



# Four local girls get a taste of World Hockey

"It is Saturday February 10<sup>th</sup>. The alarm goes off and the announcer is telling of another bitterly cold Manitoba morning. The clock says 5:15 a.m. Normally there would be protests over getting up at such an unearthly hour, but not today. Today she gets to meet her heroes - today she will don an IIHF World Hockey jersey!"

Over 400 pee-wee aged girls from across the province entered their names in a draw for a chance to play in the Nine Nations Pee-wee Girls Hockey Festival put on by Hockey Manitoba in Selkirk last weekend. Four lucky girls from our Pineview Pee-wee Girls Hockey Team were chosen. Tenisha Kaminawaish played for Team Russia, Kacey Gray played for Team Kazakhstan, and Kathryn Ursel and Ginette Berthelette played for Team Canada.



The players are from left to right, Kacey Gray, Kathryn Ursel, Tenisha Kaminawaish, and Ginette Berthelette.

Each team played two games and had on-ice development sessions with Wally Kozak (Hockey Canada Female Development) and Canada National Team members Jennifer Botterill, Delaney Collins and Sami-Jo Small! Each player also received a

team jersey of the country they were representing, which the girls had autographed by their teammates and the Team Canada members that were present.

During the luncheon emcee Ace Burpee kept everyone laughing as he introduced the

teams and dignitaries present. Jennifer Botterill and Sami-Jo Small made inspirational speeches on the importance of setting goals, dedication and teamwork.

Also representing Pineview Minor Hockey was referee, Katie Mysak who was invited

to officiate some of the games for the event. It was an honour that Katie has earned with her many hours spent on the ice as both a player and an official.

The day was one that the girls (and their families) won't soon forget. New friendships

were made and some old ones renewed. Heroes became real people and suddenly dreams were no longer something of fairytales but tangible goals that can be realized.

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# Pine Falls Ladies host 2007 Bonspiel

Terry Doerksen and her team who curl out of the Pembina Curling Club in Winnipeg won first place in the Ladies 2007 Bonspiel.

The Pine Falls Ladies Club hosted a fun filled weekend for all who attended. This years theme, "Always a Bridesmaid", brought out many dresses of assorted colors and styles. The women had a great time. Dinner was catered by Bostrom's and the evenings

entertainment of skits had the women laughing at some of the zany antics. Janet Allarie, Bonnie Borlarse, Dawn Nault and Tracey Habing won for best costume for their rendition of "Cave Women Bridesmaids". Honorable mention is given to the Norma Dupont Rink for their unique western wedding attire, also the Sherry Johnston rink for their original outfits.. Valarie

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The Doerksen rink won top spot in the 2007 Ladies Bonspiel

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# Pine Falls Ladies host 2007 Bonspiel

from previous page... Anderson, Pat Nixdorf, Lori Pachkowsky, and Gwen Veilleux won for best skit with their per-

formance of Cursed Gypsy Bridesmaid Sisters. B-Event finals had Marlene Watson-skip,

Kathy Picard-third, Shirley Brincheski-second, and Cecile Strong-lead beat out the Fay Berthelette, Patty St.

Goddard, Melinda Pluchinski, Wendy Tardiff, in a close game that required a measurement to decide on the winning team.

C-Event winners were Sue Lazaruk-skip, Vicky Short-third, Carol Hutchinson-second, and Lana Jones-lead they won the final game against Pauline Vincent-skip,

Hugette Nolin-third, Jeannine Laroche, and Loreen Starr. Early in the game Vincent had a 6 point lead and Lazaruk fought back and scored two big 4 point ends to take the lead and win the game.

A huge thank you is given to Dustin Davidson for all of his help during

the bonspiel. Also to Fay Berthelette and Tim Seguin the volunteer club bar managers. A special thank you to Melinda Pluchinski the Bonspiel Chairperson and Claudette Mcleod who did the draw, Valarie Anderson for Prizes, and the decorating committee.



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C-Event Winners above: Sue Lazaruk - skip, Vicky Short - third, Carol Hutchinson - second, and Lana Jones - lead



L to R: Lori Pachkowsky, Gwen Veilleux, Valarie Anderson, and Pat Nixdorf were dressed in their Gypsy costumes for the Saturday night skits.

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Manitobans are seeing green

## Library Allard

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Ending a yearlong hiatus in her club, Oprah has announced that she has chosen *The Measure of a Man*, by Sidney Poitier a "spiritual autobiography" by one of Hollywood's most admired actors and a personal hero of Winfrey's. In his book he celebrates his life and career and explores the elements of character and personal values to take his own measure - as a man, as a husband and father, and as an actor. He explores "the nature of sacrifice and commitment, pride and humility, rage and forgiveness, and paying the price for artistic integrity. What emerges is a man seeking truth, passion, and balance in the face of limits - his own and the world's - a triumph of the spirit."



## Survivor's Hope Crisis board of directors seeks new members

Are you looking for a meaningful way to serve your community? Would you like to be a part of a registered charitable organization that delivers valuable programs to the region? Consider joining the board of directors of Survivor's Hope Crisis Centre Inc.

The mission of Survivor's Hope is to provide crisis intervention and support to survivors and secondary victims of sexual assault and to provide sexual assault education within the North Eastman Health Association Region. This mission is fulfilled through the Sexual Assault Recovery and Healing (SARAH) and Sexual Assault Discussion Initiative (SADI) programs.

The SARAH program provides crisis intervention and support to survivors and

secondary victims of sexual assault. Volunteers, who have been trained by facilitators from Klinik Sexual Assault Crisis Program in Winnipeg, are available to provide 24/7 support to emergency sexual assault calls from the hospitals in Beausejour, Pine Falls and Pinawa. At present we have a dedicated group of four trained volunteers in Beausejour, nine in Pine Falls and six in Pinawa.

The SADI program delivers educational workshops on topics related to sexual violence. Informative workshops are offered to service providers (clergy, police, medical staff, and school staff) who are often the first point of contact for sexual assault victims. During the 2006/2007 school year, we are delivering approximately one hundred and twenty workshops to students enrolled in grades eight through senior four in schools in Sunrise School Division, School District of Whiteshell and Sagkeeng First Nations Education. The demand for these workshops exceeds our availability to deliver. Some topics covered in

the school workshops are: sexual harassment, healthy relationships, self-esteem, internet relationships, and relationship violence, date rape and date rape drugs.

The board of directors is composed of volunteers from the region and is responsible for administering the programs and the finances of the corporation. Board meetings are held approximately six times a year. Directors are entitled to mileage to attend meetings held outside their home community. Directors are encouraged to use their unique skills to benefit the organization. This could involve writing articles, making presentations, planning volunteer appreciation activities, writing grant applications, or fund raising at the local level.

The annual general meeting of Survivor's Hope, followed by a meeting of the board of directors, will be held in Pinawa on Wednesday, March 7. If you are interested in being a director or finding out more information, phone either Holly Parcey, executive director, at 753-3150 or Betty McCamis, board chair, at 753-2967.



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- E.R.I.K.  
Emergency Response Information Kits contain pertinent information in case of an emergency. Call Tina at the Winnipeg River Senior Services 367-9129 for more information.



# New Pharmacare Program in effect now

A new option to allow eligible Manitobans to pay their pharmacare deductible in monthly instalments is now in effect, Health Minister Theresa Oswald announced today.

"Many Manitobans need prescription drugs to manage an illness and the costs for many of these drugs continue to rise," said Oswald. "This new program will allow people with high drug bills to pay their pharmacare deductible in monthly instalments, helping reduce financial hardships caused by high lump-sum drug costs."

"The ability to pay the pharmacare deductible over several months will help many people with multiple sclerosis who face high drug costs," said Norm Velnes, president of the Manitoba

Division of the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada. "This is a creative solution and we congratulate Manitoba Health for their hard work in making this program a reality."

To be eligible for the Manitoba deductible instalment payment program, an individual must:

- be enrolled with the Manitoba Pharmacare Program;

- have eligible Manitoba pharmacare drug costs over a 30-day period that are equal to or above 25 per cent of their monthly income;

- have reached or gone above their benefit limit for drug coverage they receive through another drug plan; and

- pre-authorize withdrawals from their bank account by Manitoba Hydro for the cost of the

deductible instalment and their hydro bill.

It is estimated that as many as 19,000 Manitoba Pharmacare Program beneficiaries will be eligible to participate in the monthly deductible instalment program.

"Many Manitobans, including seniors, are finding that rising drug costs are having serious effects on their finances and this program will be very helpful," said Healthy Living Minister Kerri Irvin-Ross, minister responsible for seniors.

"Access to prescription drugs is an important part of maintaining and improving health, and pharmacists want their patients to be able to get the help they need," said Nancy Remillard, president of the Manitoba Society of Pharmacists.

Manitobans will still have the option of paying their full deductible through their pharmacy. People eligible for the new program will only be able to pay the monthly instalments on their deductible through pre-authorized payments on their Manitoba Hydro bill.

"We are happy to partner with Manitoba Health and use our billing system to assist the province in reaching out to Manitobans and make this important program possible," said Bob Brennan, president and CEO of Manitoba Hydro.

The Manitoba Pharmacare Program covers 100 per cent of drug costs once the income-based deductible is reached. Manitoba and the Yukon are the only two provinces or territories with a de-

ductible structure as the sole cost-sharing requirement. All other jurisdictions mandate co-payments in conjunction with deductibles and/or premiums.

"This innovative instalment program builds on the Manitoba Pharmacare Program, which offers the most comprehensive coverage of any province in Canada," said Oswald. "But as drug costs continue to rise, it is imperative that all provinces and the federal government continue to work together to develop a national catastrophic drug plan."

Manitobans can begin applying for this new program immediately by visiting their local pharmacy or by calling 945-1733 (in Winnipeg) or 1-888-519-3492 toll free.

# Winterfest

## Fête d'Hiver

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*Bienvenue à tous! Everyone Welcome!*

### Saturday Samedi

*Peewee Boys Hockey*  
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*Maskwa Poker Derby*  
 Cost: \$10/poker hand or 3/\$20  
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*Pool Tournament*  
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*Meat Draw*  
 Saturday, Feb. 17  
 at 4:30pm

### Friday - Vendredi

*Family Night*  
 7:00pm to 9:00pm  
 at the Village Green  
 Join us for an evening of fun activities. Bonfire with hot chocolate, marshmallows, and fireworks!!!! COST: FREE

*Meat Draw* 5:00pm to 6:00pm  
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### Sunday - Dimanche

*Open Ice - Pine Falls Arena*  
 Grab your skates, stick and helmet and play some hockey  
 Ages 4-8 from 2:00pm to 3:00pm and 8 & up, 3:00pm to 4:00pm.

*Midget Boys Hockey*  
 6:00pm to 8:00pm - Watch our midget boys battle with their rivals Lac du Bonnet

# Faith Perspective

by Pastor Jake Doell

## The Pollution Solution

The hot topic of our time is the environment and pollution. Our environment is wonderfully connected with each part contributing to the well being of the whole. There is a delicate balance of cause and effect. As our air, water and land become increasingly polluted all of nature seems to be groaning under the effects of a sick environment. When our water becomes polluted, it eventually affects the health of everything else.

The Bible tells us that God created all things and placed mankind as the steward or keeper of His creation. God said to Adam and Eve; "Be fruitful and multiply, fill the earth (we've done a pretty good job of that) and subdue it have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves on the earth." (Genesis 1:28) God looked at His creation and said, "It is good." He charged us as human beings with the responsibility of caring for His creation that it should remain in a state of goodness and well being.

Today we see that we have failed to keep our environment healthy and the effects of it are all around us. The pollution caused by human carelessness and greed has made our planet quite sickly.

God placed another responsibility upon us, that was to live in obedience to His

moral laws. Read **Genesis** chapter 3 and you will see that they failed this test. The Bible calls this disobedience sin. The result of Adam and Eve's disobedience has been passed down from generation to the next to this very day. Sin has polluted the moral environment and the affects of it is war, war in the family, war on our streets, war between the races and war amongst the nations. "What is causing the quarrels and fights among you? Don't they come from the evil desires at war within you? You want what you don't have, so you scheme and kill to get it. You are jealous of what others have, but you can't get it, so you fight and wage war to take it away from them." (James 4:1&2 -NLT)

Yes pollution of all forms is deeply affecting our planet. What do we do about it? The Bible tells us we begin by coming back into harmony with God. We do that by receiving His Son, Jesus Christ by faith. (John 1:12) When we have come into a family relationship with God, then we are able to begin living in harmony with one another and back into harmony with nature. You see my friend all of God's creation is connected and when harmony is restored with our Creator then the rest of creation can be healed as well. When our hearts and minds are transformed by God's love then we can live in a healthy relationship to God, to one another and to our environment.



# Recreation Re-boot

**Pineview Recreation Commission, 367-9142**

**Winterfest**  
Winterfest will be held from February 15-18. There will be lots of fun activities for the whole family. Anyone wishing to volunteer their time to help with the activities is asked to contact Ruth at the Rec. Office @ 367-9142.

**Please Note: The Voyageurs Fishing Derby has been cancelled.**

**Curling Club News**  
The men had a fabulous 28-team bonspiel to celebrate 80 years. Congratulations to the winners. Hope you all come back again next year. The women, as always, had a super spiel! Congratulations to the winners. A big thank you goes out from the club to all the volunteers who made these bonspiels such a huge success. To date there aren't a lot of rinks signed up for the Mixed Bonspiel on March 16, 17 & 18<sup>th</sup>. There is still time to register - just call Melinda Pluchinski at 367-4682 for more information.

There is a drop-in curling league every Thursday afternoon beginning at 1:00 p.m. The fee is \$5/game. Everyone is welcome.

**Sports Bar**  
The Sports Bar is available for rentals. If you are looking for a place to hold your retirement party or birthday bash, just call Fay at 367-2296 to book.

**Arena Happenings**  
The Peeewe Girls have a provincial game on Friday, Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 pm against Steinbach. The Peeewe Boys play Sagkeeng on Saturday, Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00 and the Midget Boys play Lac du Bonnet on Sunday, Feb. 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. Come out and watch our

future stars!! Also on Sunday, Feb. 18<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-3:00 kids aged 4-8 are encouraged to bring their skates, helmets and sticks for a fun game of hockey to celebrate Winterfest. Everyone aged 9 and up can do the same from 3:00-4:00.

There is public skating at Pine Falls arena every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. NO STICKS OR PUCKS are allowed on the ice during public skating. There will be open ice on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the same time and sticks and pucks will be allowed during open ice. HELMETS ARE MANDATORY DURING OPEN ICE. Weekend public skating and open ice times will vary with the times of minor hockey games, so please check with the arena for ice times on Saturday and Sunday.

**Cross Country Skiing**  
The Cross Country ski trails are now open. Memberships can be purchased at Celebrations Unlimited for \$20.00 single or \$30.00 for a family. For more information contact Howard May at 367-8846.

**Dance Class**  
Dance class will be held in the Multipurpose Room at Powerview School on Wednesdays beginning January 17<sup>th</sup>. The class will run for 12 weeks. The cost is \$127.20. Times are as follows: 3&4 year olds - 4:30 - 5:30; 5-7 - 5:30-6:30 and 8-12 - 6:30-7:30. If there is enough interest, we will have a class for teens and adults from 7:30-8:30.

**Archery**  
The Winnipeg River Bowhunters have started up for another year. Classes are held every Monday from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. and again from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. You are welcome to attend either class. For more information, or to register, call Tom Paukovic at 367-8798 or Alan Actimichuk at 367-8739.

**Boxing/Kickboxing for Kids!!!**  
Classes began on Wednes-

day, February 7<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-7:00 at the gym in Pine Falls School. The class will run for 10 weeks at a cost of \$75.00. There is still space available, so if you would like to register, call the Rec. Office @ 367-9142.

**Ladies Hockey**  
The ladies recreational hockey team is looking for recruits. Come on out for some fun and exercise - and maybe teach the men a thing or two!!! The ladies skate every Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m. To register, call Dawn Nault @ 367-8419 or the Rec. Office @ 367-9142.

**Rivers North Fitness Co-op**  
The membership drive for the fitness co-op is in full swing. The co-op membership fee is \$100. If you register before February 15<sup>th</sup> there will be a reduced rate for user fees. For more information, contact Bev Dube @ 367-8064 or Linda Cyr @ 367-2382.

**Recreational Volleyball**  
Volleyball is held in the gym at Pine Falls School every Monday night from 7:00-9:00. Everyone is welcome to come out for some fun and fitness!! For more information, contact the Rec. Office @ 367-9142.

**Badminton**  
Badminton is held every Sunday and Wednesday at Pine Falls School from 7:00-9:30. You can register for the season, or pay as you play. Open to anyone 14 years or age or older. Children under the age of 14 must be accompanied by an adult.

**Public Library**  
The Public Library, located in Pine Falls School operates Monday to Friday from 1:30p.m - 3:30p.m. Community Internet access is also available during these times.

**Miscellaneous**  
If any groups in the area have an event or ongoing program they would like to promote, please contact the Rec. Office at 367-9142 and I will put it in my weekly column.



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# Pineview Minor Hockey news

**Submitted by: Ruth Barkhouse, Rec. Director Pineview Recreation Commission**

The Pineview Minor Hockey Association operates out of scenic Powerview-Pine Falls located on the Winnipeg River just 100 km north-east of Winnipeg. We have approximately 96 registered players this season from Initiator to Midget. Here is a sample of how our season went:

### Initiator

The Initiator team consisting of ten boys and one girl

had a great 16-game exhibition season. They also hosted a very successful 8-team tournament at the end of January. They will be going to a tournament in Garson on Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> as well as the Timbit Classic in Portage on March 9<sup>th</sup>.

### Novice

The Novice team had a good season. They played in the Carillon league with 18 other teams. A lot of games and a lot of traveling, but they all enjoyed their season. The team hosted a great tournament in February with 8

teams participating. A big thank-you goes out to the coaching staff that worked so hard with the kids.

### Atom

This was the first year for the Atom boys playing in the Carillon league. This allowed them to play against teams they have never met before and they had lots of fun. The first half of the season went really well with 5 wins and 03 losses. The boys also hosted a great tournament in early December, losing in the A-side final 5-4 against a very strong team from Kenora.

The second half of the season is going just as well as the first. With one game remaining on the schedule, they have 03 wins, 2 losses and 2 ties. They will be attending two tournaments in March, one in Beausejour and one in Portage.

### Peewee Boys

The boys got off to a slow start early in the season, but since Christmas have shown a remarkable improvement thanks to the dedication of the coaching staff and, at times, our first-aid staff!! They are currently into the second round of provincial play and judging by the first game it should be very exciting. The boys will be entering a tournament later in March and will be going to provincials in La Broquerie - good luck!

### Peewee Girls

This year our Peewee girls team (15 of them) played in the Pembina Valley league along with two other Eastman teams - Steinbach and St. Adolphe. The girls had a great time this year and finished 5<sup>th</sup> after league play. Even the parents didn't mind all the traveling that was involved. The girls didn't enter any tournaments this year because of all the traveling to and

from games, but will be attending "B" provincials in Minnedosa in March. Good luck and have fun! A big thank you to the coaching staff who did an excellent job with the girls this season. They will be back again next year with the same enthusiasm.

### Bantam/Midget Girls

The Bantam/Midget girls played as an exhibition Midget team in the Pembina Valley league. They had a fun season and are looking forward to provincials in Elkhorn.

### Midget Boys

The Midget boys team consisted of 18 skaters and 03 goalies. Their home record is 4 wins, 4 losses and 1 tie. Their away record is 1 win and 6 losses. The coaching staff attributes the difference to the support they receive from the hometown fans. The staff has done a great job with such a large group and they expect great things next season. The boys will be going to Mitchell on March 9, 10 & 11<sup>th</sup> to participate in the "D" provincial tournament.

Overall, a great season for our hockey players. Everyone worked hard and had lots of fun. A big thank-you to all the coaching staff and parents who helped make our season the great success that it was.

## Wings of Power Family Lending Library

Did you know that Wings of Power has a family lending library that is open Monday thru Friday from 10-12 and 1-4? The library contains many early years books as well as a section for elementary school children. The books are adjacent to the play area and children are encouraged to play when they come in as well select books to take home. While the children are busy, parents can check out the parenting section. Some of our newest selections include: The Mother of all Parenting Books by Ann Douglas, Child's Play

by Silken Laumann, Girls will be Girls - Raising Confident and Courageous Daughters by JoAnn Deak, PhD., with Teresa Barker. Also new is Mom and Dad don't Live Together Any More by Kathy Stinson. This beautifully illustrated book is a simple yet powerful look at separation through a child's eyes. It will open discussions with children and help them realize that even apart Mommy and Daddy are still there for them and that they aren't alone.

Activities planned for I Love to Read Month include

our Book Worm mural where children can add their name every time they read a book. Our colouring contest runs all month and entries can be picked up when you visit our library as well as from Midway Foods and Pine Pharmacy.

Don't forget to join us for our Pyjama Party on Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 p.m.

Parents are still welcome to join us for our Literacy and Parenting Skills program every Wednesday from 11:30 - 1 p.m. Call Ginette at 367-9641 for more information.

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### INSCRIPTIONS À LA MATERNELLE

Les inscriptions à la maternelle auront lieu dans nos écoles au courant de la semaine du 26 février au 2 mars 2007. Les enfants qui auront cinq (5) ans avant le 31 décembre 2007 sont admissibles. Veuillez apporter à l'école un certificat de naissance.

Les écoles françaises sont ouvertes à tous les ayants droit. Un «ayant droit» est un résident du Manitoba dont la première langue qu'il a apprise et qu'il comprend encore est le français ou un résident du Manitoba qui a reçu au moins quatre ans d'enseignement scolaire dans le cadre d'un programme français au Canada ou encore être le père ou la mère d'un enfant qui reçoit de l'enseignement scolaire dans le cadre d'un programme de français ou qui a reçu un tel enseignement pendant au moins quatre ans. Si vous avez des questions, veuillez communiquer avec les directions d'école de votre quartier dont la liste est la suivante :

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# Sher-Wood tight, Addison almost set in the playoff race

## Kings head south

The Dauphin Kings will head to Winnipeg this weekend, having been booted from Dauphin Credit Union Place by the Safeway Championship men's provincial curling event. Dauphin visits Winkler tonight before moving on to Winnipeg to play the Saints Saturday and Blues Sunday. The Kings enter the weekend a point back of Neepawa for first place in the Sher-Wood Division. Dauphin returns home to open a three-game home stand against Neepawa on Wednesday. **Waywayseecappo-Swan Valley-OCN race continues**

Another weekend, another crucial series of games for the final playoff spot in the Sher-Wood Division. Swan Valley

plays OCN and Waywayseecappo this weekend, not to mention another tilt with Waywayseecappo on Tuesday. A string of Stampeders wins and they could be holding down the final spot by this time next week. For their part, Waywayseecappo will be looking to increase their narrow three-point lead they have on Swan and OCN. They play Portage tonight, before the Stamps on Sunday. OCN hits the road for three games, starting tonight in Swan Valley and then Neepawa Saturday and Winnipeg to play the Saints on Sunday. The reality for OCN is they have to put together a winning streak this weekend to stay in the race.

## Addison looking set

Let the team scouting begin

in the Addison Division. With the Selkirk Steelers beating the Winnipeg South Blues and the Saints beating the Flyers Tuesday night, it looks like the Addison Division will finish in that order, which should shake up the first round playoff series. The Flyers haven't played the Steelers in the playoffs since the first round of the 2002 playoffs, while a Blues-Saints River City first

round romp hasn't seen the ice since the 2001 post-season.

## 100-point club

Jason Frykas assisted Brent Howarth's game-winning goal against Winnipeg South Tuesday to become the fourth Steeler to reach the 100-point plateau. He is joined by Kyle Howarth, Brent Howarth and Adam Sergerie.

## Leslie closing in on the record

With 10 games left on their schedule, Selkirk Steelers' goaltender Andrew Leslie is four wins away from tying the record for most wins in a season. He enters the weekend at 31 wins. Former Dauphin Kings' goalie Marc Lesage set the record at 35 last season.

## Playoff pursuit

Follow the MJHL Playoff Pursuit on MJHLHockey.ca. Just click the button on the left side.

# Library Corner

## Lac du Bonnet Regional Library

With the extremely cold weather you might want to curl up with one of our new "how-to" books while planning for the warmer weather ahead. One of our new Black & Decker books "Finishing & Refinishing Wood" has easy-to-follow instructions and step-by-step photographs demonstrating dozens of useful finishing and refinishing skills, including stripping an old finish, applying easy one-step finishes,

choosing the right products for your project plus fifteen real case studies shown from start to finish. The other Black & Decker book new to our shelf is "The Complete Guide to Trim & Finish Carpentry". This book has easy-to-follow instructions and step-by-step photographs demonstrating dozens of useful trim carpentry projects, including installing crown molding, trimming doors and windows, making wainscot panels, milling custom molding plus essential tips and techniques for making tricky saw cuts and calculating angles correctly. We also have the "Ultimate Guide to Plumbing" which has easy-to-follow step-by-step popular plumbing projects, guides to installing sinks, faucets and showers and has a section on how to repair



all types of plumbing fixtures. And for those who are planning on redecorating this Spring there are more than one thousand ways to dress up your windows in Sunset's "The Big Book of Window Treatments". This book includes a section on draperies and curtains, shades, valances, cornices, swags and cascades, blinds, shutters and screens and also has a section on bed furnishings. Please remember that if there is something you would like to read or research and we don't have it on our shelves, we will try our best to inter-library loan from another library!

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# Happy Valentine Messages

Wishing all a very Happy Valentine's Day!




Happy Valentine's Day  
Teresa Swampy!  
You're truly one  
of a kind!  
Love Always,  
Vern


To PA...  
Although, I don't always  
tell you in so many  
words, I love you  
in so many  
ways...  
FB

To my darling husband  
To my darling husband,  
I love you, I miss you,  
wishing you were here.  
Your sweetheart,  
Della

To Adolf...  
You know that I  
love you and I  
will 'til the end.  
You're my lover,  
my soul mate  
and my best  
friend. We share  
day and night,  
spring, summer,  
winter and fall. You're the  
love of my life, my one and only,  
my all.



With all my Love,  
Happy Valentine's Day,  
Love Naomi.



To my darling Dan...  
You are a warm, kind  
and thoughtful husband,  
I will love you  
forever,  
Christine

To my sweetie...  
Happy  
Valentine's  
Day!  
Love  
Biscuit

To my sweetie pie...  
Although we're not  
always together,  
I think of you often,  
And a sweet thought  
it is...  
The Boss

## Valentines Day History

The origin of the Valentines Day is shrouded in mystery and there are varying opinions about it. Its origin has become theme of many legends. St. Valentines Day as we celebrate today has remnants of both Christian and ancient Roman traditions. According to some legends Saint Valentine served as a priest at the temple during the reign of Emperor Claudius. Claudius then had Valentine jailed for defying his decree, which outlawed marriage for young men.

Some legends have it that the Valentines Day originated from

St. Valentine, a Roman who was martyred for refusing to give up Christianity on Feb. 14, 269 A.D. Today the Roman Church recognizes at least three different saints named Valentine, all of whom were martyred. St. Valentine may have been imprisoned and later killed for helping Christians to escape harsh punishment in Roman prisons.

There is an interesting story portraying the love affair between St. Valentine and the jailor's daughter. St. Valentine left a farewell note for her, the note

read- "from your Valentine". Valentine's Day is said to have started in the Roman Empire. In ancient Rome, February 14th was a holiday to honour Juno. Juno was the Queen of the Roman Gods and Goddesses. The Romans regarded her as the Goddess of women and marriage. The following day, February 15th, began the festival of Lupercalia, in honor of Lupercus, the hunter of wolves. Legends aside, the popularity of the Valentines Day rose manifold among the people and in tune with it Pope Gelasius set aside February 14 to honor St. Valentine, the patron saint of love and romance.

## A Mommy Moment

Four-year-old Mitch loved candy almost as much as his mom Ann did. He and Daddy had given her a beautiful heart-shaped box of chocolates for Valentine's Day. A few days later Mitch was eyeing it, wishing to have a piece of it. As he reached out to touch one of the big pieces, Ann said to him, "If you touch it, then you have to eat it. Do you understand?"



"Oh, yes," he said, nodding his head. Suddenly his little hand patted the tops of all the pieces of candy. "Now I can eat them all."



## Valentine Symbols

### Cupid

Cupid, the winged and mischievous little angel pierces the hearts of his victims with his bows and arrows. The Greeks called him Eros whereas to the Romans he was known by the name of Cupid, the son of Venus. Cupid is thought to be responsible for people falling in love.



### Roses

Roses have always been the subject of great importance and a certain hit with the lovers all around the world. Roses symbolize love, compassion, peace, friendship and romance. They are available in various colors, each in turn signifying a different thing. Red for passion, Yellow for friendship and White stands for true love and devotion.

### Ribbons and pulls

Ribbons and trappings are synonymous with love and romance since time immemorial. These were given to the kings and knights by their beloved ones when they went to battles. Even to this day the ribbons form an important part of auspicious occasions.



### Hearts

Nothing symbolizes love more completely as does the heart. And for a romantic person there is no other symbol as important as heart. Heart signifies the life and if you give your heart to someone it means to handover to her or him one's existence. Heart pierced with arrow forms the most important symbol of Valentines Day.



### Love Birds and Doves

The belief that birds find their mates on this special day still continues and today's world is no exception to it. The blue colored birds best signify this belief. It is said that lovebirds can't think of life without their mates. Dove on the other hand signifies purity, humbleness and purity and wholesomeness.

## On Parliament Hill



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Vic Toews, MP for Provencher

### Conservative Action vs. Liberal Talk on the Environment

Stéphane Dion's Liberals have recently made a big spectacle about Canada's commitment to the Kyoto Protocol, which was signed by his government. That international agreement committed countries to reducing their emissions of greenhouse gases that cause climate change. The Liberals signed Canada up to reduce Canada's greenhouse gases to 6% below 1990 levels by 2012.

Unfortunately for Canadians and the environment, the Liberals never had any plan to reach those targets. Despite signing and ratifying Kyoto, little action was actually taken by the Liberals to back it up and meet the associated commitments. In fact, rather than reducing our greenhouse gas emissions, under the Liberal watch, they ballooned to almost 35% over the Kyoto target.

After all the grand gestures, Dion's Liberal government posted the second worst environmental record in the developed world. Here at home, the former Environment Commissioner, in her 2006 report, pointed out that, "Canada is not on track to meet its Kyoto targets."

As Environment Minister John Baird pointed out in the House of Commons, "The Kyoto protocol is a 15 year marathon to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. When it was signed in 1997, when the starter's pistol went off in that race, the Liberal Government of Canada began to run in the opposite direction."

In short, the Liberals didn't get it done. In contrast, our Conservative government is taking real action to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. At the same time, we're delivering initiatives to make our air more breathable and clean up our land and water. Let's have a look at the concrete meas-

ures we've taken.

Since taking office, our government has:

- Delivered a Chemicals Management Plan to regulate potentially harmful substances;

- Introduced Canada's first-ever Clean Air Act, a comprehensive plan that tackles both greenhouse gas emissions and air pollution;

- Developed a bio-fuels plan that will ensure gasoline contains 5% renewable fuels by 2010, and that diesel fuel and heating oil contain 2% renewable fuels by 2012;

- Invested \$2 billion for three new ecoENERGY initiatives to help Canadians use energy more efficiently, boost renewable energy supplies and develop cleaner energy technologies;

- Exempted donations of ecologically-sensitive land from Capital Gains Tax; and

- Created a new tax credit to reduce the cost and encourage the use of public transit.

We think the time for talk and grandstanding has passed. For thirteen years, all it resulted in was poorer environmental results. The Conservative government takes its responsibility for the environment very seriously. And that's why we've acted so decisively, with a focus on outcomes and achievable results serving as the common thread that runs through all our initiatives.

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 [toewsv1@mts.net](mailto:toewsv1@mts.net).

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## Ask the Neighbourhood Mechanic



by Dave Redinger

Let's face it money is tight and car repairs always seem to come at the most inopportune times. Every few people ever budget for car service, let alone break downs. Many times I'm approached by customers wanting to supply used parts as an attempt to save money. This brings up several issues. Will the used part work as well as a new piece? How much can you save? I have had good luck with used parts at a low tech and cheap. The usual going rate is 50% of new. However; be aware the part is used and worn, don't expect the same service life as new replacement piece. Most dismantlers will warrant parts for 30 days. There is a kicker...the dismantler's warranty will replace the part, not the installation. In effect you as the supplier will have to cover the re-installation of the part. Don't you just love this business?

I am hoping you can help me. I have a 1994 Dodge Ram 1500, and when we got possession of it, they installed an auto-start package. Recently, it has not worked at all. It would flash the headlights 3 times, then pause then flash one final time. I am not sure what that means, but I know that it is not good. How do I find out?

You have to audit the system. Sounds as if the system is trying to engage auto-start but is not getting a response. Check for continuity in the system. If all circuits are in good shape you will more than likely have the module tested. Contact the manufacturer for details on the unit by internet. In fact it would be a good idea to talk with them about your problem. Just a note, we have experienced tremendous problems with this type of aftermarket systems. Not that the units failed, just poor installation practices.

The brakes on my Sienna



need service and I was wondering what are the BEST rotors and brake pads that you can recommend. RM

Brakes are complicated and there are several options available to you. Before you purchase a brake repair you should have a discussion with the repairer as to what type of driving you do. Brakes come in different grades. Metallic, semi-metallic, organic etc.. To complicate matters worst alot of suppliers handle different brands only because of the "deal". Add to the mix that there are a lot of "knock offs" available from China and you can see how hard your question is to answer. We have relied on long associations with our suppliers to ensure quality, warranty and the back-up we require as an installer.

Dave Redinger a mechanic with over 40 yrs of experience. Dave operates his shop "DOCTOR H HONDA SPECIALISTS" in Toronto for the last 26 yrs.

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# Winnipeg River Recreation Scene

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## Community Recreation planning public meetings for Lac du Bonnet and Pinawa

If you care about the future of Recreation in Pinawa and/or LdB, please attend this important meeting.

The Winnipeg River Recreation District (WRRD) Board is spearheading the de-

velopment of a 5-year Community Recreation Plan for both Lac du Bonnet and Pinawa communities. The planning process began a few months ago with collecting information from community

residents and recreation groups. From the input received we have started to identify community issues, needs and interests.

### About Community Recreation Planning...

Through Community Rec-

reation Planning, groups and interested residents will work together to develop a shared future vision for the future of recreation in our community. We will also examine and determine values; issues; priorities; and goals for recreation in our community. By developing a shared future vision and a recreation plan for our community, we will be able to achieve more. Input from all community members and groups that are interested in sport, recreation, leisure, and culture is critical in developing a comprehensive plan.

### Please attend a public community meeting...

-Lac du Bonnet Community Centre on Tuesday, February 13 from 6:30-9:00 p.m.  
 -Pinawa Community Cen-

tre (gym) on Thursday, February 15 from 6:30-9:00 p.m.

At the community meeting you will...

Receive more information about the LdB Community Recreation Planning process

Be able to provide your thoughts on recreation in our community (what you see now and what you'd like to see in the future)

Hear about some of the trends and factors that are impacting on recreation in LdB

The future of recreation in our community is important. By working together and taking a proactive approach we can make great things happen.

Vision without action is merely a dream.

Action without vision merely passes the time.

Vision with action can change the world.

## ENERGY CORNER prepared by Manitoba Hydro

### Science Kit Recalls

About 43,000 science kits distributed through School Specialty Publishing, have been voluntarily recalled.

The battery case in the science kit can overheat, posing a potential thermal burn hazard. So far, there has been one report of a young boy receiving minor burns to his fingers.

Models included in the recall are "All About Electricity",

"All About Magnets", "The Science Search Lab: Electricity", and "The Science Search Lab: Light." The kits were sold in brightly-coloured 1 1/4 inch by 12 inch boxes with a plastic window and door flap on the front.

They were sold at educational stores and bookstores nation-wide, and through the [schoolspecialty.com](http://schoolspecialty.com) website from July 2004 to May 2006 for between \$16 and \$24.

Consumers should immedi-

ately stop using these science kits, and return them to where they were purchased, or to School Specialty for a refund.

As students prepare for science fairs, remind them to keep safety in mind. Inquiring minds need to be aware that even a small amount of electricity can cause burns or injury.

For safe, fun and educational project ideas for your upcoming science fair, visit Manitoba Hydro's The Learning Zone at [www.hydro.mb.ca/learningzone](http://www.hydro.mb.ca/learningzone).

## The Winnipeg Humane Society



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## Hot New... RELEASES

### The Departed DVD

**Cast:** Leonardo DiCaprio, Matt Damon, Jack Nicholson, Mark Wahlberg, Martin Sheen, Ray Winstone, Vera Farmiga  
**Rating:** 18A

### School for Scoundrels DVD

**Cast:** Billy Bob Thornton, Jon Heder, Jacinda Barrett, Matt Walsh, Horatio Sanz, Todd Louiso, Michael Clarke Duncan  
**Rating:** PG  
**Marie Antoinette DVD**  
**Cast:** Kirsten Dunst, Steve Coogan, Judy Davis, Jason Schwartzman, Rose Byrne, Rip Torn, Asia Argento  
**Rating:** PG

### Zoom: Academy for Superheroes DVD

**Cast:** Tim Allen, Courteney Cox, Chevy Chase, Spencer Breslin, Kevin Zegers, Kate Mara, Michael Cassidy  
**Rating:** G

### Half Nelson DVD

**Cast:** Ryan Gosling, Shareeka Epps, Anthony Mackie, Monique Cumen, Karen Chilton, Tina Holmes, Jay O. Sanders  
**Rating:** 14A

### Infamous DVD

**Cast:** Toby Jones, Sandra Bullock, Daniel Craig, Lee Pace, Sigourney Weaver, Gwyneth Paltrow, Jeff Daniels  
**Rating:** 14A

### Man About Town DVD

**Cast:** Ben Affleck, Rebecca Romijn, John Cleese, Mike Binder, Gina Gershon, Adam Goldberg, Samuel Ball  
**Rating:** 14A

### The Quiet DVD

**Cast:** Elisha Cuthbert, Camilla Belle, Edie Falco, Martin Donovan, Shawn Ashmore, Katy Mixon, Shannon Marie Woodward  
**Rating:** 14A

### 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 10-11375:** 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 3:00 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.  
**Nights of Calambas:** 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., whilst 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:** Sunrise Group meetings every Monday, Wednesday and Friday 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., last Friday of the month open to the public, at St. Georges Catholic Church basement.  
**Pine Falls Legion:** meetings held second Thursday of the month 7:30 p.m. Legion, meat raffles held at Legion on Fridays 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.  
**Pine Falls Masonic Lodge #154:** meets second Friday of every month, Pine Falls United Church, except January and February.

**Badminton:** Pine Falls School gym, Sunday and Wednesday nights 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

**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,** Thursdays 8:00 p.m., Senior Scene, Victoria Beach, 1 Atchab Road, 754-3173.  
**Happy Tots Day Care** 367-2601, board meetings last Monday of each month 7:00 p.m. at the daycare

**Senior Scene Inc. #1 Atchab 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. Pine Falls Health Complex.

**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 -** Tuesday and Thursdays from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.  
**Pine Falls Library** open 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday to Friday, and Thursday evening 7:00pm to 8:00pm. Library is situated in the Pine Falls School, entrance facing pool.

**Foster Homes** Open your heart and home to a foster child, foster homes needed in Pine Falls and surrounding area, call Debby at 268-6158.

**Child Health Clinics -** will be provided by area Public Health Nurse every Tuesday 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:** Wednesdays at 4:45 weigh-in and at 5:30 Meetings Call Delores at 367-2945 or 345-3399 or 1-800-651-6000.  
**Pine Falls Golf & Leisure Club:** Bridge 7:00pm Mon. & Thurs., Canasta 1:00pm Friday, Whist 1:30pm Wednesday, Crib, 1st Monday of Month at 1:30pm Exercise Class, Mon, Wed., Thurs., Fri., 10:15am

**Town Powerview-Pine Falls Garbage Pick up -** Powerview - Wednesdays 8:00am, Recycle: Every Thursday, 8:00am

**Overcomers Outreach ca.** weekly meeting Contact: Isabelle (204) 367-2359

**Parenting Support Group:** Meets the first three Wednesdays of every month at Wings of Power, 11:30 a.m. - 1. Lunch and childminding are free, transportation also available. Call 367-9641.

**Family Leading Library:** Open 10:12 and 1-4, Mon-Fri at Wings of Power.  
**Computer access:** Wings of Power CAP site, Open 10:12 and 1-4, Mon-Fri.

**Narcotics Anonymous** meetings every Tuesday, 7-8pm at the Saglekeung Multi-Purpose Building (south shore highway 11).

### 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 11:30 a.m. 367-2633. 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 9:00am

**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, Scantoberbury, on Hwy. 459.

**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 Saglekeung 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.

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

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

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

**LIFE SKILLS CHURCH -** Christian Healing Services, Minister: Isabelle Fiola (204) 367-2359

## Powerview RCMP Report

This report covers the period from February 5th to February 10th

**February 5:**  
**POWERVERVIEW -** an incident of threats being uttered was dealt with informally th 1 male being warned verbally by Police. No further action was requested by the complainant.  
 - investigation continues into an incident of sexual assault.

**February 6:**  
**BLACK RIVER -** a missing youth was reported to police. Further investigation by the local band constable led to the return of the youth to parents.

**TRAVERSE BAY -** police towed a chevy cavalier off of highway 59 as the vehicle presented a safety hazard to passing motorists.

**February 7:**  
**RM OF ALEXANDER**

- a complaint of an erratic possible impaired driver proved to be unfounded. Police located the driver and vehicle matching the description. The male driver was sober and in control and may have been avoiding wildlife at the time of the incident.

**February 8:**  
**FORT ALEXANDER -** a complaint of threats being uttered is being dealt with alternatively. The matter resolved around a property dispute.

- a 12 years old youth was reported missing to police. The female youth may be at a relatives but family members could

not confirm her whereabouts.

**February 9:**  
**POWERVERVIEW -** a vehicle which was stolen from a local business was located at a residence thanks to video surveillance. No charges were laid at the request of the owner but a verbal warning was issued to the 2 parties involved.

**FORT ALEXANDER -** a vehicle fire was reported to police. Local emergency crews were called out to contain the fire as the vehicle was near a residence. The owner was advised to attend the local detachment to provide a statement. No further police action was necessary.

**February 10:**  
**HOLLOW WATER -** a complaint of threats being uttered was made to police for information at this time should anything further develop.

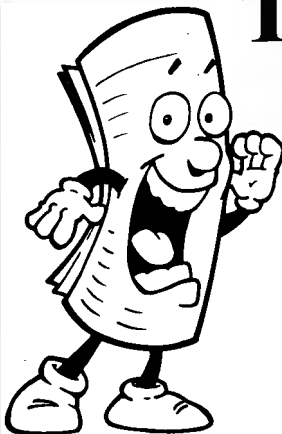
- a break and enter to the local health center was reported to police. Nothing was stolen in the incident and the building was secured.

**February 11:**  
**POWERVERVIEW -** police attended a local hotel to remove an unwanted patron who had been causing a disturbance. Further investigation by police found the male to be in breach of 2 probation orders. He was charged accordingly and released with a promise to appear in Powerview Court at a

later date.  
**FORT ALEXANDER -** a call to a domestic dispute sent police on a foot search of a male. The man was able to evade police but was located several hours later. Once in custody the man continued to be verbally and physically abusive with police. Police were finally able to lodge the man in cells who faces several charges of uttering threats and resisting arrest. Investigation continues.

- a very highly intoxicated male was removed from a residence after he continued to be abusive and attempted fighting with various people at the place. Police again were faced with a very unstable individual who continued arguing but was finally lodged in cells. The man was released in the morning when sober and spoken to by police accordingly.

**SUMMARY:** Police also followed up on 6 false alarms, actioned 4 request(s) for assistance to other police agencies/services of legal documents, processed 4 traffic accident report(s), lodged 1 person(s) under the intoxicated persons detention act, charged 0 person(s) for impaired driving/refusal of breath test, attended 1 noise complaint(s), issued 1 ticket(s) under the liquor/highway control acts and attended to 0 incident(s) under the Coroners Act.



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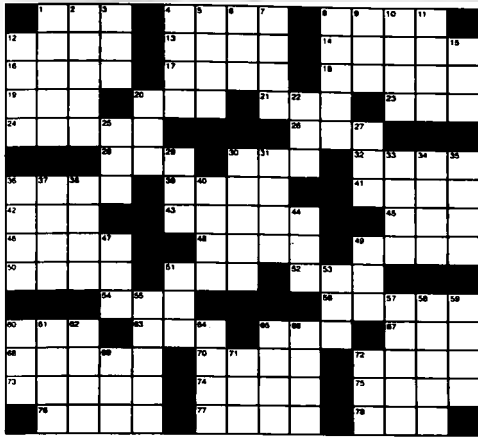
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# WEEKLY CROSSWORD



**ACROSS**

1. Lord of Upper Egypt.
5. Cradle of Texas liberty.
10. Lightest of the meson family of elementary particles.
14. Melodic subject of a musical composition.
15. Certainly not.
16. Grossnickle Hines, children's author and illustrator.
17. Having the form of the tongue.
19. Eldest son of Noah.
20. Greek physician.
21. Hollow building unit made of fired clay, shale or gypsum.
22. Problem requiring investiga-

- tion.
23. Take one long step.
25. Of or pertaining to the skin.
27. Roof in the shape of a hemisphere.
29. Fill with high spirits.
32. Capital of Maldives in the center of the islands.
35. Member of the Ojgunquian people of southern Ontario.
39. Light brown.
40. Unit of metric land measure.
41. Have endured pain and hardship without showing one's feelings.
42. Not young.
43. Ocean.

44. Slender, painted piece of a substance used for marking.
45. Son of Zeus and Hera.
46. Ascetic holy man.
48. People who have severe hearing impairments.
50. Anthropoid limb.
54. Devices that make a loud warning noise.
58. Polynesian dance with rhythmic hip movements.
60. One of the Channel Islands in the English Channel.
62. Paul Adrien Maurice, Noble Prize winner in physics.
63. Growth regulating chemical-sprayed fruit trees, so the entire crop can be harvested at one time.
64. Being more than fifty.
66. Small hotels, usually in the countryside.
67. Silly.
68. City in Yemen.
69. Toward the end of a period.
70. Suggestive of the supernatural.
71. Furniture pieces made to fit close together.

- Donahue.
9. Abalone found chiefly in the Channel Islands.
10. High-level computer programming language.
11. Breathing device for administering long-term artificial respiration.
12. Single entities.
13. Word used to designate a unique entity.
18. Cause to become loose.
24. Express emotion.
26. Coarsely ground grain.
28. Urban district of southeast-central England.
30. Unbelievable story.
31. Farthest parts of something.
32. Property of something great in magnitude.
33. Subject of study.
34. Shrub of sandy woodlands and stream banks in the western U.S.
36. Persistent behavioral trait.
37. Sharp or biting to the taste.
38. Ridges on the outside of a

- horse collar.
41. Short pipe, as for connecting a water pipe with a meter.
45. Plate, major tectonic division of the Earth's crust.
47. Harsh, low sound.
49. Payments made by feudal vassals to their lord on special occasions.
51. Fiber from any of several tropical American plants used in making carpets or bagging.
52. Lake in the Sierra Nevada Mountains.
53. Mistaken opinion.
55. Destroy by slow consumption.
56. Nasal passages.
57. Small piece of paper dropped by the hares in the game of Hare and Hound.
58. Call out in order to greet.
59. Bone of the forearm on the side opposite the thumb.
61. Hat worn by members of the French Foreign Legion.
65. Look at carefully.

**LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS**



## CRYPTIC PUZZLE

BXCVDWF XDW X VXDG DG  
HJW GWKL.

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**

THERE IS MUCH PLEASURE TO BE GAINED FROM USELESS KNOWLEDGE.

## Weekly Echo Horoscopes

February 12th to February 18th



**ARIES (Mar. 21-April 20)**  
Your questions will help you ferret out secret information. You don't owe anyone an explanation. Do your own thing, you need time to yourself. Make any necessary changes to your insurance policy. Rely on the one you love for support and affection.



**TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)**  
Get involved in activities that will bring you knowledge about foreign land, philosophies, or cultures. Don't be too quick to respond to a plea for help. Your concern with older family members and those less fortunate than yourself will only add to your attractiveness. You can't make things better if you don't know what to fix.



**GEMINI (May 22-June 21)**  
You can meet a new romantic partner or secure the love connection you already have by going out and entertaining yourself. You will get out of shape easily if you don't keep on top of things. Be careful while traveling. You will have excellent ideas and you should be able to help your partner get ahead.



**CANCER (June 22-July 22)**  
Stomach problems could prevail if you haven't been watching your diet. Children's needs could be more costly than you anticipated. If you put your mind to it, you could entertain or host a multitude of social events. Don't make large purchases unless you have discussed your choices with your mate.



**LEO (July 23-Aug 22)**  
Overindulgence will mean poor health. Money may slip through your fingers. Emotional upset may prevail on the domestic scene if you have neglected your duties or your mate. You may want to sign up for courses that will encourage you to have more confidence in yourself.



**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 23)**  
Your charm will attract members of the opposite sex. Involvement in financial schemes will be followed by losses. Take time to find out all you can. Your compassion will be appreciated more than you can imagine.



**LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)**  
In-laws may cause difficulties. Travel should be considered. Try to ease any disappointment by making amends. Your home environment may be volatile if precautions aren't taken. Major job changes or opportunities to get ahead professionally are apparent.



**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)**  
Be tolerant, but don't let any one take you for granted. A romantic dinner, followed by a quiet evening with the one who is enticing you, should be most satisfying. Property deals will pay big dividends. You will be erratic and quite likely to make personal mistakes.



**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)**  
You've been hurt before and could be again if you don't play hard to get. Disputes on the home front may be hard to avoid. Spend a quiet day with the one you love. Equilibrium in your romantic life is likely if you treat your partner well.



**CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan. 20)**  
Get involved in volunteer work that will bring you satisfaction, not an empty wallet. Catch up on your reading and correspondence. Your dramatic nature may be too much to handle. You're eager to learn.



**AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)**  
Don't let your personal problems interfere with your professional responsibilities. You won't be able to keep a secret. Trips will be enjoyable, and communication with your lover will clear up any misconceptions. You may be overly emotional when dealing with your mate.



**PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)**  
Get involved in activities that will bring you knowledge about foreign land, philosophies, or cultures. Your partner could make you angry if they steal your thunder or embarrass you in front of others. Traffic will be busier than you anticipated, so try to get a head start if you have made plans to travel. Avoid lending money or belongings to friends.

# Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report

This report covers the period from January 29th to February 4th, 2007



Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2007

At 2:51 PM there was a report of an abandoned vehicle in the the RM of Reynolds. The owner of the vehicle was contacted and requested to move the vehicle which they advised they would.

At 6:50 PM there was a report of a roll over in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. There were no injuries in the accident.

At 11:20 PM there was a call of a domestic in Lac du Bonnet. Patrol was made and there was an argument, no assault. One party had left and matter was resolved. No fur-

ther police action needed.

Tuesday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2007  
At 10:00 AM there was a report of a lost cell phone in Lac du Bonnet.

At 4:25 AM there was a report of a person in Lac du Bonnet having passed away overnight. Patrol made and matter was of natural causes.

Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2007

At 3:00 AM there was a report of a person in Lac du Bonnet having passed away. Patrol made and matter was of natural causes.

At 6:12 PM there was a re-

quest to check on the well being of a person in Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and everything was fine.

Thursday, February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2007

At 9:00 AM there was a report of dogs roaming loose in the RM of Reynolds. A patrol was made and dogs were not observed off property.

At 6:30 PM there was a report of an NSF cheque in Whitemouth. Investigation continuing in this matter.

At 9:45 PM there was a report of an attempted Break and Enter into a residence in Lac du Bonnet.

Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2007  
At 4:30 PM there was a call of horses not being fed in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Investigation to be done.

At 3:45 PM there was a report from the RM of Reynolds regarding annoying phone calls. Subject was given advice on how to work with MTS to find out source of calls.

Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2007

At 3:00 AM there was a subject in Pinawa arrested for Impaired Driving. Charges

pending in this matter.

Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2007

At 11:19 AM there was a report of a theft from a garage in Lac du Bonnet. Overnight someone had stolen a circular saw from a garage.

Over the week there were also snowmobile patrols made through Lee River area up to Pointe du Bois on Sunday covering over 80 miles. There were no infractions noted as

everyone was out enjoying themselves.

There were also 3 false alarm calls and 10 traffic charges of various nature. By now you should see a higher visibility of our members as we are making a conscious effort to be out and in all areas.

## 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 AI-Adon Group** Thursday 7:30 p.m. Lac du Bonnet District Health Centre, 89 McIntosh Call Teri 345-8712.

**Lakeshore AI-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** Corry Daley 268-4752, 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 Wednesday of the month, 7:00pm, at St. John's Anglican Church Hall. No meetings January, July & August.

**Canada Day Celebrations** - June 30 to July 2, fireworks, wonder shows, parade, car show, beer gardens, baseball tournament, etc. visit [www.lacdubonnetions.ca](http://www.lacdubonnetions.ca), or call Violet 345-9291 for more info.

## Lac du Bonnet Church Directory

### ABUNDANT LIFE CHAPEL

Pastor Jake Duell, 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 Szynal, 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 367-9920, church 345-2357

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

# NEWS TIPS?

Call us at 367-9468

## MORTGAGE SALE

The building and land known as 29 Porcupine Trail, Traverse Bay, Manitoba and legally described as follows:

**LOT 1 BLOCK 4 PLAN 18805 WLTO SUBJECT TO ANY SUBSISTING RESERVATIONS CONTAINED IN THE CROWN LANDS ACT IN SE ¼ 35-19-7 EPM**

And described in Certificate No. 2055187, being a single family bungalow style, one-storey home, approximate age of home is 25 years old, kitchen, living room, two bedrooms, one bathroom, approximately 800 sq. Feet, located on a site approximately 2.88 acres on a crawl space, posts in pads foundation, we are advised there are two sheds and one other building on property, base board electric heat, vinyl tile floorings, drywall and paneling on walls, copper piping, wood burning heat, double pane windows, well and septic system, will be sold at an auction by a licensed auctioneer on Friday the 9th day of March, A.D. 2007 at 10:00 a.m., by Ray's Auction Service of Teulon, Manitoba. This auction sale will be held at the offices of South Interlake Credit Union Limited, 11 Linden Street, Pine Falls, Manitoba ROE 1M0.

**PRIOR ENCUMBRANCES TAXES:**  
Caveat No. 85-21095 -LGD of Alexander Taxes levied against the subject property for 2006 are \$500.57.  
**Taxes are paid up to December 31, 2006**  
Total outstanding: \$0.12

Traverse Bay can be reached by taking Hwy. 59 North of Winnipeg Perimeter for approximately 45 minutes. Once you reach the Traverse Bay turnoff, continue going for approximately 3 miles and then turn right onto Traverse Bay Road. Travel for approximately 2 miles and turn left off of Traverse Bay Road and into the housing development. Porcupine Trail is one of the streets in this housing development.

**TERMS:** 20% of the purchase price in cash or certified cheque and balance according to the conditions to be announced at the time of sale. **This sale shall be subject to a reserve bid which will be announced at the time of sale.**

Further information may be obtained from:  
**GRANTHAM LAW OFFICES**  
Lawyers & Notaries Public  
PO Drawer 1400  
Stonewall, Manitoba R0C 2Z0  
Telephone: 204-467-5527

## SILVER HAVEN MEAL PROGRAM

Open to all seniors 55 and over. You are welcome to bring a guest. All meals are \$5.00. Meals are at 11:30 noon Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Your name must be put on the list the day before by calling.

**Silver Haven at 367-4620 or Denise 367-2374**

**Wed., Feb. 14**  
Soup, pork pie, company potatoes, brussels sprouts, muffin.

**Friday, Feb. 16**  
Soup, beef stroganoff, baked beans, lemon mousse cake.

**Monday, Feb. 19**  
Soup, baked spaghetti, onion pie, brownie mousse dessert.

**Wednesday, Feb. 21**  
Soup, salmon rice melange, potato pancake, pumpkin pie.

# Echo Classifieds

**For Rent**  
**Office/Retail Space for Rent** Pine Falls Upstairs - approximately 200 square feet, comes with washroom. Main floor - approximately 900 square feet with private office, washroom and counter. Call Denis at 367-8651. TFN

**Accommodations**  
**Rooms and Suites for rent.** Weekly and Monthly rates available. Hydro and satellite included, call Omer at 367-9991 or 367-4210. 20 TFN

**Birthday**



**Happy 50th Birthday!**  
 February 14th

Love your family

**For Sale/Rent**  
 House for Sale/or Rent, 1 1/2 storey. 3.25 acres, call 367-8232 or 345-4307. TFN

**Miscellaneous**  
**Bankruptcy Info-line** - free, confidential. Call 1-800-463-8371. www.lctaylor.net This is a community service offered by L.C. Taylor & Co. Ltd., Trustee in Bankruptcy. 34 TFN

House For rent, 3 bedroom, 1-1/2 bathroom house in Pine Falls, near hospital. Available at beginning of March, washer, dryer, fridge and stove included. For more info, please call Rob @ 367-4653 or 612-9794. tfn.3

The Echo Classifieds feature low, low rates. Advertise your birth announcements, weddings, birthdays, engagements, anniversaries and memoriams for as low as \$5.00. Cost to run a photograph is an additional \$5.00.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

**SUPPORT WORKERS - Casual**  
 Department of Family Services & Housing  
 Child & Family Services  
 Eastman Region

Applications are currently being accepted for support workers to work with children in the Pine Falls, Lac du Bonnet and Pinawa areas. Current openings are specific to work with male youth (preteen/teens.)

**REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:**

- \*Experience working one to one with children/teens to mentor, role model, guide, and develop social skills through supportive outings.
- \*Available and prepared to work shifts, that include days, evenings, and weekends.
- \*Capability to communicate effectively with clients, family and co-workers and will demonstrate the ability to treat information in a confidential manner.
- \*Ability to work independently.
- \*Capacity to prepare written reports.
- \*Access to a vehicle and valid driver's license
- \*First Aid and CPR Certification - obtainable as a condition of employment.

All applicants are subject to a Criminal Records Check and Child Abuse Registry Check.

**STARTING SALARY RANGE COMMENSURATE WITH QUALIFICATIONS/COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT/HOURS ARE NOT GUARANTEED.**

Only those that are selected for the current interview process will be notified, however all applications will be kept on file for future openings:

Please submit your resume / application to:  
 Family Services & Housing Eastman Region  
 Cindy Matychuk / Resource Co-ordinator  
 20 First St. S.

Box 60,  
 Beauséjour, MB R0E 0C0

Application Deadline: February 23, 2007



**Memoriam**



**In Loving Memory...**  
**Sheila Denise Fontaine**  
 August 19, 1965 to  
 February 14, 1988

It has been 19 years since we've seen your beautiful smile. We miss the moments we shared with you Squeak! The years seem like days, as each year passes we all know you are with Grandpa Skeet, as well as Dad and all our loved ones who went on their journey.

We all love and miss you dearly,  
 Forever loved by brothers  
 Vern & Kirby Fontaine  
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**Obituary**

## Alfred Emeric Guimond



It is with deep regret that we announce the death of Alfred Emeric Guimond. He passed away at the Sunnywood Manor in Pine Falls, Manitoba on Thursday, February 1st, 2007, two weeks from his 92nd Birthday, surrounded by family. A resident of St. Georges, Manitoba since January 1953, he is survived by Therese Guimond and 7 children: Anita (Albert) Vincent, Jeaninne (Robert) Chevrefils, Denis (Lucille) Ada Guenette, Arthur (Barbara), Marc (Suzanne) and Claudette Papineau.

He is further survived by his in-laws Rachel Guimond, Madeleine Boisjoli, and Paul Papineau, and his siblings Wilfred, Elzire (Maurice) Desjardins and Therese (Paul) Longtin. He will also be remembered by his 31 grandchildren, 54 great grandchildren and 3 great-great grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his parents Camille and Elpherida Guimond, his son Georges, son-in-law Claude Guenette, granddaughter Morgan Fitzpatrick, brothers Rosario and Joseph, and sisters Marie Anna, Aurise (Alfred) Hogue and Marie Ange (George) Girrior.

His family's well being was always looked after with much love and affection. His most unique pastime was seeking out potential relatives during his travels across the country rebuilding family ties. An active member of the Roman Catholic Parishes of St. Georges and Fort Alexander, Alfred was also one of the founders of the St. Georges Museum and an active participant at the Chateauguay Seniors Home. His hobbies included but were not limited to gardening and lawn care, socializing and dancing, and endless games of cribbage with his family and friends.

The family would like to extend special thanks to the caring and professional staff of Sunnywood Manor and Dr. Abu Dieh; thank you to Fr. Dominic La Fleur for your many visits and prayers and Fr. Pierre Dumaine and Fr. Rejean Belanger for officiating.

The family would also like to thank the Pall Bearers (Grandchildren: Yves Guimond, Celeste Chevrefils, Connie Fitzpatrick, Jerome Guimond, Maurice Guimond, and Serge Papineau) and the St. Georges Funeral Lunch Committee; thank you to those who organized, served and furnished the lunch.

Alfred's family wishes to extend their application to those who supported us during this difficult time.  
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