

Local resident discovered to be long-time American fugitive



Police photo

By JENNIFER PAIGE

A local woman living in Minnedosa was recently discovered to be a long-time American fugitive, evading criminal charges for the past 16 years.

Known in town as Jean McPherson, Jean Terese Keating has been a wanted fugitive in the state of Oregon since 1998.

On April 13, 1997, Keating, who was 38 years-old at the time, was driving under the influence with her two small children and caused a fatal car accident which killed 65-year-old, Jewel Anderson.

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READY TO ROCK!

By DARRYL HOLYK

The tenth year of Minnedosa’s annual August long weekend music festival as a non-profit co-operative is set to kick off today with anticipation for the best three days Rockin’ the Fields has had. After two previous failed attempts at festivals at the local rock site, the current rendition of the festival has found its niche and as their slogan says, Rockin’ the Fields is “solid as a rock”.

With humble beginnings to keep the rock festival going in Minnedosa, Rockin’ the Fields has experienced continual growth since its first festival back in 2004.

“We’ve grown in baby steps and it’s been fabulous,” said festival promoter, Tom Crook. “We have a great board of directors. They stick to the budget and that’s one of the main reasons we have survived ten years. We’ve been able to increase the budget a little more every year.”

As a result of this, annual improvements are made to the site and bigger name acts are booked.

“Last year we had one of the biggest bands we’ve ever had as Rockin’ the Fields with *Finger Eleven*. This year, we have *Theory of a Dead Man* so we’re slowly getting there.” Other big name acts scheduled to appear this weekend include *The Trews*, *Big Wreck*,



Photo by Darryl Holyk

(L-R) RFM President, Darcy Bialas; Director in Charge of Site, Barry Coutts and Lead Hand, Blaine Instance are pictured with the reclaimed Bombers seats recently installed in the main concert bowl.

Trooper, *Monster Truck*, *One Bad Son*, *Starship* featuring *Mickey Thomas* and *The Headpins*. A number of other bands will also be appearing on the secondary stages.

Two years ago saw the return of the big main stage at the bottom of the concert bowl. This was a huge step

forward for RFM and was a goal of organizers right from day one. “I think that paid off and people are seeing the hard work that is going into this,” said Tom.

Regulars attending this year’s festival will see some welcome improvements to the concert bowl with the installation of blue

flip seats, which RFM was able to acquire from the old Bombers stadium in Winnipeg.

Thanks to Marty McNabb and the Winnipeg Blue Bombers, RFM was able to take a crew into Winnipeg earlier this year to remove some of the seats for use at the rock

site. “This year we have installed 198 flip seats which will be great for the rockers who want to sit down, take a load off and enjoy the show,” mentioned RFM President, Darcy Bialas.

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WELCOME RODEO AND ROCKIN’ THE FIELDS FANS!



Enjoy your August long weeknd in friendly Minnedosa!



Maxine Woodcock new Services to Seniors Coordinator



Photo by Darryl Holyk

A month into her new position as Services to Seniors Coordinator, Maxine Woodcock is looking forward to new programs and opportunities that are available to seniors in the community.

By SARAH DALRYMPLE

As of July 2nd, Maxine Woodcock has taken up the role of Resource Coordinator for Minnedosa

and District Services to Seniors. “I look forward to working with seniors and those with disabilities. I plan to offer information sessions and workshops

on various topics of interest, to the community as a whole. We have an open door policy, so I look forward to meeting and working with everyone.” Maxine

commented. Her office is located on the main floor of the Town View Manor and is open Monday through Friday.

Minnedosa and District Services to Senior (MDSS) is an organization that supports seniors in the Town of Minnedosa, R.M. of Odanah, R.M. of Minto, and the northern part of the R.M. of Saskatchewan. It is funded through the Prairie Mountain Health Authority and governed by a Board of Directors that aim to maintain a seniors’

independence.

According to Maxine, “My role as Resource Coordinator is to coordinate services to help seniors maintain independent living. I will be recruiting service providers such as drivers, those who will do cleaning, help with shopping, laundry, errands, etc. and matching them with clients needing a helping hand.”

MDSS also has an equipment lending program for tub chairs, walkers, and canes in addition to three congregate meals

served at the Town View Manor three times a per week. At the beginning of August, Maxine will begin training with Victoria Lifeline to provide seniors with more safety. This program offers help at the touch of a button.

As for right now, “I am in the process of updating the list of housing available to seniors in Minnedosa. This means a list of prospective apartments, condos, etc.” Maxine announced.

Mavericks in semi finals



File photo

By DARRYL HOLYK

This weekend, the Minnedosa Mavericks will represent the Santa Clara Baseball League at the AA Provincial tournament in Hamiota. The Mavericks are up against seven other “best of” teams from around the province.

Our local team has had another successful year defending its seven

year run as Santa Clara League Champions. The Mavericks closed out the regular season with 11 wins and two losses and are now moving on to the semi finals from a successful quarter final run. The Mavericks next game will be against the Portage Padres and fans can expect a home game here in Minnedosa next week, although the date of that

game was not determined at press time.

After a long run under the coaching guidance of Orville Madill, the Mavericks are now coached by Jay Klym and appear to be continuing their string of baseball athletic strength. Good luck to the Mavericks in the upcoming provincial tournament and semi-final games!

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RFM ten years strong and growing

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Additional flip seats are planned to be installed in the year's ahead. Along with the flip seats, bench seating in the concert bowl provides seating for 600 people. "This year, we can seat 800 people easily," mentioned Darcy.

Another addition to the concert bowl is a permanent handicap deck located at the top centre of the concert bowl. Measuring 16 feet by 16 feet, this deck not only provides a great

view of the main stage but also the secondary stage (the former Main Stage) and the smaller stage area which is located where the previous secondary stage once was.

Pulling off a festival of this magnitude takes months of hard work and planning as well as an army of volunteers. RFM is fortunate to have secured the trust of local volunteers which are rewarded with a portion of the weekends' profits. Since RFM began, local service clubs have received approximately

\$175,000 from the festival. All of these funds go back into the community.

"This couldn't be done without our volunteers. It's turned into a great community event and people realize that and come out here and help. It makes all the difference in the world," mentioned Tom.

Organizers estimate in excess of 250 volunteers are involved with the Rockin' the Fields weekend. This number does not include the numerous volunteers who lend a helping hand or a strong back

before and after the festival, assisting with the set-up, teardown and cleanup of the site.

Gates for this year's festival opened Thursday at noon and at press time Wednesday tickets were still available. "We're ahead of last year and we expect a huge number of walk-up as well," said Tom. "That is dependent on the weather but it's looking like it's going to be a nice weekend so it should be a great party."

Campground A has been completely sold out with about 50% of Campground B also booked. This is an increase from previous years. Last year, there was some overflow into Campground B but only three or four campers.

With the nights filled with music, new daytime activities have been added to provide more options for rockers looking for something to do during the day. The annual beach volleyball tournament returns and other daytime events

will include afternoon music at the small stage under the tent, a scavenger hunt, a rock trivia contest and Texas Hold-em poker tournament. The best decorated campsite contest is also returning this year with some great prizes available.

The land which is now occupied by the RFM site is owned by Ted and Diana Clarke. Back in 1995 when planning for the first Classic Rock was underway, the Clarke's offered 17 acres of their land with the rental fee being the annual property taxes. Ted and Diana are happy to see the site still being used and are impressed with the growth Rockin' the Fields has experienced in the past decade.

"This all started back in 1996 and back then it might have been a little bit bigger but certainly wasn't as much fun as it is now," said Ted. "These volunteers are doing just a great job out here."

Fans may recall see-

ing Ted roaming the site on horseback throughout the weekend. This year, due to a recent health issue, Ted will not be on horseback but is looking forward to joining in the party and wheeling around the site soaking up all the fun and music RFM brings to the property what was formerly his pasture.

RFM is ten years strong and still rocking on and from the growth and improvements experienced over the years, this festival has a bright future in our community. Party on rock fans!

Where's Subway?

By DARRYL HOLYK

A few months ago, it was announced that SUBWAY® would be opening in the former Chicken Delight/Valley Cache building on the east side of Main Street. At that time, the anticipated date for opening was Fun Fest weekend. That weekend has come and gone and no SUBWAY®, so, what's happening?

Owner Ash Patel has confirmed that SUBWAY® will be opening in Minnedosa later this year. After some delays, the required building permits

and approvals for renovations have been secured. Construction is hoped to begin within the next two weeks. He is also waiting for the necessary equipment to be dispatched from SUBWAY® headquarters.

If all goes as planned, the Minnedosa SUBWAY® location is now anticipating an opening date sometime in mid September.

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VIEWPOINT

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WE'RE BACK...

After a much needed, one week vacation, *The Tribune* staff is back at it slaving away in the back shop. And when I say slaving, I truly mean slaving! It has been quite the week to come back as we began the week with only half of our regular staff able to be here. This temporary staff shortage certainly left us feeling the strain. It's a little hectic when there are only two people to fill four positions, make a 20-page newspaper along with printing and folding thousands of Rockin' the Fields and Rodeo programs, along with other print jobs and office duties. Somehow, we got it done! Hopefully, by the time you are reading this, we are back to a full compliment of staff.

OUR NEW REPORTER...

Mid week, we welcomed Jennifer Paige as *The Tribune's* new reporter/photographer. We are grateful to have Jennifer on staff and look forward to what she brings to this newspaper. She comes to us with a great deal of past experience with other publications as a feature writer, editor and production assistant.

BUSY WEEKEND AHEAD...

The August long weekend has arrived and for Minnedosa that means a busy weekend with lots to do for rock and rodeo fans with the return of Rockin' the Fields of Minnedosa and the Minnedosa Rodeo. This year, RFM is celebrating its 10th anniversary as a non-profit co-operative and the rodeo is hot off the heels of being named last year's Heartland Rodeo Association's Rodeo of the Year (for a second time in its short history!) Many months of hard work, sweat and volunteer time go into the organization of these two events and I would like to personally congratulate everyone who has a hand in bringing these two August long weekend attractions to our community. Your hard work draws people from near and far, supports our local economy and boosts our tourism profile!

Falling between the cracks

By ELISSA L.
Edmonton, AB

Do you know what it's like when everything you do, everyday is hard? To be searching your mind for childhood memories and find only black holes? Or to suffer from debilitating migraines almost every day? July 14th, 2013 marked the five year anniversary of my battle. Fighting to be me again, to be "normal", to receive support with my challenges and all around fighting for my life. Here's my story:

On July 14th, 2008 I was a passenger in a vehicle "t-boned" by a semi that had run a red light. My lungs collapsed and I was knocked unconscious instantly. The first responders to the accident incubated and got me off to the hospital where doctors told my family that due to the brain bleeds and swelling I likely would not survive. Well, it turns out they were wrong. I woke from the coma just in time to celebrate my 20th birthday on July 20th, 2008. Since this time, I have struggled to regain both cognitive and physical functioning. I remember being in the hospital and having to really concentrate on getting the timing of breathing and swallowing right so that I didn't choke on my food. I still mess this up sometimes.

Today, I am working part-time during the summer as a Child Development Worker and pursuing a degree during the school year. If all goes as planned, I will be graduating from university in December with my elementary B. Ed. Minor in Special Education.

To most, I appear "normal" but don't let that fool you. I've spent a good part of the last five years hiding the difficulties in hopes of one day finding myself again and pushing my limits physically, mentally and emotionally to be the best I can be. It's hard living with a personality and challenges you don't recognize.

I'm writing to tell my story because there's a dark side I believe people should be aware of. This accident took place in Winnipeg, MB; a province with no-fault public insurance. This really isn't a good combination when it comes to personal injuries, especially brain injuries such as mine where the full cognitive damage is difficult to measure. Since the car accident I have been struggling with Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation (MPIC), to

get help and support, with very minimal success. The maximum entitlement for permanent impairment in 2008 was approximately \$133,000, and to date, MPIC has calculated my total entitlement be \$21,295.84. This includes a 5% rating for the most severe level of concussion or loss of consciousness allowed, 5% for my loss of cognitive function and 2% for the largest of the brain bleeds in my left cerebral hemisphere.

Given the most recent information on both long and short term effects of brain injury and concussion particularly on a youthful brain this settlement seems sadly inadequate. The insurance plan is also supposed to provide income replacement while you recover from your injuries but this has proven to be extremely inadequate and an endless battle of letter writing, appeals and meetings that have provided little. Most of the doctors' recommendations have been ignored or I've been given excuses that are not only ridiculous but insulting. Excuses that imply I'm not damaged enough to deserve help, my anxiety is caused from a romantic break-up two years after the accident or even that the reason I struggle is because I live too far away from my family.

I paid for insurance and assumed that should the worst happen, my family and I shouldn't be made to carry the bulk of the burden alone. Where are you now MPIC? I can't adequately function in an "average" life, I can't sue and I can't seem to get the support I need from you; so what now? It frightens me to think about where I would be today without the amazing support of my family, friends, doctors and teachers.

This letter is being sent across Canada because although this accident took place in Manitoba, I don't believe I can be the only one in the country fighting a battle like this. This situation is wrong and Canadians deserve to know the injustice that's taking place in our country.

There was nothing special about me, it could just as easily have been you in that car that day. Some people will think that I should "just be thankful that I'm alive today" but to that I say, "No, this is MY life." As far as I know, I only get one so I deserve the chance to LIVE it. I will not settle for just getting by with "Good enough"!

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Canada

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

On July 4th, River East MLA Bonnie Mitchellson introduced a resolution in the legislature that called on the NDP to provide the necessary supports for Manitoba families seeking any form of autism treatment. More and more children are being diagnosed with Autism in Manitoba and families are increasingly unable to access effective therapies that treat autism.

One of those therapies is Applied Behavioral Analysis or ABA. The outcomes of children with autism who undergo this treatment are nothing short of remarkable. A recent study by the St. Amant Centre outlined that after only one year of this therapy communication skills improved by 166 percent, social skills by 130 percent and adaptive skills by 67 percent.

Just prior to the 2011 election the NDP released a policy statement on Autism called *Thrive!* In that document, the government made a commitment to eliminate wait-lists for ABA therapy, provide “booster” sessions for

families that need them and provide support after a child has completed the ABA program by Grade 5.

The government did not live up to that policy statement on this issue, and that amounts to nothing more than another in a series of broken promises. This hurts the very Manitobans who need the most help; yet another example of the NDP taking Manitobans for granted.

There are currently 62 children on a wait-list for pre-school-aged therapy and that number is growing every day. There are two very serious problems with this situation. First, autism specialists note the importance of early intervention. Second, if a child does not receive pre-school ABA treatment they are ineligible for school-aged services.

Currently there are nine children in Manitoba who have received NO treatment because they have aged-out of eligibility and 20 more are set to age-out by September.

I don’t agree with much that the government says or does these days but I will share a few comments from a debate in the Legislature that I

do agree with. On July 4, the Minister of Family Services Jennifer Howard, said: “We need to provide better training and better tools for parents.” Minister of Education Nancy Allan added: “We believe that providing services for families with Autism is important.” Minister of Children and Youth Opportunities Kevin Chief said: “Is there more to do – yes.” Minister of Entrepreneurship Training and Trade Peter Bjornson said: “There is more we can do to support families with children with Autism.”

During the July 4th debate, this government’s arrogance was in full view and worse yet, the government had no problem lying on the record. For example, Bjornson said the government had: “re-structured ABA programming at St. Amant (Centre) to promote a more flexible service model...and has increased the number of ABA Spaces.”

The facts tell a different story – indeed there was a restructuring of the programming which resulted in increased spaces but this restructuring was done in partnership between the St. Amant Cen-

tre and a parental advocacy group called Manitoba Families for Effective Autism Treatment.

Bjornson also said the government’s support for ABA has increased by 36 percent since 2008. Strangely, this contradicts the claims of both Howard and Allan, who says funding has risen 35 percent. Which is it?

The facts tell a different story. In fact no new money has been invested into the ABA program since the release of the government’s pre-election promise 2011, which was clearly a promise simply meant to placate thousands of Manitobans before an election.

This is not an issue of money; this is an issue of choices. Being in government is about choices. Allocating dollars to support your political party rather than supporting Manitobans with Autism is the wrong choice. I think it’s time to change the ones making the choices.

Leanne Rowat,

MLA for Riding Mountain
PC Critic for Family Services



2003 – A 40-foot high white medal cross, with a 20-foot horizontal arm has been erected at the Little River Rock-fest site. The cross was donated to Little River Faithfest by a number of Westman companies.

1993 – A sixteen-year-old driver suffered two fractures in her left eye socket and a broken nose after being struck by a water filled balloon which was thrown through her car window as she drove along the Beach Road neat the cemetery junction. Three local men have been charged with aggravated assault.

1983 – A proposal from the Minnedosa Rotary Club to purchase a handivan has received approval from Town Council.

1973 – Mayor Joyce Stevenson and Agriculture Minister, Sam Uskiw signed an agreement for the extension and modernization of Minnedosa’s water and sewer facilities. The \$400,000 project will be equally cost shared by the Town and Province.

1963 – John Hnybida of Brandon very likely owes his life to Mrs. Ruth Williamoski and her assistant Raymond Orr. While swimming at Minnedosa Lake, about 30 yards from shore, John found himself in trouble when he got caught in a strong current. Ruth and Raymond came to his rescue and brought the visitor to shore.

1933 – The W.I. ladies from south of town held a very successful dance in Jas Stewart’s barn in aid of a ladies restroom for town.

1923 – The excavation is complete for the new school. Building will begin as soon as the lumber arrives.

1903 - P.H. Chipman of the Canadian Northern Land Department, has sold several lots in Clanwilliam at prices between \$100and \$150 each.

1893 – A severe storm blows out the front of P.J. McDermott’s store and smashes numerous windows in G.W. Beynon’s residence.

Letters to the Editor

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found travelling 153km/hr on Highway 16 near Minnedosa. An odor of alcohol was observed on his breath and he was detained for an impaired investigation. He blew a 24 hour suspension, and a sober passenger ended up driving the rest of the way home. But not before he was given his \$744.50 ticket for the excess speed. I wonder why the sober driver didn’t drive in the first place... Consequently due to the males 15 day suspension, he was later stopped at a check stop in Brandon on a different day and found with a suspended license. This 22-year-old will be without a license for a while if Manitoba Public Insurance has anything to say about it. That is for sure. So there it is. Another speeder of the week, plus a little extra.

Be safe. Enjoy the Rockin’ the Fields weekend here in town.



RCMP photo

Minor damage to the passenger side of one of the vehicles involved in the recent incident involving a semi trailer on Highway #16.

Greetings and welcome to the Cops Corner. Summer is flying by, and the mosquitos are flying high. Just thought I would create a rhyme this week to start off the column... keepin’ it fresh.

Officers responded to 59 calls for service this time around.

A camper trailer was on fire at a rest stop near Minnedosa, causing some alarm. Luckily there were no injuries, and no foul play suspected. The unit was hauled away to Brandon after the blaze was put out.

A multi-vehicle accident involving a semi-trailer occurred on Highway #16. Police responded to find no injuries, and mixed stories of the event. No charges were given, and as always it is good to see no injuries.

A police foot chase ended with a male being caught with a stolen stereo from a vehicle. The male was charged for the offence and will appear in court to face a judge on his charges. He and his friend were both charged with underage consumption of alcohol as well. The price of those two tickets totaled \$1347.30.

This week’s top money loser was drinking and driving as well. A male was stopped after he was

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will be receiving candidate registrations:

For the office of councillor for Ward 6: Between August 13, 2013 and August 19, 2013.

At the Rural Municipality of Saskatchewan office, 435 3rd Avenue during regular hours of business on Tuesdays through Fridays..

To obtain a registration form contact the S.E.O. at the number listed below or contact the municipal office at 204-826-2515.

Brenda Fansher
Senior Election Official
Rural Municipality of Saskatchewan
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Fax: 204-826-2274

Creating change through education

By SARAH DALRYMPLE

“Learning the way through truth” That is the motto that you can find on Nyenoweh-Eston Preparatory School in Liberia, West Africa. Minnedosa has been increasingly involved in spreading the right to education, which something that we take for granted every day. Victoria Wollie was a living reminder of this fact.

After arriving in Canada on June 24th, she has been busy traveling from Winnipeg to Eston, and finally to Minnedosa. However, this is not her first trip out to our neck of the woods. She also came in 2009 on a tour with the Canadian Food Grains Bank. During this time she inspired a small group of people in Eston to help her fundraise enough money to start a children’s school. After 4 years, the first floor of the school had been built and over 64 students have been registered. However, the school is not yet self-sufficient and there are plans to add on a second floor for Grades 3-6.

Victoria is from the province of Liberia in West Africa. This country was founded in 1847 and was the first country in Africa to gain independence. Freed slaves from the United States came to this

area to settle after the slave trade was abolished. Tensions soon arose between the people that had received education in America and the uneducated travelers that had settled in this region. By 1980, a militia had developed to overthrow the government because the Militia felt like they were treated poorly compared to those that had been educated before arrival. After the government was overthrown, people realized that the new force controlling Liberia was much worse than the previous government. By 1985, the entire country was involved.

The militia often used the influence of child soldiers and would kill anyone that opposed them. Realizing it was not safe in Liberia, Victoria headed to the nearest border with her four children in tow. Along the way she was joined by 9 other children that she now considers her own. “I was working as a finance manager for a flight company at the time of the war. Everything was destroyed so that we could not communicate to people outside of the country. So our family decided that we had to get to a different country. We walked through the bushes, for days, and were just walking towards some border in order to find

peace where we wouldn’t be killed,” Victoria explained.

Because of the war, the people were not able to find food to eat. Victoria used her experience as a finance manager in the Refugee Camp to find funding for food through the Canadian Food Grains Bank. That is how she met the people of Eston and Minnedosa. Shortly after the war, she began to realize that education could solve many of the problems that they faced in

the near future. With this ambition in mind, she was able to receive enough funding for part one of her idea. The school opened on September 9th, 2012 and includes an administrative office, a feeding program, a productive environment, library materials, and a nurse for first aid purposes.

The feeding program is a unique aspect in this school that no others have. Children are usually only allowed one meal a day at home. In order to help

the kids to learn better, Victoria provides the students with two meals at school.

75% of the members at the school are girls. Girls are often not allowed to go to school in favor of their brothers. The scholarship program helps to assist girls so that they can attend school as well as boys.

In the future, Victoria will face the challenges of sustaining the scholarship program and the feeding program. Only some of the families can afford the small tuition fee. “We

go door to door to try to convince the parents that children would do better at school than at home. Sometimes we have to beg them to let the girls come to school as it affects their home life.” The government will not award funding for Victoria’s school until the school has been functioning for five years. Until then, Victoria will have to face the challenges of sustaining the feeding program and the various scholarships on her own. Victoria’s flight back to Liberia left on July 10th.

Senior Ladies and Men’s Open results

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The Senior Ladies Open was held at Minnedosa Golf and Country Club on Wednesday, July 17th. Participating were 95 players of which 68 were non-members of the local golf club.

In the Championship Flight, first went to Giselle Sayer with 89 (CB), second went to Sherril Flick with 89 (CB) and third went to Janice Meadows with 93 (CB).

First Flight winners were Diane Wahl in first, Charlotte Evanyshyn in second and Pam Lewis in third. All three scored 100 (CB).

In Second Flight, first went to Gladys Rea with 107 (CB), second went to Brenda Ardron with 107 (CB) and third went to Joleen Patterson with 108 (CB).

Third Flight results include Grace Lampard in first with 115 (CB), Gwen Hoffman in second with 115 (CB), and Karen Parenteau in third with 115 (CB).

In the Fourth Flight, Lucille Johnson was first, Anne Reid second and Dennise Dyck third. All three

had a score of 120 (CB).

The Men’s Open was held at the Minnedosa Golf Club on Sunday, July 21st with 66 players registered, 36 of which were non-members.

In the Championship Flight, Dale Coulter earned first place with 74. In second place was Tyler Turner with 75 (CB) and in third was Andrew Oakden with 75 (CB).

First Flight results included Reid Hunter in first with 82 (CB), Dan Bailey in second with 82 (CB) and Lloyd Ferguson in third with 83.

For Second Flight, Dan Johnson was first with 89 followed by Dave Johnston in second with 90 (CB) and Scott Lancaster in third with 90 (CB).

In the Third Flight first went to Braden DeMontigny with 96. Second place went to Rick Saler with 97 (CB) and third place went to Len Kenler with 97 (CB). Longest Drive went to Myles Lawrence on #4.

Myles also earned Closest to the Hole on #12, as did Mel Loewen on #5.

Longest Drive went to Dean Oakden on #15.

Water Testing Day

August 12th, 2013

ATTENTION: Residents in the R.M.'s of Blanshard, Daly, Harrison, Park, Saskatchewan, Strathclair, and the parts of Clanwilliam, Minto, Odanah, Rosedale within the LSRCD and the Towns of Erickson, Minnedosa, Rapid City and Rivers.

The Little Saskatchewan River Conservation District will be coordinating a well water testing day for these residents on August 12th, 2013. All shipping costs will be covered by the District. Three different tests are offered.

Test #1: \$23.00 - total coliform and E.coli
Test #2: \$47.00 - total coliform, E.coli and nitrate/nitrite
Test #3: \$93.00 - total coliform, E.coli, nitrate/nitrite, calcium, magnesium, sodium, hardness, potassium, manganese, copper, iron, zinc, chloride, sulphate, conductivity, pH

Pick up sample bottles at the following locations **before Monday, August 12th, 2013.**

Rivers – R.M. of Daly office
Oak River – Little Saskatchewan River Conservation District office
Strathclair – R.M. of Strathclair office
Elphinstone - Hilltop Groceteria & Gas
Newdale – R.M. of Harrison office
Sandy Lake - Heritage Co-op Grocery Store
Rapid City - Town of Rapid City office
Minnedosa - Manitoba Agriculture Food & Rural Initiatives office
Erickson – R.M. of Clanwilliam office
Onanole – R.M. of Park office

Please mark your calendars as we will **ONLY ACCEPT SAMPLES** on the morning of **MONDAY, AUGUST 12TH, 2013** from 9:00 A.M. TO 11:30 P.M.

Drop Off locations will be included in the sample bottle packages.
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SANDY LAKE NEWS

By DIANE BACHEWICH

Glad to see Francis Kuzmak home from Brandon Regional Hospital and doing much better after her knee surgery.

Visiting with Sadie Prokopchuk were her daughter Sandra and granddaughter Taylor of Moose Jaw, SK.

A large family gathering attended the Sichewski-Stasiuk family reunion held at the Sandy Lake Rec Centre on the July 20th weekend.

A baby shower for little Brielle Antonation held on the afternoon of Sunday, July 21st at the Drop-in Centre was well attended.

Bev Marchischuk had her nephew Dennis and Eva Wahasko of Salmon Arm, BC visiting with her.

The Communities in Bloom held their annual BBQ supper on Friday, July 19th at the outdoor kitchen.

Happy Birthday to Lorrie Lewandoski who treated everyone at the Drop-in Centre to birthday cake, ice cream and saskatoons which he picked of this Saskatoon

tree.

Gloria Campbell and Janice Duchominsky travelled to Medicine Hat, AB to Pick up her two grandchildren and take them to Reston, MB to pick up two more grandkids. Gloria has four little ones from ages two to six years holidaying and keeping grandma Glo a hopping-happily.

Saturday was a busy day here with the celebration of Heritage Days. It started with the delicious fried bread at the outdoor kitchen. Then at the fire hall were demonstrations of Ukrainian Easter egg painting by Lisa Rystephanuk, rope making by Anthony Rystephanuk, paper flowers of roses, carnations and lily's by Helen Derhak, wheat weaving by Darcy Rystephanuk and cross stitching by Ovia Bachewich. Lorrie Lewandoski was in charge of the clay hut and explaining all the details about it. Speeches and greetings were given by Helen Lewandoski, Robert Sopuck, Murray Davies and Doreen Stapleton. It was nice to see so many volunteers helping out for this event.

The infant daughter of Chad and Melissa Davies was honoured with a baby shower on Friday evening at the Drop-in Centre. It was well attended.

Janice Duchominsky and Jean Derhak were out for a few days, but unfortunately Jean was taken back by son John Antonation when she was called for an emergency eye surgery. Speedy recovery and hope everything went well. Janice stayed back for a holiday.

The Legion Men's monthly 50/50 draw for the month of July was won by Anne Huculak.

The family of Gerald Ryback helped him celebrate his 74th birthday on Sunday, July 28th. Birthday cake and coffee were they treat for everyone present.

Jennie Coulson of Dauphin, MB spent the day with Helen Derhack on Monday.

Congratulations to Pam Spitula and Graham Fediuk who were married in Winnipeg on Saturday, July 27th. Pam is the daughter of Ennis and Debbie Spitula.

On July 21st and 22nd

some 60 descendants of the late Tom and Ann Buhay held a family reunion at the farm yard of Gerald and Gladys Ryback at Lake Audy. There were 17 children under the age of seven present.

Dennis and LaVerne Lewandoski of Fort McMurray are spending part of the summer here at their cabin.

Helen Quелlette and son of Cold Lake, AB called in for a surprise visit with Diane Bachewich. Also spending the weekend with Diane were neice Shelly, Carlin and Victoria Bedrey of Vanscoy, SK. They also attended the Spitula-Stasiuk reunion.

Walter Prokopchuk of Vancouver is presently spending a month with sister Elsie Spitula.

Kathy and Brian Bragg of Sherwood Park, AB are spending a few days with mom Sadie Rystephanuk and attended the Spitula-Fediuk wedding in Winnipeg.

On July 26th and 27th, once again Gerald and Gladys Ryback of Lake Audy hosted a family reunion on the Ryback side. It was the first time some of the cousins from Chicago, US have met and were never out in this part of the country.

Leonard and Pam Lewandoski held a great get

together, old fashioned BBQ supper at the North Hall for family and close friends. Also, we got to meet their future son-in-law Tom, fiancé of daughter Ayn's. A good fellowship was held by all.

Wayne and Rebecca Lewandoski and children Max and Isabella of Winnipeg are holidaying for the past three weeks here at the lake.

Bill Shurvell of Kamloops, BC and Betty Ross of Toronto, ON and Dennis Shurvell and Bryan Sieben of Calgary, AB spent a few days visiting with Earle and Marcia Shurvell and the rest of the family.

Glass Tiger in Free Outdoor Concert at Riding Mountain National Park



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Riding Mountain National Park (RMNP) is celebrating its 80th anniversary in true 80s style! On Saturday, August 24th, Juno Award winners Glass Tiger will headline this year's free outdoor concert!

The 80s? Yeah, why not? Whether you are reliving past "glory days" or checking out the retro style of your parents' era, this event will be entertaining for everyone with classic hits from Glass Tiger like "Don't Forget Me When I'm Gone," "Thin Red Line" and "Someday".

Opening act Jess Moskaluke, Saskatchewan's CMA 2013 Female Vocalist of the Year, is a young up and coming singer songwriter from Langenburg, Saskatchewan. From her breakout single, "Catch Me If You Can," to her new-

est entry onto the charts, "Hit and Run," Moskaluke is making a name for herself in the Country Music world with her sassy, confident voice and her no holds barred lyrics.

"Live entertainment and special events continue to be a park summer tradition," said Acting Park Superintendent Richard Dupuis. "As we continue to work with our partners and bring new experiences to our visitors, Parks Canada's goal is to offer outstanding experiences that connect people to our parks in new ways. Our visitors will be able to enjoy music in a casual concert setting and there is plenty of open space for them to set up their lawn chairs for an unobstructed view of the stage in Manitoba's premier tourism destination."

In addition to the concert, visitors will be able to

take in various activities throughout the day. The Wasagaming Chamber of Commerce will host the ever popular Boo in the Park, the annual warm up for Halloween which gives the park's youngest visitors a chance to go trick-or-treating and take part in several spooky activities.

This year visitors can experience the new Parks Canada Zone. This popular activity area features many learning and entertaining activities for anyone curious about nature and conservation. There will also be an oTENTik open house for those who have not yet seen this cozy and hassle-free addition to the menu of options available at the Wasagaming Campground.

The concert is targeted to appeal to all ages. Regular park entry fees will apply for the weekend.

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NEWDALE NEWS

By RAVEN’S GLEN WI

Many from town enjoyed the annual Strathclair Fair on July 16th, starting with the pancake breakfast, parade, displays and then listening to the mellow tunes provided by Corrine Mervyn, who entertained in the rink in the afternoon. Special guests joining Corinne on stage were her Dad, Murray Mervyn on guitar and Zack Koscielny on violin. A cold plate supper and ball games ended the day. Shirley Pederson had her Normal School friend Fern Dzaman, from Denver Colorado visiting her for several days in July.

While here Fern and Shirley attended the 50th Anniversary of Georgina and Albert McEvoy of Alexander, held in Brandon. Fern is a cousin of Georgina’s. Shirley then drove her to her sister, Hollis Stewart’s home in Miniota, where Fern visited for several days before heading home to Denver. Also, Marilyn and Arnold Grambo of Brandon stopped to visit Shirley on their way home from attending a Hudson Bay Route meeting in Saskatchewan recently. Ralph and Shirley Pedersen and 190 family members attended the Stasiuk Family Reunion held in Sandy Lake Curling

Rink on July 20th. Their daughter Gwen has spent many hours over several years, compiling the Stasiuk family history and spearheading this reunion with help from many family members. Congratulations to the Oak River Bantam AA ball team on winning the Baseball Manitoba Bantam AA Championship July 20-21st. They beat Pilot Mound in the final 8-1 and went undefeated through the round robin games. This qualifies them to play in the Western Canadian Championships in Swift Current in August. Team members from Newdale were Eric Lamb and Rudy

Pederson. Best of luck! The Strathclair Mosquito AA ball team played in Morden on July 20th at the Mosquito AA Championship, 15 team tournament, but came out on the short end of the four games they played. Newdale members were Tyler Dalke, Nathan Lamb, Kristi Morris and Ryan Pedersen. The Leisure Inn’s Dale and Melissa Smith, hosted the third annual “DALEFEST” on July 19 -20th. The Bad Marleys entertained on Friday night in the big tent and Saturday was “mud-bogging” day, with lawn mower races starting off, followed by Quad-

bogging, with all entries making it through in good time. This was followed by different classes of trucks, with some going through in great times and others needing a pull out! Having the time clock and an emcee made it much more fun for the fans. Mona Moyer, Parkland Seniors Co-ordinator took a group of Strathclair and Newdale seniors on the supper cruise on the Mar-tese at Clear Lake on July 29th. Tom and Marge (Sulymka) Robinson and their daughter Cathy visited with Ralph and Shirley Pedersen last week on their way home to Gimli, from visiting family in Saskatchewan. Welcome home to Gerald Watkins who has spent the last three weeks visiting a brother in Brampton, Ontario. It was nice to see Diane (Dymtar) Doerntlien from Calgary here visiting with Uncle John Dymterko, at Harrison House and her sister Brenda Passegger, for a few days last week. Grandson, Pat, Sherry and Carter Bradley of Winnipeg visited with Grandma, Eileen Bradley last weekend. They attended the Folk Festival in Brandon.

BASSWOOD NEWS

By ZELDA FIRBY

Deepest sympathy is extended to Isabella Proven and family and relatives on the passing of husband, father and grandfather Harold Proven of Onanole, MB. A memorial service was held on Saturday, July 27th in the valley at the residence of Dave Proven. Patricia Menzies spent two days in Winnipeg visiting her mother. She then flew to Edinburgh, Scotland where she spent three weeks. While in Edinburgh, she was able to take a three-day course in Elizabethan Embroidery. She then moved to London, England for three weeks – a thrill to be in London

for the Royal birth! She returned to Edmonton, AB on Sunday, July 28th. Recent visitors with Ron and Gaileen Kingdon were Jill Mills and Drayton of North Battleford, SK, Janna Kingdon of Winnipeg, MB and Graeme and Nakella Kingdon and Nora of Dauphin, MB. Marion Ogibowski and Ray, along with the Reis family of Winnipeg and the Terry McMillan family of Calgary AB attended the wedding of Brett Hextall in Bismark, ND on Friday, July 26th. Mac, Gordon and Cam Ross hosted a 25th wedding anniversary at the farm for their parents Barry and Johanne Ross on Saturday evening. Ron and Margaret Sweet and Marla Pearce and family have returned to their homes in Calgary, AB after spending a week with the Stan and Mark Firby’s. They were also here to attend the celebration of the marriage of Marvin Sillen and Grace Yerex in June. The celebration was held at their farm at Erickson on July 20th. Heather Emerson-Proven attended the wedding of a family friend in Winnipeg on Saturday in which Taryn and Rachel Luhowy were in the wedding party. Heather Emerson-Proven and Rachel Luhowy of Minnedosa spent a week recently in New York.

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Tenders will be publicly opened and read at the location, time and date specified above.

Tender documents may be obtained on or after **Tuesday, August 6th 2013** at the **Town of Minnedosa Civic Administration Office, 103 Main Street South, Minnedosa, MB, or at the offices of Associated Engineering, 203 Five Donald Street South, Winnipeg, MB, on deposit of a CERTIFIED CHEQUE in the amount of \$50.00** on each Tender. Deposit will be refunded only on (1) the submission of a bona fide tender or (2) the return of the tender documents within seven (7) days after tender closing in reusable condition.

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Moments in Riding Mountain: Death of a Tyrant



The cheeky pocket gopher can be difficult to deter.

By KEN KINGDON

There is jubilation in the Kingdon household today. Fireworks are exploding, the dog is doing cartwheels, and there is a perpetual ray of sunshine beaming down on our house. I even find myself humming a few bars of “ding dong, the witch is dead.”

These celebrations, akin to those experienced at the end of the Second World War in 1945, come from the death of a @#\$!% pocket gopher*. (*You’ll notice the @#\$!% modifier I am using on its name – this is deliberate, as this is a very specific subspecies

of pocket gopher known to inhabit my garden. Perhaps it lives in yours too).

They say war is hell, and from the skirmishes I have been involved in over the past week, I would have to agree. Sleepless nights, countless engagements with the enemy, feint and counter-feint, all adding up to a struggle that defines classic guerrilla warfare.

It all began when I noticed that something was killing my rhubarb. Are you kidding me??? Nothing kills rhubarb, or so I thought.

Evidently some agent of evil, a “mole” if you like, had infiltrated our happy

home and garden, and began its insidious task of rendering the population into a quivering mass of fear. Ok, perhaps I exaggerate, since a full 80% of the household population didn’t even know about the @#\$!% pocket gopher. But that didn’t stop the remaining 20% (me) from waging an epic battle for supremacy of the garden. For a while, I had nearly given up in despair, just like Vichy, France. I watched as 1/3 of my pea vines withered, their roots cut off from below. Next it was the garlic – whole plants disappeared overnight.

That’s when Sir Winston Churchill’s words “we shall not flag or fail” filled my thoughts. No, I would not give up. I would not allow the @#\$!% pocket gopher to win. I would step up my game. My weapon of choice? A rat trap.

Catching a @#\$!% pocket gopher is not easy. Finding its burrows is. The dirt mounds started showing up in rather discrete places – among the peas, under the rhubarb leaves. Walking in the garden was like walking in a minefield, as at any moment, you

could feel the ground shift below your feet as yet another tunnel collapsed.

This is where I centred my counter attack. I dug out various tunnels, laid my trap inside, and recovered the hole with straw and dirt. Alas, the @#\$!% pocket gopher was smart. Countless times I would return to find burrow and trap filled with soil.

It was only when I harkened back to the wise words of Ray Frey that I gained success. Veteran gopher trappers, the Freys happened to mention that to trap them, you have to set the trap at a 45 degree angle. Anything less would make the gopher fill the area with dirt.

This last time, a day that will go down in the annals of history, I placed my trap on a steep upward angle. I covered it with straw and soil. I went to bed. I woke up. I discovered the dead @#\$!% pocket gopher, killed instantly with a blow to the head. I celebrated.

Needless to say, my victory will be viewed by some as much ado about nothing. These critics, I surmise, have never done battle with the @#\$!%

pocket gopher. I am victorious, and to me go the spoils. Or at least the peas. Until another gopher shows up, of course.

NATURE NOTES:

Admittedly, I was a bit shocked by the response from my article on ticks. It never dawned on me that other people would view biting ticks as odd. The good news is that I have since heard of several other tick biters, although most are still in the closet. At least I know I am not alone. Fight on tick-biting brothers (and sisters, if there are any women who bite ticks).

And while we are on the subject of blood sucking invertebrates, this is the worst year for mosquitoes in the 15 years that we have lived at our current house.

However, in an effort to put a positive spin on the situation, let me say that I find this year’s mosquito populations “interesting”. “Interesting” in their abundance this year, and interesting that they are attacking us at high noon, on windy days, in the sunshine. You have to admire their persistence.

I have noticed that different species are now coming out of the woodwork. Big lazy mosquitoes have been replaced by little ones that seem to take pleasure in inducing as much pain as possible while drawing blood. Now there is concern about West Nile Virus.

It’s all very interesting, in a painful, miserable sort of way, but the only consolation is that September is only a month away.

New Business Directory available



By DARRYL HOLYK

Every two years, the Minnedosa Chamber of Commerce reprints the local business directory for businesses and residents. The 2013-2014 Business Directory is now complete and ready for distribution. This year’s directory features the name and phone numbers of all local Chamber members as well as other important contacts such as emergency numbers, school, churches and community halls.

The new business directory is available free of charge and can be picked up at the following locations; The Fashion House, Minnedosa Credit Union, The Minnedosa Tribune, RBC (Royal Bank), Burgess Quality Foods, Schimmel’s Bakery, Minnnedosa Pharmacy, Town of Minnedosa, R.M. of Minto/Odanah office, Minnedosa Insurance, John’s Tax Service, Heritage Co-op Food Market and the Community Development/BDO office.



NOTICE OF NOMINATIONS
RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF SASKATCHEWAN

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NOMINATIONS will be received for the offices of
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of the aforesaid Local Authority

The nomination deadline is August 19 at 4:00 p.m.
Nominations cannot be accepted after this day.

All nominations shall be made in writing and shall be signed by at least twenty-five electors, or NOT less than 1% of the electors (whichever is the lesser) of the authority or ward (as the case may be), but in all cases by at least two electors. Each nomination shall be accompanied by a written acceptance by the candidate and also by the candidate’s declaration of qualification.

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Dated at Rapid City in the Province of Manitoba this 30th day of July A.D. 2013.

Brenda Fansher
Senior Election Official
Rural Municipality of Saskatchewan
Phone: 204-826-2515
Fax: 204-826-2274



ADDITIONS TO THE VOTER’S LIST AND/OR
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RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF
SASKATCHEWAN

In accordance with Section 36 of the *Municipal Councils and School Boards Election Act* (MCSBEA), the Rural Municipality of Saskatchewan’s Voter’s List is open for changes or revisions at 435-3rd Avenue, Rapid City, MB Tuesday through Thursday on August 6th to 8th, 2013. At this time the Senior Election Official will be available to update the voter’s list.

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To implement the above, a written request must be submitted to the Senior Election Official, in person, by email, fax or mail to:

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435-3rd Ave., Box 9
Rapid City, MB
R0K 1W0

Phone: (204) 826-2515
Fax: (204) 826-2274
Email: rmsk@mts.net

A By-Election will take place in September, 2013

Brenda Fansher
Senior Election Official
Questions? Call (204) 826-2515

American fugitive located in Minnedosa

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Keating sideswiped Andersons vehicle on Interstate #5, near Albany, Oregon, causing Anderson to lose control of her vehicle and collide head-on with an oncoming vehicle. Anderson died at the scene and several other motorists involved experienced minor injuries.

Keating was indicted in Linn County on first-degree manslaughter, DUI, reckless driving and three counts of recklessly

endangering another person. However, in March 1998 with a pending trial Keatings lawyer lost all contact with her and the court issued a bench warrant for her arrest.

Authorities believe she crossed the Canadian border in 1998 with her two children, ages one and three.

Officials are unclear of the exact time or the details of Keatings entrance to Canada but explained that in the late 1990s it was unnecessary to produce passports upon border

crossing.

Keating proceeded to build a life with her two children and common-law husband, Leonard McPherson, on a farm near Minnedosa.

Authorities in Oregon continued to follow leads for several years in hopes of locating Keating to stand trial.

During her time in Manitoba, Keating had numerous run-ins with authorities, including a conviction for impaired driving. But, despite her encounters with

law enforcement she managed to keep her true identity a secret.

Sixteen years later and almost 3,000 km away, an investigator with Manitoba RCMPs Red River Integrated Border Enforcement Team received a tip that a local woman, who was originally from Oregon, was bragging at a bar about how she had escaped being prosecuted for a DUI wreck that killed a woman a number of years ago.

Manitoba RCMP contacted border officials which found that there was no Jean McPherson living as a legal immigrant in Canada.

Canadian authorities further identified Keating by tracing the finger prints and mug shot she

had earned in Canada with an American law enforcement database. Matching identification confirmed that Jean McPherson was in fact, Jean Terese Keating, the fugitive suspect in Andersons death.

Keating was arrested in Minnedosa on April 4th and was issued deportation documents two weeks later. She was detained in Winnipeg, MB, as a flight risk until June 12th where she was deported to North Dakota and barred from re-entering Canada.

Last week Keating returned to an Oregon court room where a judge set her bail at \$5 million. According to a motion filed in Linn County the District Attorney’s Office will be seeking an enhanced

sentence based on Keating fleeing the United States, evading arrest and because of her additional impaired driving arrests while in Canada under an assumed name.

Andersons family was relieved to hear that the fugitive had finally been captured and released a statement via the state police, “While there is no price to be put on repayment for taking a life, and it certainly won’t bring Jewel back, we are thankful that finally after 16 years of running, hiding and torment, our families will have some closure; knowing that Jean Teresa Keating is in custody and justice will be served.”

CADURCIS NEWS

By DOREEN TROTT

Congratulations to Candice Bramley and Tanner Babee who were married in Minnedosa on July 20th.

A number from the area attended the funeral for Harold Proven at David Proven’s farm in the valley. Our sympathy to Jane McKinnon on this passing of a cousin and to other members of the Proven family.

Condolences also to the extended Hales fam-

ily on the passing of Eva (Hales) Shelvey of Brandon, age 108.

Word has been received of the death of Arthur Lindenberg of Brandon. The Lindenberg family farmed where Ken and Sherrie Sharpe now reside and began their seed business on that land. They were very active in Cadurcis Church.

Jim and Nancy Greer entertained a large number of family, friends and neighbours at the farm on Sunday.

Mike, Maria, Rosemary and Jasper Lea of Winnipeg; Shirley Metcalfe of Brandon and Barry and June Humphries of Clanwilliam visited last week with Malcolm and Shirley Rose.

Donna and Tanya Northam and children Electra and Sam Bohner of Airdrie, AB visited last week with Don and Margaret Northam. Sam is remaining for a visit.

FRANKLIN NEWS

By BERYL PARROTT

Ron and Beryl Parrott visited Jim Parrott and Sally Sykes in Oshawa, ON and at the cottage at Glamour Lake, ON after spending two days in Thunder Bay due to the flood in the Toronto Airport.

We also visited Phyllis Williams in Gravenhurst, ON, Laura Parrott in Ottawa, saw the Parliament buildings etc and drove across the border into Gateneau, QC. Zachary Parrott and Sarah Ferencz met us at Pappa’s Restaurant on the “Danford” in Toronto on the 15th of July. On the 16th of July we visited with George and Beth Budd at Lakefield, ON. We saw the Locks on Fenelon Falls and the Lift Lock on the canal at Petersborough, ON.

The Henderson Fam-

ily held a Family Reunion at the Franklin Hall on the weekend of the 13th of July.

Dennis and Irene Magwood visited with Patrick, Leanne, Seth and Camryn Magwood at Rocky Rapids, AB recently.

Congratulations to

Darryl Holyk and Karen Dalgarno on their recent marriage. May you enjoy many happy years together.

Thought of the Day: “People with many interests live, not only longer, but happier.”



Minnedosa Lions Club Congratulations

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Uses for water from dehumidifiers

Solutions and Substitutions
By
REENA NERBAS



Dear Reena,
Being a bachelorette, I have several pizza restaurants on speed dial and when the pizza arrives, it often has a little plastic white table looking item in the centre of the pizza. Do you have any ideas as to how I can reuse these little pieces of plastic instead of throwing them out?

Candace

Dear Candace,
I know exactly what you are talking about, reuse them to keep plastic wrap off a frosted cake or similar food item if you're bringing it somewhere for a party and don't want to transport a reusable food

storage tub. Or use them for flower arranging, when using florist's oasis (oasis is the green foamy stuff they use). Stick it to the bottom of your container and it will stop the oasis from slipping. Florists often sell these items for this use.

Additional Comment: Many people assume that pizza boxes are recyclable because they are made from corrugated cardboard. However, what makes parts of them non-recyclable is what comes inside them, specifically, the grease and cheese from pizza. Food is one of the worst contaminants in the paper recycling process. Grease from pizza boxes causes oil to form at

the top of the slurry, and paper fibres cannot separate from oils during the pulping process. Essentially, this contaminant causes the entire batch to be ruined. The easiest remedy for this problem is to cut or tear out the soiled portions of your pizza boxes and garbage them.

Dear Reena,
I have a dehumidifier in my basement that needs emptying every day during summer months. I'm wondering if this water is good for anything such as watering plants.

Trevor

Dear Trevor,
Dehumidifier water should not be used as drinking water because it is classified as grey water that may contain traces of lead and other dangerous elements. However, there are a few interesting uses for dehumidifier water. Yes, you can use it to water the plants in your home and

garden. Do not use this water on plants grown for consumption because of the risk of harmful contaminants. You can also use dehumidifier water to save on your water bill by pouring the water into your toilet tank until it is full after each flush.

Dear Reena,
Love your column and your book series. I was recently married and now live in a small home. It is my goal to recycle but I am not clear on what is considered recyclable. Can you provide me with a list of items that may be recycled?

Signed, Newly Wed and Clueless

Dear Newlywed!
Congratulations and good for you that you are taking steps to reduce your ecological footprint. The following is a list of what can be recycled: Newspapers, aluminium food and drink containers, glass food and beverage containers, steel food and beverage containers, PET (#1 plastic) bottle, telephone books, magazines and catalogues, boxboard, juice boxes, gable top beverage containers, HDPE (#2 plastic) containers, #4, #5 and #7 plastics (Gee, can they make the number system more complicated please?). For more information about recycling contact your local government.

Dear Reena,
Please tell me whether

or not I can recycle food containers such as Kraft Dinner boxes and empty waffle boxes. They do have a recycling symbol on them which says, "Made from 100% recyclable material". Does that mean they were recycled previously or does that mean they can be recycled?

Thomas

Dear Thomas,
If cardboard has a recycling symbol on it; add it to your blue box. Most cardboard can be recycled several times before the fibers become too weak to manufacture into a new product. Therefore, it is a good idea to recycle all of the cardboard items in your home that carry a recycling logo.

Additional Note: A good rule of thumb is to recycle according to the list above. Plastic grocery bags cannot be recycled but they can be re-used over and over again. If you have an abundance of plastic bags in your home, donate them to a second hand store instead of throwing them into the garbage.

Dear Reena,
One of your previous columns suggests switching to white vinegar to reduce static cling. I am not having much luck with dryer balls. I have two very hairy dogs; try as I might to clean off the hair before the washing machine, some ends up in the dryer.

Fabric softener sheets still seem to work the best to

get hair off the items, and onto the filter, but I would like to try an alternative. So, my question is, how do you put the vinegar in the dryer, or is it added to the wash rinse? I look forward to hearing from you. I enjoy your column very much and have received many useful tips.

Candice

Dear Candice,
Add half cup white vinegar to your wash load (not the dryer). Your clothes will not smell of vinegar and you will save yourself a pile of money as vinegar is cheap. Fabric softener sheets and liquid fabric softener do a wonderful job in clogging up the hoses in your washing machine. Vinegar on the other hand works to clean out your washing machine hoses and leaves everything fresh and static free. But don't get your hopes too high, let's face it as long as you have pets you will be in a constant fur battle. Another great tip is to lightly sponge your clothes with water before putting them into the washing machine, this helps to remove some of the fur. If you are desperate, purchase clothes that match the color of your dog, this will make pet hair much less obvious. Lastly, be sure to empty your lint trap after each use.

Fabulous Tips of the Week:

If you want to reuse a Styrofoam egg carton here's a neat little trick. For young children who have class parties, fill each cup with Jell-O and refrigerate them until they are set. Kids can pop the Jell-O out and enjoy a yummy treat.

Gently exfoliate your skin by rubbing it with brown sugar. Keep a container near your shower. Brown sugar is the product that many spas use; it flows easily down the drain and leaves skin feeling soft.





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In accordance with section 11 of the above act notice is hereby given that the original Monument at the following location has been lost: ¼ N Section 8, Township 14, Range 17 WPM. A new monument to perpetuate the original location has been planted by Ken Baley, Manitoba Land Surveyor on May 13, 2013.

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Ken Baley
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100-158 11th Street
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Phone 204-727-0651

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BRIDAL SHOWER

Come and Go bridal shower in honour of Kristin Taman, bride-elect of Ryan Hyrsak, to be held on Saturday, August 10th from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. at the home of the groom's parents, Delmar and Karen Hyrsak, 165 3rd St. S.E.

You are invited to a bridal shower on Sunday, August 11, 2013 in honour of Ayn Lewandoski, daughter of Len and Pam, engaged to Tom Cameron, son of Stew and Kathy (of Forrest, MB) at the Sandy Lake Community Hall at 2:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! (21-2)

Join us for a bridal shower in honour of **Kassandra Kurt**, bride-to-be of Ryan Synchyshyn on Sunday August 11th from 2 - 4 p.m. at 345 2nd St. S.E Minnedosa. Please accept this as your invitation.

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UCT Bingo at Ukrainian Hall, Tuesday nights. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Early bird at 7:00 p.m. followed by regular games. License #3359 B1 and 3359 BO. (47-tfn)

Combined PAL/Hunter Ed Course at Tanner's Crossing School, Minnedosa, Saturday, August 24th, 2013, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. \$50.00 for Hunter Ed, \$60.00 for PAL, \$100.00 for both. Call Mike Bonner 204-848-7582 for information.

Elphinstone Lions Club, 8th annual yard sale. Saturday, August 17, 2013, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at the lions park. Bad weather in the hall. Tables \$10.00 each or 3 for \$25.00. To book a table phone 204-625-2423. No outside food concessions. Lunch Available. (21-2)

Newdale Horticultural Society flower show. Wednesday, August 14th, 2013. Doors Open at 2:00 p.m. Roast Beef supper from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Adults \$10.00 Children (6-12yrs) \$5.00 5 and under FREE. Everyone Welcome! (21-2x)

Bethel Lutheran Society Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 20 at 7:30 p.m. at the church. All interested parties are invited to attend.

COMING EVENTS

Minnedosa Service to Seniors Congregate Meal Program serving supper meals for seniors at the Townview Manor 6th floor Tuesdays, Thursdays, Sundays starting at 5:00 p.m. \$8.00 dine in, \$10.00 delivered. Call 204-867-2198 after 1:00 p.m. on day of the meal or call 204-867-5190 for all other inquiries.

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August 8th:
Roast pork loin with gravy, rolls, potatoes, vegetable, salad, pickles, dessert tea and coffee (12-tfn)

Communities in Bloom. The judges are coming on August 14th to tour our town and surrounding area. Looking for volunteers to join us for Town Clean Up on August 8th at 7:00 p.m. at Armitage Park. Bring your gloves! We supply garbage bags and water.

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NOTICE

Kingdon Electric is now working exclusively on the projects of one general contractor and so will not be accepting work from any other customers. I apologize for any inconvenience, and would like to thank past customers for their support. (21-2x)

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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone who brought flowers, food and came to visit us just to be there for us, in our time of sorrow. It was greatly appreciated. May God Bless you all. ~**Elsie Drozda and family (x)**

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to everyone for all the lovely flowers, cards, food, visits and phone calls at this difficult time in the loss of our mom. Thank you for your thoughtfulness and kindness greatly appreciated and will always be remembered. God Bless all. ~**Nick and Mabel Stebeleski (x)**

Thank you does not seem enough to say for the last five years of care given Don. To Pete, Eric and Keith for the extra time you spent with him; to his coffee buds, sons-in-law, and grandkids who helped him get from point A to B; to Drs Roche and Khandelwal for all your care and pep talks; to all the doctors and staff at BGH and St. Boniface; to Barb, Jason and the rest of the ambulance staff of Minnedosa; to the special nurses, housekeeping, kitchen, lab, reception and home care staff at Minnedosa Hospital; to Nathan and Rick at the Minnedosa Funeral home, to all the honorary pall bearers, Elgin Hall, Lois MacDonald, Shirley Martin and grandchildren for making the funeral service special; to my family and special friends for all your help; to Heather Brasseau and staff for the lunch; to all the people and family who sent food, cards, flowers, and donations...Thank you again. ~ **Brenda Taylor, Sherri, Sandy, Cathy, Stacey and families.**

The family of Teenie Pastershank would like to express our heart felt gratitude to the people who provided support at this difficult time. Your acts of kindness through cards, flowers, phone calls, gifts of food are greatly appreciated. Special thanks to Fr. Emil Kardasinec for his beautiful service, the pall bearers, cross bearers, Ernie Malchuk and choir, alter server Peter Mikow. Also thanks to Robert Ewanysbyn for his violin solo of amazing grace during the interment. The church ladies for preparing and serving the delicious lunch. The people that took such good care of Mom at the Sandy Lake Personal Care Home. Special thank you to the palliative care ladies that stayed with mom when we couldn't be there, you were all awesome. Thanks to Rae's Funeral Service for their kind and caring professional services. Your kindness will not be forgotten. ~ **Edward, Sylvia, Helen and Ed, Mabel and Nick and families.**

IN MEMORIAM

In Loving Memory of **TOM PODRUSKI**
Oct 31/1950-Aug 3/2010

*If tears could build a stairway
And memories were a lane
We would walk
right up to heaven
And bring you back again
No farewell words
were spoken
No time to say goodbye
You were gone before
we knew it
And only God knows why
Our hearts still ache
in sadness
And secret tears still flow
What it meant to lose you
No one can ever know
But now we know
you want us
To mourn for you no more
To remember all
the happy times
Life still has much in store
Since you'll never be forgotten
We pledge to you today
A hallowed place
within our hearts
Is where you'll always stay*

Love your Family:
Ken & Edna,
Scott, Kerri, Logan,
Bailee & Jaxon
Jodi, Mark, Dylan & Keira

NEIL DAVIES
April 1, 1927 – July 31, 2007
Husband, Father
and Grandfather

*Though your smile
is gone forever
And your hands
we cannot touch
Still we have so
many memories
Of the one that we
loved so much
Your memory is our keepsake,
With which we'll never part,
God has you in his keeping,
We have you in our hearts*

In loving memory
Hilda, Doris, Edna and
families

SHINDALA
Frank passed July 14, 1989
Craig died June 27, 1980

*A day of remembrance
Sad to recall.
Without farewell
They left us all.
Your presence we miss
Your memory we treasure.
Loving yous always
Forgetting you necer.*

Forever remembered
Mom and wife Irene,
Brian, Bruce and Jill,
Brianna and Ryan
and Ryan and Ashley
and Jamie and
great grandchildren
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BERTHA “BUN” RUDY
April 26, 1917 – August 3, 2012
In loving memory of our mother.

*Thank you mother for all that you have done,
You took great care, of your daughters and son.
You loved us all from the very start,
With your warm, kind and loving heart.
Thank you mother, for being strong,
While trying to teach us right from wrong.
If anytime, we had a problem,
You were there to help us solve them.
You'd lift us up, when we were feeling blue,
Thank you mother, for we could always count on you.
You were such an awesome mother,
The love you showed was like no other.
Thank you mother for your dear sweet love,
Now you'll watch over us from heaven above.*

Remembered with love,
Keith, Myrna, Frank and Grace, Bobbie and Stewart,
Joan and Cliff
(x)

BUN RUDY
August 3, 2012
Mother and Grandmother

*In tears we saw you sinking
We watched you fade away.
Our loving hearts were broken
When you fought so hard to stay.
But when we saw you sleeping
So peacefully and free from pain.
We could not wish you back
To suffer that again*

We love and miss you Mum
Love The Family
(x)



OBITUARIES

**DIANE SLATER
(NEE McNABB)**

In Loving Memory of Diane Slater who was born on May 27th, 1942 and passed away July 5th, 2013 at the age of 71.
Diane lost her courageous battle with cancer at Health Science Centre Hospital with her daughters at her side.
Diane will be lovingly remembered by her daughters Melody (Gord) Boszko, Shelli (Doug Carlyle) Falconer, Sherri (Rick) Desrosiers and her grandchildren: Leah, Lyndsay, Brett, Ecko, Shawn and Nathan, Sister Sandi McNabb and niece Victoria and nephew William and extended family.
She was predeceased by her parents Donald and Olive McNabb and also by her late husband Don Slater.
Diane's greatest pleasure was her yearly travels to Mexico in particular Boca Beach. So much so that it was one of her wishes some of her ashes be spread with Don's, overlooking the beach at Boca, Mexico.
Donations in memory of Diane may be made to Friends For Furry Friends Animal Rescue, Suite 208-740 Rosser Ave. Brandon, MB R7A 0K9 or Cancer Care Manitoba.



ANNE WALL

Anne was born on February 10, 1928, daughter of Johan and Helena Wiebe, on a farm near Horndean, Manitoba.
On July 20, 1952, she married the person she would continue to love for 61 years - Henry Wall. They made their first home in Morden, Manitoba, where they began raising their four children. The family moved to Erickson, Manitoba in 1968 and began farming.
Anne enjoyed farming; she worked side by side with Henry and was attached to the land and the animals. She and Henry enjoyed travelling to visit family and friends or just for the adventure.
Anne was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend. She was gentle, patient, kind, tender-hearted and forgiving. She was quick with a smile and had a witty sense of humour. She loved life.
Anne passed away peacefully with her family at her side Tuesday, July 23, 2013, at the age of eighty-five.
She was predeceased by her sister Elizabeth and brothers John and Jacob. She leaves to mourn her passing her husband Henry; daughters Joan (Brock), Gladys (Dwight), Leona (Murray) and son Loren (Sandy); grandchildren Lauren, Lyndie, Kristin, Dana, Jacob, Colin and Erik; great-grandchildren Isaac, Levi, Grace, Gabriella, Ava, Aaron, Jeremiah, Brayden, Raina, Danika, Chrissy, and Giana; sisters Agatha and Helen (Peter); brothers Neil (Kathy) and Abe (Lenore); sisters and brothers-in-law; and many nieces and nephews.
Anne was loved. She will be missed by all who knew her.
“And you know the way to the place I am going.”
Service was at Hilltop Baptist Church, in Erickson, Manitoba, Sunday, July 28, 3:00 p.m.
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PASTERSHANK

It is with great sadness that our family announce the passing of Teenie Pastershank on Tuesday, July 9th, 2013 at the Sandy Lake Personal Care Home at the age of 95.
Teenie was born in the Harrison area on January 26, 1915. She attended schooling at the Martin Dale School. Teenie married Frank Pastershank in Olha, MB on June 14, 1932. They farmed at Wisla , Manitoba until 1937, then moved to Elphinstone.
Frank and Teenie moved to Minnedosa in 1971 when they retired from farming.
Teenie was devoted to her husband, family, friends. She picked many pails of wild fruit for her family over the years. Also was a very avid gardener and provided many jars of fruit, vegetables and pickles.
For many years she enjoyed playing Bingo and cards with family and friends.
Teenie was predeceased by her late husband Frank of 58 years, infant son Larry, her parents Joeseph and Mary Kristalovich ands her nine siblings, three sister-in-laws and three brother-in-laws.
Teenie is survived by her son, Edward (Sylvia) Pastershank, Daughters, Helen (Ed) Antosen, Mabel (Nick) Stebeleski: Five grandchildren, Nine great grandchildren and four great great grandchildren. She is also survived by sisters, Lavinia, Regina, Brothers, Nick, Joe and numerous nieces and nephews.
The funeral service was held Saturday, July 13, 2013 at the Sandy Lake Holy Ghost Ukrainian Catholic Church with Fr. Emil Kardasinec officiating. Interment followed at the Catholic Cememtery. If friends so desire, donations maybe made to the Sandy Lake Personal Care Home tub fund.
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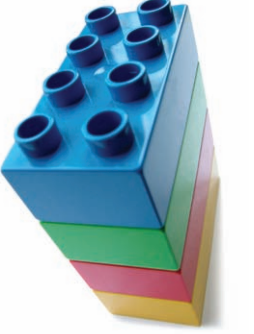
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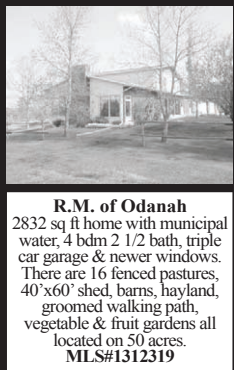
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Hours of Business

Monday to Friday - 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday - 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

(We offer 41 hours of business to our members each week. How much time does your F.I. offer you?)

MCU
Newsletter

DEPOSIT GUARANTEE

WHEN YOU SAVE AT A MANITOBA CREDIT UNION, YOUR DEPOSITS ARE GUARANTEED WITHOUT LIMIT BY THE DEPOSIT GUARANTEE CORPORATION OF MANITOBA. SINCE 1937, WHEN MANITOBA'S FIRST CREDIT UNION OPENED, NO PERSON HAS EVER LOST ANY DEPOSIT OR ANY INTEREST EARNED AT THE CONTRACTED OR POSTED RATE ON THE DEPOSIT.

Congratulations to Whitney Glasgow for producing the new logo for the MCU Complex. Check out the new logo sign at the site of the future Complex.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WINNERS OF THE ROCKIN THE FIELDS CONTEST.

1st Chad McVey
2nd Steven R Smith
3rd Margaret Rapley

Looking for something to do August Long Weekend? Check out the Minnedosa Rodeo or Rockin' the Fields.
Something for everyone!!!

STUDENT CAMPUS ACCOUNT
Congratulations 2013 Graduates.
Will you be going to post secondary school this fall? Want to save money in service charges? The CAMPUS chequing account at the Minnedosa Credit Union is the account for you!

Some of the benefits include:

- free ATM and Direct Payment usage
- free personalized cheques
- unlimited transactions

Come in and see one of our Member Service Representatives for more information.

STUDENT MASTERCARD
The Credit Union

Student Mastercard is a great way to start building a credit rating while going to school.

Some of the features include:

- no annual fee
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- extended warranty

For more information and to get an application, stop in at the Minnedosa Credit Union.
*Must be 18 years of age and enrolled in post secondary school.

MINNEDOSA CREDIT UNION
STUDENT LOANS

Minnedosa Credit Union offers student loans of \$ 3,500 per year (or \$ 5,000 per family) to a maximum of \$ 14,000 (or \$20,000 per family). The interest rate charged is Prime + 0%. No principal payments are made while the student is attending school but the interest must be paid up to date annually. All that is required is confirmation of enrollment and a parent's guarantee.

With the high costs of education we can help take the pressure off the student and parents by setting up a Minnedosa Credit Union student loan for you! Come see our loans staff for details!!!

The Real Manitoba Photo Contest 2015
Are you a Shutterbug and love to take photos? Enter your special photo and it could appear in the 2015 Manitoba Credit Union Calendar Check out the contest details on the website www.creditunion.mb.ca and email your photos to cuiinfo@cucm.org Deadline is November 22, 2013

Minnedosa Credit Union Limited will be closed Saturday, August 3rd and Monday, August 5th so our staff may enjoy the long weekend.

When setting up appointments or applying for new services at the Minnedosa Credit Union always be prepared to show 2 pieces of I.D one being photo!!



My name is Rhonda Curle and I have been at the Credit Union for 26 years. My husband, Bruce, and I have 2 children – Tyler and Rebecca. I am currently a Member Service Representative, but over the years have been Receptionist, Loans Officer and Loans Clerk.

WATCH FOR THE DING FREE ROAD CREW

July 29th the ding free marketing campaign will start its summer tour across Canada – travelling from Victoria, BC to Antigonish, Nova Scotia. In the course of 30 days this van, complete with toonie wheel rims and equipped with a functioning ATM, will visit over 70 cities and towns and visit over 200 participating credit unions along the way. The comedic crew, will help educate people about credit unions and raise awareness about the national network of surcharge-free credit union ATM's from sea to sea. Maybe, we will see it in our community!

Friday, July 26th the Credit Union held their 2nd monthly hot dog sale during the summer, raising \$310.60 to be donated to help rebuild the outdoor skating rink at Tanner's Crossing School.



FIFTIES IN OUR ATM

During Rockin' the Fields of Minnedosa (August 2 - 4) we will be putting 20 - \$50 bills in our ATM. Every withdrawal has an opportunity to receive a \$50 bill. Come and try to make \$30 on us!