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**BIRTHDAY GIRLS** At a recent Toonie Lunch event at St. Luke's Anglican Church, these three ladies – **Robyn Wilson, Linda Cockton** and **Joan Morby** – arrived separately, randomly sat down at the same table, and suddenly realized that they were all born on June 25. We tried to find out what years this happened in, but they weren't telling.

## "FOOD AND WATER FIRST" COMES TO MULMUR

by Brad Holden  
The North Dufferin  
Agricultural Task  
Force is rolling  
out its next phase  
of advocacy



following its successful, if precarious, defeat of the mega quarry proposal in Melancthon. On Wednesday, spokesperson **Shirley Boxem** brought NDACT's new "Food and Water First" message to Mulmur Council, hoping that the municipality will lend its support to the new campaign once it gets fully underway.

"The main goal of Food and Water First is to ensure that farmers across Ontario are never again in the position of having to defend their precious land and water against inappropriate development," said Boxem.

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## Changes to garbage services in effect

by Brad Holden

This Friday, April 5 marks the first day Creemore's waste is being picked up by Simcoe County's new waste disposal contractors. There are a few changes to the service that residents should be aware of.

Residential pickup will now take place on Friday mornings across all of Clearview Township, and unlike in the past, waste collection will no longer be delayed by a day due to holidays. The only exception to this rule will be when Christmas or New Year's Day falls on a Friday.

Residents will also enjoy expanded yard waste pickup, with four bi-weekly collections in the spring and five in the fall. Spring yard waste pickups in Creemore will take place on the weeks

of April 2, April 15, April 29 and May 13. Yard waste should be on the curb by 7 am on Monday morning of each of these weeks.

The County's recycling program has been expanded to include all recyclables from #1 to #7, including clamshell packages, yogurt containers, fruit cups, coffee cup lids and plant pots and trays.

The County will also be picking up compostables from commercial, industrial and multi-family buildings for the first time. These properties will be limited to one untagged bag of garbage per week, six standard recycling boxes and six standard green bins.

For more information about the changes in service, visit [simcoe.ca](http://simcoe.ca) and click on the green recycling logo.



**A DISAPPOINTING LOSS** Despite a valiant effort, the Bantam Creemore Valley Hawks came up short in their OMHA 'D' Final against Zurich last week, losing 3-0 in game 4 on Wednesday and bowing out of the series by a score of 3-1. Standing here with the Harold Dunk Finalist Trophy are team captain **Austin Hamilton** and assistant captains **Troy Scott** and **Jake Wilson**.



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## This Weekend

### Thursday, April 4 to Sunday, April 21

- **Theatre Orangeville** presents *On A First Name Basis* starring Norm Foster & Patricia Van Stone. World Premiere Comedy. Show days are Wednesdays to Sunday. Ticket price: \$33 to \$40 (tax included). Call 519-942-3423 or 1-800-424-1295 to book.
- **Saturday, April 6**
- **The Home Owners Survival Guide To Water Damage** at the Nottawa Community Centre, 4129 Highway 124 from 10 am to 4 pm. If you have water problems or concerns then look no further. All the professionals in one location to answer all your questions. Free event brought to you by your community website [www.nottawaonline.ca](http://www.nottawaonline.ca).
- **Mad & Noisy Gallery Official Opening and Reception** from 1 to 5 pm. Local Artists Show features Pauline Bradshaw, John Jaquemain, Sue

Miller, Rosemary Hasner, Kaz Jones, Peter Adams & Bryan Davies continues until May 4. Come see the works of art by local artists. 705-466-5555 [www.madandnoisy.com](http://www.madandnoisy.com) 154 Mill Street.

- **Curiosity House Art Opening** from 5 to 7 pm for **Rose Pearson**, painter in oils & acrylic. Join us.
- **Honeywood Figure Skating Annual Carnival "Skates up a Storm"** at 7 pm.
- **New Lowell United Church presents Ladies Night Out** at 7 pm, a talented local group of women known for their 3-5 part harmonies and versatility of instruments during a performance, featuring Pat Steele, Lynda Gulley McInnis, Sandra Gulley, Susan Gulley & Jennifer Ferguson-Meijis. Come out and listen to some country, bluegrass, gospel and old time rock and roll. Advance tickets available. \$15 per person. Contact Jenn at 705-424-8687 or [www.newlowellunitedchurch.weebly.com](http://www.newlowellunitedchurch.weebly.com).

Proceeds go to our "Accessibility for All" Building Fund.

**Saturday, April 6 & Sunday, April 7**

- **Spring Tonic** at the Tiffin Centre from 9 am to 3 pm. (breakfast served until 2 pm) Pancake Breakfast, see how maple syrup is made, horse-drawn wagon rides, crafts. Adults \$10, children 2-12 \$5, infants free. Cash only please. 8195 8th Line of Essa.
- **Sunday, April 7**
- **Church Services** on page 5.
- The family of **Mrs. Jean Cook** invite you to a **Come and Go Tea to celebrate her 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday** at the Creemore Legion on Sunday, April 7 from 2 to 4 pm. Best wishes only.
- **Ray's Place Annual General Meeting & Open House** at 2 pm at Station on the Green. Refreshments. We'll review our progress & look toward the future.

## Upcoming Events

### Monday, April 8

- **NIA** starts today at 7 pm at Station on the Green. Please contact Ayrle MacEachern at [mayrle@hotmail.com](mailto:mayrle@hotmail.com) or 705-444-0550.

### Wednesday, April 10

- **Blue Mountain Promenaders Guest Night for New Dancers.** Modern Square Dancing is the perfect way to keep fit. 6:45 to 8 pm at the Nottawasaga Hall, Duntroon. 705-445-3662 for more information.

### Friday, April 12

- **Mad Maple Country Inn** presents Trine Hahnemann celebrated Scandinavian Food Writer, Chef and Creative Director in conversation on her connection to food and agriculture. Enjoy a spring tasting menu of savoury & sweet recipes. Inspired by Trine's Scandinavian roots and our local ingredients at Mad Maple Country Inn. From 7 to 8 pm, \$40. To reserve your spot, 705-466-6753 or [miriam@madmaple.ca](mailto:miriam@madmaple.ca).

### Saturday, April 13

- **The Brereton Field Naturalists** will search for spring birds in the Minesing floodlands including migrating waterfowl, Northern Pintail, Tundra Swans, Sandhill Cranes and perhaps a few early songbirds too, such as Tree Swallows. Depart from the Little Lake parking lot at 8 am. Second Meeting Place Tim Hortons in Angus at 8:30 am. Bring rubber boots. For further information visit [www.bfnclub.org](http://www.bfnclub.org) or call Dave Lord at 705-835-6642.

- **Curiosity House Storytime** at 10:30 am. Enjoy a story and craft in our children's section. 178 Mill Street 705-466-3400.

### Sunday, April 14

- The BMFA presents the **33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Juried Art Show** at 163 Hurontario St., Collingwood. Opening Reception and Awards Presentation is today from 1 to 3 pm. A fabulous collection of paintings, both adult and student, and fine craft will be on display in the gallery. Show runs to April 27.

### Wednesday, April 17

- **Creemore Horticultural Society Monthly Meeting** at St. Luke's Anglican Church at 7:30 pm. Speaker is **Sean James** who will talk about Working with Nature. All are welcome.

### Saturday, April 20

- **DCMA Live Learning Presentation Series: "Merchant Tokens – A Connection with the Past"** at 2 pm at Dufferin County Museum & Archives. Sponsored by Rosemont General Store. Merchant tokens were typically used at the turn of the 20th century when there was a lack of smaller denominations of currency, or change. Often businesses would get around a limited supply or circulation of currency by using tokens. Attendees are welcome to bring along their own merchant tokens for possible evaluation and identification. Tickets: \$7 for DCMA Members, \$10 for non-members. For more info: 1-877-941-7787 [events@dufferinmuseum.com](mailto:events@dufferinmuseum.com) [www.dufferinmuseum.com](http://www.dufferinmuseum.com)

- **New Lowell Legion** presents **A Murder Mystery Dinner.** Cocktails at 6:30 pm, Dinner at 7 pm. Roast beef dinner and all the fixings. Branch Member \$20, Non Member \$25. Tickets available at the bar.

### Saturday, April 20 & Sunday, April 21

- **Home & Garden Show** at Creemore Arena, 10 am to 5 pm on Saturday and 10 am to 4 pm on Sunday. 100+ exhibitors, latest in home decor, fresh garden displays, children's activities, door prizes. Plus our famous Big Backyard Giveaway! [www.getgrowinggardenshows.ca](http://www.getgrowinggardenshows.ca) 1-877-848-5831 for details.

### Saturday, April 27

- **Centennial United Church's Annual Fish Fry** from 4:30 to 7 pm at Centennial United Church, Stayner. (corner of William & Oak St.) Adults \$15, children 6-12 \$6, under 6 free. Entertainment while you wait! Come and bring family and friends! Delicious fish fillets cooked by Tom Howell right at the Church. All the trimmings and homemade pie! A fundraiser to aid the Church's work.
- **Elliott Brood Benefit Show for Avening Hall** at 8 pm. \$25 tickets@[ticketscene.ca](mailto:ticketscene.ca), [sara@creemore.com](mailto:sara@creemore.com) or 705-466-9906

### Sunday, April 28

- **Curiosity House** presents **"Book & Brunch"** with **Kelley Armstrong**, author of *The Rising* and the *Women of the Outworld* series. Tickets are \$25 available at the bookstore or call 705-466-3400.

### Saturday, June 15

- **Sam Roberts at The New Farm – SOLD OUT!**



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## Cybergnomes top six in Ontario

As befits their name, the CyberGnomes Robotics Team 2013 is small. With only 12 student members the team is one of the smallest, if not the smallest, in the FIRST (For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology) Robotics League which stretches over 60 countries and nearly 5,000 teams. But size definitely isn't everything, as the Gnomes proved at their latest competition at the Hershey Centre in Mississauga, Ontario this past weekend (March 28, 29 and 30).

The start of competition saw the team rested and ready,

setting up their pit area and having their robot inspected very early. Qualifying matches began on Friday and saw a very successful CyberGnomes team complete the first 30-point climb and finish the day undefeated and seeded in second place. The CyberGnomes award-winning climber enabled them to achieve the first 30-point climb at every competition they attended this season, garnering two prestigious Excellence in Engineering Awards. Only about 10 per cent of all teams competing have managed to make a 30-point climb to the top of the eight-foot tower.

Saturday saw them face some of their hardest opponents and suffer two hard-fought losses. Undeterred, they battled on and, after winning their last match handily, finished the qualifying rounds in 4<sup>th</sup> place out of 44 teams.

Entering the Elimination rounds, the CyberGnomes captained their alliance through to the semi-finals where they were finally eliminated, narrowly missing out on a World Championship berth.

Clearview Township should be very proud to have one of the top six robotics teams in Ontario this year. The CyberGnomes have shown the world that rural Ontario has everything it takes to provide innovative and creative technology.

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# NDACT at Mulmur

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The new campaign, she said, would “augment and expand” the successful communications framework that NDACT built during the Stop the Mega Quarry fight.

A new website, foodandwaterfirst.com, will go live in mid-April, and businesses, organizations and municipal governments will be encouraged to put a “Food and Water First” button on their own websites, linking them to the new NDACT site. In doing so, they will also be asked to sign a pledge. In a municipality’s case, Boxem said this would let developers know in advance that “this is a community that has planning in place,” that weighs the benefits of all development versus its potential impact on prime farmland and source water.

Boxem said the campaign would also utilize social media, which played a key role in growing the movement during the quarry fight, and involve a “spring planting” of Food and Water First signs across the province in May.

Mayor **Paul Mills** followed Boxem’s presentation by asserting Mulmur’s continuing support for NDACT’s work, and said Council would debate the inclusion of the button on the Township’s website when the time came.



**TRAIL MONEY** Simcoe-Grey MP Dr. **Kellie Leitch** joined Clearview Township Mayor **Ken Ferguson**, Deputy Mayor **Alicia Savage**, CAO **Sue McKenzie** and several members of the municipality’s Recreation and Culture Advisory Committee at the corner of Airport Road and Nottawasaga 6/7 Sideroad Tuesday to officially announce \$40,000 in federal funding under the Canada Infrastructure Improvement Fund. The money will go towards the continuation of Clearview’s trail system between Creemore and New Lowell.

## Talking local, diverse food at Mad Maple Country Inn

by Brad Holden

Mad Maple Country Inn, a bed & breakfast and “agritourismo” located on County Road 124 just south of Maple Valley, has been upping the ante on local food advocacy since it opened last summer. **Miriam Streiman**, who owns the establishment with her husband **Neil Epstein**, was an instrumental part of the team that organized Foodstock two years ago, and Mad Maple has already hosted several big-name chefs and food activists.

On Friday, April 12 from 7 to 9 pm, one of the movement’s international leaders will pay a visit to Mad Maple for a talk and a tasting. Danish chef **Trine Hahnemann** is a restaurateur, a best-selling cookbook author and a globe-trotting proponent of healthy, local eating. She believes that through cooking, eating, and exchanging stories and beliefs we can create a better world, and she focuses her work on one goal: that everybody in the world should have access to a decent, daily meal.

Hahnemann will spend the days before her visit to Mad Maple Country Inn at Toronto’s seventh annual Terroir Symposium, where she will speak about “food memory” and the importance of carrying culinary traditions through generations.

At the Mad Maple, Hahnemann will focus on the makeup of our diets, and the need for keeping

biodiversity on our plates instead of in gene banks. Long an advocate of a diet that’s 80 per cent local, in-season vegetables, fruits and grains and 20 per cent meat, Hahnemann also believes that eating is a political act. At the Mad Maple, she will explain why.

She’ll also talk about the Rye Bread Project, a partnership between herself and the New Amsterdam Market in New York City. Rye bread, and especially the Scandinavian open-faced rye sandwich known as the “smørrebrød,” is a healthy, traditional food that can easily be transferred around the world by introducing farmers to good rye seeds and bakers to old recipes. At the New Amsterdam Market, events have been held challenging dozens of high-end chefs to come up with the most original smørrebrød lunches, using bread made from rye grown organically in upstate New York. The project is a great example of Hahnemann’s various passions coming together in the real world – traditional food, healthy meals and agricultural diversity.

“I have cooked more than a hundred thousand meals in my career,” Hannehman said during a recent speech at the United Nations. “For me the produce that enters my kitchen has to be manifold. My cooking can only be as diverse and tasty as the produce that the farmers grow. I need diversity to choose from.”



**Trine Hahnemann**

For more information about Hanneheman, visit [trinehahnemann.com](http://trinehahnemann.com) or [ryebreadproject.org](http://ryebreadproject.org). To reserve a spot for the event (tickets are \$40 each), email [miriam@madmaple.ca](mailto:miriam@madmaple.ca) or call 705-466-6753.

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## EDITORIAL Where art thou, Spring?

Cold on Friday, snow on Saturday and rain on Sunday. Not exactly a spectacular start to April. Spring, at least the first few weeks of it, has felt a lot like winter.

But it's coming, folks. Trust us. The days are getting brighter, the robins have been sighted, the white stuff is gradually disappearing, and the crocuses, hyacinths and snow bells are poking through the surface. In some places, they're already unfurling their blooms.

Before you know it, April showers will be greening the land, that lovely smell of spring dirt will be filling the air and our gardens will beckon.

April can be a frustrating month, and this year, if it's anything like the March that preceded it, might be even more exasperating than usual. But this is Canada, and we're used to it.

Find your confidence in the little things, Creemore, and the next thing you know, spring will have truly sprung. It's coming. We promise.

## LETTER

### Food and water first

Dear Editor:

The proposed mega quarry application exposed the sorry state of the provincial legislation regarding quarries and provoked such public protest that before the election, then Premier McGuinty ordered an environmental review of the proposed mega quarry and a review of the Aggregate Resources Act (ARA), resulting in Highland's withdrawal (temporarily I'm sure) of its application. The legislature has now resumed sitting and has introduced the Local Food Act. However, the legislation does nothing to protect our valuable water and farmland resources. Also, it seems uncertain that the review of the Aggregate Resources Act (ARA) will resume.

The aggregate industry has been allowed to operate unfettered in the province for years, not even required to undergo an environmental assessment. This must not be allowed to continue and can only be stopped by a huge public protest as was done regarding the mega quarry. Please help put the pressure on the government to make these essential changes to the legislation so that prime farmland is protected and no quarrying is permitted below the water level. Write or e-mail your own representative, the Premier and her cabinet to voice your concern.

For more information, contact NDACT (www.ndact.com).

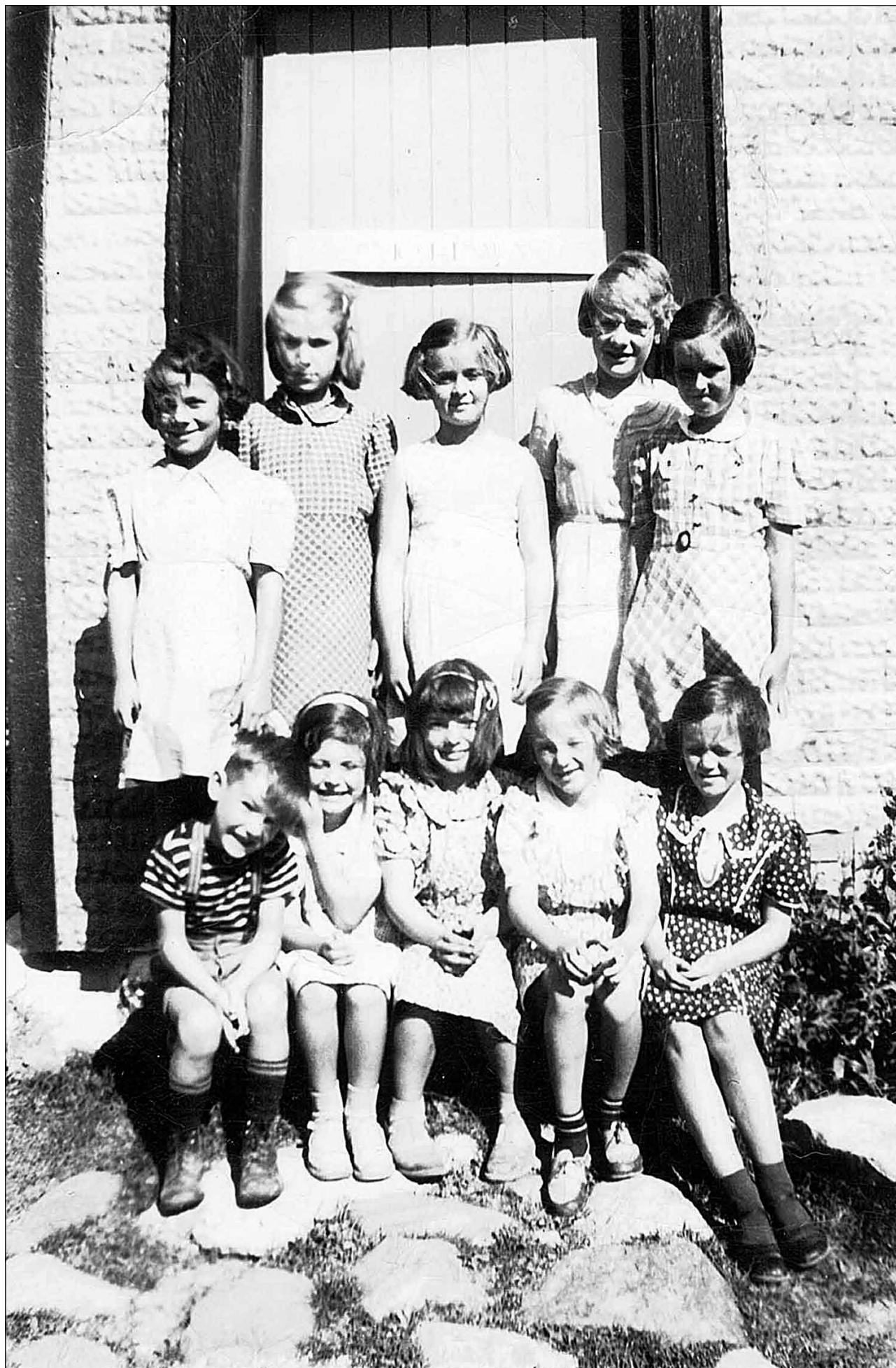
**Christina Wigle**, Creemore

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**Letters must include the sender's full name.**

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## THE WAY WE WERE



We received a lot of response about all of the recognizable names in the picture of the Mount Zion School a few weeks back. This week, **Orneva Pardy** brought us another picture, featuring younger versions of some of the same people. Back row: Donna (Millsap) Lowe, Marie (Micks) Talbot, Betty (Newton) Ashhurst, Mary (Millsap) Black and Mae (Leighton) Simpson. Front row: Donald Millsap, Orneva (Flack) Pardy, Ruth (Micks) Montgomery, Bernice (Leighton) Chipchase and Lois (Coulter) Weatherall. This picture was taken in 1941.

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# Creemore Big Heart Seniors

We had 59 out for cards today, which is a nice few, considering we still have “snow birds” that haven’t returned to the nest yet.

President **Ray Leighton** mentioned that today was **Isabelle Gubbels'** birthday, for which we all applauded.

Our thanks to her husband **Peter** for the “heads up” on that information. Ray then welcomed **Dorothy Lamers**, sister of **Martin Verstraten** and **Toosje Vasvari**. As well, we welcomed **Dawna Proudfoot**, friend and neighbour of **Norma Johnston**. Dawna will be joining in with us when she is not at work.

Because it was nearly Easter, **Norma Johnston** brought in a lovely chocolate rabbit, to be presented as a prize in the 50/50 draws. The first draw was for the rabbit, which was won by **Dawna Proudfoot**. This was followed by the regular 50/50 draws that went to **Alma Seifert, Marg Falls, Melvin Lougheed, Isabelle Gubbels, May Johnston, Barb Pilon, Eileen Nash, and Janice Stephens**. I'm quite sure that **Irma Flack** convinced **Mike Smith** to buy a ticket on the above draw, but alas, his number was not called.

Moon shots were played by **Janice Stephens (2), Alma Seifert, Audrey Tidd, Pat Winger, Earl Bentley, Marg Hope, Russ Miller (2), Bob Veale, Peter Gubbels, Sylvia Gale, Marcia Cameron and Jean Jones**. Bob won the Sidewinders loot, and Jean won the travelling prize money.

High scorers were **Janice Stephens** 326 (Nice!), **Evelyn Warden** 315, **June Hartley** 296 and **Sheila**

**Fenton 282.** Low was our “chocolate rabbit” gal, **Norma Johnston**, with 60. That was a darned poor way to show our appreciation to you for your thoughtfulness, Norma! And, conversely, this was **Janice Stephens’** lucky day as she won money in every available category. Well done, kiddo!

Some folks left after playing cards and went to Singhampton to the delicious roast beef dinner at St. Paul's Anglican Church. This was a great get-together of folks from quite an area, and it was lovely to see so many that we knew, and to get a chance to say "hi" to them. This dinner featured all homemade pies for dessert, and there sure was a good assortment – including lots of that delicious raisin pie which was one young fellow's favourite. Right, **Tom**?

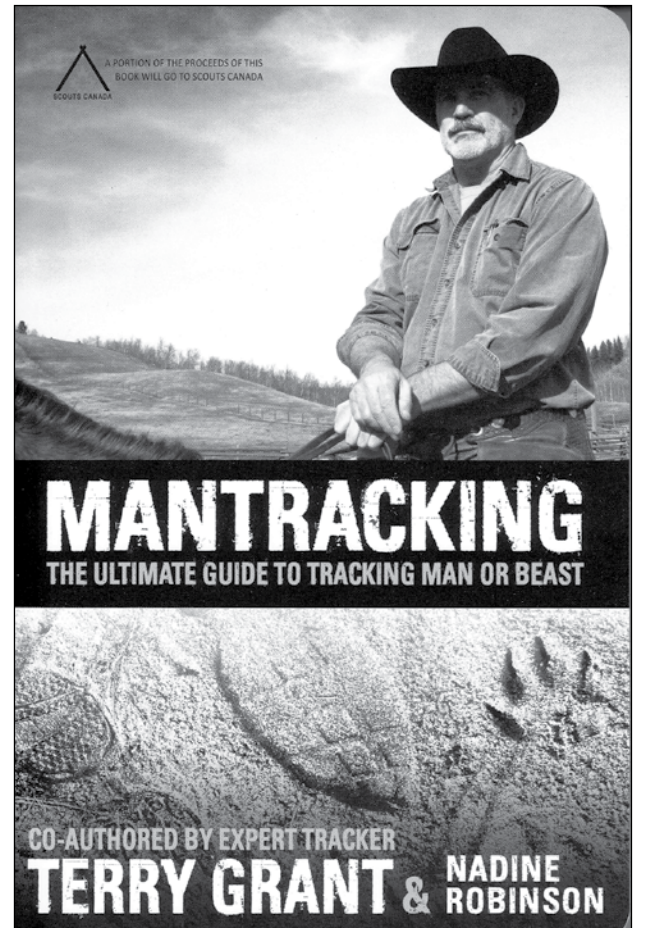
We have been fortunate to have **Warren's** son, **Bruce Gale**, visiting for a couple of days, and we are enjoying having son **Terry Grant** home at the same time. Terry was in Ontario to participate in the "All about Pets" show that was held at the International Centre. This year's show added the "Mane Event," which added horses to the mix. Terry was brought in as a guest speaker, and I got to see one of his interviews on TV. Terry met up with **Colleen** and **Garry Stamp**, and also **Dennis Middlebrook's** wife and daughter. Dennis is a retired Conservation Officer, and he and Terry went to Avening School at the same time. Dennis is the son of **Dalton** and **Hazel Middlebrook**. Terry added a few days to his time in Ontario to visit with the "old" folks at home – and to do several fix-it jobs around here!

Our thanks to all you folks that joined us on our Rama bus this week. I didn't hear of any big winners, but hope you all enjoyed your day and the lovely lunch. Sincere thanks to the folks who went out of their way to join our bus, and also special thanks to **Ray Leighton** and **Irma**

**Flack** for doing so many things to ensure that the trip went well, and to many others who made phone calls, etc. to make it all happen.



**Sylvia  
GALE**



We thought we'd tack this on to **Sylvia's** column since the author is her son – **Terry Grant**, aka the Mantracker, brought us several copies of his new book this week. They're on sale at the *Echo* for \$21.95 each.

# LOCAL CHURCH DIRECTORY

A cartoon-style illustration of a church building with a yellow steeple, a brown roof, and a brown door. The church is set on a green patch of grass against a light blue sky with a few white clouds.

*Sunday, April 7*

Saturday, April 6  
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# Up close and personal with the Spirit Bear...

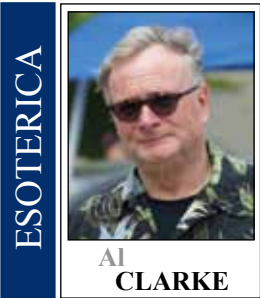
During our stay at the Great Spirit Lodge, my daughter **Tory** and I took five different excursions into the surrounding rainforest. Each was incredible. Here are some of the highlights:

When a humpback whale surfaced beside the boat, our guide told us that they track the big animals by recording the patterns on their flukes. As the whale made its terminal dive, we were told its specific pattern was in the registry – the whale’s name was Susan.

Walking into the rainforest along a stream, we came across enormous, moss-covered, old-growth cedars six feet in diameter. We saw a giant, six-inch banana slug, a plant with a five-foot leaves, and streams with so many salmon you could walk across them. Everything in the rainforest seems prehistoric and larger than life.

On our second day, up the Princess Royal Channel, we waited all day in the rain. We saw no bears but we did enjoy a very rare sighting of the elusive wolverine. Tory spotted it first and got a very good look at it. The rarity of the sighting was brought home to us when one of the Kitsoo elders told Tory that he had never seen one.

Up Mussel Inlet on day three, we watched a mother grizzly and her cub feed in the stream for an hour



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before wandering away. Unexpectedly, a large male grizzly weighing at least 900 pounds came directly toward us. He was upwind and didn’t notice us until the last minute – their eyesight is notoriously bad – and he turned and crossed 15 yards in front of us. **Doug Neasloss**, our guide, told us there was a 1,200-pound male in the area but he hadn’t seen him in a few days. We also observed two or three other grizzlies with older cubs 100 yards upstream. A good day for grizzlies.

The guides don’t carry guns but large pepper spray containers. The week before our adventure, Doug was “false-charged” by a large male grizzly. This is where the bear charges to establish dominance, and we were assured that they always stop short of you. In Doug’s

case, the bear stopped just four feet from him. We were instructed that should this happen, we were to assume a submissive pose and back away slowly. There was no advice on lower bowel activity, but I assume that’s optional. Regardless, never turn and run – this triggers a predator-prey response in the bear and you’re toast. The ranger confirmed the false charge, and suggested that the best use of the pepper spray is to forget the bear and spray it all over yourself – that way, it would at least act as a marinade and add flavour when the bear ate you. Personally, I found it difficult to enjoy bear humour while I was afoot in bear country armed with only pepper spray.

Grizzlies are actually herbivores – they principally eat sedge grass and starchy tubers, but come fall and the salmon run they gorge themselves on fish to build up winter fat reserves, spending their days eating, sleeping and defecating. There’s no mistaking an active bear area, as the ground is littered with salmon carcasses and bear feces and it’s odoriferous. I can’t remember which day we spent crawling through underbrush in such an area in a relentless drizzle, fruitlessly searching for grizzlies, but I do remember that as soon we got a cell signal, Tory called her mom and explained that missing this trip was her best anniversary present ever. Finally, I got an anniversary present in the plus column.



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# ...Part 2 of Al's adventures in the rainforest

Our best day was day four, when we got special permission from a neighbouring band to travel up to Gribbell Island where a Spirit Bear has been seen. It was a long boat ride, but it proved to be worth it. We walked quite far upstream and had just settled in when the first Spirit Bear arrived. Weighing about 350 pounds, he strolled slowly upstream, fishing for salmon and passing 10 feet in front of Tory, a very rare and special encounter. The water was crystal clear – you could see all the salmon spawning and so could the bears. Unfortunately, you can't drink the water as "Beaver Fever" or "Giardiasis" is a nasty parasite to be avoided at all cost. A pair of martins arrived to play in the stream, and almost ran Tory over on their exit. Then a black bear came downstream, again fishing for salmon, and passed us by without notice. A short while later another black bear seemed upset by our presence, and turned away into the forest. The setting sun was breaking through the canopy of the rain forest and the light was dancing

on the stream when another Spirit Bear charged downstream in front of Tory, water splashing in all directions, backlit by the sun like some mystical apparition. The sight was far too beautiful for words to properly describe. It too was fishing for salmon and lingered right in front of us for a time before attending to an itch and moving downstream without any acknowledgement. We were left breathless.

Tory and I know how lucky we were to see Spirit Bears, but to spend the week together, father and daughter, one on one, searching for the Spirit Bears in the Great Bear Rainforest – that's as good as it ever gets. We're thinking of returning to the land of the Spirit Bear to take the Kitasoo up on their offer to camp out on that secret island in search of the Sasquatch. Perhaps that could be **Jacquie's** anniversary present next year.

If your interested in learning more about the Great Spirit Lodge, visit [www.spiritbear.com](http://www.spiritbear.com). To see some great video footage of our encounter with the bear, go to [www.thecreemoreecho.com](http://www.thecreemoreecho.com).



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# Bacon and eggs... and pasta

I hope everyone had a Happy Easter! The weather certainly seemed to co-operate for a sunny spring weekend, although on Monday, as I write this article, I'm getting pretty tired of seeing it snow out there. On the weekend, we went to see a special showing of the digitally remastered *Ten Commandments* at the Cineplex in Collingwood, starring Charlton Heston. Being old movie buffs, we also tuned in to Turner Classics where they ran a number of Easter-themed pictures starring, as a matter of fact, Charlton Heston. He sure did get around in those Bible films!

After getting more than enough of Mr. Heston, we enjoyed one of my traditional Easter dinners – baked ham with my sister's mustardy brown sugar glaze, scalloped potatoes, creamed corn and buttered carrots. I didn't really notice that the ham I picked up was 10 pounds. Even with the bone weighing in, that is a lot of ham... I guess we'll be enjoying ham sandwiches, ham casseroles, western omelettes and split pea soup with the ham bone until it gets all used up!

While you would think I might tempt you with some new ham recipe this week, I have to say, "Not quite, but at least I'm working from the same meat family." This week's recipe is one of

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Elaine COLLIER

my favourite pull-together meals. More commonly known as Spaghetti alla Carbonara, it is a creamy, rich pasta which will satisfy young and old alike. Pancetta is known as Italian bacon, with a slightly different taste than bacon from your locally

bred Ontario porker. Who doesn't like bacon and eggs for dinner every once in a while? Throw in some spaghetti and you'll have quite the slap-up meal from simple ingredients.

I've adapted this recipe from one of Nigella Lawson's, from her cookbook *Feast – Food that Celebrates Life*. While you have to work fast, this recipe is not hard once you get the hang of it.

The most important thing to remember is to make sure you've removed the pasta pot from the heat before you add the egg mixture. Otherwise, you will end up with scrambled eggs instead of a creamy sauce!

Feedback is great and I would love to hear from you. Just email me at [elaine@avalonclearview.com](mailto:elaine@avalonclearview.com).

Until next time, eat well, live well...

## Bacon & Eggs Spaghetti (adapted from Nigella Lawson's Feast)

Serves 4

- 3/4 lb. pancetta, diced into small cubes (substitute finely chopped bacon if desired)
- 1 teaspoon olive oil
- 1/2 cup white wine
- 4 large eggs
- 1/4 cup freshly grated parmesan cheese
- 1/4 cup 35% cream
- 1/4 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1 lb. of dry spaghetti
- Freshly grated nutmeg (or 1/4 teaspoon ground)

Preheat a large pasta pot with salted water until boiling. While water is heating up, heat a large frying pan to medium high. Add olive oil and swirl around pan. Add cubed pancetta (or bacon) to the pan. Cook pancetta until it is browned but not too well done (e.g. too crispy). Add white wine to deglaze the pan. Reduce heat to low and let the mixture simmer until slightly thickened. Remove from heat and set aside.

In a medium size bowl, add the eggs and beat until frothy. Add the parmesan cheese, 35% cream and black pepper, then beat to incorporate. Break the dry spaghetti in half, add to the boiling water, and cook it according to package directions until "al dente" about 7 minutes or so – you don't want the pasta overdone or you will end up with a soggy result. Before draining the spaghetti, carefully remove 1/2 cup of the pasta water. Drain the pasta into a colander. Then working quickly, turn burner on low, add the pancetta mixture to the empty pasta pot, and reheat. Add in cooked pasta. Using tongs toss the pasta to coat with the pancetta mixture. If necessary, add some of the reserved pasta water to lubricate the pasta so it doesn't clump together. Take the pot off the heat (very important), and add the egg/cheese mixture, quickly giving the pasta another good toss or two to mix everything together. Place spaghetti into a large warmed pasta dish, then grate fresh nutmeg over top. Serve immediately with extra parmesan cheese and freshly ground black pepper on the side.



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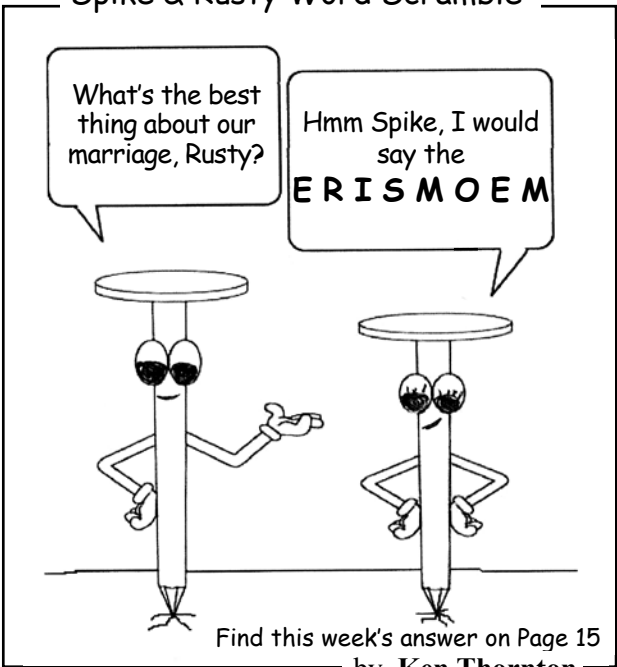
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## Spike & Rusty Word Scramble



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## Brian's Canadian Crossword

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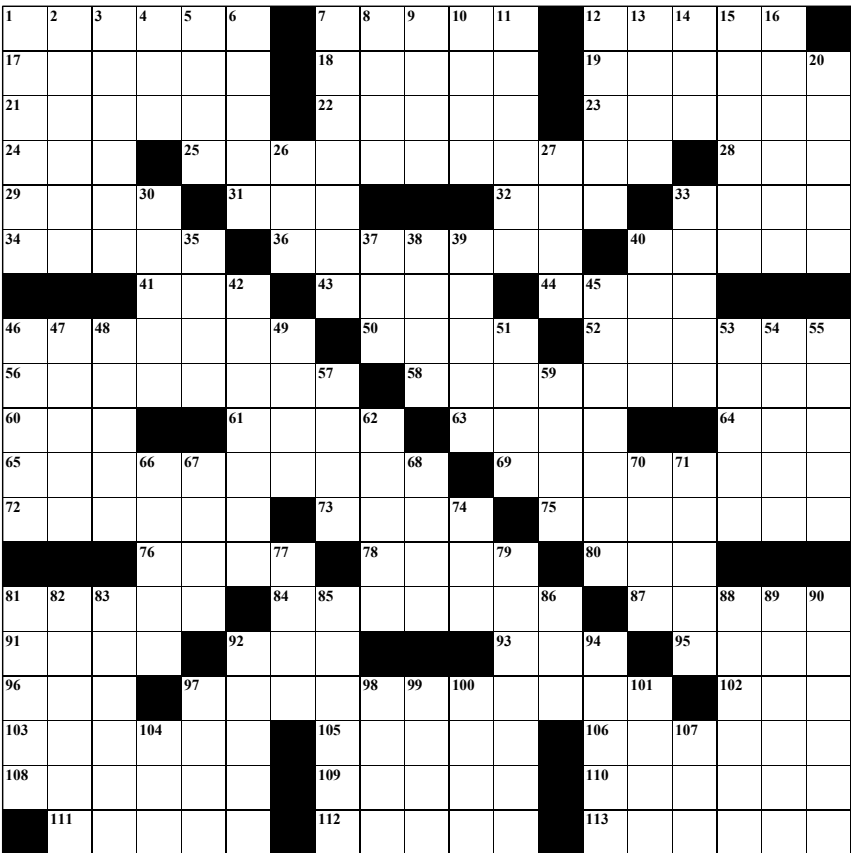
- 1 Big name in Canadian whisky
- 7 Goldman \_\_\_\_
- 12 Mudville slugger
- 17 Mountain climber's tool
- 18 Two-time Nobel laureate Marie \_\_\_\_
- 19 Venus or Mars
- 21 Unkempt
- 22 Wise old saying
- 23 Actor Martin \_\_\_\_ (Mission Impossible)
- 24 Girl who is sweet as apple cider
- 25 Arctic summer phenomenon (2)
- 28 Browser bookmark
- 29 Bruno's role on the Beachcombers
- 31 The Kid of the Penguins
- 32 Possesses
- 33 First name in mysteries
- 34 Country singer Crystal \_\_\_\_
- 36 Big cat
- 40 \_\_\_\_ on (hunts)
- 41 Actress Thurman
- 43 Harp relative
- 44 Screen idol
- 46 You Are My \_\_\_\_ (Anka)
- 50 Stupor

- 52 King of Naples, in The Tempest
- 56 Secretary of State for \_\_\_\_ Affairs
- 58 Words from O Canada
- 60 Ventilation
- 61 \_\_\_\_-formaldehyde
- 63 Connection
- 64 Ward, to the Beaver
- 65 Nickname of Charles Thomas Connors (2)
- 69 Sweat
- 72 Vivacity
- 73 Bias (results)
- 75 One with a sinister look
- 76 Ottoman rulers
- 78 Jelly ingredient
- 80 Took a load off
- 81 Sarnia astronaut Hadfield
- 84 Geoffrey the Giraffe is its mascot
- 87 Actress Blair (Legally Blonde)
- 91 CBC correspondent Keith \_\_\_\_
- 92 Jean-\_\_\_\_ Picard
- 93 4 on a phone
- 95 Estuaries
- 96 Brownie
- 97 Beautiful Secondhand Man singer (2)
- 102 \_\_\_\_ de Triomphe

- 103 Make elegant
- 105 Mrs. Dubya
- 106 Brownie
- 108 Ottoman ruler
- 109 Go around the world
- 110 Opts for home cooking (2)
- 111 Nuisances
- 112 Assigned duties
- 113 That's a rap!

DOWN

- 1 Electrical work
- 2 Colony of New France
- 3 Birthright
- 4 Kit \_\_\_\_ bar
- 5 Checkup
- 6 Big name in talk shows
- 7 Pacific or Sponsorship
- 8 German auto maker
- 9 Rock projection
- 10 Top of the trading day
- 11 Boil over
- 12 OK grade (hyph.)
- 13 Actor Rickman (Die Hard)
- 14 Saint, in Sicily
- 15 Live through
- 16 On an annual basis
- 20 Bulrushes
- 26 Dance move
- 27 Respiratory epidemic of 2003
- 30 Donald Sutherland movie of 1971
- 33 CNN correspondent Barnett
- 35 Arab potentate
- 37 Metropolis that never sleeps
- 38 1982 Jeff Bridges film
- 39 Skeletor's foe (hyph.)
- 40 Type of ale
- 42 Regular payment stream
- 45 Alehouses
- 46 Nunavut strait
- 47 Off-ramps
- 48 Razor sharpener
- 49 Sweater material
- 51 On the highest point
- 53 The lowest point
- 54 Capture
- 55 More unusual
- 57 Do-overs in tennis
- 59 Fateful day in March

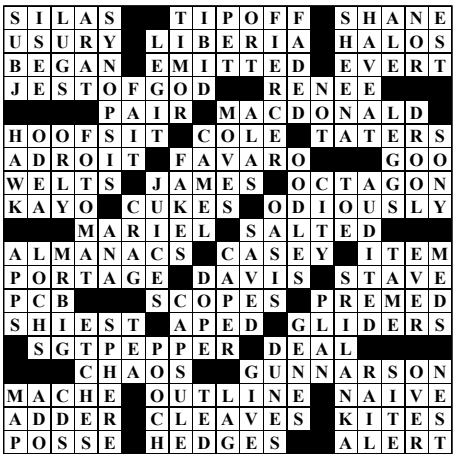


- 62 Jim-dandy
- 66 Villain in Rocky and Bullwinkle (2)
- 67 Bake sale features
- 68 Storage units
- 70 Where pirates roam
- 71 Name of the first pope
- 74 Kid's card game
- 77 Astonish
- 79 Little rascals
- 81 Good buddies of the air
- 82 Go underground (2)
- 83 Form of fund raiser
- 85 Painted leopard
- 86 \_\_\_\_-wolf

- 88 Intercede
- 89 SCTV comedienne Andrea \_\_\_\_
- 90 Move up the ladder
- 92 Property claims
- 94 Map enlargement
- 97 Tiny pest
- 98 Actress Spencer-Nairn (Corner Gas)
- 99 Margarine containers
- 100 Deputy Prime Minister Nielsen
- 101 Moonfish
- 104 \_\_\_\_ a living!
- 107 Hwv.

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**MIXED WINNERS** Claiming the John and Jean Smart IDA Trophy in the last round of Mixed Curling was the team of **Joan McLeod** (second), **Gail Martens** (lead), **Steve Lindsay** (skip) and **Bob McLeod** (vice).



**LADIES WINNERS** Claiming the Husker House Trophy in the final round of Ladies Curling was the team of **Lee McCutcheon** (lead), **Kim Dodd** (second), **Catherine Fuller** (vice) and **Gail Martens** (skip). The trophy was presented by **Lorna May**.



**DAYTIME WINNERS** Presenting the Howard Madill Trophy to the winners of the final draw of Daytime Curling was Howard's son **Jim Madill** (left). The winning team included **Paul Ruppel** (skip), **Michael Loranger** (vice), **Gwen Taylor** (second) and **Jake White** (lead).



**MENS WINNERS** Presenting the Paul and Glenn Millsap Trophy to the winners of the final draw of Mens Curling was **Paul's** son **Andrew Millsap** (left). The winning team included **Graham McDonald** (vice), **Paul Millsap** (skip, here represented by spare **Al Lambert**), **Bill Crysdale** (second, here represented by spare **Ernie Purkis**) and **David Millsap** (lead).

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## THANK YOU

We would like to extend our gratitude to everyone who has helped us out during the renovation stages of our restaurant. Your words of encouragement and anticipation have meant a lot to both of us.

A special thank you to Natalie and everyone at The Bank Cafe as well as Austin, Christine and Markie Boake and Jamie Korthals, Laurie Copeland and Ray’s Place for letting us use their spaces to conduct our interviews. It is generosity like this that makes Creemore such a special place and we are so happy to be a part of this community. Sincerely, **Sam and Caesar, Creemore Kitchen**

**The Creemore Skating Club** would like to thank all those who made it possible to have our 2013 “Blast from the Past” carnival a huge success. This undertaking could not have happened without the support of our skating families, the community, our local businesses and everyone who attended the carnival.

A special thank you goes out to our sewing volunteers. These individuals worked diligently this year to sew and create new costume for our club. Without these individuals, carnival would not have gone as smoothly and as colourfully as it did! A heartfelt skating thank you goes out to the following: Judith Crawford, Maureen McLeod, Annette Belkosky, Julie Bigham, Anita Verstraten, Jeanette Poste, Norah Mills and Donna Baylis. Thank you to Shirley Ferris for the donation of material and to Colleen Stamp for delivering it to the club. This fabric will be greatly appreciated for years to come.

Congratulations to our cash draw winners: \$1000 first prize: Terria Woodhouse, \$500 second prize Kristen Engel, \$250 third prize: Michelle Gray, \$125 fourth prize: Deb Rowbotham and \$125 fifth prize: Helena Hayward. Congratulations to our door prize winners: Brady Wilson, Keri Lammle, Janice Bigham, Glenda Brown, Chris Martin, Marcy Stewart, Boden Dobbs, Dresdon Dupuis, Erin McNalty, Bill Barker, Marda Moffat and Helen Irwin.

Thanks again to all and we hope to see you next March for our 45<sup>th</sup> annual skating carnival. The Creemore Skating Club

Thank you to **Wayne Barber** for bringing us back some southern sunshine in the form of grapefruits! *Creemore Echo*

Thanks to **Gertie Gowan** for the congratulatory cupcakes! They were delicious! Thanks, *Creemore Echo*

## BALLOONS

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## BINGO

**BINGO! Manito Shrine Club**, 2265 Fairgrounds Rd. Every Wednesday. Doors open at 5:30 pm, first game starts at 6:45 pm. Everyone welcome.

## NIA

**NIA** starts on Monday, April 8 at 7 pm at Station on the Green. Please contact Ayrle MacEachern at [mayrlie@hotmail.com](mailto:mayrlie@hotmail.com) or 705-444-0550.

## IN MEMORIAM

**McARTHUR** – Roy McArthur [March 14, 1925 – April 2, 2012] and Betty McArthur [April 20, 1932 – November 8, 2008]

Your presence we miss  
Your memory we treasure  
Loving you both always  
Forgetting you never  
Always in our hearts, Bob and Barb,  
Mary and Garry and families

## THANK YOU

**The 2012-2013 Creemore Bantam Rep Team** would like to thank everyone who attended our OMHA Final games here in Creemore and in Zurich. A special “Thank You” to our MC for the games in Creemore – David McArthur, you did a fantastic job and also our anthem singer – Annette Belkosky. Many thanks goes out to the ’82-’83 Creemore Bantam team for those of you who could attend and help us celebrate our opening ceremonies. It made that day even more special to us. We would not have special gifts for the players and coaches for Zurich without some anonymous donors, it was very much appreciated. Thanks to all the behind the scene people who helped out with the ceremonies. We cannot forget to give a Big Thank You to the coaches and for all the time and effort they put into this team and helped get them to where they got. The outcome was not what the team expected but we are all very proud of what they accomplished this season.

## DEATH NOTICE

**DAY, James Freeman (Jim)** at 63 years of age on Thursday, March 28, 2013 of leukemia at Mount Sinai Hospital in Toronto. He leaves to mourn his passing: his wife Jennifer of Aurora, his mother Ruth Day of Camrose AB, his brother Joel Day (Donna) of Ferintosh AB. His sister Nancy McAlary of Brisbane Australia. His niece Lyndsey Day of Red Deer AB; his nephews Blair Day and Matthew Day of Edmonton AB, Peter McAlary Day and Michael McAlary of Brisbane Australia. Predeceased by his father Freeman Day, grandparents George and Euphemia Day of Mt. Zion, Ontario. Visitation will be from 2-4 and 7-9 pm on Friday, April 5 at Marshall’s Funeral Home in Richmond Hill.

## DEATH NOTICE

**PRINGLE (Carson), Bernice Janet** of Etobicoke, passed away March 26, 2013 outside New Lowell, ON, at the home of her daughter and son-in-law; after a courageous 5 ½ year battle with cancer. Bernice, the beloved wife of the late John Pringle, was the cherished mother, friend and best travelling companion of Deirdre Pringle and her husband John Shore. She will also be sadly missed by her chosen extended family – Christine Jenkins and Dennis Campbell, and Ted Shore and Roger Leroux.

Our furry family, who have faithfully watched over her for over three months, will miss her pets, cuddles and treats. Bernice has taught us much about living fully, laughing heartily and finding the good in every day, and for that we are all grateful and forever mindful.

We could not have cared for Mom at home without the exemplary, compassionate care and support provided by her St. Elizabeth nurses and PSW’s. Special thanks to Gertrude King, Laura LaChapelle, Christy Boyer, Tracy Malott and Pat Falla for allowing us all peaceful nights and breaks during the day and providing their personal, empathetic care of Bernice. We are also deeply appreciative of the concern and consideration shown by Dr. Wes Cutbush and Nurse Eileen Murray.

We are delighted that Bernice’s last wish has been granted and her body has been accepted at the University of Toronto’s Medical School. There will be a private family “Celebration of Life” held at a later date. Bernice generously supported many charities in her lifetime. Casey House, the Salvation Army and Doctors Without Borders were closest to her heart and her genuine, lifetime desire to help the less fortunate. In memory of Bernice’s wonderful spirit and in lieu of flowers, the family requests that you support a charity of your choice. Condolences to the family may be left online at [www.bridgefuneralhome.com](http://www.bridgefuneralhome.com).

## GOOD FOOD BOX

**The Good Food Box Program**, a volunteer run organization, helps families eat a healthier diet with fresh fruit and vegetables. Order and by Wednesday, April 10 by phoning St. Luke’s Anglican Church and leave a message 705-466-2206. Pick up & pay on Wednesday, April 17. \$10/small or \$15/large.

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### Springtime at the Market

Last Saturday's Easter Market was a busy one, with lots of folks enjoying a preview of what's to come once the Creemore Farmers' Market gets truly underway on Victoria Day Weekend. Lucky winners of a huge chocolate rabbit, made by **Barb Chafey** of the Chocolate Shop in Orangeville and raffled off by the Market, were **Stephanie, Stella and Sage Fry** (above).



Please join us on Saturday April 6th for the opening of a new show featuring our next Artist of the Month:

## Rose Pearson

Rose Pearson grew up near Peterborough, Ontario and attended York University, graduating as with a B.F.A. She then earned a B.Ed. in art education and taught art in high schools in Alberta and Ontario for 12 years.

Rose is an emerging visual artist who has spent the last several years creating bodies of work for solo and group shows at public galleries across Ontario, helped by special grants from the Ontario Arts Council.



Primarily a painter in oils and acrylics, Rose is known for the variety and spirit of her paintings. Rich colours, texture, cultural motifs, wildlife and whimsy infuse her work. Eclectic, quirky, and often humorous, her art provokes thought, delight and joy.

There will be an artist's reception from 5:00pm to 7:00pm on Saturday April 6th. We hope you can join us.

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