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## No rain on their parade

### Skies clear as Legion marches through the streets of Lac du Bonnet

By Jim Hampshire

Everybody loves a parade, even the sun as it turned out.

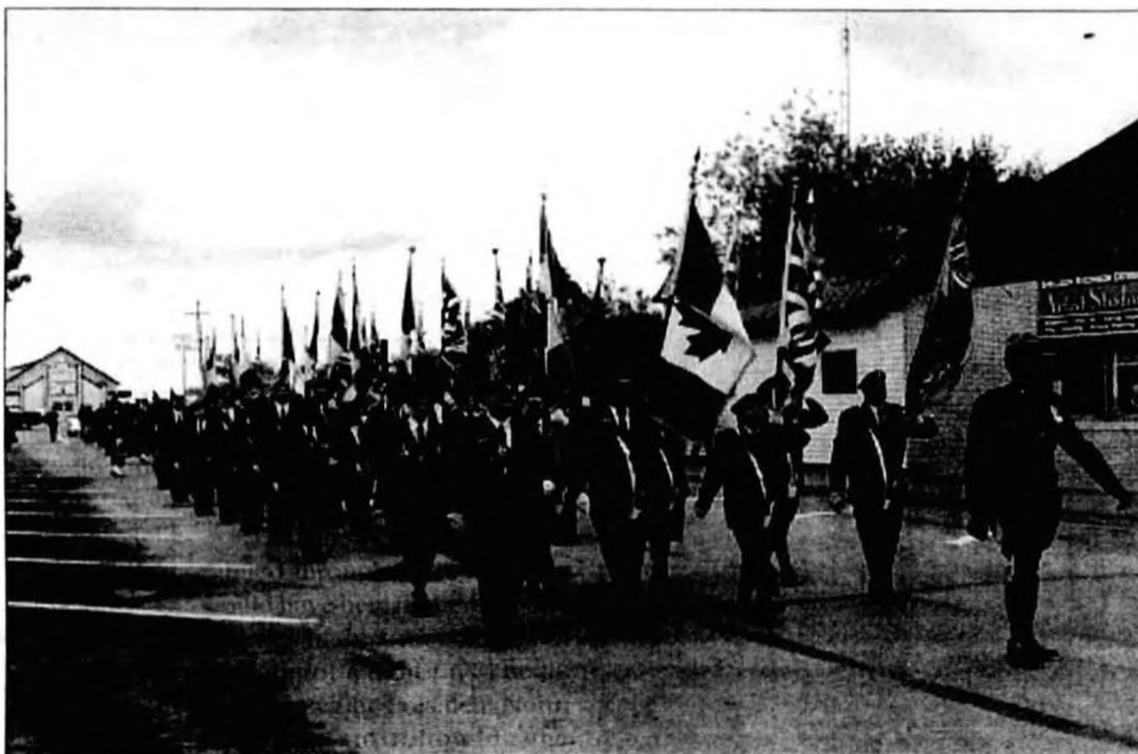
What started as just another rainy day in Lac du Bonnet quickly changed for the better early Sunday afternoon when more than one-hundred Legion members and invited dignitaries fell into parade formation in front of the local Branch to begin the annual march to the Cenotaph.

The annual Decoration Day ceremonies, which are normally held in Lac du Bonnet on the second Sunday in June, began at 1:00pm Sunday with the RCMP leading eleven Colour Parties and the Winnipeg Police Pipe Band through the streets of Lac du Bonnet, en route to the local Cenotaph for

a wreath-laying ceremony. And although weather always plays a big part in the annual parade and ceremony, the Legion executive said they had a backup contingency plan which would have worked in a pinch, although organizers were a little more than relieved that weather decided to cooperate.

"Had the heavy rains continued throughout the day we could have held the ceremonies indoors in the Branch Hall but it's a bit of a tight fit," Lac du Bonnet Legion President Norm Rimmer said following the service. "It's not easy marching eleven Colour Parties around any indoor venue."

As it turned out, the weather was nearly ideal during the 90-minute ceremony,



The Lac du Bonnet Legion was out in full colour Sunday afternoon as they march through the streets of town on their way to the local cenotaph for their Decoration Day ceremonies.

and even the brisk north wind brought welcome relief as the sunny conditions drove up the

humidity factor.

"It can be hot and stressful out there for the veterans and also for the Colour Parties, who have to stand throughout the ceremonies," Rimmer explained. "Today the cool north wind helped make things a little more comfortable."

Decoration Day ceremonies are held at many Legion Branches across Canada each spring, usually with each ceremony being marked with a parade. In a show of support, other invited Legions often

send their Branch Colour Parties to participate in the parade, making for an impressive display of flags. The Lac du Bonnet parade brought Colour Parties from Legions and Veteran organizations from around Winnipeg, and from Selkirk and Beausejour as well. This year's turnout was somewhat larger than last year when similar weather conditions swayed some Legions to cancel their participation.

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## Board of Reference award

The Department of Education Board of Reference has announced its award and recommendations in regards to Sunrise School Division and Pine Falls School District. Briefly, the award states that

the Sunrise and Pine Falls School divisions will merge effective July 1 and the two school boards will be dissolved. In the new Sunrise board, Wards 1 through 6 and Ward 8 will remain unchanged. Trus-

tee representation in Ward 7 will be increased from 1 to 4, consisting of Jamie McMullen, Wayne Barkhouse, Shannon Earle and Cheryl Pachkowsky. Representation in Ward 7 will revert back to one after elections in October 2006.

Among other recommendations the Board of Reference strongly recommended that:

Sunrise not begin the 20 month process to close the Pine Falls School until after Board elections in October 2006;

No significant changes be made at either the Pine Falls or Powerview schools until after the October 2006 elections,

And that an Ad Hoc committee be set up to review and resolve any outstanding issues with respect to education issues affecting the Pine Falls and Powerview Schools, and that the committee report back to the Sunrise School Division no later than May 31, 2006.



Pine Falls School

## Missing man's body found

The Lac du Bonnet RCMP responded on June 8 at 1:30 pm to Numao Lake in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. The Remains believed to be that of Kevin Donald Howie (28 years) of Winnipeg were located on the northwest side of Numao Lake.

Mr Howie went missing on May 14th of this year while boating in that area.

The remains will be taken to the Health Science Centre for an autopsy.

# No rain on their parade

from front page

The Sunday event also brought out government officials, including local MLA Gerald Hawranik and Lorraine Toews, who attended on behalf of her husband, MP Vic Toews, who was in Ottawa. Local Dignitaries included Lac du Bonnet Mayor Paul Chapman, Reeve Don Halbert, Pinawa's Deputy Mayor Blair Skinner, Councillor Marcel Rivard from the Government of Alexander and Whitemouth Reeve Don Nichol.

Following the outdoor ceremony, Legion members and guests were invited indoors to take part in a mid-afternoon buffet banquet, catered by the Ladies Auxiliary. This year a

special presentation was made by The Chairman of the Winnipeg Metropolitan Committee, Vic Rubiletz, who presented a first-place trophy to the Lac du Bonnet Ladies Auxiliary Colour Party for winning a Clour Party Competition in Winnipeg earlier this year. The local ladies beat all other Ladies Auxiliary Colour Parties in the province to win the award. Rubiletz also presented another award to the ladies, this time as the provincial runner-up in all Colour Party categories, including the Legion Division, which is comprised of both men and lady Legion members. In all, upwards of 200 members and guests took in the afternoon affair.



Lac du Bonnet Ladies Auxiliary members Anne Okrainec, Doreen Champagne, Fay Dooley and Sergeant at Arms Jackie Hampshire accept the first-place trophy as the best Ladies Colour Party in the province

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# Family fun key in Fundraiser banquet weekend derby draws big crowds

## Even organizers surprised at fishing tournament turnout

by Jim Hampshire

To say it was a success would be an understatement. At least that's how organizer Lisa Thomas describes the response to the first annual Family Fun Fishing Derby, held to benefit minor hockey in Lac du Bonnet.

"I can't say enough about the turnout and about how the whole town got behind this fishing derby," Organizer Lisa Thomas beamed following the derby. "It was just fantastic, how entire families entered and spent the day together, which was what we were shooting for."

The idea to hold a fishing derby came to Thomas last winter, when she felt there should be some way to raise funds for local minor hockey in the off-season. As in many communities, there are always fund raising raffles and other events geared to raise money for hockey during the winter, but she noticed that people are apt to turnout and take part in events in the warmer weather and the idea took off from

there.

"We were looking for a way to raise money and it occurred to me that a fishing derby might work well," she said. "So we started planning for it last January and got the business community involved."

And although the line of sponsors is too long to list, no less than 60 businesses in both Lac du Bonnet and Pine Falls put their support behind the derby, which offered 16 prizes overall. To top off the prize list, Jackson Lodge and Eagle Nest Lodge both donated fishing trips, which Thomas says, did well to spark interest in the event.

"Adventure Air and Eagle Nest Lodge were very generous to donate the fishing trips," she said. "These prizes really helped to attract entries."

During the same day, Standard Aero Industries of Winnipeg were also holding their annual derby in Lac du Bonnet, and some Winnipeggers caught wind of the minor hockey event and entered on a whim. Overall, there were 187 entries in the Family Fun Fishing Derby and Thomas was quick to praise the honesty of the participants. As she explains it, local conservation officials worked with organizers to hold a derby where Wall-eye fish stocks would receive the least harm, and where even

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(Left to Right) MLA, Gerald Hawranik, Vice President Southeast Region MMF - Denise Thomas, Theresa Dube, Omer Dube, MP, Vic Toews, (front) Little John Dube, and brother Daniel

In an on-going effort to raise money for the Little John Dube Medical Fund, a banquet dinner was held at the Powerview Catholic Church basement on June 3rd.

A large crowd of family, friends and supporters came together to help lend their support for Little John Dube. All who attended were treated to a delightful meal and entertainment.

"We are overwhelmed by the responses and all out effort of so many people. It is nice to see that so many people care and want to help. We are very thankful," said Theresa Dube.

The evening was catered by Bostrom's of Manigotagan.

Live entertainment by local artists was also provided.

Together with the silent auction, the TV raffle, and Free gas raffle a total of \$7,917 was raised during the evening.

The winner of the TV raffle was the St. Georges Voyageurs, and the free gas draw was won by Alain Desloges.

This past Saturday a benefit Poker derby was held, it was sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and Midway Foods.

There will be many on-going fundraising events taking place within the community and outside of the area. If you are interested in attending some of the functions or want to participate in anyway,

please feel free to contact any member of the steering committee and they will be glad to assist you.

If you want to make a donation to the Little John Medical Fund, donations can be made to the Royal Bank in Pine Falls Account Number #5029871 and if you are out of town, you can use Transit number #03647. Steering committee members are: Bob Norton 6699267, Lillian Meilleur 367-9105, Val Anderson 367-9468, Norman Meade 669-5504, Maurice Desautels 367-2549, Robin Cyr 367-9049, Dave Lower 367-2078, Eileen Cadieux 367-9033, Audrey Roy 367-8622, Rheal Morrisette 367-8439, Yves Normandin 367-2733.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 24 - Pine Falls Golf Course  
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# Papertown Charity Cup Golf tournament

The fairways may have been wet, but the sun finally appeared on Saturday and gave way to blue skies and good times for all who attended the 1st Annual Papertown Charity Cup Golf Tournament.

Approximately 60 players hit the fairways last Saturday at the Pine Falls Golf Course, and participated in a Ryder Cup style format - 3 nine hole event. "The course is great considering all the rain we have had. Hitting into the rough can be challenging to get out of but we are all playing the same course with the same conditions, so anything can happen and it's anybody's game today," said Denten Normand one of the competitors.

Golfer's were treated to a great lunch during the day, sponsor's kept the refreshments flowing and organizer's kept the spirits high. "This is something I have wanted to organized for a long time, I am just glad we were finally able to put it all together and start the tournament this year." Said Laurent Raymond of Papertown Motor Inn. "I have wanted to start some kind of fundraising event here in town to help contribute to sports and other charities in the community, and I decided this year no matter what, it was going to happen."

This year's charity events profits will

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(Left to right) 1st Flight winners of the 1st Annual Papertown Charity Cup - Rick Abraham, Mike Dorey, and Rob Prowse, team mate missing was Al Borody- Laurent Raymond presenter



(left to right) 3rd Flight winners of the 1st Annual Papertown Charity Cup - Guy St. Vincent, Guy Borlase, Carl Hutchinson, Missing team mate Al Anderson, and presenter Laurent Raymond



(left to right) 2nd Flight winners of the 1st Annual Papertown Charity Cup - Laurent Raymond/presenter, team members- Albert Garand, Dave Sparrow, Jack Shwaluk, and Rob Hollins

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-Rose Charnoff

**WOW - I Lost 65lbs, 33 inches!**

It's unbelievable! I have lost 65 pounds in just 4 months. My friends and family have noticed the inches just melt away. I have lost 8" on my waist and 8" on my chest, 5" on my hips and on my left thigh 6" and the right thigh 6" for a total of 33". I am still following a healthy diet and came faithfully to the QuickSpa everyday, 6 days a week. Della & Cathryn make sure that you are using the equipment properly and are receiving the best workout. Della makes me feel fantastic in the way she supports and guides me everyday at the QuickSpa. I can honestly say, I feel healthier now! I am so grateful that Della opened the QuickSpa in town.

-Sharon Brown (Pilot)

I've been working out regularly about 5 times a week doing a variety of activities to keep in shape. I've tried many different machines and have been a member at different clubs that had everything to offer. I got bored doing the usual ones, treadmill, bikes, climbers and then enjoyed running, biking, skiing and free weights. Although this routine served me well it didn't challenge me and I was at a stand still. When I walked into Della's spa I was skeptical that a little 10 minute workout on the R.O.M. And her other interesting machines would give me results because I usually worked much much longer than that, but WOW... I am impressed. I noticed a difference in my overall shape in just 2 weeks compared to the last 4 years of my regular exercise routine. I am working out less and getting an awesome workout. I have more energy and now am using my time more efficiently. After 3 children, my toughest areas, my abs (which I gave up on) once again Della's machines are giving me results. I also don't have my usual side effects of exercise which used to halt my routine such as, shin splints, sore back and muscles and joint pain. Thank you Della for taking my fitness to the next level.

-Karen Morrison

# All aboard! Cando joins Round Table

by Charles Norman

Cando, the owner and operator of the Central Manitoba Railway that serves Pine Falls has joined the Winnipeg River Regional Round Table. The company marked the occasion by hosting the Tuesday June 8 meeting of the Round Table aboard one of its trains. The train, with a refurbished 1955 Canadian National passenger car and two locomotives, left Pine Falls at 6:30 Tuesday evening and took Round Table members and guests on the Winnipeg route as far as the Brokenhead Ojibway First Nation, then returned to Pine Falls, arriving, in pouring rain, at dusk.

The track is not in good condition. The last two, very wet, years have increased maintenance costs considerably. The Federal Department of Transport has recently down-rated the line to a class 1 railway, with speed limits on some sections restricted to ten miles per hour. It takes five and a half hours for the trip to Winnipeg. Sinkholes are common and beaver activity does not help. Two locomotives are necessary because the engineer has to be able to see the line ahead. There has been at least one derailment.

CMR serves Tembec twice a week, but, according to Cando representative Fred Dillon, the Company is "hungrily" looking for new business to help defray the cost of maintenance and improve the quality of the track. Dillon said Cando is not just a railway operator but is also a contractor specializing in laying and maintaining track. He said his company would like to be a part of any new development.

Cando is a conglomerate with 18 subsidiaries in Canada and the United States. In Manitoba, one of those subsidiaries, CMR, operates the 67-mile line from Pine Falls to Winnipeg. They have two passenger cars that could be anywhere in Canada, but if they are in Manitoba the company is open to suggestions for chartered passenger trips.

Round Table Sub-Committees reported that work on a proposed trade training school was progressing, as was a proposed industrial park development. A campground development was discussed and developments on the beach upgrade at St Georges were reported on.

George Harbottle reported on the status of the RM of Al-

exander's water supply system. Speaking of provincial infrastructure money he said the government appears to consider broadband Internet service to the North to be more important than clean water supply. He said applications for infrastructure money have to be made by two or more partners, e.g. the RM and the Town of Powerview/Pine Falls. "Individually we haven't got a hope in hell." He said. Harbottle said there have been some successful partnerships with the private sector in the provision of municipal water supply with provision for a municipal buy-back option.



The board members of the Winnipeg Regional Round Table and invited guests were taken aboard a refurbished 1955 Canadian National passenger car, to celebrate the joining of Cando.

## Tembec

Forest Resource Management Pine Falls

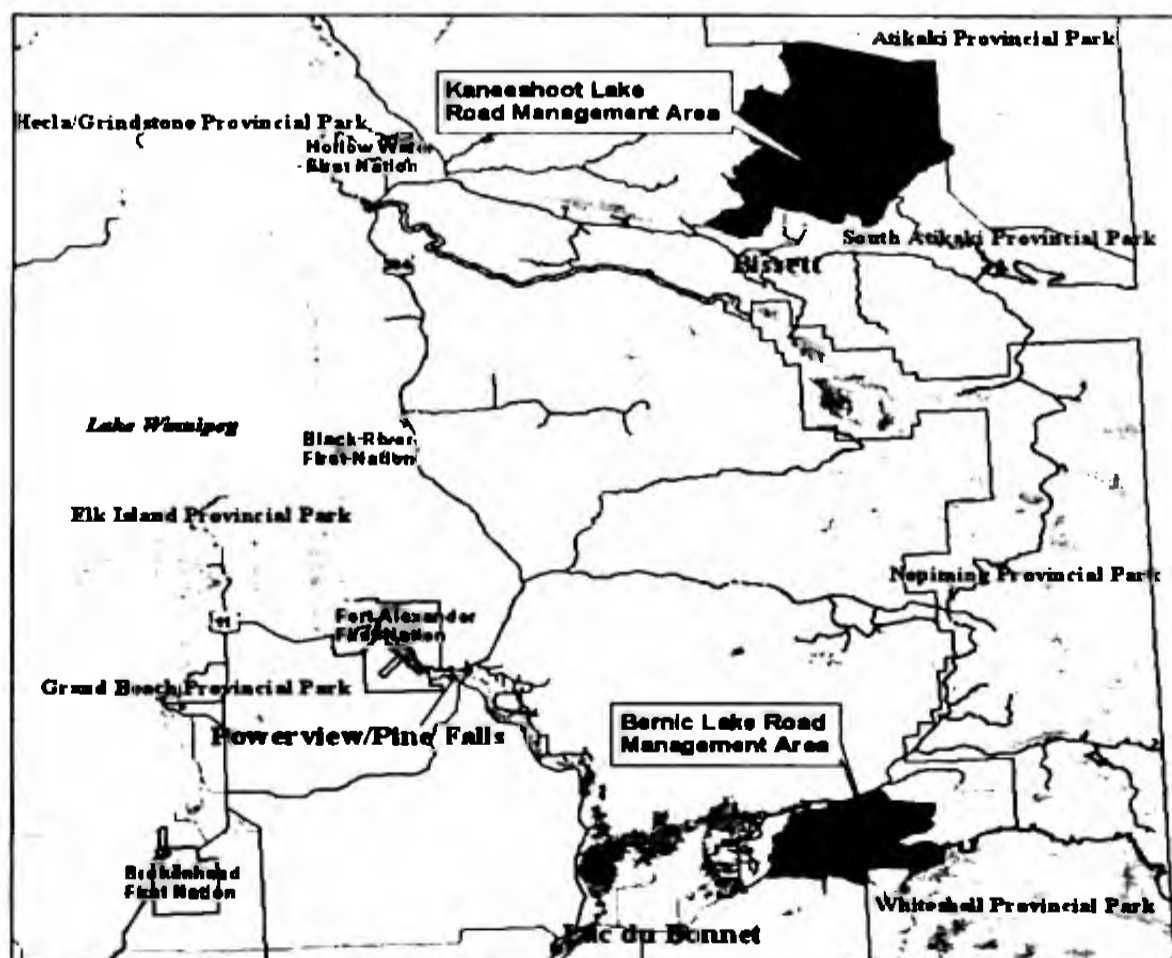
### Public General Meeting

**Kaneeshoot Lake/ Bernic Lake Road Management Plans**  
7:00 p.m. Thursday June 23, 2005  
Chicken Chef Banquet Room, Powerview

**Bernic Lake Road Management Plan**  
7:00 p.m. Tuesday June 28, 2005  
Community Centre, Lac Du Bonnet

\*\*\* Kaneeshoot Lake Meeting will be restricted to the 23<sup>rd</sup> only \*\*\*

Tembec (Forest Resource Management) will be conducting a General Meeting on the proposed Kaneeshoot and Bernic Lake Road Management Plans. The purpose of the meeting is to inform interested parties of proposed road management strategies in the area and to solicit input and concerns.



## Manitoba Youth Job Centre



Local athletes sign up for the Manitoba Youth Job Centre's Odd Job Squad between track and field events Tuesday morning. An afternoon of rain didn't stop students from hunting for first-place ribbons or jobs.

### Brent Stoke

The Manitoba Youth Job Centre held an Outdoor Office on Tuesday, June 7 at the Grade 4-8 divisional track and field championships at Lac du Bonnet Senior School. Students from Whitemouth, Pinawa, Lac du Bonnet, Powerview and Wanipigow had the chance to ask questions and sign up for the MYJC and its Odd Job Squad.

Anyone still interested in signing up for the Odd Job Squad should call 345-6916 immediately or stop by the office, located in New Directions School, 40 Park Ave., Lac du Bonnet. Odd Job Squad meetings for Pinawa and Lac du Bonnet students are being held very soon. Students who have signed up will be contacted with further details.

Flower Frenzy

Lac du Bonnet's Odd Job Squad is currently taking orders for bouquets of red & white Canada Day carnations. Bouquets are \$5 each and can show off your Canadian pride in your home or business and make a great gift. Orders and money must be received no later than June 14. Odd Job Squad members will be assembling and delivering the bouquets on June 30.

## Pro Tips



Rob Hollins,  
CPGA Head  
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Pro Tips- Robert Hollins, CPGA Head Professional, Pine Falls Golf Club

Most golfers have a similar problem on the golf course, called a slice. This is a term given to the motion of a golf ball that spins away from the golfer after it is hit. For a right-handed golfer, the ball travels in a left-to-right flight path, (the opposite for left-handed golfers.)

There are many different things that can cause or contribute to a slice, but the most common fault is the very generalized expression to "play the ball off of the front foot." This means for right-handers to play the ball even with their left foot.

This leaves the golfer playing the ball too far forward (or up) in their stance, causing all of the golfer's weight to also shift forward toward the hole. The golfer then has his or her hands pushed forward toward the hole. All of these problems will result in the clubface being "open" at the moment of impact, and the ball slicing away from the target line.

The solution to this problem is the ball being placed in a proper position relative to the golfer's stance. The ball is not placed off the front foot, or

even with the front foot, but approximately two to three inches inside of it. This gives the impression that the ball is in the middle of the stance for shorter shots, due to a narrower stance required for these swings. However, on longer clubs that require a wider stance, it gives the impression of being played forward in the stance. But the ball is being played in the same place in relation to the only thing that matters, the foot that is closest to the hole.

This ball position allows the hands to react in the same place for every golf swing, because the front foot acts as a brace in the swing to stop the body from moving. The hands can then "snap through" the golf ball, hitting it straighter and farther.

As you can see, this is a complicated explanation, using a lot of terminology. This is also why most brief explanations simply say, "play the ball off your front foot." But this attempt at simplifying an explanation is the cause of most golfers slicing the golf ball.

If this still needs further clarification, please see me at the Pine Falls Golf Club.

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CANADIAN INDEPENDENT

# Fish don't play favorites

Modern technology not needed as local resident wins fishing derby right off the dock

By Jim Hampshire

Normally, when entering a fishing derby, there are some technological advancements required. For instance, owning a state-of-the-art fishing boat, equipped with its own sonar and an environmental weather station would be a good idea. Or you could do what Brett and Kyle Mazur did and throw a line off the dock and wait with plenty of refreshments nearby. Crude, sure, but it seemed to work for Kyle and his nephew Brett, who pulled in some impressive fish Saturday afternoon to win the first annual Family Fun Fishing Tournament held in Lac du Bonnet over the weekend.

"This is the most fun I've had fishing in my entire life," Kyle Mazur said while pulling in yet another whopping Walleye Saturday afternoon. "Who would have thought the secret to fishing was choosing the right dock."

Officially, Brett Mazur won the top prize of an all-expense

paid fishing trip, but the Mazurs say it took a family effort to win as they landed a 28cm Walleye, closest to the hidden length predetermined before the derby.

Kyle and his nephew were invited to his new found secret location by friend Sheri Hirst, who also entered the fishing tournament along with her son Dane. Between six fishing rods, Mazur and his crew were able to pull in more than a dozen fish in four hours, including a 72cm Jackfish and a 60cm Walleye, which was quickly measured and released back into the Winnipeg River system. Mazur also noted that he saw another Jackfish, which he estimated to be in excess of three feet long, lumbering along the shoreline in shallow water.

"This is definitely the hotspot for fishing," he said, referring to the area just a quarter-mile east of the Town Dock. "No wonder there are so many ice-fishing shacks here in the wintertime."

The angling action the

Mazurs enjoyed on Saturday afternoon may not have been a fluke as the dock he fished off was situated right in front of Hampshire Baits, a live minnow business operated by Bob Hampshire. According to the Bait Master, most of the fish in the river system hang around the dock waiting to be fed on a daily basis, mainly because the bait shop often tosses aside minnows that don't meet strict fishing standards. To prove this point, Mazur tossed a laboring live minnow into the water just off the dock, and remarkably it was quickly gobbled by a sizable Jackfish.

"See, who needs a Bass Boat and depth finder with these big guys hanging around," Mazur shouted.

For their efforts, Kyle and Brett Mazur won a fly-out fishing trip to Jackson Lodge on Caribou Lake near Bissett. And although Kyle Mazur admits he is terrified of flying, he said he would swallow his fears long enough to board the plane at the Lac du Bonnet



Kyle and Brett Mazur stand in front of their new-found favorite fishing spot, where they pulled in a 28cm Walleye to win the first annual Family Fun Fishing Derby in Lac du Bonnet

Airport and take the 45-minute flight north to Caribou Lake.

"I've never even been in a plane and that's no accident," Mazur laughed. "But there is no way I'm giving this prize away."

Mazur also hinted that he would invite a couple of close friends along on his fly-out fishing trip, to round out the passenger list.

"I wouldn't have caught the winning fish if I wasn't invited here by Sheri and Trent

(Giesbrecht) so they have first dibs to come along," Mazur said. "I was thinking of throwing a line off my own dock at home (Southwood Bay) but the water is too fast there to really catch anything."

As for Sheri and young son, Dane Hirst, the pair wasn't able to win a derby prize but Dane was able to catch a 52cm Sunfish later in the afternoon following the derby. And for six-year-old Dane, that was the biggest prize of all.

## Family fun key in weekend derby

Even organizers surprised at fishing tournament turnout (from page 3)

the novice weekend angler would have an even chance to win a top prize.

"In most derbies people bring in the fish to weigh them but that isn't practical over the course of a five-hour derby, where a lot of entries wouldn't have a live well to keep the fish alive over a long period of time," she said. "By having predetermined lengths and times the fish were caught, people could release the fish and still have a good chance to win because the sizes were picked at random."

Thomas says the system worked well, and surprisingly, a lot of people were honest about their day out on the water.

"We had 85 of the 187 cards issued come back empty, and that tells us there are a lot of honest people out there," Thomas noted.

And even though a good number of cards came back empty, Thomas points out that

the cards were still eligible for any one of eleven prize draws awarded by the organizers.

In the end, Brett Mazur carded a 28cm Walleye to win the Fly-out weekend fishing trip, donated by Adventure Air in Lac du Bonnet. The 28cm Walleye was the nearest to the predetermined length of 28.5cm, chosen prior to the derby. In order to break any ties, the organizers added a hidden time the fish was caught, which in this case, was 12:38pm. Mazur recorded his time of catch at 12:49pm.

The second place prize of an overnight fish fever package at Eagle Nest Lodge was awarded to Bradley Bruchanski, who caught a 36cm Goldeye at 2:26pm Saturday afternoon. The third place prize, consisting of a deluxe tackle package from La Verendrye Trading Co., went to Cody Cyr as he caught a 48cm Walleye just before noon.

The final Hidden Prize went to Tyler Hiebert, who caught a 42cm Jackfish at 2:15 Saturday afternoon.

Eleven more draw prizes were awarded, ranging from a golf package in Pinawa, to a \$200 cash prize, which was picked up by Kim Kettles.

Based on the success of this year's inaugural tournament, organizers say they will be back again next year for a bigger and better derby.

## HANDYMAN WANTED

The Winnipeg River Senior Service is looking for someone to do Grass Cutting, Yard Work, and Miscellaneous small jobs.

If Interested call Tina at the Senior Service at 367-9128



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FORETHOUGHT FUNERAL PLANNING

INDEPENDENT CANADIAN

# Papertown Charity Cup Golf

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go to the Pineview Recreation Commission, for the arena, and a portion of the money will also go to the "Little John Dube Medical Fund". A total of \$644 was raised and will be given out to this years recipients. During the tournament, the Pine Falls Mini School was also invited to come out and raise a little money for their school fund. They conducted a putting contest throughout the day and the money raised will go into buying materials for

projects held at the mini school for little tykes. This years winners with a total of 5 big points to take the top flight was Rick Abraham, Mike Dorey, Rob Prowse, and Al Borody. The second flight winners were Albert Garand, Dave Sparrow, Jack Shwaluk, and Rob Hollins. The third flight winners were Guy St. Vincent, Guy Borlase, Carl Hutchinson, and Al Anderson. Longest Drive for mens was won by Guy Borlase. Longest Drive for women was won by

Valarie Anderson. Closest to the Pin was won by Laurent Raymond, who seemed more surprised than anyone upon receiving his prize, he stated that that was the first time he has ever hit the green on the par 3 - #6. Closest to the line on #8 was won by Steve Kulyk. Special thanks was extended to the Pine Falls Golf Course staff and management for providing a fun-filled day and too all the sponsors, and volunteers.

## Gov't of MB to recruit and train more doctors

Health Minister Tim Sale and Advanced Education and Training Minister Diane McGifford today announced a new plan to educate and recruit more physicians to live and work in Manitoba.

The provincial strategy includes plans for a further expanded medical school, new incentives for Canadian physicians to work in Manitoba and for family physicians to upgrade their education levels, an expanded licensing program for international medical graduates and more aggressive recruitment campaigns.

"Communities across Manitoba, especially in the rural and northern parts of the province, are facing challenges in recruiting and retaining physicians because of intense competition from around the world," said Sale. "Educating more doctors here at home will help enhance access to health care and provide better care sooner for all Manitobans."

"Our government is committed to increasing educational opportunities for Manitoba students considering careers as physicians," said McGifford. "The medical school expansion at the University of Manitoba

will help to revitalize and sustain our supply of health-care professionals, especially for rural and northern Manitoba."

Manitoba's plan will:

- Expand the University of Manitoba's medical school. Over the next two years, Manitoba's medical school enrolment will increase by a total of 15 seats (eight spaces in 2005-06 and seven spaces in 2006-07), bringing the total number of available seats to 100, an increase of over 40 per cent since 1999.

- Expand opportunities for Canadian family physicians to upgrade training levels. Grants of \$50,000 will be made available in return for service for family doctors to return to school to undertake a third year in an advanced skill area such as emergency medicine or anesthesiology.

- Enhance and expand grant incentives for Canadian medical graduates. Ten new grants will be made available to Canadian medical grads in return for service in Manitoba. Five yearly grants of \$15,000 for each year of full-time work in urban Manitoba and five grants of \$25,000 for each year of full-time work in rural Manitoba to a maximum of four consecutive years will be provided.

- Increase intake levels for the Medical Licensing Program for International Medical Graduates. Intakes will increase over the next two years to further complement Manitoba's international doctor supply.

- Immediately establish a team of doctors to facilitate implementation of these steps and give advice on additional recruitment strategies. Those who know best how to meet health-care challenges are those working on the front lines and their advice will be sought.

- Aggressively market Manitoba as a destination of choice for doctors and medical graduates. A one-stop-shop Internet site will be established for physicians wanting to work in Manitoba.

"No single strategy on its own will address this challenge," said Sale. "The province, along with regional health authorities and the University of Manitoba, must work together to develop comprehensive strategies to train, attract and retain doctors within our province. Today's announcement will help us not only train and recruit more doctors, but also give these doctors better reasons to stay and work right here in Manitoba."

# Library Corner



## Lac du Bonnet Regional Library

Oh, the Places You'll Go! Let Dr. Seuss say it as only he can! Sometimes it is difficult to put into words the advice and encouragement you wish to give to a young graduate or someone changing direction in life.....here is a book you may wish to share!

"What would summer be without a visit to Botswana and the private detective agency run by Precious Ramotswe?" Read the fifth and sixth books in Alexander McCall Smith's No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency Series: Full Cupboard of Life and In the Company of Cheerful Ladies.

Let's imagine some beautiful spring weather, and the prospect of preparing for a family outing.....and read a book for kids -When We go Camping by Margriet Ruurs. "Meet two children and share their fun during a whole day of camping. The outdoor world is full of wonders" Enjoy the beautiful illustrations in this book and anticipate the end of our "rainy season", so you can plan a camping trip with your family.

Elvis is here! Elvis by the Presleys, that is! This new book of intimate stories from Priscilla, Lisa Marie Presley and other family members is edited by David Ritz.

It is now ready for loan - ask for it when you visit the library.

Colposcopy: What Every Woman Needs to Know is available in VHS and DVD and made possible through the generous support of the CancerCare Manitoba Cervical

Cancer Screening Program. The relevant information provided explains why colposcopy is recommended, describes this test and outlines possible treatments. It explains what to expect after you have colposcopy or treatments and offers strategies for overcoming common emotions and barriers that women experience when referred to colposcopy.

Another source of information, this one historical, is Manitoba.ca - free to anyone with Internet access! It is described as the most accessible and comprehensive online archive of historical newspapers and documents in Canada. It provides a "unique window into Canada's rich history and Manitoba's critical role in its development" in the form of newspapers, letters, records, photos, diaries and maps from 185-1919.

Pick up a bookmark depicting one of the events showcased on Manitoba: Life and Times and check out this new website!

The Canadian Consumer Handbook is another resource worth checking into. The 2005 edition is available online at Consumer Connection (consumer.ic.gc.ca) Canadians can visit this website to help them decide on whether to lease or buy a car, choose a credit card or investigate the best deal for bank service charges.

Information, whether in a book or online, is the library's business. Let us help you find what you are looking for.

# 4th FESTIVAL

September 2nd to 5th

- ★ Jamboree
- ★ Kids Day
- ★ Western Days
- ★ SloPitch Tourney
- ★ Mill/Hydro Tours
- ★ Market Square
- ★ Kite Flying
- ★ Parade
- ★ Fireworks
- ★ Fish Derby

Volunteers needed  
please contact Val  
367-9468!

Volunteers are needed come out and join the fun

# Thanks for your time **ECHOES FROM THE Heart**

It had been some time since Jack had seen the old man. College, girls, career, and life itself got in the way. In fact, Jack moved clear across the country in pursuit of his dreams. There, in the rush of his busy life, Jack had little time to think about the past and often no time to spend with his wife and son. He was working on his future, and nothing could stop him.

Over the phone, his mother told him, "Mr. Belser died last night. The funeral is Wednesday." Memories flashed through his mind like an old newsreel as he sat quietly remembering his childhood days.

"Jack, did you hear me?" "Oh, sorry, Mom. Yes, I heard you. It's been so long since I thought of him. I'm sorry, but I honestly thought he died years ago," Jack said. "Well, he didn't forget you. Every time I saw him he'd ask how you were doing. He'd reminisce about the many days you spent over 'his side of the fence' as he put it," Mom told him.

"I loved that old house he lived in," Jack said.

"You know, Jack, after your father died, Mr Belser stepped in to make sure you had a man's influence in your life," she said

"He's the one who taught me carpentry," he said. "I wouldn't be in this business if it weren't for him. He spent a lot of time teaching me things he thought were important...Mom, I'll be there for the funeral," Jack said.

As busy as he was, he kept his word. Jack caught the next flight to his hometown. Mr. Belser's funeral was small and uneventful. He had no children of his own, and most of his relatives had passed away.

The night before he had to return home, Jack and his Mom stopped by to see the old house next door one more time.

Standing in the doorway, Jack paused for a moment. It was like crossing over into another dimension, a leap through space and time. The house was exactly as he remembered. Every step held memories. Every picture, every piece of furniture....Jack stopped suddenly.

"What's wrong, Jack?" his Mom asked.

"The box is gone," he said.

"What box?" Mom asked.

"There was a small gold box that he kept locked on top of his desk. I must have asked him a thousand times what was inside. All he'd ever tell me was

'the thing I value most,'" Jack said.

It was gone. Everything about the house was exactly how Jack remembered it, except for the box. He figured someone from the Belser family had taken it.

"Now I'll never know what was so valuable to him," Jack said. "I better get some sleep. I have an early flight home, Mom."

It had been about two weeks since Mr. Belser died. Returning home from work one day Jack discovered a note in his mailbox. "Signature required on a package. No one at home. Please stop by the main post office within the next three days," the note read.

Early the next day Jack retrieved the package. The small box was old and looked like it had been mailed a hundred years ago. The handwriting was difficult to read, but the return address caught his attention. "Mr. Harold Belser" it read. Jack took the box out to his car and ripped open the package. There inside was the

gold box and an envelope. Jack's hands shook as he read the note inside.

"Upon my death, please forward this box and its contents to Jack Bennett. It's the thing I valued most in my life." A small key was taped to the letter. His heart racing, as tears filling his eyes, Jack carefully unlocked the box. There inside he found a beautiful gold pocket watch.

Running his fingers slowly over the finely etched casing, he unlatched the cover. Inside he found these words engraved:

"Jack, Thanks for your time! -Harold Belser."

"The thing he valued most...was...my time"

Jack held the watch for a few minutes, then called his office and cleared his appointments for the next two days. "Why?" Janet, his assistant asked.

"I need some time to spend with my son," he said.

"Oh, by the way, Janet...thanks for your time!"

## Recreation Re-Boot!

### Pineview Recreation Commission

#### Swimming Lessons

There will be four (4) 2-week sessions held at the pool this year but space in each class is limited so register early.

A Newsletter and summer events calendar has been distributed to all kids in grades K-8 at Pine Falls School, Powerview School, St. Georges School and at Fort Alexander. If you did not receive one you can contact the Rec. Office.

#### Upcoming Events

Registration for summer events

Tuesday and Wednesday June 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:30

Powerview Arena (Upstairs)

You can also sign up for your PRC membership at the Registration Night.

If you have any questions you can call Ruth at the Rec. Office @ 367-9142.

### Pineview Mixed Slo-Pitch 2005 News

Team	Games	W	L	Pts
Powerview Fire	9	8	1	16
St. Lunatics	8	6	2	12
Out of the Blue	10	6	4	12
Tipi Crawlers	7	3	4	6
Ole 304	3	0	3	0
We're not Poopie	7	2	5	4
Angels	7	0	7	0

#### Tuesday June 14

6:00 Fire vs Tipi Crawlers |

7:15 Angels vs St. Lunatics |

#### Wednesday June 15

6:00 Ole 304 vs Out of the Blue |

7:15 Ole 304 vs We're not Poopie |

#### Thursday June 16

6:00 Fire vs Out of the Blue |

7:15 St Lunatics vs Angels |

#### Monday June 20

6:00 Ole 304 vs We're not Poopie |

7:15 Ole 304 vs We're not Poopie |

The Slopitch League is running at 50/50 Draw to raise money for the baseball diamonds. Team members will be selling tickets throughout the community.

## The Winnipeg Humane Society

The WHS is seeking Satellite Adoption Centres! If you own/operate a business of any type, a pet supply store or a vet clinic, call Melinda @ 982-3552 if this interests you!



**Duke #97786**

Duke is a 1 year and 3 month old German Shepherd cross, looking for a home to stay in forever. He was found as a stray back in October and has been in the shelter and in foster care ever since. Duke is a very friendly boy who loves attention and will do whatever he can to get more. He needs to be in a home with older children and someone ready to teach him how to be a great family member. Duke was definitely not meant to be a shelter dog and nothing would make him happier than a house to call his own.



**Penny #105163**

Penny has not been here very long, but it's been long enough for a 6 year old. Her fee is only \$59 because she deserves a good home for the rest of her life. Penny's family just didn't want her anymore, nobody even mentioned anything she did wrong. Penny is a gorgeous girl with her luxurious long grey hair, who is already spayed and tattooed. She spent her life in a home until the beginning of May and needs someone to care about her again.



**Papa #105080**

Papa came in here with his whole family, some of the children have found homes but Papa and Mama are still waiting. He is going at a reduced price of \$6.95 along with all the other hamsters in the shelter because they deserve some good family fun for the rest of their lives. All the hamsters come with a 14 day health period and have already been health checked.

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

# Winnipeg River RCMP Report

The week of June 6th to June 12th 2005



June 6  
Bissett: A complaint of threats being uttered was re-

ceived by police. A vehicle was cut off by another, and when both came to a stop a heated

exchange took place.

Fort Alexander: A spousal assault occurred where the victim was punched slapped, bitten and choked. A female spouse was charged accordingly and released on conditions. She will appear in Powerview court at a later date.

Police patrolled highway 11 after complaints of a dangerous driver possibly impaired was dispatched. The vehicle and driver were not located and no further complaints came in.

June 7

Fort Alexander: Several youth were warned after being unlawfully in a residence where they were playing with other youth. The pair walked into the house ate food, tried on clothing and took makeup from the place. The owner requested warnings at this time.

A vehicle reported stolen was located. The male owner had lent his keys out at a party and forgotten. The vehicle was returned and no further action was necessary.

Manigotagan: Police are investigating a report of illegal house bingo's in the area operating for profit.

Powerview: Investigation continues into a complaint of indecent acts.

June 8th

R.M. of Alexander: Police attended to an accident where a vehicle was overturned in a ditch & sitting in water. The driver returned shortly thereafter and explained he had hit a deer. No one was injured in the incident and the vehicle towed.

June 9th

Fort Alexander: A 911 call was attended by police however upon arrival found that a faulty phone line had activated the call. Residents of the house were all okay and trying to sleep.

A break and enter occurred to a business. Investigation continues.

Bissett: Police were contacted to the local hall to remove an unwanted patron causing problems at a school event.

June 10th

R.M. of Alexander: Police recovered a stolen vehicle just at the edge of the north end of the Powerview Dam.

Victoria Beach: Victoria beach police services were contacted when a complaint was received of a male urinating in front of his neighbours house in plain view.

R.M. of Alexander: Police were called to a noise complaint of a large party at a cottage. Upon arrival the party had been shut down and no further action was necessary.

Manigotagan: A complaint of a spousal disturbance at a residence requesting removal of a male spouse caused police to attend the house and search the area. Investigation continues into the matter.

June 11th

Powerview: Police attended a fight at a local hotel. The fight was outside the building and consensual. 1 male was taken home and the other lodged in cells until sober.

A break, enter and theft at a residence was reported to police. One of the items stolen included a rifle. Point of entry was a basement window. Investigation continues

Hollow Water: Band/cst attended a residence where an emotionally disturbed male was contemplating suicide. police in Powerview were not required to attend as the situation stabilized and family members took control of the man.

R.M. of Alexander: A theft of a propane tank from a barbeque was reported to police. It was unknown when the tank was taken.

A complaint of a male lying on the road appearing injured was dispatched to police. The area was searched thoroughly and the hospital contacted but no male was found or admitted.

Fort Alexander: Police attended when a female was reported to have been assaulted by a male with a bat. The female was located with minor injuries. 1 male was arrested and charged accordingly for spousal assault.

A patrol of the south shore was made after complaints of a possible impaired driver were made. The vehicle and driver were not located in the incident.

Hillside Beach: Police were contacted for an alert on a male subject who may try to enter a residence unlawfully or disturb the house sitter. Both Powerview RCMP and Grand MARAIS offices were notified accordingly.

## 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 in your area. Please register with Gail 268-7465 or call your local public health nurse.

Library Allard: Tuesday: 10:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday 12:00 to 5:00 p.m. and 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Friday 12:00 to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Beaches Library: Tues 9:00am to 12:00 p.m., Thurs 4:00 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 every 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: Sunnise 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, meal 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

PAA: meeting first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

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

Village of Powerview: meets second Tuesday of each month

Family Care Giver Support Group: at the United Church, Pine Falls, last Thursday of the month 7:00 p.m.

AA & Al-Anon - The Beaches family group, Wednesday 8:00 p.m., Senior Scene, Victoria Beach, 1 Ateah Road, Barb 754-3173 or Alice 756-3933.

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.

Blue Water Support Group: meets every third Monday of the month 7:00 p.m. Wings of Power office.

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

Powerview Parent Advisory Council: meets first Monday of every month

Great Falls Hall workers - Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Pine Falls Library open 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday and Thursday

Weight Watchers Meeting Every Thursday - weigh in at 4:45 to 5:30pm, call Dolores for info at 367-2945

Foster Homes Open your hear 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

Pine Falls Golden Leisure Club: Bridge 7:00pm Thursday, Canasta 1:00pm Friday, Whist 1:30pm Wednesday, Exercise 10:15am, Monday, Tuesday, Saturday, Crib, 1st Monday of Month at 1:30pm

## 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: Worship Service and Sunday School at 11:00 a.m. 367-2613 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 mile south of Junction #12 and #304, St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Greenwald on Hwy. #12, 1 1/2 miles north of junction with #317, Sunday church school 10:00 a.m., worship 11:00 a.m. (alternate locations). For info call 635-2625 or 754-8682.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## UNDER THE PLANNING ACT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING BY-LAW 08/05

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Alexander under the authority of The Planning Act will hold a PUBLIC HEARING at the office of the Municipality at St. Georges, Manitoba on the 29th day of June, 2005 at 11:00 a.m., at which time and place the Council will receive representations and objections from any person's who wish to make them in respect of By-Law No. 08/05 to amend the R.M. of Alexander Zoning By-Law No. 08/98 as amended.

A copy of the above noted By-Law of the Rural Municipality of Alexander and supporting material may be inspected by any person during regular office hours from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday at the office of the Municipality at St. Georges, Manitoba.

(1) That "Residential Care Facilities" be added as a conditional use to all agricultural zones i.e. "A80" General Agricultural Zone, "A40" Limited Agricultural Zone and "A 40-S" Special Limited Agricultural Zone as depicted in the shaded portion of the table below and including footnote 1

CONDITIONAL USES	MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS (Except as noted on Zoning Map) (N/A - not applicable or not required)							MAXIMUM REQUIREMENTS (Except as noted on Zoning Map)			
	Site Area (Acres)	Site Width (Feet)	Front Yard (Feet)	Side Yard (Feet)	Rear Yard (Feet)	Unit Floor Area (Sq Ft)	Distance to Other Buildings on Site (Feet)	Number of Parking Spaces Required	Height (Feet)	Site Coverage (%)	Number of signs per site and Sign Surface Area (See also section 11.2C)
Residential Care facilities including care homes for the elderly	1	200	30	15	25	N/A	15	1 of every 4 residents plus 1 for each staff member on the maximum shift	30	N/A	One identification sign not exceeding 22 sq. ft.

The minimum standards for parking lots and parking spaces are depicted on Appendix "C" in Zoning By-Law 08/98

(Note: column headings do not constitute part of this amending by-law, but are inserted to provide continuity with the original by-law)

Margaret Bonekamp, C.M.M.A. Chief Administrative Officer.

# On Parliament Hill



**Your voice in Ottawa**  
Vlc Toewa, MP for Provencher

## Conservative Justice Priorities Help Victims

Although the media spotlight has focused on some of the more negative aspects of politics this past year, there have also been many positive changes that MP's have successfully brought about. Specifically, changes that the Conservative Party has long proposed to Canada's criminal justice system have been put in place that will make our communities and our children safer.

Amendments to Canada's DNA collection laws were ac-

cepted after significant pressure from the Opposition and from victims' rights groups - that will make it much more difficult for violent offenders to escape giving DNA. Specifically, the law was amended to expand the retroactive provisions that now include offenders like Karla Homolka, and to narrow the discretion of the courts to order DNA collection in the most serious of offences.

The Conservative Party has long advocated stronger DNA laws to protect public safety and victims of crime, and our efforts have finally paid off. But now that the law has some teeth, we will be looking to the Minister of Justice, Irwin

Cotler, to back up the law with the resources that our law enforcement officials badly need.

As well, very recently important changes to child protection laws were accepted by the House of Commons Justice Committee in response to pressure from the Official Opposition. After several weeks of discussions and study, members of the committee arrived at a consensus to institute mandatory minimum prison sentences for key child-related offences, changes the Conservatives have been pushing

for years.

This is a victory for all Canadian children. For years, child predators and child pornographers have been getting away with serving sentences in their homes, or with no sentences at all. These important changes will send a clear message to these offenders that the safety of our children is paramount, and that abuse of any kind towards children will not be tolerated under the law. The most important result of these mandatory prison terms is that it will remove the option of the court to impose a conditional sentence, or house arrest, for those convicted of these serious offences.

These changes - advocated and brought forward by the

Conservative Party - will bring a greater measure of common sense to Canada's criminal justice system and will make our country a safer place for all law-abiding citizens. And the cross-party cooperation that took place to bring about these changes is a fine example of the work that does get done in a minority parliament, even if it is not always reported.

Please feel free to contact my office if you have any concerns or issues you would like to discuss. You may contact me toll free at 1-866-333-1933 or at 204-326-9889 or in Lac du Bonnet at 204-345-9762. You may write me at 203-323 Main Street, Steinbach, MB R5G 1Z2, by fax at 204-346-9874 or by e-mail at toewsvl@mts.net

## Report from Legislature



Report from Legislature  
by MLA,  
Gerald Hawranik

### Road to the East side of Lake Winnipeg fading fast

The Energy Minister of Manitoba, Dave Chomiak, has rejected Manitoba Hydro's proposal to construct a power line down the East side of Lake Winnipeg. Now, Manitobans will be forced to pay an extra \$100 Million or more to build the line elsewhere. The interests of Aboriginal, Northern communities and Eastern Manitoba communities have not been addressed. A power line represents the best hope for an all-season road connecting Northern isolated communities to Southeastern Manitoba. To all of us, an all-season road will allow access to the resources East of Lake Winnipeg, which in turn creates employment and wealth. To Northern communities, a

proper road allows access to quality health care facilities.

The Energy Minister's decision is largely symbolic toward the environment. A corridor down the East side of Lake Winnipeg would have a minimal impact on the region's environment. In fact, re-routing the line down central or Western Manitoba will cause greater environmental damage, because this route is longer - and this route will also cut through the boreal forest!

A power line down the East side holds promise to open a route along which a road could follow, a road that would pass within a reasonable distance from many of the East side communities including the four communities at Island Lake. A

power line on the East side of Lake Winnipeg would provide a route for the road, the cost of which will be much less by doubling up with the power line. A road would make economic development possible for the first time. It would also bring down the exorbitant cost of living in these Northern communities and would decrease their need for the transport of food and supplies by air.

If you have any questions regarding this article, or any other issues or concerns in the Constituency, please feel free to contact me at 268-4664, write to me at Box 430, Beausejour, MB, R0E 0C0, email me at [gerald@geraldhawranik.com](mailto:gerald@geraldhawranik.com) or visit my website at [www.geraldhawranik.com](http://www.geraldhawranik.com).

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# Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report



Report for the weeks of June 6th to June 13, 2005

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an under-age female driving a vehicle in the Town of Lac du Bonnet without a valid Driver's Licence. Police located the vehicle in question parked on Fifth Street, and determined that the registration was not current. As a result, the vehicle was towed.

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a subject had gone to the Lac du Bonnet Senior School & caused a disturbance. As a result, an under-age female was fearful that the subject would be wait-

ing for her after school, so she was given a ride home by police, and follow-up done with the subject in question.

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd from a financial institution in the Town of Lac du Bonnet that a counterfeit \$20.00 bill and a counterfeit \$5.00 bill had been received in deposits.

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a deer had been injured in a Motor Vehicle Accident on P.R. #211 near the Wpg. River Bridge, and police were requested to attend and dispatch the animal.

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that cattle were loose on the roadway in the River Hills area of the R.M. of Whitemouth. Police patrolled the area, however, the cattle were back inside the fence.

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an Intrusion Alarm at a location on Homestead Road in the R.M. of Whitemouth. Police attended and found this to be a False Alarm.

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a Wpg. Sun paper box had been stolen from a location on McArthur in the Town of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a suspicious vehicle sitting on Spruceland Drive in the R.M. of Alexander. Contact was made with the Registered Owner and it was determined that the vehicle had developed mechanical trouble.

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a 911 call from Rutherford Lane in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. This was determined to be a false call.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd from the Whiteshell Prov. Park that a deceased male had been located at Numau Lake. Police attended and determined that this was

the subject who had gone missing on the 14<sup>th</sup> of May while operating his boat on Numau Lake.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that an adult male had been found deceased at his residence on Edward Crescent in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Investigation revealed that this was due to natural causes.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a vehicle had driven into the ditch along P.T.H. #11 in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Investigation revealed that the adult male driver was under the influence of alcohol. Subsequent to producing breath samples, he was lodged to sober up, and released for court on a charge of Driving while over .08. Licence suspended and vehicle impounded.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of bones having been found in an area west of Elma in the R.M. of Whitemouth. Police attended and determined that same were from a deer or a dog, and not human in origin.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a 911 call on Springwell Road in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Determined to be a False Call.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a vehicle on fire in the Cape Coppermine area

of the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet Police and the Fire Dept. attended and found the vehicle had been parked at the Cape Coppermine Boat launch when it erupted in flame.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a vehicle sitting on the side of P.R. #313 near Bonnet Oaks in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Follow-up done with the Registered Owner, who advised that the vehicle had sustained mechanical problems. The vehicle was moved from the side of the road this date.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of unknown youth trying to start a fire in the vicinity of the Town Dock or beach in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police patrolled the area, however, no-one around, and subjects in the area had not seen anyone engaged in this activity.

On the 10<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an adult male calling the Health Sciences Centre from a location at Whitemouth and speaking irrationally. Police contacted the residence in question and determined that all was in order, and there was no concern for the well-being of the subject.

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## Lac du Bonnet Community Billboard

**Health Concerns?** Call 268-3235 to book your seat.  
**Cooking for better health.** Lose weight, gain energy and prevent illness. Classes begin for every five people registered. Cindy Reimann, certified in nutrition, call 268-2168. PACE 7-1375: meets first Tuesday of the month, Chicken Chef, Power-view meeting room.

**Prenatal classes:** held regularly at Lac du Bonnet. Please register with Gail 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 7:00 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

**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. 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** Harold Huege, Whitemouth 348-3505; Lac du Bonnet, Pine Falls, Victoria Beach, Pinawa, Beausejour, Whitemouth, Oakbank, Hadashville.

**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.

**Garden Club** meeting every 2nd Tuesday of the month, 7:00pm, Lac du Bonnet Senior School. Home Ec Room. No meetings January, July, August.

## Lac du Bonnet Church Directory

**ABUNDANT LIFE CHAPEL**  
 Pastor Jake Doell, 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 Mirek Szybal, 345-2900  
 Lac du Bonnet: 5:00 p.m. - Saturday mass; 11:00 a.m. Sunday mass  
 Pinawa (senior school): 9:15 a.m. - Sunday mass

**ST. JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH**  
 Rev. Sandra Tankard 367-9520, church 345-2357  
 Sunday: 11:30 a.m. - worship; 11:30 a.m. - first and third Sunday of each month, holy eucharist.

## Keep your pets safe at home

Puppies and kittens make wonderful additions to your home. But they can be awfully curious. A family pet will turn anything it finds around the house into a play thing or a chew toy. Make sure those items are not electrical devices. Like all members of the family, pets need to be kept safe.

Do your best to keep exposed electrical cords out of reach. If you are having a hard time keeping a puppy or kitten away from a cord, paint it with a bitter-tasting polish or wrap it in a thick plastic sleeve. The same frayed electrical cord that delivers an electrical shock to an adult may have enough voltage to kill a dog or cat.

Be sure that nightlights and appliance cords are completely plugged into wall outlets. Prongs that are partially exposed can be a hazard for curious children and frisky pets. Keep candles away from places where a cat or dog can knock them over.

Bring pets indoors during lightning storms. Wind, rain and lightning can bring down live power lines, presenting a hazard for pets that are outdoors.

Keep halogen lamps out of areas where children and pets are at play. The bulbs in these lamps can reach extremely high temperatures. Lamps can

easily get knocked over and lead to a fire.

In the bathroom, keep radios, blowdryers and other electrical appliances well away from the water source. Playful pets can easily knock items

into the water making for a dangerous situation.

The warm spot behind the computer is a favourite place for pets to nap. Keep in mind that pets need to be kept away from all electrical connections.

## Early Childhood Education Level II 2 yr. Training Program

*SETS in partnership with Red River Community College will be offering ECE II to all interested applicants (status/non status). Training will be held in Sagkeeng and are looking to fill 30 spots. We are seeking serious applicants who are willing to make an honest commitment to the program.*

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The following must be submitted on or before deadline:

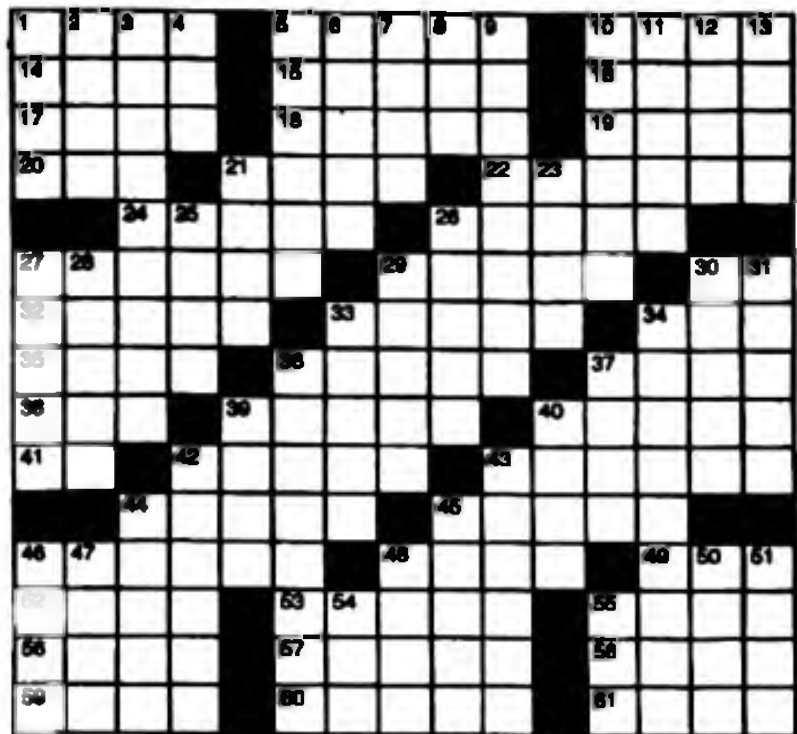
- Letter from employer indicating volunteer time in a children's center/ approved alternative (minimum of 20 volunteer hours is required)
- 2 Reference letters
- Criminal Record Check
- Child Abuse Registry Check
- Resume

**Deadline for applicants is Friday August 5, 2005**

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Attention: Darlene Robinson  
 Sagkeeng Employment & Training Services  
 PO Box 8, Fort Alexander, MB ROE 0P0  
 Phone: (204) 367-8740/367-4593

# WEEKLY CROSSWORD



**ACROSS**

- 1 Chew
- 5 Stormed
- 10 Burn
- 14 Helper
- 15 Gladden
- 16 Thorny flower
- 17 \_\_\_ free
- 18 Carved pole
- 19 \_\_\_ Boy!
- 20 By or through
- 21 Voice quality
- 22 Make beloved
- 24 Nimble

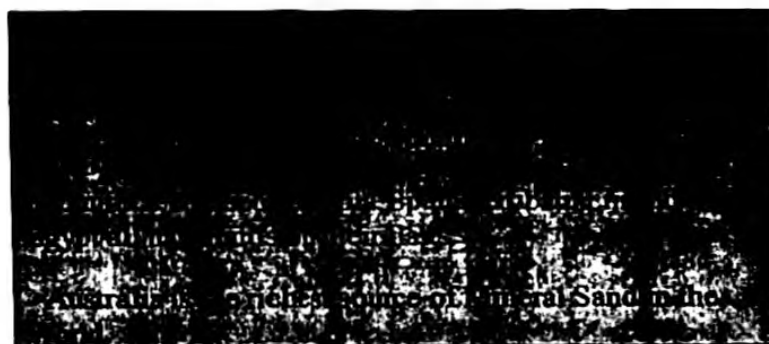
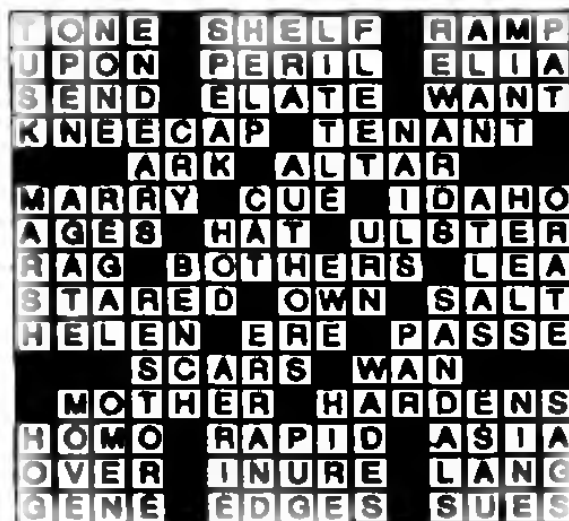
- 26 Warble
- 27 Be present
- 29 Hemp cord
- 30 \_\_\_ VP; invitation request
- 32 Milk farm
- 33 Very
- 34 Loud noise
- 35 Particle
- 36 Sea birds
- 37 Opera star
- 38 Play on words
- 39 Path
- 40 Hoarder
- 41 Trademark (abbr.)

**DOWN**

- 1 Gulpair
- 2 Agreeable
- 3 Worship
- 4 Watery
- 5 Repeated
- 6 Solo
- 7 Fence door
- 8 Summer (Fr.)
- 9 Misconduct penalties
- 10 Baby's bed
- 11 Inn
- 12 The Charles' dog
- 13 Anterior
- 21 Wee
- 23 Baseball team
- 25 Seed
- 26 Type of weave
- 27 Adjust
- 28 Actress O'Neal
- 29 Spring flower
- 30 Metal bolt

- 31 Trap
- 33 2 pints
- 34 Catastrophes
- 36 Most impressive
- 37 Eat
- 39 Slender
- 40 Plateau
- 42 Mariner
- 43 Confidently
- 44 Disgrace
- 45 Governed
- 46 Cher's ex
- 47 Equal
- 48 Old
- 50 Am. playwright
- 51 Portico
- 54 Consumed
- 55 Meadow

**LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS**



## CRYPTIC PUZZLE

BX CYD'FW GYVHWQ YDJ KDLJ  
LBMN DMJBG CYD NWJ JOW FBNOJ  
HWC.

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**

BIRDS, LIKE PEOPLE, FLY SOUTH IN THE WINTER BECAUSE IT'S TOO FAR TO WALK.

## Weekly Echo Horoscopes

This edition covers the week of June 13th to June 19th

**ARIES (Mar. 21 - April 20)**  
Don't turn down an invitation or a challenge that could enhance your chances of meeting someone special. Things may not be as harmonious as you would like with colleagues or employers this week. Get down to business and do the work yourself. Stubborn about making changes around your home.

**TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)**  
There's lots to be done and if you meet your deadline you'll be in your boss's good books. Don't make any unreasonable promises. Romance will develop through work related activities. You will have a little more energy than usual.

**GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)**  
You can make excellent career moves if you are open to the opportunities that exist. Put your energy into behind the scenes activities. Don't let your personal dilemmas interfere with your goals. Don't let others make you feel guilty or insecure.

**CANCER (June 22 - July 22)**  
You may divulge private information without realizing it this week. You will have a great deal of insight when dealing with others. Don't bang your head against a wall. Use your intellectual approach to get the best results.

**LEO (July 23 - Aug 23)**  
You are best to stick to basics. Work on getting ahead by picking up added skills. You can make money if you are wise in your choices. Be extra careful with your valuables; loss and theft are evident this week. Your family needs to spend some time with you, too.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23 - Sept. 23)**  
You should expect to have changes in your home. Don't hold back; go with the flow and take a bit of a chance. Self-improvement projects will payoff in more ways than one. Romance will be yours if you get out and do things in large groups.

**LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)**  
Escapist tendencies will result in a poor reputation and a lack of confidence. You will be overly sensitive this week. Be sure not to burn any bridges. Deep discussions may only lead to friction.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)**  
Be sure to think twice before you say something that might hurt your partner's feelings. Based on your excitement, serious-minded individuals will be more than interested in backing your ideas. You can ask for favors but don't take them for granted. Don't try to deal with important issues or make changes that will upset the apple cart.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 21)**  
Don't play on your partner's emotions. You may not be too pleased with the actions of those you live with. You can expect to have some problems with skin, bones, or teeth if you haven't taken proper care of them. Your efforts won't go unnoticed; however, someone you work with may get jealous.

**CAPRICORN (Dec 22 - Jan. 20)**  
Someone you live with will be quite unreasonable this week. New love connections can be made through group associations. Get together with people who stimulate you mentally. Helping children may be rewarding and challenging.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)**  
Relatives may not be telling you the whole truth about a family situation. Health problems may prevail if you don't take care of them immediately. Accept the inevitable. Someone may not be thinking of your best interests.

**PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar. 20)**  
Don't let your work and your personal life interfere with each other. Your mate may be distressed if you refuse to make a commitment. You may want to take a look at the personal papers of elders in your family. You can find out important information if you listen to friends and relatives.

# Echo Classifieds

**Office space for rent**  
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**Woodland Place/ DaleHaven Apartments**, 1 - 2 bedroom apartments for rent, utilities and parking included, coin laundry, very clean and well maintained, call after 6:00 p.m. 367-4922.

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**House for Sale, 15 Church Street, Powerview, \$40,000.** Includes 4 appliances, phone 367-8905. TFN

**18 Beech St., Pine Falls**, large 4 bedroom split level home, \$85,000 firm. For more information call Judy 367-2948 Evening and Weekends. Additional information on website at: www.geocities.com/debjane8/houseforsale.html TFN

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**30" Propane Stove**, kitchen suite with 6 chairs, 1 interior mahogany door 2' x 6'8", call 275-0547 or 756-8042. TFN

**Casual Housekeeper** required for Winnipeg River Senior Service, call 367-9128. TFN

A graveside service will be held for **Brian Fountain** on Saturday, June 25th, 2005 at 2:00pm at the Notre Dame du Laus cemetery in Powerview, Manitoba. Brian's family welcomes all wishing to attend.



Barry and Marilyn Cyr would like to announce the engagement of their daughter **Erica to Randolph Druzyk**, son of John Druzyk. Erica and Randolph are getting married on July 2nd, 2005 in Pine Falls.

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate heart of Mary, be praised, adored and glorified throughout the world forever and ever. Amen. Say 6 times a day for 9 days.

**Caretaker** wanted for Dale Haven Apartments, located in Powerview, Mb. Live in caretaker wanted to maintain seven suite apartment block. Live in quarters will be a 2 bedroom suite on main floor. Rent Negotiable. Duties will be cleaning and light maintenance and condition reports. References and resume requested. Contact 367-4922 after 6:00 pm.



Welcome our newest baby into the world, **Jada Chantal Olais** who was born on June 5, 2005 weighing 7 lbs 5 oz. Proud parents are Jaime & Jenelle Olais. Thrilled grandparents are Omer & Lucille Vincent and Jaime Olais Sr. & Terisita Aragon from Winnipeg. We're so happy you're here safe and sound Jada!

Much love from all of your family!

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## Employment Opportunity

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**Qualifications:** Post-secondary education in the field of humanities or education or a suitable combination of education and experience is required. Experience working with the public including interviewing individuals and assessing client needs is required. Excellent communication and interpersonal skills with the ability to exercise sound judgement, problem solving and decision making skills. Experience in the use of various software applications (i.e. Microsoft Office Suite/Internet) is preferred. Experience in the use of job search techniques and methods, employment resources and Prior Learning Assessment is preferred. Ability to be an effective team member and travel within the designated rural areas is essential. Preference will be given to Aboriginal people, visible minorities and persons with disabilities.

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We thank all who apply and advise that only those selected for further consideration will be contacted.

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**Silver Haven at 367-4620**

**Friday, June 17**

Soup, swiss steak, rice, celery and carrots, fruit cocktail.

**Monday, June 20**

Coleslaw, pasta and meat balls, peas, banana cream pie.

**Wednesday, June 22**

Salad, pork chops, oven roast potatoes, mixed vegetables, jello.



**North Eastman Health Association**  
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## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2005

The North Eastman Health Association Inc. is pleased to announce that it will be holding its Annual General Meetings on these dates in the following two communities.

Our guest speaker will be Dr. Pat Martens from the Manitoba Centre for Health Policy. Dr. Martens will present how RHAs need to focus on Population Health Needs Based Service Delivery.

**Come and join us for Beef on a Bun at 6:15pm**  
Meeting will follow at 7:00pm

**Tuesday, June 21st - Lac du Bonnet**  
Lac du Bonnet Community Centre  
25 McArthur Avenue

**Thursday, June 23rd - Oakbank**  
Senior Housing Complex - Multi-Purpose Room  
689 Main Street (Entrance by Pharmacy)

*"Working together to create a health North Eastman"*

# Winnipeg River RCMP Report

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**Pine Falls:** Police are still investigating a spousal assault and a common assault involving a male and female.

**Black River:** Police received a complaint of a vehicle taken without the owners consent by a relative.

**Traverse Bay:** A male was reported to have been in breach of his court conditions. Police are still attempting to locate the individual.

June 12th

**R.M. of Alexander:** Several youth were given verbal warnings after threatening another youth with physical violence. Parents of the youth involved were notified as well by police.

**Powerview:** An intoxicated male was lodged in cells for his own safety and to prevent a further breach of peace. The male was at a business previously and appeared disturbed.

Police located a male unlawfully in a residence passed out. The man was also in breach of conditions of a court order and charged accordingly.

**Grand Marais:** Several youth were given written warnings after being involved in a theft of items from a mo-

tor vehicle. All items were returned and damages notated.

**Black River:** A male was charged with pointing a firearm and a threat being uttered. The man was intoxicated at the time and police responded quickly removing the firearm before the situation escalated.

**Traverse Bay:** Police removed an intoxicated patron after he attempted to gain access to a local hotel. The man was abusive with police and lodged in cells to prevent a further breach of peace.

**SUMMARY:** RCMP at Grand Marais and Powerview Detachments also processed 5 Traffic Accident Reports, issued 9 tickets under Highway Traffic Act, Served 3 sets of legal documents, assisted 2 other police agencies with complaints and attended 6 false alarms.

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 CrimeStoppers at 1-800-782-8477.

# Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report

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On the 10<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that an attempt had been made to light a fire on the Town Dock in the Town of Lac du Bonnet, a chair had been thrown onto the roof of the Legion, and mud had been thrown onto the Youth Centre and the next-door residence.

On the 10<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an intoxicated adult male driving his vehicle to a Garage Sale in Elma. Police attended and found the vehicle in question, however, the driver had departed. He was subsequently located 2 hours later and arrested and lodged to sober up. Not possible to charge for Impaired Driving, however, charged for no Driver's Licence and driving an Unregistered Vehicle. Released when sober.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a number of subjects involved in a disturbance outside a location on First Street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended, but no fight or disturbance taking place, and no indication as to who was involved.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of intoxicated youth outside a business in Pinawa. Police attended, but no-one around the area.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a break and enter to a business at the Marina in Pinawa. Investigation revealed same done by a bear.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a break and enter to a cottage at Jessica Lake in the Whiteshell Prov. Park, between the 15<sup>th</sup> and the 20<sup>th</sup> of May. Nothing stolen, however, an older bicycle was left at the location, presumably by the culprits.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an erratic driver on P.R. #317 in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet, heading to-

wards P.T.H. #11. Police patrolled the area, but did not locate the vehicle in question.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an adult male having a disagreement with an adult female at a location in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet. Police did follow-up with both parties.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that a window had been broken on a vehicle parked overnight on Pineridge Drive in the R.M. of Alexander.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of an under-age subject on an Off-Road Vehicle and not wearing a helmet, on Poplar Avenue in Great Falls.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of a disturbance outside a business on First Street in the Town of Lac du Bonnet. Police attended and found that an adult male had broken a window on a door.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a request was rec'd from Wpg. Police Service to contact a subject in Pinawa and pass on a message re: a death in the family. Subject located and message passed on.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of Off-Road Vehicles being illegally operated on Whitecrest Road in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd of the theft of a 9.8 HP Mercury Outboard Motor and a gas tank from a boat in a boathouse at a location on Blomquist Way in the R.M. of Lac du Bonnet.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, a report was rec'd that an under-age female had been assaulted by another under-age female at a location in the Town of Lac du Bonnet on the 10<sup>th</sup> of June. The complainant did not wish a charge laid, however, police will be following up with the suspect.

## UNDER THE PLANNING ACT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING BY-LAW 08/05

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Alexander under the authority of The Planning Act will hold a PUBLIC HEARING at the office of the Municipality at St. Georges, Manitoba on the 29th day of June, 2005 at 11:00 a.m., at which time and place the Council will receive representations and objections from any person's who wish to make them in respect of By-Law No.08/05 to amend the R.M. of Alexander Zoning By-Law No. 08/98 as amended.

A copy of the above noted By-Law of the Rural Municipality of Alexander and supporting material may be inspected by any person during regular office hours from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday at the office of the Municipality at St. Georges, Manitoba.

(1) That "Residential Care Facilities" be added as a conditional use to all agricultural zones i.e. "A80" General Agricultural Zone, "A40" Limited Agricultural Zone and "A 40-S" Special Limited Agricultural Zone as depicted in the shaded portion of the table below and including footnote!

CONDITIONAL USES	MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS (Except as noted on Zoning Map) (N/A - Not applicable or not required)							MAXIMUM REQUIREMENTS (Except as noted on Zoning Map)			
	Site Area (Acres)	Site Width (Feet)	Front Yard (Feet)	Side Yard (Feet)	Rear Yard (Feet)	Use Floor Area (Sq. Ft.)	Distance to Other Buildings on Site (Feet)	Number of Parking Spaces Required	Height (Feet)	Site Coverage (%)	Number of signs on Site and Sign Surface Area (See also Section 3.3.20)
Residential Care facilities including care homes for the elderly	1	200	30	15	25	N/A	15	1 of every 4 residents plus 1 for each staff member on the premises	30	N/A	One identification sign and sign only 30 sq. ft.

The minimum standards for parking lots and parking spaces are depicted on Appendix "C" in Zoning By-Law 08/98

(Note: column headings do not constitute part of this amending by-law, but are inserted to provide continuity with the original by-law)

Margaret Bonekamp, C.M.M.A.  
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