

The 507 Express

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- Plant Sale 2024
- Be prepared storm checklist
- Trent Lakes Job Posting
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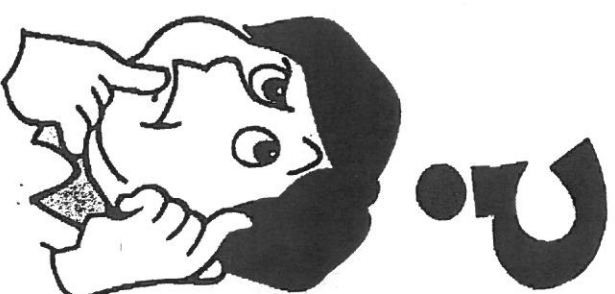
A shot of whiskey In the old west a .45 cartridge for a six-gun cost twelve cents, so did a glass of whiskey. If a cowhand was low on cash he would often give the bartender a cartridge in exchange for a drink. This became known as a "shot of whiskey".

The whole nine yards American fighter planes in WW2 had machine guns that were fed by a belt of cartridges. The average plane held belts that were 27 feet (9 yards) long. If the pilot used up all his ammo he was said to have given it the whole nine yards.

Buying the farm This is synonymous with dying. During WWI Soldiers were given life insurance policies worth \$5,500. This was about the price of an average farm so if you died you "bought the farm" for your survivors.

Iron Clad Contract This came about from the ironclad ships of the Civil War. It meant something so strong it could not be broken.

Riff Raff The Mississippi River was the main way of traveling from north to south. Riverboats carried passengers and freight but they were expensive so most people used rafts. Everything had the right of way over the rafts which were considered cheap. The steering oar on the rafts was called a "riff" and this transposed into riff-raff, meaning low class.



The 507 express is a community based newsletter. It welcomes submissions and letters to the editor on subjects of interest to our readers. The editor reserves the right to edit any submissions to meet space requirements, for clarity or to avoid obscenity, libel or invasion of privacy. All letters to the editor must be signed and include a telephone number for verification purposes. (Phone numbers will not be printed.) Views expressed in columns, letters and articles are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the opinion of this newsletter.

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Community Report

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Every Thursday Afternoon

1:00 pm until 3:30 pm

Cavendish Community Centre

18 Community Complex Drive,

County Road 507, Ontario

Tel: (705) 657-1192

\$5.00 per person

Knit and Lit



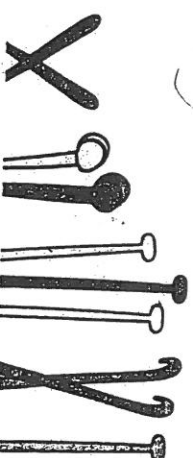
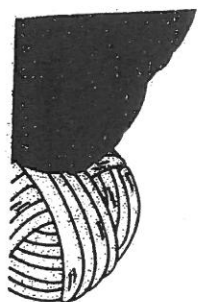
Tuesday mornings at 11:00

Join us at the Buckhorn branch to resume our Knit and Lit program! Bring whatever project you are working on!

Need yarn? Check out our yarn exchange program! We have lots of free patterns too!

If you make an item to donate to the Trent Lakes Outreach Centre or LAWS, TLPL will deliver it!

Please join us every Tuesday morning for the program!



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5 George Street
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www.trentlakeslibrary.ca

"The 507 Express Cookbook"

The Cavendish Youth Group has been working on a cookbook and it is finally finished and available to purchase. Proceeds from the sale of this book will be donated to the Cavendish Culture and Recreation Committee to help with the publication of "The 507 Express".

The cookbook is available at the Cavendish Library, Flynn's Store and Little Gull Marina. Cost of the cookbook is \$25.00



Dates to Think About

- 1st – Happy New Year
- 3rd – Today the earth is at Perihelion, the closest to the sun.
- 4th – Ribbon skirt Day
- 5th – National Bird Day
- 10th – National Houseplant Appreciation Day
- 14th – Organize Your Home Day
- 23rd – National Pie Day
- 26 – International Environmental Education Day
- 27th – National Seed Swap Day
- 28th – National Daisy Day
- 29th – National Puzzle Day
- 31st National Plan For Vacation Day



It's a girl. Gabriel and Charity Botting are happy to announce the safe arrival of their beautiful little girl. Ruth Eloise Botting was born on November 22nd and she weighed 6 lbs. 12 oz. This is a first grandchild for the Botting family and Oma and Papa D are smitten.



It's a Part of Our History

Red Lion Inn (con't)

Franklyn and Lorna Coppy had always loved coming to the Catchacoma to get away from the hustle and bustle of Toronto, and during the early 1950's they and several of their friends bought a cottage on the lake. They became well-acquainted with the area and eventually decided to turn their passion for the area into a full-time occupation. In May of 1960 they opened the Red Lion Inn.

Is was constructed of logs in the likeness of an old English pub, the Inn had a decidedly distinctive tudor-like exterior: white stucco walls with black wooden criss-crosses, shuttered windows, an entrance decorated with a knife, fork and spoon depicting a "proper place setting", and an extensive array of plaques and coats of arms. In the center of the dining room there was a franklin fireplace I which always held a cozy blaze, where the guest were encouraged to gather around to chat before or after their meal. Guests soon discovered that the homey atmosphere didn't stop at the fireplace. Tables were arranged along the walls and in various other position throughout the room, each had its own name and unique character. The "Peasant's", for example was situated next to the kitchen and was where the staff usually gathered to eat their meals. The "Honeymoon" table was a quaint little table for two, its privacy ensured by the young birch tree Franklyn had placed between it and the sofa. For large groups or those requiring lots of room to spread out, the long antique Duncan Phyfe drop-leaf called the "Millionaire's" was a popular choice.

It was no doubt a combination of many factors that made this a favorite place for people to dine. The distinctive atmosphere, the Saturday night prime rib dinners and the fresh Cavendish Frog legs and the warm hospitality of "Squire and Madam" Coppy all helped to make the Red Lion Inn a success.

Be prepared. Create a storm checklist.



Before a Storm

- Create a family emergency plan. Identify a safe meeting place, and ensure everyone knows it.
- Prepare a 72-hour emergency kit. Make sure everyone knows where it's kept.
- Fill out the emergency contact details on this checklist, and make extra copies.
- Fully charge all mobile phones.
- Plug your electronics into a surge protector.
- Don't touch electrical equipment that may have been exposed to water.
- Lower your fridge to 40°F/4°C and your freezer to 0°F/-18°C.
- Download our Outage App to your mobile phone.
- Sign up to receive Outage Alerts by text or email.
- Make sure we have your contact details in *myAccount*.



During a Storm

- Report a power outage to **1-800-434-1235** – but use a mobile phone.
- Don't use a landline telephone. You can get an electromagnetic shock.
- Locate your emergency kit. Ensure your flashlights are working.
- Get access to our Outage Map. We update it every 10 minutes.
- Unplug all TVs, electronics and appliances at home.
- Turn off all light switches except one – so you know when power is restored.
- Bring outdoor items such as patio furniture inside.
- Avoid opening the fridge and freezer to retain the cold.
- Stay inside and away from windows and doors.
- Check the local news for weather updates.



After a Storm

- Replenish your emergency kit.
- Inspect your property for any damage, and document it.
- If you see a downed power line, stay at least 10 metres back and report it to **1-800-434-1235**.
- Don't wade through a flooded basement to reach the electrical panel.
- Check your electrical panel and contact a master electrician if damaged.
- Turn on appliances and electronics one at a time to avoid a power surge.
- Check in on neighbours and friends in your area.
- Dispose of any spoiled food in your fridge and freezer.
- Sign up for Outage Alerts and download the Outage App – if you haven't already.
- Confirm your contact details in *myAccount*.



72-hour Emergency Kit

- Windup or battery-powered flashlight
- Windup or battery-powered radio
- Portable external battery charger for smart devices
- Water (2 litres per person per day)
- Canned or dried food that won't spoil
- Manual can opener
- Batteries for your flashlight and radio
- Cash on hand
- Blankets
- Candles and matches
- Emergency contact list
- First aid kit
- Prescriptions and medical items



Emergency Contact List

Hydro: One's province-wide, 24/7 emergency number: **1-800-434-1235**

Closest Hospital: _____

Emergency Contact: _____

Local Fire Services: _____

Police: _____

Meeting Point: _____

Plant Sale 2024 HELPERS NEEDED

Hello all: It's quite a long way off but I am hoping to have another Catchacoma Plant Sale likely on Saturday, June the 1st – date TBC. I will need several helpers to assist with all the jobs below if we are to continue with our planning.

Prior to the sale - several people to dig and pot perennials – 1 to many hours!

- post a few flyers in our area/Buckhorn – 1 or 2 hours

The day before the sale - set up at the CCC – tables/plants – 1.5 hours

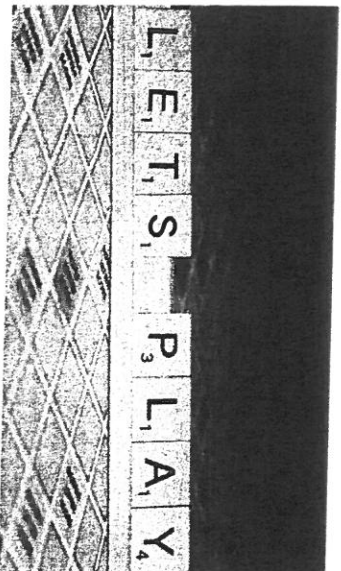
- put the SALE signs out on 507 – 1 hour

The day of the sale - put the big SALE flag out by the road, assist buyers, run the cash table, clean up: 2-3 hours

Please call me if you think you can help.

Thank you, Pat Wade 705 657-7373

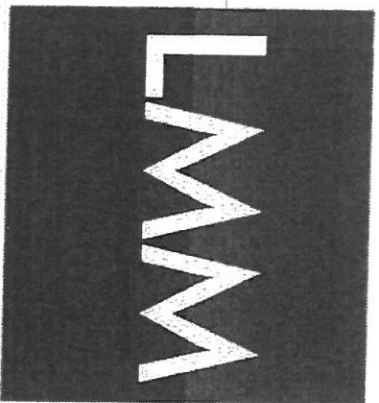
Scrabble Night
Cavendish Community Centre
Thursday Evening - Starting at 7 p.m.



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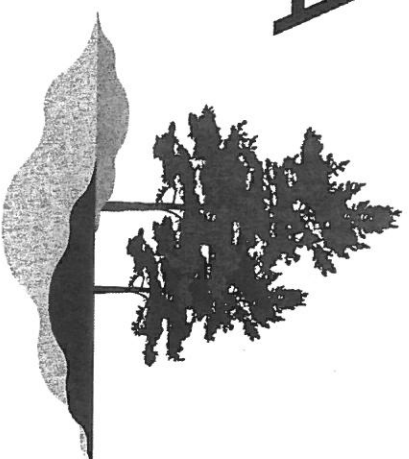

BATTLE
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It happened this Month....

- January 1st, 1926 – Opera singer Richard Verreau was born.
- January 4th, 1916 – The “Battle of the hatpins” breaks out when several hatpin and scissor-brandishing mothers besiege the entrance to the French-language Guigues Elementary School in Ottawa. The women were defending two teacher who had been banned from school property for their opposition to Regulation 17, issued in 1912 to limit the use of French as the language of instruction in Ontario elementary schools.
- January 7th, 1924 – Painter and photographer Roloff Beny was born.
- January 10th, 1902 – Canada becomes a founding member of the League of Nations.
- January 15th, 1841 – Stanley Cup donor Lord Stanley of Preston was born.
- January 19th, 1943 – Princess Margriet of the Netherlands is born at the Ottawa Civic Hospital. Her family was living in exile in Ottawa during the Nazi occupation of the Netherlands.
- January 23rd, 1745 – Canal engineer William Jessop was born.
- January 30th, 1992 – Physician, educator and astronaut Roberta Bondar spends her last day aboard the space shuttle Discovery. She was the second Canadian and the first Canadian woman in space.
- January 30th, 1929 – Surgeon Lucille Teasdale-Corti was born.
- January 31st, 1933 – Aboriginal spokesman, philosopher, statesman, and spiritual leader John Snow is born in Morley, Alberta. Snow was the first member of the Stoney-Nakoda to be ordained in the United Church of Canada.

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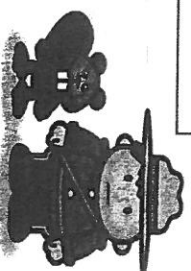
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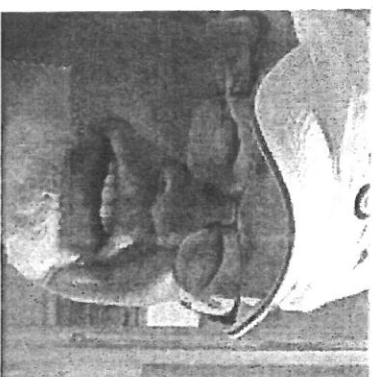
How Well Do You Know Your Country?

1. How many oceans border Canada?
2. “Cowtown” is the nickname of what major city?
3. What nickname is given to Montreal’s Olympic Stadium because of its high cost?
4. What is the “Edmund Fitzgerald” that Gordon Lightfoot sang about?
5. Which Canadian Province is the country’s biggest producer of maple syrup?
6. Which Canadian city has been called the “Chicago of the North?”
7. Canada is the world’s third largest country in terms of land mass. True or False?
8. Hosting over 30 festivals annually, which is Canada’s “Festival City”?
9. Hawaiian pizza was invented in Canada. True or False?
10. Which province has been Slurpee Capital of the world for almost two decades?



In Passing....

Paul Edward Clark who was in his 75th year passed away on November 25th, 2023 in North Ft. Myers, Florida. Paul will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Our thoughts and prayers are extended to his wife Shannon and their family and friends during this very difficult time.



Afterglow

*I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one.
I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done.
I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways.
Of happy times and laughing times and bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve, to dry before the sun;
Of happy memories that I leave when life is done.*

SNOWSHOES

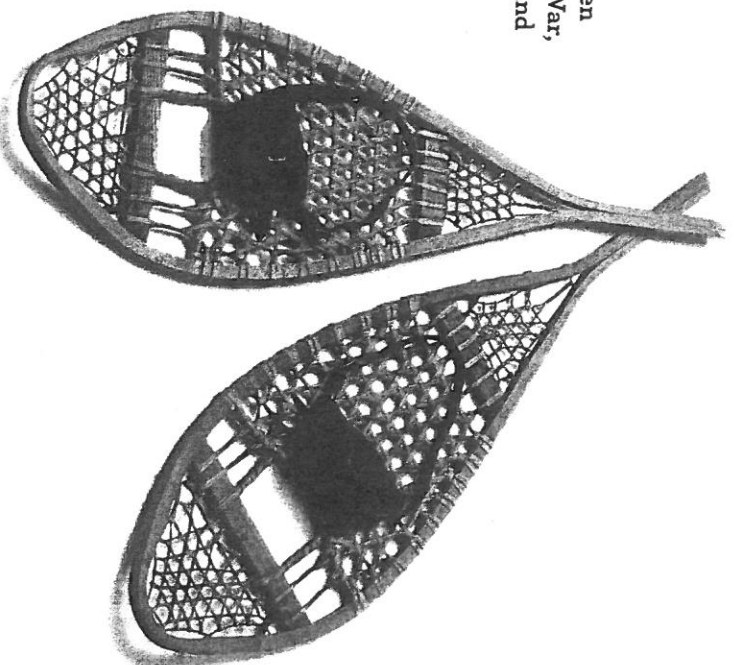
Aboriginal peoples developed a wide range of snowshoes. One of the largest is the Cree hunting snowshoe, which is more than six feet long.

Snowshoes work by distributing the wearer's weight over a greater area. Larger snowshoes can support a heavier person and allow for walking over softer snow. Smaller shoes are better for breaking a trail.

Snowshoes were adopted by the French and then the British. They were used in the Seven Years' War, which featured two different conflicts, in 1787 and 1788, called the Battle on Snowshoes.

The snowshoe hare is found across Canada and the northern United States. It's named for its large, fur-covered hind feet, which allow it to travel easily over snow.

The classic snowshoe is made from an ash frame filled with a webbing of caribou hide. It has a long tail, which helps keep it from turning from side to side. It resembles a wooden tennis racket and in French is even called a *raquette de neige*, or "snow racket."



In recent years, recreational snowshoes have seen a surge in popularity. Modern versions are smaller and lighter than the traditional snowshoe, and can be used for hiking or running over packed snow.

Recipe of the Month



ROCKY ROAD CHEESECAKE

1 cup chocolate wafer crumbs	Dash salt
3 Tbsp melted margarine	1/3 cup cocoa
1 envelope unflavoured gelatin	1/2 tsp vanilla
1/4 cup cold water	1 cup heavy cream, whipped
2 (250 g) pkg soft cream cheese	2 cups mini marshmallows
3/4 cup sugar	1/2 cup chopped nuts

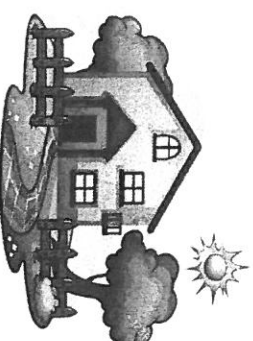
Combine chocolate wafer crumbs and margarine. Press into the bottom of a 9 inch springform pan. Bake at 350° F for 10 minutes. Soften gelatin in cold water, stirring over low heat until dissolved. Combine cream cheese, sugar, salt and cocoa, mixing until well blended. Stir in vanilla. Fold in whipped cream, marshmallows and nuts. Pour over crust. Chill until firm.

Dining Room Suite For Sale

Beautiful older dining room suite for sale, includes dining table with six chairs, sideboard and china cabinet.

If interested in viewing please see Sue and Joanne at the Cavendish Library during regular Wednesday and Saturday hours. You can also make arrangements to view by contacting Kathy at 705-657-8912 or 705-772-2090 or by email at kathy507@yahoo.ca

HOUSEHOLD HINTS



- Remove oil stains in your driveway by sprinkling liberally with cornstarch. Let sit overnight and rinse with hose.
- Make a dry shampoo by sprinkling hair with cornstarch. Let sit a few minutes and brush out.
- Rub cornstarch on your rolling pin to prevent dough from sticking.
- For ink stains, treat the area with a paste of cornstarch and milk. Rub in, let dry, then brush off the residue.
- Ease sunburn and insect bites by applying a paste of cornstarch and water. Let it dry on the skin, then rinse off.
- Creaky wood floors can be silenced by sweeping cornstarch into the seams where the boards rub together.
- Keep playing cards from sticking together by shaking cards in a bag with a few tablespoons of cornstarch. Remove the cards and wipe them off individually.
- Clean windows with a mixture of a gallon of water, a teaspoon of cornstarch and a teaspoon of dish soap. Spray on and wipe clean.
- Absorb smelly foot odors by sprinkling shoes with cornstarch.
- To remove bloodstains, rub area with paste of cornstarch and cold water. Let dry in the sun. Brush off and repeat if necessary.

Burn Permits

Burn Permits are required - you must have a permit for ANY open air burning. Fire Permits are available on line through the Municipality of Trent Lakes web site or phone 705-738-3800 extension #301 or 1-800-374-4009 Extension #301.



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Cavendish Community Ratepayers Association Inc.

32 Community Complex Drive
Trent Lakes, Ontario, K0L 1J0

Application for/Renewal of CCRAI Membership

I am RENEWING my membership for 2023

Membership Fees
\$20.00 per household

I am APPLYING for membership for 2023

\$ _____ Additional Voluntary Donation

I am donating to CCRAI Lake and Water Quality Programs

\$ _____

Name of Member/Applicant: _____

Additional Member in Household: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cavendish Phone: _____

Do you prefer to receive your yearly newsletter electronically via email? _____

Email Address: _____

Cavendish Address (Lake/Lot & Conc): _____

Waterfront: Yes No

The Cavendish Community Ratepayers Association Inc., (CCRAI) hold two public meetings every year, one in June and August. A variety of notable speakers and subject matter experts provide presentations on topics that are important to property owners in Trent Lakes.

The Board of Directors monitor Trent Lakes Council meetings as well as track all large files and projects underway within the Municipality. Our goal is to ensure that all projects are properly prioritized and that our tax revenues are utilized in the most efficient manner possible.

Membership is open to any resident of Trent Lakes. The annual membership fee is still only \$20.00 per year. If you have not renewed your 2023 membership yet, there is still time. If you are not sure we can always check our registry to confirm if you have renewed this year.

For online payments, please email in the form and email/E-transfer the membership fee to CCRAIMAIL@GMAIL.COM. You can also mail this form with a cheque or money order made out to CCRAI to the address at the top of this application

Thank you for your continued support of the Cavendish Community Ratepayers Association.

Visit us at: <https://ccraiaassociation.wordpress.com>



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Bill and Marina Mudge Working and Living on the Catchacoma Chain of Lakes

- Tree cutting and brush removed
- Lawn care, mowing and whipper Snipping
- Leaf blowing and raking
- Gutter and eaves cleaning
- Staining and Painting
- Waterfront cleanup
- Pressure washing of decks/docks
- Mold removed on Boat upholstery

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Marinamudge@gmail.com

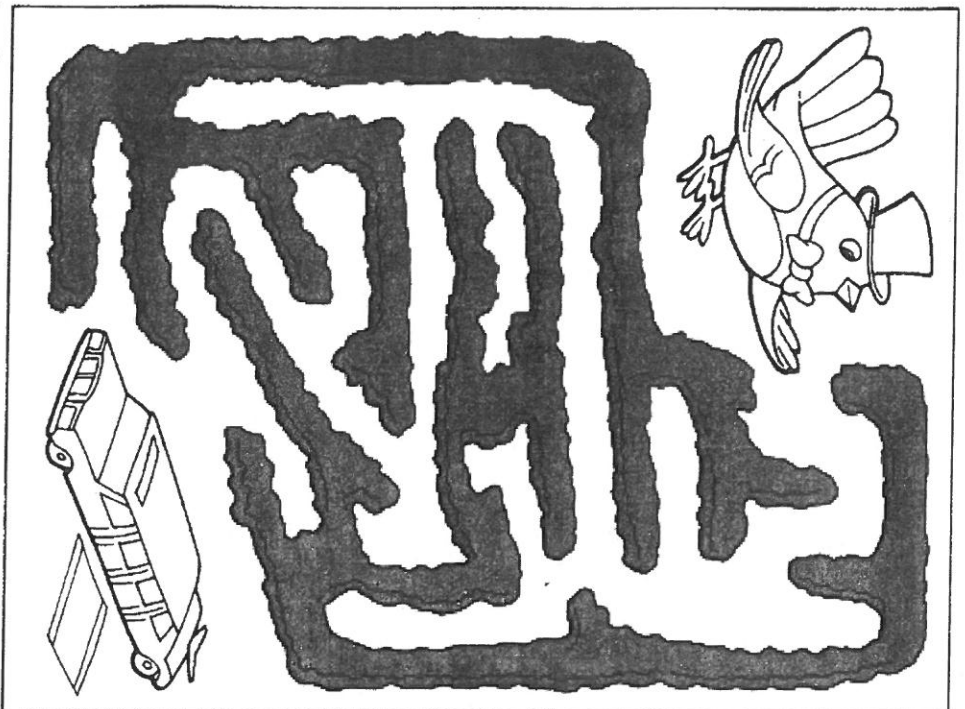
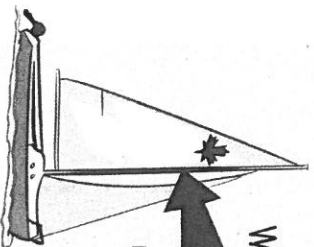
- You'll need:**
- pet collar
 - fabric paint

- Show your pooch pal you care!**
1. Paint your pet's name onto the collar.
 2. Add some designs that match your pet's personality. Let the paint dry.

What does this say?



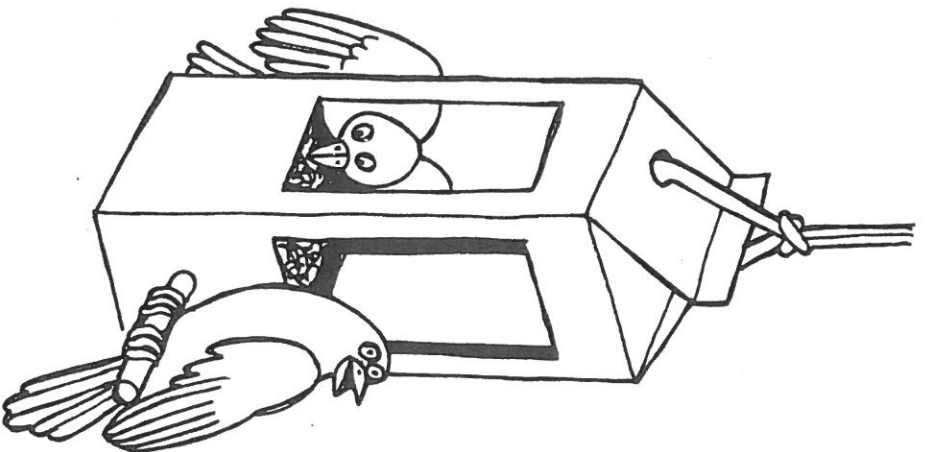
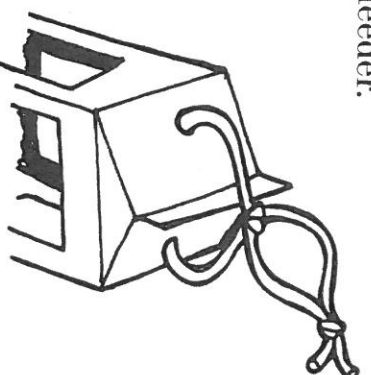
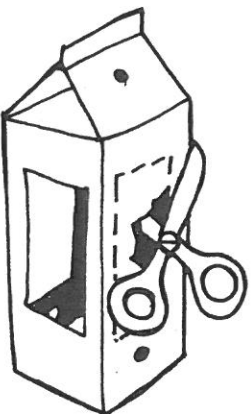
Masterpiece!



Bird feeder

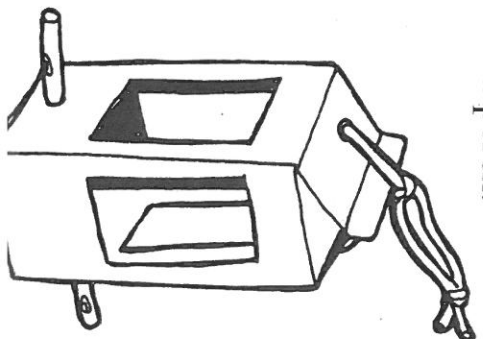
Fill the base of this feeder with oiled sunflower seeds or other birdseed.

1. Hold the carton closed. Use the pencil to poke a hole on each side near the top of the carton. Also poke a hole in the center area of each of the four sides of the carton. Finally, poke a hole on two opposite sides of the carton, near the bottom edge.
2. Using the holes poked in the center of each of the four sides to start your cutting, cut out a window on each long side of the carton. Don't cut too near the bottom of the carton or you won't have enough space for seeds.
3. Thread some string through the holes in the top of the carton. Knot the carton closed leaving long ends on the string so you can hang up the feeder.
4. Poke the stick through the two bottom holes so the birds will have a perch.



You will need

- a clean, dry milk or juice carton
- a pencil and scissors
- string
- a stick



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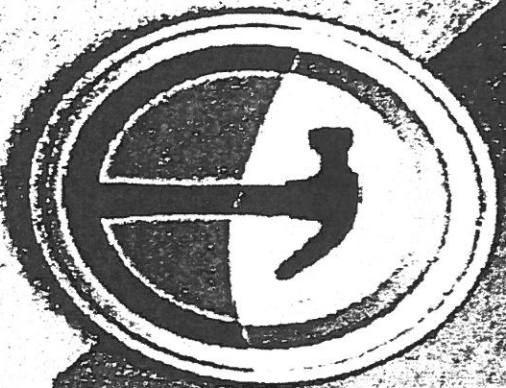
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Survivors Abreast Dragon Boat team is thrilled that **The Village Wine Shoppe** in **Bridgenorth** has offered the proceeds from their cork collection program to our team as a fundraiser!

In partnership with Jelinek Cork Group, your natural corks will be recycled and made into products such as flooring, wall tiles and bulletin boards.

In addition to helping the environment, you will be supporting a great cause!

Money raised will help defer costs for Survivors Abreast dragon boat team to represent Peterborough and surrounding area at International Dragon Boat Festivals.

Please drop your corks off at these locations:

The Village Wine Shoppe- 874
Ward St. Bridgenorth
The Wine Shoppe - 392 Brock St in
Peterborough
Little Gull Marina - 144 Mississauga
Lake Rd, Trent Lakes

**OR, if you know a Survivors Abreast
paddler,
give them your corks!**

**Thank you
for your
support!**

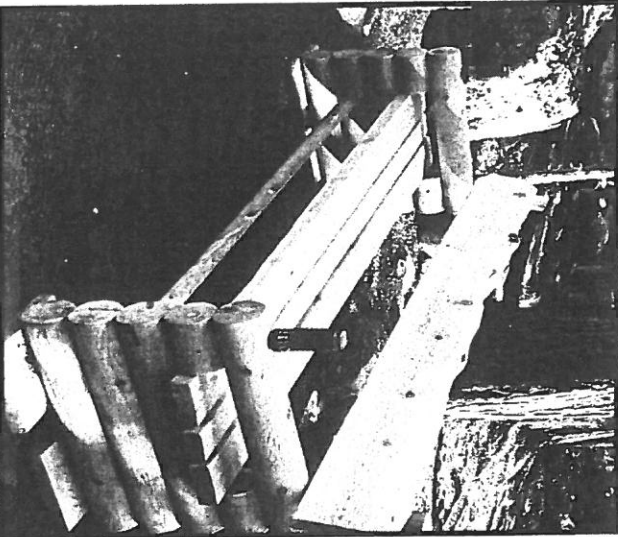
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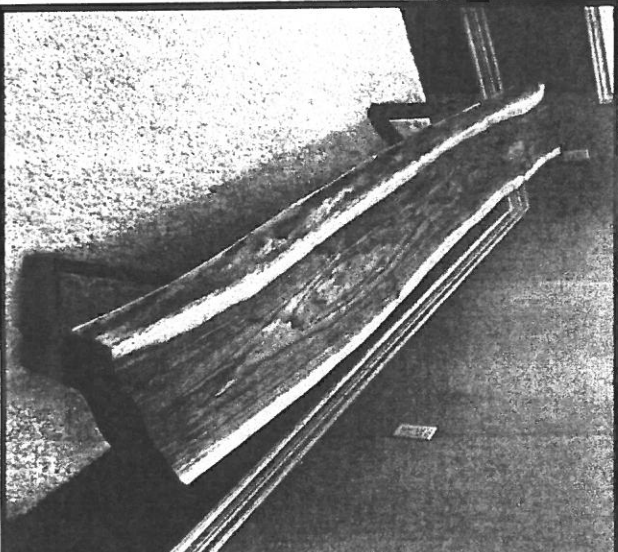
If you are already following us, you may have noticed some recent activity on our page. We are getting it up to date and adding all the activities and events that are happening at the Community Centre. If you would like to update or add an event, please message us through facebook or email kathny507@yahoo.ca. Thanks!

Unique Cottage furniture pieces. Lumber sourced locally. Samples below. Can also do custom pieces. Please contact Phil: Cell 416 420 1357. Catchacoma Lake.

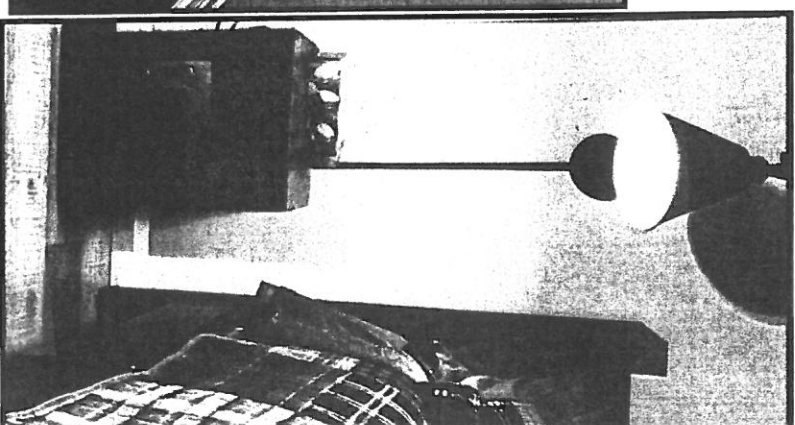
Cedar fire pit benches,
8" length.



Very unique large Butternut slab
benches, 9'1" long, 17" wide, 3 1/2" thick
Cut from Kawartha Ontario.



Trent Dam timber Night stands



Interested in Playing Volleyball?



There is a group that meets Mondays and Wednesday evenings To play Volleyball at the Buckhorn Community Centre. They play from 7 to 9 and welcome anyone to come out and join them. This is a fun way to get some exercise and the cost is only \$2.00 per person per night. For more information please contact: Rick @ 705-657-3600

Good Buy Room

Thrift Store

Hours:

Thursday – Saturday

10am – 4 pm

Lakehurst Road

Buckhorn

(Below Buckhorn Library)

Food for Fines



This summer TLPL is doing a "Food for Fines" program where we will waive your fines with a donation for the Trent Lakes Outreach Centre Food Bank! You can drop off any non-perishable items at either branch of Trent Lakes Public Library.

Items that are needed include:
canned/non-perishable meat, steaks,
vegetables, as well as personal hygiene
& laundry/cleaning products.

Let's help out the community and fill
the donation bins!



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Snowmobile Safety

Snowmobiling is a popular winter activity in Ontario. You can have a safe and fun ride if you know how to operate your snowmobile and prepare for your trip.

To drive a snowmobile, you must carry with you:

- A valid driver's licence, motorized snow vehicle operator's licence (MSVOL) or a snowmobile driver's licence from your home province, state or country
- Proof of insurance
- Snowmobile registration permit

Driver's and passengers must wear an approved snowmobile helmet.

Where you can ride

Where you can ride a snowmobile depends on your age and the type of licence you have:

16 and over with a valid Ontario driver's licence, MSVOL or snowmobile licence from another jurisdiction can drive on: snowmobile trails, across a road (where permitted), on roadway (Where permitted) and on private property.

12 – 15 with a valid MSVOL or licence from another jurisdiction can drive on snowmobile trails and on private property.

Under 12 can drive on private property only. Not permitted on public trails.

Snowmobile Trails

Snowmobile trails are maintained by local snowmobile clubs and some require a trail permit. Check with your local snowmobile club to find out if you need one.

The Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs maintains trails – including trails on private property and land owned by the government – where you must display a valid trail permit on your snowmobile.

On Roads

You can ride alongside public road, between the shoulder and fence line, unless prohibited by the municipality. Check your municipality's snowmobile bylaws to see what roads are within the boundaries.

You can't ride on:

- Certain restricted high-speed roads such as 400-series highways
- Pavement or plowed shoulders of roads and highways where vehicles drive

Lakes and Rivers

Travelling on ice is risky and should be avoided. If you do plan to travel on ice, always check with your local snowmobiling club before leaving because conditions can change quickly. Wear a personal flotation device or floater snowmobile suit and carry ice picks that are easily accessible.

Safety Tips and safety gear

Follow these tips to stay safe while snowmobiling:

Before a trip:

- Get proper training by taking a snowmobile safety course.
- Let someone know where you are going and when you plan to arrive.
- Keep your gas tank filled.
- Check the weather, trail and ice conditions before you leave.
- Wear appropriate clothing to prevent hypothermia.
- Regularly inspect your snowmobile to make sure it is in good mechanical condition.
- Bring a first-aid kit and a survival kit.
- Always check trail availability before entering any trail.

When you are riding:

- Stay on trails and use proper care and control.
- Ride on the right-hand side of the trail
- Come to complete stop before entering any roadway
- Obey signs and signals
- Slow down when on unfamiliar terrain
- Be extra cautious when crossing roads and railway tracks
- Never ride on private property without permission from the property owner.

- Do not leave children unsupervised with youth snowmobiles or young children unattended in snowmobile sleds.

Helmets

If you are driving a snowmobile or riding one as a passenger, you must wear a snowmobile helmet that meets Ontario standards with the chin strap securely fastened. A helmet must also be worn by anyone who is riding a device towed by a snowmobile such as a sled or cutter.

Towing

When towing a toboggan, sled or similar device behind a snowmobile, be sure to use a rigid tow bar and safety chain. Towed vehicles must have reflective material on the front sides, rear sides and read to make them more visible.

Speed limits

The maximum speed limit on snowmobile trails is 50 km/h, but conditions often require a slower speed. Adjust your speed to the weather and trail conditions. Alongside roads, speed limits for snowmobiles are not the same as the posted speed limits for other vehicles.

Here are the limits for different paths and areas:

Where you are driving	Maximum speed limit for snowmobiles
Snowmobile trails	50 km/h
Roads where the speed limit is over 50 km/h	50 km/h
Roads where the speed limit is 50 km/h or less	20 km/h
Any public park or exhibition grounds	20 km/h

Impaired Snowmobiling

It is dangerous and illegal to drive a snowmobile when impaired by alcohol, drugs or medication. You will face the same tough penalties for impaired snowmobiling as you

would for impaired driving such as immediate licence suspension or losing your driving privileges.

If convicted, you may also lose your driving privileges for all types of vehicles – including cars, trucks and motorcycles – for at least a year.

A MSVOL is a licence issued by the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs

(<http://www.ofsc.on.ca/>) that allows you to drive snowmobiles on trails. Learn more

about licensing, registration and other requirements to operate your snowmobile

([https://www.ontario.ca/document/official-mto-drivers-handbook/off-road-vehicles-](https://www.ontario.ca/document/official-mto-drivers-handbook/off-road-vehicles-snowmobiles#section-1)

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Help Wanted: Looking for a high school/college student(s) to assist with lawn care, mowing, weeding and spring/fall clean up. Will pay \$20 per hour. Please email if interested; josephpileggi3051@icloud.com

Tiny Tots Time

Wednesday Mornings 10:00 – 11:30
Cavendish Community Centre

Active playtime for children five and under accompanied by a Parent or responsible caregiver. This is also an opportunity to support one another with the challenges of raising a toddler.



Water Sample Courier Service in County Paused for the Winter

Peterborough Public Health, the Municipality of Trent Lakes, and the Township of North Kawartha are pausing their joint well water sample drop-off program for the Winter. The final date for county residents to drop off their samples to the North Kawartha Municipal Office and the Trent Lakes Municipal Office is **Thursday November 30, 2023.**

The free well water sample drop-off service will return next year at both locations, starting the first week of April in 2024. Throughout the Winter months, residents may continue to drop off their samples at the following locations:

- Peterborough Public Health, 185 King Street, Peterborough, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon on Friday
- Public Health Ontario Laboratory, 99 Hospital Drive, Peterborough, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday
- Havelock-Belmont-Methuen Township Office, 1 Ottawa Street, Havelock between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday to Thursday.

Additional information can be found in the release attached an online at

<https://www.peterboroughpublichealth.ca/water-sample-courier-service-paused-for-the-winter-2/>

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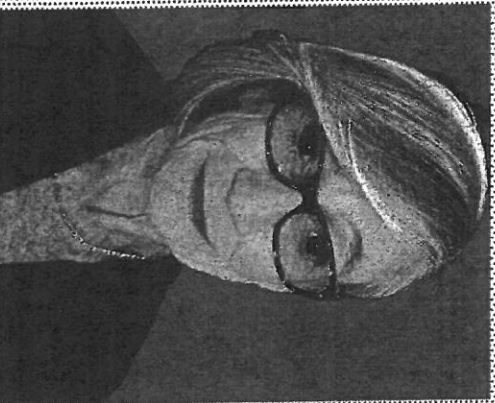


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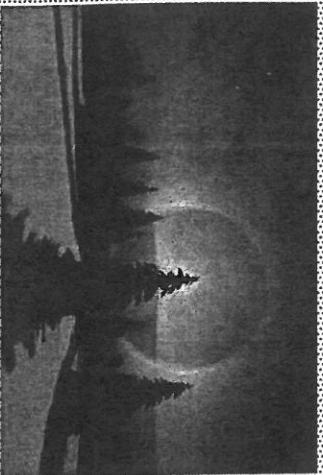
Gardening Tips

In January there is very little outdoor gardening, this would be a good opportunity to check your houseplants for insects, pests or diseases. Brush heavy snow (if we ever get any) off your evergreens, hedges and shrubs. Plan your spring garden and determine what type of bulbs, flowers, perennials, herbs or vegetables you will purchase. You may acquire seed flats and pick up a Seed Guide to assist you with your selection.



Deputy Mayor
Carol Armstrong

Seasons Greetings! I love seeing fresh snow on the ground – it brightens everything up and brings a quiet peace with it. Wishing everyone a healthy, happy and fulfilling Holiday Season!



Welcome to the 5th newsletter for this term of Council!

It's hard to believe that one year has passed since this new Council has been working together. We have a lot on our plate and are doing our best to fulfil our duties and ensure we deliver the services and programs you need.

Please do share your feedback on this newsletter, and on any municipal matters. Welcome your ideas!

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TRENT LAKES COUNCIL UPDATE October & November 2023

Highlights of Trent Lakes Council Meetings

- The annual contract with the Ontario Provincial Police has been renewed for 2024. The cost works out to \$224.89 per property per year.
- After many years of proudly taking care of our iconic Buckhorn Buck, the Beautiful Buckhorn volunteers (who purchased the statue in 1984!) have asked the Municipality to assume its maintenance, along with the many Red Geranium barrels that line the Buckhorn Road.
- Two new Cell tower applications have been submitted for placement along County Road 507 in 2025.
- The Q3 Operations Report has been published: [Q3 Report](#)
- The Contract for Engineering Services for the replacement Buckhorn Firehall and Public Works buildings has been awarded.
- Peterborough Public Health is transferring responsibility for the issuance of septic permits and the septic inspection program to the Municipality, effective April 2024.
- The Greater Harvey Historical Society submitted an expression of interest in using the Deer Bay Hall. An engineer/architect will be engaged to determine necessary renovations for the proposed purpose and then Council will decide whether to proceed with renovations or sell the Hall.
- The annual contract with the Kawartha Region Conservation Authority has been renewed. Flood plan mapping for 400 properties in the Miskwaa Zibi and Nogies Creek areas will be completed in March 2024.
- The new Communications Strategy has been launched, to:
 - Inform
 - Engage
 - Promote
- Two new committees have been created - Environmental and Heritage Advisory Committees. Applications are being accepted to December 13th. (See p. 2)
- Applications for Community Grants are being accepted until January 12th, 2024: [Community Grants](#)
- A Sign Removal Blitz was conducted the week of November 5th, with 439 illegal signs removed. (See p. 2)

NOTE: These are updates selected by me to keep the public informed. Any errors or omissions are mine alone. For more, and to see video recordings of past Council meetings, go to www.trentlakes.ca/council/meetings-agendas-minutes/

Trent Lakes is proud to be a vibrant, resilient, sustainable and environmentally friendly community

A Deeper Dive.....

NEW Advisory Committees

Two new committees have been created to place greater focus on prominent issues.

1. Environmental Advisory Committee

Mandate

To advise, provide guidance, and make recommendations to Council on environmental issues including the protection, conservation, and enhancement of natural assets and resources.

Composition

2 Council members and 5 Community members

EAC terms of reference

2. Heritage Advisory Committee

Mandate

To advise, provide guidance, and make recommendations to Council with respect to heritage preservation including the conservation and stewardship of natural, cultural, and architectural heritage in the municipality.

Composition

2 Council members, 4 Community members and 1 representative from the Greater Harvey Historical Society

HAC terms of reference

Sign Removal Blitz

You may have noticed the proliferation of signs that popped up along our roads during the summer.

Under the Trent Lakes Municipal By-law, no person may erect, alter, attach, place or display a sign without a permit. Limited exceptions apply. Staff have previously removed unpermitted signs throughout the year; however, the owners tend to put up replacements shortly after.

Following a public announcement, teams of staff members travelled municipal roads and removed 439 illegal signs, representing 68 businesses and agencies. We hope this sends a message. It certainly was a welcome reduction in the "sign pollution" that we have seen. (NOTE: We are requesting the County and other Municipalities to also "Step Up" and remove illegal signs on their roads.)

Seated, left to right:

Mayor Sherry Senis, Selwyn
Mayor Carolyn Amyotte, North Kawartha
Deputy Mayor, Carol Armstrong, Trent Lakes
Chief Keith Knott, Curve Lake First Nation

Standing behind them:

Members of the four Councils



Community Hall Meeting

The Municipality owns three community centre facilities – Galway Hall, Cavendish Community Centre and Lakehurst Hall. Each is managed by a volunteer Board of Directors who do a great job of organizing events, activities and meetings throughout the year.

We brought representatives from each Board together to:

- share information about their activities, attendance, and fund-raising efforts,
- consider opportunities to expand activities, increase utilization and diversify attendees.

This first meeting gave everyone a chance to start these conversations and identified areas for future collaboration.

Quad Council Meeting

After a hiatus of 5 years, Trent Lakes initiated a meeting of adjacent Municipalities (North Kawartha and Selwyn) and Curve Lake First Nation.

The meeting was a very positive step toward building a foundation of understanding, trust and respect.

This first session was primarily intended to bring our four Councils together, meet one another and share items of interest and special projects.

Not surprisingly, we affirmed that many of the same issues and opportunities exist for our respective Councils. We discussed the potential for future collaboration on health care, transportation, economic development, environmental protections and senior support services. A follow up meeting will be scheduled.



Weather predictions for this month.

The weather for the 1st to the 7th will typical for this time of the year with equal chances of sun and cloud and many mixed showers are possible for that whole week. The 8th to the 14th will once again bring us seasonable weather conditions with variable skies. The 15th to the 21st is going to be very mild with a mixture of rain and snow showers. The following week of the 22nd to the 28th will find the temperatures to be much warmer than usual. We can expect a storm for the 24th with a mixture of rain, snow and ice. To end the month we will have mild days with cloudy skies.



Pickleball – Winter Schedule

Cavendish Community Centre

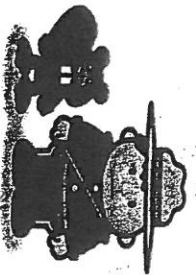
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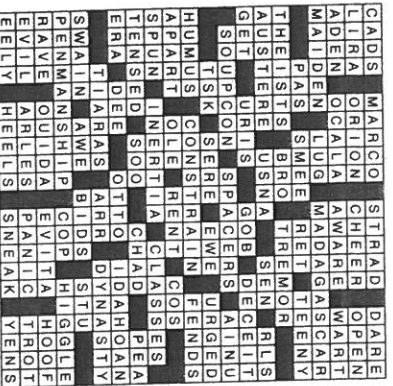
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4. A ship that sank in Lake Superior
5. Quebec
6. Winnipeg
7. False (it's second to Russia)
8. Edmonton
9. True
10. Manitoba

Answers to: Puzzling Times



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The Firefighters' Association Of Trent Lakes

50/50 RAFFLE DRAW FUNDRAISER

Funds raised by this 50/50 draw will help support local charities that serve the community, including Trent Lakes Outreach Centre and Foodbanks.

The winner will be contacted by phone to claim their prize.

**SCAN THE QR CODE OR HEAD TO THE LINK TO
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Draw Date: February 28th

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Identify Animal Tracks

On your next winter hike (if we have any snow), use this chart to identify the species that have walked the area before you.

 Wolf	 Cat	 Fox	 Squirrel
 Bear	 Beaver	 Deer	 Moose
 Cougar	 Duck	 Coyote	 Horse
 Pig	 Raccoon	 Dog	 Frog



Job Posting Junior Planner

Type: Permanent Full-Time, Non-Union
Salary: \$64,140.12 to \$75,464.51 annually and a Competitive Benefits Package
Hours of work: 35 hours per week, Monday to Friday
Department: Building and Planning

The Municipality of Trent Lakes is accepting applications for the position of Junior Planner.

Qualifications:

- Two-year Diploma in Land-Use Planning, GIS, Geography, or a related field.
- Minimum one-year work experience relating to municipal land use planning applications.
- Demonstrated work experience preparing or administering Minor Variance and Re-Zoning applications.
- Knowledge and understanding of Ontario's land use planning system, specifically related to the Planning Act, Provincial Policy Statement and Growth Plan.
- Must have the ability to read, understand and apply County and Municipal official plan policies, zoning by-law regulations, maps, surveys, Planning Act and associated regulations, Provincial Policy Statements, Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe.
- Demonstrated excellent communication and customer service skills.
- Ability to work in a fast-paced environment.
- Proficient with office and mapping software.
- Must have, and maintain, a valid class "G" driver's license with a clean driver abstract.

The full job description is available at <https://www.trentlakes.ca/careers-and-volunteering>.

Let us know why you would be an excellent team member by submitting your application.

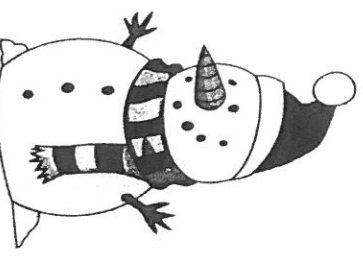
Applications must be clearly marked "Junior Planner" and will be received in confidence no later than 4:00 p.m., Friday, January 12, 2024. Please submit your resume to the Human Resources Coordinator, Municipality of Trent Lakes, 760 Peterborough County Road 36, Trent Lakes, Ontario K0M 1A0. E-mail submissions are acceptable at hr@trentlakes.ca.

We thank all candidates for their interest however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

Candidates are encouraged to inform of any accommodating requests so that they can be dealt with throughout the recruitment process. Personal information is collected pursuant to the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and will be used only to evaluate the suitability of applicants for employment.

Snowman Building Contest

Don't forget to send us a picture of this year's snowman.
Remember to include the dimensions as well.
You can drop them off at the Cavendish Library or
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Councillor – at large	Peter Franzen	705-738-1486	pfranzen@trentlakes.ca
Councillor – Harvey	John Braybrook	705-731-9871	jbraybrook@trentlakes.ca

Regular Council and Planning meetings are held Tuesdays, 1:00 p.m. @ the Municipal Office

Municipal Service Contacts:

Municipal Office	fax: 1-705-738-3801	1 705-738-3800 or 1-800-374-4009
Municipal Website	www.trentlakes.ca	
Fire Chief	Steve Brockbank	1-705-738-3800 ext. 230
Deputy Fire Chief	Shaun Moore	1-705-738-3800 ext. 230
Roads Superintendent	Evan Grieger	1-705-738-3800 ext. 221
Chief Building Official	Barbara Waldron	1-705-738-3800 ext. 225
Cavendish Transfer Station	Don & Blaine	705-657-2490

Community Service Contacts:

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Helen Bowen Branch Library	Sue Warren	705-657-1192	or 705-657-8912
Trent Lakes Outreach Centre-foodbank		705-768-3590	https://tlofoodbank.wordpress.com/
Cavendish Youth Group	Katherine Warren	705-657-8912	kathy507@yahoo.ca
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Cavendish Ratepayers Association Inc. (C.C.R.A.I.):

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Gold Lake Road Association	Greg Harper	705-657-9128
Ratty's Narrows Road	Jamie Langer	705-657-2573

Cavendish Landfill Site Hours of Operation

Summer Hours: April 15th to September 15th: Saturday 8-4, Sunday 11- 7, Monday 8-1 (except on a Holiday Monday than they are 12-8), Wednesday 8 to 12 noon

Winter Hours: September 16th to April 14th: Saturday 8-4, Sunday 11-4, Wednesday 8 -12

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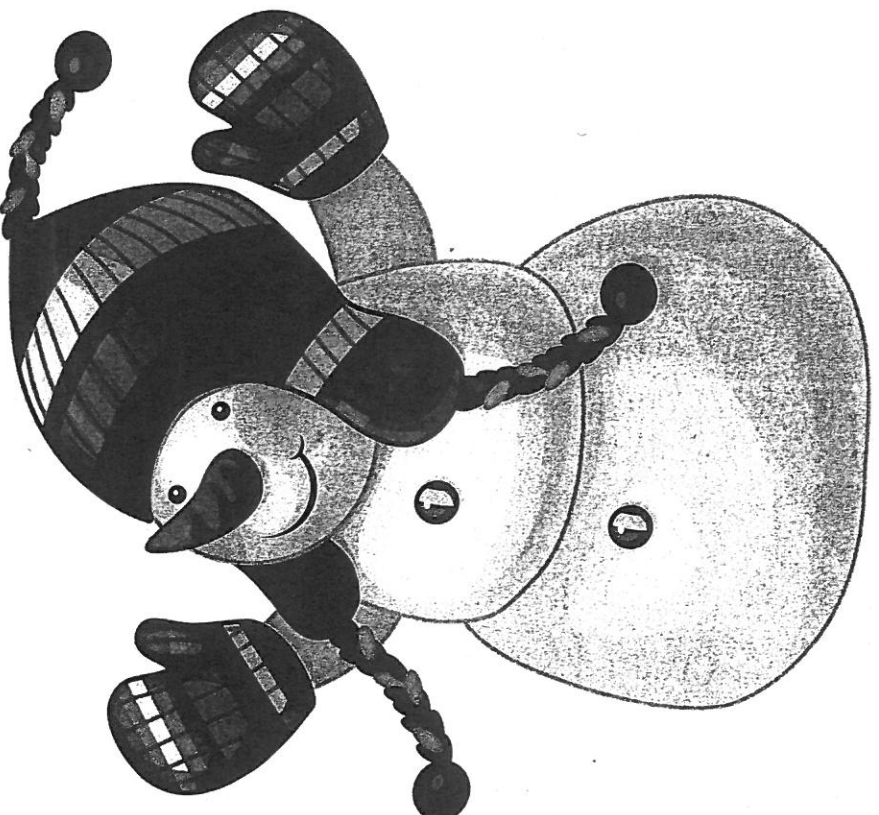
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January

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