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## Coming Events!

- **Sports Day** — Sat July 24 — 10 a.m. to Noon  
— Sports Ground
- **30+ Dinner & Dance** — Sat. July 24 — evening  
— Clubhouse
- **Fishing Derby** — Sun, July 25 — 9 a.m. to Noon  
— Pier
- **Ladies' Golf Tournament** — Wed. July 28  
— Tee-off: 8 a.m. & 11 a.m. — Golf Course
- **Teen Cliff-Climb & Wiener Roast** — Fri. July 30  
— 8 p.m. — Parking Lot
- **Sandcastle Building** — Sat. July 31 — 10 a.m. - Noon  
— Clubhouse Beach
- **Senior Tennis Tournament** — Sat. thru Mon.,  
July 31 - Aug. 2 — Tennis Courts
- **800 Meter Open Swim** — Sat. July 31 — 11 a.m.  
— Pier
- **Adult Dance** — Sat. July 31 — 9 p.m. — Clubhouse
- **Blke Race** — Sun. Aug. 1 — 10 a.m. — Sports Ground
- **Dog Show** — Mon. Aug. 2 — 11 a.m. — Sports Ground
- **Junior Golf Tournament** — Wed. Aug 4  
— Golf Course
- **Teen Twilight Tournament** — Fri. Aug. 6 — 9 -11 p.m.  
— Sports Ground

## ★ Superstars of the Week ★

As the thunder crashed, and a heavy sweep of rain passed through the beach at 6:00 am. Saturday July 10, some of our wonderful Flea Market treasures took a slight bath. But, by 7:30, as our committed team of VB truckers headed out to the avenues, the skies cleared, and another perfect flea market day was about to begin. It is these young men, who show up year after year to lift the huge items and carry them from the truck to the club that we have to thank. Some of these enthusiastic genis are so committed that have been known to "meet" all night - undoubtedly strategizing and planning while enjoying a couple of cold beverages. They arrive bright and early, sometimes direct from the meeting, not willing to rely on a cottage alarm clock. Despite the lack of sleep and the headaches that accompany all that "strategizing" - they work extremely hard all day. A big thanks to: Dan Schott, Dan Suderman, Ryan Sorenson, Ryan VanBerkel, Bryn Oliver, Ben Cambell, A.J. Tooley, Ben Peterson, Roger Ritzema, Luke Sudermann, Billy Bonello, and Chris Chipman.

The Flea Market Silent Auction is a very big fund raising event for the Club and it is run by some very dedicated and hard working gals. Sharon Kreutzer organizes and plans all the way from Vancouver during the off season. Sharon as well as Peggy Ansons, and our new recruit Michelle Brownell teamed up for another successful year. Carol Loader and

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*Superstars - continued from page 1*

Evelyn Armstrong knocked on the doors of our local businesses and came up with some lovely auction items. Tickets were sold throughout the day and our lucky winners received some great gifts. Thank you all, for your time and energy during this exhausting venture.

The club continues its weekly activities and many of us are noticing some beautiful cottage decorations showing up. We can thank Ashley Schmidt and Sydney Woodman who are doing a terrific job with our youngsters at crafts. Library assistants, Rebecca Sisler, and Dana Murray, along with their parents Jeff, Cathy, Keith, and Louise, were responsible for the Book Sale coming together. For our Beach readers this is a favorite way to purchase some reasonable literature. Great job gang!

Another Beach favorite is "Beach Events". This is run by Maria and Dave Erichson. They gathered a crew of helpers to make this a celebration of warm weather fun. Little bodies could be seen running and laughing as they moved from activity to activity down Club House Beach. Face Painting, slip and slide, buried treasures and all the rest combined to make this family event so special for young and old. A big thanks to the Erichsons!

The Junior Tennis Tournament was two days of great competition for our tennis enthusiasts and Brian and Lisa Yagi spend hours at the courts making sure it runs flawlessly. Despite a slight rain delay on Thursday morning, we had perfect weather for the two days. Thanks to the Yagi's for volunteering their time.

The annual teen scavenger hunt sent a pack of wild bikers hunting throughout the beach for the long list of items, on Friday July 16. Armed with only a pencil, a flashlight and their own intuition these relentless teens scoured the beach from Sandy Bay to Pelican Point in the quest for the elusive first prize. Much to our surprise, not one cottage at VB could supply a square of nanaimo bar from their bakery treats. Quick- what long time VBer's picture hangs in the Cabbie shack at the parking lot?? Thanks once again to Marg Birley for continuing to provide the kids with this very exciting night. It is a definitely a favourite.

There was a big splash as numbers of swimmers began the 200 metre swim on Saturday morning. As families cheered on their little and big fish the cheers on the pier could be heard throughout the Bay. Number 7 managed to complete the swim and make the 1 p.m. VB Club meeting without a hair out of place. That's why she's the Prez. Thanks to Meg Gray and her amazing group of swim instructors for always organizing this event.

A perfect evening saw our Maqueraders out in huge numbers as Katina and Bob Sudermann headed up our crazy costume event. Each year hundreds of kids fill the field with their amazing cottage-designed outfits to make this outing so entertaining. Thanks Bob and Katina for the great show.

As things were winding down on Saturday evening, the Clubhouse was winding up, as Tom and Chris Aldridge, did what they do so well, put on our July Adult Dance. Our young gentlemen stole the show with finely fitted vests, white dress shoes, and flashy bandanas. The ladies were the lucky ones as it's hard to resist a young man in a leisure suit. Did those guys come out on the train?

We are now into our third week of summer fun and the activities that accompany our Victoria Beach life. On behalf of all our event convenors -we hope you are enjoying this summer's fun and are able participate in all the VB Club has to offer. Looks like a great line up again next week and now that the warm weather has arrived everything is falling into place.

See you at the Beach!

Marina Wilson

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Everyone is welcome to participate in running races, the family relay (4 family members, potato sac race, egg toss, and the Victoria Beach original Slow Bike Race! Sports Day will finish with the ever popular, team spirited, water cooling: Bum-Balloon-Break Relay (be prepared to get wet)!

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Once again, there will be no entry fee but non-members must pay green fees. Children 12 and under will only have to pay \$1.00. Please note that the course layout will be shortened for the 12 and under groups.

Last year's tournament attracted over 100 eager participants and only through the kindness and generosity of local businesses and individuals was it possible for each and every entrant to go home a winner. Prizes big or small are always appreciated with such a large contingent of golfers.

Please drop off any items at the golf course c/o John Evans or contact Pat Hastings in Winnipeg Toll Free 1-800-782-0078 or 943-6561. Should you wish to make a donation payable to the Victoria Beach Golf Course.

Approximately 25 chaperones are required to help with group scoring for the nine hole events. Anyone interested can sign up at the course. Your help in any way is greatly appreciated.

*Pat Hastings  
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A variety of classes will be offered, such as Creative Movement (ages 4-7), Jazz and Hip Hop (all ages), Ballet (all ages) and even a Teen and Adult class!

Dance is a wonderful atmosphere to build self-confidence, meet friends, be mentally and physically challenged, and, above all else, have fun!

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**VB Ladies Golf  
Tournament**

Ladies, the tournament is filling up quickly! There are however, a few openings for the 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. draws. Cost is \$8.00 plus green fees for non-members. This promises to be another great tournament, so don't miss out!

Anyone wishing to donate prizes can leave them at the Clubhouse. They will be much appreciated.

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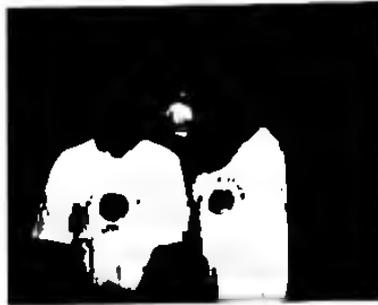
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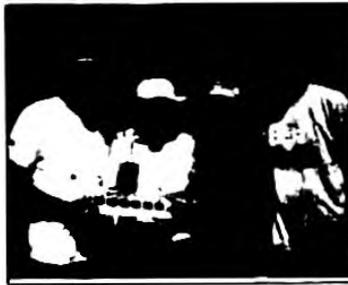
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*Masters tennis - convenors*



*Mens singles - over 40*



*Mixed - doubles - over 55*



*Ladies - doubles - over 40*



*Mens singles - over 55*



*Ladies doubles - over 55*



*Mens doubles - over 55*



*Mens doubles - over 40*



*Ladies singles - over 40*



*Mixed doubles - over 40*

If you spent any time at the tennis courts this weekend you were treated to a great assortment of knee braces, elbow wraps, heating pads, and bottles of Advil . . . as the over-forty crowd moved gingerly around the courts in the annual Masters Tennis Tournament.

There was great tennis action and even a few competitive moments to keep things interesting. Special thanks to Allan Morrish for supplying coffee this year to all the participants for playing. We look forward to seeing you all next year. Keep that A535 rub flowing . . .

*John Heppenstall [on behalf of Allan Morrish]*

## Masters Tennis — Results

### Ladies Doubles [over 55]:

Connie Drybrough & Ruby Garden def. Hanna Lailey & Lillian Hancock 1-6, 6-2, 6-4

### Ladies singles [over 40]:

Melanie Charbonneau def. Sue Quinton 6-1, 6-3

### Mens Doubles [over 40]:

Gene and Bill Turk def. Dave Quinton & Don Bushuk 3-6, 7-5, 6-4

### Mens Doubles [over 55]:

Tony Holland & Jim Millican def. Bob Lawler & Terry Angus 6-1, 6-1

### Mixed Doubles [over 40]:

Bill & Jane Turk def. John Brownell & Ann Manning 9-6

### Ladies 40 C Series:

Jeanette Keating def. Diane Gendron

### Mens Singles [over 40]:

Don Bushuk def. Dave Quinton 6-1, 6-3

### Mixed Doubles [over 55]:

Bob & Sally Lawler def. Larry & Carolyn Peachell 9-6

### Ladies Doubles [over 40]:

Ann Manning & Linda Sudermann def. Sue Quinton & Rhonda Manning 9-6

### Mens Singles [over 55]:

Don Wilkinson def. Tony Holland 6-1, 6-4

## Teen Events

Another great Teen After Dark Scavenger Hunt was held last Friday. About 88 slightly more organized than usual teens were divided onto 8 teams. These participants had several parts to their evening's competition. There was a crossword puzzle that kept them (and the parent volunteers) scratching their heads or hammering on relatives' cottage doors for answers. They also had to find items hidden around the beach, directed by clues. They needed answers to VB trivia questions and also had to bring in several odd items, including an uncracked hard-boiled egg, a piece of charred forest, and the clincher: a piece of Nanaimo bar. Each year our teens have become more and more skilled at solving this hunt so I have had to make it a little more difficult each year.

This year it was really a tough one, but Timothy Ruban's team triumphed, with a total of 166 points. Timothy's team members were: Taylor Anderson, Chelsea Kaufman, Katie Wilson, Jeff Basse, Michael Bilenki, Michael Hall, Spencer Guest, Ivan Simonson Mitchell Guest, and Corbin Jenkinson.

Second place went to Aynsley Walker's team of Dane Moreau, Meaghan Proulx, Michael Pollard, Ryan Pollard, Doug Ritchie, Dan Forsythe, Mark Lloyd, Lauren Stone, Haddish Northcott and Jonathon Northcott.

Third place went to Larissa Barr's team of Sydney Woodman, Gabrielle McGettrich, Dana McMurray, Jamie Gillies, Emily Keating, Carly Wilson, Ben Russell, James McPherson, Matt Edmund and Adrien Dessells.

We had a large turnout of adult volunteers to help run this activity, many of them experienced from previous hunts. Thanks to this group of great parents and the fact that most of the teens were kind enough to pre-register, we were very organized with our registration and tallying of points this year. Melanie Charbonneau, Howard and Judy Bilenki, Lisa Yagi, Joanne and Rod Kamins, Pam Lloyd, Wendy Duncan, Stewart and Yvonne MacPherson, Sheila Grover and Beth Pollard were our superb parent volunteers, even if they didn't know the word "conflagration". Also thanks to the Rec Assistants for cleanup and to Riley Horne who came early and helped me set up while the Rec Assistants were still busy running Family Rec! These really are great teenagers, the whole bunch of them!

Tonight (July 23) is a teen movie night that will happen thanks to Evelyn Russell and Carole Dueck who volunteered to supervise. "Freaky Friday" starts at 9 pm at the Clubhouse for teens ages 12 to 19.

Next Friday is our annual teen Cliff Climb and Wiener Roast. All teens 12 to 19 are welcome, members with wristbands may participate free of charge, non members will be charged a \$5.00 fee. If possible please pre-register at 402-7th prior to about 6 pm Friday. If you can't pre-register, just show up at the parking lot Friday July 30th by 8 pm. Bring an ice cream pail (or smaller, diameter of pouring area at least 4 inches), flashlight, bug spray, bathing suit and towel and your bike. We will bike up the highway to the sand cliffs, have our contest on the cliffs, a swim (with a lifeguard), then roast wieners and marshmallows before biking back around dusk. We will disperse from the parking lot around 10:30 to 11:00 pm. I need parent volunteers for this and at least 2 Dads would be great. If you can help, please call 756-2736.

Marj Birley

## Beach Banter!

### ■ Attention Antique Dealers!

Be aware - someone may try to sell you an old, heavy, 25-year-old Duofour Windsurfer [no mast/no sail] which was stolen from Connaught Beach on Friday, July 16.

If you have any information about this crime or the whereabouts of this unique board, please call 756-2887 or 255-8072 ... [or feel free to return it to Connaught beach where you stole it from!].

Susan and Hugh Taylor

### ■ Reminiscences!

During my childhood, I summered with my grandmother, Victoria Wallace, at her pink cottage at Victoria Beach. During her retirement years she went by the nick names Vicki, Gaggy and Gag, but NOT 'Bahama Mamma' [a wicked rumor started by my brother Regan].

I was her boy Friday and Hogan was my dog Friday. I chopped wood, gathered old cedar shingles for kindling, fetched drinking water from the well, made trips to the general store, the post office and Einfeld's for warm loaves.

In 1918, Gag rode a troop ship convoy through U-boats to marry her man still at war in Europe, Dr. Douglas Wallace. During big storms, I walked barefoot along the shoreline imagining it was the Atlantic and watched for dead soldiers washed ashore. Some nights I watched the silent ghostly northern lights over a calm horizon then came inside to sit by the fire with my dog whilst Gag and her visitor would play scrabble.

Come Fridays at 5pm a clatter of family and/or visitors would arrive laden with fresh provisions and party plans ... all beds full, non stop cooking, washing up, to the beach, happy hour, cook, wash up & repeat. Me an Gag were always happy for the fresh company and excitement, but enjoyed the return of quiet come Monday morning.

Later, during my teenage summers, I worked for the town cutting the grass etc. and lived in the woods behind the cottage in a small bunkhouse outfitted with Led Zepplin on 8 track and warm beer under the bed. Gag had a little tin bell that she would ring from her back door if she needed me ... it now hangs in my dining room across from her graduation portrait.

Clancy Dennehy  
Vancouver

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### Rec Director's Report

Hello everyone! It's a great summer, activity wise! The participation for all activities is phenomenal.

Here are a few reminders for this week's activities:

- Bike Hike destination for July 28th is ALBERT BEACH. We encourage the use of helmets by the children. They should also bring a snack and a towel. DEPARTURE FROM THE CLUBHOUSE IS AT 10 :00 AM and we return for noon.

- GIRLS! The youth sport activities are for you. Come on out and have fun. These events are held on a regular basis on Mondays and Fridays at 10 am and on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 :30 pm. There is also the Teen Sport Night on Wednesdays at 8 :30 pm. You are guaranteed to have fun.

- A reminder that all evening activities - Family Sport Nights and Movie Nights - start at 7:30 pm again this summer.

Thank you to the parents who have been coming out to have fun at the parents vs kids game at Friday's Family Sport Night. The kids enjoy it very much.

Keep on showing up to the activities with your WRIST-BANDS!

Bike racks! BIKE RACKS! Bike racks! Thank you!  
Have a great week and see you around!

*Luc Bremault  
Recreation Director*

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July 25 Bill Duff                      Anglican                      Retired

*Choir Practice 10:20 a.m. - Everybody Welcome!*

### 2004 VICTORIA BEACH SUMMER ACTIVITIES

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>AM</b>	Tennis Lessons 8:45-9:45 Ages 7 - 9	Yoga 10:00 - 12:00 Adults and Teens	Tennis Lessons 8:45-9:45 Ages 5 - 6		Tennis Lessons 8:45-9:45 Ages 10+
	Adult Tennis 10:00 - 12:00 Round Robin Play	Golf Lessons 10:00 - 11:00 Ages 7 - 9		Golf Lessons 10:00 - 11:00 Ages 10 - 16	Adult Tennis 10:00 - 12:00 Round Robin Play
	Aerobics 10:00 - 11:00	Adult Golf Lessons 11:00 - 12:00 pm	Aerobics 10:00 - 11:00	Adult Golf Lessons 11:00 - 12:00 pm	Aerobics 10:00 - 11:00
	Youth Sport 10:00 - 11:00 Ages 10 - 14	Arts and Crafts 12:30 - 1:30 pm Ages 9 - 13	Bike Hikes 10:00 - 12:00 pm Ages 7-12	Arts and Crafts 10:30 - 11:30 Ages 4 - 8	Youth Sport 10:00 - 11:00 Ages 10 - 14
	Children's Games 10:00 - 11:00 Ages 4 - 10				Children's Games 10:00 - 11:00 Ages 4 - 10
<b>PM</b>	Family Sport Night 7:30 - 8:30	Tennis Ages 11-18 5:30 - 7:00 Round Robin Play	Family Sport Night 7:30 - 8:30	Tennis Ages 11-18 5:30 - 7:00 Round Robin Play	Family Sport Night 7:30 - 8:30
		Movies 7:30-9:00	Teen Sport Night 8:30 - 9:30 Ages 12 - 18	Movies 7:30-9:00	Teen Night 9:00 - 11:30 pm Ages 12 - 19

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**Junior Tennis Tournament - Results**

Junior tennis is alive and well at Victoria Beach. Take 120 entrants participating in 167 matches, a three-hour rain delay, two cases of sunstroke, K-Mac chasing a 5-year-old hat thief, and you have the 2004 Junior Tennis Tournament. Two days of excellent tennis competition were enjoyed by participants and spectators alike.

The results are as follows:

<b>SINGLES:</b>	<b>WINNERS</b>	<b>RUNNERS UP</b>
Girls 12 & Under	Katy Lesiuk	Emily Keating
Boys 12 & Under	Luke Picking	Noah Yagi
Girls 14 & Under	Jane Yagi	Tara Loader
Boys 14 & Under	Sean Bailey	Michael Pollard
Girls 16 & Under	Katie Thomas	Kira Keating
Boys 16 & Under	Alex Lesiuk	Taylor Horne
Girls 18 & Under	Aynsley Walker	Lauren Johnson
Boys 18 & Under	Taylor Horne	Alex Lesiuk
Under 12 Consolations	Davis Hirsch	Alistair Marr-Paine

<b>DOUBLES:</b>		
Girls Under 14	Emily Keating Erika Fridrick	Jane Yagi Katy Lesiuk
Boys Under 14	Mackie Quinton Alex Forsythe	Eric Pollard Chris Thomas
Girls Under 18	Katie Thomas Aynsley Walker	Jane Yagi Emily Birley
Boys Under 18	Riley Horne Taylor Horne	Mark Lloyd Doug Ritchie
Mixed Under 18	Cassidy Quinton Aynsley Walker	Katie Thomas Mark Lloyd

<b>PARENT &amp; CHILD:</b>		
Recreational	Glenn Booth Shandy Booth	Ivan McMorris Adrian McMorris
Competitive	Dave Forsythe Dan Forsythe	Dave Quinton Mackie Quinton

Congratulations to all of the players!

Our first year of running the tournament was made much easier with the help of the well-organized binder that was handed down to us by our predecessors. Many thanks to the Osipovs and Hollands for their help and advice.

Thank you to Bill and Gene Turk who spent a rainy morning doing the draw. Their time and expertise are much appreciated.

Thank you to Aynsley Walker and all of the tennis court crew who willingly helped out throughout the tournament and to Boris Bachynski who kindly looked after ordering the T-shirts and tennis balls.

Finally, we would like to thank all of the wonderful VB kids. Your enthusiasm, cooperation, and sportsmanship are a big part of why tennis at VB is so exceptional.

Bryan and Lisa Yagi  
Jane Turk

**Now Showing at the Clubhouse**

Friday, July 23  
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Tuesday, July 27  
"Brother Bear" [G]

Thursday, July 29  
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Please note:

- July and August movies will all start at 7:30 p.m.
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### The Junior Tennis Tournament!

(See results on page 9 for details)



Singles - girls 16 & under



Singles - girls 18 & under



Doubles - girls 14 & under



Singles - boys 12 & under



Parent - child recreational



Singles - boys 12 & under - consolation



Singles - girls 12 & under



Singles - girls 16 & under



Parent-child - competitive



Singles - boys 14 & under



Doubles - boys 18 & under



Singles - girls 14 & under



Doubles - boys 14 & under



Singles - boys 16 & under



Doubles - girls 18 & under



Singles - boys 18 & under

## Presidential Ponderings!

By now you are all firmly ensconced in your summer routine, tennis, bakery, golf, bakery, beach, bakery, etc. etc. The club activities are in full swing. In fact, we are closing in on the half-way mark, and things are going remarkably well.

Once again, the VB staff is stellar. Please take a moment to notice the big STAFF logo on the back of those blue T-shirts and say a big thank you to this hard working group. While we are still enjoying the month of July, we strive to be all-inclusive and informative. Therefore, please note that anyone interested in summer 2005 employment should send their resumes and covering letters, NO LATER THAN February 15, 2005, to VB CLUB, c/o 201 Waverley Street, Winnipeg, MB R3M 3K4. We typically conduct all interviews every March.

On another note, please don't forget to check your cottage for any long lost trophies. We have received a few in past years, and now are the proud owners of 2 trophy cases in the Clubhouse. Please encourage friends, family and neighbours to display their accomplishments where everyone can see. You can drop trophies off at 133 Birch Avenue and I promise to display them prominently.

Last year, we were the fortunate recipient of a generous bequest from a long time VB resident. We have been in contact with the Winnipeg Foundation to determine how we can best develop a plan to encourage other bequests and donations, and we are interested in creating projects and long-term plans to best utilize these gifts. Perhaps you have experience in this area, or are interested in helping the VB Club Board of Directors. My hope is to create a committee which can make suggestions and report to the Board with a solid plan. Please call if this sounds like an opportunity you are interested in.

I would also like to thank each and every Board member and VB Club Volunteer, which now extends to well over one hundred this year alone! We couldn't do it without each and every one of you. There is something for everyone at VB, and your time is appreciated - no matter how much you can give. We are always looking for fresh ideas and faces, so please consider finding out more. The entire community would be grateful. Many thanks!

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## Are you prepared? Workshop - Tuesday, July 27th

The Manitoba Model Forest and Conservation Manitoba invite you to attend an afternoon workshop to learn more about climate change, wildfire risk and what actions can be taken to reduce the likelihood of a wildfire in your neighborhood. Join Wildland/Urban Interface experts from the Canadian Forest Service and Partners in Protection to explore the many options available to cottage/home owners and land managers through the FireSmart Program. Discover how to assess the risks on and around your property.

This workshop should be of particular interest to the people of Victoria Beach since we narrowly escaped a major wildfire catastrophe. This was avoided thanks to the dedication of our volunteer fire department and the assistance of fire fighters from the surrounding area.

The workshop will be held from 1 to 3 pm on Tuesday, July 27th, at the Victoria Beach Sports Center on Pine Rd. Further information is available on posters located on signboards around the beach.

Rod Bollman

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## 30+ Dinner Dance Saturday, July 24

Come out and enjoy one of the best evenings of the summer. This will be the Fourth Annual VB Club Dinner & Dance. It is an important fundraiser for the Victoria Beach Club which underwrites many of the events and activities that we have come to expect and enjoy at Victoria Beach.

So get your tickets now. This years Dance Band will feature RUMBA SOUND. Their name says it all.

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## The Namao Returns - Saturday, July 31



You may remember that the Lake Winnipeg Research Vessel, Namao, docked here briefly last summer and allowed interested cottagers to tour the ship.

It's back again this summer with an open house on Saturday, July 31, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the VB Pier. Everyone is welcome. Drop down and have a look!

And, if you'd like to know more . . .

### THE LAKE WINNIPEG RESEARCH CONSORTIUM

The Lake Winnipeg Research Consortium (LWRC) Inc. was founded in August 1998 and incorporated as a non-profit organization in Manitoba in 2001.

Membership in the LWRC has grown to 27 agencies representing various government and university departments, and corporate and stakeholder groups.

The GOALS of the LWRC include:

Facilitate scientific research on Lake Winnipeg to gain a better understanding of the biological, chemical and physical processes that are critical to its well being.

Create educational opportunities and increase public awareness of the ecology and natural history of Lake Winnipeg and environmental issues facing the lake.

Expedite information exchange and foster co-operation among all stakeholders.

Provide and maintain a research vessel, the CCGS Namao for the advancement of research and education on Lake Winnipeg.

### CONDUCTING RESEARCH ON LAKE WINNIPEG

Lake Winnipeg is a very complex ecosystem that has not been studied in detail until recently. To understand the lake better, university, provincial and DFO scientists have established a total of 65 sampling stations (see map), which are sampled 3 times over the open water season using the CCGS Namao. Some stations are sampled in the winter by helicopter and snowmobile.

The scientific data collected (2002-2004) by these agencies are being compared with baseline data (1969, 1994, 1996 and 1999) to determine the extent to which changes have taken place in the lake.

### RESEARCH STUDIES ON LAKE WINNIPEG

The research that is currently being carried out on Lake Winnipeg includes the following studies.

Nutrient cycling and impacts of excessive nutrients (nitrogen and phosphorus) on the water quality and food chain components of Lake Winnipeg.

Impacts of climate change on the Lake Winnipeg ecosystem, particularly on fish habitat, fish stocks and food resources (zooplankton and benthos).

Use of satellite imagery to measure the abundance and distribution of surface chlorophyll-a, an indicator of lake productivity.

Ability of Lake Winnipeg to consume and produce carbon dioxide, a greenhouse gas. Impact of introduced or invading exotic species on the ecosystem of the lake. Levels of pollutants contained in the food web, lake water, air above the lake and sediment at the bottom of the lake.

Characterization of sources of E. coli (in the water column and wet beach sand) and prediction of conditions favouring its dispersal to beaches.

Examination of algal toxins and their potential effects at higher trophic levels.

### SOME EMERGING ISSUES ON LAKE WINNIPEG

The health of a lake can be assessed by studying the specific types and numbers of organisms that make up the aquatic food chain. These organisms depend on each other.

Changes at one level impact many other organisms, which may result in a restructuring of the food chain and decreased biodiversity. For example:

Lake Eutrophication occurs when high concentrations of nutrients, particularly phosphorus, enter a lake and promote an excessive growth of algae or "algal blooms".

Satellite imagery has revealed larger and more frequent algal blooms in Lake Winnipeg during the last 10 years than in the 1980s. This trend is related both to increased phosphorus loading from the watershed and to temperature, with the larger blooms occurring in warmer summers. When these large algal blooms die and decompose, they have the potential to cause oxygen depletion in the water and, ultimately, "fish kills". (Very few organisms can live without oxygen, including fish.) Also associated with nutrient enrichment is a shift in the predominant type of algae, notably the "blue-greens", some of which produce algal toxins.

Invading Exotics are organisms that have recently entered the Lake Winnipeg ecosystem and are, therefore, not part of the natural food chain. A new zooplankton, *Eubosmina coregoni*, was discovered in Lake Winnipeg in 1994. This organism likely came from Lake Erie and thrives in areas of high algal productivity dominated by "blue-greens". The rainbow smelt is another invading exotic. This fish was first found in Lake Winnipeg in 1990, arriving via the Winnipeg River system, and is now most abundant in the north basin of the lake. The effects that this new fish will have on the structure of the natural food chain and on the commercial fishery are unknown.





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### Children's Masquerade!

It was a great early evening spectacle of costumes last Saturday at the Sports Field. VB Parents have proved once again that they are most creative - using only odds and ends from around the cottage.

This years most notable crowd favorites were the "VB Picnic" and the "VB Taxi". BRAVO and WELL DONE!!

This years Masquerade had a participant age range of 7 months to 16 years which I think is a new record. I would like to thank the following people for lending a helping hand and making this event a super one. They include **Mardi Plant, Taylor Sudermann, Robln, Sam, and Sawyer Anderson, and Brenda Friesen.**

*Bob and Katina Sudermann*

Name	Age	Costume Name
Ganna Hasenack	3	Princess
Keira Hasenack	6	Butter Fly
Fallon Moreau	7	Gypsy Fortune Teller
Melissa Kennedy	6	Princess Fiona
Brendan Proulx	7	"Unclaimed Parcel From 1954 VB Train"
Nichola Basford	6	VB Nature Bride
Elena Basford	8	VB Nature Bride
Alenna Mark	7	VB Nature Bride
Sam Duncan	5	Spider Man
Matthew Ducan	3	Spider Man
Cooper Smyth	2	Buzz Lightyear
Turner Smyth	4	VB Policeman
Ethan Boyda	2	Beach Clown
Taylor Sudermann	9	Thing 2
Alexandra Jessiman	9	Thing 1
Sydney Plante	4	Princess Aurora
Erika Loughheed	9	Hula Girl
Zachary	8	Rock Band The Six in a row
Gabrielle	7	Rock Band The Six in a row
Madison	5	Rock Band The Six in a row
Sophie	4	Rock Band The Six in a row
Emily	3	Rock Band The Six in a row
Jenica	2	Rock Band The Six in a row
Michela Esbogsito	9	Beach Babe Cat
Glynwis Eyford	11	Ace of Hearts
Ashy Eyford	8	King of Hearts
Millar Frederickson	6	Queen of Hearts
Citrlie Diane Frederickson	4	Jack of Hearts
Daniel	11	Serena Williams
Emily Thompson	5	Butter Fly
Ave Mundy	8	VB Forest Fairy
Jamie Mundy	4	Batman
Jane Axworthy	9	Pirate of the Carri beach ean
Olivia Probetts	11	Pirate of the Carri beach ean
Renee Probetts	8	Pirate of the Carri beach ean
Sophie Douat	10	Pirate of the Carri beach ean
James Cook	11	Pirate of the Carri beach ean
Kirsty Cook	9	Pirate of the Carri beach ean
Matthew Cook	6	Pirate of the Carri beach ean
Brandon Rucette	5	Spider Man
Alexis Shuttleworth	5	Barbie
Sierra Mactavish	7	Bird
Andrew Mac Taush	5	Spiderman
Drea Esposito	4	Punk Rocker
Naomi Kapilik	3	Princess

Lan Loughheed	5	Rock Star
Kendra Hancock Scaletta	5	Hawalin Flower Girl
Laurn petreny	9	"Little Red Riding Hood"
Samantha Fluke	5	Princess Sam Ruler of all VB'ers
Erin Petreny	6	VB Rock Star tennis Player
Danielle Savard	9	Bike Mechanic
Anderas Sudermann	5	VB Knight
Ashton Sudermann	8	Alex From Charlies Angels
Cady Jessiman	7	Natile From Charlies Angels
Phobe Anderson	8	Avril Lavigne
Jaimi	9	Septic Services
Luc	4	Septic Services
Hannah Lank	7	"The Amazing Hannah" Magician"
Cooper Anderson	5	Spider Man
Grace McMorris	7	VB Beach Beauty
Erica Silk	9	VB Beach Beauty
Eric Kapilik	6	Eric The Eagle Man Barbarian
Taylor Bell	4	Ballerina
Nick Bell	6	Dragon Slayer
Kacie Hall	4	Ballerina
Mary Mc Auley	3	Snow White
Zach Ateah	8	Cowboy
Reagan Lees	5	"Mexican man with no name"
Payton Lees	8	Hula Girl
Andrew Mahon	7	Victoria beach warriors
Mark Mahon	9	Victoria Beach Warriors
Stefan Keith	7	Pikachu
Rachel Hoole	4	Butter Fly Fairy Princess
Kandra Mahon	11	Honey Mooners
Gabi Hoole	11	Honey Mooners
Laura Wall	5	"Belle" from Beauty and the Beast"
Ian Willison	4	"Bob the Builder"
Alyssa Willison	7	"V.B Butterfly"
Caitlyn Willison	7 months	Flower
Kiera Garagan	9	Hawain girl and her cat
Luke Savard	7	Alligator Hunter
Andreas Sudermann	5	Knight
Julia Beazley	5	Cinderella Fairy Princess
Reily Brown	3 and half	Basket Ball Player
Conner Brown	3 and half	Basket Ball Player
Robbin	15	Logan Keaton and Sydney
Kira	15	Logan Keaton and Sydney
Darcey	16	Logan Keaton and Sydney
Karly Poitars	7	Belle From Beauty & the Beast
Jessie Hoole	8	"Picnic at the beach"
Andrew Mitchell	4	Joe From Blue's clues
Annick Dionne Floch	5	Hawain Princess
Rachel Beazley	5	Butter fly
Daniel Reimer	7	VB Taxi
Danielle Willoughby	9	VB Herald Editor
Alex Burnett	8	Beach Fairy
Laura Burnett	6	Beach Fairy
Chazz Dawson	7	Lion
Quinn Dawson	3	Lion
Mel Turpan	12	Haula Girl
Cole Paige	5	Ninja
Zena Paige	2 1/2	Dora the Explorer
Lily Tugwell	2	Princess

## Help Keep Bears Where They Belong! Tips to Avoid Human-Bear Contact



Photo by Adele Korolyk

Manitoba Conservation reminds people with homes, cottages or campsites in or near bear country to always be bear smart, especially this summer with a delayed natural berry crop.

### Simple tips include:

1) Never feed a bear. Bears can become accustomed to feeding and living around humans. Bears are wild animals and must be respected for the danger they pose.

2) remove all food incentives, especially summer bird feeders. Barbeque grills should be thoroughly cleaned and properly stored between uses.

3) Garbage cans should be washed with a disinfectant to eliminate bear-attracting odours. Garbage should be double-bagged in a second heavy plastic bag. Garbage should be stored safely and put out the morning of garbage collection, not the night before.

4) Later in the season, pick all ripened fruit from trees in the yard and remove fallen fruit from the ground twice a day.

For more details, refer to Manitoba Conservation's website at:

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### ◆♥ Bridge Club News ♣♠

On Monday, July 12th, thirty-two individuals braved the "wacky weather" to play twenty-four hands of bridge at the Clubhouse.

The winner was **Sheila Burland** with a score of 5090 points, and runner-up was **David Reid** with 4820 points.

The game starts at 7.30 p.m. every Monday. Come with a partner or alone.

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### A Gardening Open House Saturday, July 31 & Sunday, August 1

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See a lovely garden of Lillies and Delphiniums at my lake-front cottage. If possible, please walk or ride your bike to avoid car traffic congestion. [There's a lakeside path to Sandy Bay, which begins at the bottom of 8th avenue near the pumphouse. It's only a few minutes walk from there.]

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### The Golden Violin

A multi-dimensional show with a fascinating story, colourful costumes and stirring music will come to Victoria Beach on August 13th.

Visiting the beach from B.C., Calvin Dyck (violin) and Betty Suderman (piano) will take their audience on a journey, tracing the possible history of Calvin's "golden violin", a beautiful instrument crafted in 1807 by the Dutch violin maker, Johannes Cuypers. The first stop on this musical trip is, of course, Holland, the birthplace of this instrument. Other stops include 1853 Düsseldorf, 1895 Paris, 1930 Venice, and 1955 New York, before ending up in present-day Canada.

Both Calvin and Betty throw themselves into their roles, incorporating a series of costume and set changes into the concert. The resulting ambiance makes the audience feel as though they, too, are sitting in a Parisian drawing room at the turn of the last century, or perhaps around a blazing fire in a gypsy encampment.

Calvin is the concertmaster of the Vancouver Island Symphony and has toured this "Golden Violin" show from Whitehorse to Los Angeles. Further information is available on his website: [www.calvindyck.com](http://www.calvindyck.com). Two recordings (which benefit MCC Supportive Care Services) will be available at the concert.

Calvin and his wife Heather have enjoyed several holidays at VB with Heather's parents, Gerry & Mary Ann Russell and are looking forward this year's beach holiday.

Don't miss this delightful concert on Friday, August 13th at 7:30 pm at St. Michael's Anglican Church. Tickets will be available at the door (\$10 adults; \$5 children)

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## 200 Metre Swim - Results



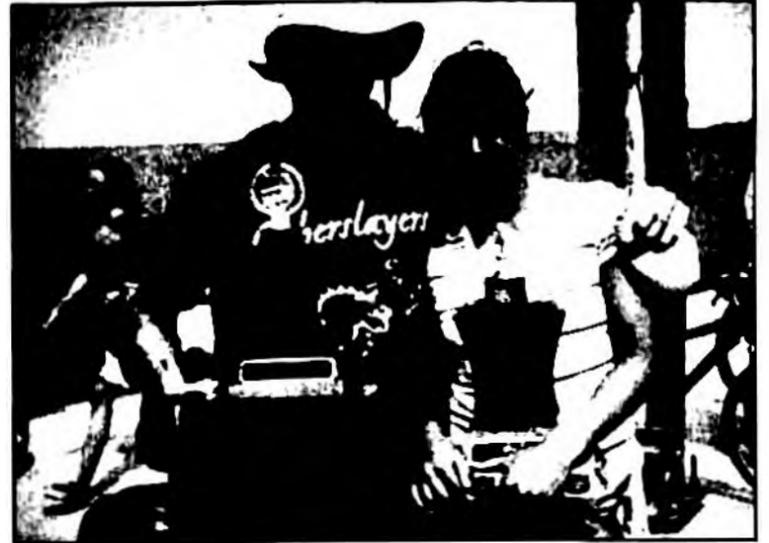
All the winners from the 200 metre swim!

Congratulations to all the participants who came out to this year's 200 metre swim. Both young and old did a great job and were supported by a crowd of cheering fans. Thank you especially to Lisa Hastings, Laurie Reade, Fran and Kelth Burr and my family for helping out with the times at the finish. Sasha, Nichole and Ian, this year's swim instructors, did a great job of keeping everyone safe in and out of the water.

Remember that if you still want to register for swimming lessons, you can find me week-day mornings at the swim dock between 9:30 and 10:00 a.m. Don't forget your medical number and memberships: Hope to see you all out for the 800 M on July 31st at 11 a.m.

Kate Giesbrecht

<b>Trophy winners:</b>		
Vanessa Johnson		2:11
John Hasenack		2:52
<b>Girls 10 &amp; Under:</b>		
First	Sarah Guest	5:01
Second	Whitney Groening Blanchard	5:02
Third	Emma Williams	5:12
<b>Boys 10 &amp; Under</b>		
First	Keenan Teghtsoonian	
<b>Girls 11 &amp; 12</b>		
First	Kendra Garagan	2:21
Second	Kathleen Ried	3:50
Third	Whitney Spangelo	4:10
<b>Boys 11 &amp; 12</b>		
First	Sam Anderson	5:21
Second	Cody Groening-Blanchard	5:28
Third	Sawyer Anderson	6:14
<b>Girls 13-17</b>		
First	Kaija Bailey	2:13
Second (Tie)	Amy Norquay	3:15
Second (Tie)	Katelin McGuffin	3:15
Third	Dana McMurray	3:57
<b>Boys 13-17</b>		
First-	Steve Rathwell	
<b>Women's 18-39</b>		
First-	Vanessa Johnson	2:11
Second	Lauren Norquay	3:21
<b>Men's 18-39</b>		
First-	John Hasenack	2:52
Second-	Jeff Swystun	4:11



The 200 metre swim trophy winner - John Hasenack and Vanessa Johnson

<b>Women's 40- 49</b>		
First	Shannon MacFarlane	4:15
<b>Men's 40-49</b>		
First	Gordon Filewych	3:15
Second	Jeff Blanchard	3:22
Third	Bob Sudermann	3:42
<b>Women's 50+</b>		
First-	Marte Bachynsk	4:32
<b>Men's 50+</b>		
First	Glen Booth	3:46

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## 2004 Victoria Beach Golf Course Rates

Manager: John Evans

## Memberships

	Seasonal	Monthly	Two Weeks
Family, Adult Couple	\$275.00	\$185.00	\$115.00
Single Adult	190.00	115.00	80.00
Junior 13-17	115.00	75.00	70.00
Child, 12 & under	85.00	55.00	50.00
2 or more children, same family (12 & under)	125.00	85.00	75.00

## Green Fees

9 holes	Weekdays - \$8.00	Weekends - \$8.50
	Children - \$1.00/round (10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. on Tuesdays only)	

## Lockers

	Lower Locked	Upper Locked	Lower, Open	Upper, Open
Seasonal	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$20.00
Monthly			\$20.00	\$15.00
Daily - \$2.00				

\*All above memberships include GET - Children 12 & under may not tee-off Saturday, Sunday or holidays and after 10:00 a.m. and must be accompanied by an adult.



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You will have another opportunity at the Ladies Golf Tournament Wednesday, July 28 at the golf course. Pre-ordered sets will be available after the August Long Weekend.

All proceeds go to the Victoria Beach Club. Don't be disappointed . . . they are going fast!

Trish Rathwell: 756-8274  
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**Junior Achievement News**

This week students aged 11 to 14 took part in Dollars with Sense, a program that teaches about investment, financial literacy, and proper money management. Congratulations to the students who completed the program! Also this week was the kickoff event for the programs. The participants and their families gathered at the Moonlight Inn for a night of pizza and games, winning many prizes and having lots of fun!

The upcoming program is the Economics of Staying in School. This program allows young adults aged 12 to 15 to plan their future and determine exactly how much education is required for them to attain their long-term goals. We are still looking for students to take part in this program, and for a volunteer to deliver it. Anyone interested can contact me at 756-2818 or at 956-6085 in Winnipeg.

Thank you to our major sponsors: Edmond Financial Group and Montrose Mortgage, and to ENSIS Growth Fund, our Dollars with Sense sponsor.

Junior Achievement programs would not be possible without the generous support of our corporate community.



**BASEBALL  
TOURNAMENT**

In Support of  
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Saturday, July 31st and  
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Victoria Beach Sports Field

Entry Fee: \$120.00 per team  
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- E2 6 Tickets to "ALICE COOPER"  
Dinner for 6 at KELSEY'S RESTAURANT, Polo Park
- E3 6 Tickets in a Private Box at a WPG GOLDEN EYES GAME  
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- E4 6 Tickets to "WPG BLUE BOMBERS" Game  
1 Night Stay at Polo Park Inn  
Dinner for 6 at ARYXIS RESTAURANT
- E5 4 Tickets to "SARAH MILACHILAN  
Sunday, September 5 WPN Arena
- E6 6 Rib Dinners at SILVER HEIGHTS RESTAURANT
- E7 CHAMPAGNE FLIGHT in a HOT AIR BALLOON for 2  
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*Lots More Door Prizes To Be Given Out  
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## Tennis Round Robin Results

### Monday, July 12th/04 - Adult Round Robin

1st- Vic Garden/Amanda Heffelfinger	80%
2nd-Glen Booth/Maureen Neuendorff	60%
3rd-Arroll Stewart/Peter Duke	56%

### Tuesday, July 13th/04 - Teen Round Robin

#### A-Side

1st-Alex Lesiuk/Luke Picking	85%
2nd-Sean Bailey/Colin Russell	70%
3rd-Max Gooding/Alex Forsythe	63%

#### B-Side

1st-(Tie): Emily Keating/Erika Frederick	81%
Sara Schmidt/Katrina	
2nd-Davis Heirsch/Alana Doel	68%
3rd- Danny Sisler/Brendan Nerfa	63%

### Friday, July 16th/04 - Adult Round Robin

1st-Glenn Booth/ Elizabeth Booth	75%
2nd-Ruby Garden/ Gail Henderson	70%
3rd-Steve Cook/ Barb Sudermann	68%

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The Library, during regular hours . . . and at the Tennis Courts.

Memberships are available for a week; two weeks; three weeks, etc.

The many VB Club activities cost a great deal of money to operate. Through your membership, you are contributing to the continuation of these programs. Even if you don't participate in any of the activities, your financial support also helps fund the publication of this community newspaper - The Herald.

Your membership or donation is greatly appreciated.

Please note that your child will be asked to show his/her membership wristband at the various activities throughout the summer.

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