

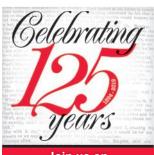
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# It's fair weekend in Chesterville CHESTERVILLE

The 88th Chesterville Fair will take place this weekend from Aug. 23-25, and boasts a weekend full of activities for guests of all ages. Tribeck Inflatables returns with their midway this year, and the fun gets started on Friday at 4 p.m. See this week's insert for more details.

#### Car show and concert

IROQUOIS – On Sun., Aug. 25 the Golden Gears Car Show will roll into town at the Iroquois Locks. Organizers anticipate upwards of 400 cars if the weather cooperates. The show will run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and admission is free. Eddy & the Stingrays will be performing from noon until 2:30 p.m.

# Chesterville's big moments

CHESTERVILLE - As part of The Chesterville Record's 125th anniversary celebrations, we are looking for residents to share photos of the history of Chesterville over the last 50 years. Interested individuals are invited to bring their photos to *The* Record office during business hours, Monday to Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. to have pictures scanned. Thank you for your help in celebrating Chesterville's history.





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# Celebrating local food

Carolyn Thompson Goddard Record Staff

AVONMORE – It was a beautiful summer evening for an event celebrating local food with approximately 80 people attending the Farm to Table Dinner at Avonmore Berry Farm in North Stormont on Aug. 15. Hosted by Dave and Pamela Phillips, the event was catered by the Quirky Carrot in Alexandria, and featured local foods and refreshments from throughout Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

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#### **Youth at council**

**Carolyn Thompson Goddard** Record Staff

MORRISBURG-It was a full house in the South Dundas Council Chambers when over two dozen young people visited the Aug. 13 council meeting, during which, Kaileigh Helmer, the municipality's youth engagement intern presented her report to council. Helmer was employed by South Dundas after funding was received from the Rural Youth Engagement Grant Program, a Rural Ontario Institute program founded by Ryan Deska. South Dundas was one of 10 municipalities across Ontario selected to research and report back to council on youth engagement strategies.

In her comprehensive report, Helmer provided many recommendations on methods to engage youth in South Dundas, including the creation of a Youth Advisory Committee, a Youth Instagram/Snapchat account, ATV/dirt bike trails, businesses that young people would like to see in the municipality and an information

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#### Fun and games at the South Mountain Fair

The South Mountain Fair battled some inconsistent weather over the weekend of Aug. 15-18; but that didn't stop the crowds from showing up in droves to partake in the fun. The midway boasted a variety of rides and games for attendees of all ages to enjoy. The Ferris wheel provided fairgoers an eagle eye view of the grounds.

Thompson Goddard photo

# South Mountain Fair rained out, attendance still high

**Kory Glover** 

Record Staff

SOUTH MOUNTAIN – A little rain never hurt anyone, right?

The weather was not on the community's side this past weekend, with scattered showers and grey clouds glooming over the 127th South Mountain Fair – but that didn't dampen anyone's spirits.

While Sat., Aug. 17 and Sun., Aug. 18 had a decent turnout despite some rainy showers and dark skies, Fri., Aug. 16 had a suspected record-breaking crowd

according to previous North Dundas mayor and Conservative candidate Eric Duncan on Twitter.

"Just got home from working the gates at the South Mountain Fair," he wrote. "That had to be a record shattering attendance tonight; I've never seen crowds like that before! It was so busy, I didn't get a chance to take a picture of it all."

With the popular milking competition and mutton bustin' event still bringing in attendees, there were some absences from this year's fair.

The Kids Corn Maze did not return this year and was replaced with a sunflower garden. Whether or not this is connected to last year's vandalism is unknown. The Garlic Festival was also absent from the fair.

Results of the 4-H Dairy Achievement Day are as follows: Novice Showmanship: Alexandra Bloderer, Emma-Jane Hess, Sam Schuler. Junior Showmanship: Taylor Mathers, Cassidy Porteous, Paige Hannaford.

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# community asked to help Debra's kids

#### **Provided by: Chantal** Tranchemontagne

CORNWALL - After losing their mother to cancer, three local kids need financial assistance. Like all good parents, Debra Brault (née Ridal) made sure her kids knew they were loved. When the 54-year-old single mother was eulogized on June 7, after losing her battle with cancer, her best friend addressed Josh, 22, Chris, 20, and Lillian, 15.

"I hope you know how much your mother loved you, and still loves you. You are part of her and she is a part of you," said Ruth Petinga.

Petinga went on to tell stories of each of Brault's children: how Josh possesses a great ability to care for people; how Chris is brave and always open to discovering new things in life; and how Lillian has the most artistic and creative soul.

But the eulogy purposefully omitted the challenges Brault's kids face, made all the more daunting without their mother's help. Both Josh and Chris are on the autism spectrum and both have special needs and challenges that require daily support. Having lost their primary caregiver who knew them best and who was their best advocate, the kids will undoubtedly face challenges to maintain a safe, secure and bright future. To help, Brault's siblings-Janet Miele, Jeff Ridal and Theresa Mainville—have each pledged to support their sister's children but the daunting financial needs have led them to reach out for help from the community in the form of a GoFundMe campaign.

They want everyone to know that the eldest, Josh, dreams of being an actor,



Debra Brault's children.

that Chris, is the naturalborn comedian, and that Lillian, a whip-smart high school student at St. Joseph's Secondary School, is a phenomenal singer and piano player and that they can have a bright future with a little extra help.

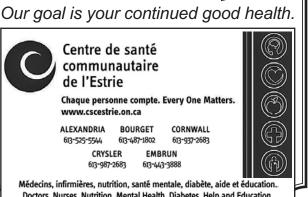
The GoFundMe funds will help offset the costs of caregiving, among many other expenses, and the family is thankful for the \$13,000 that has already been raised. But they are also cognizant of the fact that there is a long way to go

to reach the \$100,000 goal.

"There really is no donation too small," says

Those able to support Josh, Chris and Lillian can donate to the campaign at www.gofundme.com/ForJos hChrisLillian.





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Wooden signs raise money for kids

The Royal Bank of Canada's (RBC) Race for the Kids hosted a fundraiser at the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 108 in Winchester on Tues., Aug. 13. The evening featured a DIY wooden sign painting with the help of Sticks + Six from Iroquois and about 35 people showed up to take part in the action. The Race for the Kids will take place on Sept. 15 throughout the Ottawa area with the proceeds going to the CHEO Youth Mental Health department. Sticks + Six owners, Darryl "Sticks" & Janine Jennings and their six children (+6) offer handmade custom wooden signs, home decor and DIY sign making workshops. The evening was started by an introduction and eventually the paints and stains came out and the group got heavily involved with their projects. Janine Jennings (left) owner of Sticks + Six shows Lynn Gee the proper way to stain a wooden frame as her daughter, Brianna Jennings looks over Reagan Arcand's shoulder while she stains her frame. Moore photo

#### Ontario Renovates - new application round opens Monday, September 9th, 2019

#### Assistance available to low & modest income homeowners in Cornwall and SDG

Ontario Renovates is a popular home improvement program that assists low and modest income families and seniors in Cornwall and the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

Application forms for the program will be available as of Tuesday September 3rd, 2019 (in-person or online at cornwall.ca). Program launch - applications will be received as of Monday, September 9th, Please note there is a dedicated amount of funding so interested homeowners are encouraged to apply early (not before Monday September 9th, 2019).

#### 2019 Application Priorities

- 1) First time applicants
- 2) Accessibility requests (whether first time applicant or not)

NOTE: All other requests that are not one of the two priorities will be added to a call list and only contacted if there are available funds to assist with further requests.

Ontario Renovates has two components:

- A Necessary Home Repair component where eligible homeowners can receive a maximum forgivable loan of \$19,000, which is earned over a ten year period. Projects that may qualify under this component include upgrades to heating systems, doors, windows, roofs & electrical systems.
- An Accessibility Modification component where eligible homeowners can receive a maximum grant of \$5,000. Projects that may qualify under this component include ramps and handrails, etc..

Participating homeowners must have an assessed house value below \$238,489 and be below the following income limits (per household):

Household of Household of 5 \$51,000 \$63.200 Household of 1 \$42,800 Household of 2 \$58,100 or more

For more information on this program, its requirements and an application form, please visit the City of Cornwall website, www.Cornwall.ca. Copies of the application form can also be obtained from the Social Housing Division at the City of Cornwall at 340 Pitt Street or by calling (613) 930-2787 ext. 3315.













# **Local food**

Continued from the front

Pamela Phillips explained that the event, now in its third year, allows "people to see where their food comes from" and features wagon rides in the fields, allowing them to see how the crops are grown and managed with the opportunity to ask questions while on the Farm Tour.

The event also served as the Achievement Night for the Stormont County 4-H Soup Club. Five members of the Soup Club assisted with registration and serving hors d'oeuvres. Susanna Bretzler, who with Harrietta Bretzler led the Club of seven, explained that meetings included a cooking class at Winchelsea and a shopping trip with ten dollars to purchase ingredients to make soup from scratch. Bretzler commented how the Stormont County 4-H Go for the Gold Team will be competing in the provincial championships at the Royal Winter Fair in November. Team members are Aimee Van Loon, Dougie Robinson, Oliver Bretzler and Lillian Flegg.

During the evening, Grace Graham provided musical entertainment near the door of The Pantry where dinner was to be



An evening on the farm

Stormont County 4-H Soup Club held their achievement night, assisting at the Aug. 15 Farm to Table Dinner held at Avonmore Berry Farm. From the left, Adelia Bretzler, Pamela Phillips, Vanessa Landriault and Julia Graham.

Thompson Goddard photo

served, with Rurban Brewing of Cornwall and Stone Crop Winery and Vineyard from South Dundas providing refreshments.

Phillips was pleased with the turnout at the event, and explained that there would be two further events on Aug. 29 and Sept. 12 at the Avonmore Berry Fair.



Strumming along, singing a song

Grace Graham provided musical entertainment for the first 2019 Farm to Table Dinner at Avonmore Berry Farm on Aug. 15.

Thompson Goddard photo

# Council makes a serve to Chesterville and South Mountain

**Kory Glover** 

Record Staff

NORTH DUNDAS – Last year, a total of \$5,000 was budgeted to repair cracks on the Chesterville and South Mountain tennis courts.

Compound to repair the cracks was purchased before predetermining how much was needed to fill the cracks on each of the tennis courts. The Chesterville court was chosen to be repaired first, with work commencing in 2018; however, work on the Chesterville court has yet to be completed and there has still been no work on the South Mountain court.

While the remaining compound was used on the Chesterville court this year, it was determined that an estimated \$2,000 more of product will be required to finish the job. Therefore, the total repair costs for the Chesterville tennis court alone are up to approximately \$7,000.

During this year's budget process, \$5,000 was put forth for compound on the South Mountain tennis court; however, it was further determined that filling the cracks would not be a permanent solution, as continued work would be required as well as budgeting for future cracks to fix it up. The amount of hours and additional costs would be too much for one small project.

It was recently discovered that the courts could be resurfaced with asphalt and then painted. Despite the asphalt resurfacing alone estimated to be approximately \$17,000 per court, it was considered to be a more viable approach.

The resurface will result in a new, levelled playing surface that will last longer than a patch job on the current tennis court surfaces. The new asphalt surface will also require little to no maintenance.

"As a result of these findings, I'm recommending that we don't spend any more money on compound and we simply put money into reserves [that] we were budgeting to spend on more compound this year, [and] put that forward into next year," said Meaghan Meerburg, director of recreation and culture; "Then bring forward a recommendation, during budget time, to use that money to pave the two courts instead of patching them."

Council agreed that this was an issue that should be brought up come budget time.

"Basically, we'll look at it at budget [time] and get more information on it, the life expectancy of the surface they would put on," said councillor John Thompson.

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 29TH

7-9pm 4-H Entries

## 7pm Modified / 3Pitch Tournament (if needed) FRIDAY, AUGUST 30<sup>TH</sup>

8:30 -11:30am Exhibit Hall Entries -Stormont Hall
3pm-Close Midway by Family Time Amusements
4-6pm Entertainment - Grandstand
6pm-12am Dugout Open -Stormont Dome
7:00pm Demolition Derby
7pm Modified / 3Pitch Tournament (if needed)
9pm-12am Entertainment by MDJ -Dugout

#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 31st

All Day Agricultural Machinery -East of Cattle Barn 9am-5pm Stormont Hall (Exhibits) Open 9am-12:30pm,1:30-5pm Hospitality - Silver Peaks 9am-12:30pm,1:30-5pm Ag.Display / Education - Silver Peaks 9am Modified / 3Pitch Tournament 10am-5pm Petting Zoo/PonyRides - South of South Ring 10am-6pm Kinder Corner - Pavilion 10:30am Heavy Horse Show - Horil Ring Holstein Show - Cattle Ring 11am-11pm Dugout - MDJ 11am-Close Midway by Family Time Amusements 11-4pm Face Painting/Hair/Tattoo - Pavilion 11am, 2&4pm The Pizazz Magic Show - Pavilion 11am-4pm Classic Auto Show-South of Grandstand 11:30am Children's Cattle Class - Cattle Ring 11:45am Parade Assembles at the east parking lot PARADE tours Newington "It's a Family Tradition" 12-1pm Parade Pre-Show - Grandstand 12:30pm Jersey/Ayrshire Show - Cattle Ring **1:00pm** Parade viewing/announcing - Grandstand 1:00pm Opening Ceremonies - Grandstand Guy Lauzon - Retiring MP SD & South Glengarry 1:30pm BINGO -Silver Peaks 2pm Seaway Power Wheels Derby 2pm The Pizazz Magic Show - Pavilion 2-5pm Spinning/Knitting Demo - Stormont Hall 2-5pm WHISKEY SHOT - Grandstand 3pm Krazy Dan's HOT PICKLED Weiner Eating Contest - Dugout 3pm McElheran Remote Control Racing - South Ring 4pm Dog Mutt Show - South Ring

#### 4:30pm Seaway Power Wheels NASCAR Racing - South Ring 6pm ATV Pull -Track Area SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>

**4pm** The Pizazz Magic Show - Pavilion

All Day Agricultural Machinery - East of Cattle Barn
8:00am Modified/3-Pitch Tourny
9am Western-English Horse Show - Horil Ring
9am -5pm Heritage Livestock Club EO Display - Ag Building
9:30am Interdenominational Church Service
- Stormont Dome - Lounge



10am-5pm Stormont Hall (Exhibits) Open 10am-5pm Petting Zoo / Pony Rides - South of South Ring 11-4pm Face Painting/Hair/Tattoo - South Ring 11am-4pm Kidzown - Pavilion/South Ring 11am-4pm Trapper Ron - South Ring 11am-5pm Spinning/Knitting Demo - Stormont Hall 11am-5pm Hospitality Open - Silver Peaks 11am-5pm Ag. Display / Education - Silver Peaks 11am-6pm Kinder Corner - Pavilion **11am-Close** Midway by Family Time Amusements 11:30am The Pizazz Magic Show - Pavilion 11:30am-1:30pm Perkins Rona Children's Workshop - South Ring Limited to 50,1st come, 1st served 11:30am 4-H Beef Achievement Day - Cattle Ring Noon Baby Contest -Stormont Dome (Reg.11am) Antique Farm Machinery Display - South Ring noon-6pm Broadaxe Demo John Foreman - South Ring 1-11pm Dugout Open with MDJ - Stormont Dome 1 & 4pm Junkyard Symphony - Pavilion 1pm WRESTLING "Big Time Pro Wrestling"- Grandstand

1-2:30pm Crafts &Treasure Hunt
- South Ring (parent & child, 6yrs & under)
1pm Hereford, Simmental, Angus,
Other Breed/Crossbreed Shows - Cattle Ring
1:30pm BINGO - Silver Peaks
2:30pm The Pizazz Magic Show - Pavilion
4pm Poultry Club (4-H) - South Ring
4pm Junkyard Symphony - Pavilion
5pm The Pizazz Magic Sow - Pavilion
5pm "Bring It On", Lip Sync Battle - Grandstand
Sponsored by SAS and Krazy Dan's
6:30pm Talent Search - Grandstand
8pm-12am AMBUSH - Stormont Dome - Dugout

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>

All Day Agricultural Machinery - East of Cattle Barn 9am Xtreme Cowboy Race - Horil Ring 9am-3:45pm Stormont Hall (Exhibits) Open 9am-3:45pm Hospitality Open - Silver Peaks 9am-3:45pm Ag. Display / Education - Silver Peaks 10am Modified/3-Pitch Tournament Finals 10am-4pm Kinder Corner - Pavilion 10am-4pm Broadaxe Demo John Foreman - South Ring 10am-5pm Petting Zoo/PonyRides - South of South Ring 10:30am-4pm Trapper Ron - South Ring 10:30am-4pm Kidzown - Pavilion/South Ring 10:30am 4-H Dairy Achievement Day - Cattle Ring 11am-2pm Roving Recyclers - Roaming 11-3pm Face Painting/Hair/Tattoo - Silver Peaks 11am-4:30pm Midway by Family Time Amusements 11am Sheep Shearing - South Ring 11am-4pm Spinning/Knitting Demo - South Ring 11am-6pm Dugout Open with MDJ noon Horse Drawing Competition - Grandstand 1pm Sheep Shearing - South Ring 3:15pm Sheep Shearing - South Ring

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#### Letter

# Thank you Farmer John

The Editor.

Chesterville, Ont.

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For the past 26 years, John Brugmans of Chesterville, has hosted a private event at his home on the outskirts of town. These weren't just regular parties, many would describe them as epic; and I know anyone who attended even just one can relate. There is so much negativity in the world these days, and for one night, John brought not just one town, but many communities of people together. For one night, everyone got along (except for a few select individuals who took negative advantage of the party's atmosphere). Everyone came together in one spot, danced and sang, laughed and loved each other. There were no cliques, no one was better than anyone else, you didn't have to worry about fitting in, or if you were popular; because everyone got together on one property and just had fun. Everyone would leave the party, having created many new friendships. For one night, the rest of the world and all your stress and problems didn't matter. It's like time stood still, and for two hours, or four hours, or eight hours, some even 24 hours, depending on how long you stayed, there was nothing but happiness and laughter. It was such a magical event. Unfortunately, due to some unfortunate events last year, John announced that July 2019 would be his last party putting an end to a tradition that has been happening for decades. Its sad that a few people had to ruin something that was always so magical but John Brugmans should be proud! John made a difference in so many people's lives by hosting these parties all these years, he was the cause of all those friendships that were made, and for one night a year, he brought nothing but happiness and love to thousands of people's lives – not to mention the time and effort he put in yearly to host such an event. He is a legend! Thank you Farmer John!

Melissa Tessier Chesterville

#### SNC golf tournament raises \$4,000 for Maple Syrup Education Program

MORRISBURG - Nearly 100 golfers and local sponsors helped South Nation Conservation (SNC) raise \$4,000 for youth environmental education at its annual Friends of SNC Golf Tournament on Aug. 8 at the Upper Canada Golf Course in Morrisburg.

"A big thank you to everyone who participated, sponsored or made a donation to the tournament, making it one of our most successful tournaments yet," said John Mesman, SNC team lead, communications.

Players were treated to a variety of on-hole games, and many walked away with door prizes courtesy of local businesses including St-Albert Cheese Factory, Upper Canada Playhouse, Beau's Brewery, and Crysler Home Hardware.

SNC re-launched its flagship Maple Syrup Education Program this year for its 18th season, following a year of transition. Over 500 students from nine local schools were welcomed at the program's new home at Oschmann Forest in Ormond. Funds raised at the golf tournament will fund permanent washroom facilities and an interpretive education centre on-site.



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# CASTOR Country

By Tom Van Dusen

## Under pressure

For the second time in recent months, a prominent Eastern Ontario politician has stepped out of the closet and announced he's gay. The only surprise to most onlookers has been that first Eric Duncan, and now, Jim Watson bothered to suddenly declare their sexuality... as if anybody cares other than wondering why now.

As most reading these words know, Duncan is the former mayor of North Dundas seeking to win Stormont-Dundas-South Glengarry for Conservative party in the next federal election. Anybody who thinks another candidate might have any hope of beating him has been smoking too much legal cannabis.

Jim Watson is the permanent, unbeatable, unflappable mayor of Ottawa, a former provincial Liberal cabinet minister and former assistant on Parliament Hill to a Conservative minister. Watson has been merrily powering along for decades, not feeling the need to do a great reveal about his sexuality until a few days ago, just in time for Pride Week in Ottawa.

I know both men and consider them friends. I know that neither has hurt or helped their political chances by coming out; they were always going to win whatever they ran for, based on their engaging personalities and records of hard work for, and dedication to, their communities.

So why the need to announce their sexual preference at this stage of the game... We've already discussed Duncan's likely motives in this space but let's quickly review.

He has successfully played the long game, demonstrating no hurry to get where he wants to go politically. Of course, he had plenty of time, entering the fray as a teenager. After cutting his teeth on the South Mountain fair board, he won a seat on North Dundas council, was elected mayor, and served a stint as warden of the United Counties Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

All the while he was politicking at the local level, Duncan was learning the ropes federally, spending nine years as executive assistant to mentor, current MP Guy Lauzon, serving as his campaign manager for three federal campaigns, finetuning the tricks of the trade, adding the outgoing MP's machinery to his own, preparing, always preparing for his time at the top.

Duncan decided to clear the slate of anything that might haunt him in a campaign, stating publicly that he's gay. In this day and age, no voter is likely to hold his sexuality against him; however, the political thinking goes, had he appeared to be trying to keep it secret, he might have suffered at the polls.

Watson is in a different place politically. While Duncan is just now coming to play with the Big Dawgs in Ottawa, Watson has been doing it forever. He knows everybody that counts, they know and respect him, and he doesn't have to prove a thing... nor does he have to worry about hanging on to what he has achieved.

He's had a little trouble fully answering the "why now" question other than it finally seemed like a good time. He didn't admit to being gay early on, largely because he didn't know how to go about it and whether or not it was the right thing to do.

Since his legions of adoring fans didn't expect the admission from him and don't care one way or the other, you have to assume that Jim did it for his own personal relief, to remove the burden of the secret.



Where does the pressure come from to put it out there... well, if not from his general supporters, than likely from gay community leaders.

The mayor even hinted at that scenario during many interviews conducted weekend, over the suggesting without actually saying it, that the leadership encourages gay individuals that aren't there yet to get out publicly for the good of the cause. I'm sure that all gay members of society feel some level of that pressure, particularly prominent ones like Watson and Duncan.

Both men have done credible jobs for many years supporting equal rights for all, no matter race, creed, gender, or sexuality, and they'll keep doing the same following their reveals. So you have to wonder what the point of coming out really is. It won't make them better people or politicians, or garner them more or less support. But perhaps it has relieved the pressure coming from within!

# On/Ed

# Queen's Park Update

Ontario is taking action to improve recycling across the province and address the serious problem of plastic pollution and litter, as committed to in our Made-in-Ontario Environment

My colleague, the Hon. Jeff Yurek, Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks, has announced the next steps for renewing the Blue Box Program and transitioning the costs away from municipal taxpayers to make the producers of products and packaging responsible starting in 2023.

I was pleased to see Minister Yurek announce that the first group of municipalities and First Nations will transfer responsibility of their Blue Box programs to producers starting Jan. 1, 2023. By Dec. 31, 2025, producers will be fully responsible for providing Blue Box services province wide.

Over the coming year, the provincial government will develop and consult on regulations to support the new producer responsibility model for the Blue Box Program.

The province will continue to look

to producers and municipalities for their input to ensure the Blue Box Program is affordable for producers and right for municipalities.

This is not the end of the Blue Box, but a transition to a new phase that will support innovation and improved diversion rates. The Blue Box Program will continue to be convenient and accessible for the people of Ontario. Residents who currently receive municipal Blue Box services will continue to receive the same services throughout the transition period. Once producers are fully responsible for the program, Ontarians will experience the same or improved access to Blue Box services across Ontario.

Reducing plastic waste and litter and making producers responsible for the end-of-life management of their products is a key part of our Made-in-Ontario Environment Plan to balance a healthy economy and a healthy environment and keep our province clean and beautiful for current and future generations.

Also this week, the Hon. Todd Smith, Minister of Children, Community and Social Services, announced the latest steps that are being taken to introduce a needs-based autism program. This week the

minister announced that the Ministry is continuing to act on the clear direction we've received from experts and families of children with autism.

Ontario is putting children, youth and vulnerable people first by committing to strengthen the oversight of behavioural clinicians who provide Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA).

The Ministry of Children, Community and Social Services, in collaboration with the Ministry of Health, will begin consultations on how best to implement regulation this

The minister will be working with ABA clinicians across the province as the government continues to take action to improve outcomes for children and youth with autism.

The government is committed to introducing a new needs-based and sustainable program tailored to the individual needs of children and youth with autism and to improve their longterm outcomes.

Our goal is to have a sustainable and needs-based program that supports as many children with autism and their families as possible.

> Jim McDonell MPP Stormont-Dundas-South Glengarry





# Youth at council

Continued from the front video from the mayor following council meetings. Helmer explained that the information was obtained through consultations with students at Seaway District High School and an online survey with advertising for the survey done through a variety of mediums.

Helmer commented in her report to council how her employment as the Youth Engagement Intern provided her with the opportunity to further develop communication skill sets as well as research abilities and has also provided a greater insight into the roles and responsibilities of the municipal government.

Earlier this summer, South Dundas residents between the ages of 15-29 were invited to enter a 100 to 200 word summary including two ideas on how the youth presence in this community could be improved. Following the July 26 deadline, Christian



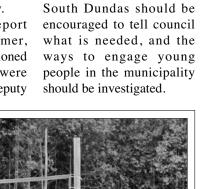
#### South Dundas 'Mayor for a Day'

Christian Mueller, left, is shown with South Dundas Mayor Steven Byvelds prior to the Aug. 13 council meeting. Mueller shadowed Byvelds and learned more about the municipality during his time as 'Mayor for a Day'.

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Mueller of Iroquois was chosen to be 'Mayor for a Day' which he explained, allowed him to spend time with Mayor Byvelds and the South Dundas staff and learn more about the municipality. Mueller explained that he enjoyed the experience of being the first 'Mayor for a Day' in the municipality.

Following the report provided by Helmer, council members mentioned how impressed they were with the report, with deputy mayor Kirsten Gardner commenting how it was a good starting point and expressed her wish to move forward with the recommendations; this was echoed by councillors Lewis, Mellan and Wells, with Mayor Byvelds mentioning the youth of South Dundas should be encouraged to tell council what is needed, and the ways to engage young people in the municipality should be investigated.





Serving up some fun

Four teams participated in the Ingleside Fire Department's first Ladies' Auxiliary Volleyball Tournament held on Aug. 17 at the Ingleside Community Park. The fun tournament, which included a barbecue lunch and door prizes, began around 10 a.m. and finished in the early afternoon with team Top Gun taking first place. Organizers were pleased with the support from the local community and plan to hold another tournament next year. The teams competing in the tournament took some time during the lunch break to have a bit of fun on the court.

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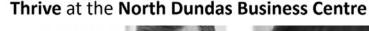
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#### Youth at South Dundas council

Back, from the left, councillors Archie Mellan, William Lewis, deputy mayor Kirsten Gardner, Mayor Steven Byvelds and councillor Lloyd Wells are shown flanking a group of South Dundas youth who attended the Aug. 13 council meeting with 'Mayor for a Day' Christian Mueller at the forefront. Thompson Goddard photo





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# Sunday dinner, community

**Carolyn Thompson** Goddard Record Staff

AVONMORE - The second annual Fish Fry dinner fundraiser for the

Avonmore Fair was a

according to organizers of the event. It was held on Aug. 18 the Fairgrounds Superstructure Building just behind North Stormont Place; organizers mentioned that over 250 tickets were sold.

Organized Roxborough Agricultural Society, the dinner featured New Zealand cod (cooked by Mike Mundell's Surf and Turf Stores of Kingston), French fries, coleslaw, baked beans, devilled eggs and dessert.



#### Serving up some fries

Bryce Robinson shown serving up some French fries to Ian Moran from Finch, during the second annual Fish Fry fundraising dinner for the Avonmore Fair. Thompson Goddard photo

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# 2019 Art Buchanan Slo-Pitch **Tournament**

#### **Carolyn Thompson** Goddard

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MOOSE CREEK - For over twenty years, the ball diamonds in Moose Creek have been home to the Art Buchanan Slo-Pitch Ball during Tournament Summerfest. The 2019 tournament was held between Aug 8 and Aug. 11, with teams from all over Eastern Ontario participating.

Organizers Julien Moffat and Justin Villeneuve explained there were 10 co-ed teams and six men's teams registered in the tournament with the finals in both the co-ed and men's divisions set for late afternoon on the Sunday.

One of the highlights of the tournament is the organized men's ball Home Run Derby. The event provides each contestant the opportunity to hit the ball out of the park. This year there was a celebration in Moose three-way tie and in a sudden death play, Shawn "Big Bird" McRae came out swinging and took the



#### You're out!

The Gong Show infield were at work during the co-ed finals in the Art Buchanan Slo-Pitch Tournament held in Moose Creek on Aug. 11. Thompson Goddard photo

Tracey Grady, daughter of Art Buchanan, was at the co-ed finals on Sunday. She spoke to The Record and explained her father tournaments for over 50 years and this tournament became part of Summerfest when the summer Creek began. Grady mentioned that "Dad would have been very proud to see this tournament continuing.'



Herbert, July 31, 2004 **Carol Thomson (nee Aitken)** August 24, 2010

Though family circle broken, Words of you are often spoken, Love goes on and never ends, On the wings of a dove we always can send. In our hearts you are always there, And say it in our daily prayers. You remain part of us.

Cherished always Shirley, Carey, Brock and Eric

# Obituary



#### PATENAUDE, **Victor**

Peacefully at the Renfrew Hospice on Sunday, August 18, 2019, Victor Patenaude of Chesterville, age 85. Loving father of Lise Crowder of Smiths Falls, Mitchell Patenaude (Trish) of Arnprior and Peter Patenaude (Lisa) of Ottawa. Dear brother of Bernard "Benny" Patenaude (Virginia) of Chesterville, Gisele Loucks (Lynn) of Morrisburg and Leona Shay (Wayne) of Vancouver, B.C. Victor will be fondly remembered by 6 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Predeceased by his parents Florian and Hortense Patenaude (nee Cayer) and his brother Albert Patenaude. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Friends may call at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home, Chesterville, on Friday, August 23rd from 9 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Mary of the Presentation Catholic Church, Chesterville at 11 a.m. Interment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery in Chesterville. Donations to Winchester Hospital or Renfrew Hospice would be gratefully acknowledged by the family. Online condolences may be made at marsdenmclaughlin.com.

In Memoriam



#### Jamie Kennedy March 4, 1974 -August 24, 1994

In loving memory of Jamie who passed away 25 years ago on August 24, 1994.

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Bryan, Helen and Family

# – Obituary –



#### MERKLEY, Muriel

A lifetime resident of the area Muriel Merkley (nee Gray) passed away at the Dundas Manor Nursing Home on Tuesday, August 13, 2019. She was 90. Muriel was born in Winchester Township on May 7, 1929 to her parents Charles and Charlotte Gray (nee Merkley).

Muriel is survived by her daughters Elaine Madore (Denis) of Chesterville, Lynn Irven (Jim) of St. Catharines and Lorraine Merkley-Barr of Inverary and her sisters Marjorie Munro and Peggy Holmes, both of Winchester. Muriel will be fondly remembered by 9 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband Carl, her infant sisters Jean and Joan, her sisters Edna Barkley and Lois Dillabough and her brothers Malcolm and Robert Gray. She is also survived by nieces and nephews.

Visitation was held at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home in Chesterville. Funeral service was held at the Winchester United Church on Friday, August 16th at 2:30 p.m., with Rev. Christine Lowson officiating. Interment followed at Maple Ridge Cemetery, Chesterville.

Pallbearers were Jeff Madore, Brad Madore, Philip Barr, Jeremy Barr, Tracey Robertson and Kayla Irven. Honorary pallbearers were Vicki Halliday and Alison McGregor.

Donations to Winchester United Church or the J.W. MacIntosh Senior Support Centre would be gratefully acknowledged by the family. Online condolences may be made at marsdenmclaughlin.com.

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#### Young, Pamela August 24, 1951 -August 14, 2019 Peacefully at home in Winchester with her family by

her side on Wednesday, August 14, 2019 after a lengthy battle with cancer. Pamela Young in her 68th year, beloved wife of Mike Lecuyer for fourteen years. Loving mother of Jaese of Bismark, North Dakota and Jill of Yellowknife. Daughter of the late James and Norma Young. Dear sister of Mary Lakins ( Gary ) of Napanee. Special Aunt to Jodi Boyes and the late Sergeant Jason Boyes. Sister-in-law of Donna Hobson and daughter-in-law of Arlie Hobson. At Pam's request cremation has taken place. A celebration of Pam's life will be held on Wednesday, August 21st, 2019 at the Winchelsea Events location, 1567 Highway 31, Winchester, Ontario. Come and share your love and memories with us between 3pm - 8pm. In Pam's memory, donations may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society or the charity of your choice.

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# **South Mountain Fair**

Continued from the front Intermediate Showmanship: Madisyn Hart, Bruce Porteous, Emily Scheepers. Showmanship: Kyleigh Jampen, Brandon Scheepers, Calahan Bilmer. Grand Champion Showperson: Kyleigh Jampen; Reserve Champion Showperson: Taylor Mathers; Honourable Showperson: Mention Madisyn Hart. Junior Heifer: Taylor Mathers, Sam Schuler, Makenna Raistrick. Intermediate Heifer: Madisyn Hart, Lucas Menard, Paige Hannaford. Senior Heifer: Kyleigh Jampen, Calahan Bilmer, Cilicia Pol. Summer Yearling: Emily Scheepers, Bruce Porteous, Felicity Porteous. Junior Yearling: Cassidy Porteous, Leah Barkley. Grand Champion 4-H Heifer: Cassidy Porteous; Reserve Champion 4-H Heifer: Taylor Mathers; Honourable Mention 4-H Heifer: Kyleigh Jampen.

Results of the 4-H Beef Achievement Day are as follows: Novice Showmanship: Ava Ried,



#### 4-H Dairy winners

Winners of the 4-H Dairy Achievement Day, were, from the left, Kyleigh Jampen (Grand Champion Showperson), Taylor Mathers (Reserve Champion Showperson) and Madisyn Hart (Honourable Mention Showperson).

Joshua Wells, Shyanne Hoy. Junior Showmanship: Brooklin Begg, Caden Holmes, Leah Barkley. Intermediate Showmanship: Morgan MacIntyre, Caitlin Begg. Senior Showmanship: Abby Fess, Liam Banks, Nicole Scott. Grand Champion Showperson: Abby Fess; Reserve Champion Showperson: Morgan MacIntyre; Honourable Mention Showperson: Liam Banks. Heifer Calves: Ava Holmes,

Shyanne Hoy and Parker Holmes.

Junior Yearlings: Brooklin Begg, Abby Fess, Nicole Scott. Senior Yearling: Morgan MacIntyre, Liam Banks, Caden Holmes. Champion 4-H Heifer: Brooklin Begg; Reserve Champion 4-H Heifer: Morgan MacIntyre; Honourable Mention 4-H Heifer: Ava Holmes with Hawthorne Bumblebee. Steer Class: Morgan MacIntyre, Meghan Foubert.



#### Fast hands

Fabienne Puenter milked as fast as she could during the hand-milking competition, marking her place in a team of three.

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#### More on the way!

With an astounding increase in participation from last month, bringing in over 500 motorcycles to Winchester's August Bike Night Thurs., Aug. 15, organizer Vince Zandbelt made an exciting announcement. Due to June's Bike Night being sadly rained out, a new Bike Night date has been set for Thurs., Sept. 12, with a back-up rain date on Thurs., Sept. 19! The announcement came following a confirmation during the last North Dundas council meeting. It's not over yet, not by a long shot! Pictured from the left: Laurier Roy and Tracey Gadbois from Cornwall. Glover photo



#### Heave ho!

The tractor pull gathered a substantial crowd to see vintage tractors pull their weight around the track.

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# Fun at the St. Andrews West Community Fest

Carolyn Thompson Goddard

Record Staff

ST ANDREWS WEST -From beginning to end, the 2019 St. Andrews West Community Fest on Aug. 17 was a resounding success! Throughout the day, people of all ages were able to enjoy delicious food, survey vendors' booths, listen to first class local entertainment or perhaps enjoy the inflatable rides from Tribeck Inflatables, while visiting with friends and neighbours.

The event was organized by the St. Andrews Knights of Columbus Council 10416 and began as a way of celebrating Canada's sesquicentennial in 2017 according to Earle DePasse, chair of the organizing committee. He expressed his thanks to all the subcommittees who worked tirelessly to organize the event by commenting it was, "a good team working, and I am very pleased to be chair of the committee." He was also appreciative of the community sponsors who helped to make it a successful event.

Janice Beverdam, who 700 people attended the



Inflatable fun

Again this year, Tribeck Inflatables provided youngsters with lots of fun during the St. Andrews Community Fest.

Thompson Goddard photo

with Nancy Chapman, organized the vendors at the event, commented that there were thirty vendors with booths inside the historic St. Andrews Church Hall and outside in the outdoor rink. Beverdam explained one of the highlights of the event was the creation of a time capsule by Chapman which will include a flag with pictures of St. Andrews on it and signatures of people attending the event.

There was also an afternoon fashion show, bake sale, pick a prize auction and a fireworks show to end the day. Over 700 people attended the



Time capsule

Near the entrance to the Community Fest, there was the opportunity to sign a canvas flag with scenes from St. Andrews West. Pictured from the left, Earle DePasse, South Stormont councillor Andrew Guindon, Dan Bissonnette and Myles Lynch. Thompson Goddard photo

festivities, which continues a family friendly venue and to be an event that provides enjoyment for all ages.

# Enjoying fun and food at Porkfest

**Carolyn Thompson Goddard** Record Staff

MORRISBURG – The 5th Annual Porkfest was held on Aug. 17 at the Morrisburg Village Plaza. Throughout the event, sponsored by the South Dundas Chamber of Commerce (SDCC) and held at the Morrisburg Village Plaza, visitors had the opportunity to chat with neighbours and friends, while listening to the musical entertainment, perusing the booths or perhaps enjoying some barbecued ribs and corn from the Morrisburg and District Lions Club booth.

SDCC general manager Geraldine Fitzsimmons explained that summer students Bethany Moss-Nafekh, Sarah Backes and Mitchell Woodward organized the event. Fitzsimmons expressed her pleasure at the turnout of the event and the work done by the summer students. The South Dundas Chamber of Commerce and the student organizers expressed their gratitude to the community for their support of this event.



# 5th annual Porkfest held in Morrisburg

Summer students Sarah Backes and Mitchell Woodward are pictured with one of several pig balloons located around the perimeter of the festival.



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# **Busy August for South Stormont council**

Carolyn Thompson Goddard Record Staff

LONG SAULT - It was

a busy evening during the South Stormont council meeting held on Aug. 14 in council chambers. Following a public

meeting on zoning amendments and a report from the OPP, Jamie Pollock from MNP LLP presented draft financial statements for 2018 for council approval. Pollock explained the various financial documents included statements and schedules providing detailed information on 2018 as well as a five-year financial review. Pollock commented municipality has strong reserves and reserve funds, describing how the Township of South Stormont had an "excellent year" in 2018 and, "in our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the township as accounting standards."



#### ASD Kits donated

South Stormont was pleased to accept four ASD Kits donated by Rachel's Kids during the Aug. 14 council meeting. From the left, councillor Andrew Guindon, councillor Cindy Woods, councillor Jennifer MacIsaac, fire chief Gilles Crepeau, deputy mayor Dave Smith and Mayor Bryan McGillis. Thompson Goddard photo

at Dec. 31, 2018, and the results of its operations, change in net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector

During the council meeting, an update on the Council Vacancy Policy formulation for South Stormont was presented, with discussion of the options presented in the

report following its presentation with more information on this subject at a future council meeting.

The current animal control bylaw is being reviewed with a view to

having animals, other than just dogs, requiring a licence when kept as a pet, limiting the number of pets in a household and attempting to reduce the animals being dropped off in rural areas by owners.

A request for funding from council by the 50+ Community Group was entertained by council and the CAO will investigate how assistance to this new community organization could be provided by the municipality.

Other business during the council meeting, included the appointment of Julie Stewart as the new deputy treasurer of the Municipality of South Stormont.

Director of Public Works, Ross Gellately reported to council how a 1.5 km long discharge pipe from the wastewater plant in Ingleside, surfaced in a shallow water area; however, there are no environmental implications; measures have been taken to mark the pipe for boaters and more information will be forthcoming once investigations

completed.

Councillor Jennifer MacIsaac announced the donation of specially designed kits for children on the autism spectrum for use by first responders in South Stormont by Rachel's Kids. MacIsaac explained one kit would be available for each of the four fire stations in the municipality and it includes a teddy bear, blanket, noise reduction earphones and other items that will help the children; with firefighters receiving training on the use of the kits in the near future.

On behalf of Calvin Hanson, author of A Record of Rare Wild Birds in South Stormont, a copy of the book was provided to each member of council at the conclusion of the Aug. 14 council meeting by director of corporate services/clerk Loriann Harbers. In an email to The Chesterville Record Harbers explained five additional copies had been received from Hanson and "It is our intention to have them available for the public, possibly at libraries, seniors' homes, etc."

# Celebrating SDG

Carolyn Thompson Goddard Record Staff

MORRISBURG-It was an entertaining day at Stone Crop Acres Winery and Vineyard when in association with Harmony Concerts, the first Seaway Valley Folk Festival was held on Sat., Aug. 17.

Noreen Hyatt-Gervais, who with husband Marc owns Stone Crop Acres, explained that the event began around noon, running until around 9:30 p.m. where people were able to enjoy local music, local food as well as opportunities to visit with friends in an outdoor setting. Sons of Gord and Marleen Fawcett, both of North Dundas, as well as Morrisburg's West of the Rock were among the musicians performing.

Jan Fox of Harmony Concerts explained that the festival provided an opportunity to have a folk festival that would support local musicians at the venue. Hyatt-Gervais commented that the two women have successfully worked together on Concerts at the Winery series, of which the Seaway Valley Folk Festival is one event; she continued, the series included four concerts in June, and will include one per month until December.

Stone Crop Acres is viewed by Hyatt-Gervais as a venue where people can visit and enjoy family friendly events while tasting or purchasing food from local producers such as Against the Grain, Upper Canada Creamery and Simply Baked Catering. She continued that there is an Open Mic Night once a month in June, July and August with the next one scheduled for Fri., Aug. 23, with plans for



#### Local entertainers at Seaway Valley Folk Festival

There were several entertainers from the local area at the first Seaway Valley Folk Festival held at Stone Crop Acres Winery and Vineyard in South Dundas on Aug. 17. West of the Rock, out of Morrisburg, wowed the audience with their performance during the event that featured eight local musicians. Thompson Goddard photo

the coming year including investigating the possibility of holding events at the waterfront in Morrisburg.

For more information, please visit their website at www.stonecropacres.ca and check out Harmony Concerts at www.harmonyconcerts.ca.

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# Blue, Red to meet in A final

Jeff Moore

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE—Red welcomed Green in the third round of the Chesterville Women's Ball Hockey League's playoffs in the opening game on Thursday night, and Blue played host to Yellow in the night cap.

#### Red 2 Green 0

In the opening game of the Chesterville Women's Ball Hockey League's round three of the playoffs, Red played host to Green on Thurs., Aug. 15, at the Chesterville Arena. Red went into the game with a one and one record after winning their opening game against Yellow but dropping their second game against Blue; while Green sat with the same record after losing their opener to Blue and scoring an upset victory over Yellow in their second game.

The winner of this game will move on to face Blue who have already clinched first in the round robin with two wins. The teams battled to a scoreless first period and took a zero- zero stalemate into the second period.

Red opened the scoring when Stephanie Shane pounded one home from the blue line from Marlee Wert at 6:55 of the second period

Cedar Glens Men's Night

The Cedar Glen Men's Night had a

different format this week as they went to a

four-man scramble on Thurs., Aug. 15, and

the results were: first low gross A/B -Team

Schell 28, first low net A/B - Team Bird 22,

closest to the pin on number six - Todd

Casselman, longest drive on number seven -

Dilon Lapier, first low gross C/D - Team

taking a 1-0 lead. Green carried the play but could not find the back of the net as the clock wound down and the buzzer sounded.

Red took a 1-0 lead into the third period. Red took a two-goal lead when Wert scored on a breakaway at 8:49 of the third period unassisted. Green pressed to score but were thwarted at every attempt as Red pulled out the victory 2-0.

Picking up the shutout in Red's goal was Cashelle Baldwin and suffering the loss in Green's goal was Roxanne Crump.

#### Blue 5 Yellow 0

In the second game of the Chesterville Women's Ball Hockey League's round robin playoff, Blue hosted Yellow. Blue went into the game with the number one seed after winning their first two games and knew they would be facing Red in the A final the following week.

Yellow had nothing to gain in their game either as they knew their opponent for the B final would be Green. Blue opened the scoring when Kara Bartholomew snapped one home from Lindsay Cummins at 16:53 of the first period taking a 1-0

Blue took the 1-0 lead into the second period. Bartholomew scored her second of the game at 3:50 of the second period from Laura Rushford to give Blue a 2-0 lead. Blue added to their lead when Bartholomew completed her hat trick at 8:42 from Kaila Beckstead and Rebecca Kennedy and took a 3-0 lead into the third period.

Blue increased their lead to four when Bartholomew scored her fourth of the game from Kennedy just 1:24 into the second period. Blue closed out the scoring when Rushford banged one home from Beckstead and Cummins at 4:32.

Yellow tried to close the gap but Blue was having none of it as they hung on to take the game 5-0. Picking up the shutout in Blue's goal was Olivia Salmon and suffering the loss in Yellow's goal was Terri Smith.

#### Up next

In the first game of the evening on Tues., Aug. 20, in the Chesterville Women's Ball Hockey League for the A final, Blue will play host to Yellow at 7 p.m. and in the B final at 8 p.m. Green will welcome Yellow at the Chesterville Arena.

Locke 32, first low net C/D - Team Wrinn 16 and closest to the pin on number nine - Garry Whitteker. Other winners A/B Skins: Team Cousineau with a three on one and Team MacIntosh with a two on nine. C/D Skins: Team Hunt with a four on four, Team Chalker with a two on six and a two on nine and Team Locke with a three on seven. 50/50 winner was Jim Casselman. The Cedar Glen Men's Open Tournament will be on Sat., Sept. 1.



In the opening game of the Chesterville Women's Ball Hockey League's round three of the playoffs, Red played host to Green on Thurs., Aug. 15, at the Chesterville Arena. Red's forward, Marlee Wert slams one toward Green's goalie, Roxanne Crump. Crump made the save but she ran out of luck allowing two goals, one of which was Wert's. Red went on to take the game 2-0. Red moves on to take on Blue in the A final and Green takes on Yellow in the B final. Moore photo



In the second game of the Chesterville Women's Ball Hockey League's round robin playoff, Blue welcomed Yellow. Yellow's forward, Patti Hall gets a great scoring chance here, as teammate Shannon McRae looks to tip one home. Blue's goalie, Olivia Salmon cuts down the angle while her defenseman, Hailey Imrie helps out. Salmon and Blue went on to shutout Yellow 5-0. Moore photo

# Rippin' Racers host swim meet

Jeff Moore

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE—The Chesterville Rippin' Racers welcomed eight other teams to their annual swim meet on Sun., Aug. 18, at the Chesterville Pool. The teams came from Kemptville, Manotick, Winchester, Prescott, Russell, Moose Creek, St. Andrews West and Cardinal. The Rippin' Racers finished the swim meet in fifth overall and the ribbon winners were William Berkalaar - 2nd IM and 3rd fly, Gwyneth VanDelst - 7th free, 8th back and 6th breast, Peyton Pickup - 5th free, 5th breast and 4th fly, Thomas Vingerhoeds - 3rd free, 7th breast and 5th fly, Mckenna Kelly - 5th free and 4th

breast, William Vingerhoeds - 4th free and 4th back, Sam Berkalaar - 5th free and 1st back, Emily Vreman - 4th free, 4th back and 3rd breast, Olivia Pereira: 1st free, 2nd back and 2nd breast, Alex VanDelst - 6th free, 3rd back and 5th breast, Madison Chretien: 1st IM. 1st free and 1st back (medal), Aubree Pickup - 4th back and 8th breast. Shealvn Elliott - 1st back, 3rd breast and 3rd fly, Elizabeth Lough - 5th back, Brooke Elliott -5th breast and Rachel Groulx - 6th flv.

#### **Moose Creek**

The Rippin' Racers had a busy weekend as they began at the Moose Creek Pool on Sat., Aug. 17. The results for the Racers were Shealyn Elliott - 5th IM, 4th the

#### Rippin' Racers welcome swimmers

The Chesterville Rippin' Racers welcomed eight other teams to their annual swim meet on Sun., Aug. 18, to the Chesterville Pool. The team members are front from left, Shannon McRae, Gwyneth VanDelst, William Vingerhoeds, William Berkalaar, Rachel Groulx, Marissa Latimer, Peyton Pickup, Makenna McNamara, Aubree Pickup, Bella Thomas and Carter Latimer. Back from left, Matthew Pereira, Mallory Hutchinson, Emily Vreman, Madison Chretien, Elizabeth Lough, Olivia Pereira, Shealynn Elliott, Brooke Elliott, Alex VanDelst, Sam Berkalaar, Nina Louis, Ainsley Gordon, Braedon Gordon, Alanah McRae and Thomas Buckle.

Moore photo

butterfly and 5th breast, 5th free, 3rd back and 4th Carter Latimer - 1st free and 3rd back, Elizabeth Lough -

breast and Caleb Reid - 5th

In the relays, the Racers medlev. and the Chestervegas Chicks - 4th results were 10-17 brick squad 4th free and 2nd free and 3rd medley.





# Junior Pioneers slide to seventh to end regular season

**Jeff Moore** 

Record Staff

WILLIAMSBURG—The Williamsburg Junior Pioneers ended their regular season with three games this past week as they welcomed the South Ottawa Blues on Wednesday night, travelled to Ottawa on Thursday to take on the East Nepean Green Eagles and welcomed the Kanata Blue Cubs on Sunday night.

#### Blue Cubs 15 Pioneers 1

The Williamsburg Junior Pioneers welcomed the Kanata Blue Cubs to the J. C. Whitteker Ball Park on Wed., Aug. 14, in the Ontario District 2 Little League. After a great start to their season, the Pioneers have dropped their past four games and slid

to seventh place in the standings.

sheet first scoring a pair of runs in the top of the first inning. The Pioneers got one but left the bags loaded. The Cubs went three up and three down in the top of the second inning but the Pioneers failed to take advantage just getting four to the dish.

the Pioneers' bats remained runs in the top of the fifth.

The Pioneers got their first



The Pioneers' slugger, Aiden Hutt takes a serious swing at this pitch. It was a solid hit to right centre field but he was thrown out at first. The Pioneers have struggled as of late after a great start to the summer season.

Moore photo

The Cubs got on the score back in the bottom of the first

The Cubs scored three in the top of the third inning and quiet in the bottom of the inning going three up and three down. The Pioneers defence let them down in the top of the fifth inning allowing the maximum five

three batters on the bags in the bottom of the fifth but the next three struck out. The Cubs took the game 15-1 ending the Pioneers regular season with five consecutive losses. Scoring the lone run for the Pioneers was Aiden

Pitching for the Pioneers were Cam Shaver with 20 pitches, Brady Barrie with 20. Nick Guy with 20, Alek Larocque with 40 and Aiden Hutt with 25.

#### **Green Eagles 13 Pioneers 2**

The Williamsburg Junior Pioneers travelled to the Grenfell Ball Park in Ottawa to take on the East Nepean Green Eagles on Thurs., Aug. 15, in the Ontario District 2 Little League. The Pioneers went into the match as the losers of three consecutive games and were short benched to boot, with just nine players as they looked to turn things around.

The Pioneers got two runners in scoring position in the top of the first inning but were unable to score. The Eagles took advantage scoring five runs in the bottom of the first taking a 5-0 lead into the second inning.

The Pioneers went three up and three down in the top of second. The Eagles scored three more runs in the bottom of the second taking an 8-0 lead into the third inning. Again, the Pioneers went three up and three down in

the top of the third.

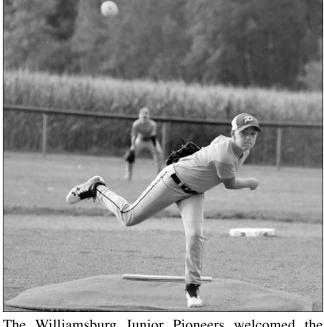
The Pioneers' defence picked it up in the bottom of the third striking out two of the first three batters and a forced play at first base but trailed 8-0 at the end of three. The Pioneers got their second hitter to third base but they were unable to get him home in the top of the fourth inning. The Eagles put the game out of reach scoring three more runs in the bottom of the fourth taking an 11-0 lead into the fifth inning. The Pioneers had their best offensive inning scoring two runs leaving two runners on the bags.

The Eagles added a pair of runs in the bottom of the fifth, taking the game 13-2. The Pioneers were handed their sixth loss and fourth consecutive loss of the regular season. Scoring the runs for the Pioneers were Terrence Mudde and Seb Lafrance.

#### **Blues 10 Pioneers 3**

The Williamsburg Junior Pioneers welcomed the South Ottawa Blues to the J. C. Whitteker Ball Park on Wed., Aug. 14, in the Ontario District 2 Little League. After dropping their previous two games, the Pioneers looked to get back on the winning track.

The Blues took the early lead scoring two runs in the top the first inning. The Pioneers got two runners in scoring position but were



The Williamsburg Junior Pioneers welcomed the Kanata Blue Cubs to the J. C. Whitteker Ball Park on Wed., Aug. 14, in the Ontario District 2 Little League. The Pioneers pitcher, Alek Larocque pitched 40 pitches against the Blue Cubs but it just wasn't their night as they dropped the decision 15-1. Moore photo

unable to cash them, as the Blues took a 2-0 lead into the second inning.

The Blues went three up and three down in the top of the second. The Pioneers loaded up the bases in the bottom of the second but were only able to score one of them leaving the bases juiced. The Blues restored their tworun lead, scoring a single in the top of the third inning but the Pioneers scored two in the bottom of the third tying the game at three.

The Blues retook the lead scoring a pair of runs in the top of the fourth inning and their defence held the Pioneers lone runner at third base in the bottom of the fourth, taking a 5-3 lead into the fifth inning.

The Blues blew the game wide open in the top of the fifth inning, scoring the maximum five runs leaving two runners in scoring position. The Pioneers went three up and three down in the bottom of the fifth inning as the Blues took the game 10-3, handing the Pioneers their fifth loss of the season.

Scoring the runs for the Pioneers were Nick Guy, Cam Shaver and Caleb Machan.

# **Kayaking for Cancer reaches 19th annual trek**

Jeff Moore Record Staff

MERRICKVILLE—The 2019 Kayaking for Cancer departed from Kingston on Sat., Aug. 10 bound for Ottawa eight days later. This is the 19th year for the event featuring 39 kayakers this year. Over the past 18 years, the crew has covered over 3,600 km of paddling and they have raised \$710,000 for the Canadian Cancer Society.

The paddlers have a great time on and off the water but it goes beyond that according to organizer, Kevin Dionne from Kemptville. During their stop in Merrickville on Wed., Aug. 14, Dionne detailed all of the behind the including that the truck used to transport was donated by Surgeoner; the boat they use is donated by Pirate Cove Marina in Kemptville; Park Canada lets the group use the canal locks free of charge; volunteers like the "Ladies of the Rideau" set up, cook and tear down the set-ups getting ready for the next stop, the

which they camp, restaurants that donate food, supermarkets for food and supplies.

Dionne asked the crowd to raise their hands if they knew someone who is fighting the battle or fought the battle and lost and then he asked them to turn around and look at all the hands. Everyone there had their hand up.

He went on to say that some cancers are being defeated, some are being managed and some people lose but compared to years ago there are more people living longer and some beat the disease but he said more work needs to be done to make cancer a thing of the past.

The trip is 202 km long from the start in Kingston to the end at the Ottawa River in scenes work and help that goes into this event, Ottawa. The first stop on day one is at Lower Brewers Lock the second is Iones Fall third Narrows Lock, fourth Rideau Ferry, fifth Merrickville, sixth Pirate Cove Marina, seventh Long Island Locks and ends beside the Chatêau Laurier Hotel in Ottawa on the eighth day.

Representing Chesterville and area this driver of the truck, the use of the lands in year were Lisa Bortolussi, Sharon Eyrdeli,



Kayaking for Cancer local paddlers

Kayaking for Cancer paddlers left Kingston enroute to Ottawa for an eight-day journey through the Rideau River System. Representing Chesterville and the area were from left, Sharon Eyrdeli, Fred Bortolussi, Lisa Bortolussi, Maureen Corrick, Pat Moore, Brad Haynes and Kevin Moore.

Kevin Moore and Brad Haynes (from Russell) and Maureen Corrick kayaking, and Fred Bortolussi helping out with the ground

The group is looking forward to next year, www.kayakingforcancer.com.

the 20th anniversary, where there will be special events and get togethers. It is not too late to donate. Donations can be made by visiting their webpage

# Beauchamp wins, speedway collects \$5,000 for the Grace Foundation Society

Martin Bélanger

Special to the Record

CORNWALL—On Sun., Aug. 18, at the Cornwall Motor Speedway, Jim's Performance Plus presented the popular autograph night along with the Sisters for a Cure 50 in the Pro-Stock and the final races for the Weekend Warriors Series in both Pro-Stock and Mini-Stock.

CD Beauchamp led the way in the Sisters for a Cure 50 over Marc Lalonde and Dave Bisonnette. Roch Aubin made his way to second spot, with Lalonde third and Dave Seguin moving up to fourth. The first 20 laps went quickly as Steve Brady stopped in the backstretch and caution came out on lap 21. Beauchamp retook the lead with several position changes behind the leader as Marc Lalonde moved to second in the final portion. Beauchamp went on to win the event over Lalonde and Seguin. With his win,

Beauchamp secured the championship with one point over Roch Aubin and three over Lebrun. Bruno Cyr left with two bonuses, the top Quebec invader and the hard charger. Burton Ward won the hard luck award, as Jay Fitzgerald won the top American invader. The Grace Foundation will receive a nice \$4,900 from several people.

In the Loud and Dirty Modified feature, J-F Corriveau took the lead over Stephane Lafrance and David Hebert. Caution was out on lap three for Chris Herbison. Corriveau was still the leader with David Hebert on his tail and Chris Raabe moved up to third. Hebert used the middle lane to take the lead over Corriveau on lap 13 as Bernier moved up to third. Bernier made a good move to pass Corriveau and chased Hebert. A lap 17 caution helped Bernier as he gained the lead on lap 19 and never looked back and captured his second win in Cornwall this season.

In the Next Level Home Improvement Sportsman feature, Shane Pecore took the initial lead as Gabriel Cyr moved to second with Ryan Stabler in third. Several cautions slowed the first portion of the feature with Pecore keeping the lead. Pecore was in front with Ryan Stabler moving up to second with Cyr in third. Pecore never looked back and captured an eighth feature at Cornwall in 2019.

In the 20-lap Weekend Warriors Mini-Stock Series, Justin Jodoin and Yanik Potvin exchanged the lead but Potvin took it for good as Mike Gaucher started to make some noise after starting in 12th with James Clarke in third. A good battle until the end as Potvin went on to win his second feature in a row over Gaucher.

It is the show that you do not want to miss this coming Thurs., Aug. 22,, with the Race for the Cure 150 along with the DIRTcar Sportsman Series.







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# mhahamhahamhahamhah SHARPEN YOUR PENCILS! It's back-to-school Safety tips for kids commuting to school

Are you worried about your children commuting to school on their own? Here are some instructions you can give them to make sure they stay safe.

#### If your children take the bus

- Leave early and don't run to the bus stop.
- Stay on the sidewalk until the bus comes to a . complete stop.
- Use the ramp to climb aboard the bus if there is one and sit down quickly.
- Keep your backpack on your knees or stow it under your seat.
- Wait for the bus to completely stop moving before getting up.
- Don't push when exiting the bus.

#### If your children walk to school

- Always use the sidewalk and make sure to respect traffic lights, even if there aren't any cars
- Only cross at intersections and look left and right before crossing.
- If there's a crossing guard, follow their directives.

#### If your children bike to school

- Always wear a helmet and make sure it's securely fastened.
- · Make certain nothing gets stuck in the bike's chain or wheel such as backpack straps or an umbrella.
- Use bike lanes whenever possible.
- Don't go too fast, even if you're in a hurry.

In addition to providing your kids with these safety tips, it's a good idea to accompany them to school a few times before they make the trip on their own.



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According to psychologists, children as young as nine years old can walk home alone from school. As long as they have the cognitive ability needed to cross the street safely and there's a responsible adult waiting at home, entrusting kids to commute on their own will have positive results.

As a parent, however, it's up to you to determine whether your children have the maturity needed to make the commute without adult supervision. Start by talking to them. Do they seem excited by the prospect? If they appear worried or reticent, they may not be ready.

#### Things to consider

Even if your kids seem mature enough, there are some things to think about before sending them out on their own.

Are there laws in your area that dictate when children can commute to school on their own?

How close is the school?

- Are there busy or dangerous streets on the way?
- Are your kids familiar with pedestrian safety rules? Do they respect these rules when they walk with you?
- Are there crossing guards in the area?

If the school is very close to your home, you'll likely feel more comfortable letting them walk on their own. You can also talk to other parents who live nearby to see if their kids and yours can make the trip together.

#### Take it slow

When first letting your children walk to school on their own, it's a good idea to start with a trial period. For example, your kids could begin by coming home alone one day a week. Ask them how it went. If they like it, you can add another day each week.



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# Youth today, leaders tomorrow

**Kory Glover** Villager Staff

OSGOODE – Osgoode Youth Association (O-YA) is shaping the leaders of tomorrow.

"All week long, the kids do a bunch of leadership activities, one of them is called 'business stand,'" said Carley Scharf, program co-ordinator of O-YA. "The only instructions that they are given is that they have a \$200 budget, they have to create a food and a drink to make a larger net profit than the other team. So, we have different discussions about marketing techniques, budgeting and what's net versus gross profit."

On the afternoon of Sat., Aug. 17, the teams put their skills to the test, putting up time with people that I stands at the Osgoode Youth Association to see who could make the largest profit by the end of the day.

"Each team had a theme for their stands," said Scharf. "One team was them here."

Flamingo Falls and they sold smoothies and energy balls. The other team was retro-dining themed, who sold milkshakes and cinnamon buns."

The winner of the business stand activity was team two with their Flamingo Falls theme.

"T learned sometimes things don't always go our way," said Faith Brunet-Chalant, a member of team three.

"I learned that things don't always go as planned," added Alice Nesrallah, member of team two. "But you have to make it work to keep it going. I also learned how to be a better leader in teams."

"I really liked spending don't usually get to spend time with," said Marley Detchon. "A lot of the friends I have here, I don't usually go to school with them, so it's nice to see

The Leadership Camp has been running at the Osgoode Youth Association centre for the past five years, including this one, with better results each year. Scharf, firsthand, knows how effective the activities in the camp can be from an off-campus leadership course from an outside source.

"When I was actually a youth here, about 10 years ago, I attended a leadership camp and just having an experience at O-YA as a result, I ended up getting involved with the centre," she said. "After getting involved with volunteering and attending the teen drop-ins, I am now program co-ordinator I thought to myself, 'Why aren't we running this camp anymore, we should really run a camp for teens."

Earning a sum of approximately \$20 over their budget, team two stood victorious. After the



Working the counter

From the left, Leah Desroches, Aimee Millar and Marley Detchon were busy working in the kitchen during the Osgoode Youth Centre's (O-YA) fifth annual Leadership Camp. O-YA's Leadership Camp is meant to shape youth into the leaders of tomorrow through different activities and exercises.

competition, the teams relaxed with some freshlybaked cheesecake and a game of battle-tag. The Osgoode Youth Association coordinates many community programs including a teen drop in, after school homework club, red cross babysitting courses and the Leadship

Camp. They also host More information about the workshops, provide healthy access to youth workers. www.o-ya.ca.

wellness and skills Leadership Camp, and the other services available eating and nutrition through the O-YA can be education, and provide found on their website at

# 2019 Gala of Excellence unveils finalists

PRESCOTT RUSSELL - The Gala of Excellence is an event created to bring together and celebrate the small and medium businesses in the Prescott and Russell region. After a month of deliberation by jury members, the l'Artisan Farm. organizing committee is proud to announce the 36 finalists in the 12 nominated categories of the 14th edition of the Gala of Excellence.

Manufacturing Enterprise: Battleshield Industries Limited, Mexican Corn Products Inc. and Atlantic Braids Ltd.

Retail Enterprise: Boutique Joma Inc., M-C Levaque & Fils Inc. and Juliette Vintage Boutique d'Antan.

Services Enterprise: OK Pneus Landriault Tire Inc., Xpertek Construction and La Binerie Plantagenet.

Tourism Enterprise: Garden Path Homemade Soap, Vert Fourchette and

New Business Enterprise: Kyan Culture Inc., Lalonde Physio and Lightning Media.

Young Entrepreneur: HHT & ALXDesign, Arboris and Ferme

Community Participation: Brasserie Tuque de Broue Brewery Inc., Vert Fourchette and La Binerie Plantagenet.

Independent Worker: Soins d'hygiène dentaire RDH Dental Hygiene Care, Reps with Alison Inc. and Lalonde Physio.

Agri-Food Enterprise: L'Orignal Packing Ltée, St-Albert Cheese Factory Co-op Inc. and La Bergerie des sables.

Inclusive Business: Traiteur La Bonne Bouffe, A Catered Affair and McDonald, Place Rideau and Cameron Residences.

Entrepreneur of the Year: Alain

Guillaume Landriault.

Jury Award: Tulmar Safety Systems Inc., Place Rideau and Cameron Residences Brasserie Tuque de Broue Brewery Inc.

The president of the 2019 Gala of Excellence, Mr. Luc Filion, would like to congratulate all the finalists and invite you to the grand event on Oct. 19, at the Bourget Community Centre.

The organizing committee would like to thank the gold sponsors of the event: Prescott-Russell Community Development Corporation, United Counties of Prescott and Russell and BDO for their contribution to the

More information may be found by www.galaexcellencevisiting sdcpr.com or the Facebook page "Gala Excellence 2019". Tickets are available for purchase for \$100 per

## OPP warn about thefts and break-ins

CASSELMAN- Russell County Detachment of the OPP and the OPP Community Street Crime Unit (CSCU) are advising residents in the Casselman area about break-ins around the community.

Many of the incidents happened in residential areas.

The thieves appear to be targeting gardening equipment such as lawn mowers, lawn tractors, leaf blowers, etc. Residents are reminded to take precautionary steps to protect their residences and to keep everything locked at all times.

If you see or are aware of any suspicious activity, you are asked to contact the Russell County OPP 1-888-310-1122. Should you wish to remain anonymous, you may call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222- 8477 (TIPS), where you may be eligible to receive a cash reward of up to

## **Russell County OPP charge** males for theft of cooking oil

EMBRUN - On Aug. 12, shortly after 1 a.m., Russell County OPP officers responded to a suspicious vehicle complaint at a local business on Notre-Dame Street in

The investigation revealed that two males were stealing cooking oil from the business.

As a result of the investigation, Jimmy Pardalis, 39years-old, from Montreal, Quebec was arrested and charged with:

- Theft Under \$5,000 CC 334(b) (Two counts);
- Possession Property Obtained by Crime Under \$5,000 CC 355(b); and
  - Trespassing at Night CC 177 (Two counts).

The accused was held for bail. Albert Manoukian, 46-years-old, from Laval, Quebec

was arrested and charged with: • Theft Under \$5,000 CC 334(b) (Two counts);

- Possession Property Obtained by Crime Under \$5,000
- CC 355(b); and Trespassing at Night CC 177 (Two counts).
  - The accused is scheduled to appear in the Ontario Court

of Justice in L'Orignal on Sept. 18. The Russell County OPP is asking every business with

cooking oil disposal bins, to be cautious and aware that this is an ongoing trend. If you or anyone you know have any further information

about this incident, you are asked to contact the Russell County OPP at 613-443-4499 or the OPP Communication Centre at 1-888-310-1122.

# The Township of Russell Public Library launches photography contest

an amateur photographer? Would you like to see your photograph printed on all the new library cards?

The Township of Russell Public Library invites you to enter the first edition of its amateur photography contest by submitting your best picture of the Township of Russell. The winning photograph will be printed on all new library cards.

The contest is open to amateur photographers of all ages that are members

RUSSELL – Are you of the Township of Russell Contest rules: Public Library. If you do not have a library card, come by the library to get one; it's free for residents. Entries will be judged by a panel of three judges on the following criteria: relevance to the theme, composition, visual impact, technical quality, originality and creativity. Complete contest rules and entry forms are available at both branches of the library as well as on website: the russellbiblio.com.

1. To enter, send your photograph along with a completed entry form to the following address: 1053, Concession St., P.O. Box 280, Russell (Ontario) K4R 1E1 or in person at one of the library branches.

- 2. Entries must be received by 4 p.m. on Sept.
- 3. There is a limit of one photograph per participant.
- 4. Accepted entries: photographic paper print of

digital colour photos. Dimensions: 5" x 7" or 8" x 10" and the electronic file.

5. The submitted photo must have been taken in the Township of Russell.

6. By signing the entry form, the participant grants the Township of Russell Public Library, the right to reproduce photographer's winning entry in print or in digital form.

7. The winner's name will be announced on Oct.

For more information, contact Isabelle Camiré, head programs of 613-445-5331 mylibrary@russellbiblio.co





**St. Albert Curd Festival welcomes** unusual visitors

**Tom Van Dusen** 

Villager Contributor

ST. ALBERT - Free squeaky cheese bits for all – after you pay \$10 general admission – was certainly one of the main attractions of the annual St. Albert Curd Festival Aug. 14-18; but there were other drawing cards that had little to do with cheese making.

Take the eight-foot, bright yellow Burmese Python, a constrictor brought to the festival by Papanack Zoo based in Wendover, along with some other animals. Handler, Neil Sherry let the impressive male snake slither along the ground where enthralled children could briefly touch it. Sherry said he wasn't concerned the non-poisonous viper might see a youngster as dinner because it could detect through sense of smell that kids aren't a food source. A passing rabbit might not get off so easily.

And how about that Tyrannosaurus rex! Led by a couple of handlers, it walked the grounds adjacent to the cheese factory (celebrating 125 vears in business throughout 2019) exciting kids and startling their mothers. Neither reptile was seen at the free curd counter.

Some displays were more in line with an agricultural festival including antique machinery, panels attached to a fence recounting the history of the dairy cooperative, and a display commemorating the fact that just the previous Sunday François Latour and an army of volunteers had won back the Guinness World Record title for most threshers (243) operating in one place, on a field close to the curd festival site.

Former factory manager Réjean Ouimet, who still helps out around the place, said the



#### Free cheese!

The free curd booth at the Curd Festival was certainly a crowd favourite.

Van Dusen photo

fact the two events were held back-to-back didn't noticeably impact the festival attendance of several thousand over the five

While daytime activities included a wide array of bouncy rides and BMX stunt riders were geared to entertaining the younger set, night time events were aimed at adults, including several concerts starring major Québecois and Franco-Ontarian entertainers, such as Ouimet's singer-songwriter daughter, Melissa. On Sunday, visitors were still marvelling at the antics of hypnotist Messmer that they saw on Thursday.

Some 28 area dairy farms are members of the cheese factory coop which takes in



#### Making new friends

A Tyrannosaurus rex was wandering the grounds of the Curd Festival, much to the enjoyment of the children in attendance. Van Dusen photo

120,000 litres of milk a day, transforming it into 2.4 million kg of curd a year and other cheese products. Production requires 180 fulltime workers to handle an average of 500 orders a day from 2,000 sales outlets.

As described on the panels, perhaps the most memorable episode in coop history is recent... the great fire of 2013 that levelled the factory, leading to a \$30-million rebuild and expansion.

Serpentine friends

Handler Neil Sherry from the Papanack Zoo in Wendover holds an eight-foot, bright yellow Burmese Python during the St. Albert Curd Festival. Van Dusen photo



# SNC Youth Fish Camps educate dozens

Conservation's (SNC) 11th annual Youth Fish Camps have officially reeled-in for the 2019 season. In total, 65 children aged 8 to 13-years old were hosted at five camps, which took place at Cass Bridge Conservation Area in Winchester, High Falls Conservation Area in Casselman, and Jessup's Falls Conservation Area in Plantagenet.

"These camps deliver an invaluable outdoor learning experience for youth," explained Holly Nyenkamp, SNC communications and outreach assistant. "They help to familiarize young people with the natural environment through responsible and sustainable fishing."

Young anglers enjoyed two fun days of stewardship education, catch and release fishing, and were provided with a complimentary fishing rod and tackle box to take home.

Special guests from the Water Rangers were also on-site to teach youth about water quality through citizen science testing kits, while members from the

CASSELMAN- South Nation Ottawa Flyfishers Society provided participants with the basics of fly fishing.

> "There is a lot of value in these camps, like promoting eco-health," added Nyenkamp. "Kids are given the chance to fish all day, make new friends, and connect and learn about their local environment.

> SNC works in partnership with its 16 member municipalities, to share natural spaces and offer recreational opportunities on land and water.

Since the Youth Camps began in 2008, SNC has hosted two camps per year at local sites. In recent years, fundraising revenue has helped construct larger accessible docks at it's conservation areas and public boat launches, allowing SNC to expand its summer recreational and education programming to offer five camps this year.

SNC also lends fishing rods and water quality testing kits for free, from their office in Finch. Free fishing rod lending is available through a partnership with Ontario Power Generation.



Learning responsible fishing practices

Participants in a SNC Youth Fish Camp at High Falls Conservation Area in Casselman are photographed fishing from a dock. Courtesy photo

#### Appointments still available for Aug. 28 at Blood Donor Clinic

RUSSELL – The next Russell Blood Donor Clinic is scheduled for Wed., Aug, 28 at the Russell Arena and they still have appointments available. Half of all Canadians will need blood or know someone who will at some point in their life; one in two Canadians is eligible to donate but only one in 60 will. Over the summer months, the national inventory levels sometimes experience a decline in supply on

hand; every minute of every day, a patient in Canada needs blood. Maintaining a strong and healthy inventory level is crucial. Donated blood lasts no longer than 42 days; meaning that, new donations are required every day. All blood types are needed. Encourage your family members and friends to donate with you. Appointments can be made by calling 1-888-2DONATE or visiting blood.ca.

#### New attractions at the Russell Fair

161st year, Russell Fair is coming up again in September with more new and improved events.

Have you ever watched a blacksmith or bladesmith working on TV and wondered how you could get started? "Forged at Fair" is a new event this year to give a few people a unique opportunity to try their hand at forging steel. You'll be guided through an introductory project that shows you how to safely get things hot and move some metal.

Lead by an experienced smith, each 90 minute session will cover:

- Introduction to the forge area, including a safety briefing:
- The "big 3" forging processes: drawing out, bending and twisting; and
- One project: either a leaf key ring or an S-hook.

You must pre-register by e m a i l i n g forgedatfair@gmail.com to indicate your interest. Ages 16 and up, minors must be accompanied by their parent guardian. Session availability is limited, one session per person.

New this year is that your gate admission includes the

RUSSELL - Now in its Friday night dance featuring Sticks 'n Stones. We will also have Charlie the Kid on Saturday and Maureen Fawcett on Sunday. The Capital Cow Girls will be performing on Saturday as

> There will be a BMX crew as well as a Circus act (The Chocolate con Leche Show) who will be performing

throughout the weekend. Of course the usual favourites including the truck pull, demo derby and tractor pull will be back. Our legendary Education Day will be on Friday and Saturday. The popular Touch a Truck will also be back. The Robertson Midway tells us they are bringing a new ride this year as well. For a more detailed schedule please check out: www.russellfair.com.









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# Welcome to the 88th edition of the Chesterville Fair!

Wow, has another year come and gone already? It must be my age. Do you remember when you couldn't wait for the fair to come to town? Well, it's my pleasure to welcome you all to our 88th edition of the Chesterville Fair!

The team has been hard at work to bring you a great family friendly weekend! Let's all take some time to relax and enjoy each other's company while taking in some of the

attractions that the Chesterville Fair has to offer. As we have been doing in the past, we are continuing to bring you as much local entertainment as possible. Our musical lineup is no exception it's all local artists! Even our food lineup will be sporting a few local people.

With any event like this, it takes a lot of people to make it all work. I cannot thank everyone enough for all their hard work that has



gone into this year's fair; sponsors, volunteers, and to the board of directors. Thank you all, from the bottom of my

Join us for our opening ceremonies on Friday evening featuring the Capital Cowgirls Drill Team, in our newly constructed show ring. One of the organizers is very excited to have the team perform in her hometown! We are also pleased to have Wi-Fi once

again this year provided by Storm Internet Services.

Come on out to the Chesterville Fair from Aug. 23 to Aug. 25, to see some of your favourite events. Bring a friend, meet new friends, meet old friends, and share memories. But most importantly, let's have fun! I hope to see you all at the Fair!

> Carol Johnson President Chesterville & District Agricultural Society

# Homecraft Division of Chesterville Fair

**Carolyn Thompson Goddard** Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE - During the Chesterville Fair, the Exhibition Hall

becomes a hub of activity when the Homecraft Division of the fair swings into action. For two years, Chesterville resident Nicole Lauzon has worked as

Chesterville & District Agricultural Society with a group of dedicated women continuing the traditions associated with the Ladies Division which began in 1959.

Lauzon recently spoke to The Record and explained that Aug. 19 was the registration deadline with entry tags available between Aug. 12 and Aug. 22. Entry tags will be provided upon payment

the Homecraft Secretary for the

of membership fees and entries can be dropped off at the Exhibition Hall on the fairgrounds on Thurs., Aug. 22 between 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. as well as between 8 a.m. and 9:30 a.m on Fri., Aug. 23. No entries will be accepted after 9:30 a.m. on Fri., Aug. 23, as judging is set to begin at 10 a.m. at which time the Exhibition Hall will be closed. For more information, please visit www.chestervillefair.com and click on the Homecraft tab.



The 2018 Exhibition Hall at the Chesterville Fair was a beehive of activity, showcasing entries from the Homecraft Division which demonstrated the needlecraft, sewing, quilting, culinary, horticultural and creative artistic abilities of local residents. Home Craft Special Awards were as follows: Seniors: Helen Homes; Fair Board Trophy Newest Exhibitor: Vera Adametz; Senior Youth: 1st Kate Link-Horvatz; 2nd: Ashley Morris; Junior Youth: 1st: Addison Simpson; 2nd: McKenna Kelly; 3 to 5 years, winners tied: Hannah Henderson; Jake Guy and Ina Graafland Trophy for Most Points in Homecraft: Shirley Coons.

Pictured from the left, front row: Hannah Henderson, Addison Simpson, Jake Guy, Taylor Simpson. Back row: Helen Holmes, Vera Adametz, Shirley Coons, Kim Link accepting for Kate Link-Horvatz. Thompson Goddard photo



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# Come on in!

**Kory Glover** 

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE - Planning on attending this year's Chesterville Fair?

Here's a little about what you should know approaching the admission gate.

Due to direct feedback from the community, the fair is now offering a inclusive pay-one-price admission that gives you access to everything on the grounds. This includes unlimited use of the midway, Kidz Zone Tent shows and activities, including the Lil John Show, live music in and Sun., Aug. 25 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m

the refreshment tent with the McCloskey's Music Series, Grandstand Shows (Truck Pull, Demolition Derby and Tractor Pull), Friday night dance with the Bordertowne Boys and much more.

Entry options include \$15 for ages six and up for daily gate prices and \$40 for the weekend pass. Children 5 and under enter for

Chesterville Fairgrounds are located at the corner of County Road 43 and Queen Street, directly beside the Chesterville Arena. The gates are open Fri., Aug. 23 from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m., Sat., Aug. 24 from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.



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# Ready to bounce for joy?

**Kory Glover** Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE Who's ready for more bouncing, climbing and inflatable fun at this year's Chesterville Fair?

The Chesterville and District Agricultural Society is teaming up with Tribeck Inflatables to bring their variety of inflatable fun back to this year's fair, including bouncy castles, a rock-climbing wall and an obstacle course. While these midways provide much physical activity for local youth, it also allows kids, friends and parents to enjoy an array of games for all

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#### Fun for all ages

Tribeck Inflatables Interactive Midway will be onsite again at the fairgrounds this year to provide fairgoers with ample opportunity to have some fun at the fair. There are opportunities for people of all ages to enjoy the traditional bouncy rides or perhaps an obstacle course or a rock climbing wall. Thompson Goddard photo

Agricultural Society are also putting in precautions to ensure that the games can run as long as possible in the unfortunate event of rain or after dusk; to make sure the public can get the most out of their

experience at the midway.

The Tribeck Inflatable Midway will be available to the public from 4-8 p.m. on Fri., Aug. 23, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Sat., Aug. 24 and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sun., Aug. 25. Any

other inquiries about the

Midway or in general should be directed to the board at info@chestervillefair.com or through their Facebook page at www.facebook.com/chestervill

# Kidzone Tent returns to Chesterville Fair

**Carolyn Thompson Goddard** Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE - For 15 years Shelley McLeod has organized the KidZone at the Chesterville Fair which has provided children of all ages entertainment such as crafts, magicians, the very popular Baby Show and an opportunity to rest in the shade for a few minutes.

This year, KidZone is back and will once again be holding the Baby Show on Sunday. McLeod explained that registration will be at 10:30 a.m. at the Kidzone Tent with the show beginning at 11 a.m. with the same a crocodilian (alligator or caiman) and rules as last year. In addition to the various entertainment and other activities in Kidzone this year, Little Ray's Nature Centre will be at the Kidzone Tent on Sunday to delight people of all ages with their collection of creatures, which according to a representative of LRNC "will likely be snakes, lizards, tortoises or turtles,



tarantulas."

Mentioning how she always has enjoyed organizing the Kidzone Tent, as it provides her with the opportunity "to see the different families go though Kidzone and watch them grow up" over the years, McLeod suggested youngsters keep an eye open as some of their favourite movie characters

may be in attendance at the 2019 Chesterville Fair before extending a heartfelt thank you to the volunteers who help out in the Kidzone Tent.

There is always a need for more volunteers at the Kidzone tent, so if you are interested and looking for more information, McLeod suggests sending a message info@chestervillefair.com.





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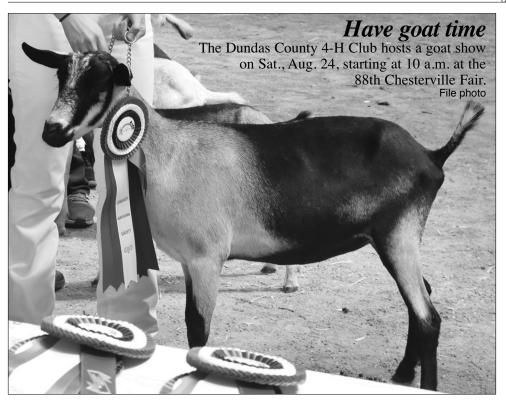


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# Check it out, if you've goat the time

**Kory Glover** 

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE - Who says that cows should have all of the competition fun?

Until Fri., Aug. 23, entries for the Goat Shows are being accepted for the competition on Sat., Aug. 24.

There will be a Youth Goat Showmanship class for anyone under the age of 19 years and a Youth Costume Class that will also be for anyone under the age of 19 years; goats and children must be in costume. The prize money will be \$20 for 1st place, \$15 for 2nd place, \$10 for 3rd place, \$8 for 4th place and \$5 for 5th place.

Dairy Breed classes are available for Alpine, LaMancha, Nubian,

Oberhasli, Saanen Toggenburg and Grade. There are six categories for the Dairy Breed including: 0-6 months, 6-12 months never freshened, 1-2 years in milk, 2-3 years in milk, 3-5 years in milk, 5 years and over in

In the Miniature Goats class, Nigerian Dwarf, Pygmy Goats and other miniature crosses are accepted. The six categories in this class will include: 0-3 months, 3-6 months, 6-12 months, 1-2 years in milk or never freshened, 2-3 years in milk or never freshened, 3 years and over in milk or never freshened.

In the Meat Goats class, market kids under 3 months [Doelings and wethers only], market kids 3 – 6 months [Doelings and wethers only], market kids 6 months – 12

months [Doelings and wethers only] and Breeding Does - Boers & Crosses are accepted. The six categories in this class include: 0-3 months, 3-6 months, 6-12 months, 1-2 years must have freshened, 2-3 years must have freshened, 3 years and over must have freshened.

Judging this event will be Linda Grant Simmons, who has been judging livestock for 40 years, earning goat judges licences with CGS, CBGA, ADGA, AGS, ABGA, and NDGA judging regional, provincial, state, and national shows across Canada and the US. She also co-authored for Canada's first meat goat score card, designed a classification program for NDGA and was the publisher of the original Breeders' Choice magazine for goat breeders.

# Can barley contain yourself? The Grain and Hay competition returns to the fair

**Kory Glover** Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE - If you find yourself wandering the fairgrounds on Fri., Aug. 23 at around the noon mark, why not stop by the judging of the Grain and Hay competition?

In the Grain category of the competition, an exhibit will consist of 10 lbs of seed from the 2019 crop and all grain and corn must be from the 2019 crop, except for high moisture corn and soybean. Grain will be exhibited in six different categories including: 10 lbs Soybeans (2018), 10 lbs High Moisture Corn (2018), Barley (2-row or 6-row) (2019), Spring or Fall Wheat (2019), 8 Ears of Corn (2019) and Sheaf of 10 Stocks of Silage Corn (2019).

Reminder that exhibits will not be named unless Pedigree Seed is used. If such seed is displayed, it should be tagged and sealed by Agriculture Canada.

In the Hay category of the competition, the exhibits will consist of two 4-inch slices of hay from a bale. One slice will be used for judging, the other will be placed in a plastic bag for the exhibit.

Bags will be made available at the display area and the hay must be from bales cured in the field or commercially barn-dried. Hay will be exhibited in the following six categories: Baled Hay, 75% Legume (1st cut), Baled Hay, 75% Grass (1st cut), Baled Hay, 75% Legume (2nd cut), Baled Hay, 75% Grass (2nd cut), Haylage and Baleage.

The prize money for both the Grain and Hay Competitors is awarded to the first four winners. 1st place will receive \$10, 2nd place will receive \$7, 3rd will receive \$5 and 4th will receive \$3.

Exhibits of both competitions will remain on display until 4 p.m. Sun., Aug. 25. All exhibitors must be members of the Chesterville and District Agricultural Society.



#### Grain and Hay division entries

In 2018, for the third year the Chesterville Fair had entries in the Grain and Hay division. They were exhibited in the Exhibition Hall during last year's fair.
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# Capital Cowgirls Drill Team to open 2019 Chesterville Fair

Carolyn Thompson Goddard

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE – It's Official! The Capital Cowgirls Drill Team will be opening the 2019 Chesterville Fair on Fri., Aug. 23 at 6:15 p.m.

In an email to *The Chesterville Record* CCDT founder Jen Byvelds explained that the CCDT was formed in 2017 and for the

past three seasons have been entertaining crowds at fairs and other community events.

There are currently 15 members who range in age from 14 years upwards on the drill team which meet for training with head coach Byvelds and assistant coach Melissa Leducello, once a week for eight months per year at the Circle J Ranch in Metcalfe.

Byvelds added that the

group seeks "to create an equestrian team of ladies who support, encourage and inspire each other" while serving as role models for aspiring "young horse crazy girls" as they travel, wowing crowds with their precision drills.

The Capital Cowgirls Drill Team is supported by "some amazing local sponsors" which allows them to perform at no charge; however,



The Capital Cowgirls Drill Team is shown performing earlier this year at the Avonmore Fair. They are scheduled to be performing at the 2019 Chesterville Fair during the opening ceremonies on Aug. 23.

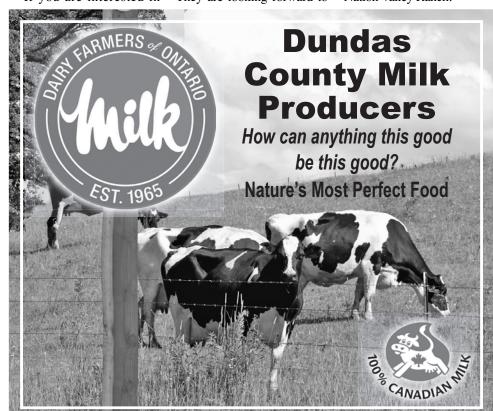
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donations are welcomed. She continued that it has been "an exciting season so far and [we] will continue performing

until the end of October."

If you are interested in

where the Capital Cowgirls Drill Team will be performing next, this information can be found on their website at thecapitalcowgirls.weebly.com. They are looking forward to "performing at [the] Chesterville Fair because it is the hometown of our coach Jennifer Byvelds, who runs a western riding facility called Nation Valley Ranch."



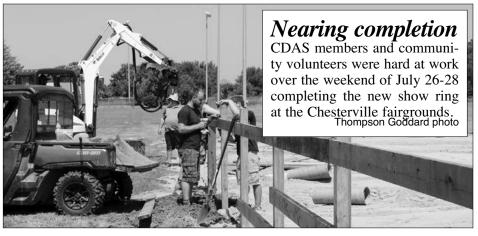
# Getting ready for the Fair!

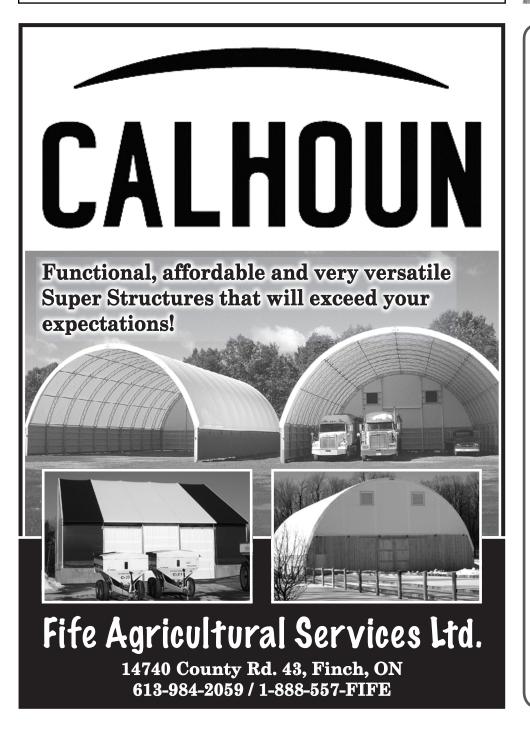
**Carolyn Thompson Goddard** Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE – The weather was warm but that didn't stop members of the Chesterville & District Agricultural Society from working with community volunteers to create a 100 x 200 ft. show ring next to the Exhibition Hall at the fairgrounds in Chesterville over the weekend of July 26-28.

The CDAS wishes to thank the many local organizations and businesses that contributed to the success of the project. This includes: Johndin Farms, Badger Excavating, Winchester BMR, Boucher's

Upholstery, Premier Medics, Casselman Farm Equipment, Tom Henderson's Custom Meat Cutting and Abattoir, Chesterville & District Lions Club, Rotary Club of Chesterville & District, the Chesterville Carnival and an anonymous donation. CDAS president Carol Johnson mentioned her amazement at the number of projects which were completed by the team of volunteers at the fairground and extended her sincere thanks for all who participated. For more information on the 2019 Chesterville Fair and the CDAS, please visit their website at chestervillefair.com.







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# Popular Hunter Horse Show will return

# for third edition

Jeff Moore

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE – Horse riders are invited to the 88th edition of the Chesterville Fair, for the third annual Hunter Horse Show on Sat., Aug. 24 at the newly constructed horse ring. The Chesterville Agricultural Society had a new ring made in July and this will be the inaugural event held in the ring.

Walk/Trot division will consist of five ground poles and will be equally judged either at the walk or the trot or both. Horse and Rider combination can cross enter into the Cross Rail division but may not compete any higher.

Competitors in the division do not qualify to compete in the Hunter Special. The division will consist of Class 7, 8 and 9 with \$15 per class and \$35 for the division.

Cross Rail division will consist of five cross rails and will be judged equally at the trot or canter or both. Horse and Rider combinations can cross enter into the Walk/Trot division but do not qualify to enter into the Hunter Special. The division will consist of Class 8, 9 and 10 with \$15 per class and \$35 for the division.

Two-Foot Hunter Division - Horse and Rider combinations showing in the Two Foot can cross enter into the Two Foot Three Inches but cannot cross into the Two Foot Six Inches and do qualify to compete in the Hunter Special. The division will consist of Class 14, 15 and 16 with \$15 per class and \$35 for the division.

The 2'3" Hunter Division - Horse and Rider combinations showing at Two Foot Three Inches can cross into the Two Foot Six Inches and do qualify to compete in the Hunter Special. The division will consist of Class 17, 18 and 19 with \$15 per class and \$35 for the division.

The 2'6" Hunter Division - Horse and rider combinations can cross into the Two Foot Three Inches and do qualify to compete in the Hunter Special. The class will consist of Class 20, 21 and 22 with \$15 per class and \$35 for the division.

The 2'9" Hunter Division - Horse and rider combinations can cross into the Two Foot Nine



There was plenty excitement at the 2018 Chesterville Fair when the Hunter Horse Show was held. Results obtained from organizer Lisa Lalonde were as follows: Leadline: Cameron Lavere; Walk/Trot Division Champion: Shaylynn Johnson; Reserve Champion: Abigail Dillabough; Cross Rail Division Champion: Madison Denneny; 2' Division Champion: Jillian Malanka; 2'3 Division Champion: Krista Strader; Reserve Champion: Cara Mills; 2'6 Division Champion: Krista Strader; Hunter Special, sponsored by Boucher's Upholstery in Chesterville: 1st Place Krista Strader, 2nd Place Jillian Malanka and 3rd Place Cara Mills.

The horse and rider display some of the elegance demonstrated during the Hunter Horse Show.

Thompson Goddard photo

Inches and do qualify to compete in the Hunter Special. The class will consist of Class 23, 24 and 25 with \$15 per class and \$35 for the division.

#### **Hunter Jumper Division**

Horse and rider combinations with a .75 percent of the Two Foot Nine course can cross into the division. The class will consist of Class 26, 27, (27A medal round), 28, 29 and 30 with \$15 per class and \$35 for the division.

Hunter Special is open to all Horse and Rider combinations showing Two Inches and above. Riders are to compete at their highest level for the day's competition.

Horses should be at their fitness level to compete in the events as well as in good health and have some experience when attending the show. The show ring is approximately 80 by 100 with ample parking and warm up areas.

#### **Divisions and Classes**

Divisions consist of two over fences and one under saddle class: Junior Showmanship (17 years

and younger), Senior Showmanship (18 years and older), Leadline. Divisions: Walk/Trot Division, Cross Rails Division, 2' Hunter, 2'3" Hunter, 2'6" Hunter. Games: Egg and Spoon and Sit a Buck. Hunter Special Class will have \$150 in prize money. 1st place will be \$50 and a horse cooler and sash ribbon, 2nd place is \$40 and sash ribbon, 3rd place will receive \$30 and a sash ribbon, 4th place will get \$20 and a sash ribbon and 5th place will get \$10 and a sash ribbon.





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# **Horse Trainer Lorie Duff featured at Chesterville Fair**

**Carolyn Thompson** Goddard

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE Lorie Duff of Liberty Lane Farm will be at the Chesterville Fair providing demonstrations of her insightful approach to working with horses. She will be available throughout the fair at her booth, with performances demonstrations scheduled for the afternoons of August 24 and 25.

Duff was born in Newfoundland and became interested in horses on the family farm as a youngster, eventually attending the Avalon Equestrian Centre where she took formal horse During her equestrian career, Duff has won honours and awards and has been a member of several boards.

Her training and coaching career began after an accident necessitated a reevaluation of her equestrian career. Duff studied under several clinicians, trainers and educators and has developed her own style of insight into the way horses comprehend different situations. She competed in the 2018 Gobi Desert Cup as the only representative of Canada against riders from several other nations around the globe. She placed 18th in the race, a 6-day competition where she rode "6 semi wild Mongolian horses across 500 km of the

Gobi Desert", mentioning one of the reasons for participating was "to help raise money for CHEO" through pledges and increase awareness of the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario.

In a recent message to The Chesterville Record, explained Duff her performances and demonstrations during the Chesterville Fair are tentatively scheduled for Sat., Aug. 24 at 3 p.m. and Sun., Aug. 25 beginning at 2 p.m., with both lasting approximately an hour. She continued how during the demos and performances she will be "working with one or two horses" showing foundation, groundwork and horsemanship education based on my philosophy horsemanship of 'communication, trust and respect."

During the Sunday performance, Duff will perform "a small liberty song with my best friend and my liberty horse Titan," with whom she has performed at the RCMP Sunset Ceremonies in Ottawa, the Calgary Stampede and other locations. There will be an opportunity to ask Duff questions following the performances, at her booth during the fair with people having the opportunity to "meet me and Titan."

Duff commented she is looking forward to attending the 2019 Chesterville Fair,



**Making final arrangements**From the left, CDAS vice president Ann Vanderlind,

Lorie Duff and CDAS president Carol Johnson are pictured at the newly completed livestock ring on Aug. 7 as final arrangements for Duff's performance at the Chesterville Fair on Aug. 24 and 25 are completed.
Thompson Goddard photo

#### Chesterville Fair

Years ago, a small Ontario town Decided to hold a fair in the fall Meetings were held, plans written down "See you at the fair" became a local call

Here's what the Chesterville Fair brings Merry-Go-Round, Ferris Wheel and Swings Cotton Candy, displays, games of chance, For the older folks, an evening dance. Visit the farmers, their crops, cattle on display A bargain for the entrance fee you'll pay, A time to see old friends and chat Something for everyone, fancy that!

Time has passed, its gained local fame Its heritage certainly worth keeping Changes yes, but this is the same "See you at the fair" is the autumn greeting

Carolyn Goddard, 2006

commenting she is "very happy and humbled to be a part of such a great community and love that we are all there to make it a huge success!"

#### Lorie Duff at Chesterville Fair

Lorie Duff, pictured at the newly completed livestock show ring at Chesterville Fair grounds, will be performing at the 2019 Fair on Sat., Aug. 24 and Sun., Aug. 25.
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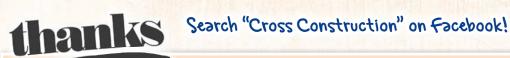


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# Rock'em, sock'em demolition cars

Kory Glover Record Staff

**CHESTERVILLE** Buckle up and keep an eye out for flying debris because the annual demolition derby returning to this year's Chesterville Fair Sat., Aug.

Drivers will be put to the ultimate test as they enter the arena to smash, bang and collide with their competitors to win the big prize. The last running will be named victorious.

Featuring four different classes (mini smash, midsize, full-size and power wheels), speedy adrenaline enthusiasts, both local or out-of-town, are welcome to compete in the event. The total purse for the evening is at an exciting \$2,000.

The entry fee is \$50 per car and all participants and pit crew members must pay the Chesterville Fair admission fee of \$15 at the front gate.

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#### Hold on tight

The ever-popular demolition derby took front stage at the 87th Chesterville Fair on Sat., Aug. 25, 2018. Just two cars in the six cylinder class fought it out for about 15 minutes but it was the car on the left that took home the trophy after disabling the car on the right. The 0247 car was also named best decorated, so the driver, Richard Ball, left with a couple of trophies cash. There was \$3,000 in prize money given out to: Melissa Gendron and Robbie Chartier for team victory - 1st \$1,000, Tenesha Richardson and Cory MacDonald - 2nd \$100, Robbie Chartier - mini-size winner \$600, John Chartrand - 2nd \$300 and Mason Hanson - 3rd \$100, Richard Ball midsize winner \$400, Kyle Hurbert - 2nd \$50 and Denno Emon - fullsize winner \$400 and David Gravelle - 2nd \$50.

Ontario Demolition Derby, to be eligible for any of the Derby's classes, there are rules and guidelines that need to be addressed. Drivers must be at least 18 years old with a G1 or G2 driver's licence. Drivers

aged 16 and 17 can be eligible for the mini and mid-size competitions, but must provide parental consent and have a parent or guardian onsite during the event.

Paid entry also only

allows one driver, one mechanic and one tow truck in the pit area. Drivers must also be equipped with the proper safety gear including helmets, safety glasses, a seatbelt and extinguisher within reach. They must also wear the appropriate attire, no shorts, short sleeves or tank tops are permitted during the event.

Moore photo

For more information on the rules and guidelines of the Chesterville Fair's annual Demolition Derby, visit the official website at www.chestervillefair.com and go to the family entertainment tab at the top of the page.

Registration and sign-up begins at 6:30 p.m. and the Derby runs from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m., come on down and see some good old-fashioned fun.



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# Antique and farm tractor pull

Jeff Moore

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE-The Chesterville Fair will once again host an antique and farm stock tractor pull on Sun., Aug. 25. The popularity of the event attracted 80 entries in a previous year and it promises to be more exciting this year. The registration will begin at 9 a.m. prior to the first pull at 10 a.m.

There will be six different weight classes for the antique tractors - 3,500, 4,500, 5,500, 6,500, 7,500 and 8,500 and for the stock farm tractors there will be seven different weight classes - 7,500, 8,500, 9,500, 11,500, 12,500, 15,000 and 20,000 lbs.

Four-wheel drive and articulated tractors, which is a new class, will be based on horse power and there will be four classes - 100-150 hp, 150-200 hp, 200-300 hp and 300 plus.

Tractor eligibility - each tractor may register in two classes except the open class. To be eligible for the antique pull, the tractor has to be a 1960 or older model - drawbar maximum height is 20" and no less than 18" from the rear centre line pin hole - no wires are allowed on the governor or the throttle, linkage may not be modified or any other performance enhancements will not be allowed.

Rules and safety registration begins at 10 a.m. with all entries registered prior to the 11 a.m. start there will be an entry fee of \$10 - no alcoholic beverages may be consumed by the driver - driver has to remain in the seat during the pull the pull must start with a tight chain - two hook attempts may be made if the first pull was less than 50 ft lift and carry of front end of the tractor will be at the judge's discretion - judge's or flagman's decision are final - judge may reverse a decision after examining the situation and the minimum age of the driver is 12 years



#### Oliver vs the Executioner

Chesterville's own, Brad Chambers powered up his Oliver 1750 during the 2018 tractor pull at the Chesterville Fair. The tractor pull at the 88th Chesterville Fair

will feature the return of the antique and farm stock tractor pull on Sun., Aug. 25 from 10 a.m. to 3

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# **Dust raising truck pull is back at the fair**

Jeff Moore

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE—The Chesterville Fair's truck pull has been growing in popularity since inception a few years back and has attracted both local youths and the truly serious truck pullers. There will be 1/2 and 3/4 tons both two wheel and four wheel drives.

Rules: For the 3/4 ton gas truck - helmets and seatbelts must be worn at all times, 26" hitch height will be no further than centre line rear axle - 7,500 lbs overall weight - all added weights will be no further forward than the rear box factory stock suspensions vehicle must be licensed and insured - D.O.T. approved tires only - final decisions are made by the W.W.T.P.A. - pull-offs will

be at the discretion of event organizers.

For 1/2 ton gas trucks - helmets and seatbelts mandatory - 26" hitch height is no further than the centre lane rear axle - 6,500 lbs overall weight - all additional weight will be located no further ahead than the rear box - factory stock suspension only - vehicle must be licensed and insured -D.O.T. approved tires only - final decisions are made by the W.W.T.P.A. - pull-offs will be at the discretion of event organizers. The Dan and Judy Fair will bring their Execution Sled Team, and will be the official equipment

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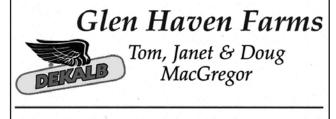
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Tearing up the track

Lyndon Monroe of Chesterville hooked up his Dodge to the Executioner during the truck pull at the 2018 Chesterville Fair. The truck pull returns to the 2019 Chesterville Fair on Fri., Aug. 23 from 7-9 p.m.

suppliers. The action will begin at 7 p.m. on Fri., Aug. 23, so come hear the roar!



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## The Road Home

# Chesterville Fair is coming to town

#### by Carolyn Thompson Goddard

September is just around the corner, Booklet bringing with it cooler weather, the return to school and in the days of my youth - Chesterville Fair.

Chesterville Fair - the very words conjure up a number of wonderful memories for me. Walking along the midway, stopping here or there for a ride or to play a game or have a bite to eat. If it was too hot or too rainy, we would often step inside the Exhibition Hall or take a look at the entries in the Homecraft Division. Amongst the flowers, baked goods, pickles or handicraft entries would be the school and children entries.

In the months preceding the actual

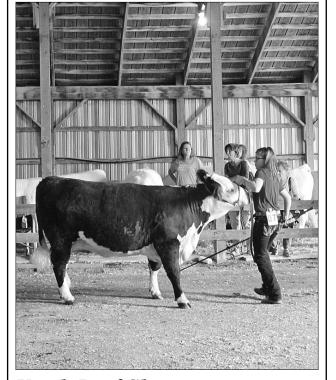
fair, the arrival of the Home Craft would announce competitions for young and old alike. Usually in the Children's Division, the sections were for artistic creations using a variety of mediums including crayons, coloured pencils, paint and various forms of pasta. As I was not blessed with artistic abilities, I was overjoyed to notice that one year there was a category for writing with a historical theme.

With my pencil in hand, I composed a one act play, the subject being the United Empire Loyalists and the War of 1812! After spending hours writing the script, I had Mom read it before making the final copy to enter the competition.

Early on the first afternoon of the Fair,

with the judging over, the Exhibition Hall opened, and I raced to see the results of my hard work. You can only imagine the joy I experienced upon seeing a 1st place ribbon dangling from my entry. I was the winner of the writing contest! After that everyone I met learned of my achievement and a couple people suggested that perhaps I had won first because mine was the only entry! I tried to explain that this was not the case, but the seed of doubt had been planted and I ran home to ask Mom if this was right. I walked through the door and Mom immediately enquired as to the outcome of my fair entry. I am sure that in seeing my sad face she thought I had lost and as more than a bit surprised to learn I had won! She listened as I explained that my winning had more to do with a lack of entries than writing ability and then had me sit down beside her at the kitchen table. Mom then explained even if there were no other entries, I could have received a 2nd or 3rd place prize or no prize at all, further stipulating that she knew the judge herself, my first-place ribbon was certainly deserved! I knew that Mom wouldn't steer me wrong, that my first place was deserved and once again I was a prize-winning author!

Over the years I have told this story over and over again. Some listeners have suggested that this as the kind of thing that a mother would tell a child to cheer them up and probably wasn't the total truth, but I know better. Mom was trying to tell me you should try to do your best always and that in all circumstances, it was the quality of your work that matters. DYB - Do Your Best - 3 words to live by.



#### Youth Beef Show

The 2018 Youth Beef Show provided young people the opportunity to demonstrate their abilities in the cattle ring at the Chesterville Fair.
Thompson Goddard photo

# Fair baseball opts for lob ball format

#### Jeff Moore

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE-The 88th Chesterville Fair will host the annual three-pitch baseball tournament which begins on Fri., Aug. 23, at the Chesterville Ball Diamond 7 to 10 p.m. The tournament will run through Saturday starting at 8 a.m. with the finals at 5 and 6 p.m.

The format will be a double knockout for this year's tournament and instead of the normal three-pitch it will be lob ball. If the team loses their first game they will be relegated to the B Division and the winner will move on to the A Division.

After the first games are completed, the next loss will be an elimination game. Last year's winners were Team Jones as they defeated Team Stubbings in the A final and in the B final it was Team Barkley with a win over Team Austin. For more information or to register, call John Drew at (613) 227-0370.



#### *2018 A Champs*

Team Jones turned out to be the cream of the crop in the Chesterville Fair's annual three-pitch ball tournament on Sat., Aug. 25. The A Champions were, front from left, Tyler Jones, Colleen Sloan, Kelsey Sloan and Lisa Labelle. Back from left, Justin McMahon, Brandon Buma, Tyler Hunt, Kyle Toupin, Connor McLeod, Elliott Keller and Chris Embury. File photo



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# **Hard shot of whiskey!**

Kory Glover Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE – For the first time, rock and blues band Whiskey Shot will be performing at the Chesterville Fair this year

Sat., Aug. 24!

"We're going to have a great time," said lead vocalist, Tammy V. McRae.

"We like to rock and party and hopefully everyone else does too."

From inspirations like Janis Joplin, AC/DC, Jeff Healey and Plume, Whisky Shot will be ready to perform a variety of hits for the residents of Chesterville.

"There are no stars in the band, we all sing and hold

our own," said McRae.
"Barry [Billingham] does
ZZ Top, Frank [Thibodeau]
can do rock and some
French tunes, which goes
over really well when
performing in Quebec and
other bilingual communities.
Everyone can hold their own
when it comes to singing."

The band has gone through a number changes over the years, back in 2009, the band was called Shot in the Dark, but with a different guitar player. Long before McRae was a part of the band, the group was called Whistle Stop.

"We called ourselves Whiskey Shot because one of the bars kept on giving us



Rock and blues band, Whiskey Shot will be performing for the first time at the Chesterville Fair Sat., Aug. 24 in the Entertainment Tent. The show starts at 9 p.m.

Courtesy photo

shots," said McRae. "It was supposed to be some kind of variation of whiskey shot but we kept on using that. We just felt that it was appropriate for what we were getting."

You can catch the band playing their signature rock and blues tune on Sat., Aug 24 in the Entertainment Tent, starting at 9 p.m.



# Barnyard Zoo premieres at the Chesterville Fair

Jeff Moore

Record Staff

CHESTERVILLE—A new attraction to the Chesterville Fair will be the Vanderlaand The Barnyard Zoo. The farm is owned by Ruth and Tony Vanderlaand and has been an attraction for many young families and the elderly who want to revisit their childhoods.

The Barnyard Zoo has been serving the Eastern Ontario Region now for over nine years and are located just west of Winchester Springs. At the home farm, visitors are welcomed to meet a variety of animals such as miniature horses, goats, alpacas, sheep, donkeys, rabbits, guinea pigs, chickens, peacocks, emus and geese.

Visitors can get up close and personal with the animals and young children are especially thrilled to pet and feed the animals. Their season runs from May until October. The Barnyard Zoo offers a mobile petting zoo, birthday parties and also sell animals.

The mobile petting zoo is for large consumer events (such as fairs) and small hands-on events like nursing homes and schools. The staff at the zoo are top notch and can answer all your questions and are happy to help out.

Ruth said she is looking forward to the Chesterville Fair, "Looking forward to [seeing] the people and their reactions at the Chesterville Fair being our first time to the fair." The

travelling zoo will feature goats, sheep, alpacas, llamas, chickens, geese, rabbits, guinea pigs miniature sheep, donkeys and crowd favourite, Clyde the potbelly pig.

They will also offer pony rides where the kids can hop on the saddle and go for a guided trot. The zoo will supply food for visitors to feed the animals; and they look forward to seeing you at the fair. The zoo will open on Fri., Aug. 23 at 4 p.m, Sat., Aug., 24, at 10 a.m. and on Sun., Aug. 25 at 10:30 a.m.

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#### Barnyard friends

The Vanderlaand Barnyard Zoo will make their debut at the Chesterville Fair during the fair weekend. The zoo has been in business for nine years in the area and is a popular draw at large events like South Mountain Canada Day and most recently at Winchester Dairyfest. It will be a welcomed addition.

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#### Friday, August 23

4 pm Gates Open to the Public

**4–8 pm** Tribeck Inflatables Midway Open

**4–8 pm** Vanderlaand Petting Zoo

4–7 pm Poultry Show

5:30 pm Opening Ceremonies

featuring Capital City Cowgirls

& Magician

Magic Show - Kids' Tent 6 pm

6:30 pm Truck Pull Sign Up

7–9 pm Truck Pull

8 pm Magic Show - Kids' Tent

9 pm Midway closes

9 pm

Border Town Boys - Entertainment Tent

#### Saturday, August 24

Gates Open 8 am

8 am **Poultry Judging** 

under Grandstands

9 am-8 pm Exhibit Hall Open

9 am-7 pm Poultry Show under Grandstands

9 am-1 pm Hunter Jumper Show -

Show Ring

Goat Show - Barn 10 am

**10 am** Vanderlaand Petting Zoo opens

11 am-8 pm Midway Open

11:30 am Magic Show - Kids' Tent

1–4 pm McCloskey's Series

- Entertainment Tent

1:30 pm Magic Show - Kids' Tent

Lorie Duff, Horse Whisperer

- Show Ring

Magic Show - Kids' Tent 4 pm

5:30 pm Magic Show - Kids' Tent

6:30 pm Derby Sign Up

**7–9 pm** Derby

Whiskey Shot - Entertainment Tent (Age of majority required)

#### Sunday, August 25

Gates Open

9 am-4 pm Exhibit Hall Open

9 am-3 pm Poultry Show

**10 am** Church Service

under the Grandstands

9:30 am Beef Show Registration

- Entertainment Tent

10 am-3 pm Tractor Pull

10:30 am Vanderlaand Petting Zoo

**10:30 am** Baby Show Preregistration

11 am-4 pm Midway Opens

11 am Beef Show - Cattle Barn

Baby Show 11 am

**12 pm** Magic Show - Kids' Tent

12:30 pm Little Ray's Reptiles - Kids' Tent

**1–4 pm** McCloskey's Series

- Entertainment Tent

Lorie Duff, Horse Whisperer 2 pm

- Show Ring

Magic Show - Kids' Tent 3 pm

Schedule subject to change.

#### **DAILY GATE PRICES**

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