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**New Regional Arts Council in the Works**

By Charles Norman

A regional Arts Council is planned that will cover the area from Whitemouth to Bissett and from Lac du Bonnet to Grand Marais. It includes Pinawa, St Georges, Powerview and Pine Falls, Sagkeeng, Victoria Beach, Hollow Water, Manigotagan and Black River. More than 10,000 people live in the area.

Sheldon Sveinson, of Lac du Bonnet, who is one of the organizers behind the Fire and Water Music Festival, said the idea is to bring high quality acts to the region for a tour of the area, where the smaller communities would not be able to offer crowds big enough to justify the act on their own.

Fire and Water began with

a concert for the Lac du Bonnet Canada Day celebrations in 2007 and again in 2008. For this year they are working with Twilight Hotel who were nominated for a Juno Award. They will be working with other organizations, for example the Winnipeg Folk Festival to bring some of their acts to this region. (Derek Black, a past President of the Folk Festival works with Fire and Water.

"By sharing the costs of bringing acts to the region we will be able to bring top quality entertainers here," Sveinson said. Theatre, dance and other cultural events would also be drawn to the area.

By planning several community events the cost of artists travel could be shared. You

**Anger at Municipal Board Hearing**



Marilyn Walder of the Municipal Board chaired the RM of Alexander's Water Treatment plant meeting, in the Great Falls Hall last Tuesday

By Charles Norman

Raymond Garand was the last speaker at the Municipal Board Hearing on the RM of Alexander's proposed Water Treatment plant last week. His first comments were to apologize for the lack of respect shown to visitors to the community.

There were many personal attacks, mostly by way of interjections from the more than three hundred people at the meeting rather than from

formal presentations.

One asked that the RM's lawyer read his presentation, so that "we can hear the lies come directly out of his mouth himself," another likened the RM to a communist country, and another said "you were elected to stand for and before the people, but you're hiding behind engineers, consultants and lawyers." Henry Bork was saying to anyone who would listen that he would fire the council and the administra-

tor. He also accused the RM's engineer, Jeff O'Driscoll of being in conflict of interest.

Even the Municipal Board itself was attacked which did not seem to be good strategy since the speakers were asking the board to make substantial changes to the proposal or to reject it outright.

Marilyn Walder of the Municipal Board chaired the meeting, in the Great Falls  
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Juno Nominees, Twilight Hotel are just one of the acts Sveinson is working with.

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# News

## Letter to the Editor: Pine Falls Sidewalks

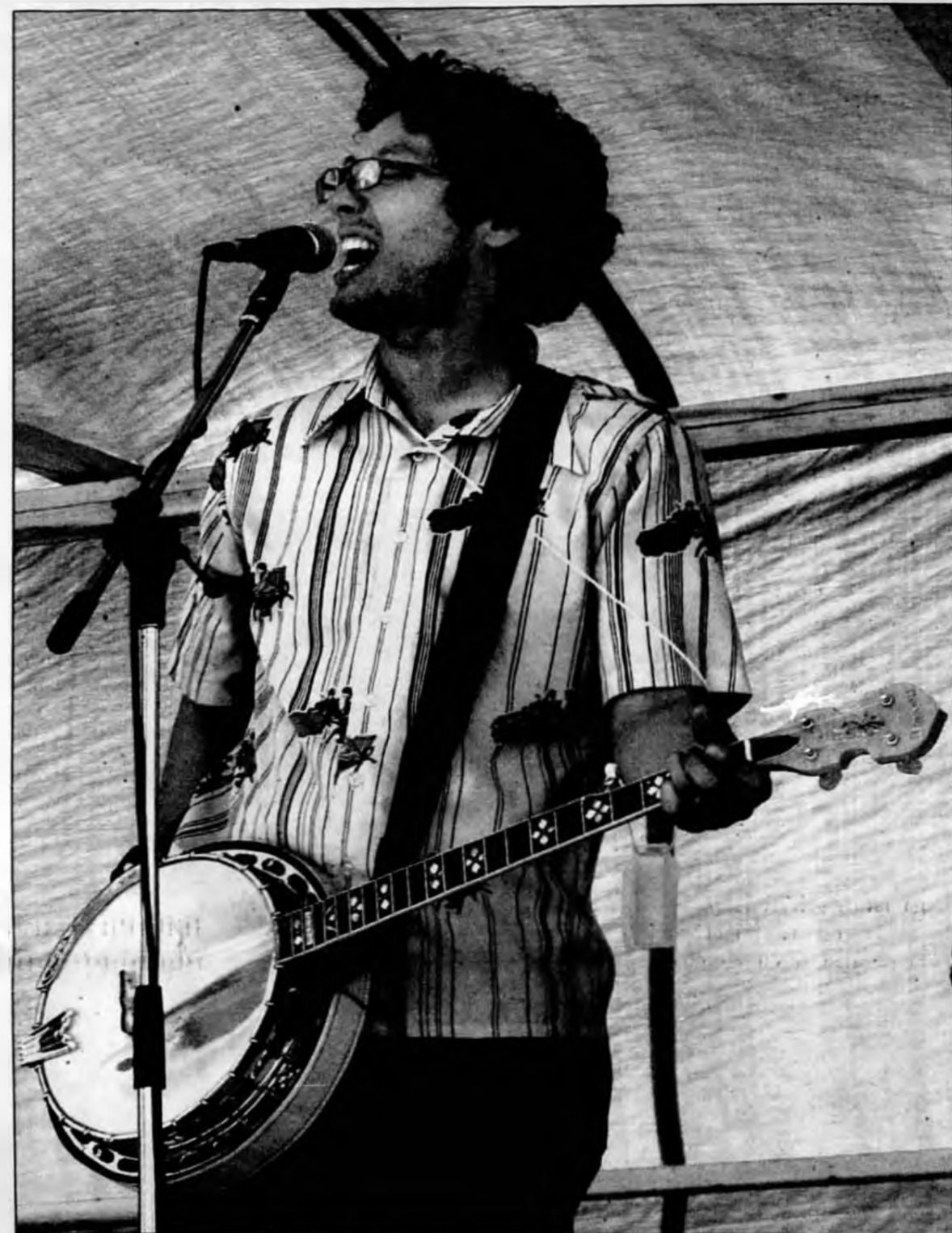
Being a long-time past-resident of our town, I and many others have noted the terrible conditions of our so-called walks. At this point, one could call the conditions deplorable. They are uneven in many places over town, most of them look really terrible. There are tripping hazards everywhere. If one was to compare what the town used to look like a long time ago, I think they would just shake their heads in disbelief at what was once a beautiful town.

On Saturday, May 30, a lady tripped and fell, scraping her chin, nose and damaging her glasses. She received 10 stitches in the palm of her hand. I under-

stand others have fallen. Some of these falls too have resulted in injury. I believe it is time the council of this ward take immediate action to rectify the situation as best they can - at least with some of the worst sections. Take a good look at the front, and in between the service centre and the drugstore; in front of our beautiful cenotaph. The list goes on and on. I have to believe that someday, it could become a costly situation regarding a lawsuit.

Council cannot ignore a plea for decent walking safe sidewalks. Imagine the trauma this lady is going through.

So, will the council take this matter seriously very soon?



The D-Rungers performing at last year's Fire and Water Festival in Lac du Bonnet

## Community Halls to Benefit

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might have an act at the Wanipigow High School in the afternoon entertaining in the Great Falls Hall in the evening.

Sveinson said the concept would be a boon to community halls which often have difficulty making ends meet. Presentations will be held

at the Walter Whyte School in Grand Marais at 5:30 pm and at the Pine Falls School at 7:30 pm. Both on Wednesday, June 17.

# News

## Tempers Flare at WTP Meeting

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Hall at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, May 27. She welcomed the participants, as did Reeve George Harbottle. RM consultant, Roger Bouvier then outlined the need for the project, pointing out that all of water supply coops in the area were on boil water advisories or did not meet current provincial water quality standards, and that Manitoba Hydro had stated that it would not be supplying water to the Great Falls community after 2112.

He said complete details were mailed to potential users and had objections from many of them. Three major objections were raised:

1. It was not wanted;
  2. Not all options were looked at;
  3. Multiple fees to multiple lots
- Bouvier said the third could be dealt with by amalgamating the property. He said the project would be divided into three phases:
- 1: Building the Water Treatment Plant and connecting all the existing water coops to it
  - 2: Installing the line to Great Falls
  - 3: Connecting up those properties along the way to Great Falls.

The three-phase process has caused a lot of opposition. People in Bracken Falls for example, would be asked

to pay for Phase 1 and Phase 2 before they were connected in Phase 3. Some felt it could take years and that subsequent phases after phase 1 might not be approved.

Following Roger Bouvier, Yves Sabourin, another consultant, pointed out that the \$2,950 cost for phase 1, scheduled for next year, could be financed over twenty years and added to the municipal tax bill, Phase 2 at \$2,847, scheduled for 2011, could be financed the same way, with payments of about \$250 next fall and \$500 - a total of about \$750 before hooking up in the following year.

Total cost for those in Bracken Falls would be close to \$10,000.

One of the arguments from opponents to the project was that the feasibility of getting water from Lac du Bonnet, which they said was working at below capacity, was not properly assessed. Dick Menon, of the Manitoba Water Services Board addressed the issue. Describing the way water demands are calculated and how the size of a water treatment plant is determined to meet the design requirements, he said that the Lac du Bonnet plant had enough capacity to meet its peak day needs plus a 4 litres per second commitment to the RM of Lac du Bonnet, and an

allowance for future growth. He said it would cost \$9.2 million (compared to the approximately \$6.2 million estimated for the proposed project) to meet the requirements of the RM of Alexander, and more yet if Powerview - Pine Falls was to be included.

The RM's engineer, Jeff O'Driscoll, described the design of the plant. (Since this has been covered many times in previous issue of the Echo it will not be repeated here.)

It was pointed out to the meeting that only phase one of the project was before the Municipal Board, and that was the only subject up for discussion.

When it came to presentations from the public there were then a series of interjec-

tions. One man asked that all phases be included now, another shouted that he was in phase 3 "I'll be dead before I get water." Another man tried to close the meeting. The Chair called a short recess to get back control of the meeting.

Shortly before lunch the next day Stu Jansen addressed the Board. Much of what he said had been voiced by others before him and was to be repeated by others after him. He said he agreed with the need for a potable water supply but did not feel that there had been an adequate consideration of obtaining water from the Town of Lac du Bonnet. He complained of many inaccuracies in figures presented to the public but retained his strongest criticism for the fact that he would have to pay up front for phase 1 and then might have to wait for up to ten years before he got

water. He found this totally unacceptable.

He was followed by a Leisure Falls property owner who visited his property perhaps forty times a year, and used 20 gallons of drinking water a year. Over 20 years maybe 400 gallons of water. He thought that \$10,000 was a lot to pay for 400 gallons of water.

Ted Mathers talked until the lunch adjournment. He said he had heard every excuse why Lac du Bonnet cannot be used and none why it can.

Henry Bork, who has been a major factor in opposition to the project, thanked the Board for coming. "We have got to get this out of the hands of the council," he said.

The meeting was adjourned late Wednesday afternoon. It will be continued at a date yet to be determined.

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# Comment



Angry residents gather at the Great Falls Community Hall last Tuesday

## Goodwill in Short Supply

By Charles Norman

It is easy to understand why someone could get angry when forced to pay \$10,000 for something they don't want, but it is difficult to understand why that anger is directed at the Reeve and Council of the RM of Alexander.

The RM has the responsibility to supply Great Falls with water by 2012, and also to assist all those water supply co-ops along the Winnipeg River that have less than adequate water. More than ten years ago they set out to do just that, and came up with a plan to ensure that those needs were met.

A key part of that plan was that property owners in Bracken Falls and Leisure Falls could participate if they

wanted to, and could opt out if they chose to do so. It was exactly what the people in those two developments are asking for now, but for some unknown and unknowable reason, Henry Bork decided to oppose the project and to make it his cause. He is a very good organizer, and is very persuasive. He was successful. When the first application went to the Municipal Board he lodged an objection, and made sure many others also lodged objections. The Municipal Board sent it back to the RM without even bothering to hold a public hearing. They said the option to opt in or out meant that the cost to those joining could not be firmly determined.

The net result was that the two cottage communities had

to be either in or out. The municipality decided that they could not refuse to supply good, clean water to any of the property owners that wanted to participate so they decided to include all of them. It was the only realistic option open to them. Given the activities of Henry Bork it was the only option open to the Municipal Board.

Henry Bork has made fools of many of the property owners in those two developments and, when the board rules in favour of the project, as it must, he will probably continue to make fools of them and get himself and a few like-minded souls elected to council where he will proceed to fire the Chief Administrative Officer as he promised at last Wednesday's meeting.

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Mr. Mathers is another very persuasive character. He got more than 500 people to attend a meeting in Lac du Bonnet in support of a regional water treatment system that everyone with any experience in the industry knew was not cost effective. He complained that no study had been done and decided that he knew better than the engineers. He attempted to show that a regional system based on Lac du Bonnet's Water Treatment Plant, was the best option. However, a study has now been done and the Water Services Board has shown that it would cost the RM of Alexander \$3 million more to go his route. Presumably someone will now say that the supply of water from the man in the moon has not been consid-

ered and demand a formal feasibility study.

These two people have done a great deal of harm.

It is to be hoped that either the RM or the Municipal Board will find a way out of the situation which is grossly unfair to the impecunious owners of tiny, inexpensive recreational property along the Winnipeg River.

Dividing the project into three stages is also questionable. It has been done to maximize the potential for infrastructure grants, but it can, with justification, be seen as unfair to those in Phase 3.

Even the most complex problem can be solved with goodwill on both sides. So far goodwill has been in short supply.

# Comment

## A Faith Perspective:

By Pastor Jake Doell

### What Does It Take To Win?



Whether you are a member of a sports team, a business person, teacher or a farmer, it requires you to have certain ingredients in your life to make you successful. I've heard people say, "Give it your best and hope that you'll succeed." I've seen people give it all and yet did not achieve what they had hoped for. Everyone enjoys winning but what does it take to be a winner? I believe the following 4 ingredients will help you to succeed in what ever your endeavor is and they are all personal choices:

Are you passionate about what you are doing? Passion comes from discovering what God has talented us to do. People who never discover this could have the following epitaph on their tombstone, "Died at 30, buried at 60." "Death isn't the greatest loss in life. The greatest loss is what dies inside of us while we live." - Norman Cousins

Philip Brooks the writer of "O little town of Bethlehem" once said, "When you discover you've

only been living half a life, the other half is going to haunt you until you develop it." Each of us receives our talent in embryo form, it must be developed. It has been said, "Talent may be given, but success must be earned." Preparation always puts you in a better position to succeed.

You must believe that you can do it. Benjamin Franklin - "Blessed is the person who expects nothing, for they shall never be disappointed." The Bible says it this way, "As a person thinks, so they will be." (Proverbs 23:7) Belief not only says "I can do it" but "I am convinced I must do it."

Lastly, learn to work together with others who share your dream. Every winner has learned the valuable lesson that "Teamwork makes the Dream work." In hockey the player that assisted in scoring the goal gets 1 point just like the player that scored the goal.

If we all do our part we can see our whole community be a winner even in challenging times.



## On Parliament Hill

Your Voice in Ottawa, Vic Toews, MP for Provencher and President of the Treasury Board

## Strengthening the Sex Offender Registry



During the last election, our Government committed to strengthen the Sex Offender Registry to ensure we better protect our children and communities from sexual predators.

Earlier this week I was pleased to announce that we are seeing through this commitment to ensure the National Sex Offender Registry and the National DNA Databank are more effective tools for police not only to investigate but also prevent sex crimes.

The proposed amendments in the legislation include:

- Automatic inclusion of all convicted sex offenders in the Registry - as opposed to the current scheme where prosecutors must apply and a judge has discretion whether to include a convicted sex offender in the registry.
- Offenders convicted of a designated sexual offence under the Sex Offender Information Registration Act will also now be subject to a mandatory order to provide a DNA sample for the National DNA Databank. Currently, not all sex offenders have their DNA included in the National DNA Data

Bank. We will prevent sex offenders from escaping the Data Bank.

- Police will be empowered to use the Registry to prevent sexual offences, unlike now where they can only use the registry to investigate crimes after they are committed;

- People who are convicted and jailed for sex crimes in another country who return to Canada under the International Transfers of Offenders Act to serve the remainder of their sentence will now be registered in the Sex Offender Registry;

- Canadians convicted abroad of sex crimes and returning to Canada at the end of sentence must report their conviction to police within 7 days of arriving in Canada or face criminal prosecution. Right now there is no way to include those guilty of sexual offences outside of Canada, including child sexual exploitation, on the Registry. We will ensure international sex offenders can be included.

- Police to notify foreign or other Canadian police when high-risk registered sex offenders are travelling to that area; and,
- Amendments to the National Defence Act to ensure that reforms also apply to the military justice system.

In addition, we are proposing several administrative and operational enhancements. For example, registered sex offenders must report the name of their employer, the type of employment as well as any volunteer organizations they are associated with. They will also be required to provide notice in advance of absences from their residence of seven days or more.

Correctional authorities would also be permitted to notify the registration centre of the sex offender's address where a registered sex offender is serving the custodial portion of a sentence temporarily in the community for a period of 7 days or more.

These are important changes that need to be made. A wide range of groups our efforts, including law enforcement organizations, victims' groups and those involved in protecting children from sexual exploitation. We thank them for their advice and support and remain committed to continuing to work with these partners to ensure law enforcement has all of the tools they need to keep our families and communities safe.

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 8-227 Main Street, Steinbach, MB R5G 1Y7, by fax at 204-346-9874 or by e-mail at toewsv1@mts.net.

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# Lac du Bonnet RCMP Press Report May 25 - May 31, 2009

## Monday, May 25th, 2009

At 7:51 PM there was a complaint of a vehicle driving quickly through Lac du Bonnet. A patrol did not locate the vehicle.

At 11:59 PM there was a report of a traffic hazard in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. A deer had been killed and was on the highway. Member attended and removed the hazard.

## Tuesday, May 26th

At 9:40 AM there was a report of an abandoned boat trailer at a launch in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Attempts are being made to contact the owner.

At 2:30 PM there was a request to check on the well being of a subject in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Check was done and all was fine.

At 3:56 PM there was a report of a suicidal subject headed to Lac du Bonnet from Winnipeg. Subject was eventually located leaving Lac du Bonnet and was stopped and arrested for Possession of a Weapon Dangerous to Public Peace. The subject was taken to hospital for treatment and released for court on the charges.

At 6:23 PM there was a false alarm to a business in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

## Wednesday, May 27th

At 2:40 AM there was a report of Uttering Threats in Pinawa. A subject had advised that he was going to beat up someone. A patrol was made and a subject was located and warned about making such threats.

At 6:51 AM there was a false alarm at a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

At 3:09 PM there was a report of theft of gas from a local business. Same is under investigation.

At 6:07 PM there was a complaint of a possible domestic situation in Pinawa. There was no assault but the complainant had left.

At 6:57 PM there was a report of an attempted suicide in Seven Sisters Falls. The subject had attended a house and police attended and escorted the subject to hospital for treatment.

## Thursday, May 28th

At 9:30 AM there was a report of damage to some signs at the Diversion Dam in Pinawa.

At 10:10 AM there was a report of theft of boat from a small isolated lake in the Nopiming Park.

At 10:45 AM there was a report of internet fraud. A trailer was purchased from the US and it did not arrive.

At 11:25 AM there was a report of a vehicle submerged in a ditch East of Seven Sisters. Nobody was at the scene and the matter is being investigated.

At 2:20 PM there was a false alarm from a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

At 9:05 PM there was a report of a missing person who may be in our area. Investigation continues into the matter.

## Friday, May 29th

At 12:13 AM there was a false alarm at a government building in Lac du Bonnet.

At 2:38 AM there was a report of a possible Mental Health Act in Pinawa. A subject was taken to other family out of town for safe keeping.

At 7:30 AM there was a report of a suspicious vehicle in the RM of Lac du Bonnet which was damaged. Matter is under investigation.

At 2:04 PM there was a false alarm to a business in Pinawa.

At 2:45 PM there was a re-

port of a possible impaired driver in the RM of Whiteshell. A patrol did not locate the vehicle.

At 2:51 PM there was a report of a lost purse in Lac du Bonnet.

At 6:48 PM there was a false alarm at the Secondary School in Pinawa.

At 8:47 PM there was a report of a traffic hazard in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Some road barricade signs had been blown down. Highways were contacted and the signs were replaced. At 10:03 PM there was a call of a bear in Whiteshell. Matter was referred to Conservation.

At 10:37 PM there was a report of subjects making noise walking along Wendigo Road in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and the subjects were gone upon arrival.

## Saturday, May 30th, 2009

At 1:59 AM there was a false alarm at a residence in Pinawa.

At 2:44 AM there was a report of suspicious persons near a boat in the RM of Lac du Bonnet.

At 10:20 AM there was a call from a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet that

there was a theft. Matter is unfounded.

At 12:42 PM there was a report of a suspicious vehicle at a yard in the RM of Whiteshell. Investigation revealed that it was family visiting at the house.

At 2:27 PM there was a report of a subject breaching court conditions in the RM of Whiteshell. Matter is under investigation.

At 3:10 PM there was a call of a family disagreement at a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and members ensured no escalation while arrangements were made.

At 3:10 PM there was a report of Mischief in Whiteshell as there were people hitting golf balls across a yard at another building. Matter is under investigation.

At 4:36 PM there was a call regarding a civil disagreement in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Assistance provided in communication and advised of possible civil remedy.

At 5:11 PM there was a possible Break and Enter to a cabin in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. The owner has not confirmed anything yet as out of town. Matter is still

under investigation.

At 9:30 PM there was a complaint of a loud party at a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. A patrol was made and the subjects complied with request to quiet down.

## Sunday, May 31, 2009

At 10:21 AM there was an on star activation in Whiteshell. The vehicle was tracked down and the activation was done by accident.

At 12:01 PM there was a report of theft of items from a residence in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Some guests had left and taken some items with them. Matter is under investigation.

At 12:15 PM there was a report of a Break and Enter to a cabin in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Entry had been gained but nothing had been stolen.

At 8:29 PM there was a report of vandalism to the pumphouse at Blueberry Road Drive in the RM of Lac du Bonnet. Matter is still under investigation.

There were two charges laid under the Highway Traffic Act for various infractions.

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# East Beaches

## Rock & Roll - Right to the Bank...



by Laura Tuttle

Where else could you get great food at 50s/60s prices than at a Rock and Roll bash hosted by the East Beaches Wellness Coalition? Even Elvis showed up for the fun. A number of the party guests and organizers credit "Adam T. Elvis" with the ultimate success of the evening. The "King" attracted a number of dedicated fans who have listened to him sing "live" long since Elvis slipped out of hiding and into duplicity. Since this particular "King" of Rock & Roll is without guile, he made good use of his playful persona to insure the crowd stayed interactive. Apparently, the guests had such a good time dancing the evening away that it was only the liquor licence regulations and a sinking moon that dictated an end to the evening. Whatever! The organizing committee were still sweeping up between dancers when the "go home" call was sang at "two a.m."

Barely recognizable with his hair slicked down, jeans, white bobby socks and equally white T-shirt which sported the mandatory package of cigarettes rolled into the sleeve - was the mild mannered, non-smoking Dennis Wasylyniuk, one of

the organizers of the fundraising evening. Says Wasylyniuk, "It was amazing how many people still have their 50s/60s clothes in their closets. Fran (?) down the street from us, was wearing the original 'strides' that her brother bought for her when she was a teenager!"

The Wasylyniuk neighbour was not alone. Trying to capture the nostalgia, others danced around in shoes painted to resemble "saddle oxords". Several, shall we say, "ladies" - had to find sexy little scarves to tie around their necks because this fashion piece is an absolute necessity to hide the 'hickies' that were both a mark of shame and pride depending upon whether your mother or your girlfriend was the audience. And of course there is one lady who shall go nameless (initials - RW - Real Woman?), is rumoured to have sheared her standard poodle in order to collect the hair to make the poodle applique for her "poodle skirt"! What some folks will not do to win a prize for best costume.

The "Diner" created in the Grand Marais Recreation Hall canteen added a scent/sense of the good old days by asking for a slight payment from patrons who were hungry for the decadent food of the 50s & 60s. The price thing actually had a twofold benefit as the organizers raised a little money and at the end of the day, organizers found themselves with very little food waste. Whatever it took - Elvis, music, fancy clothes or comfort food - both the organizers and their guests have dubbed the evening a success. Success wears two hats. First, folks had a good time and second, the coffers of the EBWC were once again increased.

Grand Marais Recreation Association President Bonnie Grace proclaimed the event as "the very best social I have been to in years" and her eyes twinkle as she remembers the fun. Grace would know, as she has been watching her community for more than a dozen years and is one of the most stalwart supporters of East Beaches. Today she is one of several who will be working closely

with the East Beaches Wellness Coalition to provide - under the auspices of "Destination Grand Marais" - a one-stop East Beaches Community Centre. The temporary Hub for community wellness and recreation will oversee a building that will facilitate Seniors, Boomers, Youth, the sports-minded & health-minded, plus all who are simply "Community-minded". Count yourself fortunate if you happen to be a resident or cottage owner next to the East Beaches. The visionaries of the new East Beaches Community Hub see a functional facility that will be around for us, for our grand children and for many, many years to come.

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# Wellness Coalition AGM

by Laura Tuttle

The East Beaches Wellness Coalition met with their membership on Saturday, May 30th for their Annual General Meeting. At least 80 people were in attendance for the well organized event. The first order of business was to welcome the plethora of special guests who shifted their busy schedules to address the membership. Roberta Carrier, Chairperson also recognized and paid homage to the hard working volunteers of the organization. Two Directors outlined the status of finances for the organization as well as its mandate to locate in Grand Marais in conjunction with Destination Grand Marais. Dennis Wasylyniuk presented a comprehensive Power Point Summary aptly titled "Where is the money?" which hit on the finer points of the debits and credits over

the history of the Wellness Coalition. On behalf of the Board of Directors Wasylyniuk also made this announcement: "Membership money (collected during the planning of the Wellness Centre) will be credited back to each member in his or her first year of membership at the new facility".

Keynote speakers included James Bezan - MP and Kerri Irwin-Ross MLA and Minister of Healthy living both of whom spoke fondly of the natural resource that is East Beaches. Both the Reeve of the RM of Alexander, George Harbottle and the Mayor of St. Clements, Steve Strang enunciated the promise and expectation of working together in the same spirit as which the East Beaches Fire Hall was built near the boundary of both Rural

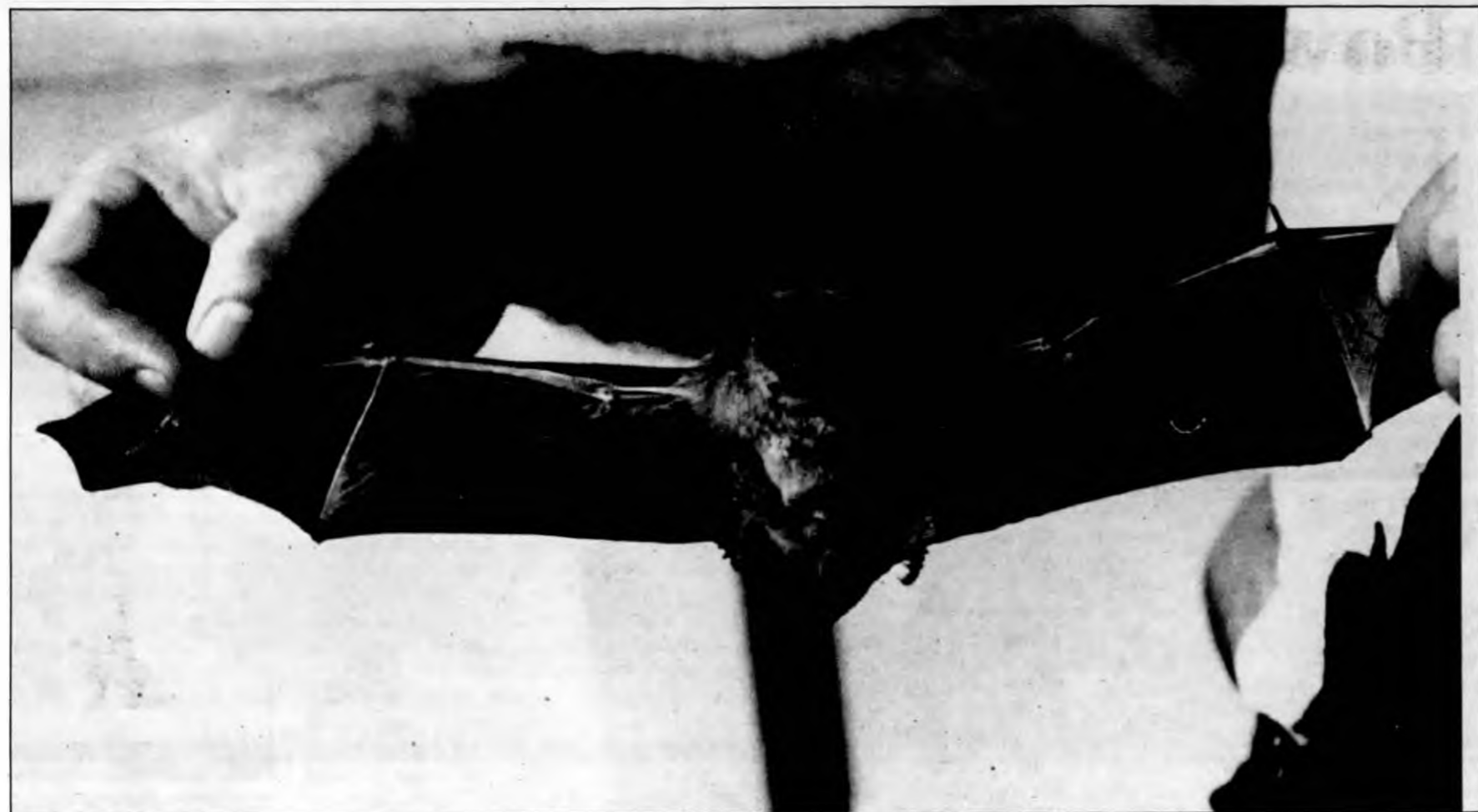
Municipalities. Reeve Harbottle said that "although my heart would have liked to see the facility elsewhere, the site at Grand Marais will be both practical and sustainable. It will be representative of a larger demographic". Mayor Strang mentioned the "Regional Concept" that is integral to the project and said, "We {Alexander & St. Clements} have been great partners before". He waxed poetic with regard to the wonderful jewel that is East Beaches and went on to note "funding of \$500,000 has already been earmarked for this project" by the RM of St. Clements.

Other speakers included the CEO of North Eastman Health Authority (NEHA), Jim Hayes who alluded to the cooperation necessary for a Wellness Facility that falls nearly on the boarder of NEHA and that of the

Interlake Health Authority. Both Health Authorities had their Wellness Facilitators present at the meeting.

The afternoon concluded with a report from the Capital Campaign Committee and with the election of officers for four incumbent positions, which included one position left vacant last year. Rob Shura was appointed as a Director last fall to manage the gap left by the resignation of Ken Young. This vacancy had been compounded by the perpetual absence of one Director whose presence was stymied by serious health problems. Re-elected were Carol Danwich, Isabelle Brunel, and Claudette Sabourin. Elected into the position formerly vacant was Rob Shura. All nominations were uncontested and each member received election by acclamation.

# Nature



## Little Brown Bat

By Charles Norman

Six species of bat are found in Manitoba, but by far the most common is the Little Brown Bat. It is found as far south as northern Mexico and as far north as the interior of Alaska. Its range in Northern Manitoba does not appear to

have been firmly defined. The Little Brown Bat has a wingspan of up to 11 inches, can be up to four inches long, and weighs between a quarter and half an ounce. Its back is a shiny dark brown with a slightly lighter underside. Because it feeds partly on

insects with an aquatic phase it often roosts close to water where it hunts about 10 to 20 feet above the water. In suitable conditions an adult bat can eat its fill in fifteen minutes or so. In addition to mosquitoes and mayflies, the Little Brown Bat feeds on moths, wasps and beetles. Smaller insects are taken directly into the mouth, but larger insects may be taken

by the wing and transferred to a pouch formed by the tail and eaten from there. They find their prey, and navigate in the dark, by echolocation. Their high-pitched squeaks echo off hazards or flying insects and are picked up by the bats extremely sensitive hearing. The can change direction very, very quickly and it seldom misses its prey, but some insects have evolved the ability to hear the squeak and get out of the way of the approaching bat.

Because of our climate bats have either to hibernate or migrate. Little Brown Bats

do both. In the fall they fly south, mate and hibernate until spring. The female stores the male sperm until spring when she conceives. Females go to a nursery colony on waking from hibernation. Gestation is 50 to 60 days and the young, usually one, but sometimes twins are born in June. They open their eyes after one day, will suck on a nipple for two weeks and are fully grown after four weeks.

About half of Little Brown Bats die in their first year, but those that survive can live for thirty years or more.

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### Announcement

Joy (Papineau) & Jae Pangilinan are proud to announce the birth of their son Santana Nash born May 23, 2009, weighing 8lbs 1oz and 21 inches long. A baby brother for 2 yr old Kai Pierce.

Proud Papa & Nana are Ed & Karen Papineau, Kris & Edda Pangilinan & Great Grandmother Annetta Papineau.

# Community

## Powerview School Coffee House

The Powerview School hosted its Annual Coffee House Wednesday night in the school gymnasium.

The doors opened at 6:00pm and were welcomed by the great musical talents of local youth band, The Division Slaves. At moments it was like being at a rock concert as rows of screaming young girls cheered them on.

The official schedule began at 6:30pm with a fantastic group fiddle and singing performance, including a dance to 'Boot Scootin' Boogie'.

Ashley Viznaugh wrote a "Rock Idol" skit which featured three judges who gave their reviews of four lip sync performers. The skit ended with a choreographed routine.

The Nifty Fifties song

and dance featured four main vocalists which were accompanied by a large group of backup singers and dancers from different grades, all wearing fifties inspired costumes.

A definite crowd pleaser was young Simon Duffenais whose amazing guitar and vocal talents could hardly be outdone by his stellar fiddle performance.

Another standout solo performance was by Sabryna Johannson who sang a Journey song.

The Junior Drama group performed a very emotional mime act representing poor water conditions in Africa. Trinity Cyr started a project at Powerview School to raise money to bring a well to Uganda.

Overall the musical event was a huge success and the students can't wait for next year.



Crowd favourite Simon Duffenais sang and performed on the Guitar as well as the fiddle



Nifty Fifties



The Division Slaves perform at the Powerview School Coffee House Wednesday night



Nifty Fifties Performance



Sabryna Johannson performs a song from Journey



Nolan Cyr performs Ashley Viznaugh's skit "Rock Idol"



Students perform one of the five segments of a mime performance for the water well

# Community

## News from the Pine Falls Preschool

May has been a fun month for us at the preschool. We enjoyed the special critters that visited us during pet week. Thank you to the children and parents who brought their pets in to visit us, they were all so cute and cuddly. Not only did we explore different types of pets, we also explored the creepy crawly world of insects. We created beautiful butterflies, cute little lady-



bugs and scary black spiders, which are all displayed in our classroom for all to enjoy. The favourite song of the month of May was "Bring home a baby bumblebee", we had loads of fun singing that particular song...ask the children to sing it to you, the actions are wonderfully entertaining.

As for this month, our theme for the first two weeks will be devoted to community workers. We will be exploring different occupations by talking about them, by having special visitors come to our classroom and by having two different field trips around town. So if you see us walking to our destinations don't hesitate to wave and remember children can sometimes be unpredictable, so please drive cautiously while passing by.

The last day of preschool is June 19th, and I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all the families and the community for all your support throughout the school year. Your time and generosity were greatly appreciated. You'll never know just how much you've made my first year teaching at the Pine Falls Preschool a wonderful experience.

If you'd like to pre-register your child(ren) for next year's sessions don't hesitate to call or drop by. We will be having registration some time in August along with our Annual General Meeting for the 2009/2010 school year which will be posted around town and in the paper with the actual date and time.

Have a safe and wonderful summer!!!!  
**Until next time,  
Nancy Windsor, Director  
Pine Falls Preschool**

Audio books is available by CD with 25 different titles, this selection will rotate on a 2 month basis and is stored by the video section.

A collection of large print books has just made its way to our library with a variety of book genres; this collection rotates every 3 months.

Also make sure to check out the new selection of books available at our library in both French and English. Keep in touch with the library as a new summer children's program is on the brink of unravelling, Agent 009.

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The Board of Directors would like to extend an invitation to those interested in attending the **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** **June 16, 2008** 6:00 p.m. C.F.W.R. Board Room #4 Park Avenue, Lac du Bonnet, MB for further information call 345-2686

# Community

## Community Spirit - Wings of Power Wine Tasting

By Debbie Lackman  
Having grown up in a rural community myself, I have been blessed to see how supportive small towns can be. The people around us often become like an extension of the family. It always amazes me how neighbors are there for one another. They pitch in and help whenever needed without a second thought. This past month in our community has been no exception.



As many of you know, Wings of Power was the co-host of the MLCC Annual Wine Tasting this past Friday. In planning the event, I was prepared for the support of our small town... or so I thought. I have to admit that once again, I was overwhelmed by the show of support we received. From donations for the silent auction and food to ticket sales, the community rallied behind us. The event was a huge success because this community and we cannot thank you enough.

Friday, June 12 is our summer kick off/open house. We hope you will be able to stop by and visit with us any-

time from 3:00 to 6:00. We will be having a child friendly petting zoo with lots of animals, door prizes, and live entertainment from the Northern Lights Gospel Group. Hot dogs and a drink will be available for purchase at the low price of only \$1.50. This is one of the ways we hope to give back to the community that so generously supports us. Please plan to drop by and say hi...we would love to see you!!

Wings of Power would like to thank the following businesses for their support of the MLCC Wine Tasting Evening! Your generosity is much appreciated!

|                                   |                                    |
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| Anderson Family Vision Care       | Pine Falls Golf Course             |
| B & D Stucco                      | Pine Pharmacy                      |
| Blue Water Aviation               | Powerview Agencies                 |
| Blue Water Physiotherapy          | Powerview Fabrics                  |
| Broadlands Mall                   | RM of Alexander                    |
| Bubble Laundromat & Coffee Shop   | Rona-Pine Falls                    |
| Canada Post - Pine Falls          | Royal Bank-Pine Falls              |
| Celebrations Unlimited            | Selkirk GM                         |
| Chateau Video                     | Selkirk Tire                       |
| Chevrolet's Greenhouse            | Shell Service Station-Pine Falls   |
| Clark's Corner                    | Sobering's Funeral Chapel          |
| CTV Winnipeg                      | Steeletown Ford                    |
| Dancy's                           | Subway-Pine Falls                  |
| Dave's New & Used Furniture       | Sunova-Pine Falls                  |
| Deals for Dollars - Pine Falls    | Sunrise Bakery                     |
| Dyson Construction Limited        | Sunrise School Division            |
| G's Septic                        | SUN-Tanning Salon                  |
| Manitoba Hydro                    | Superior Inn and Conference Center |
| Manitoba Lotteries                | The Hair Shoppe                    |
| Manitoba Public Insurance         | The Winnipeg Art Gallery           |
| Manitou Lodge                     | Through the Arbour                 |
| Midway Foods                      | Town of Powerview/Pine Falls       |
| MLCC - Pine Falls                 | Voyageurs Hockey Club              |
| NCI FM                            | Wayne Worthing                     |
| Onyx Financial                    | White Wolf Hunting & Fishing       |
| Osa Building Center               | Winnipeg Blue Bombers              |
| Papertown Motor Hotel             | Winnipeg Goldeyes Baseball         |
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| Pine Falls "OL Kings" Hockey Club |                                    |

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# RECREATION UPDATES

For Powerview/Pine Falls, St. Georges & R.M. of Alexander

## EXERCISE PROGRAMS

**Body Sculpture**  
Walter Whyte School, Grand Marais  
Instructor: Natasha Joy  
Monday's & Thursday's  
6:30 - 7:30 PM  
10 classes for \$60.00  
Moderate - High intensity. Class is always different and modified for every level.  
Need a minimum of 10 people for the class. To register contact Natasha 756-3868 or email natasha@mtns.net

## Family & Beginners Fitness

Last Chance Before Summer  
Pine Falls School Gym  
May 4 - June 24  
Monday & Wednesday's  
5:30 - 6:30 PM  
\$60.00/Adult \$40.00/Student  
Instructor: Kim Bonekamp  
For youth ages 13+ with or without a family member.  
Includes cardio, circuit training, strength & flexibility.  
Need 10 confirmed registered to begin the class.  
Contact Rec Office 367-9142

## Strength For Seniors

Pine Falls School Gym  
Monday's & Wednesday's  
10:00 - 11:00 AM  
\$60.00 per person  
Instructor: Kim Bonekamp  
Free program open to all seniors 55+. Class includes walking, exercise ball, stretching & resistance.  
For more info contact Kim 367-2107

## Total Body Workout

St. Georges School Gym  
Monday & Wednesdays  
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM  
Thursdays 7:00 - 8:00 PM  
Instructors: Nick Bonekamp & Paul Roberts  
\$20.00 per month. Family plans available  
Kickboxing, Stretching, Skipping, Rubber Bands, Circuits & Felt Pads  
Loose Weight & Feel Great!  
Contact Nick 367-2702 or Paul 367-8018

## Rise & Shine Fitness Class

Last Chance Before Summer  
May 4 - June 24  
Pine Falls School Gym  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday  
6:30 AM - 7:30 AM @ Pine Falls School Gym  
\$80.00 per person  
Instructor: Kim Bonekamp  
Program includes aerobics, circuits & boot camp training  
To register call the Pineview Rec office 367-9142 or Kim Bonekamp 367-2107 or email kbonekamp@hotmail.com

## Seniors Exercise

Golden Leisure Club, Pine Falls  
Every Mon, Wed, Thurs & Fri  
10:15 - 10:45

## Rivers North Fitness Coop

\$100.00 membership  
\$250.00 annual user fee with membership  
\$300.00 annual user fee without membership  
For more info contact Bev Dube 367-8064 or Linda Cyr 367-2382

## SPRING ACTIVITIES

**Interior Design 101**  
Osis Building Supplies, Powerview  
Saturday, May 9  
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
\$40.00 Per person  
Maximum of 24 participants.  
Purchase tickets at Osis Building Supplies  
367-367-9663 or Pineview Rec Office 367-9142.

**Introduction to Creative Writing**  
Bibliothèque Allard Library, St. Georges  
\$80.00 per person  
Participants: 6(minimum)-12(maximum)  
Instructor: Donna Besel  
April 23-June 4  
Do you like to write? Feel a need to express Yourself clearly? Find encouragement, fun and inspiration in a creative writing classes. To register contact Bibliothèque Allard Library 367-8443 or Pineview Rec Office 367-9142

## Pine Falls Golf Memberships

2009 Memberships forms are now available at the Pineview Rec Office.

## Pine Falls Swimming Program

Session 1: July 6-17  
Session 2: July 20-31  
Session 3: August 3-14  
Duck (Parent & Child Program), Sea Turtle, Salamander, Sunfish, Red Cross Levels 1-10  
For registration and fees contact Rec Office 367-9142

## Soccer

**North Eastman Soccer Association**  
Late Fee of \$5 after April 20  
Beaches & Pineview team forms available at Pineview Rec Office, Pine Falls School  
Tykes \$40.00 (Born 2005/04/03)  
Sprokts \$45.00 (Born 2002/01)  
Mavericks \$50.00 (Born 2000/99)  
13 & Under \$60.00 (Born 1998/97)  
16 & Under \$60.00 (Born 1996/95/95)  
Regular price will be charged for first two children.  
Each subsequent child is \$25.00  
Prices include T-shirt, insurance fees, referee costs, windup and games.  
Black shorts, black soccer socks & shin pads are required.  
Soccer cleats are optional.  
If you are interested in coaching, assistant coaching or managing Please contact Lori at Rec Office 367-9142.

## Softball

Powerview-Pine Falls, St. Georges R.M. of Alexander  
Registration at Rec Office  
\$10.00 per child  
Starting in May  
**PHat Camp**  
Physical Arts Training Camp  
Victoria Beach: July 27-31  
Powerview-Pine Falls: August 10-14  
Registration forms and prices will be available next week.  
This year's theme is Way of the Young Legends.  
Programs include: music video, ninja skool, break-dance, Film komat, hip hop, Hawaiian, mask, kung fu, samurai way, Extreme dance combat, cheer, fashion/iez, improv, film making, And choreography.  
For more info contact 367-9142

## Hop n Bop Program

Ages 3-5  
Victoria Beach: July 27-31  
Powerview-Pine Falls: August 10-14  
Monday - Friday 10:00AM - 10:45AM  
Funky, fun, energetic class ideal for both boys & girls. The class is designed with creative & fun elements teaching kids a better sense of body awareness, coordination, memory and rhythm using a wide range of both popular and world music.

## CHILDREN & TEENS

**Hip Hop & Jazz Dance**  
Pine Falls School Gym  
Tuesday's & Thursday's  
Instructor: Alisha Carlson  
Kids Program Ages 3-4 \$15.00  
Kids Program Ages 5-7 \$15.00  
Kids Program Ages 9-11 \$25.00  
Youth Program Ages 12+ \$25.00  
Adult Program \$25.00  
For registration & fees contact 367-9142

## Babysitter Safety Training

Ecole Powerview School  
Walter Whyte School  
June 12 & 19th  
Ages 12+(or turning 12 in 2009)  
4:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
\$25.00 per student  
Karrie Kettle, Powerview School 367-2296  
Bea Henderson, Walter Whyte 754-2240  
Lori Vialoux, Pineview Rec 367-9142

## First Lake Winnipeg Beavers

Walter Whyte School  
Monday's 3:30 - 5:00 PM  
Ages 3-5 (Male & Female)  
October - May  
Games, crafts, music, the outdoors & spiritual fellowship.  
For more info contact Carol Laing 754-6232 or Sue 754-2541

## Family Fitness

New Session Starting May 2  
Pine Falls School Gym  
Monday & Wednesday's  
5:30 - 6:30 PM  
Instructor: Kim Bonekamp  
For youth ages 13+ with or without a family member.  
Includes cardio, circuit training, strength & flexibility.  
Need 10 confirmed registered to begin the class.  
Contact Rec Office 367-9142

## SENIORS GOLDEN LEISURE CLUB

PINE FALLS  
**Claneta**  
Wednesday & Friday's  
1:00 PM  
**Cribbage**  
Every first Monday of the month  
1:00 PM

## SENIORS SCENE

VICTORIA BEACH  
**Writing Group**  
Every 4th Monday of the Month  
1:00 PM  
**Advance Line Dancing**  
Every Tuesday @10:00 AM  
**Quilting**  
Every Thursday 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
**Carpet Bowling**  
Every Friday @1:30 PM  
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## FOR ALL AGES

**Pine Falls Golf Memberships**  
2009 Memberships forms are now available at the Pineview Rec Office.  
**FESTIVALS & EVENTS**  
**Wine Tasting Evening**  
Pine Falls School Gym  
Friday, May 29th  
Over 55 different wines to sample as well as breads & cheeses as well as a silent auction. Tickets are \$25.00 each and available at Wings of Power 367-9641 or Pine Falls Liquor Mart 367-2965  
Money raised for this event will be put toward the Wings Of Power Breakfast for Learning Program.

## Victoria Beach Drama Club

## PINEVIEW RECREATION COMMISSION - Lori Vialoux, Rec. Director

Box 281 Powerview, MB. R0E 1P0 - 3 Walnut Street, Pine Falls  
Ph: 204-367-9142 Fax: 204-367-8605 E-Mail: prarec2003@yahoo.ca

## Presents

The Hysterical History of the Trojan War  
Victoria Beach Sports Club  
June 13, 2009  
\$30.00 Per person  
Includes a catered traditional Greek dinner.  
Cocktails 5:30PM/Dinner 6:00 PM  
Advance tickets only. For tickets call Tannis 756-3474

## Canada Day Pool Party

Wednesday July 1st  
Pine Falls Pool  
BBQ, Games & Pool Activities

## 3rd Annual Beaches 1/2 Marathon & 1/4 Marathon

July 25th  
Located in Hillside Beach starting at 8:00 AM  
For more info contact 756-3868  
Email: inatasha@mtns.net  
Register online: www.events.runningroom.com

## Festival Chateauguy

July 17, 18 & 19, 2009  
Weekend celebration of culture, music, food, children's activities, fishing tournament, sand castle building and great family fun.  
For more info contact Diane 367-9970

## Summer Winds Music Festival

Victoria Beach Sports Field  
July 25, 2009  
Music, children's activities, great food & beer gardens.  
3rd Annual advance tickets are available.  
Visit www.summerwindsmusicfestival.com

## PUBLIC LIBRARIES

**Bibliothèque Allard Regional Library**  
St. Georges  
Operation Hours  
Tuesday 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM  
Wednesday & Thursday 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
Friday 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
Saturday 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Internet Access Site

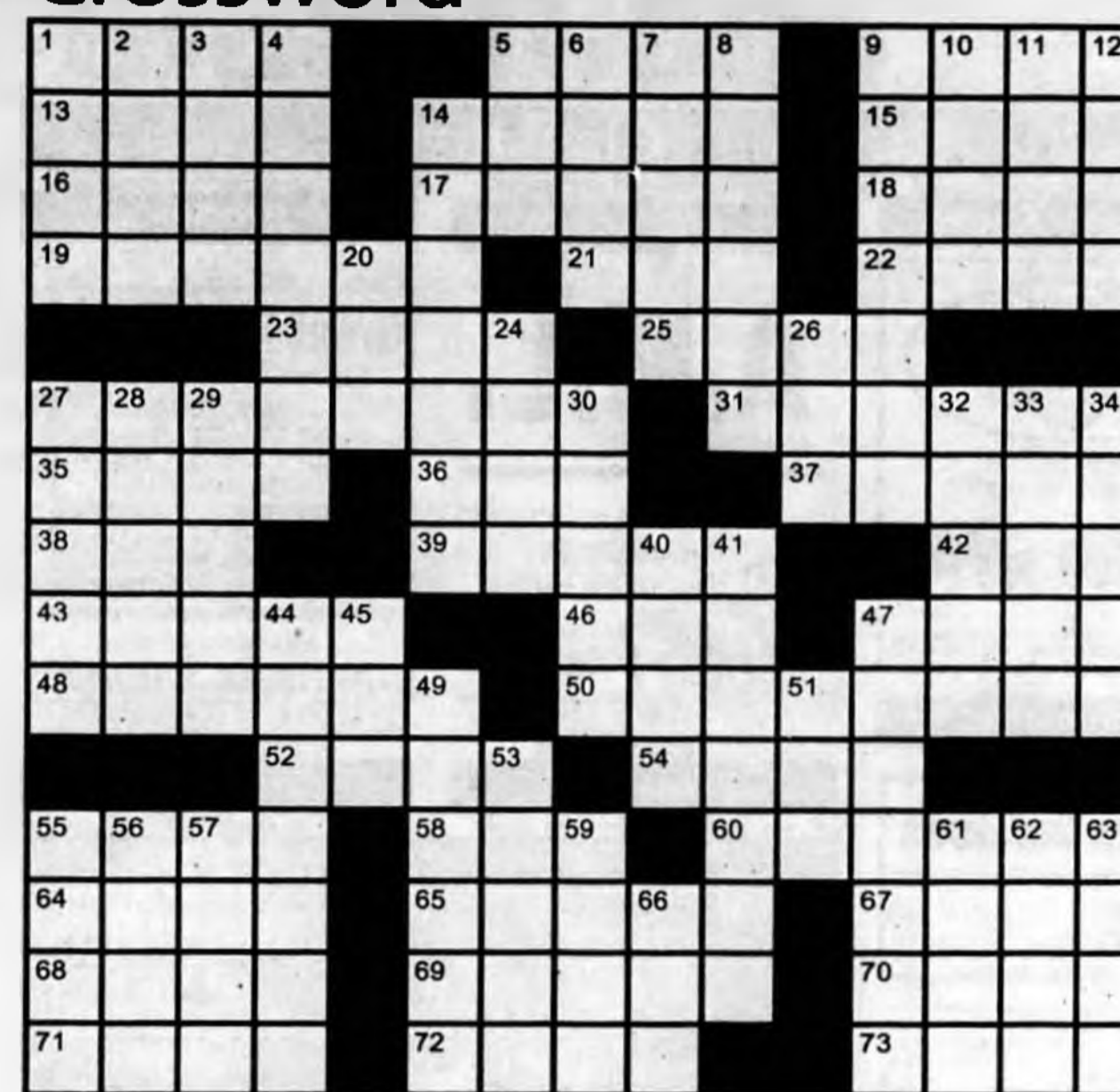
## Beaches Library

Located in Walter Whyte School  
754-4007  
Operation Hours  
Tuesday 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Thursday 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
Saturday 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Internet Access Site

## Pine Falls Library

Located in Pine Falls School 367-8983  
Open Monday - Friday  
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
Internet Access Site

# Crossword



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- Across
- Faucet problem
  - Monarch or emperor
  - Roman cloak
  - Smidgen
  - Kind of ray
  - Box lightly
  - Narrow secluded valley
  - Grownup
  - Bridge site
  - Plastic explosive
  - Louisville Slugger
  - 15th of March
  - Ice pellets
  - Aspersions
  - Site of Napoleon's defeat
  - Heir's concern
  - Bellow
  - Race unit
  - Colorado resort
  - Be mistaken
  - Extremely skillful
  - Clever
  - Brown ermine
  - Fish eggs
  - Arborist's concern
  - Shred
  - Aardvark
  - "Aquarius" musical
  - Equals three feet

## Last Week's Answers

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## CRYPTIC PUZZLE

ZP MDDPSQGPKO EBFMZ ZOPYEK,  
IF SJKZ UBFMS MK IFGG MK  
MDZ - MYMZPGF ABMYDF

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**  
I HAVE COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT POLITICS IS TOO SERIOUS A MATTER TO BE LEFT TO THE POLITICIANS -- CHARLES DE GAULE

# Weekly Horoscopes May 21 - May 27

- ARIES** (Mar. 21- April 20) A lot has changed and so have you. You will be extremely sentimental, and if pushed by others you may hold a lasting grudge. Physical limitations are possible if you aren't careful. Make changes regarding your friendships.
- TAURUS** (Apr. 21- may 21) Your business sense will be leading you in a direction that indicates more travel and communication. Try to be patient with their inability to accept your new beliefs. Partnerships may be strained if one of you has been erratic and hard to deal with. You're apt to make a move or experience changes at home.
- GEMINI** (May 22-June 21) Opportunities will unfold; however, you must be willing to pay the price. You can benefit financially if you put money or maintenance into your living quarters. Try to keep ahead of the game. Get busy on those home improvement projects that you've been procrastinating about.
- CANCER** (June 22-July 22) You may need the space, but you need the extra cash more. If you take on too much of a financial burden you may make yourself ill. Try not to lend or borrow money or belongings this week. Avoid conflicts with in-laws or other family members.
- LEO** (July 23-Aug 22) Your family needs to spend some time with you, too. Your sensitivity toward those you love will capture their hearts. Pleasure trips will be most enjoyable and should lead to new and lasting friendships.
- VIRGO** (Aug. 23 -Sept. 23) You may have some difficulties with someone you live with. Be careful to avoid wrong doings. Groups and organizations that indulge in social events to raise money will be conducive to meeting new and exciting lovers. Erratic behavior at home may be hard to handle.
- LIBRA** (Sept. 24 -Oct. 23) You will easily blow situations out of proportion. Travel for business purposes may bring the highest returns. Changes in your home may be alarming at first. Be prepared to meet new lovers through colleagues.
- SCORPIO** (Oct. 24 -Nov. 22) Your ideas may be a little ahead of their time; don't push them, instead just continue working on development. Do not travel unless absolutely necessary. Be careful. Travel should be on your agenda. You may have a problem keeping secrets.
- SAGITARIUS** (Nov. 23 - Dec 21) You are best to move quickly and to get in good with the boss. Your tendency to take on too much will end in fatigue. Think twice before eating spicy foods; you may have problems with your stomach. Invite friends over.
- CAPRICORN** (Dec 22- Jan. 20) You can raise your standard of living if you pick up some freelance work on the side. You will enjoy lavish forms of entertainment and should consider making arrangements early. Finish projects that have been hanging over your head. Take care of your own responsibilities before you help others.
- AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 -Feb. 19) Your unique approach to life will interest others. Join a club to work off that excess energy; but consider ways of doing that without spending the money. Set aside any decisions regarding your personal life this week. You may be overreacting to personal problems.
- PISCES** (Feb. 20-Mar. 20) Hassles with in-laws could put a damper on your day. Be prepared to deal with groups and organizations of greater magnitude. Be sure to question any detail that you feel could leave you in a precarious position at a later date. If boredom has set in, find new and unique directions that offer interesting friendships.

# Classifieds

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**Le Musée de Saint-Georges Museum** is interested in hiring a student for a period of 10 weeks (June 22 to August 29, 2009)

- To give guided tours to visitors upon request
- To create exhibitions at the museum
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- To sort and bag the Saint-Georges peas to sell as souvenirs
- Other various jobs as assigned by the board

Applicants must return to school fulltime during the next school year.  
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Applicants must be bilingual.  
Salary of 9.00 \$ per hour (40 hours a week)  
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Submit by mail to:  
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Saint-Georges, Manitoba  
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For more information contact Ephrem Dupont at 204-255-9548 or 204-998-1978

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Say six times a day for nine days and promise public ation and your prayers will be answered no matter how impossible they may seem by the ninth day.

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