awards in the two-hour ceremony celebrating achievements and academic excellence. In all, 15 awards and scholarships were presented, with Michael Lamoureux coming away with

the lucrative Tembec Bursary of \$4,000, distributed over a four-year period. The bursary is presented each year by Tembec, to the student who displays academic achievement combined with citizenship. Lamoureux also picked

up the S.E.A. Award for finishing with top marks in grade 12.

Other notable winners included Bryan Twoheart, who picked up three awards including

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Jason Courchene was guest speaker at the Sagkeeng grad



The Sagkeeng Singers were on hand to entertain at the Sagkeeng grad last week

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# Better Late Than Never

## Lac du Bonnet and Pine Falls Adult Learning centres salute grads of 2003

By Jim Hampshire

More than 100 well-wishers were on hand to congratulate the graduates of New Directions School during a one hour ceremony in Lac du Bonnet last Monday evening. This year ten adult students of various ages were able to obtain their high

school diplomas through the continuing education program, which is funded by the Sunrise School Division.

During the ceremonies, staff members and government officials spoke of the importance of achieving a high school diploma, no matter how late in

life. Federal MP Vic Toews complimented the graduates for their perseverance and the work ethic needed to complete the necessary courses, with very little spare time.

"Although every graduation is important, I think we can acknowledge that these graduates have made a special commitment in order to achieve this milestone," he noted.

The graduates also took the opportunity to thank the teachers for their guidance and patience over the school year. Graduate and student speaker, Kim Sowa, noted that the teachers made every student feel important and at ease over the course of the year while working at the New Directions

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Graduates Leslie Clarke, Marik Caya, Barbara Lynes, Joshua Wilcott and Marc Bird were on hand to receive diplomas at the Empower Education ceremonies at Manitou Lodge last Tuesday (Missing from the photo is Randal Druzyn)

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school. Both students and administration members also took the time to acknowledge instructor Edith Olson, who has worked for New Directions for 15 years, since it's inception. Following the ceremony, Olson noted that the adult learning program is essential for rural communities like Lac du Bonnet, where adults can return to their studies later in life in order to receive their high school diploma.

"When you look back thirty or forty years, a high school diploma wasn't as important

as it is today," she said. "Students often left high school to enter the workforce because it was a necessary means of support when money wasn't in abundance.

"Now because of job requirements, a high school diploma is important to advance into management positions or to gain further studies to progress in the workforce and the adult learning program is there to help these people progress."

These sentiments were echoed in Pine Falls last Tuesday, where six adult students were



The New Directions Adult Learning School honoured ten students this year, including Kerri Clark, Donna Koshelaryk, Chantelle Lavoie, Kathleen Lussier, Leona Quiring, Kim Sowa, and Travis Veilleux, pictured above. Missing from photo is Jonathan Kostra, Angela Thomas and Michelle Zytryk.

honoured at Empower ceremonies at Manitou Lodge. Barry Vokey from J.U.S.T. Training

was on hand to speak of the vital importance of the program, and to encourage future

enrollment.

"People may not realize, but this program is free and if people don't take advantage, it might disappear altogether," Vokey explained. "Whether pride is holding people back, or whether people are worried about time commitments, everything can be worked around to the students advantage."

Vokey said that studies can fit most any schedule and can be completed at home, if necessary.

"The student can set the agenda," he stated. "We understand people are busy raising children or working daily, and we're here to help day and night."

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Course of Administration Office and Public Works Department  
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The Public is hereby advised that the RM of Alexander Municipal Office will be closed on Thursday, July 1st and Friday July 2nd, 2004 and Public Works Department will be closed on Friday, July 2nd, 2004.

Margie Bonekamp  
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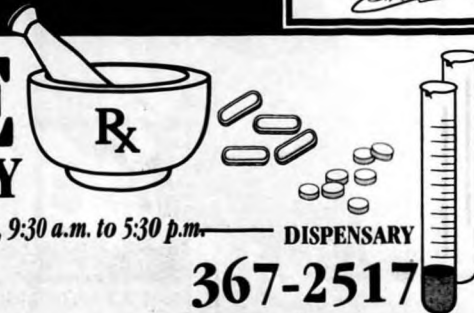
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# Faith Perspective

by Pastor Jake Doell

## How much are you worth?

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the solution. To the government you are worth giving a social insurance number to that you might "render unto Caesar" that which is due unto Caesar." To the evolutionist you are worth as much as that hairy baboon you see on National Geographics (Who knows, he might your great, great, great..... grandfathers cousin twice removed. )

Question - "How much are you really worth?" Sometimes we wonder if we are worth anything at all, since there are more than 6 billion of us on this planet. The feeling of insignificance is quite common. Let me share with you what God says we are worth. Psalm 139:13&14 - "You (God) are the one who put me together

inside my mother's body and I praise you because of the wonderful way you created me." But you say that God created the animals also and that is true. But God has done something for the human family that He has not done even for the angels. We lost our place of intimate relationship with God (Genesis 3) by our disobedience to Him. God did not walk out on us. But instead He sent His only Son - Jesus Christ to pay the penalty for our disobedience by dying on an old rugged cross on Calvary's hill nearly 2000 years ago. Jesus took my place. He took your place that day because God loved each of us so much that He was willing to see His own Son die for us. My friend that's how much you are worth. Receive God's gift of love by believing on the Lord Jesus Christ with all your heart and confessing Him with your mouth - Romans 10:9&10.

## Red Hat Society coming to Pine Falls

submitted

Women 50 years of age and older are invited to put on their purple dresses and red hats for the Red Hat Society is coming to Pine Falls. If someone under 50 years old would like to join, they can wear a lavender dress with a pink hat and become a member as a Lady in Waiting.

The Red Hat Society started as a result of a group of women deciding to welcome middle age with verve and humour believing that silliness is the comedy relief of life. Underneath the frivolity they share a common bond of affection, joined by common life experiences and

sincere enthusiasm for wherever life takes them next.

The world wide organization has approximately 600,000 to 1,000,000 Red Hatters. Members meet once a month. The only rule is "There are no Rules." They may go on outings such as launches, tea houses, movies, plays, tours, day spas, or whatever the group decides.

To learn more visit [www.redhatsociety.com](http://www.redhatsociety.com).

Pine Falls Chapter (The Hat Signs) is in the process of becoming "disorganized" now. Call 367-2828 for more info. or email

[thehatsigns@hotmail.com](mailto:thehatsigns@hotmail.com).



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*The Mayor, Councillors and Staff of the Village of Powerview wish the Graduates of 2004 success in their future Endeavours!*

# Happy Tots Place

by Kathie Duff

We are hoping the summer season will bring warmer weather then our spring season so we can bring our pools out and enjoy outdoors more.

I'd like to start by giving you a summary for the events of June.

May 31-June 04: The children were taught about different dinosaurs, how big they were and if they were plant or meat eaters. They did lots of dinosaur crafts this week and the older children paper mache'd a dinosaur. They sure looked like they were having fun!

June 7-11: The children learned about all the things you find in an ocean, fish, crabs, lobsters, sharks, whales, starfish, turtles and what you bring with you to play at the ocean, (Pail, shovel, sand toys) They even had an experiment with salt water. We did crafts all week, which corresponded to what they learned.

On June 11, we had a special day for the children who will be going off to Grade 1 in the Fall: Cheyenne Bruyere, Nevin Longridge, Jasmine Bruyere, and Alicia Bruyere. We had a special cake and pictures. Each child received a diploma and a graduation hat.

June 14-18: The children made special crafts for their special loved one to celebrate Father's day.

June 21-25: The children will learn Letters, which one makes up their name and the objects around us. This week we will do corresponding crafts for this theme.

June 28-July 02: Textures; The children will learn what things are, soft, hard, rough, smooth and have crafts which correspond to this theme.

I will leave you with out themes for the Summer:

- July 5-9 Homes
  - July 12-16 Summer/Camping
  - July 19-23 Transportation
  - July 26-30 Insects
  - August 2-6 Flowers
  - August 9-13 Nutrition
  - August 16-20 Space
  - August 23-27 Family
- Have a great summer, everyone!



The Happy Tots Place Graduating Class - They will be starting Grade 1 this fall. (Left to Right) Nevin Longridge, Alicia Bruyere, Cheyenne Bruyere, and Jasmine Bruyere

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# Powerview School Graduating Class of 2004



**Amanda Cyr**  
Parents: Grant and Linda Cyr  
Future Plans: Moving to Grand Cayman for a year then continuing post secondary education in dental hygiene.



**Andrew Bonekamp**  
Parents: Jack & Kim Bonekamp. Future Plans: I will be attending the UofM this fall, working towards a masters of science in biology.



**Ariel Whitehill**  
Parents: Donald & Lorene Whitehill. Future Plans: Attend the University of Winnipeg with the goal of becoming a child psychologist.



**Ashley Robertson**  
Parents: Derek & Kim Robertson. Future Plans: take a year off to work then attend university to pursue a career in teaching.



**Rebecca Oakes**  
Parents: George & Heather Oakes. Future Plans: Attending University of Winnipeg this fall to pursue and education degree.



**Brandy Wiebe**  
Parents: Sue Papineau, John Wiebe. Future Plans: To attend post-secondary education at Red River College.



**Brigitte Grenier**  
Parents: Yvon & Therese Grenier. Future Plans: Attending the University of Manitoba this fall to pursue a career in accounting or actuarial mathematics.



**Bryant Rodych**  
Parents: Lori & Vince Rodych. Future Plans: Unkown



**Cassidy Guimond**  
Parents: Desmond & Cheryl Courchene. Future Plans: Attend University of Winnipeg this winter to obtain a degree as an optometrist.



**Cheryl Kraeker**  
Parents: Vince & Nicole Kraeker. Future Plans: I plan to work for a year then attend Red River College to pursue a career in nursing.



**Christy Bruneau**  
Parents: Ron & Michelle Bruneau. Future Plans: to work for a year then become a correctional officer.



**Claire Lussier**  
Parents: Paul & Laraine Lussier. Future Plans: Attend University of Winnipeg to attend post secondary education in the field of fashion.




**Cullee Delaquis**  
Parents: Richard & Brigitte Delaquis. Future Plans: To work for a year and then continue post-secondary education



**Dana Gauthier**  
Parents: Paul & Cathy Gauthier. Future Plans: Attend Red River College this fall to become a health & information technologist.




**Daniel Bonekamp**  
Parents: Nick & Jan Bonekamp. Future Plans: To attend Red River College to become an electrician although my long term goal is to get a career in law enforcement



*Wishing the Graduates  
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**Danny Fontaine**  
Parents: Perry & Delores Fontaine. Future Plans: Take a year off school and do some travelling then continue post-secondary education in law enforcement.



**Darren Lavigne**  
Parents: Donald & Deligna Lavigne. Future Plans: Take a year off school to work and plan my future.



**Evan Mysak**  
Parents: Roy & Heather Mysak. Future Plans: Attending University of Manitoba and working towards a Bachelor of Commerce.



**Ian Wingate**  
Parents: Gary & Evelyn Wingate. Future Plans: To open an automobile custom shop and become space man.



**Jackie Johnston**  
Parents: Oral & Carol Johnston. Future Plans: Attending Brandon University this fall to pursue a career in nursing.



**Jarret Pachkowsky**  
Parents: Ron & Corinne Pachkowsky. Future Plans: Work for a year then attending post secondary education to become a welder or an autobody technician. Long term to become an RCMP officer.



**Jenna MacLellan**  
Parents: Donny & Linda MacLellan. Future Plans: Attend University of Winnipeg to obtain a bachelor of science degree and plan pursue a career in medicine.



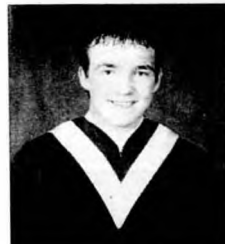
**Jennifer Catellier**  
Parents: Noel Catellier and Darlene Hawkins. Future Plans: To take a year off then attend Red River College to study Business Administration.



**Jessica Dutka**  
Parents: Kirk & Evelyn Dutka. Future Plans: Undecided.



**Jocelyn Vincent**  
Parents: Luc & Brenda Vincent. Future Plans: Attend College Universitaire de St. Boniface this fall to obtain a bachelor of Art degree and pursue a career in education.



**John Scheel**  
Parents: John Sr. Scheel and Jan Scheel. Future Plans: Undecided



**Jolene Trethart**  
Parents: Dorian & Claudette Trethart. Future Plans: Attend the University of Winnipeg this fall and continue at Red River to obtain a degree in radiology technology.



**Justin Desautels**  
Parents: Louis & Val Desautels. Future Plans: Undecided.




**Kenny Fontaine**  
Parents: Kenneth and Patricia Fontaine. Future Plans: Undecided

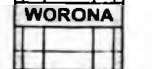


**Kursty Robertson**  
Parents: Derek & Kim Robertson. Future Plans: Take a year off of school to work then continue to pursue a career in autobody.



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# Powerview School Graduating Class of 2004



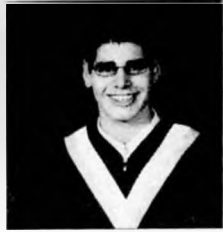
**Loreena Pascal**  
Parents: Doug Bushie and Eileen Cadieux.  
Future Plans: Take a year off school to work then make more plans.



**Mark Watling**  
Parents: John & Lynn Watling. Future Plans: to attend post secondary education at the University of Manitoba in the future.



**Matthew Davidson**  
Parents: Willie & Beryl Davidson. Future Plans: Taking a year off school and hopefully become an RCMP officer one day.



**Mitch Berthelette**  
Parents: Leonard & Faye Berthelette. Future Plans: To work for a year then attend Red River College to become a welder or a pipefitter.



**Nikki Parisian**  
Parents: Ari Starr and Bernice Starr. Future Plans: Continue post-secondary education.



**Stephanie Pachkowsky**  
Parents: Cameron & Cheryl Pachkowsky. Future Plans: Attending Red River College this fall to study Early Childhood Education.



**Nolan Kunz**  
Parents: Burt & Tammy Kunz. Future Plans: Move to Cayman Islands to work for a year and decide my future.



**Percy Raven**  
Parents: Stewart & Wilma Bird. Future Plans: Take a year off school then continue post-secondary education.



**Santina Vincent**  
Parents: Allan & Rita Vincent.  
Future Plans: Undecided



**Scott Sokoloski**  
Parents: Trevor and Claire Sokoloski. Future Plans: Attend Red River College this fall to study Civil Engineering Technology.



**Tonya Lessard**  
Parents: Emile & Mona Lessard. Future Plans: Attend Red River College this fall to pursue a career in Business Administration.



**Tyler Palmquist**  
Parents: Larry & Lucie Palmquist. Future Plans: To become a great father.

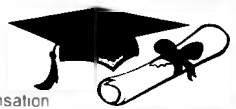


**Vince Lavoie**  
Parents: Willie & Julie Lavoie. Future Plans: Attend Brandon Fire Emergency College.

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# Powerview School Salutes Grads of 2004

they made several podium visits to pick up various awards and scholarships. The Class of 2004 also received 15 Honour



Fran Thompson from the North Eastern Health Association presents Jenna MacLellan with a scholarship award

Diplomas, which are bestowed to students who attained 31 or more credits over the course of their senior years.

Lac du Bonnet MLA Gerald Hawranik attended the ceremonies to present the Citizenship Award to this year's recipient, Jocelyn Vincent. During his presentation, Hawranik paid tribute to the students and staff for the dedicated effort which resulted in such a large graduating class.

This year, the Valedictorian Address was given by Danial Bonekamp and Jolene Trethart, while the traditional salute to parents was given by Mitch Berthelette and Jocelyn Vincent in both official languages.



Brigitte Grenier started the show by winning the Sunrise School Division Gold Medal Award and kept on winning through the Graduation ceremonies at Powerview School on Saturday. Besides the Gold Medal Award, she went to the podium six times to receive various awards, including university scholarships, as well as the Governor General's Bronze Medal Award

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reach your  
dreams and  
may your  
future  
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## Sagkeeng salutes Grads of 2004

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ing the Governor General's Bronze Medal for academic excellence, and Robert Mulholland, who received four awards during the afternoon ceremonies.

The athletes of the year award were presented to Alice Swampy and Tyler Canard, while Katherine Fontaine picked up the Sagkeeng Chief and Council Attendance Award for maintaining a 95% minimum attendance rate.

Following the ceremonies,

the large crowd was entertained by the Sagkeeng Singers while dinner was being prepared by the nearly 400 guests in attendance.

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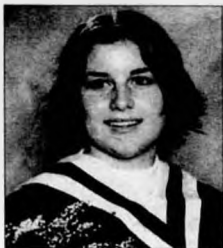
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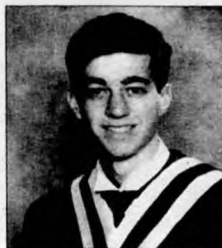
# Lac du Bonnet Senior School Class of 2004



**Airell Kalassen**  
Son of Tim Klassen and Brenda Carter-Lussier. I plan to go to Red River College and become an electrician.



**Alison Neiser**  
Daughter of Bob and Marilyn Neiser. I plan to graduate from the University of Winnipeg with a BED and B.A., become a K-4 teacher, and live in a small town.



**Alan Juenke**  
Son of Armand & Mary Juenke. I plan to work for a couple of years and then enroll in college to learn more about graphic design.



**April Obirek**  
Daughter of Susan Obirek I plan to go to Brandon University to pursue Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Education degrees. I plan to be a High School Science Teacher.



**Asbely Augustine**  
Daughter of Barry and Carol-Lee Augustine I will be attending Herzing College in the fall.



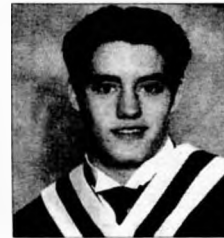
**Devin Bryce Andrews Bruce**  
Son of Cheryl and John Bruce; Mike and Mary Ellen Andrews. I plan to work for 1 year and then attend Red River College, September 2005 to take welding.



**Chertyn Leanne Sullivan**  
Daughter of Bill and Brenda Sullivan. I plan to attend the University of Winnipeg to pursue an education in Creative Communications or Nursing.



**Christina Larson**  
Daughter of Brian and Carol Larson. In the future I plan to go to university/college and plan to work with the public as a community worker.



**Christopher Champagne**  
Son of Kevin and Kim Champagne. I will be taking a year off until I decide what I want to do.



**Clayton Arseniuk**  
Son of Nick Arseniuk and Shawn Tester. Go to Tec-Voc for 1 year in the AMMOP program. After that, attend Aviation Flight Management at Confederation College in Thunder Bay.



**Dawn Marie Lamoureux**  
Daughter of Albert and Darlene Lamoureux I plan to pursue a career in Health Care.



**Deena Barrett**  
Daughter of Gordie and Darlene Barrett I plan to attend the University of Manitoba and get my Bachelor of Nursing.




**James Pedruchny**  
Son of Fred and Jo-Anne Pedruchny. I will be working with Manitoba Hydro and Eagle Nest Resorts for the summer months. I will continue my education at Red River College in January.



**Jason Moran**  
Son of Shane and Jeri Moran. I plan to go to Red River and take the Business Administration course for 2 years, then come back to take a Management course and work for the South Interlake Credit Union.



**Jen Diclemente**  
Daughter of Dominic and Peggy Diclemente. I plan to take a year off to work.

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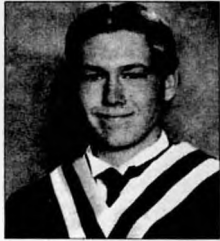
*Wish all the Graduates  
the Best of Luck as  
they prepare to take on the World!  
Congratulations!*



# Lac du Bonnet Senior School Class of 2004



**Jocelyn Augustine**  
Daughter of Rick and Darlene Augustine. I plan to work for a year, then attend college or university in Winnipeg.



**Jonathan Michael Babiak**  
Son of John and Dianne Babiak. I plan to work at "Eagle Nest Lodge" for at least 2 seasons. After that I plan to attend Red River College to pursue a career in the Stevenson Aviation Engineering field.



**Josh Enns**  
Son of Mike and Denise Enns. I plan to attend an Electronics Engineering course at Red River College in September.



**Katherine Jayne Labelle**  
Daughter of Fay LaBelle I plan to attend the University of Manitoba in the fall and obtain a Bachelor of Science degree.



**Kendra Ulrich**  
Daughter of Ken and Lynette Ulrich. I plan to attend the University of Winnipeg in the fall where I will study in the Faculty of Science. I plan to continue my studies in piano as well. My long term goal to obtain a PhD.



**Kim Richardson**  
Daughter of Barry and Kathy Richardson. My plans are to attend University of Manitoba and to pursue a career in environmental sciences.



**Krysten Leroux**  
Daughter of Janice and Doug Leroux. I plan to attend the University of Manitoba to pursue a career in High School Education to teach Biology.



**Lacey Abdilla**  
Daughter of Deloris and Leonard Abdilla I plan on taking Early Childhood Education at Red River College and becoming an ECE 2 worker.



**Melanie Rollins**  
Daughter of Gary and Arlene Rollins. I will be attending University of Manitoba in the fall. I will continue my music and language education and travel the world.



**Riva Karklin**  
Daughter of Gordon Karklin and Kathy Picard I plan to attend university and pursue a career in the medical field, while finding time to travel the world.



**Shannon Augustine**  
Daughter of Rick and Darlene Augustine. I plan to work for a year, take the Hospitality and Tourism Management course at Red River, then become a Restaurant Manager.



**Victor Shegelski**  
Son of Roy and Henrietta Shegelski. I plan to join the Canadian Armed Forces or the OPP.




**Amy Wesa**  
Daughter of Ron and Sue Wesa. After graduation I will be attending Red River College taking Business Administration in order to pursue a career as an entrepreneur




**Kristin Lynne Miller**  
Daughter of Holly Richard and Bruce Miller My future plans are to join Winnipeg City Police Force.

*To the graduates from the surrounding areas, we wish you the best of luck in the future.*




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From all of us, our best wishes for a Successful future




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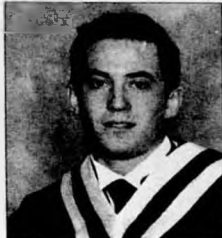
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# Lac du Bonnet Senior School Class of 2004



**Jamie Demyd**  
Son of Duane and Bev Demyd. I am a volunteer firefighter with the Lac du Bonnet Fire Department I plan to attend Brandon University and become a firefighter. I would also like to become a professional wrestler.



**Patrick Brincheski**  
Son of Bob and Margie Brincheski. I plan to attend the University of Winnipeg this fall to pursue a career in X-ray. I hope to keep playing hockey and race motocross for many years.



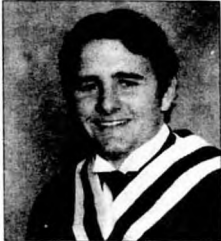
**Adam Stephen Kuzyk**  
Son of Brenda and Dennis Kuzyk My future plans are to join the Canadian Armed Forces in the fall.



**Samantha Law**  
Daughter of Robin Law and Randy Gustafson After summer holidays, I will be heading off to Alberta. My future includes aiming towards a career as a child and youth worker.



**Chris Cousins**  
Son of Barry and Cathy Cousins



**Wade Chomokovski**  
Son of Ken and Kathy Chomokovski I plan to attend the University of Manitoba in the fall.



**Nathan Sean Phillips**  
Son of Ann Falconer and Jim Phillips I plan to attend University and become an English Professor.

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# Senior School Grad sizzles

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 ceeds of the Ashley Kovari Memorial Run. Both Deena Barrett and Riva Karklin were also the recipients of a second

award named in memory of Ashley Kovari, which is awarded to students not necessarily pursuing post secondary education.

In other awards, Kendra Ulrich picked up honours for the Highest Senior Four Average, while Katherine LaBelle was awarded the 2003 Grad Scholarship.

Other notable recipients included Melanie Rollins, Cheryl Sullivan who picked up the Lac du Bonnet Community Bursary along with Kendra Ulrich, while another multiple winner, Riva Karklin, received the Citizenship Award from Lac du Bonnet MLA Gerald Hawranik.

The Heiden Neurenberg Memorial Scholarship, awarded by Jo-Anne and Fred Pedruchny, went to Patrick Brincheski while the Student Parliament Award was picked up by Amy Wesa.

The evening ceremonies included a seven-course catered banquet which provided a welcome intermission for graduates and audience members alike. The ceremonies ended in good time for the scheduled graduation dance that went well into the night.



Valedictorians Katherine LaBelle and Patrick Brincheski address the 500-plus audience gathered at the Lac du Bonnet Community Centre during grad ceremonies on Saturday evening



Sadly, the Lac du Bonnet Senior School bids farewell to several staff members, including Penny Oxis and longtime English Professor (you've earned it Rudy), Rudy Klassen, who has taught at least two generations of students at the Lac du Bonnet Senior School. Echo columnist Jim Hampshire was one of his first English students back in 1974 and Mr. Klassen is still denying responsibility for his gibberish.

## Congratulations

Best wishes to all students and Good Luck in your futures

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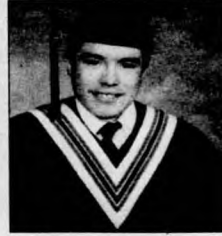
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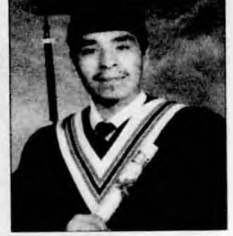
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# Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report

## Police Report for the period of June 21 to June 25th, 2004



### Lac du Bonnet Police Report

The following constitutes the Police Report for Lac du Bonnet Detachment for the period of the 21st of June to the 25th of June:

On the 21st of June, a report was rec'd of a black Ford Supercab and a red Chev pick-up driving around in Leisure Falls in the R.M. of Alexander and acting in a suspicious manner.

On the 21st of June, a report was rec'd of the theft of money from a patient's effects at the Pinawa Hospital.

On the 22nd of June, a report was rec'd that a vehicle had its windows broken out while parked overnight at the corner of Riverland Road North and P.R. 313 in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 22nd of June, a report was rec'd of damage done to a vehicle while parked at the Pine Point Rapids Hiking Trail in the Whiteshell Prov. Park.

On the 22nd of June, a report was rec'd that 6 fire hydrants were opened overnight. This took place on Lake. Park and McArthur in the Town of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 22nd of June, a report was rec'd of a vehicle in the ditch along P.R. 502 in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Police and the ambulance attended and the adult female driver was taken to Pinawa with what appeared to be minor injuries.

On the 22nd of June, a report was rec'd of a suspicious person at the corner of Minnewawa and Lake in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and checked the subject, who is from the local

area. Nothing untoward taking place.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd that a gravel truck lost its load of gravel along the exit from P.T.H. #11 onto P.R. 313 in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and provided traffic control while the gravel was cleaned up. No suspect gravel truck present, nor indication as to who was responsible.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd that an under-age female was smoking marijuana with a group of friends on the street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and located the group in question, but no evidence present to support a charge.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd that a vehicle was scratched along the side while parked on Railway Ave. in Whitemouth.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd of the loss of a Rubbermaid container from the back of a truck between Anola and Elma, or between Elma and Hadashville. The contents consisted of fishing tackle and camping equipment.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd of an Intrusion Alarm at East Shore Crescent in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. This was found to be a False Alarm.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd of erratic driving on P.R. 214 in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. The License plate number was obtained and the driver obtained and warned, as per the wishes of the complainant.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd of a fire at a location on

Lake Avenue in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police and the Fire Dept. attended and it was found that this was a small fire in the wall of a sauna.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd of a domestic dispute at a location on Pine in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and found that an adult female was assaulted by an intoxicated adult male. The adult male was arrested and lodged to sober up, and the victim was taken to the Pinawa Hospital for treatment. The adult male was subsequently charged for Assault Causing Bodily Harm, and escorted in custody to the Wpg. Remand Centre.

On the 23rd of June, a report was rec'd of an injury to a student in woodworking class at the Whitemouth School. This matter was referred to Workplace, Health and Safety.

On the 24th of June, a report was rec'd that an intoxicated adult male had been assaulted by a group of people in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police investigated and found that the subject had in fact fallen from his bicycle.

On the 24th of June, a report was rec'd of an intoxicated adult female making harassing telephone calls to a location in Austin, Manitoba, from a location in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 24th of June, a report was rec'd of damage to the rear passenger window of a vehicle parked on Park Avenue in the Town of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 24th of June, a report was rec'd that a vehicle drove through a Stop Sign in Pinawa, and nearly caused an accident

with another vehicle.

On the 24th of June, a report was rec'd that a vehicle was stolen from outside the Lac du Bonnet Community Centre while Bingo was taking place. This vehicle and another one which had been stolen in Wpg. were subsequently recovered in the Town of Lac du Bonnet parked on the street. It was also reported at this time that another vehicle was stolen from a location on First Street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police alerted surrounding Detachments to be on the look-out for this vehicle, and patrolled the Detachment area, but did not locate same.

On the 24th of June, an expensive bicycle with a cut locking chain was turned in as Found Property from a business on Third Street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 25th of June, a report was rec'd that four suspicious-looking under-age males were at a cottage at Flanders Lake trying to arrange a ride out of the area. Police attended and located the subjects, two of whom were travelling via bicycle. It was determined that the subjects were responsible for the vehicle theft from Wpg., and the two vehicle thefts from Lac du Bonnet, in addition to other thefts or attempted thefts in the Flanders Lake area.

All four were remanded into custody on a variety of offences, and escorted in custody to the Manitoba Youth Centre. All are residents of Winnipeg.

On the 25th of June, a report was rec'd that two adult bears and 3 cubs were being a business es-

tablishment in Pinawa. Matter referred to Natural Resources.

On the 25th of June, a report was rec'd of an Intrusion alarm on Totem Road in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Found to be a False Alarm.

On the 25th of June, a report was rec'd of an entry to the under-construction Wpg River Resource Centre, with mischief done.

On the 25th of June, a report was rec'd that an adult female was assaulted and threatened at a location in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet by an adult male. The adult male subsequently turned himself in at the Detachment, and was released for Court.

On the 25th of June, a report was rec'd that an adult female was assaulted by an adult male at a location in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. The adult male was arrested and released for court.

On the 25th of June, a report was rec'd that a window was damaged on a residence on Cedar Street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Appeared to have possibly been done by a sling-shot.

On the 25th of June, a report was rec'd that what appeared to be an old grave was located in an area of the Granite Hills Golf Course in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. This was investigated and a determination made that it was not a grave.

**Full Update Police Report in Next week's Echo.**

## Weekly Echo Horoscopes



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

Be sure to catch up on overdue correspondence and help those you love find solutions to their dilemmas. Strong willpower will come to your rescue. Be aware of any emotional deception. Do not sign legal contracts or documents this week. Check your personal papers and make sure everything is in order.



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

You have been stagnating for some time now and you need a change of pace. Voice your opinions and contribute to the debate. Be careful not to take on other people's problems. You may find yourself in a financial bind. Your creative imagination will help you in coming up with unique ideas.



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

Take advantage of your attributes and lure the mate of your choice. Socially, you need a fast paced form of entertainment. You might find it difficult to control your emotions. Throw yourself into your work.



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

Communication will be the source of your knowledge and you must be sure to spend time with those who have more experience. Avoid joint ventures and steer clear of groups that want you to contribute financial assistance. Don't even bother trying to get their approval on the things you want to do. Think twice before you volunteer information.



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

Positive connections can be made if you get involved in environmental organizations. Money may slip through your fingers. You have more than enough on your plate already. You are likely to be left alone if you aren't willing to bend just a little.



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

Don't shy away from potential mates they want to introduce you to. Look into alternatives that would better suit both your needs. You are best to ask questions if you aren't certain about issues that are confronting you. Accommodate others but not before you do your own thing. Do the proper safety checks before you go out.



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

Hard work will payoff if you refrain from expressing your opinion to superiors. Don't let relatives stand in the way of your personal plans. Make changes regarding your status in society. Short trips to visit others will do the whole family a world of good.



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

Don't let others bully you into agreeing with them. You can ferret out secret information if you just listen to what others have to say. Don't offer to pay for others. Younger relatives may seek your advice.

*This edition covers the week of June 28 to July 4*



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

Get involved in sports events that will benefit your physical appearance. You need time to make things better. You may want to try your hand at a little creative writing. Don't let your boss get the better of you. Take the initiative and go after your goals.



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

Problems with skin, bones, or teeth may mess up your schedule. This will be a good day for research and for sitting down with some good, informative reading material. You will gain valuable insight and knowledge through the experiences you have along the way. You may be confused regarding your love life.



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

You should not be concerned with coworkers who insist on spreading rumors. Try to stay calm and understand both sides of the situation. Talk to your mate about a vacation and discuss the expectations of your relationship. You can make money through real estate or by using your head when it comes to personal investments.



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

Verbal abuse may lead to walkouts; don't make any rash statements you may regret later. You will be accident prone if you aren't careful this week. Any contributions you make to organizations will enhance your reputation and help you in making new friends.

# Echo Classifieds

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**For Sale**  
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**For Sale**  
**House for Sale.** 13 Cedar Street. in Pine Falls, 3BR, Hardwood floors throughout, central air, large lot, beautiful yard, shed, new garage. Must see call 367-9708. 24-1

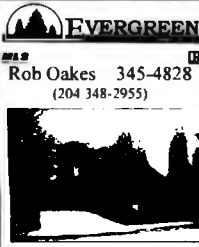
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Information and tender forms are available at the Pine Falls Health Complex during regular office hours (8:00am to 4:00pm) Monday to Friday.

Closing date: 4:00pm July 16, 2004.

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Pine Falls Health Complex  
Box 2000  
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On June 22 at 10:30am the residents of Sunnywood Manor, their families and friends hosted the annual Alzheimer's walk. A huge thank you goes to all the Eastman Region and the areas of Winnipeg who donated to the Alzheimer's walk on behalf of Sunnywood Manor Pine Falls. We raised a total of \$3,839.85, our most ever. The following have taken time out of their busy lives to canvass for this great cause. Thanks Debbie for being our BBQ specialist for our event...

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**End of thanks**

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Thanks again, Cheryl  
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- Salary negotiable and based on education and experience.

**Closing date for applications: Wednesday, July 9, 2004**

Qualified interested applicant may forward their resumes with references in confidence to:

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**Sagkeeng Child and Family Services Inc.**  
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We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



To my baby brother,  
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**Graduation**



Congratulations **Stephanie**  
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**Graduation**



Congratulations **Clifford** on your grade eight graduation from Pine Falls School.

Love mom, dad and Tylor

# ECHOES FROM THE Heart

## May all your dreams come true

The question was once asked of a highly successful businessman: "How have you done so much in your lifetime?" He replied, "I have dreamed. I have turned my

mind loose to imagine what I wanted to do. Then I have gone to bed and thought about my dreams. In the night I dreamt about my dreams. And when I awoke in the morning, I saw the way to make my dreams real. While other people were saying, "You can't do that, it isn't possible," I was well on my way to achieving what I

wanted." As parents we tell our children you can be anything you want to be, you just have to work at it. It is funny how when we are young, we cannot see the value and the truth of this statement.

As youth we tend to want to explore, we think we know it all, and that we have all the time in the world. Then as time goes by we begin to see, we have our whole lives to explore, we in fact know very little, compared to the big picture, and we do not have all the time in the world, life goes by quickly. How many times have we heard one say, "Boy,

if I had only known then what I know now, I would be great." or, "If I had only taken the time to do that, things would be different now." or "I had always wanted to do that, but heck, that was only a dream."

As Woodrow Wilson, 28th President of the U.S., said: "We grow great by dreams. All big men are dreamers." They see things in the soft haze of a spring day, or in the red fire on a long winter's evening. Some of us let these great dreams die, but others nourish and protect them; nourish them through bad days until they bring them to the sunshine and light which

comes always to those who sincerely hope that their dreams will come true."

This message is appropriate for the time of year, When young adults are graduating from their schools and venturing out into the world to achieve their goals and dreams. Someone once said, if you have it in you to dream, you have it in you to achieve.

So please, don't let anyone steal your dreams, or try to tell you they are too impossible. "Sing your song, dream your dreams, hope your hope and pray your prayer."

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