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\$800 million rebuild at Point du Bois

Up to 400 construction jobs

by Charles Norman

The Manitoba Hydro generating station at Point du Bois is to be rebuilt at an estimated cost of \$800 million.

Manitoba Hydro has held a series of holding stakeholder consultation meetings and will be filing an application under the Manitoba Environment act. They expect that the environmental impact statement will be completed in 2008. There will also be further stakeholder consultation.

Hydro expects that the

project will be completed and on-line in 2015. It will be built alongside the existing generating station and capacity will be increased from 78 MW to 120 MW. Construction hiring will peak at about 400. After completion the existing generating station will be decommissioned.

Point du Bois is the oldest generating station in the Manitoba Hydro system. It is nearly 100 years old, (it commenced operation in 1911) and is dete-

riorating. The concrete used in its construction was not air-entrained and, as a result has been subject to damage in periodic freeze-thaw conditions. There is also chemical deterioration to the concrete and the structure is becoming unsafe. The new generating station will provide a safe working environment for employees, provide an increase in capacity, and will be using improved technology over that in use in 1911.

4P Festival celebrates 25 years labour day weekend

This year's 2007 4P Festival plans to be a weekend event for the whole family to enjoy.

Thursday night kick off at the Papertown Motor Inn will feature a Joke/Comedy night with live band Atomic Candy. Friday night brings a Pickerel fish fry starting at 5:00pm under the big tent in Powerview, hosted by the Blue Water Chamber of Commerce. Also under the tent is the Jamboree. This year's Jamboree plans to be a memorable one with lots of local talent, bands, and great music. Saturday festival goes can visit the Market Square held at the Powerview Arena, the Kids Zone at the Village Green. New this year will be the Show and Shine held at Powerview Auto. Baseball enthusiasts will see plenty of competition all weekend long. On Sunday the festival features are the parade, fireworks and Ol' Kings Western Days held at the Pine Falls Arena and Kids Zone at the Village Green. Another new event will be held at the Pine Falls School is Metis Fiddlers and Dancers featuring the Gaudry Boys. Admission is free. There will also be jiggling contests and promises of great family entertainment. The Annual horseshoe tournament held at the Manitou Lodge will begin at 11:00am on Monday. Also a new time change for the family fishing derby Monday at 10:00am at the St. Georges Dock. Once again the Golden Leisure Club will hold its Cribbage Tournament at 1:00pm.

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Opinion
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As almost everyone in our community knows, "environmental" activists have managed to kill any development on the east side of Lake Winnipeg. The fact that their actions are motivated more by an attack on capitalism than on protecting the environment is shown by the effects of just one of those potential developments - the Manitoba Hydro power transmission line from Conawapa dam on the Nelson River to Winnipeg.

Several years ago, immediately after Tembec bought the mill, when Gary Filmon was Premier of Manitoba, and Paul Martin was still Minister of Finance, thirteen First Nations, in partnership with Tembec, proposed to build three sawmills on the east side of Lake Winnipeg. The sawmills would eventually be 100% owned by the First Nations. Tembec was to add another, more efficient

paper machine to their Pine Falls operation and double the capacity of the mill. (Had this been done the mill would not be in the vulnerable position that it is now.) The manufacture of lumber and newsprint would have required four times the trees than currently harvested. An all weather road to the forest resource and to the First Nations in the area would have cost about \$90 million - Paul Martin had promised that the federal government would pay two thirds of this cost. The forest is more than capable of being harvested at this rate on a sustainable basis.

Everyone living in the communities in the region would have had a good paying job, they would have had access to outside communities, and lower cost food and other supplies. It was to be a great partnership and an example to the rest of the country.

When the mill was employee owned there were very few environmental activists involved in this area, but as soon as Tembec purchased the mill that changed. This, in itself, is a

strong indication that the real objective of the activists was not protecting the environment but attacking a multi-national corporation.

But if anyone should have any doubts, they need only to look at the impact of the decision to prevent Manitoba Hydro from building the BiPole 3 transmission line on the east side of the lake.

The NDP government has ordained that an alternative route for BiPole 3, on the west of Lake Winnipegosis, be used for the transmission line. This

route will cost a quarter of a billion dollars more than a route on the east of Lake Winnipeg, but it's only money and not really important to NDP decision makers. There is another cost - another quarter of a billion dollars in power losses resulting from the longer transmission lines. This cost is different. It is not just another quarter of a billion dollars cash - it is a quarter of a billion dollars in environmental damage.

Manitoba Hydro have said that the value of the power losses caused by the longer transmission lines is \$250 million, they have not said how much power that represents, but assuming that they value

the lost power at the same rate that they charge their larger commercial customers, about 3c per kwhr, it would represent about 8 billion kwhrs.

This power could be sold to North Dakota, enabling them to cut back on their coal fired generating capacity. Depending on the efficiency of the generating station it would save about 3 or 4 million tonnes of coal and result in a reduction of 10 to 15 million tonnes of Carbon dioxide being released into the atmosphere. This is a very, very clear indication that the choice of the west of Lake Winnipegosis route was not motivated by environmental concerns.

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It all began in 1950, during the construction of the Pine Falls Generating Station. This endeavour raised the level of the Winnipeg River by approximately 29 feet. This decision required the Government of Manitoba and Manitoba Hydro to move the previous cemetery, which was located on the shore of the Winnipeg River near the existing Catholic Church in the community of St. Georges.

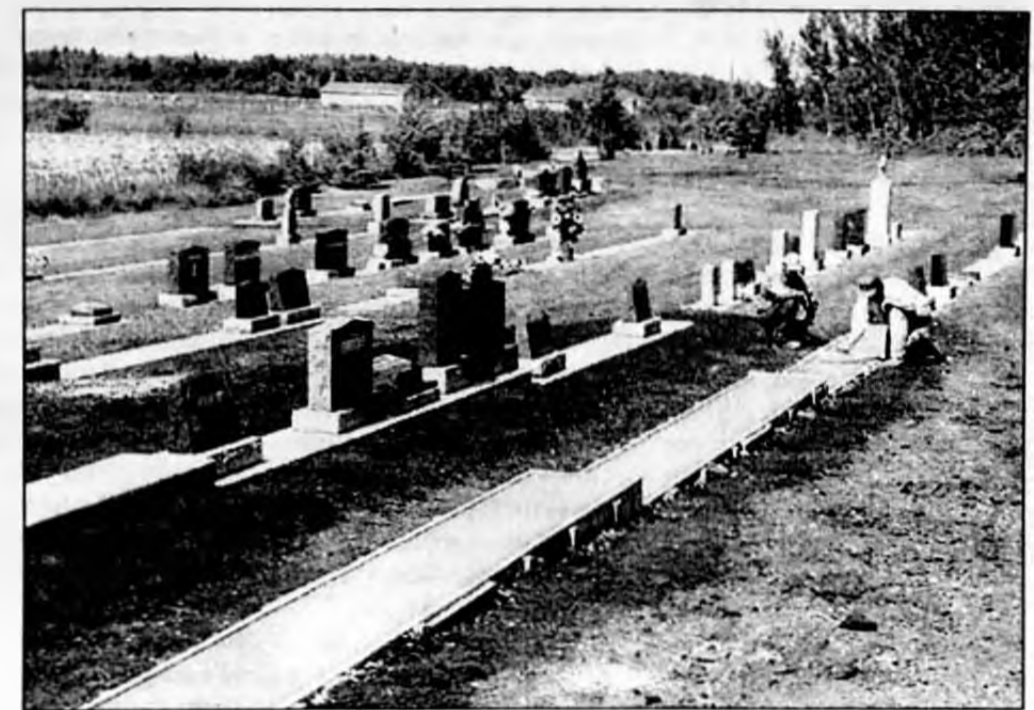
One hundred and forty five persons buried in the cemetery prior to 1950 were moved to a new cemetery, which was provided to the parish church by Manitoba Hydro. For over 50 years, volunteers within the parish maintained the grounds of the cemetery. Unfortunately, during these past years, the parish did not have, or did not raise the necessary funds for the perpetual long term care of the cemetery grounds. During 2004-2005, the St. Georges Cemetery Committee was established in order to relieve the burden of fund raising from the local church, and assume the long term care of the cemetery.

The cemetery was in dire need of major repairs to the headstones, access road, and the grounds required drainage work and general landscaping. Realizing that a long term perpetual care program was required, the Committee initiated a letter writing Campaign to all the families who had relatives buried in the cemetery in the past 50 years. The letter pointed out that the parish had provided care and maintenance of the family plots which no financial assistance had been provided except for the purchase of plots at a price set at 1950 rates by the parish. Families are also being encouraged to promote donations to the St. Georges Cemetery Committee or le Comité du cimetière de Saint-Georges. The St. Georges Cemetery Committee has set a goal of raising \$100,000 for the perpetual care of the cemetery. To date, approximately \$49,000 has been raised during a successful letter and promotion campaign.

The Committee appreciates the financial contribution from Manitoba Hydro under the Tree Planting Program. This program has provided for the planting of over a hundred trees which has considerably embellished the grounds. Manitoba Hydro's contributions to various community projects has been a valuable asset as well. Future embellishments include a chain link fence surrounding the cemetery and a podium featuring a layout of the cemetery to make it easier for families to find the resting place of their loved ones. All donations are very much appreciated and help us meet our goal as we are at the half way point, more or less. Thank God the weather has cooperated with our work thus far, we believe that

the communal climate will not continue to favour and complete our little masterpiece. Thank you St. Georges for renewing your cemetery.

Workers lay the final concrete base for headstones at St. Georges Cemetery



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September is Coffee Break Month

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Be Bear Smart

If you live, work or vacation in our province's great outdoors, you should know how to stay safe if you encounter a black bear.

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Manitoba's black bears are eating more to prepare for hibernation. As they forage for food, the potential for interacting with humans increases. Here are some tips to keep you safe at your home, cottage or campsite:

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- If you have fruit trees, remove all ripened or fallen fruit early in the morning and before dusk to discourage scavenging bears.
- If you're out picking fruit or berries, remember - bears are attracted to these foods as well. Remain vigilant.
- Double-bag your garbage and place it in bear-resistant containers, a secured building or a fenced-in area.
- Don't burn your garbage. Bears may be attracted by the remains.
- Avoid composting food items, especially meat scraps, grease and oil. This can attract bears.

When you're in bear country, be aware that bears are around, even if no recent problems have occurred.

For more information on dealing with bears as they prepare for hibernation, please visit www.manitoba.ca/blackbear or call 1-800-214-6497 to order a copy of the Bear Smart Booklet or contact your local Manitoba Conservation office.

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The Winnipeg River **Echo**

4P Festival celebrates 25 years Labour Day Weekend

History of the 4P Festival 25 Years - 1982 to 2007

In 1982 the 4P Festival was created by the Manitou Rapids Arts Council, then under the dynamic leadership of Max Bossi and Pyteke Blaauw. They were relatively new to the area and had heard about the Labor Day Celebrations that used to happen. They were also aware of the many active organizations who held annual events. With the excellent cooperation of these organizations a handful of committee volunteers, and the help of John Bonekamp hired for the summer, the festival got off the ground. Of course it needed a name, and so after some heavy brain-storming, "Paper, Power, Pea and Pick-

erel" suggested by Pyteke Blaauw, was thought to be the most catchy. A name like that would go far, or people would come from far to see it.

The festival was held on the same weekend as the Pine Falls Ol' Kings' Western Days. The spectators of the first Jig'n'Jam showed amazing tolerance, sitting through five and a half hours of local and professional entertainment at the Pine Falls Arena. The Pine Falls Pipe Band led the first parade, and our first parade marshalls were the Fort Maurepas Boy Scouts.

In 1983 Dick Boyko as Chairman, and several others as committee members, formed the first actual committee separate from the Manitou Rapids Arts Council that was to organize the 4P from then on. Andre Pitre and Gail

McGill(Fortier) were hired as summer employees for the 4P and Manitou Rapids Arts Council and the committee put together the first place mats used in the local establishments. Don Metz former professor at the Pine Falls Collegiate, was intrigued by the name and so wrote a theme song for the 4P. That year, he and Rolly Berard sang it at the Jig'n'Jam. New events that year included a Mother's Day Banquet, the Powerview Teachers' Barbecue, and the first actual "Pickerel Derby". During the 1983 4P year they also had the first tours for the mill and hydro dams, and tours of Le Musee St. Georges Museum (home of the famous Peas). Abitibi-Price Inc. even gave a demo of logging in the mill yard with trees actually planted with Hydro's help. It was a real 4P.

Over the next couple of years (84-85) the committee, under the leadership of Roland Berard, drafted a constitution and became incorporated as a non-profit organization under the name "Paper, Power, Pea and Pickerel Festival". New events were brought in like the Childrens fun days, with a teen dance and a kiddie carnival. The Knights of Columbus looked after the parade in 1984 and the newly formed Winnipeg River Lions' Club took on the Parade in 1985, as well as initiating the Lions' Family Barbecue. The Jig'n'Jam moved from a Monday closing event to Friday night as an official kick-off event. The fireworks was then put on by the Mill council and became an annual event which everyone looked forward too.

During 1986 and 1987 Danny Nault assumed the presidency and the 4P commit-

tee organized the Halloween and the Valentine's dances. A membership policy was developed and many businesses and individuals supported the festival in this new venture. Leon Bouvier, Publicity Director, organized the first Press Conference.

In 1987 the committee ran the Trap Shoot contest before the weekend, they organized the Fishing Derby as well as the baseball tournament. CBC television ran a story on the 6:00 pm news covering the St. Georges Sand Castle Building contests. St. Georges volunteers also ran a Ol'Time dance on Saturday night. The fishing derby was extremely successful and very popular with the fishermen. "Pete the Pickerel" was first conjured up by Linda Nault that year and was used in many colouring contests. That year the official drinks for the 4P weekend were "Power Pak and 4P Punch which were devised by some innovative locals (Linda Nault and Bernice Phillips).

Over the years the 4P Festival has had many chairpersons, volunteers and summer students who stepped up to the plate (Jill Papineau, Diane Dube, Tammy Kunz, Kim Bonekamp, Valarie Anderson, and Bev Dube, to mention a few) to keep the festival alive and flourishing within our great communities. They, together with a long list of volunteers, businesses and organizations have worked hard in keeping the "Community Spirit" alive. The 4P Festival is an integral part of our unique area on the map. We wish everyone who visits us during the Labor Day Festivities a wonderful fun filled weekend that celebrates with family and friends, in appreciating our resources, our cultures, our businesses and our ties to one another.

Paper: Mill tours were a part of the 4P Festival for many years. The first newspaper was produced in our mill as early as 1927. Originally called the Manitoba Paper Company, the operations was controlled by the Spanish River Pulp and Paper Mills Ltd. In 1928 Spanish River's assets came under the control of Abitibi Power and Paper Company (Abitibi Paper Inc.). The mill then went on to be sold to the employees in 1995, in which they eventually sold to the current owners Tembec Industry.

Power: The Hydro tours still continue to be a part of the 4P Festival and tours are offered on the Sunday Septem-

ber 2, 2007 from 12noon to 4:00 p.m. The Hydro dam was built between 1949 and 1952, the 82,000kW Pine Falls station was initiated and completed by the Department of Mines and Natural Resources as the first project to be undertaken under the new Manitoba Hydro-Electric Development Act. The Powerview/Pine Falls location is located just upstream from Tembec Paper Mill.

Peas: Pois De St. Georges (St. Georges Peas). The first person to seed the famous St. Georges Peas was Ephrem Dupont, who came and settled in this area around 1882. The exact year that the peas were seeded is unknown but it is presumed it was around 1885. Mr. Dupont seeded his peas near his house so he could supervise his coming crop and even though it was only a small crop it was a good one. Over the years nearly everyone in the area was able to seed a small quantity of peas. A discovery was made, the soil in the St. Georges district would grow cooking peas of the highest quality. Dealers started buying the peas and shipping them to Quebec where they were used in making soupe aux pois (pea soup). All St. Georges Peas are sorted and bagged by hand. Jean Dupont is responsible for all packaging. The bags are handmade and the silk screening is done right in St. Georges. This venture is carried out by the Historical Society and all the profits are donated to the St. Georges Museum.

Pickerel: The Pickerel Derby has been with the festival since the onset. The derby is geared towards all anglers alike pro and amateur. Family fishing is also encourage during this event. In the past we have had some big pickerel caught and weighed in. Our rivers and lakes boast some of the best fishing in Canada. This years fishing derby will be held on Monday from 12noon to 4:00 p.m. at the St. Georges Dock.

Happy 25th Anniversary to all!

Note: Information above was taken, in part, from the 1988 4P Booklet

Due to a misprint in the 4P Brochure Booklet. The Echo is publishing the corrected History of the 4P Festival.

New name, staff and logo for Blades

MJHL News Release
BEAUSEJOUR -
With training camp just
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It was announced today
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The newly minted

Beausejour Blades also
announced today the hiring
of associate general
manager and head coach
Jamie Watts and associ-

ate general manager and
assistant coach Kurtis
Walsten.


Watts finds his way to Beausejour after acquiring a strong coaching background in British Columbia and Europe. A former member of the University of Acadia Axemen that won national championships at the CIS level in 1993 and 1996. Watts has coached for seven seasons at the esteemed Okanagan Hockey School, including last winter within their European division in Germany and Austria. He also spent three seasons from 2000-2003 with the Penticton Panthers/Vees of the British Columbia Hockey League.

"I am very excited to be given this opportunity as the head coach of the Beausejour Blades." Watt said. "The team's new ownership and I have committed ourselves to building a professional organization that will help the players reach their goals as athletes."

In Walsten, the Blades employ a hockey man with 10 seasons of professional hockey experience in the Swedish Division I league, ECHL and Central Hockey League levels. He also has coaching experience with the Laval Chiefs of the rugged LNAH in Quebec.

"I am looking forward to the opportunity of working with the Beausejour Blades and building a tough, competitive team for the 2007-2008 season," Walsten said. "With rookie camp beginning this Monday, I am very excited to see what up and coming players we will be adding to our roster this year and in the future."

Earlier this summer, the Blades changed ownership to Mr. Mel Sonnenberg, who promptly moved the team from the Sagkeeng First Nation to Beausejour. The Beausejour Blades will open rookie camp on Monday, Aug. 27 for the first time ever at the Sun-Gro Centre and main camp will begin two days later on Aug. 29.



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Discussions will include:
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If you are unable to attend these meetings but would like to share your views, please provide your written submission by September 21, 2007 to:
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The Rec. Office's summer calendar and Newsletter has been distributed to all the schools in the area. There are also some available at the office. For more information, or to register for summer activities, please call the Rec. Office at 367-9142. If you are interested in signing up for either of the craft classes, you are asked to please register in advance as we will need to know approximately how many are attending in order to purchase enough supplies. Please note the following changes:

Floor Hockey on Monday mornings will be held at Pine Falls School from 10:00-11:30 am.

Just a reminder of the activities happening for August:

Mondays - Floor Hockey
 Tuesdays - Baseball
 Wednesdays - Basketball
 Some special activities to keep in mind:

Wednesday, Aug. 29th - Camp Wind-up Day at Pine Falls School with games, prizes and hot dogs.

Bike Helmet Weekly Winner
 This week's coupon winners were: Kyle Johnson, Tyler Letander, Colin Osis, Olivia Kembal, Avery Kembal, Emily

Barkhouse and Austin Lemire. The winner of the draw for a bike repair kit was: Kyle Johnson. Congratulations to everyone who was spotted. I apologize if I missed anyone, but if you are in the Pine Falls area stop by the Rec. Office and pick up your coupon.

Sailing School
 There will be a sailing school at St. Georges Beach from August 6-10 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. For more information, please contact Cheryl Gogo at 367-8499.

Service Canada
 Maureen Bennett from Service Canada will be operating out of the Rec. Office for the months of July and August. She will be available August 22nd. Anyone needing information on Birth Certificates, Passports, Pensions, Social Insurance or Employment Insurance is welcome to drop by the Rec. Office to see Maureen. The Rec. Office is located in Pine Falls School (East entrance near the Pool).

After the Labour Day Weekend Service Canada will be relocating to Empower Education Centre in Pine Falls.

Pine Falls Pool
 The Pine Falls pool is open for the summer. The pool will open at 1:00 pm daily and close at 8:00 pm. A detailed

schedule will be posted at the pool and the Rec. Office. Pool hours are: Public Swim: Mon-Fri 1:00-7:00 pm and Sat/Sun: 1:00-4:00 pm and 5:00-7:00 pm. Family Swim: 7:00-8:00 pm daily. If there is enough interest we will have water polo on Tues and Wed nights from 6:00-7:00 pm.

Adult Rec. Soccer
 Anyone interested in playing rec. soccer is asked to show up at the Powerview field on Sundays at 3:00. For more information, contact the Rec. Office @ 367-9142.

Beach Volleyball
 There will be a beach volleyball club starting this summer. The club will meet every Wednesday from 7:00-9:00 pm at St. Georges Beach starting on June 13th. The club is open to anyone 13 years of age or older and the cost is \$5 per person. For more information or to register, call Ginette at 367-9970 or the Rec. Office at 367-9142.

Dragon Boating
 The Pine Falls Dragon Boat team meets every Sunday at 7:00 pm at St. Georges Beach for paddling practices. We are now looking for more men and women to join our team. Any adult (18 years of age and older) interested in paddling is

asked to call Angie at 367-8327.

Helmet Safety Campaign
 Once again this year the PRC with help from the RCMP, local businesses, the Town of Powerview-Pine Falls, and the R.M. of Alexander we will be running the helmet safety campaign. This event is designed to encourage kids of all ages to wear helmets when out riding bikes, roller blading or skateboarding. The campaign will run from mid-June until the end of August. There will be weekly prizes for eligible participants and a grand prize draw on Saturday, September 1st during the 4P Festival.

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 Ruth at 367-9142 to book.

Rivers North Fitness Co-op
 The co-op membership fee is \$100. Fitness club memberships are \$250.00 for members and \$300.00 for non-members. For more info, contact Bev Dube @ 367-8064 or Linda Cyr @ 367-2382.

Public Libraries
 The Pine Falls Public library, located in Pine Falls School,

will re-open on September 4th from 1:30 - 3:30 pm. The library will operate every day from Monday to Friday. The library has a wide selection of books as well as some old newspapers and other articles. They also have internet access on site.

Bibliothèque Allard Regional Library (367-8443), located in St-Georges School, is open the following hours: Tuesday - 10:30 - 5:00, Wednesday & Thursday - 12:00 - 8:00, Friday - 12:00 - 5:00, Saturday - 10:30 - 4:00. Services offered are public internet access, photo-copy/fax/scan services, material in French & English, DVD's, VHS, 60 magazine titles, Inter-Library Loan (we have a collection of 28,000+ items, however, through Inter-Library Loan we have access to over a million titles) and many more. Membership is free to all ratepayers of the R. M. of Alexander, the Town of Powerview/Pine Falls, and the R. M. of Victoria Beach. We also have a Branch Library located in Walter Whyte School.

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.

Library Allard

CALL TO ALL ARTISTS: The Manitoba Arts Network and Manitoba's Public Libraries are teaming up to bring artist made 'bookmarks' to public libraries.

Artists throughout Manitoba are asked to submit 3 small artworks in the form of 'bookmarks' for this exhibition

and art exchange. Each artist will receive at random one 'bookmark' from another artist in exchange for their submission. Two 'bookmarks' will travel throughout Manitoba to community galleries and libraries as an exhibition of small artworks. After the traveling exhibition is complete, 'bookmarks' will be used to raise money for community arts in Manitoba.

For a Manitoba Arts Network Submission Form or more information, you can either drop by the library or go to www.communityarts.mb.ca. GOOD LUCK!
 The Beaches Library



summer reading program is over for this summer and I would like to give a great big thank-you to Jaelyn Leskiw for a job well done! Despite the low attendance, possibly due to the great

friendly manner. New books are continually arriving by such popular authors as Danielle Steel, Linda Howard, J. A. Jance, Nancy Taylor Rosenberg, Carla Neggers, and many more!

See you in the library. Bibliothéque Allard Regional Library - 367-8443 Beaches Library - 754-4007



Reminder Notice of Public Hearing

Applicant: Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation

HEARING:

The Public Utilities Board (Board) will hold a public hearing of an application for 2008/09 premiums and fees by Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation (MPI) at the Board's Hearing Room, 4th Floor, 330 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, MB, commencing at 9:00 a.m. on October 3, 2007.

APPLICANT:

Pursuant to *The Crown Corporations Public Review and Accountability Act* and *The Public Utilities Board Act*, MPI has applied to the Board for approval of rates and premiums for compulsory driver and vehicle insurance as of March 1, 2008, as well as approval of a revised process to establish rates for 2009 and 2010.

APPLICATION PARTICULARS:

MPI's application proposes:

- Average rate levels now in effect to remain unchanged for the insurance year beginning March 1, 2008. Individual rates are subject to experience and other Board-approved adjustments.
- A 7.75% rebate of 2006/07 vehicle premiums, to be paid in MPI's 2008/09 fiscal year (MPI currently projects the February 29, 2008 Rate Stabilization Reserve balance will exceed the Board approved target by 7.75% of 2006/07 gross written vehicle premium).
- Rates effective March 1, 2009 and 2010, to be adjusted from 2008 rates to respond to emerging claim and other information using processes sought to be accepted by the Board.

OTHER APPLICATION PARTICULARS:

- MPI also proposes annual experience-based rate adjustments (+15% to -15%) for individual classes, with the exception of mopeds, trailers (\$2,500 or less), and off-road vehicles.
- Annual experience based adjustment up to 25% for mopeds.
- No experience based adjustments for off-road vehicles.
- Combined classification offsets for all vehicles other than motorcycles, trailers and off-road vehicles, to achieve revenue neutrality.
- Capping all rate changes at 20% per year, except rate changes for mopeds, which would be capped at 25% per year.
- Regarding the application for rates effective March 1, 2009 and March 1, 2010, MPI proposes to update its annual forecasts to reflect emerging claims and other financial developments and make rate adjustments based on actuarial and financial information (individual rate adjustments would be calculated using procedures previously approved by the Board).

MPI proposes future, 2009 and following years, premium rebates would be provided from the Rate Stabilization Reserve (RSR) if the maximum RSR level, as established by the Board, is exceeded by more than 5% of annual premiums.

PARTICIPATION:

Parties wishing to submit a brief or to express comments to the Board, but not wishing to participate in the entire proceeding, should advise the Secretary of the Board of their intention to appear at the public hearing by no later than September 24, 2007.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Neither a change in rates for services shall be made nor new rates for services shall be introduced without the approval of the Board. In the case of MPI, rates for services means, rate bases and premiums charged for compulsory driver and vehicle insurance. The Board may make an Order granting the whole or part of the application, or may grant other relief in addition to or in substitution for that applied for.

The Board's Rules of Practice and Procedure will apply to the conduct of the Hearing. The Rules may be viewed on the Board's website <http://www.pub.gov.mb.ca/> or be obtained on request to the Board, by either emailing (publicutilities@gov.mb.ca), writing or calling the Board Secretary (945-2638 or 1-866-854-3698, toll free).

For full particulars, interested parties may examine MPI's application and supporting materials, either at the Corporation's or the Board's office. Interested parties may contact either the Board Secretary, or:

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

DATED this 16th day of August, 2007.

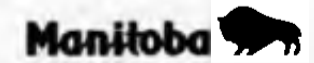
G. Gaudreau, CMA
 Secretary
 The Public Utilities Board



Five days notice required.

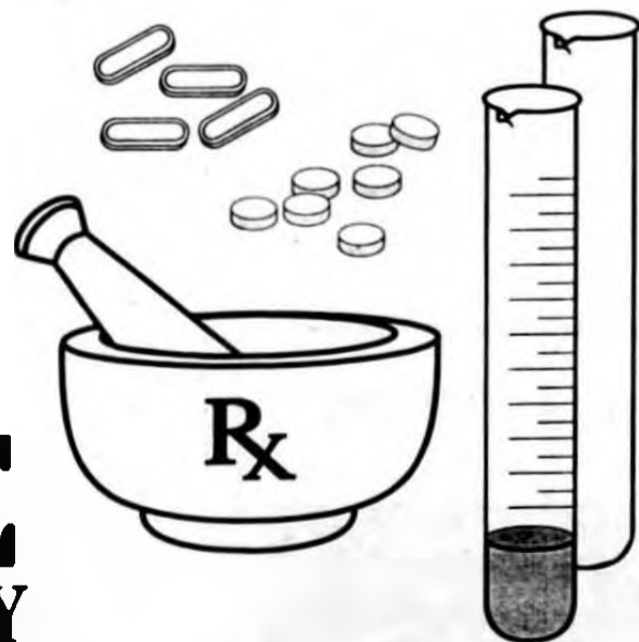


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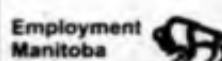
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 Winnipeg River



Winnipeg River RCMP Report

EVENTS: - The Dennis Strongquill Memorial Golf Tournament is scheduled at Pine Falls Golf Course September 23rd, 2007. Texas scramble and shotgun start is 12:00 Noon. Entry fee is \$50.00 per person and includes a steak dinner. Limited space is available and interested teams are asked to contact Cpl Gabe Boulette or Cst Chris Galbraith at 367-8728.

August 20:
FORT ALEXANDER - a stolen minivan was recovered damaged near Catfish Creek. Police have no suspects in the incident.

- police attended a residence where a pregnant female was transported to local hospital after an assault by a male spouse. Police could not locate the man and then issued a warrant for his arrest.

PINE FALLS - several youth were held accountable for their actions. The youth had been involved in vandalism to a sign at a local business and were caught in the act. Apolo-

gies were made to the business owners and the mess cleaned up by the youth.

POWERVIEW - police referred a woman to obtain a peace bond after receiving numerous phone calls from an ex spouse. The couple had recently separated and were having difficulties.

August 21:
FORT ALEXANDER - police attended a residence and located an emotionally disturbed female. The woman was taken to local hospital and referred to health Sciences Center. Police transported the woman to that location for treatment.

PINE FALLS - a youth and adult male were located and charged accordingly after 2 attempted break ins to residences.

BLACK RIVER - a missing youth was located by the local band constable. The youth was then returned home to a parent.

POWERVIEW - investigation continues into a com-

plaint of threats being uttered to a male.

August 22:
BISSETT - investigation continues into a spousal assault.

August 23:
FORT ALEXANDER - 2 youth were warned by police after harassing a third youth. Parents were present during the warning to youth.

BLACK RIVER - police patrolled the area for a missing emotionally disturbed female. The woman was located later by police with assistance of the band constable.

August 24:
FORT ALEXANDER - investigation continues into a break, enter and theft at a residence.

BLACK RIVER - 4 youth were apprehended by police in connection with a break in to an office building where a computer was stolen. The item was recovered in the incident. The investigation continues.

TRAVERSE BAY - a break, enter and theft at a cottage is still under investigation.

FORT ALEXANDER - police checked 2 residences due to reports of underage drinking at the homes. No persons could be located at either place at the time of the checks.

RM OF ALEXANDER - an ATV accident resulted in a youth being injured, treated at local hospital and released. Owner of the ATV was issued a common offence notice for allowing youth under age 14 to operate the unit without supervision.

August 25:
PINE FALLS - a break, enter and theft at a shed at a residence resulted in an green/black 2005 Yamaha 80 cc ATV being stolen.

MANIGOTAGAN - police responded to a complaint of shots being fired but could not locate anyone in the vicinity with a firearm.

- complaints of 3 suspicious males trespassing around several residences cause police to



attend. Police could not locate the trio after an exhaustive search of the neighbourhood. But no further calls were received.

TRAVERSE BAY - a break, enter and theft is still under investigation.

August 26:
FORT ALEXANDER - patrols were made after complaints of several small fires being set by unknown youth. Fires were extinguished but the suspected youth could not be located.

- a theft at a residence resulted in 4 lacrosse sticks being stolen.

- an emotionally disturbed male was apprehended by police after family members became concerned for his and their safety.

POWERVIEW - a youth has been remanded into custody after assaulting a parent with a weapon.

- a female made a complaint of an altercation with a 2nd female to police. The suspect female fled the residence after the attack advising she was contemplating suicide. Police apprehended the woman a short time later unharmed. The woman was also in breach of several court orders at the time. Investigation continues.

PINE FALLS - culprits accessed a shed at a residence and made off with a husquavarna chainsaw.

SUMMARY: Police also followed up on 8 false alarm(s) actioned 2 request(s) for assistance to other police services/service of legal documents, issued 1 ticket(s) under the highway traffic/liquor acts, attended 1 incident (s) under the Coroners Act, charged 1 person(s) for impaired driving/refusal of breath test, lodged 4 person(s) under the intoxicated persons detention act, attended 3 noise complaints, processed 9 traffic accident reports and attended 2 false 911 call(s).

REMEMBER IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION ON ANY CRIMINAL MATTER YOU CAN REMAIN ANONYMOUS AND CONTACT CRIME STOPPERS AT 1-800-782-8477 OR THE POWERVIEW RCMP AT 367-8728.

4P FESTIVAL TOURNAMENT Mixed Slo-pitch Labour Day Weekend Come Join the Fun



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Library Corner

Lac du Bonnet Regional Library

The Annual Fall Supper tickets are now available at the Lac du Bonnet Library, Ingham Pharmacy, and The Pioneer Club. Thank you to those who have already contributed groceries and put their names on the volunteer list. We still need a lot of help. Please come in and add your name, if you are able.



The Summer Reading Program was a great success this year. Thank you to Lisa and Kyle for all their involvement. During the 18 days of programming we had a total of 252 children in attendance. Good luck at University Kyle, you did a great job! All of the kids really enjoyed the program and will miss you! Hope to see you next year.

Hardcover titles recently added to our collection include: "On My Own - The Art of Being A Woman Alone" by Florence Falk; "Fatal Care" by Leonard Goldberg, featuring Forensic Pathologist Joanna Blalock, is described as medical suspense at its best; and "Trouble" by Jesse Kellerman. New paperbacks include titles such as: "Haunting Olivia"; "The Master of Knots"; "The Hostile Trail"; "Cat Breaking Free" and "Prince of Twilight".

Library Corner is also available at www.lacdubonnet.info/library.

Faith Perspective

by Pastor Jake Doell

Playing God

Have you ever been tempted to play God? Maybe your not sure you believe in a God, so what's the big deal? Forty years ago a book was written that was called, Games Christians Play. The game that is most commonly played is called "Playing God." This is a game of judging people. The Bible tells us that judging people is God's job. "Since you judge others for doing these things, why do you think you can avoid God's judgment when you do the same things?" (Romans 2:3) One of the reasons we judge other people is to excuse our own faults.

I heard about a guy who came to a pastor one time and said, "I don't have but one talent." The pastor asked, "What's your talent?" The man said, "I have the gift of criticism." The gift of criticism does not come from God but from the devil. The pastor was

wise and thought about the parable in the Bible and said, "The guy who had only one talent went out and buried it. Maybe that's what you ought to do with yours."

When we judge someone we are breaking the Royal Law. Not the law of our country but the law of God. "If you really keep the Royal Law found in Scripture love your neighbor as yourself." (James 2:8)

One of the greatest weaknesses in people is we tend to generalize people by one mistake. If they make one mistake we write off their whole personality. If someone makes a mistake, we say, "He's a fool." Not necessarily. Maybe he just made a foolish mistake in one area.

So how do we break the habit of judging one another? Matthew 7:1-2 > "Do not judge others, so that God will not judge you, for God will judge you in the same way you judge others, and He will apply to you the same rules you

apply to others." In other words the way you dish it out to others, it will be dish back to you. What you sow you're going to reap. Secondly we need to remember that "Every one of us, then, will have to give an account of himself to God. So let us stop judging one another." I will not have to give an account of you to God but I will have to give an account of my life to God and so will you. God is the only one who sees the heart and the motives we have for doing things. You see only God can be God because He knows all and sees and hears all things. So my friend the next time you are tempted to play God and judge someone else remember that job belongs to God and God alone. Let us show mercy to others and we will be shown mercy. "Blessed are the merciful for they shall be shown mercy." (Matthew 5:7)



Seniors' and Elders' Day

Kick-off Event to Seniors' & Elders' Month - October

Monday, October 1, 2007

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

MTS Centre (Portage and Donald entrance)

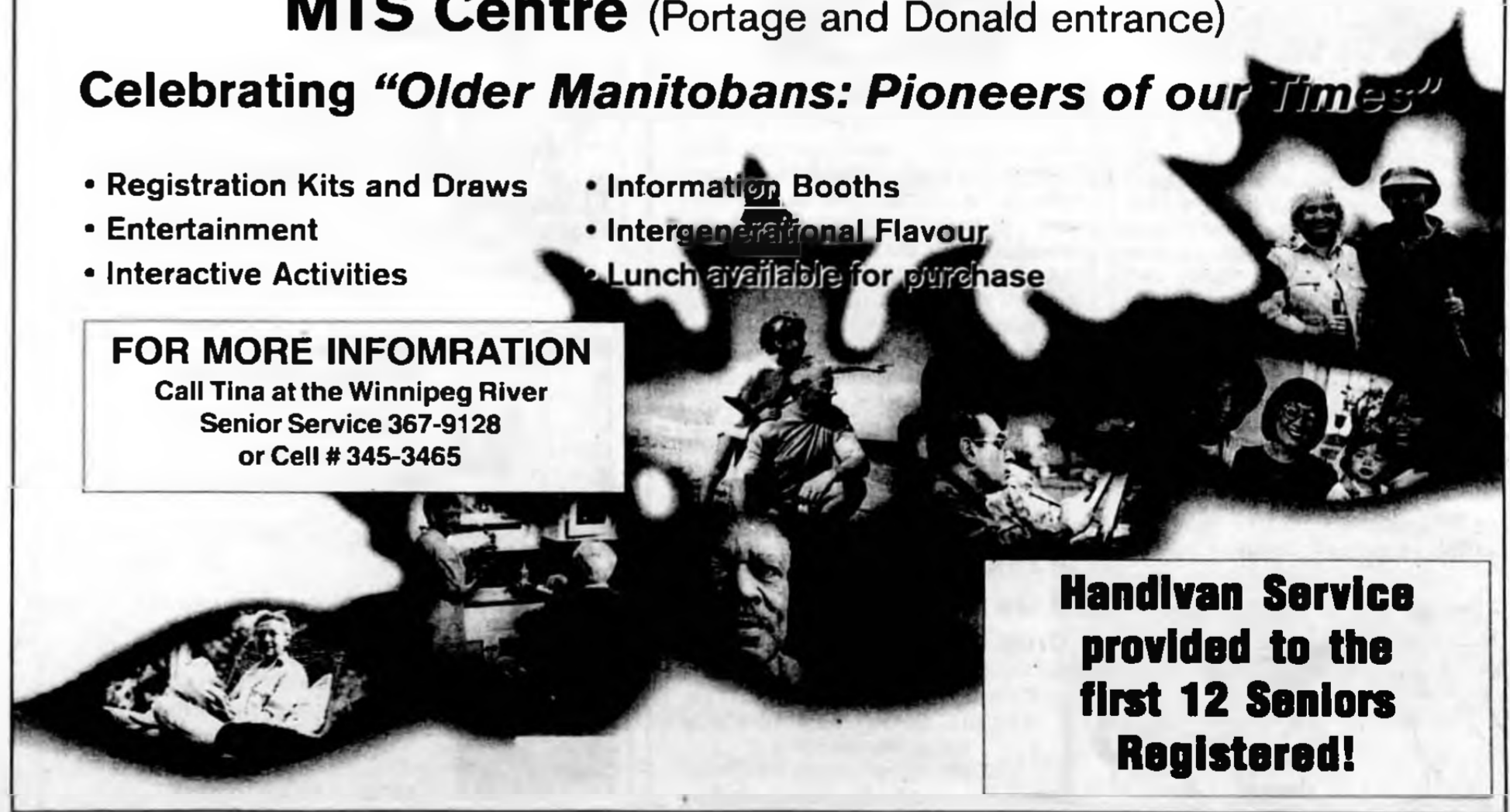
Celebrating "Older Manitobans: Pioneers of our Times"

- Registration Kits and Draws
- Entertainment
- Interactive Activities
- Information Booths
- Intergenerational Flavour
- Lunch available for purchase

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Call Tina at the Winnipeg River Senior Service 367-9128 or Cell # 345-3465

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Your voice In Ottawa
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Ensuring the Health of the Hog Sector

Hog farming is a critical sector of Canada's agriculture industry. It certainly is an important part of the economy in southeastern Manitoba. The Conservative government wants to make sure that the hog sector is prosperous and stable for generations to come too.

Unfortunately, right now, Porcine Circovirus Associated Diseases (PCVAD) are severely affecting the Canadian swine industry, with incidences increasing across Canada. To help deal with this challenge, the Conservative government has come through with a contribution of \$76 million over four years, to fund an initiative that will deliver the tools to hog producers to aggressively combat these diseases.

Our government has moved quickly to help hog farmers as they face these health challenges. Earlier this year, a National Program Options

Task Team was established to help address PCVAD in the Canadian pork industry. Based on their recommendations, the new four-year program will focus on assisting producers and the industry in four areas: herd inoculation; research; biosecurity best management practices; and finding long-term risk management solutions.

And going forward, the Conservative government will continue to work closely with the hog industry through the Canadian Pork Council and the veterinary community to develop program details for each of these four areas. The Canadian Pork Council had kind words for the announcement of this new funding, made by Secretary of State for Agriculture Christian Paradis. The President of the Council, Clare Schlegel, said, "We applaud Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada for recognizing the

critical role that good animal health plays in our sector, as well as the serious challenges hog producers are currently facing. While these diseases did not pose a food safety risk, they have had severe economic impacts on our producers."

This support for the hog sector is the continuation of our government's commitment to Canadian agriculture of all kinds - from grain farmers, to our supply-managed sectors like dairy, poultry and egg producers; from cattle ranchers to hog farmers. In Budget 2006, we committed an additional \$1.5 billion to the agriculture sector, which is three times the commitment made during the last election campaign. And we made significant improvements to current farm income stabilization programming and announced programs and initiatives that will pay farmers more than \$1 billion in the first three months of 2007.

I've pointed out many times before that Conservative MPs can be counted on to take the concerns of farmers and rural communities to heart. A large number of our members come

from agricultural backgrounds themselves, including the new Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food, Gerry Ritz from Saskatchewan. I'm confident he will continue to deliver for farmers, and help ensure that the rural way of life remains strong and vibrant in every corner of the country.

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.

Baby Shower

The family of Melissa Grenier would like to invite you to a Baby Shower for Alex Cole Grenier to be held at the Pine Falls United Church Sunday, September 9th, 2:00pm Registered at Sears

Hot New... RELEASES

Blades of Glory DVD

Cast: Will Ferrell, Jon Heder, Will Arnett, Amy Poehler, Jenna Fischer, William Fichtner, Craig T. Nelson

Rating: PG

Kickin' It Old Skool DVD

Cast: Jamie Kennedy, Mana Menounos, Miguel A. Nunez Jr., Michael Rosenbaum, Christopher McDonald, Debra Jo Rupp, Vivica A. Fox

Rating: TBD

Year of the Dog DVD

Cast: Molly Shannon, Laura Dern, Regina King, Thomas McCarthy, Josh Pais, John C. Reilly, Peter Sarsgaard

Rating: PG

The Prince & Me 2: The Royal Wedding DVD

Cast: Luke Mably, Kam Heskin, Clemency Burton-Hill, Maryam D'Abo, Jonathan Firth, Jim Holt, David Fellowes

Rating: TBD

Heroes: Season 1 DVD

Cast: Hayden Panettiere, Masi Oka, James Kyson Lee, Sendhil Ramamurthy, Adrian Pasdar, Milo Ventimiglia, Ali Larter

Rating: TBD

The Winnipeg Humane Society



Rockie, 140461

Rockie is a very handsome 3 year old Shepherd Husky mix. Rockie is extremely friendly and loves to be with people; he is just not crazy about being in his kennel. He has already learned many commands, such as sit, out and shake a paw!! Rockie is quite energetic, and will require regular, daily exercise to keep him happy. Rockie would do best in home with no cats, he loves to chase them! Also, he should go to a home with children 15+. Rockie is waiting for you to come down, take him for a walk and get to know him! His \$179.00 adoption fee includes health exam, neuter, first vaccine, 6 weeks health insurance and much more!!!



Kinoi, 140749

Kinoi is a beautiful 3 year old domestic short haired cat. She came to us after her owners were moving, and could not take her with them. This fancy feline is looking for a home without other cats, she wants to be the queen of the castle! Kinoi has been with us way to long!! It's time we gave her the loving home she deserves! Her \$48.06 adoption fee includes health exam, spay, first vaccine, 6 weeks of health insurance and much more!!!

The WHS has an abundance of bunnies available for adoption - see shelter for details!

Where every adoptable dog finds a home and cats get a second chance at life!



The WHS needs your donations of canned cat food to help feed the many cats in our care. Drop off to 5 Kent Street.

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 Rec Scene

GOTTA DANCE?

Have the dancing shows on TV got you wanting to boogie? No matter what your age or ability is, there are dance opportunities right here in the Winnipeg River district.

The WRRD will be offering hip hop, jazz, and ballet classes are for ages 3 to adult. This is a complete dance program that will begin on September 15th and run through to April with a recital at the end. Classes will be held on Saturdays in LdB and will be under the direction of the talented Melanie Stade of X-

Company. Contact the Rec Office for more information on classes and times.

If ballroom and traditional dance styles are more your interest, then you should check out Marie's Ballroom and Social Dance Studio located near Seven Sisters. At the studio you can learn to swing dance, two step, rumba, salsa, waltz, cha cha and fox trot. Classes and private lessons are available. You can even try some of the dances out at the Studio for free on Sunday, September 16th from 1-7 pm. Call Marie at 348-2220 for more information.

TEAM EASTMAN FEMALE SOFTBALL TRY-OUTS

The Eastman Region of Softball Manitoba invites all registered female softball players born in 1994 - 1995 to try out for Team Eastman to participate in the 2008 Powersmart Manitoba Summer Games to be held in Carmen, August 2008. The first Evaluation/ID Camp will be held on Saturday, September 8th, 2007 from 12:00 - 4:00 at the Steinbach AD Penner Park. Registration Deadline is September 5th. For more information and to register please visit the Softball Manitoba Web page at www.softball.mb.ca or contact Roger Harder at 346-9026 or Cindi Rempel Patrick at 326-8571.

LAC DU BONNET COMMUNITY CENTRE NEWS

As the new Strategic Plan unfolds for the Community Centre, the board is actively working to achieve the community vision for the Centre:

Through genuine commu-

nity ownership, strong leadership and financial responsibility, we are a thriving and active meeting place where groups, families, and people of all ages are welcome to join together for various social and business activities.

The Centre board would like to make everyone aware of some of the activities that have taken place this year and to tell you about some upcoming events:

1. The rental rates and policies have been updated to make it easier for community events and regular programs to occur at the Centre:

-A sponsorship process has been developed to provide rental cuts for groups hosting Community Events.

-A low hourly rental fee has been implemented for ongoing programs.

-A Nonprime Time rate (half price) will be charged for booking occurring from Monday to Thursday.

2. The Board is hosting a number of fundraisers this year

to both increase community events and to help with the debt reduction and ongoing expenses of the Centre. Please support the Centre by participating in the following activities:

-Sept 1: End of Summer Fun Party/BBQ from 11am-4pm at the Centre. Lots of fun activities for kids and families!

-Sept 12: 4th Annual Rod Demoline Memorial Golf Tournament at Mars Sand Hills. Call Cindy at 345-6034 for more info.

-Sept 22: Sisters of the Holy Rock. For tickets call Cindy at 345-6034.

-Oct 27: Halloween Social at the Centre.

-Nov 24: RCMP Ball!

-Nov 24: Draw to win an Alaskan Cruise for 2. Tickets available now at local businesses.

For more information call the Recreation Office at 345-8816 or 753-2639 or email us at recom@mts.net.

Submitted By: Sharalyn Reilo, Recreation Director

FOR MORTGAGE SALE

The building and land known as NW 1/4 35-17-7 EPM and SW 1/4 35-17-7 EPM as described in Certificate of Title No. 1911366 and 1911364 will be sold at an auction, by a licensed auctioneer, on Wednesday, the 12th day of September, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at Gray's-Carter's Auction Rooms, 33 Princess Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

The vendor is informed that the property described as NW 1/4 35-17-7E and SW 1/4 35-17-7E is a site established to host outdoor music festivals and events. The property described as NW 1/4 35-17-7E consists of 159.5 acres and has many buildings, including but not limited to, an amphitheatre, convenience store (16' x 40' bare building), concession buildings (20' x 20' bare structures, no equipment), several shower and toilet facilities (10' x 20' wood structures), pool hall (30' x 50' bare building), first aid building (800 sq. ft. vacant house) and security building (10' x 12' stand), but not including the buildings situated on NE 35-17-7E, namely the centre stage, side stage, VIP lounge and bar.

The property described as SW 1/4 35-17-7E is vacant land consisting of 158 acres.

Services: One well serves most buildings, showers and first aid. The septic system consists of gray water and black water holding tanks, and toilet facilities consist of porta-potties. A high voltage power line runs across the NW 35-17-7E, however, all main transformers and distribution buildings are situated on neighboring property briefly described as NE 35-17-7E. An easement agreement regarding power supply will be required.

Prior Encumbrances:

Parcel 1: Caveat No. 2740111, Pending Litigation Order No. 2784962, Mortgage No. 2848810, 2788051 and 2798140
Parcel 2: Caveat No. 2740111, Pending Litigation Order No. 2784962, Mortgage No. 2848810, 2788051 and 2798140

Taxes: Property taxes are paid up to the 31st day of December, 2005 (Outstanding taxes due - \$40,014.61 at August 2007 plus accruing penalties). The property is sold subject to taxes and penalties accruing after that date.

TERMS: Twenty (20%) percent of the purchase price in form of bank draft, certified cheque and/or cash and the balance according to conditions to be announced at the sale.

PUBLIC VIEWING: The property will be open for viewing on Saturday the 8th day of September, 2007 from 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Please note the property is sold "as is where is" in accordance with Auction Sale Conditions.

RESERVE BID TO BE ANNOUNCED AT OR PRIOR TO THE AUCTION SALE

Further information may be obtained from:

BURNSIDE & FERRISS
Barristers & Solicitors
509 Main Street, P.O. Box 340
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Attention: Gary G. Burnside
Telephone: (204) 734-3485 ext. 223

CRIME STOPPERS

Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$2000.00 in cash for information leading to an arrest in this or any other unsolved crime in Manitoba. Callers never have to reveal their identity and Crime Stoppers does not subscribe to caller ID.



Winnipeg River Powerview Detachment RCMP

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(Only 1500 Tickets Sold)

DRAW DATE:

Monday, September 3/07 at 1:00pm St. Georges

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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 8:00 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. 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 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: 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, meet raffish 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.

FAA: 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.

Town of Powerview - Pine Falls: Council meetings are the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm

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 Aleah 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 Aleah 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

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: 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 Golden Leisure Club: Brunch 7:00am - 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 of Powerview-Pine Falls: Garbage Pick up every Wednesday 8:00am, Recycle: Every Thursday, 8:00am

Overseas Outreach meetings: www.overseasoutreach.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 Learning 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 Sagkeeng 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, Scantisbury, on Hwy. #59.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LIFE SKILLS CHURCH: - Great Falls Community Centre/Hall, Christian Healing Services 7:00pm, Wednesdays, Minister: Isabelle Fiola (204) 367-2359.

Ask the Neighbourhood Mechanic



by Dave Redinger

Coming back to the office after a meeting, I noticed a van pulled over. The left front wheel had come away. The position of the front wheel indicated that the upper ball joint failed. How did this happen? A failing ball joint is an easy diagnosis. The vehicle won't track correctly and suspension makes a lot of noise when you hit a bump. Was the driver lax in maintenance? Was the service shop derelict in their duties? Who knows?....probably a little of both. The fact that the truck lacked proper care was obvious. How do you protect people like this from themselves and more importantly the public in general? The answer is simple and I have said it before, annual mechanical fitness testing. Bring all private vehicles in for a minimum mechanical inspection before issuing new license plates. The

inspection would include the basics. Testing the lights, exhaust, suspension, glass, and tires. Under the hood we would look for obvious failures such as belts and hoses even the condition of the rad. All the things that if they failed on the freeway could put your well being in jeopardy. How many wheels are out there ready to fall off? The truth is we will never know without some kind of system in place to improve the quality of our fleet. Annual mechanical inspection, give it a thought.

I recently changed the pads, discs and drums on my 1997 Pontiac Sunfire GT, but not the shoes. Now when I apply the brakes from high speed the car begins to pulse. Do the discs have to go back on the lugs in any particular orientation? What do you think the problem could be?

If you feel the vibration in the steering wheel then the brake job is suspect, faulty parts or poor torque values. To

check the rear brakes pull lightly on the emergency brake while driving. If you feel a pulse then the out of round is in the rear. I must warn you that modern braking systems are complicated and I personally feel that only qualified personnel should be attempting this type of repair...the consequences are too high.

I just picked up a 2000 Cherokee limited. When I drive down the highway I get a mix between a hum and a whistle. You can't hear it at all under 60mph. You can barely hear it when accelerating from about 65 and up but when I let off the gas you can hear it clearly. Does anyone know what might cause this?

There may be nothing wrong at all with your truck. Remember this is a truck and there's a lot going on under the floor-boards. 4x4's carry extra axles, locking hubs and transfercases that car's just don't have. I would ask a tech to road test the vehicle and give you his opinion.

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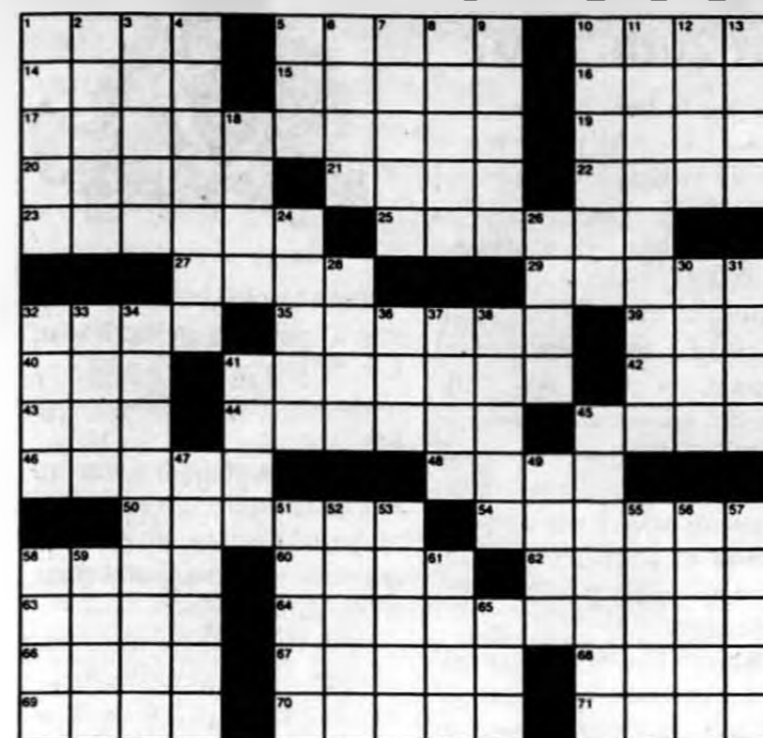
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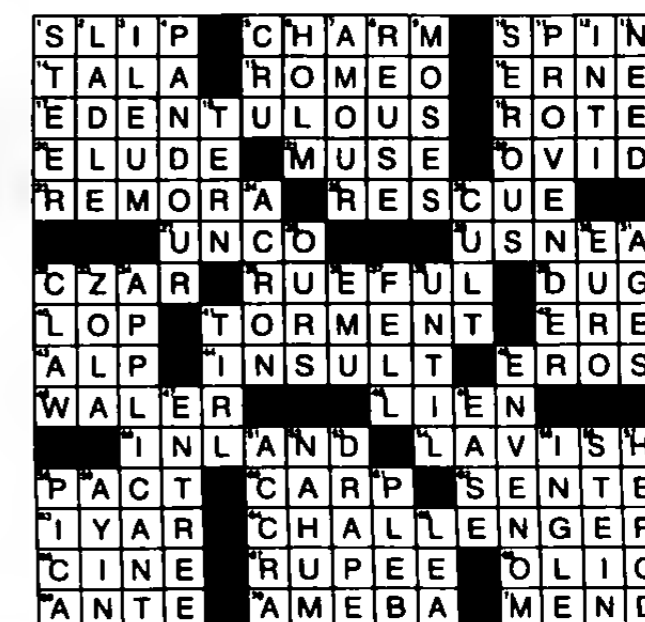


- Across
1. Clay solution for coating biscuit
 5. Formula with magical power
 10. Music magazine
 14. Monetary unit of Western Samoa
 15. Lover
 16. Sea eagle
 17. Toothless
 19. Sound of waves breaking
 20. Escape understanding of
 21. Aeode, Melete or Mneme
 22. Ancient Roman poet
 23. Fish with sucking disk
 25. Me
 27. Remarkably
 29. Mosslike lichens on trees
 32. Emperor or king
 35. Deplorable
 39. Took notice of
 40. Move in short, quick leaps
 41. Annoy excessively
 42. Before
 43. High mountain
 44. Medical injury or trauma
 45. Cupid
 46. Australian-bred military saddle horse

18. Set of three
24. Unsegmented portion of arthropod's body
26. Group with sacred ideology
28. Belonging to us
30. Wallaroo
31. Historical periods
32. Metal projection holding gemstone in place
33. Emile, French novelist
34. Candidate
36. Large, flightless Australian bird
37. Hung down
38. Onward to
41. Wheel or cam
45. Embitter
47. Main course
49. Bring slowly amidships
51. Sapele wood
52. Minor prophet in 7th century B.C.
53. Let fall carelessly
55. Hearth
56. Earthenware mug
57. King of Judea
58. Abnormal craving for substances not fit to eat
59. 16th letter of Hebrew alphabet
61. Commoner
65. Meadow

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS

- Down
1. Pursue a course
 2. Container for transferring molten metal
 3. Anterior portion of insect's hindpart
 4. Brutal, marauding soldier
 5. Grand
 6. Small island in a lake
 7. Love affair
 8. Use again
 9. Hebrew prophet who led Israelites out of Egypt
 10. Watery in nature
 11. Dry food for livestock
 12. Basic unit of money in Peru
 13. Urgent want



CRYPTIC PUZZLE

CXD CWFVGHJDKCX CXD WLC WLMD
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NCKHH L WLC

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

HE HASN'T AN ENEMY IN THE WORLD BUT ALL HIS FRIENDS HATE HIM.

Weekly Echo Horoscopes

August 25th to August 31st, 2007

- ARIES (Mar. 21-April 20)**
You are best to work at home, clearing up overdue projects. Relationships have not been the best for you lately and it's left you somewhat gun shy. You will be extremely receptive to new and progressive methods at work. You have a tendency to think that no one else will do things properly.
- TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)**
Insincere gestures of friendliness may be misleading. Be careful not to consume too many spicy foods, or minor health problems could put you out of commission for the day. Don't evade issues or twist the truth around. Be careful of the groups you join or the people you associate with.
- GEMINI (May 22-June 21)**
Things aren't as they appear. You may want to get a little extra rest. You are prone to infections and fevers. Don't overspend or give too freely to others. Don't let your friends talk you into taking time off.
- CANCER (June 22-July 22)**
Things are looking good for you, so open your eyes and get to it. Try to ease any disappointment by making amends. Organize all the responsibilities that have to be attended to and make sure everyone knows what to do. Look closely at motives and honesty in your personal encounters.
- LEO (July 23-Aug 22)**
You must take care of health problems that have been lingering. There'll be difficulties if you spend too much. Avoid being intimately involved with clients or colleagues. You might find that coworkers will support your endeavors.
- VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 23)**
Take time to listen to children and help them with projects that seem impossible to them. Your involvement in organizational events could open doors to new and exciting opportunities. You will be able to make financial gains. Minor accidents are likely if you take risks.
- LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)**
You can make progress professionally. You can sell your ideas to those who have the money to back them. Make sure that you have all the pertinent information before any reprisals or making any moves. Get help setting up a reasonable budget. Look into ways of making extra cash.
- SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)**
Try not to discuss important matters with colleagues. Plan your day thoughtfully, but try not to rely on others. You should get involved with activities that can be enjoyed by both young and old alike. Personal alterations will be in your best interest.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)

Some relatives will be extremely perplexing. Your self esteem will come back if you take part in organizational functions that allow you to be in the lime light. Keep calm. Someone around you is bouncing off the walls. You need a day to rest and relax with the ones you love.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan. 20)

Delve into your work if you can't make amends at home. Your input into their activities will help bring you closer together. Unreliable people will be negative about your ideas. Update and review your personal investments.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)

Partnerships could prove to be lucrative. Hidden assets can be doubled if you play your cards correctly. You can enhance your reputation by making contributions to worthwhile causes. Networking will be a necessity.

PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)

Don't be too quick to let friends and relatives know what you're up to. You can get a great deal accomplished if you bring work home. Don't hold back. You will feel tired and rundown if you have allowed yourself to get into a financial mess.

Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report

Police report for the week of August 13th to August 20th, 2007

Monday, August 13th
At 12:08 AM there was a false alarm at a cabin in the Whiteshell Provincial Park.
At 12:19 AM there was a false alarm at a cabin in the Whiteshell Provincial Park.
At 2:38 PM there was a report of vandalism to mobile signs in the Lee River area. There have been numerous reports of vandalism to signs in this area and the Lac du Bonnet RCMP are requesting assistance from the public in keeping an eye out for suspicious behaviour. If anyone

has any information they can contact the local RCMP Detachment or Crimestoppers @ 1-800-222-TIPS(8477).
At 9:00 PM there was a call of youth setting off fireworks near the Gas bar in Pinawa. A patrol was made and the kids were gone upon arrival.

Tuesday, August 14th
At 10:30 AM there was a request to assist with remove a person who was causing problems in a public place in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Patrol made and the subject

left without problem.
At 3:15 PM there was a request to check on the well being of a subject in Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and the subject was fine.
At 4:00 PM there was a report of Uttering Phone calls in Lac du Bonnet. The suspect was spoken to and advised to stop making calls to the complainant.
At 10:13 PM there was a call of a suspicious person in the RM of Reynolds. A patrol was made and the subject was gone on arrival.
At 10:33 PM there was a request to check on a property to ensure it was still secure in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. A patrol was made and all was fine.

Wednesday, August 15th
At 2:49 AM there was a call of a Break and Enter into a cottage in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Complainant knows that it was a family member. Matter is under investigation.
At 8:30 AM there was a report of a vehicle in the ditch in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Accident had occurred earlier.
At 10:02 AM there was a report of a cabin B&E in the RM of Reynolds. Patrol made and an attempt was made. No entry was gained. Investigation is continuing.
At 11:31 AM there was a false alarm from the Pinawa High School.
At 1:10 PM there was a report of an abandoned vehicle in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Investigation continues into this matter.
At 4:30 PM there was a report of a B&E to a remote cottage in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Nothing was taken but damage was done.
At 10:33 PM there was a request to check on the well being of a person in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Patrol made and subject was located and fine.

Thursday August 16th
At 12:21 AM there was a report from Seven Sisters of a vehicle squealing tires in town. A patrol was made and time spent in Seven Sisters and the vehicle was not located.
At 2:30 AM there was a call from a residence in the RM of Whitemouth that someone had thrown a beer bottle through their window and then left. Investigation continues

into this matter.
At 8:00 AM there was a call of Mischief to a business in Seven Sisters Falls. This matter is under investigation.
At 10:00 AM there was a request to check on the well being of a subject in Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and the subject was fine.
At 2:00 PM there was a call of suspicious people in Rennie. A patrol was made and the subject of complaint was located and was there for legitimate reasons.
At 5:33 PM there was a call of a bear cub up a tree in Molson. Manitoba Conservation was advised as the bear was now gone for their follow up.
At 6:00 PM there was a complaint made of a boater in the RM of Whitemouth travelling erratically on the water. The subject of the complaint was spoken to as per wishes of the complainant.
At 8:30 PM there was a false 911 call from a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and all was fine.

Friday, August 17th
At 4:00 AM there was an anonymous call of a possible impaired driver that had left a residence in Lac du Bonnet headed to Winnipeg. The vehicle was not located.
At 4:51 AM there was an incomplete 911 call from a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and it was a phone line issue.
At 11:00 PM there was a complaint of a dumped flower pot in Lac du Bonnet. No suspects in the matter. Happened in the last week.
At 10:35 PM there was a complaint of a suspicious vehicle in the RM of Whitemouth. A patrol was made and the vehicle was gone on arrival.
At 7:58 PM there was a complaint of erratic driving in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made to look for the vehicle by same was not located.
At 8:12 PM there was a call of a family disturbance in Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and matter was sorted out. No criminal offence had occurred.
At 10:27 PM there was a call of a single vehicle roll over in the RM of Alexander. A patrol was made. Minor injuries.

Saturday, August 18th
At 12:22 AM there was a



call of a black bear trying to get into a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and the bear had since left.
At 1:00 AM there was a call of a false alarm at a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and there were no problems.
At 2:10 AM there was a call of a bear cub dead on the Highway in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Complainant was worried that it was a traffic hazard. A patrol was made and the bear removed from the roadway.
At 4:45 AM there was a report of Uttering Threats from the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and one subject was taken into custody. Charges are pending.
At 4:48 AM there was a call of a woman screaming in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. A patrol was made. Nothing found.
At 7:10 AM there was a call of a person being Unlawfully in a dwelling house in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Matter is still under investigation.
At 8:40 AM there was a call of an incomplete 911 call from the RM of Alexander. No problems at the cottage.
At 11:46 AM there was a report of found property from the RM of Lac du Bonnet.
At 12:30 PM there was a call of a vehicle traveling erratically in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and charges were laid against one person.
At 3:27 PM there was a report of a suspicious person in Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and the subject was located. All was fine.
At 1:30 PM there was a complaint of a possible impaired driver in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made but the vehicle was not located.
At 9:52 PM there was a complaint of dirt bikes travelling on the highway in the RM of Whitemouth. A patrol was made and the subjects were located no longer on the highway but warned of their actions.
At 10:25 PM there was a complaint of vehicles traveling at a high rate of speed in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A pa-

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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 Remann, 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-Asou Group: Thursday 7:30 p.m. Lac du Bonnet District Health Centre, 89 McIntosh Call Teri 345-8712.
Lakeshore AI-Teen Group: For further information, phone Kathie 367-8237 (evenings), Vickie 345-6520 (days).
Town of Lac du Bonnet Council: Meetings second and fourth Tuesday of the month.
Lakeshore A.S.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 Drive, 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: Corey Daly 268-4752, Lac du Bonnet, Pine Falls, Victoria Beach, Pinawa, Beausjour, 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.
Cardex 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.lacdubonnetinfo.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
Pastor Miral Szymal, 345-2680
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.

Echo Classifieds

For Rent

Ann (Mary Ann) Meyer
July 26, 1917 -
August 23, 2007



Ann (Mary Ann) Meyer of Winnipeg, Mb, formerly of Lac du Bonnet, Mb, passed into the arms of Jesus on August 23, 2007 at Meadowood Manor Personal Care Home, Winnipeg, at the age of 90. She was predeceased by her husband Hans; sisters, Carol Jones, Isabelle Hardy, Edith and Olive Korlak; and brothers Sammy and Robert Korlak. She will be lovingly remembered and sadly missed by her daughters Darlene (George) Williams, Gail Meyers, Susan (Gary) Howk, and Laura Meyer; grandchildren, Lori (Grant) Pachkowsky, Sheena Sanderson (Lawrence Pierrard), Daniel (Andrea) Williams, Joy-Anne Williams (Derek Ambrose); Great Grandchildren; Drake, Chase, and Bailey Pachkowsky and Tyson Williams and also her sister Jan Saik, Brothers, Ed and Dan Korlak and sister-in-law Mary Korlak and also many nieces and nephews. Ann devoted her life to raising her four daughters and nurturing her grand children. Her greatest passion in life was reading, which included spiritual and inspirational material. She was an excellent self-laught writer and wrote many journals about her life.

Mom

You are infinitely dear to Jesus. Unspeakingly precious to Him.

You are never, not for one second, Alone.
Funeral service will be held on Tuesday, August 28, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. in the St. John's Anglican Church, Lac du Bonnet. Mb with Reverend Glen Krenz officiating. Interment to follow in the Lac du Bonnet Cemetery. Friends may call to view at sobering Funeral Chapel, Park Avenue East, Beausjour, Mb on Monday, August 27 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Lac du Bonnet RCMP Report

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Whiteshell Provincial Park. A patrol was made in the area and no vehicles were noted to be traveling at such.
At 10:25 PM there was a complaint of youths shooting off fireworks in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and the youth had since finished and left.
At 10:56 PM there was a report of a loud party in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Manitoba Resources were notified and were attending.
Sunday, August 19th, 2007
At 12:01 AM there was a complaint of a person passed out on the highway in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and one subject was located, arrested and lodged in cells to sober up. No charges were laid in this incident.
At 3:00 AM there was a call of an overdose in the

Whiteshell Provincial Park. A patrol was made and one subject with alcohol poisoning was taken to hospital by ambulance.
At 5:04 AM there was a false alarm at a cabin in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.
At 11:00 AM there was a found firearm turned over to the detachment for destruction from a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.
At 6:26 PM there was a report of an accident with a bear in the RM of Whitemouth.
At 8:14 PM there was a call of an erratic driver in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and the vehicle was not located.
At 9:50 PM there was a report of a breach of Protection Order from Lac du Bonnet. The matter is being investigated.
There were also six charges laid under the Highway Traffic Act for various offences.

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Birth Announcement



Remy and Melissa Grenier are proud to announce the birth of their first born, a son, Alex Cole, born August 2, 2007 at 12:30 at the St. Boniface General Hospital weighing 8lbs 13 oz. measuring 20 1/2 inches. Happy grandparents are Alain and Linda Grenier and Robert and Brigitte Durocher

Card of thanks

I would like to thank the organizers, Marg and Shirley, and all those who attended or donated but could not attend my lovely farewell dinner at the Golf Club on June 26. It was a memorable evening that I shall not forget. The gift of money was much appreciated and used to help pay for the move. If any of you have occasion to be in Fort Frances, I would enjoy a visit with you.

Sincerely,
Donalda Sharpe

Charity Event

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