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Staff photo: Trina Berlo

READY FOR TAKE-OFF Nottawasaga and Creemore Public School boys were pumped before a race Wednesday. The school hosted a Fun Run in advance of a cross-country meet in Wasaga Beach next week, a qualifier for the county finals. To see a gallery of photos from the event, visit www.thecreemoreecho.com.

Next generation musicians play Avening

It's last call for Small Halls Festival line-up

by Trina Berlo

The Avening Hall will host **Whitney Rose**, **Sam Cash** and the Romantic Dogs and The Devin Cuddy Band on Friday, Oct. 3.

All three acts are with Cameron House Records, a recording and promotion company out of the legendary Queen Street bar.

Less of a line-up and more of a triple bill, says Cameron House Records co-manager **Mike McKeown**, the three acts will take concertgoers through a country-to-rock soundscape.

Country crooner Whitney Rose will start the show and rocker Sam Cash and his band will close the show.

Devin Cuddy's band will tie the two together.

Sam Cash is the son of **Andrew Cash** and Devin Cuddy is the son of **Jim Cuddy**, of Blue Rodeo fame.



Cameron House Records photo

Devin Cuddy and his band is playing Avening Hall tonight during the Small Halls Festival.

Cuddy has recorded two albums with Cameron House Records. The first, entitled Volume One, was nominated for a Juno Award in 2012 in the roots and traditional album category. The band is now touring to promote the new

album, Kitchen Knife, released in July.

"We'll each do our own thing and then maybe we will play a couple of tunes at the end all together. Whitney Rose will be going first and her and
(See "Cuddy" on page 3)

Meet the candidates

Voters in Clearview Township will have an opportunity to meet the candidates face-to-face in Stayner on Wednesday, Oct. 15 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Candidates will be provided space to display campaign materials and interact with voters. There won't be any speeches or debate.

The event is hosted by Clearview Public Library and Metroland Media.

Coffee and tea will be served.

The Stayner Community Centre is located at 269 Regina St.

Stayner Chamber of Commerce hosts debate

The Stayner Chamber of Commerce is hosting a debate for candidates for mayor and deputy mayor on Thursday, Oct. 16.

"This will be an opportunity for candidates to share their vision for the next four years. It will also be a chance for residents to ask their questions. We are looking forward to an evening of meaningful debate about Clearview's future. The chamber thinks this type of exchange is important during an election," said chamber president **John Squire**.

The debate will take place from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Stayner Community Centre.

CARA hosts election Q&A

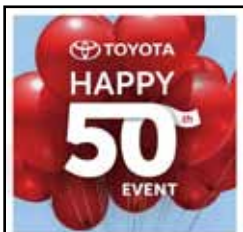
Creemore Area Residents' Association (CARA) is hosting an event for municipal election candidates on Sunday, Oct. 19.

Candidates for mayor, deputy mayor and councillors in Ward 2 (Creemore) and Ward 5 (Dunedin, Glen Huron and Duntroon) are invited to meet voters and answer questions from the public.

There will also be an opportunity for the candidates to briefly introduce their platforms.

The event, moderated by **Greg Young** and **Valerie Dyer** of CARA, will take place from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at Station on the Green. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Q&A with candidates for mayor, deputy mayor and SCDSB trustee begins on page 5.



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This Weekend

Thursday, October 2 to Sunday, Oct. 5

- **Small Halls Festival.** A weekend long event hosted at each of Clearview Township's 9 community halls. www.smallhallsfestival.ca for details.

Friday, October 3

- **Rosemont Farmers' Market** from 3 to 7 p.m. Fridays - Just 2 markets left! Fresh produce, baked goods, preserves, soaps, crafts and more. Hwy 89 just east of Airport Rd.
- **Singhamton Farmers' Market at Mylar's** parking lot every Friday night from 4 pm to dusk. Call Spencer at 705-445-1247 for more info.

Saturday, October 4

- **St John's United Church Fowl Supper** from 4:30 to 7 p.m. Adults \$15, children \$5, children 5 and under free. Everyone welcome.
- **Scotch Nosing and Prime Rib Dinner** at Singhamton Community Centre. 6 pm social & 7 p.m. dinner & nosing. Sample Glenfiddich single malt whiskeys 12yr, 15yr, 18yr, & special reserve. Tickets \$125 by calling 705-444-0557.
- **Country & Western Dance at Duntroon Hall featuring Big Tobacco & The Pickers and Kayla Howran & The Fellas.** \$25 in advance by calling 705-446-2506 or jim@rockside.ca or \$30 at the door.

Saturday, October 4 & Sunday, October 5

- **Creemore's Log Cabin** is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. both days, showcasing **Peter Adams' Detritus Project** which is part of Creemore's Festival of the Arts. History Hosts will also be on hand each day to welcome visitors and tell them about the log cabin (built in the 1870s) and its first families. The cabin is located on Library Street, between the Old Jail and the Creemore Library.
- **Creemore Festival of the Arts** from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day. Saturday: visit **Ernest Herzig's** sculpture *Harmony* at the Horticultural Park at the Station; both days: *Inspired* group art show at Station on the Green; *The Detritus Project* by **Peter Adams** at Creemore Log Cabin; artists on location around the village. Hosted by Purple Hills Arts & Heritage Society. See phahs.ca for details.
- Drop by to see **Bryan Davies'** new collection of **Rust Art Prints** at Discover The Path, 8A Caroline Street West during Creemore Festival of the Arts. Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. www.BryanDavies.com

Sunday, October 5

- **Church Services** – see page 5.
- **United Church Services** this week: **Brentwood**

Hall at 9 a.m. & St. John's Creemore at 11 a.m.

- **Joint Anniversary Service at Badjeros United Church** at 11 a.m. Presided by Rev. John Neff 519-341-4902.
- **Brunch with Dan Needles & Chef Patrick** at Duntroon Hall. Doors open at 10:30 a.m. stories and a delicious gourmet brunch begin at 11 a.m. \$40 by calling 705-446-2506 or jim@rockside.ca.
- **Avening Women's Institute are offering Lunch** from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. for \$5 at Avening Hall.
- **Dedication Ceremony of the History of Avening Display** at 12:30 p.m. All welcome. Hall is open all day Saturday & Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. to view this display.
- **22nd BMFA Annual Juried Photo Show** in the Arts Centre, Hurontario Street, Collingwood. Reception and Awards Presentation from 1 to 3 p.m. today. Show runs October 1 to 25. www.bmfa.ca
- **Celebrating One Faith in Our Small Place** featuring Canada's singing priest **Father Mark Curtis** – an interdenominational prayer service at Singhamton Community Centre at 7 p.m. Free will offering. Hosted by St. Paul's Anglican Church, Singhamton supporting The Small Halls initiative.

Upcoming Events

Monday, October 6

- **ChoralWorks Choir** – Starting our 2nd exciting season! Rehearsals on Mondays at 7 pm, starting tonight through to May, at Collingwood Public Library. Especially welcome altos, tenors and basses with music reading skills. Contact Brian Rae at 705-444-5857 www.choralworks.com

Tuesday, October 7 & Thursday, October 9

- **VON Smart – free seniors exercise classes.** Tuesdays at 1 pm & Thursdays at 11 am at St. Luke's Anglican Church, Caroline Street West. Come one day or both. Gentle, no floor or mat work. Can be performed seated or standing. Must be 55+ with a valid Ontario Health Card. For more information call 705-309-7054 or michelle.foster@von.ca

Wednesday, October 8

- **Canadian Blood Services' Blood Donor Clinic** at Collingwood Legion, 490 Ontario Street from 1:30 to 7:30 p.m. Call 888 2 DONATE or www.blood.ca to book your appointment. Walk ins welcome.
- **Join Thom Paterson for a Round Table Conversation** at Avening Hall at 7 p.m. Talk about things that matter. (Also meeting Oct. 14 and Oct. 16) Re-elect Thom Paterson for Clearview Ward 5.
- **General BIA Meeting** at 6:30 p.m. at Mountain Ash Farm Lodging & Comfort, 828562-828708 Mulmur/Nottawasaga.

Thursday, October 9

- **A Simple African Meal.** Join **John & Shirley Ferris** at St. Johns United Church from 6 to 8 p.m. for a fundraiser dinner to raise money for the persecuted people of Nigeria. Many of the people there have suffered severe trauma as a result of assault by the terrorist group Boko Haram. All donations will be sent directly to Re. Bitrus Audu, director of CMO Ministry in Nigeria. For more information call 705-466-3888.
- ****New Date**Join Thom Paterson for a Round Table Conversation** at Creemore Legion at 7 p.m. Talk about things that matter. Re-elect Thom Paterson for Clearview Ward 5.

Saturday, October 11

- **The last Creemore Farmers Market of the season** from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- **Darci-que Book Signing** from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Station on the Green. Emily-que will be singing.
- **Thanksgiving Pie Contest** at the Creemore Farmers' Market. Pies delivered by 10 a.m. Must be apple and in either a tin pie plate or a plate that you don't care if you get back. 4-5 local judges make the decisions. Winners announced by noon. Ribbons for 1st to 6th handed out at noon.
- **A Parade of the Hounds & Horses.** Watch members of Toronto and North York Hunt as they parade through downtown Creemore at 10 a.m!

- 13th Annual **Dunedin Fall Colour Cancer Walk** starting at 10 a.m. for 6 km walk from Dunedin Hall to Creemore this year! Bring your family and friends and don't forget the camera and help raise money for cancer research. For more information call Donna Hammill 705-466-3071. All proceeds go to Canadian Cancer Society.
- **Turkey Shoot** at Manito Shrine Club, 2265 Fairgrounds Rd. at 10 a.m. For info call 705-445-7460.

Tuesday, October 14

- **Creemore Skating Club Final Registration** from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Creemore Arena lobby. No late fees will apply. Pre-CanSkate, CanSkate, STARSkate and adult programs available. For more info, please contact Julie Bigham at jbigham30@hotmail.com.
- **Join Thom Paterson for a Round Table Conversation** at Creemore Arena Hall at 7 p.m. Talk about things that matter. (Also meeting Oct. 16) Re-elect Thom Paterson for Clearview Ward 5.

Wednesday, October 15

- **Meet the Candidates** at Stayner Community Centre from 7 to 9 p.m. No speeches or debate. Candidates will display campaign materials and interact with voters. Hosted by Clearview Public Library and Metroland Media. Coffee and tea. 269 Regina Street, Stayner.

Thursday, October 16

- **Canadian Blood Services' Blood Donor Clinic** at Stayner Evangelical Missionary Church in Stayner from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. Call 888 2 DONATE or www.blood.ca to book your appointment. Walk ins welcome.
- **Debate for Mayoral and Deputy Mayoral Candidates** at Stayner Community Centre from 7 to 9 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m. Call 705-444-4668 for more info. Hosted by Stayner Chamber of Commerce.

Thursday, October 16 to Sunday, Nov. 2

- **Theatre Orangeville** presents *The Ladies Foursome*, by Norm Foster. Four women share the fairways and sand traps of friendship in this hilarious comedy. Tickets: Evenings \$42, Mat. \$35, Students \$22. Please visit us on line at www.theatreorangeville.ca or call the box office at 519-942-3423.

Saturday, October 18

- **The Great Northern Exhibition (GNE) Fall Colours Craft & Quilt Show & Sale** from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Something for everyone! At GNE Fairgrounds, 2220 Fairgrounds Rd. N. New vendors welcome. Call 705-466-2000 for registration & information.

Sunday, October 19

- **Creemore Area Residents' Association (CARA)** hosts an **All Candidates Event** from 1 to 3 p.m.

at the Station on the Green. **For the candidates for Clearview Mayor, Deputy Mayor and Councillors for Ward 2 (Creemore) and Ward 5 (Dunedin / Glen Huron / Duntroon)** to meet and answer questions from voters. Candidates will introduce their platforms briefly. Moderated by Greg Young and Valerie Dyer of CARA. All are welcome.

Friday, October 24 to Saturday, Nov. 1

- **Clearview Community Theatre** presents *Bye Bye Birdie* at Duntroon Community Hall, 9025 County Road 91, Duntroon from 7:30 pm. A hilarious musical comedy, set in the 1950s. Fri. Oct. 24 at 7:30 p.m., Sat. Oct. 25 and Sun. Oct. 26 at 3 p.m., Thurs. Oct 30 at 7:30 p.m., and Sat. Nov. 1 at 3 and 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$20 for Priority seating, and \$18/adult or \$12 for Seniors/students/children for General seating, and are available at JACS Health Food & Smoothie Bar, 7280 Main Street, Stayner. For more information, call 705-428-2600 or visit our website www.clearviewcommunitytheatre.ca.



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Cameron House Records photo

Sam Cash and the Romantic Dogs will be on stage in Avening tonight.

Cuddy, Cash among weekend performers

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I have done a lot of touring together. She's very much a country artist, which I think blended well with what we were doing... Sam Cash, whose pretty scrappy rock n' roll will end the night and be a very good closer for a good, fun night," Cuddy told *The Echo*. "I will be the bridging force."

Cuddy said after graduating from university and travelling, he returned to Toronto and was encouraged by his friend **Cosmo Ferraro** who had taken over management of Cameron House from his mother.

Cuddy said Ferraro and McKeown encouraged him to perform at the bar, record an album and tour.

The young musician has often visited the Cuddy family farm in Mulmur Township.

"I have driven by Avening Hall many, many times though I have never been in, it's a nice hall," said Cuddy.

Kayla Howran, another Cameron House Records artist, is playing with Big Tobacco and the Pickers in

Duntroon on Saturday, Oct. 4.

A fabulous weekend of musical entertainment continues with the Sudbury-based country and western renaissance band brings hard-hitting classics and original material with a traditional sound.

There's also bluegrass music by Griddle Pickers, Blue Sky and **Jason Redman** in Brentwood, The Rising Stars of Guitar with **Tim Beattie** in Dunedin, 60s and 70s concert by Not-Ottawa in Nottawa, **Aaron Garner** concert and dance in Stayner and classical guitarist **Jeffrey McFadden** will play Sunnidale Corners.

Tickets for the Cameron House Records night on Friday cost \$30 at the door.

Tickets for Buck 65 on Saturday, also in Avening, cost \$35 at the door. Doors open at 7 p.m. both nights.

Tickets for Big Tobacco and the Pickers in Duntroon on Saturday, Oct. 4 cost \$30 at the door. For all performance times, visit www.smallhallsfestival.ca.



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EDITORIAL

Trustees matter

The election of trustees doesn't get the attention it deserves.

As part of the upcoming municipal election, people will be asked to vote for their representative on the school board of their choosing.

The majority of the people in this area will be voting for the trustee who will represent Clearview Township and Collingwood on the Simcoe County District School Board or the trustee who will represent Clearview Township, Collingwood, Springwater Township and Wasaga Beach on the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board. There are also elections for the French public and separate school boards.

People are eligible to vote for the representative of the school board their taxes are directed towards.

During a municipal election there are those that care and those that don't. And then there are those that can get excited about prospective council members but don't give the race for trustee a second thought.

It doesn't make sense.

Schools are an important part of our community, no argument.

Most children spend more waking hours in the care of educators than with their own family members.

Canadians often cite public education as one of the fundamental cornerstones of this country.

Some people put in their first community volunteer hours at schools once their child enrolls.

We get to know the principals, teachers and school staff.

When schools are closed we go ballistic.

Yet, working away in the background are the board of trustees. They are the elected officials who make decisions about what goes on at the schools, they are the council of the school board.

In the same way that township staff is directed by decisions of council, the school board staff is directed by decisions of the board of trustees.

Most people don't know who their trustee is or what that person does yet they are rarely included in candidate debates.

They make important decisions about all kinds of things from programming to bricks-and-mortar.

The Simcoe County District School Board controls a budget of more than \$500 million.

Clearview's budget last year was \$96,841,000, and that was higher than usual.

Trustees work for the voters in the same way council members do. They are someone people can call when they are having an issue at school. They are the representatives of the people.

The trustee for the Catholic school board in this election is acclaimed but there is a race in both French language school board elections and in the English public board, of which many of us are supporters through our taxes.

Two strong candidates have put their names forward for trustee. We urge voters to give them a second thought and then vote.

THE WAY WE WERE



Howard Noble (left) and Jack Rainbird counting the dough at the Avening Hall. The hall was completely paid for through fundraising by the time construction was complete in 1951. This photo will be included in an installation about the history of Avening being unveiled this weekend during the Small Halls Festival. The hall will be open Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. with a dedication of the display at 12:30 p.m. Sunday. The Avening Women's Institute will host a \$5 luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Sunday.

Please test and replace your smoke alarms and stay fire safe at home

Editor:

An important fire safety program is in place in Creemore and communities across Ontario throughout Fire Prevention Week Oct. 5-11 and extending over the entire month.

I am writing to make all parents aware of the initiative and how they can help.

Fire departments are working with teachers to educate children about the importance of properly functioning and installed smoke alarms.

Watch for "Test and Replace Your Smoke Alarm" homework kit in your child's backpack, which includes a home fire escape plan and "Test and Replace" Fire Safety Checklist.

The packages are designed to work in tandem with the website www.safeathome.ca/testandreplace.

It is critical to know that working smoke alarms installed correctly throughout your home, double the chances of surviving a catastrophic house fire.

To ensure your families safety from fire, you must test your smoke alarms monthly to confirm they are

in proper working order.

Smoke alarm batteries must be replaced with fresh ones at least once per year. Also, smoke alarms do not last forever.

If your smoke alarm is more than 10 years old it must be replaced. Outdated alarms might not provide the protection you count on.

Some new models feature 10-year lithium batteries which never need to be changed and last the full life of the alarm.

Please be fire safe and test and replace your smoke alarms this Fire Prevention Week.

Ted Wiclawek,

Ontario Fire Marshal and Chair, Fire Marshal's Public Fire Safety Council.

Fire halls host open houses

Clearview Township Fire Department is having open houses at all fire stations from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 5 to kick-off Fire Prevention Week.

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Clearview candidates for mayor and deputy mayor take Q&A

The Creemore Echo posed three questions to the candidates running for mayor and deputy mayor:

1. As county councillor, how would you raise Clearview's regional profile?
2. What is the best strategy for economic development in Clearview Township?
3. How do you choose between adding services and reducing/maintaining tax rates?

Mayoral candidates

Alicia Savage

1. Over the last eight years, I have worked closely with the mayor and together we have established strong relationships with county staff and council resulting in Clearview's recognition as a leader in Simcoe. As chair of human services, I have played a key role in policy development, advocacy at the provincial and federal levels, new initiatives in long-term care, housing, paramedic services and other areas as well as actively providing input into all sectors of County responsibilities.

I will continue to build on the strong relationships in place with our neighbouring and regional municipal partners, seeking opportunities to share resources and find synergies. My experience at other county stakeholder organizations such as the Simcoe Muskoka Board of Health, Simcoe County Alliance to End Homelessness, and Simcoe County District School Board Bridges out of Poverty will continue to benefit Clearview directly and indirectly.

2. One of the priorities of the next term of council is to develop an economic development strategy, a task that must include all sectors and



Savage



Vanderkruys



Burton



Culham

stakeholders. Thanks to the recent success of our branding initiative and the funding that has been and can be leveraged as a result, we will be able to define an economic development strategy that has tangible actions and goals. The strategy must define the municipality's role, specifically as it relates to facilitating development on the newly serviced industrial/commercial lands.

A likely outcome of the strategy will be a focus on supporting our current small business community and creating an environment that will promote new entrepreneurs while ensuring we can maintain and retain mid-size companies as they expand.

We will also be able to capitalize on the County of Simcoe's ongoing investment in Economic Development including staff resources, county-wide initiatives and dedicated funding.

3. This is the challenge facing all municipalities as other levels of government continue to cut back funding while adding regulations and requirements in addition to downloading more responsibilities. In a growth-based economy like Canada,

we have to facilitate new development in order to expand the assessment base simply to maintain the status quo. At some point, however, this becomes unsustainable.

Therefore, we continue to seek out cost savings by utilizing new technology, entering into partnerships and considering service levels. I view taxes as an investment in the quality of life I enjoy in my community, province and country. As investors, residents need assurance that funds are being spent responsibly and so we continue to improve our budget process, accountability and communication.

It will be increasingly difficult to add or increase services in this economic climate so we will have to approach these opportunities cautiously, considering all options including sharing with neighbouring municipalities and determining whether the benefit is worth the investment.

Chris Vanderkruys

1. I would strongly advocate for more fund distribution (from provincial and federal governments) as we struggle with very little industrial and commercial tax base as we are known for our farming community and don't want to change that. We need the tax base that is from industrial and commercial usage but have not been successful in attracting them and may not as many businesses choose to locate in certain areas and focus on market area models and profit maximizing. We need business leadership and also community leadership tied into one. The leadership group, not just individuals can be drawn from all parts of the community and they can make change happen. Effective leadership is a discipline and a major commitment to action. I will lead Clearview with the help of all residents to create our vision, breaking bottlenecks, establishing tough but achievable goals, and leveraging community interest and involvement.

2. Clearview needs to consider completing township-wide improvement plans such as many of our neighbours have. This will help to identify and develop an incentive program that will offer investment opportunities to public and private companies. This will also ensure that all growth associated with it will create a positive impact on Clearview's economy and social needs for the future.

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LOCAL CHURCH DIRECTORY

Sunday, October 5



CREEMORE UNITED PASTORAL CHARGE

Sunday Services This Week:
Brentwood Hall at 9 a.m.
St. John's Creemore at 11 a.m.

Sat Oct 4: Fowl Supper 4:30 to 7 p.m.

Sun Oct 19: St. John's Anniversary
Service at 11 a.m. (no service in
New Lowell this week)

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3. Reducing taxes is not an option with our challenges we face but we do need to review our staffing levels and ensure our resources are best situated to reflect our current needs and that our spending is justified. We had anticipated much growth since 2010 but many factors have delayed it and now that growth does need to happen to assist covering the costs that we have incurred in planning for it. Many say that our township has been closed for business and the time has come to ensure we are open and ready to grow where possible. We need to ensure that the residents are aware of the spending consistently, and also ensure that residents have more say in the future projects we plan. We need to be more accountable with the dollars raised through taxation and ensure they are being spent and invested with our vision in mind always.

Candidates for deputy mayor

Barry Burton

1. As a county councillor there are decisions that will affect Clearview directly and those that will affect the other townships and towns. It is important that Clearview is seen as having a strong position on issues that affect Clearview directly. As a county councillor I would ensure that major financial decisions are based on strong factual information and are beneficial to the county as a whole. Through our willingness to work with the other members of county council

and challenging decisions that are not in the best interest of the County we will demonstrate the leadership of Clearview. By tapping into the unique talents of the people that reside in Clearview we can become known as one of the more innovative members of Simcoe County Council.

2. Clearview needs a strong but realistic economic development plan. By streamlining the financial and bureaucratic obstacle course hindering development we can encourage both residential and commercial development. I want an economic development officer who will be responsible to actively source out potential industrial and commercial opportunities for growth. There is such an amazing collection of people with world-class skills living in Clearview that we need to have a small business committee that can assist and encourage entrepreneurs to start up in Clearview. This committee would also be dedicated to help existing businesses to maintain success. The airport is now a regional airport and a port of entry into Canada. This is a perfect opportunity to take advantage of the airport being in Clearview Township. It will allow international goods to be transported in and out and entice future development in the Airport area.

3. In order to maintain existing services and tax rates we must increase our tax base not property taxes. Only through development is this possible. That is why growth is imperative
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to bring some financial stability to Clearview. Adding services at this time would be difficult without reviewing and reducing existing operational costs. However, we have some very well educated and experienced staff and together with their input we can find ways to reduce operational costs and reduce budgets. We need to be more innovative in the way we are managing township services and departments. Only by working together with staff will we be able to achieve acceptable solutions.

Larry Culham

1. I believe the profile of Clearview Township is being raised and will continue to be raised by natural market impetus that has been building for the past few years.

But I can accelerate that as deputy mayor and county councillor. Clearview benefits directly from strong advocacy at the County Council and I have the skills, experience and commitment to make that happen.

We can build on the momentum by using the office of the deputy mayor to champion our "brand".

Right here, we have agricultural innovation in genetics, medicinal cannabis production, community supported agriculture, wine and hops production and more.

The township and partner agencies are using provincial grants deliver new community development.

Our multi-use trail system that is emerging as a destination network.

The work with Creemore Springs to preserve the local streetscape has elicited widespread acclaim.

I know every corner of this community. If elected, I'll continue to promote Clearview's best.

2. I think the best strategy for municipal government is to remove

obstacles and then get out of the way.

Reality says our approach has to be lawful, organized, planned and thoughtful so that our communities remain sustainable.

I think we need to work on several fronts at the same time.

But I know we can create livelihoods in the community fastest when we first encourage the growth and development of existing small businesses.

In addition, we've got to leverage the newly serviced industrial lands to go after new job generators for Clearview.

I've been a member of the Economic Development Committee for three years and the work on marketing these assets is beginning.

The development of a tourism strategy that leverages partnerships is a third important opportunity.

I'll dig in to ensure that Clearview moves forward.

3. The people decide, through their elected council, which services we want, how they will be delivered and how they are paid for.

I want to have confidence that waste, duplication and inefficiencies are in check. And if elected I can revisit the issue with council colleagues and staff.

Then it will come down to values. The choices have a historical context and we will have to plan out into the future so that our descendants will still want to live here too.

Adding or eliminating services will have a direct impact not just on the tax rate but also on people's lives.

Higher taxes or lack of services will make our communities less desirable places to live.

Ultimately there will be a lot of factors and not a great deal of "wiggle room".

If elected, I have the ability to analyze the data, research the approaches, formulate the solutions and find the balance the people will support.

Trustees take Q&A

The Creemore Echo asked the following two questions to the candidates running for Simcoe County District School Board trustee:

1. Why did you decide to run for school trustee?
2. How do you best convey to the voter the role of the trustee?

Annie Chandler

1. After 28 years of experience in education working with students, parents and community organizations, I feel that becoming a trustee would be a natural next step for me in my retirement.

I have gained valuable first-hand experience and knowledge, which would enable me to effectively represent the interests and concerns of the 12 school communities, which would be under my watch. As a lifelong resident I have a vested interest and knowledge of the area and its history. It would be an honour to be provided the opportunity to give back and become the voice and advocate for local public education.

2. A trustee is often the first point of contact for parents and community members who have questions and/or concerns regarding education in their area. Communication and accessibility to a trustee and therefore to the board, is facilitated by establishing regular and consistent contact with the community by attending requested meetings with school councils and/or parent groups, by responding to phone or e-mail queries, and by establishing and utilizing all forms of social media available to keep people informed. Finally, a trustee is responsible for policy direction, demonstrating fiscal responsibility and promoting continuous improvement in our schools.



Chandler

Lawson

Donna Lawson

1. I decided to run for school trustee because I've been involved in the school system in Simcoe County for the last 23 years and it seemed like a natural progression for me to stay involved after my last child graduated from high school this past June.

I can't imagine not being involved and look forward to providing the parents and most especially the students of the area with a venue to voice their concerns and ideas to the board.

2. The SCDSB lists the role of trustee as locally elected representatives who are the communities advocate for public education and assist the board in fulfilling their duties.

I see a trustee as the voice of parents and students interests to the board. Being involved as a volunteer in the area for many years establishes me as a hard working, dependable and reliable person that voters can communicate with.

I'm trying my best to convey the role through my Facebook page, my website, meet-the-candidate venues and through literature.

Water and wastewater rates going up next year

by Trina Berlo

Clearview Township council is banking on development to help pay for water and sewer services.

Residents with those services will see a slight increase in their bills next year.

While the fixed portion of the bill will remain at \$163 per year but the volumetric rate will increase from \$1.94 to \$1.99 per cubic metre.

Rates will continue to increase each year with the fixed rate at \$169 by 2025 and the variable portion at \$2.45 per cubic metre. The wastewater rate will also go up in 2015.

Clearview council approved the new rates based on the Drinking Water

and Wastewater System Rate Report prepared by Sharratt Water Management Ltd. dated August 22, an 11-year water and sewer rate report.

"The rate study takes into account everything that we do," said **Mike Rawn**, general manager of environmental services for Clearview Township. "It's capital replacement – we have dome pipes that are 100 years old – and equipment maintenance."

"The township has undertaken this project to prepare water rates, which will ensure that sufficient funds will be in place to cover the future water system operating costs, water and wastewater system lifecycle asset

renewal and replacement costs. It will also provide the basis for the preparation and submission of a water system financial plan," states the report.

The updated water rate study and financial plan are required to renew Clearview Township's water licence, which is up for renewal in January 2015.

Council decided to go with the rates based on a full population projection of 18,750 by 2024, as calculated in last year's development charge background study.

"A user taking 70 cubic metres per year is projected to pay \$301 in 2015, or \$4 more per year compared to what was paid in 2014," states the report. "The bill

will be \$324 in 2019, and \$338 in 2025. Someone using 125 cubic metres per year will pay \$410 in 2015, or \$4 more than 2014, \$447 in 2019, and \$472 in 2025. A user of 300 cubic metres per year will pay a water bill of \$758 in 2015, or \$13 more than 2014, \$837 in 2019, and \$896 in 2025. An average user has been included in the table as average use is declining over time. The average user of 293 cubic metres per year will pay \$735 in 2015 or \$3 more than in 2014, will take 261 cubic metres in 2019 and pay \$750, and is projected to take 233 cubic metres per year in 2025 and pay \$734. Water use by the average user in all systems is expected to decline during 2015 to 2025."

Ken Sharratt told council members water use is declining due to water efficient fixtures.

The majority of the growth is slated for Stayner, Creemore and New Lowell.

Had council gone with rates based on half of the projected growth rates being realized, the fixed portion would go up \$10 in 2015. The rates will be reevaluated on an annual basis. Sharratt recommends the rates be increased if the projected growth is not realized in the next few years.

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Horticultural Park beside Station on the Green • Saturday, October 4, 10 am
As part of the 2014 CREEMORE FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS GRAND OPENING a new piece of public art will be unveiled. This gift of bronze sculpture from artist **Ernest Herzig**, embodies the equality that can be found in things which seem so different.

INSPIRED

Works by Eleven Acclaimed Artists curated by Sara Sniderhan

Station on the Green • Saturday and Sunday, 10 am to 4 pm
Mulmur's own renowned portrait artist shares the work of nationally and internationally recognized contemporary Canadian artists, including **Shaun Downey, Graham Roumieu, Rachel Berman, Marco Cibola, Sean Yelland, Keita Morimoto, Peter Mitchell, Gordon Wiebe, Peter Rotter and Gosia.**

THE DETRITUS PROJECT

An Installation by Peter Adams

Creemore Log Cabin • Saturday and Sunday, 10 am to 4 pm
Peter Adams asks the question "what is a resource and what is refuse?" while celebrating the rich agricultural heritage of the Creemore area. Best known for his oil painting, this is Adams' first foray into installation art.

ARTISTS ON LOCATION

Creemore Comes Alive With Art

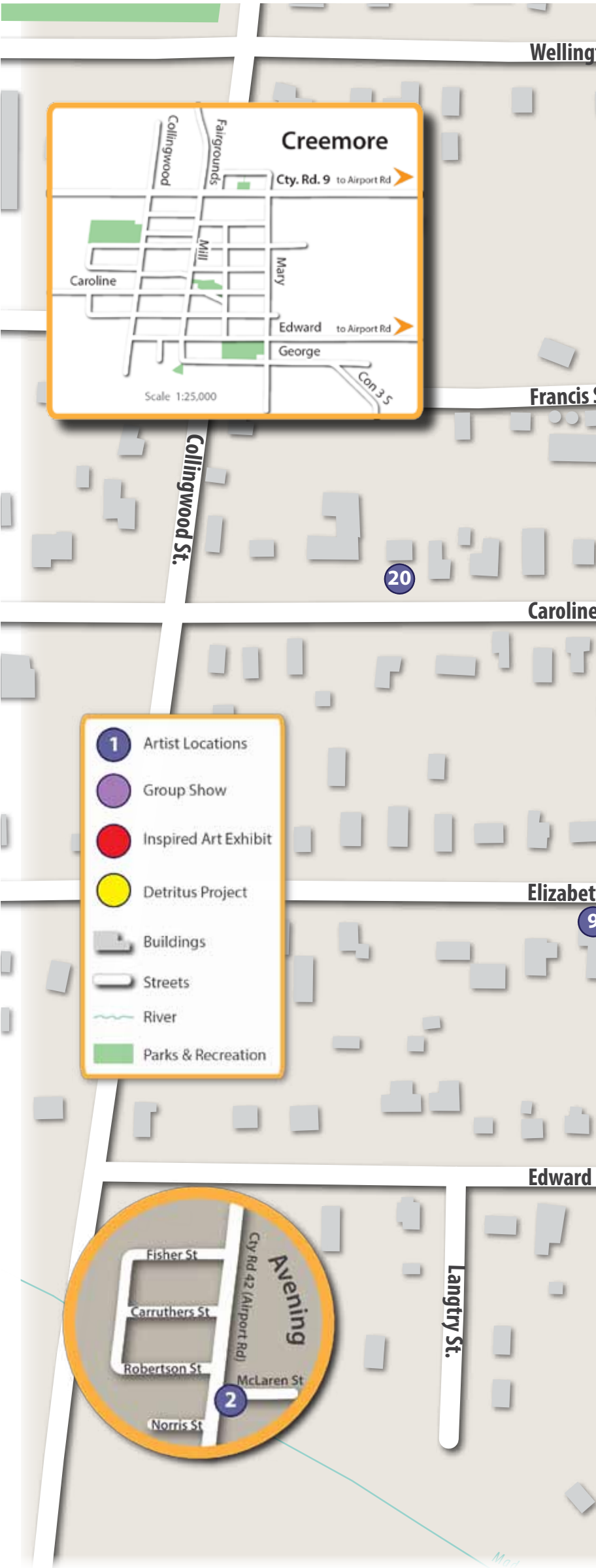
Village of Creemore • Saturday and Sunday, 10 am to 4 pm
From watercolours to oils, sculpture to photography, Artists on Location showcases the works of a variety of artists in businesses, studios and homes throughout the village. Check out the Group Show in the north room of the Station on the Green, pick up a map, and spend time visiting artists.

Purple Hills Arts and Heritage Society is a not-for-profit organization and registered Ontario charity, committed to supporting the arts and conserving the heritage of Creemore and the surrounding area. New members, volunteers and donations are always happily received. For more information visit phahs.ca



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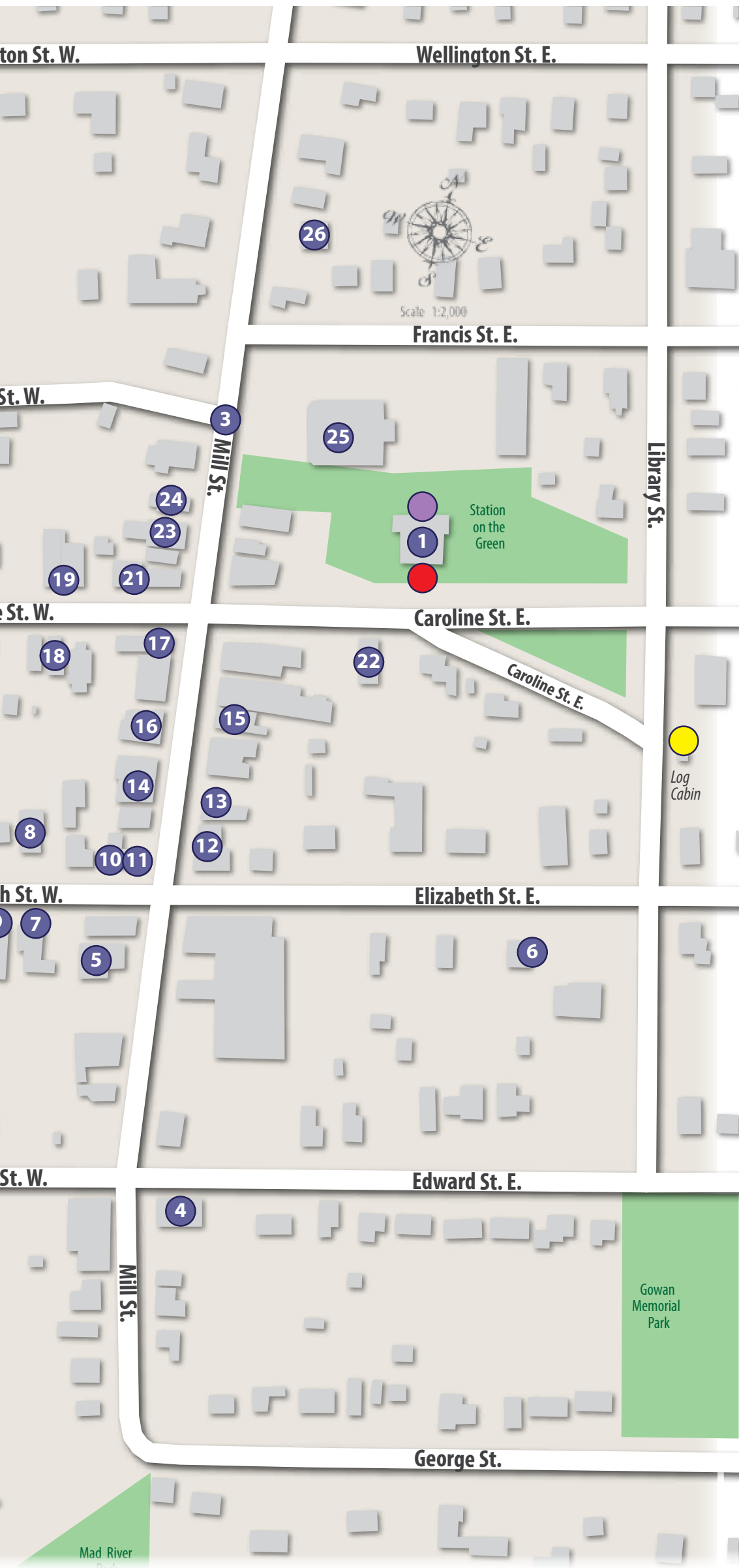
Avening, Brentwood, Creemore, Dunedin, Duntroon, Nottawa, Stayner, Singhampton and Sunnidale host multiple events October 2 through to 5. With concerts in Avening, dinners in Dunedin and Thrones in Duntroon – Clearview's Small Halls, and the people who love them – offer the opportunity for you to enjoy their rural charm and well-earned character. This Festival is an opportunity to experience the entire Township and the fun to be had in its hamlets and villages. Be sure to check out The Small Halls Festival's website for a comprehensive listing of over 40 activities geared to all different interests and ages. smallhallsfestival.ca



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ARTISTS ON LOCATION



1	10 Caroline St. E.	STATION ON THE GREEN Festival Headquarters and information	
2	Avening Hall 3401 County Rd. 42	Lucas Gordon	Silk-screen printing
3	Various Locations along Mill Street	Mk Lynde	Photography
4	Mad River Pottery 113 Mill St.	Jeff Smith Carole Watson	Sculpture Acrylic, nuno felt scarves
5	Creemore Kitchen 134 Mill St.	Sara Sniderhan Peter Mitchell	Oil Mixed media (pencil, watercolour, acrylic)
6	13 Elizabeth St. E.	David Bruce Johnson Taylor Ledden Norma Lee	Sculpture Woodturning Oil
7	3 Elizabeth St. W.	BJ May	Oil, watercolour
8	4 Elizabeth St. W.	Dorothee Cosack Susie Cosack Edison Osorio Carola Little (Cosack)	Paper arts, illustration Photography Integrated media Oil, photography
9	5 Elizabeth St. W.	Jordan Eveland	Oil, paper, encaustic, sculpture, mixed media
10	Coloveration 142 Mill St. South Side Unit	Ruth Ann Pearce Jenn Wilkins	Coloured pencil Acrylic
11	Maplestone Gallery 142 Mill St.	Kaitlyn Brodie Nancy Groshens Sherri Ann Black Suzanne Steeves	Fibre or textile art Jewellery (sterling silver) Photography Mosaic and jewellery
12	Royal LePage RCR Realty 143 Mill St.	David Wilson Laurie Foote	Oil, acrylic Oil, acrylic and mylar
13	My Pullover 145 Mill St.	Alicia Lawson	Photography
14	Mill St. Art Studio 148 A Mill St.	Sue A. Miller Andrea Mueller Liz Eakins Peter Adams Ernest Herzig Martha Bull	Oil Metalwork Paper arts Oil Sculpture Watercolour
15	House of Stitches 151-C Mill St.	Ruth Irvine	Oil/cold wax, encaustic
16	Mad and Noisy Gallery 154 Mill St.	Sandi Wong Louis Davies Kai-Liis McInnes Kaz Jones Diane Soward Adele Derkowski David Dillon	Acrylic Acrylic Watercolour, acrylic Acrylic Acrylic Oil, acrylic, aquarell Photography
17	Seasons 168 Mill St.	Dorothy Shropshire Joanne Bullock	Watercolour Goldsmithing/art jewellery
18	API - Ad People Inc 3 Caroline St. W. Unit 3	Clearview Artworks Jill Stevenson Acrylic Lu-Anne Demetrick Acrylic Carolyn Smith Oil, acrylic Marilyn Johnston Oil, acrylic Elfie Alexander Oil, acrylic., watercolour June Phelps Oil Donna Cummings Acrylic	
19	Discover the Path 8A Caroline St. W.	Bryan Davies	Fine Art Photography
20	20 Caroline St. W.	Diane Hutchings	Patenteur - Clay and wood
21	172E Mill St.	Jane Wynne	Acrylic, watercolour
22	Village Builders 3 Caroline St. E.	Anne Logan	Acrylic, watercolour
23	Curiosity House Bookstore & Gallery 178 Mill St.	Christine Viens	Oil, acrylic, various media
24	Sotheby's International 180 Mill St.	Chris Hession	Oil
25	Creemore Foodland 187 Mill St.	Jim Leithead	Sculpture
26	Rene Petitjean Studio 195 Mill St.	Jennifer Wilson-Bridgman Ann Clifford Kate Esplen Lynn Connell	Sculpture, Metalwork Sculpture Oil, acrylic, jewellery Oil, acrylic



Clearview fire department distributes alarms during Project Zero

by Trina Berlo

The Clearview Fire Department has received 376 smoke and carbon monoxide alarms as part of Project Zero.

In partnership with Enbridge Gas Distribution and the Fire Marshal's Public Fire Safety Council they are working to bring the number of fire and carbon monoxide-related deaths down to zero.

"This is an excellent opportunity to work with our safety partners and enhance our smoke alarm and carbon monoxide program. Early detection is key and this program will be a valuable initiative to achieve this," said Clearview Township Fire Chief **Colin Shewell**.

Locally, the fire department will install the alarms for those who need assistance. The devices can also be picked up at the hub.

During the campaign, more than 4,500 alarms are being provided to residents in 15 municipalities in Ontario. Enbridge invested \$100,000 this year in Project Zero.

The alarms will be distributed to homes in neighbourhoods where the number of residential fires and fire-related deaths and injuries have been higher than average.

"Safety is our top priority at Enbridge, and we're committed to helping ensure there are no deaths in Ontario due to carbon monoxide exposure," said Enbridge Gas director of construction **Frank Smith**. "Educating customers about the importance of installing a combination smoke and carbon monoxide alarm and properly maintaining fuel-burning equipment is an ongoing priority."

Since 2009, Project Zero has been launched in 64 Ontario communities.

"Smoke and carbon monoxide alarms are critical life safety devices. They detect the presence of smoke and deadly gas and provide those precious seconds for occupants to escape. Everyone needs to have them in their homes," said Ontario Fire Marshal **Ted Wieclawek**.

In Ontario, it is the law that every home must have a working smoke alarm on every storey and outside all sleeping areas. While regulations on Bill 77 – the Hawkins Gignac Act, which gives the government the authority to make having a carbon monoxide detector mandatory – have not yet been finalized, a carbon monoxide detector is highly recommended by the Ontario Fire Marshal.

Combination smoke and carbon monoxide alarms, when properly installed and maintained, help provide the early warning that is needed to safely escape from



Staff photo: Trina Berlo

Deputy Fire Chief **Roree Rayment** (from left), CAO **Steve Sage**, Mike **Sangregorgio** and Joe **Corrigan**, of Enbridge, Mayor **Ken Ferguson** and Fire Chief **Colin Shewell**.

a house fire or carbon monoxide exposure.

Carbon monoxide is a toxic, odourless gas that is a by-product of incomplete combustion of many types of common fuels. It is important that all fuel-burning equipment be properly maintained to prevent carbon monoxide buildup.

Carbon monoxide alarms are recommended as a second line of defense to protect against the dangers of carbon monoxide poisoning.

The hub is located at 6993 Highway 26, in Stayner.

People can call the fire department if they need assistance with the installation of the alarms. Call 705-428-4355.

The department has until Nov. 15 to distribute all of the devices.

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Bakers are encouraged to have a homemade pie ready for the judges on Saturday, Oct. 11.

Apple pies must be submitted by 10 a.m. at Station on the Green. They will be judged on flavour (10 points), appearance (5 points), crust (5 points) and texture (5 points).

Judging will be complete by noon and ribbons will be awarded for the top six pies.

Entries should be in a disposable pie plate because it is not always possible to return the dishes.

What's in season?

This week at the Creemore Farmers' Market, there will be eggplant, onions, beans, potatoes, radish, thyme, sage, savoury, green, squash, pumpkins, apples and much more.

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Big Heart Seniors Rama trip coming up Oct. 7

We had news of three of our members today, Kevin Keogh is out of hospital and with his daughter in London until

he is fully recovered and we will be glad to see him back with us.

Effie Taylor is not doing so well with her broken arm, seems it is very painful, hoping you get well soon, we miss you Effie.

George Blakney is moving to east of Ottawa. Bon voyage George, you will be missed as well.

Just a reminder that our Rama trip comes up Oct. 7, please come with us for a fun day.

For seat reservations, please call **Irma Flack** 705-466-5205 or **Evelyn Warden** 705-429-5067.

We had eight full tables for cards and lucky draws were won by **Lillian Hiltz** x2, **Isabelle Gubbels**, **George Blakney**, **Phyllis Seed**.

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There were seven moon shots played by **May Johnston**, **Eileen Nash**, **Bert Douglas**, **Evelyn Warden**, **Corinne Brownridge**, **Peter Gubbels** and the travel prize went to **May Johnston**.

Winners for cards were all high scorers: **Pat Winger**, 333; **Eileen Nash**, 321; **Bert Douglas**, 308; **Corinne Brownridge**, 302 and low went to **Marj Douglas**, 140.

Huge Interesting Auction

Thanksgiving Mon Oct 13th.

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I have been many places at this time of year and, although we have many pretty scenes locally, I was visiting my daughter in Markdale last fall and stopped at the Beaver Valley lookout. I was awed by the splendid view of the hills around that area.

If beautiful scenery is pleasing to you it is just a short drive away.

Did you know that rats cannot vomit, there are 2,598,960 possible hands in a five-card poker game and an average human sheds 40 pounds of skin in a lifetime.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION
VOTE BY INTERNET OR PHONE

The Municipal Election in the Township of Mulmur for the following offices will be held from 10 a.m. on Friday, October 17, to 8 p.m. on Monday, October 27th, 2014.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OFFICES
COUNCILLORS (three (3) to be elected)

SCHOOL BOARD POSITIONS
ENGLISH LANGUAGE SEPARATE SCHOOL TRUSTEE
(one (1) to be elected)
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FRENCH LANGUAGE SEPARATE SCHOOL TRUSTEE
(one (1) to be elected)

All eligible electors, who are on the voters' list will receive by mail (mailed October 6th) a Voter Information Letter containing instructions on how to cast their ballot. Electors have a choice on which method they use to vote – internet or telephone. They are provided with a Personal Identification Number and information about the voting website and how to access it as well as a 1-800 number that they can use to vote by phone. Electors may access the on-line/phone ballot from any computer or electronic internet capable device, tablet, iPhone, Blackberry, smartphone, iPad, land line, etc.

For further information regarding the election, contact the municipal office/ voter help centre 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at 705-466-3341 or e-mail info@mulmurtownship.ca

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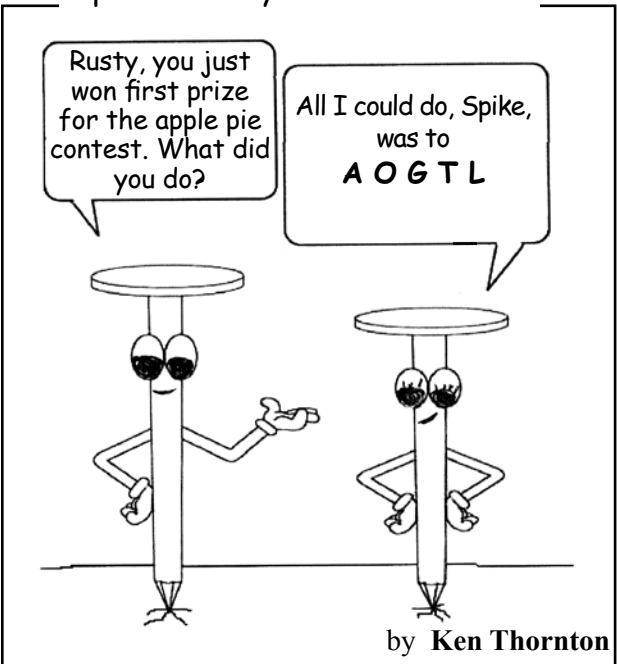
FUN & Games

Sudoku by Barbara Simpson

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Answer on Classifieds page

Spike & Rusty Word Scramble



by Ken Thornton

Find this week's answer in Classifieds



WEEKEND WEATHER

Friday, October 3

Risk of thunderstorms
High 23 Low 15 Winds SE 35 km/h
POP 60%

Saturday, October 4

Chance of shower
High 13 Low 8 Winds SW 25 km/h
POP 40%

Sunday, October 5

Chance of shower
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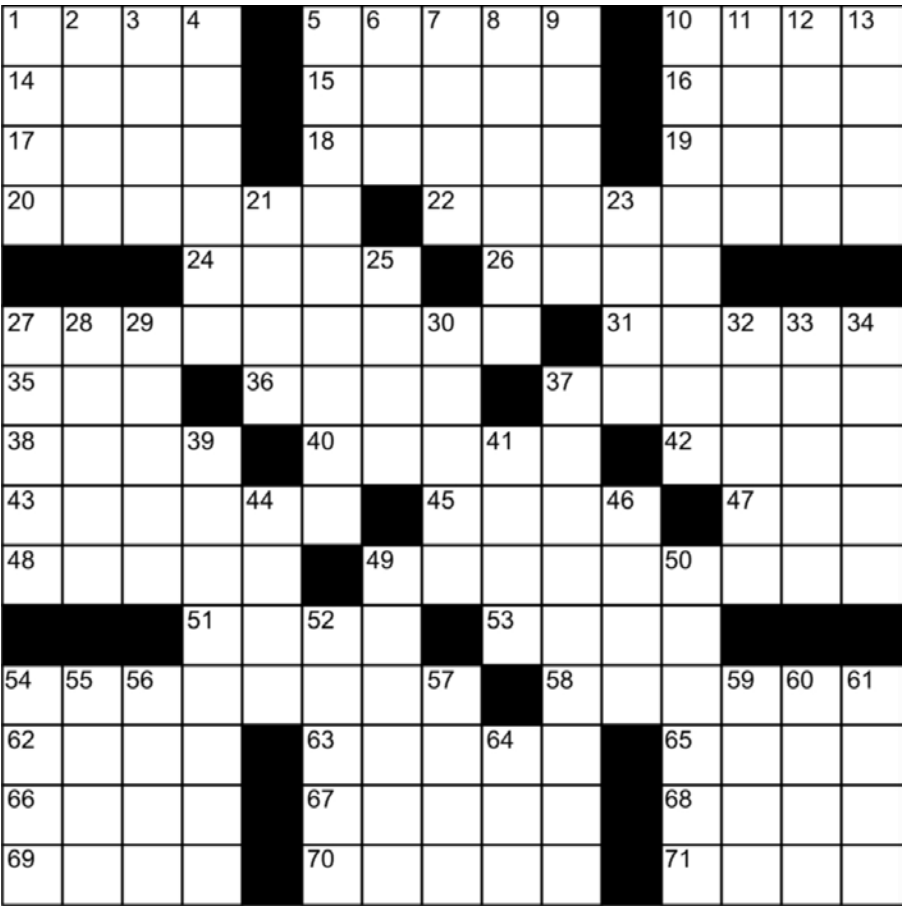
October 3, 2014

ACROSS

1. Overtake
5. Drum played with one hand
10. Hang down
14. 2.54 centimetres
15. Day's march
16. Orchestra instrument
17. Serve coffee
18. Tin anniversary
19. Old Germanic alphabet letter
20. Tempt
22. Thickness
24. Put in
26. Death announcement, for short
27. Particle accelerator
31. Household name, for short
35. Weeding tool
36. Looking muscular and fit
37. Principal ore of lead
38. Unemployed
40. Strong string
42. Female sweetheart
43. Animal's coat
45. Pig sound
47. Take legal action
48. Walk through puddles
49. Experiencing intense pain
51. Try out
53. Gradient in a road
54. Outmoded music medium
58. Goose egg
62. Jamaican fruit
63. Area of high pressure
65. Insulting remark
66. Necklace piece
67. Bay window
68. Wahine's dance

DOWN

69. Slight advantage
70. Insignificant
71. Bark sharply
1. Boatswain's whistle
2. Having no known name: abbr.
3. Bunny tail
4. High-pitched and piercing
5. Private conversation
6. Had a meal
7. Group of musicians
8. Choice
9. Place to get sober
10. Predict
11. Be adjacent to
12. Having no one else around
13. Lascivious look
21. Make less warm
23. Heat-resistant mineral
25. Suck in air
27. French fries
28. Sing like a Swiss mountaineer
29. Instrument of the violin family
30. It can bring tears to your eyes
32. Dog collar attachment
33. Take place subsequently
34. Stationed
37. Beyond doubt
39. ___ Mario's (Canadian chain of restaurants)
41. Approaching
44. Butter used in Indian cooking
46. Code word for K
49. Clothing
50. Covered with melting snow and ice
52. Sharpening strap



Find the answer to this week's Crossword on the Classifieds page.

54. Raise to the third power
55. Old
56. Coal waste
57. Blue-pencil
59. Mucilage

60. Body of a ship
61. U-shaped bend in a drainpipe
64. Come into possession of

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Many many thanks to all the donors and buyers who made the **Station Book Sale** a success once again. And very special thanks to the volunteers who sorted, set up, took down, and in between worked shifts on the day of the sale. Without your efforts, it wouldn't be possible. As a result we will turn over \$6,000 to the Board of the Station on the Green for the maintenance and upkeep of the building and grounds.

M. Joan Bichan (née Heslip)

October 24, 1918 – September 24, 2014

“The wind, not the flag.”



M. Joan Bichan (née Heslip), daughter of Frank and Jean, brother of Jack, all deceased, passed away peacefully, on Wednesday, September 24, at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, after a brief illness, at the age of 95. She was the beloved mother of David (Heather), and Dougal (Joyce, Linda), and the well-loved grandmother of Kyle (Jen) and Michael (Danielle), and the great-grandmother of Morgan, Kendall and Adam. She also leaves her niece, Susan Cameron (Rick) and her great nieces, Melissa (Ben) and Katie (David) and their children Hannah, Ian, Jackson and Sydney.

Her extraordinary life included a long career beginning as a surgical nurse at Toronto General Hospital. She was particularly proud to have served as a nurse in the Royal Canadian Navy, in England, during WW II. She became a nursing administrator and ended her working career as Director of Nursing at the General and Marine Hospital in Collingwood. In her own words, she then “leapt into retirement” and became a moving force in the cultural life of Collingwood. She was a founding member of the Landscape School of Painting, Life Long Learning, and active in several other organizations.

With her geologist husband, Jim, who predeceased her, and their young children, she had lived all over Canada, as well as in two countries of Africa. Wherever she found herself, she rolled up her sleeves and helped out, taught first aid to local groups of women, and threw herself into community life, such as the Lusaka Little Theatre Company. In 1969, she purchased a small cottage on Manitoulin Island and proceeded to expand it into a personal paradise, where she spent six months of every year of her retirement. She walked across England, at age 78, with her long-time friend, Doris Calvery, and drove her grandsons around Scotland for an encore. She was a force of nature, feisty, cherished by many, and will be greatly missed, by all who knew her, for her intelligence, curiosity, wit, boundless energy, her paintings, her pies, and, of course, her knitting.

She will be buried in Creemore Union Cemetery beside her brother Jack and his wife Winona. She requested that her funeral be for the immediate family only, and that a Celebration of Life, for anyone who knew her, be held on Thursday, October 23, 2014 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Royal Canadian Legion, 490 Ontario Street, Collingwood.

BINGO

Collingwood Legion is picking up where Creemore Legion left off – **Bingo on Monday nights.** Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Progressive prize money is more than \$4000. Public is welcome. 490 Ontario Street, Collingwood.

OPEN HOUSE

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This week's answers

Spike & Rusty:
GLOAT

3	7	8	1	5	2	4	6	9
4	9	1	3	8	6	5	7	2
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Staff photo: Trina Berlo

Saturday's Big Book Bash raised more than \$6,000 for the Station on the Green.

Clearview driver charged with stunt driving

Police caught a driver going 135 km per hour in an 80 km per hour zone on Centre Line Road near Concession 7 on Sept. 28.

The driver, a 20-year-old Clearview Township resident, has a G2 licence and there were three other young people in the vehicle.

“At that speed a simple lack of attention could have caused a serious collision with tragic consequences. Fortunately for this driver and his passengers, police did stop them and instead of a possible disastrous outcome, all made it home safely,” said Const. **Mark Kinney**.

The driver is charged with stunt driving for going more than 50 km above the speed limit and the vehicle was taken away for seven days.

The young man is to appear in court in Wasaga Beach on Nov. 13.

Fall Bi-weekly Yard Waste Collections

To determine your yard waste collection week visit simcoe.ca/wastereminder or consult the waste management calendar.
Place your materials at curbside by 7 a.m. on Monday of your collection week.
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TENDER

CREEMORE WATER TANK DEMOLITION

Contract No.: 300036275

SEALED BIDS, on forms supplied by the Contract Administrator, in the envelopes provided, will be received by Pamela Fettes, B.A., CMO, Dipl. M.A., Director, Legislative Services/Municipal Clerk, at the Township of Clearview, 217 Gideon Street, Stayner ON, L0M 1S0 until:

2:00:00 P.M., LOCAL TIME, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2014

Tenders will be opened publicly on Thursday, October 9, 2014 at 2:10 p.m., local time, in Clearview Council Chambers, at 217 Gideon Street, Stayner ON, L0M 1S0.

The work ("Work") includes:

Demolition of a partially buried concrete water tank, bury it in place and cover with material to allow for natural vegetation regeneration.


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Bid Documents may be obtained at the office of the Contract Administrator, R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited, 3 Ronell Crescent, Collingwood ON, L9Y 4J6 for a non-refundable fee of \$40.00 (\$35.40 plus HST) payable to R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited.

In addition to other provisions in the Bid Documents, the lowest or any Bid will not necessarily be accepted.

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SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT

Seasonal Snow Removal Operators

Job # 2014-019
November 2014 to March 2015

Heavy Equipment Operators	3 positions
Night Patrol Operators	2 positions
Sidewalk Operators	2 positions

Responsibilities
Snow removal, inspecting and repairing roads infrastructure and may involve manual labour as needed.

Qualifications
Completion of grade 12 education
Valid Class DZ driver's license
Heavy equipment experience
Snow removal experience

Requirements
Possess reliable personal transportation and be able to participate in "on-call" and respond within 30 minutes.
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For details on hours of work and wages, please visit our website at www.clearview.ca (Employment Section).

Qualified candidates are invited to submit their resume and covering letter, quoting **Job # 2014-019** by **October 17, 2014 at 3pm** to Human Resources at hr@clearview.ca

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