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TRICK-OR-FOOD-DONATION, PLEASE! These students at Hummingbird Montessori School – in back, **Helen McQueen**, **Ava Motonok** and **Cypress Lee Arlt** and in front, **Willia Korthals**, **Antonia Scoville** and **Beatrix Karsgaard** – are excited about more than just the candy they’ll receive when they go trick-or-treating on Halloween night. They are also hoping to collect food items for the Clearview Food Bank, and are asking that people have donations on hand that they can collect at your door. In addition, they’ve arranged to have a drop box at this Sunday’s Hallowfest, should people wish to donate food items there.

Hallowfest returns this Sunday

Hallowfest, which made its spooktastic debut this time last year, will return for another round of scary fun this Sunday at the Station on the Green. For a full schedule of events, see pages 8 and 9 of this week’s *Echo*. Admission to Hallowfest is by donation to the General

and Marine Hospital Foundation. The event’s organizers would also like people to know that the Masked Ball, originally scheduled for Saturday night, has been cancelled so that efforts can be made to make Sunday’s Hallowfest better than ever.

BREWERY INCHES CLOSER TO EXPANSION

by Brad Holden
Geoff Davies, the new project manager at Creemore Springs Brewery, has the infectious energy of a man who has found his dream job. He’ll need it, as the next few years at the brewery are shaping up to be busy ones.
Davies was hired by Creemore Springs in May, shortly after the brewery’s expansion plans were approved in principle by the Ontario Municipal Board. The Collingwood resident is now responsible for overseeing all aspects of the expansion, and has been working hard to meet a couple of benchmarks required by the OMB before construction can begin.
The first is to complete a site plan agreement for the project and have it approved by all parties to the OMB hearing. Such a document was not finalized at the time of the OMB decision due to the fact that the brewery still had to gain approval for the expansion from the Ministry of the Environment; at the time, it was acknowledged that process might result in changes to the brewery’s plans, and that site plan approval should wait until those changes were clear.
(See “Creemore Springs” on page 11)

Medical Centre has big plans for addition

by Brad Holden
The Creemore area has a tradition of being generous toward its own health care needs, and Creemore Medical Centre Board Chair **Bill Mann** is encouraged to see that drive remaining strong within the community.
The Medical Centre, after all, was built with \$250,000 raised from residents in the early 1980s, after the then-municipality of Creemore donated a piece of land to the cause. The project was conceived, funds were raised, the building was built and doctors’ offices were opened in a span of about nine months.
Now, the Medical Centre Board is attempting to raise \$350,000 to build an addition on the building that, according to Mann, will provide needed flexibility for Creemore’s health care requirements in the future.
(See “Key” on page 7)





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This Weekend

Friday, October 26

- **Toonie Lunch** at St. Luke's Anglican Church, 22 Caroline Street West from 11:30 am to 1 pm. Come enjoy some homemade soup.

Saturday, October 27

- **Nottawa United Church Halloween Fiesta** on Queen Street, Nottawa will begin with a Costume Parade around the block, then entertainment by Lofty the Clown, games, treats, craft. From 10 am to 12:30 pm. Come for a goul time. Preschool to Grade 8 must be accompanied by an adult. For information call Tammy and Steve at 705-446-1313.
- **St. James' Anglican Church, Clougher-Lisle** will be holding its **Annual Craft, Lunch & Bake Sale** in Lisle Legion Hall from 10 am to 2 pm. Adult Lunch \$8, children \$2. Admission Free. Bring the children to see Mrs Claus and there will be Lucky Draws, Raffle tickets & door prizes.
- **Mad & Noisy Gallery** "Bodies and Beasts: Soleil: Contemporary Exploration of the Human and Animal

Form" continues featuring Juliet Jancso, Paul Corfield, Caroline Routh, Lois Green, Iris Casey & Ann Clifford as they visually celebrate & investigate the imagery of both through clay, wood, paint, line, paper & metal. Until October 29.

- **Come & Go Tea to celebrate Lloyd & Jean Rowbotham's 50th Wedding Anniversary** at Dunedin Hall from 2 to 4 pm. Besh wishes only.
- **Gospel Evening at Dunedin Knox Presbyterian Church** starting at 7 pm featuring the Aldcorn Family. An evening of music & refreshments. Good will offering will be accepted.

CANCELLED – A Masked Ball. Sunday, October 28

- **Church Services** on page 5.
- **Hallowfest** – A community Halloween event presented by Collingwood Hospital Foundation. 10 am to 4 pm at Station on the Green. Fun for all ages – Tricks. Treats. Surprises. Tons of activities for kids such as a Haunted House, Mad Scientist Show, Story

Hour, Thriller Dance Lesson, Zombie Walk, Scream Contest and Hallowfest Market Vendors. Come in costume for tricks and treats. Pay by donation – all proceeds to support the Collingwood Hospital Foundation. www.hallowfest.ca for details.

- **Annual Turkey Supper** with salads and dessert at the Norduff Arena Room in Honeywood. Sponsored by Victoria United Church of Honeywood. Served from 5 to 7 pm. Adults \$14, children \$6 and children under 5 yrs free. Everyone welcome.
- **Make a Joyful Noise – 2nd Annual Gospel Night** at Christ Church, Batteaux at 7 pm. Free will offering, proceeds to Salvation Army Christmas Hamper program. Join our joint choir from our local Anglican churches, the Messy church choir and guest performers. Lots of participation from the congregation as well. Refreshments to follow. Christ Church is located 2.5km east of County Road 124 on Batteaux Road.
- **Clearview Soccer Club Annual General Meeting** at Creemore Arena Hall at 7 pm.

Upcoming Events

Monday, October 29

- **Dunedin Women's Friendship Club** at 7:30 pm at the Dunedin Community Hall. Please bring an extra \$3.50 for a Christmas craft creation. All are welcome.

Tuesday, October 30

- **What the informed person should know about Islam.** Adult education. A 4 week program from 7 to 8 pm at St. John's United Church. This third week's discussion is on Unity in Islam - The Five Pillars. Everyone welcome.
- **Fall Plant Auction** from 7 to 9:30 pm at the Brentwood Community Centre, 9926 County Rd 10.

Wednesday, October 31

- **Halloween Night!** Notice to all young "ghoulies and ghosties" – please visit us at the CREEMORE LOG CABIN from 6 to 8 pm for a Halloween treat.
- **Hummingbird Montessori** children may be asking for a donation to the foodbank instead of candy tonight so have some canned food ready too!
- **Halloween Haunted Vet Hospital** – Drop in to Mad River Veterinary Hospital from 4 pm for trick or treats for pets and people! 2 Francis Street East.

Friday, November 2

- **First Friday Soul Revival** at St. John's United Church at 7:30 pm. Gather with the First Friday Soul Singers, the Bruce Ley Band and Candice Bist for an evening of music and a celebration of

community Mingle with musicians, friends and neighbours over refreshments following the concert. Free will offering.

Saturday, November 3

- **Southern Ontario Dulcimer Association** entertains at Creemore. Experience a unique musical performance at the Station on the Green. Open to the public from 1:30 to 4 pm.
- **Turkey Dinner celebrating Fall** at Centennial United Church, Stayner, from 4:30 to 7 pm. Corner of William and Oak Streets. Adults \$15, children, 6-12 \$6, under 6 free. Entertainment while you wait! Come and bring family & friends. A fundraiser to aid the Church's work.
- **New Lowell United Church's Annual Harvest Beef Dinner** from 5 to 7 pm at the New Lowell Legion on County Rd.9. Adults are \$14, ages 6-12 \$5 and under 6 are fee. Delicious beef dinner with all the trimmings and pies and other desserts. Silent Auction. A great time to do some early Christmas Shopping.

Tuesday, November 6

- **Sara Hershoff & Brad Holden** are on 97.7 The Beach this morning between 9 and 10 am to talk "All Things Creemore". Don't miss it!
- **Friday, November 9 & Saturday, November 10**
- **Musical Moments Concert. A Tribute to the Happy Gang** featuring "John Hart and Friends" at Stroud Presbyterian Church, 2180 Victoria Street, Innisfil, at 7 pm. Tickets \$10. For tickets call 705-436-7939 or 705-431-4337. Tickets must be obtained in advance of the concert date.

Saturday, November 10

- **darci-que Book Signing** at the library from 10 am to 2 pm. She will be signing her latest book, *The adventures of Mollie Doodle Marvin bullies Mollie!*
- **Zumba Fitness Master Class** at Station on the Green. Registration/Doors Open at 9:30 am, Master Class from 10 to 11:30 am. A fundraiser for **Creemore Cats Spay Neuter Release Project**. Door Prizes and a Raffle. Tickets: \$15 in advance or \$20 at the door (drop-in). Purchase advance tickets at Curiosity House Bookstore & Gallery or purchase through PAYPAL link at fitness-fundraisers.com. Space

is limited. All proceeds from this event will go towards Creemore Cats' vet procedures & feral cat care. For more information call Deirdre Pringle at 705-424-9294.

- **Ham & Scalloped Potato Dinner with Apple Crisp** at Rob Roy United Church at 5:30 pm. Musical entertainment to follow by Arnold Montgomery. Tickets \$20. Call 705-445-4828.

Wednesday, November 14

- **Flu Shot Clinic** at Station on the Green from 1 to 7 pm. Book your appointment on-line at www.simcoemuskokahealth.org or by phone at 705-721-7520 or 1-877-721-7520.

Thursday, November 15

- **Open House hosted by the Clearview Community Policing Committee** at the Clearview Council Chambers, 219 Gideon Street, Stayner from 7 to 9 pm. Meet & greet. Light refreshments. Door prizes. www.clearviewcommunitypolicingcommittee.com

Friday, November 16 & Saturday, November 17

- **Second Annual Michael Tupling Memorial Hockey Tournament** at the Honeywood Arena. Includes hockey, music, food, and a silent auction. To register a team, please contact Erin Bailey at 519-923-5842 or through email at leitherin@hotmail.com.

Sunday, November 18

- **St. Luke's Gift of Music** at St. Luke's Anglican Church at 3 pm featuring **TON BEAU STRING QUARTET** presents an afternoon of chamber music. Tariq Harb, award-winning classical guitarist, follows on Nov. 25th. Tickets, \$15, available at Curiosity House Books, the *Echo* and at the door.

Monday, November 19

- **The Retired Women Teachers of Ontario (Blue Mtn. Branch)** welcome newly retired or previously retired woman teachers to share the fellowship offered by our organization. For further information call Marilyn at 705-466-2493. Our meeting is at Jubilee Presbyterian Church, Stayner at 11 am.

Friday, November 23 to Sunday, November 25

- **Inspiration Convention 2012** hosted by **Shelley Hannah**. Keynote speaker, workshops, at a beautiful retreat centre Silver Springs. Friday night dinner & speaker \$45. Weekend from \$285 to \$450. Early bird registration to November 1. Call 705-532-7375. www.inspirationconvention.ca.

Sunday, November 25

- **Eduard Klassen – Harpist with Paraguayan Folk Harp and Inspirational Speaker** at St. John's United Church at 7 pm. Free will offering. Reception to follow. Visit www.eduardklassen.com for details about him.

The Christmas Season

- **Christmas in the Valley.** The Creemore BIA and *Creemore Echo* are compiling a list of all Creemore Christmas events happening. If you would like to have your event be part of the local holiday roster please send the information to sara@creemore.com, fax to 705-466-9908 or call 705-466-9906. Please contact us by November 5 to ensure maximum inclusion.



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NEC hands out award for local home

by Erica Thompson

The location, origins and colours of materials are three elements that help a house find a home on the Niagara Escarpment, according to **John Gordon** of Creemore-based J.W. Gordon Custom Builders Inc. His belief in this trinity has earned Gordon, homeowners **Derek and Diana Ham** and architect **Jamie Douglas** of Young and Wright/IBI Group Architects a Niagara Escarpment Achievement Award for the outstanding design and build of the Hams' Clearview Township home.

At the October 18 award presentation in Mono, Niagara Escarpment Commission (NEC) Chair **Don Scott** acknowledged the parties involved in this project for their adherence to the Niagara Escarpment Plan's policies, noting that their efforts surpassed the Plan's environmental objectives.

"The Niagara Escarpment Plan speaks to maintaining and enhancing the open landscape character of the Niagara Escarpment," said Scott. "Your efforts support these goals, and you have set a wonderful example by incorporating architectural and natural elements to minimize visual impact on the Escarpment's landscape."

The Hams' home is sheltered behind a hilltop, which creates privacy while breaking the prevailing winds, and the grey and brown colour scheme is common in the neighbouring landscape in the form of stone and tree bark. The way it blends into the natural landscape and keeps with local rural architectural heritage led to the recognition from the NEC.

Gordon and Douglas have partnered on four homes to date within Clearview and Mulmur Townships, and each new home has posed unique challenges when



Above: NEC chair **Don Scott**, **John Gordon**, **Jamie Douglas** and NEC Clearview Township representative **Shawn Davidson**. Below: the home for which Gordon and Douglas received their award.



it comes to designing and building within an area renowned as a World Biosphere Reserve. Solutions require innovation, says Gordon, and these are found only through collaboration and imagination.

"I consider myself fortunate to live and work on the Escarpment," he said. "Building quality homes that fit into the natural landscape is really important to me. I try to encourage people to really think about the best place on their land to build, to place laneways and outbuildings. A large house on a cusp of land can break the skyline and interrupt everyone's experience of a valley."

The NEC's Achievement Awards recognize individuals and groups for outstanding accomplishments, including exceptional building design and site landscaping, environmental restorations, and lifetime achievement for outstanding contributions to the conservation and stewardship values embodied in the Niagara Escarpment Plan.

"I really enjoy the process of putting together a house in the country," said Gordon, who tries to use local trades and materials. "I love to be part of discussions from the beginning. Walking a property with landowners and architects before the plans have been completed always leads to a better end result. It takes a partnership to build a home."



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LETTER

“Branding” should incorporate distinct communities

Dear Editor:

I wish to commend Clearview’s Economic Development Committee for bringing the need for putting our Township more emphatically on the map and more meaningfully in the public mind to the attention of Council.

I would suggest, however, a better understanding of the criteria and parameters of the project be considered before budgets and requests to engage suppliers be presented to Council.

“Branding,” a much misconstrued word, means the marketing of an “identity,” be it a can of soup, a corporation, or a place. I suggest an “identity program” be well considered before deciding how and where to market it. An identity supplier is not generally a good marketing supplier.

For consideration: from the EDC’s and Council’s perspective, with their need to attract business and industry to the Township, their focus is primarily

on identifying “Clearview.” But Clearview is an “administrative area,” a generally rural area on the map, not an individual town or village that is identified on the map and by the roadside. Businesses and industry may identify with Clearview for approvals and taxes etc, but they and people at large identify with Stayner, Creemore, Duntroon, Singhampton, New Lowell, Avening, Brentwood, Dunedin, Glen Huron and Nottawa, because that’s where they live, play, work and shop. And those places are where those attracted to the area visit. People don’t go to Clearview... they go to a place in Clearview!

I suggest that consideration be given to an identity program, wherein the design concept, established in the “Clearview” identity design, be carried, by theme, into individual identities for each community in the Township. The cumulative result would effect a much more powerful impact, in serving the purpose of the program.

An “identity program” is not just for the people we wish to attract. A community’s identity is of primary importance to those whose home is here. A program such as this would enhance

each constituent’s pride of place and sense of belonging. It also shows a level of sophistication and professionalism, on the part of the Township Council, for making it happen. A well-designed identity program would be an investment of immeasurable benefit to the future of our Township and its individual communities.

This is not the first time Clearview’s EDC has recognized the need for a comprehensive identity program. About 15 years ago, the EDC of the time made a proposal to Council that included all of the above. It’s sitting on a shelf somewhere. I suggest today’s EDC dust it off and save the Township a pile of money.

John Wiggins, Clearview Township

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POEM

Flight of the Bobolink

Flight of the Bobolink.
Something here really stinks.
I wanna hear the sweet bird songs.
Highland you’ve got it all wrong.

They scared away the Bobolink
and threaten the water that we drink.
They burned down all the sold out farms
and don’t seem to care about what is harmed.
It comes as no surprise.
They’re greedy and full of lies.

But what about the Bobolink,
the precious water that we drink,
and the rich soil to grow our food?
I don’t like their attitude.

They want more money at any cost.
That’s a sign that they’re truly lost.
Maybe they will hear nature’s call,
from Bobolink one and all.

What about the river and fish?
Could someone here make a wish?
That we’ll protect the water, air, and land.
Together we will make the stand...

Patrick Keating, Singhampton

LETTER

Branding should not be the priority

Letter to the Echo:

The idea that Clearview may spend up to \$75,000 of taxpayer monies for consulting advice on “rebranding” the Township would be entertaining if it were not so ludicrous.

Our esteemed Council and staff have been particularly inept at attracting new business investment or in giving support to new residential development. However, they are really good at spending our taxes in ways that produce zero revenue for the Township.

The strategy of our Planning Department, their ever increasing development charges and the rigidity of their bylaws all seem designed to deter new investment, whether it be commercial or residential.

At the same time, the Council spends based on development charge revenue projections that are insanely out of touch with market reality and as a result our real estate taxes and water charges increase at rates well above inflation.

Rebranding would be a terrific idea if it followed a serious study of these systemic and well-recognized problems and the implementation of progressive solutions. Otherwise, a rebranding initiative will be just another waste of taxpayer dollars and will still leave the emperor with no clothes.

Rowland Fleming, Creemore

CALL FOR ARTISTS

Clearview seeks art for next Rec Guide

Clearview Township is once again looking to feature the work of one local visual artist on the cover of its 2013 Spring-Summer Culture and Recreation Guide.

Any professional or emerging artist who is an adult resident, property owner or business owner in Clearview Township or any student of high school age or older whose parents own or rent property in Clearview Township may submit an entry. The artwork must reflect the spring-summer season in Clearview, with priority given to work portraying local recreational and/or cultural opportunities.

“We had an overwhelmingly positive response to the work of **darci-que**, the cover artist for our current fall-winter edition,” said **Jacqueline Soczka**, the Township’s community, culture and recreation programmer. “We want to continue our support of the cultural momentum that is currently taking place in Clearview.”

The selected image will appear on over 6,000 copies of the Culture and Recreation Guide, which is distributed to every household within the Township.

Local artists are asked to submit a photo of their original, hand-made artwork to the Township by Friday, November 30 at 4 pm. For more information, contact Soczka at jsoczka@clearview.ca, 705-428-6230 ext. 249 or visit www.clearview.ca.



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Creemore Big Heart Seniors

It was our 12 noon pot luck lunch day, so after **Bob Veale** gave the blessing, we all sat down to an array of varied and plentiful tasty food. It still amazes me that at any given pot luck, where I half-expect that “today is the day” that the food will be all salads, or all desserts, somehow we always end up with a great assortment of varied dishes. This all comes about without any planning or organizing, although some folks are known for their “signature” dishes, such as **Irma Flack** and **Janice Stephens** for homemade buns; **Bob Veale** for Mac and Cheese casserole; **Marj Thomson** for pie; **Mary Underhill** for fresh fruits and veggies plus other things; **Eileen Giffen** for homemade tarts; and so on. Every so often you see a magazine article that has everything, up to and including a menu, to be given to folks who are invited to your “pot luck.” All this planning, and running off menus, etc, etc, certainly nullifies the very idea of a “pot luck,” which originated with the idea that you would attend, and bring whatever you had in the pot for your own meal. At any rate, we all thoroughly enjoyed it, and then our “kitchen magicians” took over, and clean-up was completed in short order.

Bob Veale then announced that Jim Murray, one of our members from the Beach, had passed away. Jim had been fighting cancer for some time. Our condolences go out to his wife, **Doreen**, and to all their family at this sad time.

Bob also thanked **Gayle Gordon**

SENIORS



Sylvia
GALE

for adding to our stash of goodies. After a couple of cute jokes from **Bob McNicol**, the 50 of us who had assembled settled in for our day.

The 50/50 draws went to **Beulah Dunn, Marj Thomson, May Johnston, Marg Hope (2), Martin Verstraten** and **Marion Kelly**. (It looks as if having your first name start with an “M” was a big help in this draw today!)

Moon shots were played by **Toosje Vasvari** (who dealt herself the first hand of the first game, which turned out to be a moon shot!). She was followed by **Jim Rigney, Dave Smith (2), Janice Stephens, Roy Veinot, Brian McGill (3)** (Wow! Nicely done, Brian!) **Mary Gilchrest, Vi Matthews, Warren Gale** and **Toosje Vasvari**, who not only had the first, but also the last moon shot of the day. So Toosje won the travelling prize, and **Jim Rigney** won the Sidewinders loot, as well as his off-the-cuff wager with **Warren**.

Wow! **Marg Hope**’s high score today will be a hard one to beat! She ended up with 372 points, followed by **Lillian Hilts 299, Jim Ferguson 293** and **Elsie Longson** with 251. After all his above winning, our chap with low score was none other than **Jim Rigney** with 121.

We would like to send out our very best wishes, and a big “Get Well Soon” to **Irma Flack**’s niece, and **Elaine (Flack) Tryon**’s granddaughter, **Amanda**, who successfully came

through a double lung transplant recently. Here’s hoping for a continued recovery, **Amanda** – and did you ever think your feet could swell that much? Thank goodness it’s temporary!

Our thanks to **June Hartley** for donating more wool to our “Nancy stash,” and thanks to the good neighbour that brought our blue boxes in for us, and thanks again to **Irma Flack** for what must be the end of her garden’s goodies, considering how white the hills have been.

We have a bus going to Rama on Tuesday, November 6, and this is our second last trip for this year. We then have one trip in December, and will likely start up again in April, 2013.

Recently, it came to our attention that there was a card game, held at a private residence, that really became quite a conundrum. You see, **Jim** and **Marg Ferguson** were visiting at **Morris** and **Carol Tymchuck**’s in Duntroon, and, as usual, a game of bid euchre broke out. They chose partners, with Jim and Morris playing against Carol and Marg. Before too long, Morris tried, and successfully made, a moon shot. He then got to wondering if **Irma Flack**, our Seniors Treasurer and “Paymaster,” would pay him for his moon shot. Morris then contacted Irma, and asked her if the \$1 was paid if you were in a private residence. Irma decreed that she thought not, but to be sure, called an emergency meeting of our Seniors executive to puzzle this out. This is now well on into the later hours of the night, and **Bob Veale, Ray Leighton, Barb Cudmore, Irma, Yours Truly** and candy gal **Barb Pilon** should have all been home in our beds. But some said “sure – go ahead and pay,” while some others said “no way.” We were getting to the point of dousing Morris in in a big pond of cold water for bringing up the thought of getting

paid when somebody suggested that, being as we were all in Clearview Township, the Township executive should be queried.

Well, let me tell you, the Mayor was not really gung ho about calling an emergency meeting in the wee small hours of the morning over us paying out \$1, and he really sounded frosty when we asked – politely – if the Township would pay this money, and set up a system to defray future costs. His answer, after some deliberation with his Council, the firefighters and the roads and grounds folks, etc, was a resounding “No!” We then reminded him that we were all taxpayers. I’m not sure just what he meant by saying, sotto voce, “This Township could do with a few less of some taxpayers, and a few more loony bins!” And wait – can he really cut off our snowplowing and our garbage pickup? We countered with the Tymchuck’s pioneer roots and their good name, and the threat of a “grass roots” uprising. This just caused the Mayor to shake his head, and Ken and company went home to bed.

We then went to the “court of last resort” – public opinion. So we canvassed the *Echo* for their opinion. Their answer? “We’re neutral. We print the news, we don’t generate it.” Meanwhile, these Duntroon bid euchre bandits were still merrily playing cards when the Seniors executive contacted them and Irma said to Morris, “We will only pay you for your moon shot if we can see the whites of your eyes when you play it at Seniors. But after having lost all this sleep, just don’t count on too much white around your eyes after we catch you!”

Just kidding, guys – you’re welcome to come play anytime. But on sober second thought, how *do* we go about convincing the Township to pay our bills?

LOCAL CHURCH DIRECTORY

Sunday, October 28

CREEMORE UNITED PASTORAL CHARGE

Sunday Services :

Avening 9 am; New Lowell 10:15 am;
St. John’s Creemore 11:30 am.
• Sun Nov 11: Remembrance Service at New Lowell
U.C. at 9 am (no other service that day so you can go
to the Legion service at 10:30 am)

Knox Presbyterian Church, Dunedin

Worship & Sunday School at 10 am
Sermon: “To See or be Seen”

**Saturday, Oct 27: Gospel Night at
7 pm featuring the Aldcorn Family**

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HEADING TO ITALY Creemore residents **Tristan Stableforth** and **Dylan Durham**, along with **Jacob Shaw**, are members of the Wasaga Beach Under-18 soccer team that has been selected to play in an international tournament in Italy next March. Together, the boys are attempting to raise \$3,000 toward the trip. Watch future issues of the *Echo* for details about their fundraising efforts.



A GREAT SURPRISE One of Creemore's finest citizens, **Ken Thornton**, was treated to a surprise 94th birthday party at Affairs Bakery last Thursday. Arranged by his good friend **Laura Walton**, the party saw the entire restaurant filled with well-wishers. Here's to many more, Ken!



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Key to Med Centre expansion is flexibility

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While it's hoped that the addition will provide room for one additional family practice upstairs with the ability to serve an additional 1,500 to 1,800 people and perhaps a nurse practitioner as well, what's equally exciting is the plan for a multi-use room in the basement.

"There are any number of things that could happen in that room," said Mann. His Board has had preliminary conversations with LifeLabs about the possibility of hosting laboratory/diagnostic services a couple of mornings a week. The new South Georgian Bay Community Health Centre in Wasaga Beach delivers targeted services for seniors, people with addictions and people with disabilities, and those services might be interested in setting up shop in Creemore from time to time. There are heart and diabetes specialists in Collingwood who, if they could make appointments for 10 or 12 local patients in one day, might want to take over the room and run a temporary clinic. Perhaps a new physician might be tempted to run an after-hours clinic in the space.

"The point is, all of these things can be negotiated, but we need the addition first," said Mann. "This project is not just about getting a new physician, it's about enabling all kinds of different things to happen."

A lot of these plans reflect the desires of residents, gathered during a phone survey conducted last year and confirmed

during a first public meeting concerning the fundraising drive last week.

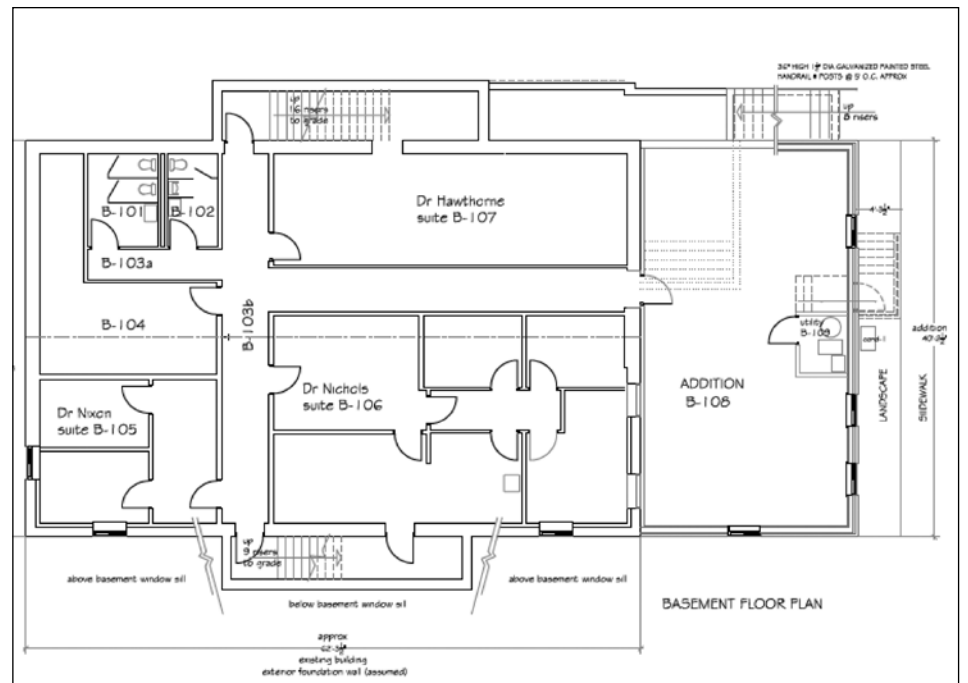
The survey showed that only 25 per cent of 3,000 respondents in the Medical Centre's catchment area – from Duntroon in the north to Highway 89 in the south and from Maxwell in the west to Brentwood in the east – were on the roster of the four family physicians currently working out of the building. Further, half of the remaining 75 per cent did not have their own family doctors, instead relying on after-hours clinics for their healthcare needs.

With an aging population, 80 per cent of respondents felt their health and wellness needs would increase in the next five years. There is also a trend, said Mann, towards newly retired residents wanting to switch their healthcare services from Toronto to the local area.

"With all of these trends, it's obvious that the Creemore Medical Centre has the ability to be more than just a building," said Mann. "We really see ourselves as being a health facility that supports the broadbased wellness of the community as a whole."

The Medical Centre Board has currently raised \$151,000 toward its goal. Clearview Township is also borrowing \$150,000 toward the total project cost of \$500,000.

Mann and his team are busy working the phones, but if you haven't heard from them and wish to contribute, you can call 705-466-6233.



Drawings for the lower level of the Medical Centre, showing the multi-use room in the lower part of the addition on the east side.

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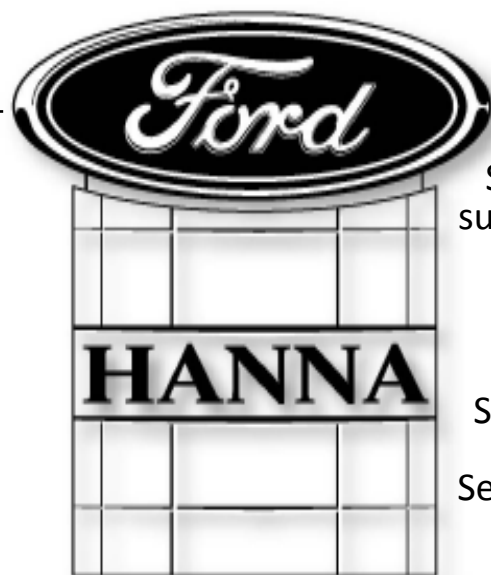
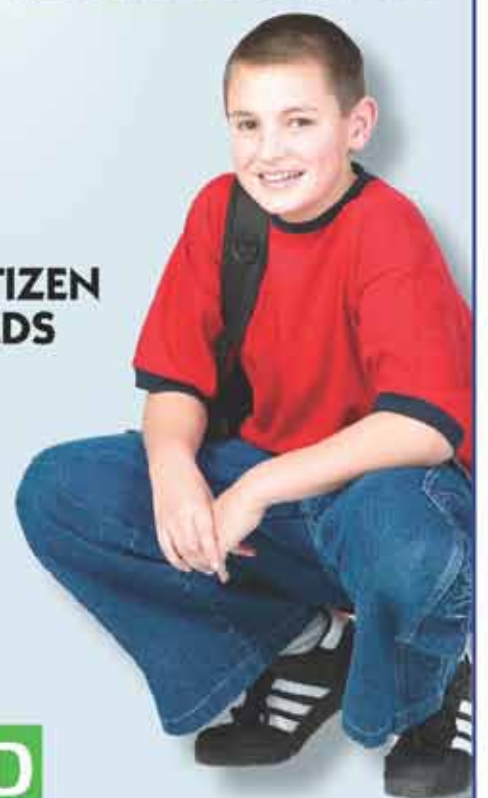


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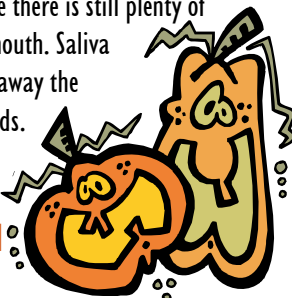
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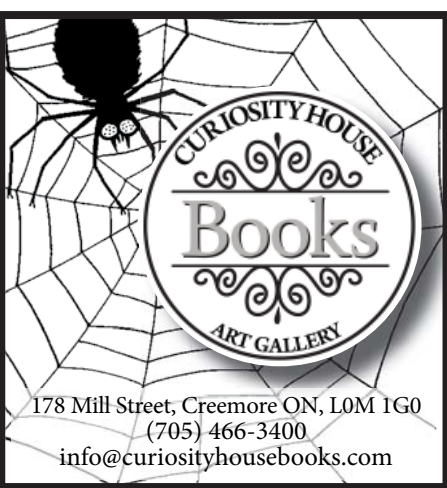
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A chance to buy some local beef

New Lowell News

Local 4H boys **Zach, Clay and Luke Whitley** are winding up their 4H year in style this year at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto, where they will show their calves at the Queen's Guineas Show and Sale on Friday, November 2 and Saturday, November 3.

All of the boys, along with their sister **Jessica**, have been involved in the Clearview 4H Beef Club from the time they turned 10, which is the minimum age for a 4H member. Each member has to raise and train a beef calf from the spring to the fall and then show the calf at their achievement day, held at the Great Northern Exhibition.

In order to be able to qualify to show at the Royal/Queens Guineas, 4H members must participate and succeed at a minimum of two other shows. The three Whitley boys actually participated in five fairs, from Barrie to Arthur, and brought home 1st, 2nd and 3rd at many of the competitions.

The 4H members are evaluated on both the conformation of the animal as well as their specific showmanship skills. The members must carefully monitor the feed rate and composition of the intake to assure the animal looks appropriate for the judges. Since the Whitleys do not use any hormones or steroids to feed their animals, the feeding has to be just right in order to be competitive. The showmanship is a result of the amount of training the animal has received as well as the presentation of the animal for the judges. The boys start in June and spend a multitude of hours to train the animals slowly, in a caring and humane way, so they can control the 1,500-pound animals in the show ring. The judges can easily tell if an animal is not enjoying the experience in the show ring, and the member will place at the bottom of the class.

Although many people might think that 4H is a thing of the past, the Clearview Beef Club is alive and well, with over 15 members this year showing a mix of breeding females and market steer cattle. The members meet monthly and have specific skills they have to learn throughout the season in order to be successful. Along with raising and training their respective calves, they have to participate in judging competitions that require the members to make a decision and explain the rationale for the decision. This life skill can be applied to any situation from buying clothes to purchasing a house.

4H Canada offers many opportunities to its members to help them expand their viewpoint and interaction with members across the country. All four Whitleys have participated in Youth Leadership camps as well as Discovery Days for the younger members.

This past summer, Zach had an opportunity to live with a 4H member from Red Deer, Alberta and then have the same 4H member live with his family. This



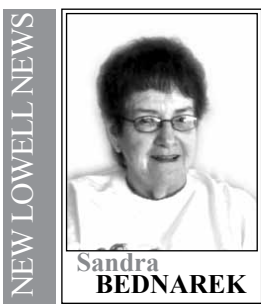
Clay, Luke and Zach Whitley with the calves they will show at next week's Royal Winter Fair.

exchange opportunity was funded by Heritage Canada. The members get a real sense of the similarities across the country, along with the unique local differences as well. The Alberta exchange who came to the Whitleys had never witnessed a drainage machine operate or seen cattle in a barn (as opposed to outdoor yards). The most amazing thing, however, was milk in a bag!

The Whitley boys have been quite successful with the local fairs and are looking forward to the higher level of competition at the Royal next week. They will compete against approximately 50 top notch cattle from across the province. The Queen's Guineas has a heritage that goes back to the beginning of the Royal Winter Fair, when it was established to encourage farmers to improve their genetics and thus the output at a lower cost from this necessary food source.

The reality of the beef industry is that these animals are raised for one purpose, and that is to provide food for someone. Although the boys have worked very closely with the animals to train and prepare them, they also know that this is their opportunity to turn their hard work into financial benefit. The boys are true farmers and each of them have plans for the money they will receive for their animal. Clayton is saving for a three-month education exchange to Australia from January to April 2013. Zach is saving for his tuition for an Engineering degree starting next year, and Luke is looking forward to expanding his own cow herd.

Since this is the first time the Whitleys have qualified to attend the Queen's Guineas they need to arrange buyers for the beef. The organizers provide members with free passes to the Royal for their buyers, in addition to taking care of the details related to processing of the beef. There is a premium typically paid by the buyers at the Royal, with full knowledge that the money is going to support hardworking, grass-roots young adults get started with their life pursuits. If you would like to support these local boys by purchasing some or all of the beef, please contact them at 705-466-3541.



Fall is doing its predictably unpredictable thing, with weather ranging from warm to cool and damp. Most people have their gardens all ready to be put to sleep. The sound of the geese over the village is a true sign that winter will soon come. Remember the little ones on Halloween night will be out and about and safety will not be on their minds. Drive cautiously on all the roads on October 31.

The New Lowell United Church invites you to their Annual Harvest Beef Dinner on Saturday, November 3, happening from 5 to 7 pm. It is held at the New Lowell Legion on County Road 9. The cost is \$14 per adult, \$5 for ages 6 to 12 and under 6 are free. Delicious desserts will be included in the price of the meal. Don't forget that there is always a silent auction during the evening. This is a great time to get some early shopping done for Christmas.

On November 11 the New Lowell United Church will worship at 9 am. This Remembrance Service of Worship will be the only service in the Creemore Pastoral Charge. Everyone is invited to the service. It will be finished in time for those who wish to attend a Legion service at 10:30 am.

The New Lowell Public School will be hosting a spaghetti dinner on Thursday, November 15. This event, along with a silent auction, will be a fundraiser for the Grades 7/8 field trip in the spring.

All seniors are invited to the New Lowell Legion on Wednesdays starting at 1 pm to enjoy a game of euchre. This is followed by refreshments and lots of chatter.

Sympathy of the community goes out to **Marg Duff** and family on the recent death of Ken. Many friends, family and neighbours gathered to express their sympathy at Steven Bridge's Funeral Home in Angus. Ken's welcoming smile will be missed throughout the village. Many people have fond memories of him.

Condolences are also sent to the **Sampson** family on the sudden death of Conner.

The Guides, Brownies and Sparks are out selling their cookies. If you have not had a visit please call **Tammy Samuels** at 424-5252. The funds they receive for their boxes of cookies go toward their camping, crafts and community work.

The Brentwood Horticulture is hosting their October meeting on the Tuesday, October 30 at the Brentwood Hall starting at 7:30 pm. The theme of this meeting is "Fall Auction of Fall Plants," They are a very active group and wish to invite you to join.

This will be my last column before the bewitching night of Halloween. Have a safe "boo-ti-ful" one.

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We look forward to seeing you at this event and appreciate all of your support!!!

Creemore Springs hopes to begin expansion in early 2013

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Working concurrently with the MOE, Creemore Springs submitted detailed drawings to Clearview Township in the summer, and received comments back from the municipality soon after. According to Davies, those comments were minimal, asking mostly for aesthetic things like wider sidewalks and wrought-iron fencing on the corners of the property to enhance visibility for drivers making turns. The brewery has since modified its drawings to meet the Township's demands, and a final site plan application is expected to be submitted at the beginning of November. At that point, copies of the proposed site plan will also be distributed to the other parties to the hearing, Simcoe County and neighbours **Paul Vorstermans** and **Christine and Austin Boake**.

If all parties agree to the final site plan, they must then present it to the OMB, likely during a teleconference. Davies is hoping – “You have to work toward something,” he says of his habit of making optimistic predictions – that this can all be done by the end of the year.

The second requirement of the OMB decision, one that's taken considerable time and investment over the past few months, was for the brewery to obtain two Environmental Compliance Approvals from the Ministry of the Environment – one for its existing operation and one for the proposed expanded facility. As Creemore Springs vice president and brewmaster **Gordon Fuller** explained during the OMB hearing, the brewery had always operated with a Ministry of Environment Certificate of Approval for its air emissions, but had never been aware it needed one for noise and odour until it started planning the expansion.

On the noise side, consultants for the brewery determined all potential “points of impact” in the neighbourhood around the brewery and have since satisfied the Ministry of Environment that all sources of offending noise have been dealt with, save one – the loading of the malt silo, which is currently situated on the front of the building. That operation will be moved to the rear of the building as part of the expansion, so the brewery has been given a temporary pass with regard to that source.

The odour issue was a more difficult one, with the MOE requiring that no smell coming from the brewery be greater than one Odour Unit in scale, with an Odour Unit defined as the point when 50 per cent of the population cannot detect the smell. After first flirting with the idea of a tall stack, the brewery instead installed a \$250,000 odour abatement and heat recycling unit on the building's roof in July. Capturing all vapours discharged from the brewhouse, the unit separates out all odour-causing elements and reroutes them back under the kettle, where they are fed into the combustion chamber and burnt. Additionally, the unit captures previously wasted heat and allows it to be re-used in the brewing process, increasing the plant's energy efficiency.

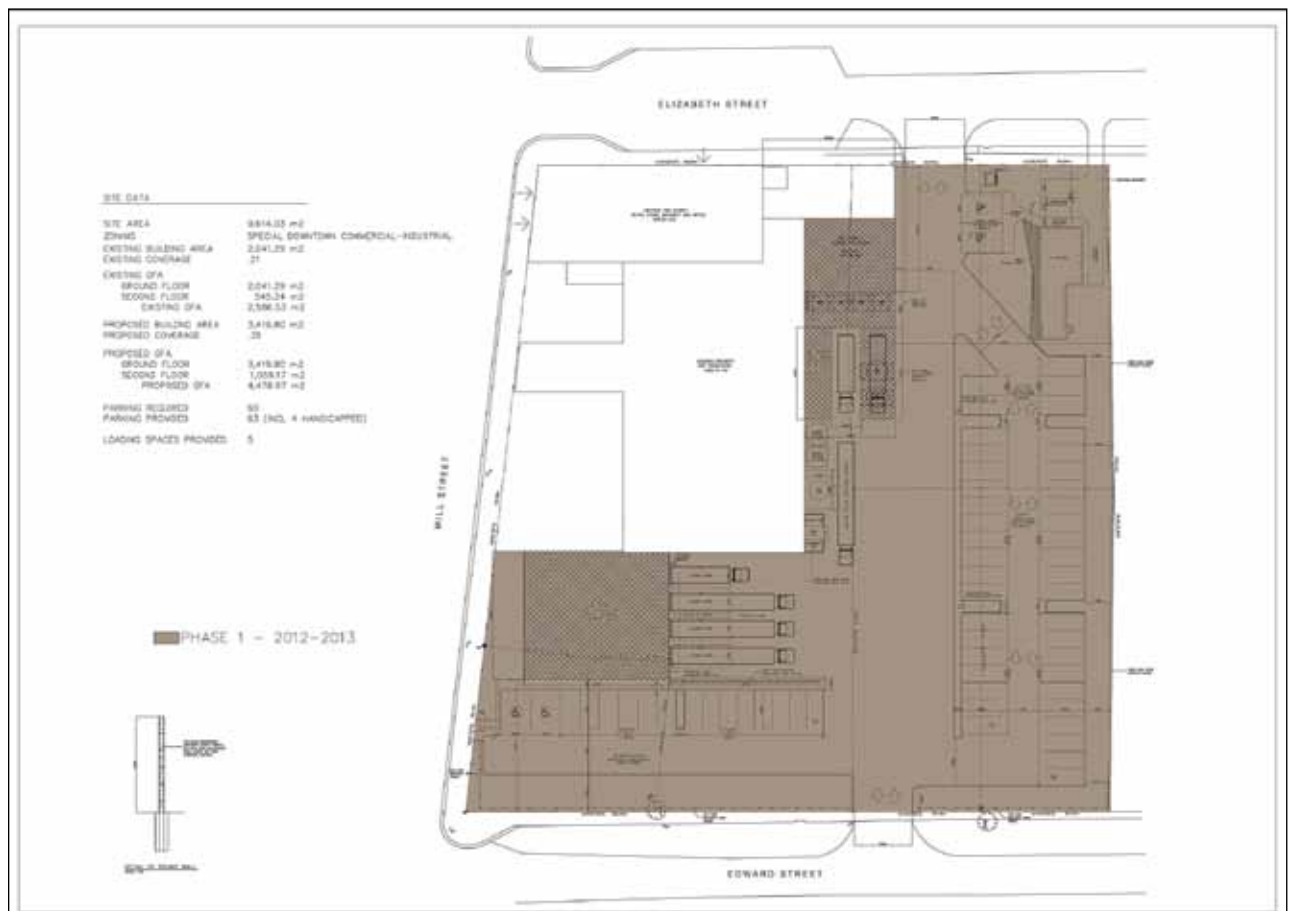
With the addition of the odour abatement unit, the Ministry of Environment now agrees with the brewery's consultants that all emissions from Creemore Springs' current operations measure less than one Odour Unit. Davies also pointed out that the brewery is in the process of taking voluntary measures to further mitigate odour, in an effort to be a good neighbour.

With both noise and odour taken care of with regard to existing operations, Davies has now moved on to the future, and in mid-September the brewery submitted an application to the Ministry of Environment for an amended Environmental Compliance Approval to cover the planned expanded operation. The MOE does have a backlog of these applications, and the brewery was informed that it may take three to eight months before the new ECA can be granted.

“Obviously, we're hoping for three, so we can get everything wrapped up by the end of the year,” said Davies. “And the reason why is that Creemore Springs is doing really well. There would be great harmony with our business plan were we able to get going by the end of the first quarter of next year.”



Above: Creemore Springs project manager **Geoff Davies** stands in front of the brewery's new rooftop odour abatement unit (the design and installation of which he was quick to give credit to brewmaster **Gordon Fuller** and maintenance crew **John Stephenson** and **Gary Melonhorst**). Below: the drawings for the first phase of the brewery's expansion (outlined in brown), now scheduled to take place in 2013.



The project's first phase, which Davies is optimistic could get underway as early as mid-January, would include the new and relocated infrastructure at the back of the building (including six new 45,000-litre fermentation tanks, indoor spent-grain offloading, covered malt delivery and an indoor silo, water and CO₂ tanks and garbage storage); the new 450-square-metre warehouse with four rear-side truck bays on the south side of the existing building; the water and sewer site works; and parking and landscaping on the south and east sides of the property. The goal is to have the infrastructure on the back finished and beer in the new fermenters by April 1, the site works, parking and landscaping done by summer and the warehouse done by fall.

The project's second phase, encompassing new office space, a new facade on Mill Street, and three more fermentation tanks, would be completed in 2014 and 2015. In the meantime, Clearview Township is requiring an “interim appearance plan” featuring temporary landscaping and reusable trees and flower pots in order to maintain a pleasing view from Mill Street until the second phase is completed.

Another component of the brewery's plans fell into place on September 17, when the company's new distribution facility opened on Airport Road just south of Stayner. Seven full-time staff, whose duties

relate primarily to distribution, have relocated to that location, and all of the small delivery trucks that have traditionally picked up beer directly from the brewery are now operating out of the new facility.

Davies also said a great deal has been done to improve drivers' behaviours around the brewery. A strict no-idling rule has been put in place, trucks are parked in front of Creemore Springs only, and when drivers arrive in Creemore in the early morning before the brewery is open for business, they are now asked to wait outside of town.

“We've tried to encourage an overall culture of courteousness, rather than just impose a list of rules,” said Davies. “And that goes for all of our staff. We know this expansion is going to be disruptive, and the best thing we can do is be good citizens and good neighbours.”

To that end, Davies and Fuller continue to sit on an advisory committee set up by the OMB that includes representation from all the parties to the hearing. That committee has been kept abreast of all of the brewery's developments and has had some good input into how things are proceeding.

“The committee will really become a liaison with the community once the construction gets started,” said Davies.

Seen & Heard around Creemore

A Little Queen

One of Creemore's newest residents, **Geneviève Marquis**, was crowned Queen in the 0-11 month-old girls category at the Candyland Pageant, held in Barrie on September 30. With this win, Geneviève will go on to compete in the Grand Finals in Barrie (date to be announced) and the International Grand Finals in St. Catharines (on August 24/25, 2013).



Georgian Bay Reads

The Best Laid Plans by **Terry Fallis**, represented by **Ashley Kulchycki** of the Collingwood Library, won the People's Choice Award at last weekend's Georgian Bay Reads Battle of the Books, and *The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie* by **Alan Bradley**, represented by Wasaga Beach Deputy Mayor **Dave Foster**, won the prestigious Georgian Bay Reads 2012 prize. On behalf of the Clearview Public Library, **Michele McKenzie** (Library Outreach) and **Jennifer La Chapelle** (CEO) would like to wholeheartedly thank Clearview Township treasurer **Edward Henley** for his passionate defense of *Neuromancer* by **William Gibson**.



An Educational Visit

Three generations of **McArthur** farmers – **Milt**, **Robert** and **Rusty** – welcomed a group of crop researchers and plant breeders from China being hosted by the University of Guelph last week. The group visited the McArthurs to observe the harvesting and weighing of a test plot of corn. In the above photo, Milt (left) stands with the visitors, who included **Liu Wei** (centre), the chairman of the Jidong Seed Industry in the Jilin Province of China.



Farm Tour

Over 700 adults and children from Dufferin County and surrounding area took part in a Dufferin Farm Tour earlier this month. Admission for the tour was a donation for the local food banks. 1,220 pounds of food and \$330 cash was distributed to the three food banks in the County. The organizers wish to thank all of the farms (like Auldcroft Angoras, pictured here), as well as their many sponsors and volunteers.



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Snow/ice must be removed from the steps, ramps, and walkways at these locations prior to 9am Tuesday through Saturday. Ice melter and snow shovels are provided at each location. There is no requirement to quote on both jobs.

**Quotes are to be submitted to the undersigned by November 15th: J. La Chapelle, CEO
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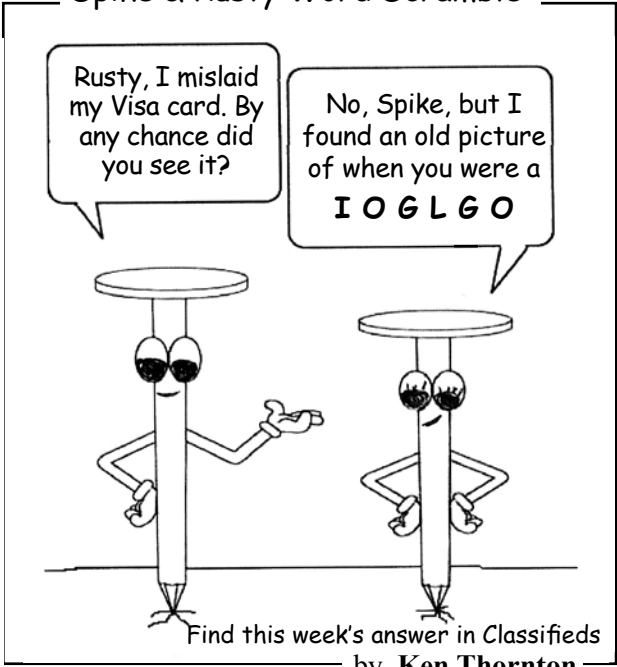


FUN & Games

Sudoku by Barbara Simpson

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Spike & Rusty Word Scramble



Find this week's answer in Classifieds by Ken Thornton

CREEMORE Weekend Weather

Friday, October 26

Cloudy with showers
High 15 Low 7 Winds NW 25 km/h
POP 70%

Saturday, October 27

Light rain
High 7 Low 3 Winds N 20 km/h
POP 70%

Sunday, October 28

Variable cloudiness
High 6 Low 3 Winds N 30 km/h
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The AVRIDGE FARM

by JEFF WILSON



Brian's Canadian Crossword

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ACROSS

- #0198
- 1 Cotton swabs
 - 6 Dawn (clothing line)
 - 11 Education tax shelters
 - 16 Duke and earl, e.g.
 - 18 Went off course
 - 20 Popular font choice
 - 21 House address?
 - 22 Entertain with stories
 - 23 Paramecium locomotion
 - 24 Toreadors
 - 26 In a luminous way
 - 28 Grey, in Gaspé
 - 30 Conservative Canadian investment
 - 31 Trendy tie
 - 32 Tears down completely
 - 34 Month for springing forward
 - 37 Audible range
 - 42 Nike's main rival
 - 44 Nike clothing material
 - 46 Hot Mexican treat
 - 47 Impressive array
 - 49 Inuit canoe
 - 51 Tripping and holding, e.g.
 - 52 Unit of energy
 - 53 Downed
 - 55 Place for a driving critic (2)
 - 57 Made beer
 - 59 Dejected
 - 60 William Shatner role in the

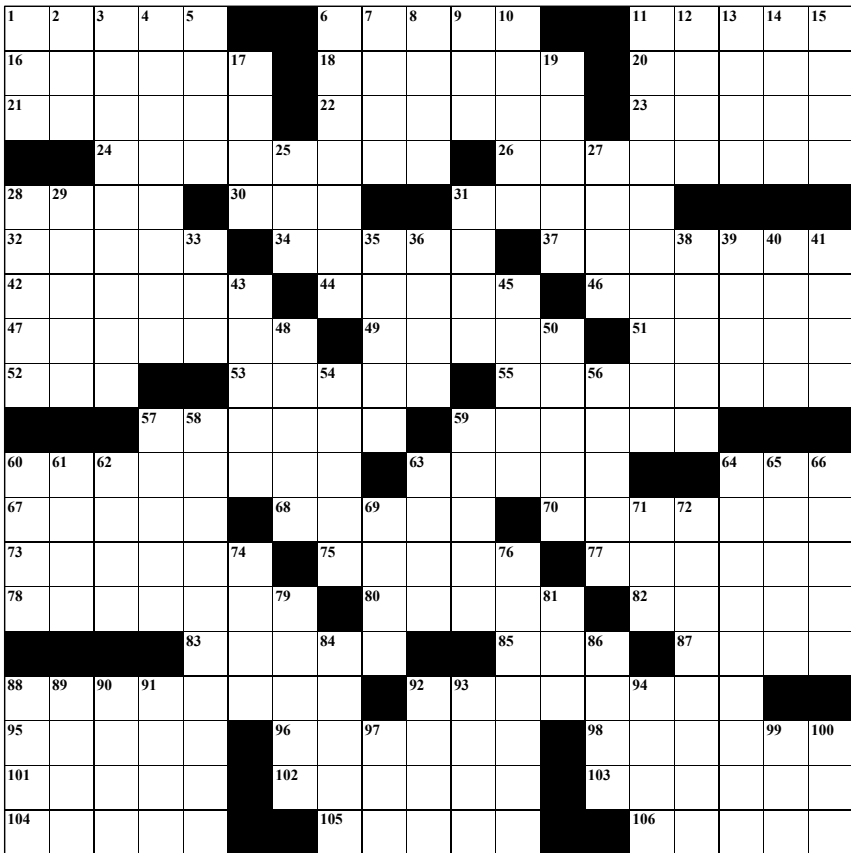
1980s (3)

- 63 First appearance
- 64 Bay St. sports arena, briefly
- 67 Return on investment
- 68 Sink attachment
- 70 Small hunting dog
- 73 Coated with metal
- 75 Holding company once owned by Conrad Black
- 77 High (1941 film)
- 78 Dog of country music (2)
- 80 Term paper
- 82 Auto and GATT
- 83 Radiates
- 85 Org. that publishes Salute!
- 87 Mad sprint
- 88 Toronto Olympic sportscaster Don
- 92 Pipes up (2)
- 95 Put a spell on
- 96 My Girl lead singer David
- 98 Madness
- 101 Pancho, to Cisco
- 102 Petro-Canada CEO Maurice
- 103 Live And (Paul McCartney & Wings)
- 104 Person of interest to Peter C. Newman
- 105 Calgary in 1988 and Vancouver in 2010

106 Camouflaged amphibians

DOWN

- 1 Gal. fractions
- 2 Reward for those who wait
- 3 Cataloguing
- 4 By all means! (2)
- 5 Spinoff group
- 6 Canada's experimental flying saucer
- 7 Product of Nova Scotia's Alexander Keith
- 8 Panhandles
- 9 Big Band, e.g.
- 10 Shouts
- 11 Greyhound gathering places
- 12 Activist Brockovich
- 13 Mackenzie River mud
- 14 Beach bucket
- 15 Break up with humour
- 17 Catch a fly
- 19 Tennis tie
- 25 Not too bright
- 27 Winter wear
- 28 Fruit of the vine
- 29 Weather forecasting tool
- 31 Hello, at sea
- 33 Maple goo
- 35 Piled maple leaves
- 36 Greenish blue
- 38 Overhead tennis shot
- 39 In ship shape
- 40 Stew pot
- 41 Try out
- 43 Glossy
- 45 Coffee company founded in Vancouver
- 48 Went off course at sea
- 50 Done for
- 54 firma
- 56 Quotes
- 57 Makes a run for it
- 58 Kept control over (3)
- 59 Drop-down lists
- 60 Proofreader's find
- 61 Alberta actress Hennessy (Law & Order)
- 62 Top of a brew
- 63 Lodgings
- 64 Part of 64A (2)
- 65 Tic Tac rival



- 66 Hard drive destruction
- 69 Greek god of war and destruction
- 71 Copy a CD
- 72 Infer from (2)
- 74 Half (prefix)
- 76 Money in the bank
- 79 Jetties
- 81 Sweet potato
- 84 You can't handle the ____!
- 86 Telephone type

- 88 Telephone talk
- 89 Half (prefix)
- 90 Departure
- 91 Old Chevy model
- 92 Main money managers
- 93 Clue
- 94 Bird feeder food
- 97 Small word for big hair
- 99 Spanish hero El ____
- 100 You betcha!

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Soupstock fuelled by large local contingent

by Patrick Keating
Soupstock drew 40,000 people to Woodbine Park in Toronto last Sunday, in support of the movement to protect the farmland and water threatened by the proposed Highland Mega Quarry. Conceived by Singhampton's **Micheal Stadlander** and continuing from the success of last October's Foodstock event, the Canadian Chefs' Congress in partnership with the David Suzuki Foundation organized the biggest event ever held in Woodbine Park.

Dave Vander Zaag and his 13-year-old son **Ryan** spoke to the crowd on behalf of the farming community. Once again, two powerful organizational forces behind the scenes were Maple Valley's **Miriam Streiman** of Mad Maple B&B and Honeywood's **Blaine VanBruggen** of Dot Dot Dash.

Many other local folks generously offered their talent and support. Some of the local farms involved were the New Farm, the Armstrongs, Lennox Farm, J&D Blacks and sons, the Vander Zaags, Fiddle Foot Farm, Duntroon Farm, Mulmur Hills Honey, and Quiet Pine Farm.

Local restaurants, businesses and food providers were also involved, including Eigensinn Farm, Creemore Kitchen, Azzura, Men With Knives, Espresso Post, Café Chartreuse, Meredith's Ginger Syrup, Creemore Springs Brewery, the Creemore 100 Mile Store, Oliver & Bonacini café and grill, Forbes Wild Foods, Sequel Catering, K2 Milling, Sheldon Creek Dairy, Saugeen County Yogurt, Chapman's, 100 km Foods Inc., and **Matthew Flett**.

The following musicians and artists from our area entertained the crowd: **Jim Cuddy, Jesse Cook, Patrick Keating, Mike Giles, Bruce Ley, Whitey Somers, Romney Getty, Steve the Potter, Peter Adams, Jill Price, Jim Leithead, Jordan Eveland, Brian Wall**, Our Shotgun Wedding, and the group Artists against the Mega Quarry.

The participants and attendees of Soupstock enjoyed glorious weather as they meandered between numerous soup tents throughout the park and enjoyed the offerings of over 200 chefs. To read further about the event and those involved check out www.soupstock.ca.



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CHRISTMAS PLANNING

Christmas Season in the Valley. The Creemore BIA and *Creemore Echo* are compiling a list of all Creemore Christmas events happening. If you would like to have your event to be part of the local holiday roster please send the information to sara@creemore.com, fax to 705-466-9908 or call 705-466-9906. Please contact us by November 5 to ensure maximum inclusion.

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COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Gently used outdoor wear (hats, boots, coats, mitts, scarves, etc.) needed to be donated to the **"Out of the Cold"** Program which supports the David Busby Centre in Barrie. Drop off donations to the side door at St. Luke's Anglican Church or *Creemore Echo*.

THANK YOU

McQUEEN – We would like to thank everyone who came to celebrate our 50th Wedding Anniversary at Maxwell Community Hall on October 6, 2012 and also thanks for cards, congratulations and best wishes. Special thanks to our family and for all who helped. It was a day to remember. Doug & Irene McQueen

Purple Hills Arts & Heritage Society would like to extend its thanks for all those in the community who assisted with the planning and erection of the **Heritage Plaques** unveiled in Creemore on Saturday, October 6, 2012. As always, with the risk of leaving someone out, we wish to particularly thank Aiken Scherberger, Gary Page, Yvonne Hamlin, Phil Armstrong, Helen Blackburn, Pat and Chris Raible, Ken Ferguson, Peter Coates, Charles Garrad, Phil Snape, Steve Sage, Bruce Beacock, Steve Loewvy, Catherine Morrissey, Gary Kramers, Richard Talbot, Christine Boake, John Smart, Paul Ruppel and the Horticultural Society.

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IN MEMORIAMs

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And those who think of him today
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May wither and decay,
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Will never fade away.
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A Leave to Construct Application is a legal requirement under the Ontario Energy Board Act.

Dufferin Wind Power is pursuing the use of the former rail corridor for its power line because they see it as the preferred route with the least impact on the community and the environment



Important to Know

During the project's community meetings and public consultation process, community members showed by a majority that they preferred the railway corridor as the route for the project's transmission lines. Dufferin Wind Power remains committed to working hand-in-hand with the community and appreciates all of your comments and suggestions. Your input is important!

Contact Us...

We would like to hear from you!

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