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## Local leaders look to end bullying on municipal councils

By Maggie Wysocki and Lindsey Enns

A group of local leaders say they are trying to put an end to the bullying and harassment some Manitoba councillors face around the council table.

Some councillors at the municipal level say they've been faced with inappropriate comments, insults, discrimination, threats of physical violence and actual physical assaults including hair pulling and fighting.

In 2013, West St. Paul Mayor Bruce Henley was attacked by two men with baseball bats outside of his home. To this day he believes the motive behind the attack was political.

"I've been bullied by people, I've been attacked by people," Henley said. "Right now we have people that don't even want to attend council meetings because they're being intimidated and threatened in the parking lot by individuals. It's not acceptable."

Henley said he wanted to make it clear that he hasn't experienced any bullying with his current council members but he believes it's time the Municipal Act is revisited.

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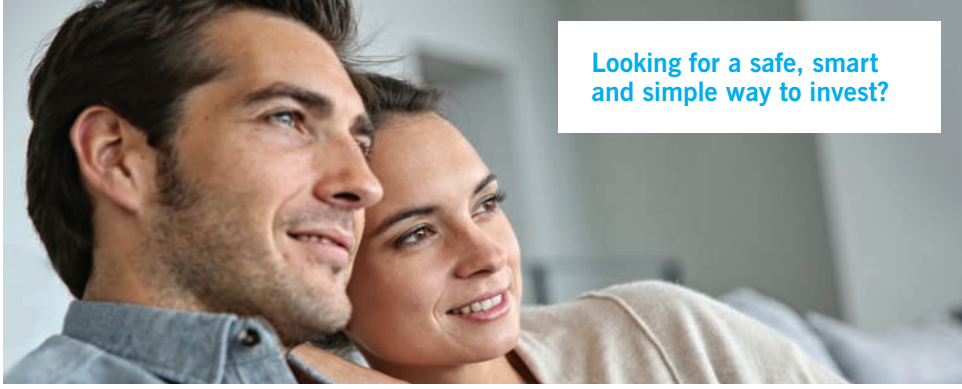


## Playing peek-a-boo

RECORD PHOTO BY LINDSEY ENNS

Claudette Vandale of Grand Beach, pictured right, plays a friendly game of peek-a-boo with her one-year-old grandson Billy Gagnon during National Aboriginal Day celebrations in Selkirk Park last Wednesday afternoon. For a story and more photos, see Page 4.

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# Local wetlands home to world's rarest plants

By Maggie Wysocki

Plant enthusiasts from around the world are travelling to the Brokenhead Wetland Ecological Reserve to catch a glimpse of the rare plants that call it home.

"I've given tours to people who are from Thailand, Germany, all over the world ... this place is on their bucket list," said the Native Orchid Conservation Inc. tour guide, Rose Kuzina.

The 1.5 kilometre self-guiding cedar boardwalk trail, located 45 kilometers north of Selkirk, is home to 350 species of plants, including 10 species of carnivorous plants and 23 other rare plants.

Last Tuesday, Kuzina guided 15 people from the Victoria Beach area on a tour, searching for 28 of Manitoba's 37 native orchid species.

"It's pretty amazing to see these rare orchids. More pop-up every three days too," Kuzina explained.

But what Kuzina thinks is even more amazing about the land is the unique agreement Brokenhead Ojibway Nation (BON) and the Province of Manitoba have made to protect it.

"Manitoba has lost 70 per cent of its wetlands since the 90s so protecting it is just so necessary," she said.

The Ojibway people have used the wetland area for more than 300 years,

collecting plants for medicinal and ceremonial purposes as well as hunting and fishing.

In 2005, the provincial government began studying the land and designated it as an ecological reserve. But the land is part of Treaty Land Entitlement and conservationists expressed concerns that this might prevent the area from receiving ecological reserve status.

According to the Native Orchid Conservation Inc. (NOCI) website, an NOCI member who is a lawyer began researching the issue and discovered the land could entertain both statuses.

With that, an agreement was made to "raise public awareness of the historic cultural connection between BON and the Brokenhead Wetlands."

In 2007, BON, Manitoba Model Forest and NOCI came together to develop the interpretative trail, calling their non-profit organization Debwendon Inc.

In 2012, construction began and by the winter of 2014, NOCI members began laying the boardwalk for the trail.

The Brokenhead Wetland Ecological Reserve officially opened on June 22, 2016 and plant lovers have been enjoying it ever since.



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The Moccasin flower, pictured above, is one of the 37 native orchid species found along the 1.5 kilometer trail through the Brokenhead Wetland Ecological Reserve, pictured below.



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# Hundreds celebrate Indigenous culture in Selkirk

By Lindsey Enns

A little, or perhaps a lot, of rain didn't stop hundreds of local and area community members from coming out to celebrate Indigenous culture in Selkirk Park last week.

"Rain or shine we are all strong Manitobans," Selkirk Mayor Larry Johannson said with a smile during his address to the crowd last Wednesday afternoon.

The 12th annual Aboriginal Day Festivities kicked off with a pancake breakfast and featured a petting zoo, bouncers, cotton candy, a barbecue, vendors, all kinds of games for children as well as live Métis entertainment.

Although the rain may have pushed most of the festivities indoors this year, attendees took shelter under multiple white tents.

Organizers from the Selkirk Friendship Centre and the Manitoba Métis Federation thanked the City of Selkirk for helping make this year's event another success. During their address to the crowd, several speakers also took time to thank the nearly 100 volunteers both young and old that lent a helping hand this year.

This was 12-year-old Grayson Yuill's first year volunteering during National Aboriginal Day and he says he plans to sign up again next year.

"It's really fun," the Selkirk resident said in between serving elders their lunch last Wednesday afternoon. "It's



Hundreds of Selkirk and area community members came together to celebrate National Aboriginal Day in Selkirk Park last Wednesday. The 12th annual event featured a petting zoo, various vendors and live Métis entertainment just to name a few.

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a big get together."

He added his favourite part about volunteering is just simply "helping people."

During National Aboriginal Day celebrations in Ottawa, Ont., Prime Minister Justin Trudeau announced his plans to rename the annual occasion as National Indigenous Peoples Day.

Trudeau also formally announced that 100 Wellington St. in Ottawa, which is a heritage building and former U.S. embassy,

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# Community pool invites swimmers to make a splash this summer

By Maggie Wysocki

The Selkirk Community Pool is open for a second summer in a row and will be busier than ever with new and returning programming.

"Last year we saw how many people used the pool so we've added new programs for them to enjoy," said pool manager, Michelle Stamm.

In order for people to enjoy as much sunshine as possible, Stamm has scheduled all programming during the morning hours. She's created programs specific for both kids and adults too.

The pool will offer Swim Kids lessons for kids three to 10, Lifesaving Star Patrol program for kids 12 to 18 and Aqua Boot Camp for adults.

Other programs offered include several Red Cross training courses for swimmers of beginner to advanced levels.

If programming doesn't interest you, Stamm has reserved the pool for Lap Swim from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. Monday to Friday.

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"With a number of drownings in the local area over the last year, I think teaching people to swim is more important than ever," she said.

A program Stamm thinks will be a hit over the summer is the Selkirk Dolphin Swim Teams Camps, happening from July 17 - 21 and August 14 - 18.

Swimmer, Sofia Pawnovic, 14, said practicing with the Selkirk Dolphin Swim Team has made her a stronger and more confident swimmer.

The camp will be open to swimmers aged eight to 12.

The indoor Selkirk Community Pool is located inside of the Comp.

For more information visit, selkirk-communitypool.weebly.com.



RECORD PHOTO BY MAGGIE WYSOCKI Swimmers with the Selkirk Dolphin Swim Team Sofia Pawnovic, Lolita Euschinger and Jill Smuttoll are among the many people who are looking forward to the summer programming at Selkirk Community Pool.



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**SUBMITTED PHOTO**  
After Paddy Quiring's husband and sister died from addictions, she decided to make a change and "rwalk" across the nation to raise money for Adult and Teen Challenge and the Canadian Liver Foundation.

**By Maggie Wysocki**  
With 2,444 kilometers behind her, Paddy Quiring arrived in her hometown of Selkirk last week to take a short break from her mission to "rwalk" across Canada.  
"Rwalk means to run, ride, walk ... any form of locomotion to get me from the west to east coast," Quiring said, explaining the name choice for her organization, "Rwalk the Nation."  
After hosting a fundraising event in Winnipeg last Thursday night, Quiring left over the weekend, heading towards Ontario.  
She'll have to run 75 kilometers a day in order to make it to Nova Scotia by Sept. 22, Quiring says.  
But what exactly inspired her to embark on a 6,351 kilometer journey?  
"Grief," she says, referring to the death of her husband and sister who both struggled with addiction.  
"You have to make a decision when you have a tragedy ... in my grieving, I planned a positive outcome."  
Quiring planned Rwalk the Nation with a goal of raising awareness about addictions and raising funds for Adult and Teen Challenge and the Canadian

Liver Foundation.  
"There's a stigma attached to addictions and every time I sit and talk with somebody they know someone affected too," she said.  
Quiring's mission started April 13, the anniversary of her husband's death, in Vancouver, B.C. Her friend, Walter Janzen and her late sister's husband, Rick Bolton have been with her every step of the way.  
Janzen's taken on the role of photographer, documenting the trip so Quiring can write a book about the journey one day. Bolton's role has been RV driver, collecting gas and food donations at each pit stop.  
"The people we've met have been the best part. It's a great challenge but the reward has exceeded my expectations," she said.  
Though the experience has been a physical challenge, Quiring says it's the mental aspect that has been the toughest, comparing the experience to "therapy."  
To learn more about Quiring's journey, visit [rwalkthenation.ca](http://rwalkthenation.ca).  
"It's a beautiful experience. I wish everyone could do this," she said.

## > RESOLUTION GOING TO AMM, FROM PG. 1

According to the Municipal Act, councillors can discuss confidential matters with their chief administrative officer. However, this raises the problem of bias as, declared by the Municipal Act, the CAO is to adhere to the councillors and mayor as if they oversee him or her. Some councillors now say they want to be protected by an external party.

At the Association of Manitoba Municipalities Eastern Interlake District Meeting on June 20, RM of Springfield Coun. Heather Erickson presented a Workplace Health and Safety Anti-Harassment Resolution.

The resolution was passed and will now go on to the Association of Manitoba Municipalities (AMM) convention in November where mayors, CAOs and councillors from across the province will vote on it.

The resolution asks AMM to lobby the province to strengthen legislation surrounding prevention, investigation and enforcement available to municipalities in response to harassment and bullying in the workplace between elected officials and between elected officials and municipal staff.

"Many women and men who are elected to municipal politics and employees of our local municipalities experience bullying and harassment in their work environment," West St. Paul Coun. Cheryl Christian said. "Everything from intimidation, withholding information, exclusion from meetings, to threats and physical violence."

After Mayor Jackie Hunt of the RM of Ritchot made headlines with her abrupt resignation in May, it sparked a public conversation, St. Andrews Coun. Joy Sul said.

"There should be an independent body that deals with municipal issues," Sul said. "We need a middle person to investigate and find where the problem is."

Meanwhile, who can a councillor turn to if they're facing any form of bullying or harassment?

"They have to deal with it them-

selves. There's no oversight body at the moment that would deal with that," said AMM director Joe Mazi. "At the end of the day, if it's council members, they're masters of their own behaviours and would have to discuss it among themselves."

Some municipal councillors and staff say their internal complaints have been ignored or minimized by their council and administrators. Councillors have also been advised to hire their own lawyers, at their own cost, to address these types of issues.

One councillor was even told that "no one is going to ride in on a white horse and save you."

Eileen Clarke, Minister of Indigenous and Municipal Relations and MLA for Agassiz said she believes most councils have respectful workplace policies in place.

"What they do when they're not adhered to though, I don't know," Clarke admitted. "The only way right now that this behaviour can be dealt with is at the next election."

"When the public is voting on who they want to represent them in council they need to know the person they're voting for."

Councillors should contact the Ombudsman's Office, Selkirk-Interlake-Eastman MP James Bezan suggested.

Christian says she doesn't believe the Ombudsman's Office has time to investigate these types of complaints.

"Internally it's very challenging," she said. "They're too busy to handle this."

Tracy Slaker says she's noticed some form of belittling or bullying during every St. Andrews council meeting she's been to this year.

"It's like a kindergarten class," said the St. Andrews resident referring to the "humiliation" St. Andrews Coun. Joy Sul faces saying residents have even yelled out "have some respect," during the middle of a meeting in Sul's defence.

"I've had residents call me after council meetings to see if I'm OK," Sul said. "I know what the residents say



**PHOTO ILLUSTRATION BY MAGGIE WYSOCKI AND LINDSEY ENNS**  
A group of municipal leaders from across Manitoba are hoping to put an end to the bullying and harassment some councillors face with help from a Workplace Health and Safety Anti-Harassment Resolution.

and that it's on the side of dysfunction."

But St. Andrews Mayor George Pike has a different opinion about the environment of their meetings.

Pike says his council adheres to the code of conduct laid out by the Municipal Act and doesn't see why a Workplace Health and Safety Anti-Harassment Resolution would be necessary.

"I think it's duplication," Pike said. "There's other existing codes of conduct that we already have."

"There's avenues to protect everyone."

Selkirk Mayor Larry Johannson said the resolution has his full support.

"It's a good idea," Johannson said. "The province has a policy in place but there is no policy in place for municipal government."

Johannson said bullying and harassment occurs amongst councillors across the province so something needs to be in place.

"It may make people think twice before throwing their hat in the ring come election time," he said. "You don't want anything to deter good people from running."

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## The ones that didn't get away

Hello again friends, As I have done many times before, when seeking fishing stories for us on the east side of Lake Winnipeg's south basin, I stopped at the South Beach Casino last Tuesday for lunch. As I turned into the casino I noticed that Wonder Shows had moved into the community grounds across the road.

I didn't think much about it until I was sitting in the restaurant and saw a guy a few tables away talking with others about the shows. Well, you know me; I put down my fork, got up and walked over to a tanned, well-conditioned fellow whose thick, long brown hair was pushed back from his affable face. I handed him my card as he in turn gave his name as Jeff Johnson from Winnipeg. I asked that since he probably travelled a lot, did he know of any unusual fishing stories. Almost before I could join him in his booth he began telling of a time in New Zealand when he went swimming in Taupo Lake, there were so many fish they would jump up out of the water after bumping his arms as he swam.

Later in the week, between rain squalls, I wandered up and down the Red visiting with our hardy anglers. A bit downstream of Selkirk I met Arlie Edel of Winnipeg, a very outgoing, thin, long haired guy who had a habit of ending each remark with a hearty laugh. He remembered last summer he and a friend were shore fishing on the Whitemouth River and were about to leave a string of caught fish in the water at the rivers' edge to go for lunch. Arlie in his gravelly voice said, "We better not leave them in there the turtles will get them." "Na," said his friend and off they went. When they came back all that was left of their fish were heads swinging in the flowing water. Beside them the likely culprit, a small turtle lay innocently sunning itself. Arlie's buddy gave the turtle a shove with his foot then the "rock" the little guy was on started to move. That "rock" became a three foot turtle with



**RECORD PHOTO BY ARNIE WEIDL**

Pictured from left to right: Tony Guillas, Robert LeGall and Alfred Bretecher from St. Rose fish at Hecla.

one of their fish in its mouth!

Later that day I was driving home when I was flagged down by a guy I knew, Kurt Witt. He came back to my turned down car window and with a big smile said, "I've got something to show you, something you've never seen before Arnie." He pulled out his cell phone and brought up a picture of an absolutely solid black catfish he had caught the other day while boat fishing by the Lockport locks.

Let's see now, we learned about albino trout and catfish a few weeks ago, now Kurt came up with a black catfish. What's next!

I had to lean into the cool wind walking to the end of the Hecla village pier last Wednesday where I met three men about to leave. They had caught enough fish for a meal and were making for the fish cleaning station by the commercial fishers' shack. I walked back with them. The chap holding the fish said his name as Tony Guillas. At the station his buddy Robert LeGall began filleting while his other friend Alfred Bretecher began giving a win-

ter fishing story. They have fished Lake Dauphin year round all their lives. Alfred said they were ice fishing there a couple of years ago when a white out overtook them. They stopped the truck to wait it out but it kept getting worse and darker so slowly they moved in the direction they thought was the shore line. Crawling along they saw the half drifted in tracks of another truck. They followed them until suddenly their lights struck the back of a dark truck stuck in a snow-drift. Since you never leave someone in trouble on the ice, the boys stopped, met the guy in his cab and in the dark using only their headlights got out their rope (they always carried one) and pulled the truck out. As the rescued chap thanked Tony, Robert and Alfred for helping him he said he had GPS and suggested they follow him. So steering around snowdrifts in the blowing snow, following their new friend, they eventually came to land exactly at their jump off spot!

Well, I hope you come by next week, see you then.



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# Local lions help donate \$130K to Selkirk's MRI fund

Submitted

The Selkirk and District Lions Club along with the Stonewall and District Lions Club and the Lions Club International Foundation teamed up to present a \$130,000 cheque to the Interlake-Eastern Regional Health Foundation for the new Selkirk Regional Health Centre's MRI fund on June 14.

Dr. Dan Lindsay, director of diagnostic services in Selkirk, recognized the community's long standing support for staff and patients at the hospital.

"Community partnerships are an important part of our hospital and a big reason we are able to offer these services closer to home for our patients," Lindsay said. "Thank you for the difference you have made in the kind of care we can offer our patients with the addition of the MRI."

Also present at the event was Diagnostic Services Manitoba who is responsible for delivering diagnostic services like MRI to Manitobans in our facilities.

This is the 12th MRI machine in Manitoba and only the third outside of Winnipeg. Patients will travel from



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throughout the region for MRI appointments at the new Selkirk Regional Health Centre, which officially opened on Sunday.

The MRI was craned into the facility through an opening in the wall on May 23. Diagnostics services staff have been working to get the equipment ready for the first patients who

will be seen after the hospital opens to the public on June 25.

The Selkirk and District Lions Club was instrumental in getting the funding needed for the donation from Lions Clubs International.

Lions Club International is the largest service club organization in the world. They are celebrating 100 years

of service to their communities this year.

Interlake-Eastern Regional Health Authority thanks the members of the Lions Club District 5M11, District 5M13 and Lions Club International on behalf of the patients we serve across the region.

# Changes patients, visitors can expect at new Selkirk hospital

Submitted

Selkirk and District General Hospital patients moved into their new beds in the Selkirk Regional Health Centre on Sunday. Many of the processes and procedures in place at the former hospital will be carried over into the new facility; however, there are a few areas where you can expect change:

- The main entrance doors are open between 6 a.m. and 10 p.m. seven days per week. Day procedures, outpatient visits, diagnostic tests, and visitors are to use these doors during open hours. After 10 p.m., all patients and visitors must report to the emergency department entrance at the northeast side of the building. Obstetrical patients are to report to the emergency department at all times.

- The new emergency department allows for improved patient privacy and increased patient flow into the main treatment area. After triage, patients waiting to see a doctor will be streamed into an internal waiting room away from the public Emergency Entrance. A decentralized design separates the central nursing desk into four patient care stations to bring a patient closer to their doctor and direct care nurse's work area; improving safety and communication.

- The new grounds feature 332 parking stalls for staff, on-call staff and

visitors in a well-lit, fully paved parking lot. Visitor parking is conveniently located just in front of the main entrance. Provincial health care funding is invested in direct delivery of health care services and not subsidiary costs such as parking lot maintenance. To offset the cost of parking lot maintenance such as snow removal, surveillance, concrete cleaning and repairs minimal parking fees are in place for visitor parking. Fees are \$1 per hour during the daytime with a \$6 daily maximum (6 a.m. to 6 p.m.) and \$2 evening flat rate (6 p.m. to 6 a.m.). The new facility has a drop off and pick up zone for patients at the front entrance, is on a bus route, features bike racks and is connected to a community walking trail system that makes it very accessible for all.

- A separate parking lot located near the emergency department doors provides 30 minute free parking for family and friends who are assisting patients

into the emergency department. Those who use this parking lot need to move their vehicle into visitor parking once the patient has made it safely into the hospital.

- The new facility has a spiritual health centre so patients can honour their faith tradition. This area has ventilation to accommodate smudging. The room is equipped with MBTelehealth so patients and families from across the region can participate in the ceremony.

- The audiology

program will remain at 100 Easton Drive (the former Selkirk and District General Hospital).

Other program and department changes are being communicated directly to patients.

For more information, visit [ierha.ca](http://ierha.ca), select "Care in Your Hospital" and click on "New Regional Health Centre in Selkirk."

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# Leaders urge businesses to join Lake Friendly program

Submitted

The South Basin Mayors and Reeves, leaders from nine communities on the shores of Lake Winnipeg, are challenging local businesses to do their part in protecting our fresh water by participating in the Lake Friendly for Business Certification Program.

The program was officially launched last Friday morning in Gimli.

"Businesses have an important role to play in water protection, and this program gives a set of clearly defined actions for participation," said Manitoba Chambers of Commerce president and CEO Chuck Davidson.

The program was created by a cross sector working group which included municipal officials, the International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD), Manitoba Liquor and Lotteries (MBLL), conservation districts, landscape architects and environmental interests.

"If effectively implemented, this innovative certification program will simultaneously achieve at least five important United Nations Sustain-



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Local and area dignitaries gathered in Gimli last Friday to help launch the Lake Friendly for Business Certification Program.

able Development Goals while allowing business to reduce their harmful impacts on water quality that if unchecked will not only continue to damage fragile aquatic ecosystems but negatively impact the economy of Manitoba," said Robert Sandford, EPCOR Chair for Water and Climate Security at the United Nations Uni-

versity Institute for Water, Environment and Health and Lake Friendly Ambassador.

"Businesses play an important role in protecting the health of our lakes. Together, all of our individual choices and actions can go a long way in preserving this valuable natural resource," said Minister of Sustainable

Development Cathy Cox.

For Manitobans it's very hard to imagine not having enough exceptional quality water. We all know water is essential to our health and wellbeing, as it provides quality of life benefits and utility. Whether we are using water for generating electricity, raising crops, producing products, the economic productivity of Manitoba is deeply connected to clean water.

Rick Gamble, chair of the South Basin Mayors and Reeves says, "It is this understanding that has led municipal leaders to develop the Certification Programs and push for better practice by all to improve water management while exploring new ways to account for the value of our most precious resource ... water."

Lake Friendly is an initiative established from leaders from the shores of Lake Winnipeg to inspire action toward protecting our freshwater, our prosperity and our way of life in Manitoba.

To learn more, visit lakefriendly.ca.

# West St. Paul mayor named AMM Interlake district director

Staff

West St. Paul Mayor Bruce Henley was elected as an Interlake district director during the Association of Manitoba Municipalities (AMM) district meeting held in Arborg earlier this month.

Two directors for each of the AMM's seven rural districts are elected every two years. Reeve Trevor King of the

RM Of Woodlands was also elected.

The AMM represents the interests of 137 municipalities in Manitoba and is responsible for representing all Manitoba municipalities when it comes to provincial and federal matters.

Henley said he was honoured to have the support of his peers – the mayors, reeves and councillors from the 20 municipalities in the Interlake district –

who chose him to represent their concerns in the AMM.


"As leaders in our communities, we are always working toward building stronger, resilient communities, that will serve current and future generations," Henley stated in a release last week. "Serving as a director in

the AMM allows me to have an even stronger voice for our community, and the others in the Interlake District.

"We share common concerns and by working together we can achieve many things."

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# Lassie ladies golf tourney to celebrate Canada 150



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Pictured from left to right: committee members, Terry Bowles and Karen Kearney say the theme of this year's Lassie Tournament at Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club will be Canada 150 with all the proceeds going to CancerCare Manitoba.

By Maggie Wysocki

For the past 21 years, a group of ladies have been organizing the Lassie Tournament at Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club in support of CancerCare Manitoba.

At this year's tournament on Tuesday, July 18, they're planning to cel-

brate Canada 150 and looking for local and area ladies to join in on the fun.

"Cancer has touched everyone's lives in some way and with the Canada theme it's just a day of fun," said the committee's co-chair, Terry Bowles.

Over the years, the tournament has

raised more than \$40,000 for CancerCare Manitoba. Bowles says the committee is focused on ensuring that as much of the profit as possible goes directly to the charity.

"We keep our costs low with sponsorship. It really all goes to CancerCare," she said.

The cost of the 18-hole tournament is \$90 and includes breakfast, a "signature surprise" lunch and more than

30 silent auction prizes.

Ladies can look forward to playing Canada-related games on some holes and are encouraged to dress in red and white golfing attire.

There are spots still available for 144 golfers but Bowles says they tend to fill up quick.

To sign-up, fill out an entry form at [larters.com](http://larters.com) or call 204-334-2107 for more information.

## Smiles help brighten a rainy day



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Selkirk residents Taylor Fennessy, 16, pictured left, and Dawson Scott, 17, were all smiles while taking shelter from the rain under a purple umbrella outside the Gordon Howard Centre last Wednesday afternoon.

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# Dozens lace up for third annual Kirstin's Walk for Kids



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ABOVE LEFT: More than 100 participants crossed the finish line under the Running Room banner after finishing the five kilometres for Kirstin's Walk for Kids last Sunday in Selkirk Park. ABOVE RIGHT: Volunteers served a pulled pork lunch after Kirstin's Walk for Kids last Sunday, which raised roughly \$6,000 for child care centres across Manitoba.

By Maggie Wysocki

The rain stopped just in time for 150 walkers to participate in Kirstin's Walk for Kids at Selkirk Park last Sunday.

"The rain started again around 3 p.m. when everything was all done so it worked out just perfectly," said Kirstin's dad, Richard Sutherland, estimating that the walk raised close to

\$6,000.

After the first event in 2015 raised an outstanding \$10,000, the Sutherland family has kept the ball rolling, raising thousands of dollars for child care centres across Manitoba.

This year's proceeds will go directly to the Kirstin's Walk for Kids Endowment Fund managed by the Selkirk and District Community Foundation.

The third annual walk started at 11 a.m. with a five kilometre trek around the park. Once walkers crossed the finish line, which was sponsored by Running Room, they enjoyed a pulled pork lunch.

Silent auction prizes, face painting and desserts also followed.

"This year the bounce-a-roo was a huge hit," said Richard, adding the

walk brings out more and more kids each year.

Though summer is a busy time of year for charity events, he said they have no plans on stopping the event.

"We're always competing with something else but I still think it's always a success," he said.

For more information about the Walk for Kids, visit [kirstinwalk.ca](http://kirstinwalk.ca).

# Habitat for Humanity project to help celebrate Canada 150

Submitted

To celebrate Canada 150, the governments of Canada and Manitoba are investing \$1.2 million to help more Manitobans become homeowners through Habitat for Humanity's Carter Work Project.

"Habitat provides such an effective model in home ownership and creates pride and confidence by giving people the opportunity to build their own home," said Manitoba Families Minister Scott Fielding. "Safe hous-

ing lifts people up, helps families succeed and builds healthy communities. Manitobans are excited to volunteer with this valuable project to address poverty and homelessness as part of Canada's 150th birthday."

The 34th Carter Work Project will build 150 homes for Canada's 150th anniversary July 9 to 14. Former U.S. president Jimmy Carter and his wife, Rosalynn, will participate in Winnipeg and Edmonton.

"This announcement is truly unprecedented and demonstrates the government of Canada's firm commitment to helping Canadians in need meet their housing needs," said

Doug Eyolfson, member of Parliament for Charleswood-St. James-Assiniboia-Headingley. "Our government is proud to contribute to the largest build in Habitat Canada history and we look forward to continuing our strong relationships with our valued partners."

The joint funding is part of a 2016 agreement of \$90 million over two years between the Manitoba government and Government of Canada through CMHC.

"Habitat Manitoba's commitment to the Carter Work Project is to construct 25 new homes and we could not possibly meet that objective without this

financial support from the federal and provincial governments," said Sandy Hopkins, CEO of Habitat for Humanity Manitoba. "Our total investment to build the 25 homes is about \$6.5 million but that investment will generate over \$40 million in value to society over the next 50 years, in today's dollars."

Habitat for Humanity Manitoba will build 21 new homes in Winnipeg, two in Portage la Prairie and two in Brandon. It selects qualifying families willing to contribute up to 500 volunteer hours of sweat equity in the construction of their home and sells them homes at fair market value.



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## Community comes out to celebrate Scottish heritage



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Community and area members came out in droves to check out the 51st annual Manitoba Highland Gathering in East Selkirk's Legacy Park last Saturday and Sunday. The two-day event featured a petting zoo, living history displays, piping and drumming and heavy games just to name a few. For the first time, this year's event also featured roughly nine tables of Scottish merchandise for visitors to explore.



## EXTRA! EXTRA! ED TEPLYSKI RETIRES TODAY

Ed sold his first car in 1964, it was a 1964 Pontiac Parisienne. So after 53 years Selkirk's car sales legend will hang up his business cards in exchange for a fishing rod and golf clubs. Ed would like to invite all of his friends and 53 years of customers to join him at Selkirk Gm 1010 Manitoba Avenue today (Thursday June 29th) between noon and 6pm for **coffee and cake**. Don Walters would like to thank Ed for his commitment to a positive representation of General motors products and of course Selkirk GM. Don and his staff congratulates Ed on his Retirement and of course look forward to selling him many new GM vehicles in the future.



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# Selkirk Biz toasts to new members

By Lindsey Enns

Dozens of new and current Selkirk Biz members recently came together for a special networking night in Petersfield.

Selkirk Biz executive director Sheri Skalesky said their eighth annual New Member and Networking Night at Hunt's Roadhouse on June 13 was one of their best attended events yet.

Along with giving new members a chance to mix and mingle with the local business community, the event also featured a beer tasting.

"We now hold two of these types of nights twice a year so it's a basically a fun evening, it's meant to bring people together for networking," Skalesky said. "It's also meant to highlight and recognize some of our newest members and give them an opportunity to introduce themselves ... and raise their profile."

During the event, the winners of the Selkirk Biz's first annual 50/50 Fitness Competition were also announced.

*The Selkirk Record's* Brett Mitchell and his partner took home a grand prize of \$1,675 for losing a combined 72 pounds. The 12-week fitness contest also helped raise \$1,675 for the Selkirk

Biz. Skalesky said a total of 20 teams made up of 134 individuals registered for the contest and they are hoping to bring it back for another year.

Selkirk Biz currently has approximately 200 members from Selkirk, St. Clements, St. Andrews and West St. Paul.

"We try to stay in touch with the newer businesses that open up," she said. "We see some interest here because of our close proximity to Winnipeg, this area is ideal for setting up shop or setting up a home base."

Along with their annual Black Friday event in November each year, Selkirk Biz is also preparing for their annual Fair and Rodeo Parade.

Held in conjunction with the Triple S Fair and Rodeo on July 14 to 16, the Selkirk Biz has hosted the annual Fair and Rodeo Parade for almost 50 years.

This year's parade will take place on Saturday, July 15 at 10 a.m. and goes until about noon rain or shine.

The parade starts at the corner of Manitoba Avenue and Jemima Street. Those interested in wanting to join in on the fun can either email [info@selkirkbiz.ca](mailto:info@selkirkbiz.ca) or call 204-482-7176. The parade float entry deadline is Wednesday, July 12.



RECORD PHOTOS MICHELLE BALHARRY

Dozens of new and current Selkirk Biz members gathered at Hunt's Roadhouse in Petersfield on June 13 for the Biz's eighth annual New Member and Networking Night, which featured a beer tasting.



day, July 12.

"It's a great way to raise your profile, there should be about 10,000 spectators," Skalesky said. "It's great expo-

sure for a business or organization ... and it's a great way to show your community spirit."

# IERHA staff members help donate \$2K to Camp Aurora

Submitted

Profits from the Interlake-Eastern Regional Health Authority's (IERHA) \$5 Club has allowed the IERHA Foundation to donate \$2,000 to Camp Aurora, a four-day subsidized summer camp for LGBTTQ youth managed by the Rainbow Resource Centre.

Every payday IERHA staff who have signed into the club agree to have \$5 taken from their pay-cheque and

added to a bank account that grows all year.

At the end of the year \$5 Club members submit recommendations on where the funds should go and the entire club votes on their top four to give recommendations for funding.

This year, Myles Drynan, IERHA staff member and \$5 Club member recommended Camp Aurora.

Camp Aurora is located in Whiteshell

Provincial Park and provides a safe, supportive and fun summer camp experience for LGBTTQ kids.

While at camp kids feel accepted, appreciated and understand that they're not alone in their experience. Last year 47 youth were welcomed at Camp Aurora.

The camp is self-funded by donations through the Rainbow Resource Centre in Winnipeg. Their goal is to

keep costs as low as possible for the campers, and will even waive all costs for a teen unable to afford it.

Last year the youth were asked what they learned about themselves at camp, some of the responses included: self-confidence, trust, that I belong, that I'm not alone, and how to love myself.

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# Artists team up to showcase their love of the Prairies



RECORD PHOTO BY LINDSEY ENNS

Lillian Kazuk, pictured left, and Les Hummerston, pictured right, have teamed up to put on the July art show at Gwen Fox Gallery entitled "This is my Prairie." The show runs from July 4 to 29.

By Lindsey Enns

For some, Manitoba's Prairies are just a place or a destination, but for two local artists they are what fuels them to create colourful pieces of art.

Lillian Kazuk, who lives just outside of Selkirk, and Les Hummerston of St. Andrews have teamed up to put on an upcoming art show at Gwen Fox Gallery entitled "This is my Prairie."

The show runs from July 4 to 29 and

features a total of nearly 80 paintings.

For this particular show, Kazuk, who is a watercolour artist, said the inspiration behind her pieces mainly came from historic and family photos.

"There's lots of old pieces that are replicated into full blown colour," she said, adding some of her pieces help show just how far agriculture has come over the years. "My grandfather started farming with horses and one

of my paintings is of a photo my dad had taken when he was young and there's four teams of horses seeding their crops.

"With technology, we now have GPS and tractors running in the field."

Hummerston said his paintings are mainly of scenes from the great outdoors.

"I try to capture it as best I can," he said. "I love to be in the wilderness."

"I've been painting pretty much all my life. I do mostly water and some acrylic ... I do a variety of things."

An opening reception for "This is my Prairie" will be held on Thursday, July 20 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Gwen Fox Gallery.

The Gwen Fox Gallery, located at 101-250 Manitoba Ave., is open Tuesday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.



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# Letters

## A renewed sense of optimism for St. Andrews sewer coalition

The Citizens of St. Andrews Sewer Coalition, would like to thank the Selkirk Record for its article "Residents explore other options for St. Andrews wastewater," which appeared in the June 1 edition.

Mr. Billeck has infused the wastewater discussion with a renewed sense of optimism.

Selkirk Mayor Larry Johannson has obviously embraced the concept of regional initiative. The Winnipeg North End Treatment Plant remains guilty of polluting the Red River. Does it make sense to spend millions of dollars on a project which would only serve to aggravate the environmental nightmare? The only trouble, and it is rather nagging is, "Why did St. Andrews Mayor George Pike and council then proceed with the first reading of By-law 4286 on May 23rd?" This was obviously done with total disregard for the resident input offered on May 11.

It almost appears, that the RM of St. Andrews is offering up a heaping helping of reverse politics. Typically, with any major capital project there is public consultation, options explored, costing and then bylaws are read as per the Municipal Act. In this case, we have new resolutions tabled for June 13, which CAO Weremy now suggests pertain to all the issues stemming from public input.

We have to remember that Bylaw 4286 and the plan for Phase 2 were sent out to the residents impacted on April 21. Notice was served for a meeting on May 11. More than 300 residents attended and there was no shortage of suggestions and possible options. We were told bluntly by Mayor Pike that the City of Selkirk had no interest/capacity. There are only two plausible explanations, either Mayor Pike and Council have read the guide "Manitoba Once Elected, What is Expected" backwards, or possibly they finally woke up, smelled their bad coffee and then realized — there was an election in 2018!

Lou Morissette  
Member of the Citizens of St. Andrews Sewer Coalition  
RM of St. Andrews

# Clean water focus at St. Clements open house

By Maggie Wysocki

It's been over a decade since St. Clements residents had a boil water advisory, and the RM wants to make sure it stays that way.

During the community's open house last Friday, public works employees gave the first 100 people who arrived a drinking water bacterial test for \$20.

E-coli contamination isn't something residents are worried about, said public works manager, Greg Elson, but it's more about being "proactive."

"People should be testing their water once a year to make sure it's safe," he said.

According to Manitoba Sustainable Development, wells that are less than 15 meters deep, have ground water near the opening or have cracks in the walls are most at risk of contamination.

"It's important people protect themselves," Elson said, adding that testing your water is the only way to tell if it's safe to drink. It's very rare for a homeowner to tell water quality by smell or colour.

Manitoba offers private well owners annual bacteria testing through Horizon Lab for \$21.26. Those who missed out on collecting their drinking water



RECORD PHOTO BY MAGGIE WYSOCKI

Public works employee, Debbie Roy, says residents like the convenience of the \$20 water bacterial test while handing one over to a resident at the RM of St. Clements Open House last Friday.

bacterial test can pick one up from Monday to Friday at the RM office.

"We want to make it as easy and convenient as possible," said public works employee, Debbie Roy.

Keeping the focus on clean water, the open house also offered residents

tours of the East Selkirk Water Treatment Plant throughout the day.

Since 2012, the water system has provided approximately 700 St. Clements residents with treated drinking water.

# Wild parsnip makes its return to West St. Paul

Submitted

The RM of West St. Paul is continuing to monitor and work with a contractor to deal with the presence of wild parsnip in some parts of the municipality.

The contractor sprayed last year to kill wild parsnip in several areas. The invasive plant, however, is back this year. Wild parsnip can be harmful to pets and humans as its sap can cause burns to skin.

It's a member of the carrot/parsley family, but it can form dense stands that outcompete native plants, which

reduces biodiversity. Though the root is edible, the stems, leaves and flowers contain chemicals that can increase skin sensitivity to sunlight and cause severe irritation of the skin.

Wild parsnip can grow up to 1.5 metres tall. The single stem is two to five centimetres thick and smooth with few hairs. Compound leaves are arranged in pairs, with sharply toothed leaflets that are shaped like a mitten. Yellowish, green flowers form umbrella-shaped clusters 10 to 20 centimetres across and seeds are flat and round.

West St. Paul resident Darlene Jarvis has been vigilant in identifying wild parsnip in parts of the municipality. Jarvis has spotted them on the dike, especially near the Yacht Club, and also along the walking trail on the ditch side from Lister Rapids, heading south. Young plants lack the yellow flowers that make the older ones easier to identify, making them harder to spot.

If you see wild parsnip, please contact the RM of West St. Paul by calling 204-338-0306

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# Selkirk honours Sinclair



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The Selkirk Community Arts Centre honoured and celebrated Senator Murray Sinclair, pictured above, during a special tribute dinner at the Selkirk Golf and Country Club last Tuesday evening.

## Submitted

It's a long way from the classrooms and sports fields of the high school in Selkirk to the hallowed hallways of the Canadian Senate in our nation's capital. Yet such was the journey for Senator Murray Sinclair, who was welcomed home recently in the wake of a career that has made a substantive impact on many aspects of Canadian society.

This lifetime of dedicated service was a focal point of a tribute evening in Selkirk that highlighted Sen. Sinclair's many contributions through his leadership at the provincial and national level.

"In and out of public life, Senator Sinclair has earned and enjoyed a long and successful career, making a distinct mark on our social fabric in the process," City of Selkirk Mayor Larry Johannson said in his remarks during the gathering at the Selkirk Golf Club and Country Club last Tuesday evening.

Born and raised in the Selkirk area, Sen. Sinclair graduated as Valedictorian and Athlete of the Year from Selkirk Collegiate Institute in 1968. From there, he would go on to realize many significant achievements including being named the first Aboriginal Judge in the Province of Manitoba.

As an academic, he became a recognized authority on Aboriginal issues and would later become a champion of Indigenous rights through his leadership in the Aboriginal Justice Inquiry (AJI) and as Chief Commissioner of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC). He was appointed to the Canadian Senate in April, 2016.

"Senator Sinclair is a man who

leads by example; a man who sees how things can be made better and is willing to work towards it," Mayor Johannson said, "a leader of thought and opinion; a facilitator of change; a role model and catalyst in the movement towards reconciliation in Canada."

During the event, the city announced plans to formally recognize the senator and the many milestones he succeeded in reaching throughout the years.

"In honour of his many contributions to this community through his leadership at the provincial and national level, Council directed administration to begin the process of formally naming the neighbourhood park at the corner of Queen Avenue and Main Street, Murray Sinclair Park," Johannson said. "Beyond just the recognition of Senator Sinclair's leadership, Murray Sinclair Park will serve as a constant reminder to the many young people who play there, that they too can grow up in our community and accomplish great things."

The announcement came as a result of a grassroots effort by a group of citizens who were interested in putting forth a proposal towards acknowledging Sen. Sinclair's contributions. Mayor Johannson said the tribute is appropriate as the Senator stands as an excellent role model for young people in Selkirk and all across Canada.

"Senator Sinclair has come a very long way since leaving the hallowed hallways of our high school those many years ago," the mayor said. "And he has indeed gone out and not only taken on the world, but he has changed the world – and changed it for the better."

# East St. Paul commemorates Vimy Ridge



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Local veterans commemorated the 100th Anniversary of the Battle of Vimy Ridge with a parade and lunch hosted at the Henderson Highway Legion in East St. Paul on May 28.



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1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
6 tablespoons butter, diced into 1/4-inch squares  
Heat oven to 375 F.  
Toss pears in rice vinegar and set into lightly greased foil pouch.  
Combine remaining ingredients in bowl and use two forks to combine ingredients until mixture becomes crumbly.  
Pour mixture evenly over pears, seal pouch and bake 20 minutes.  
Open top of foil and bake another 10 minutes, or until crisp and golden.  
Chef's tips: For crispier crust, refrigerate crumbly mixture 30 minutes before baking. Serve with scoop of vanilla bean ice cream.

## Mediterranean Vegetables



Servings: 4  
Prep time: 10 minutes  
Cook time: 25 minutes  
3 tablespoons Nakano Organic Rice Vinegar – Seasoned  
1/4 cup olive oil  
1 teaspoon salt, plus extra, to taste  
1/2 teaspoon pepper, plus extra, to taste  
1 tablespoon, plus 1 1/2

teaspoons, fresh parsley, chopped  
1 1/2 teaspoons fresh garlic, minced  
1 cup fresh zucchini, sliced into 1 3/4-inch long, 1/4-inch thick planks  
1 cup fresh green pepper strips  
1 cup fresh red pepper strips  
8 fresh stalks asparagus, slicing off 1/4 inch from bottom of stalk  
1 fresh portobello mushroom, sliced into 1/2-inch squares  
1 cup fresh eggplant, diced into 1/2-inch squares  
Heat oven or grill to 375 F.  
In large bowl, mix together rice vinegar, olive oil, salt, pepper, parsley and garlic to create marinade.  
Clean vegetables then place them in marinade in small batches. Toss to coat then place in foil pouch. Pour remaining marinade over vegetables and seal pouch.  
Bake in oven or over indirect heat on grill 25 minutes. Add salt and pepper, to taste, after removing pouch from heat.  
Chef's tip: Open pouch after 20 minutes of cooking and allow vegetables to crisp slightly under direct heat for remaining 5 minutes.

## Gochujang-Glazed Chicken

Servings: 4  
Prep time: 10 minutes  
Cook time: 45 minutes  
4 tablespoons Nakano Seasoned Rice Vinegar – Roasted Garlic  
2 teaspoons gochujang (chile bean paste)  
6 tablespoons maple syrup  
4 teaspoons soy sauce  
2 tablespoons, plus 2 teaspoons, olive oil  
4 teaspoons Dijon mustard  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
8 chicken thighs  
4 cups fresh cauliflower, riced (use grater or food processor so cauliflower resembles rice)  
1 1/2 cups fresh scallions, sliced  
2 cups fresh sugar snap peas  
3 sprigs fresh cilantro, for garnish  
Heat oven or grill to 375 F.

In large bowl, mix together vinegar, gochujang, maple syrup, soy sauce, olive oil, mustard, salt and pepper to form marinade. Dip chicken in marinade and toss lightly until coated.

Lightly oil foil pouch and layer base of pouch with cauliflower. Add scallions and sugar snap peas then place chicken on top. Carefully pour remaining marinade over pouch contents (ensuring that liquid stays inside foil).

Seal foil packet and bake or grill 30 minutes. Open foil to create 2-inch long vent then bake or grill another 15 minutes, or until completely cooked. Garnish with cilantro before serving.

Chef's tip: For best results and added flavor, marinate chicken 30 minutes before preparing pouches.

Substitutions: In place of gochujang, red pepper flake paste can be made by mixing 1 tablespoon red pepper flakes with a few dashes soy sauce and 1 dash sugar. Alternatively, substitute 2 teaspoons sriracha for gochujang.



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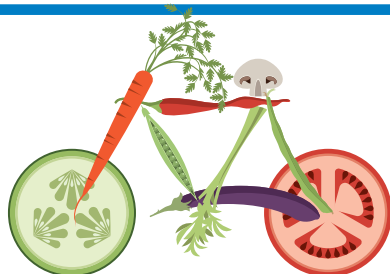
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# sports & recreation

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## Youth soccer tournament a kick in Selkirk

By Brian Bowman

There were a lot of soccer balls flying around the Selkirk Rec Complex last weekend.

And there was tons of fun to go along with that exciting action.

Selkirk hosted the Tri-S House League Soccer Tournament - attracting an estimated 1,000 players - for the three-day event.

"It went pretty good," said tournament organizer Chris Downey Monday afternoon. "It was crappy the first day with all of the rain but everybody still came out and the second day was gorgeous."

Downey was very pleased with the turnout of players, who came from St. Andrews, Petersfield, East Selkirk, Selkirk and Stonewall.

The tournament has been running approximately the past 30 years, said Downey, but this is the first year that Stonewall has been involved.

Players are as young as three and as old as an 18U division. There was a lot of great soccer action in all of the divisions.

"We had a couple of games that

went to overtime," Downey noted. "And we had some gold-medal games that were really good - there were no real blowouts - they were all close."

This was the third consecutive year that this local tournament has run without a major sponsor. The tournament did, however, have "about eight or nine minor" sponsors, according to Downey.

And, as good as the action was on the field, it was equally as impressive off of it, with the 40 or so volunteers. Those volunteers made sure the tournament ran smoothly.

Still, organizers are always looking to increase their number of volunteers.

"Our volunteers stepped up...and we could not do this without them," Downey stressed, noting the City of Selkirk also does a great job preparing the fields. "We were more aggressive (getting sponsors) this year. Because we're community based, we want to reach out to the community businesses and have them involved."

"We have gotten a lot of good support and a lot of good feedback."



RECORD PHOTO BY BRETT MITCHELL

Ivan Canora Alvarez, a student from Madrid, blasts a kick with Aaron Preun behind him during U18 gold-medal action. Alvarez's team won the game 3-2 and was undefeated throughout the tournament.



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## Another former Steeler commits to Minot State

Staff

Former Selkirk Steelers' forward Adam Wowryk is the latest MJHLer to commit to an NCAA hockey program.

Wowryk, 21, will be joining North Dakota's Minot State Beavers for this upcoming season.

"Adam is a highly-skilled, 200-foot forward," Beavers' head coach Wade Regier said in a media release. "Adam is a player who brings a ton of success both in season and in the playoffs to our program."

Wowryk is expected to have an immediate impact with the Beavers. The 5-foot-7, 175-pounder is an offensively-gifted player. He scored 36 goals and had 77 points in 115 regu-

lar-season games with the Steelers.

"Adam is a player we expect to step in right away as a freshman and make an impact," Regier said. "We lost a couple of offensive players to graduation this past year so it was extremely important we filled a need with a player like Adam."

"As a player who has worn letters the past couple of seasons, we expect Adam to be a leader off the ice as well."

Wowryk, a Winnipeg product, scored 18 goals and had 23 assists in 57 games last season for the Winnipeg Blues. He also played in the MJHL for the Portage Terriers.



Adam Wowryk

# Senior Thunder season ends with semifinal loss

By Brian Bowman

The Interlake Thunder senior girls' football season is now over.

Interlake fell 46-25 to the North Winnipeg Nomads in a semifinal game last Thursday in Winnipeg.

"We came out and traded punches for the first quarter, the first couple of quarters," said Thunder head coach Joel McDonald. "And then we came up with more injury problems on offense. We lost a couple of running backs."

One of those top running backs that went down with an injury was Sara Reynolds. She was being counted on to provide a big boost to the running game after sitting out several games with an injury.

"I don't normally single out players but she was hurt all season," McDonald noted. "She came back for this game and probably wasn't quite healthy enough but it was her last game in the MGFA, so she wanted to come out and give it her best."

Reynolds, a talented veteran, pulled up lame in the first half, said McDon-

ald, and sat out a couple of quarters before making a return to the game.

A big turning point in the game, said McDonald, was a punt return for a touchdown by North Winnipeg.

The Thunder head coach felt the Thunder had a good season despite some tough luck on the injury front.

"It was a challenging season all around," McDonald admitted. "We created some of our own challenges and, of course, had injuries but the girls battled. We had some warriors out there this season, there was no quit in them."

"Right to the final whistle, they played hard...and there were no heads hanging (after the game)."

With the playoff win, North Winnipeg now advances to play the Sunrise Coyotes tonight in the championship game at Investors Group Field in Winnipeg.

Kickoff is scheduled for 7:15 p.m.

The Coyotes earned a berth into the final after a 20-8 semifinal victory over the St. Vital Mustangs Red last week.



RECORD PHOTO BY LANA MEIER

The Thunder's Madison Siwicki scores a touchdown with the help of her offensive line.

## Bedard's soccer career makes stop at Providence

By Brian Bowman

Evan Bedard has been a quick learner as a soccer goalkeeper.

In just a short period of time, he has gone from leading the Selkirk Royals at the high school level to representing Selkirk FC in the Manitoba Major Soccer League's 2nd Division.

Now, he will take his soccer talents to the collegiate level.

It was announced Tuesday that Bedard will be joining the Providence Pilots.

"Providence gives me the chance to excel in my soccer career and take another step in my schooling," said Bedard, who will be studying science at the Otterburne, Man. campus.

"I'm looking forward to playing soccer at a level that not too many people reach."

Bedard was named the Royals' most valuable player this past season and was also nominated for the school's athlete of the year award.

He started playing youth soccer in Selkirk when he was just three years old and did not play any club soccer. Two



RECORD PHOTO SUBMITTED Selkirk's Evan Bedard will study science and play soccer for the Providence Pilots.

years ago, Bedard started playing keeper for the Royals.

Shortly after hearing about Bedard's immense talent, Pilots' head coach Joey Passi recruited him to the Pilots.

"Evan is a great kid with a humble disposition who is going to fit nicely with our team," said Passi. "He brings excellent athleticism, great shot-stopping ability, and an aggressive attitude on the pitch."

"We're happy to have him on board."

## Clarkson named to Canada's senior national ringette team

By Brian Bowman

There was just one Manitoban selected to be part of Canada's senior national team that will compete at the 2017 World Ringette Championship in Mississauga from Nov. 27 to Dec. 3.

And she lives right here in the Interlake.

St. Andrews' Amy Clarkson will make her third appearance representing our country on the senior national team. For the second time, she will be Manitoba's lone player on the roster.

"This is my third time picked for the national team and it's definitely exciting every time that it happens," said Clarkson, 30, last week. "I felt strong at the camp and just being in that atmosphere pushes you harder."

Clarkson was one of 21 athletes picked for Team Canada after a successful selection camp June 16-18 in Calgary. She will be one of three goalies on Canada's roster along with Breanna Beck of Red Deer and Jasmine Leblanc of Dieppe.

Canada's starting goalie won't be named until just prior to the tournament.

"With the naming of our



St. Andrews' Amy Clarkson has been selected to Canada's senior national ringette team.

senior national team roster, our high performance program is set and ready to compete at the upcoming world championships," said Frances Losier, Director of High Performance and Events, Ringette Canada, in a media release.

"We are confident that the athletes who have been chosen by our senior national team staff are the best in the country and we look forward to proudly supporting them every step of the way."

Canada expects to be competitive at the worlds against

Finland. The other two teams competing at the worlds will be the U.S. and Sweden although Canada will not play against them.

Clarkson feels the experience several Canadian players had at the previous world championship, held two years ago, should help them on the ice this year.

"In my eyes, it's a strong team," Clarkson said of Team Canada. "I think we have chosen the right group to compete against Finland."

Because Canada has such a vast area to select players from, it's often hard to get the athletes together to practice. Finland has that advantage over Canada, but Clarkson feels competing on home soil should benefit her squad.

"The Finns always do send out their fans and they have the drums in the stands and everything," she noted. "But you kind of block out all of the noise. When you have home ice, it's definitely a good noise compared to being in Finland."

"And you're also not dealing with the travel and the time change and getting adjusted to the jet lag."

# Thunder advance to junior football league final

By Brian Bowman

The Interlake Thunder junior girls' football team will be showing off their talents on a big stage this week.

Interlake punched its ticket to the championship game, which will be played at Investors Group Field, after an impressive 44-20 semifinal win over the East Side Eagles last Thursday evening.

"We managed to pull out a good win and it was a good game all around," said Thunder head coach John Montgomery. "All of our girls played very well. They all did their assignments

and they all picked up their blocking. They just played very, very well and they should all be very proud of themselves."

It was a great playoff win for the Thunder, which lost its two regular-season games to the Eagles this season. Interlake showed a marked improvement in the playoff contest compared to the regular-season losses.

"Half of our team had never played (football) before," Montgomery noted. "But they're now starting to believe in themselves and when that happens,

there are a lot of things that you can do."

Montgomery feels the Thunder are peaking at just the right time in their season. But they will have to upset a very tough North Winnipeg Nomads team tonight (6 p.m.) to claim the league championship.

North Winnipeg, which is undefeated this season, beat the Interlake twice early in the regular season.

"We're going into the final game with a good attitude and we're playing well," Montgomery said. "But we're also up against a very (skilled)

team, that's for sure. It will be a very good game."

Win or lose, the Thunder players and coaches will have a great experience playing in a CFL stadium.

"We're all quite happy about that," Montgomery said. "None of us on the coaching staff have ever stepped foot inside that stadium so it's a nice thing. It's really nice for the girls but, at the end of the day, it doesn't matter where we play. It's a football game and we all have to play as hard as we can."

# Selkirk FC solid in win over Kildonan Athletic Club

By Brian Bowman

Selkirk FC has played some good soccer this season, but has had a tough time getting in the win column.

But the local senior soccer squad may have turned their season around after a solid 3-1 victory over the Kildonan Athletic Club June 20 in Winnipeg.

"It was definitely a nice win," said Selkirk FC's Sean Leggett. "We feel good about our squad and we have been the better team in 90 per cent of our games."

Devin Racicot and Jordan Bruenig scored first-half goals for the winners, who built a 2-0 lead. After Kildonan

Athletic Club cut that lead in half, Selkirk FC's Yaya Ramadan Adam added a late goal to secure the win.

With the much-needed victory, Selkirk FC is now 2-3-3 and has nine points to sit in the lower half of the MMSL's 2nd Division standings. Selkirk FC, which has struggled to score goals so far this season, now has just 12 in eight games.

"We just have to show a little more patience in the final third, our attacking third," Leggett said. "We have to show more patience and not rush shots or take low-percentage shots. That's often what we're doing and

that creates a turnover and gives the other team the ball back.

"We have to keep possession until we see the right opportunity and score goals that way."

Leggett feels that they have plenty of talent on this year's team. Selkirk FC, which has some new faces on their roster, has the potential to go on a nice winning streak and move up in the standings.

"Everyone is coming out for training and investing in the team," Leggett said. "We had great numbers come out for tryouts and we actually had to make cuts for the first time in several years."

But playing in the MMSL's 2nd Division isn't easy. There are plenty of good players – and teams – in the division.

"There's a lot of parity," Leggett said. "There is a lot of competition and any one team on a good day can beat the other."

Selkirk FC is back in action Friday when it hosts AC Fiorentina in a key matchup at the Selkirk Rec Complex. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

The local squad will then have a relatively light schedule with just four games in July. Three of those games will be played at home.

## Youth having a ball



RECORD PHOTO BY BRETT MITCHELL

Tonja Brazil of the St. Andrews Red team controls the ball during a youth tournament game against Petersfield in Selkirk last weekend. Petersfield won the game 5-1.

## Tournament champs



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The West St. Paul Stars U15 boys' soccer team won all five of their games to capture the Slurpee Cup championship on Father's Day. The team is coached by Brian Pilat.





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 I hope all your dreams come true!  
 -Je t'aime xox  
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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**GRADUATION**



**Congratulations to**  
**Justin Riley Freeman**  
**Upon your graduation from Grade 12**  
**at the Comp!**

Wishing you the best of everything in your future endeavors.  
 We love you!

-Love from Grandma and Grandpa  
 (Tannis and Randy Barker),  
 Mom (Laura Freeman),  
 sister Chalsey Freeman (Cam),  
 Jeff, Carleigh and Jenna Bourgeois  
 and all your aunts and uncles

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**IN MEMORIAM**

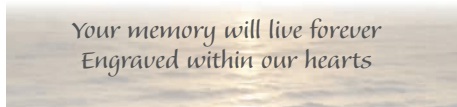


**KGB aka Kevin Mathers**  
**December 31, 1973 – July 1, 2011**  
 Those we love, don't go away,  
 They walk beside us every day;  
 Unseen, unheard, but always near,  
 Still loved, still missed and very dear.  
 -Mom, Dad, Tracey and kids

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**IN MEMORIAM**

**Kevin Mathers**  
**December 31, 1973 – July 1, 2011**  
 Forever missed, remembered and loved.  
 -Always Aunt Mary Jo



**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**GRADUATION**



**Victoria Stutsky**  
 Here's wishing you  
 happy memories,  
 bright beginnings and all the  
 successes you so deserve.  
 Congratulations on graduating.  
 -Love Mom, Dad and Rebecca

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**IN MEMORIAM**



**Amy Rebecca Richards**  
**August 31, 1978 – June 30, 2011**  
 Old pictures....  
 Bittersweet memories.  
 Missing you always.  
 -Love, Dad, Mom, Sarah,  
 your pets and all of your friends

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**IN MEMORIAM**



**Garth Vincent Foster**  
**March 12, 1925 – June 27, 2012**  
 Gone but not forgotten!  
 -Ever remembered by  
 your loving wife, Irene  
 and all your family

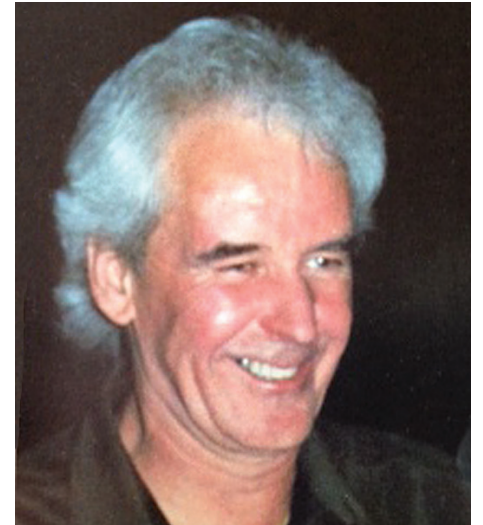
**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**CARDS OF THANKS**

Thank you to the Selkirk and District General Hospital ER and Surgical Ward. Your efficiency, compassion and care was outstanding. I was so impressed with each and every staff member working May 20 through May 29, 2017. Special kudos to both Dr. Nelson Governo and Physician Assistant, Edward Taiglei for their professionalism and emotional and physical support.  
 -Sincerely,  
 Bonnie Popowich

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**IN MEMORIAM**



**Ken Pollock**  
**July 30, 1950 - June 24, 2014**  
 Death comes and hearts are broken,  
 Loved ones go with words unspoken.  
 Deep in my heart there are memories kept,  
 For a husband I will not forget.  
 Asking God for -  
 Hope for each morning  
 Strength for each day  
 Peace for each night.

-Love, Dianne

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**IN MEMORIAM**



**In Loving Memory of**  
**Garry Peter Fewchuk**  
**Son, Brother, Brother-in-law, and Uncle**  
**September 18, 1954 – June 28, 2014**

They say there is a reason,  
 They say that time will heal;  
 But neither time nor reason,  
 Will change the way we feel.  
 For no one knows the heartache,  
 That lies behind our smiles;  
 No one knows how many times,  
 We have broken down and cried,  
 We want to tell you something,  
 So there won't be any doubt;  
 You're so wonderful to think of,  
 But so hard to live without.  
 -Deeply missed and always loved  
 Dad, Mom, Neil, Gail, Gerald, Kyle  
 and Justin

**OBITUARY**



**Kenneth Gilbert Howard**

Kenneth Howard passed away peacefully on June 4, 2017 at Grace Hospital with family at his side, after a brief illness.

Kenneth was born in Selkirk, Manitoba, on May 30, 1925, to Louis and Ellen Howard. The second of four children, Ken had a happy childhood. His first job was as a paperboy, earning one cent per day per customer.

Valedictorian at Devonshire Collegiate, Ken attended the Universities of Manitoba and Western Ontario, attaining Master of Arts degrees in French Literature and Psychology. As an undergraduate, Ken was Junior Stick of Science, then enlisted in the army. Later he joined the Reserves and became a Major. Ken worked as a clinical psychologist at the Winnipeg Child Guidance Clinic. In 1957, he became the first executive director of the John Howard and Elizabeth Fry Society of Manitoba. Later, his career focused

on industrial /organizational psychology, management consulting, and outplacement. He served as presidents of both the Psychological Association of Manitoba and the Institute of Certified Management Consultants of Manitoba. Ken was a long-time sessional lecturer in Psychology and Management at Red River College and the University of Winnipeg. For many years, he wrote weekly columns for several publications. Later in life, Ken pursued his love of history, and of Selkirk and its neighbouring waterways. He interviewed more than 100 members of Selkirk's pioneer families and compiled numerous photos for his book, *Stories of Selkirk's Pioneers and Their Heritage*. Ken also did the layout and, in the process, became well-known and appreciated by the "geniuses" at the Apple Store. The book was launched at McNally Robinson in 2011, when Ken was 86. In recent years, Ken wrote a regular history column for The Selkirk Record.

Ken married Dorothy Phimister in 1950 and had two daughters, Rosalyn and Laurel. Though divorced in the early 1970s, they shared many family occasions throughout their lives. In 1976, he married Irene Miller. For over 30 years, they enjoyed their families, gardens, and pets. Irene died in 2015.

An avid swimmer and boater, Ken cherished cottage time on Lake Winnipeg, first in Ponemah and later in Gimli. He also loved music, and sang and played his violin into his senior years. Two years ago, Ken moved to The Portsmouth where he made new friends, joined the residents' council, and started a poetry club. His enthusiasm for new projects stayed strong.

Ken was involved in the lives of his daughters and grandchildren, and much loved. He remained close to his siblings for nine decades, gathering regularly for high-spirited laugh-filled reunions. He will be greatly missed by his daughters, Rosalyn (Angus Braid) and Laurel (David Scott); grandchildren James, Althea, Graeme, Zander and Elena; his brother Louis (Hyacinthe Wade); sisters Claire Lee (Harold Roman) and Shirley Thompson (Greg); and numerous nephews and nieces.

The family thanks the staff at Grace Hospital for their kindness and care.

Celebration of Life will be held at the Portsmouth Residence, 125 Portsmouth Blvd., Winnipeg, on Friday, July 14, 2017, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Ken's ashes will be buried on Saturday, July 15, 2017, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Clements Anglican Church, Selkirk. Friends and relatives are encouraged to share in a photo-tribute, stories and condolences for the family by visiting Ken's memorial page at IntegrityDeathCare.com

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**OBITUARY**



**Alfred Fontaine**

It is with great sadness we announce the passing of Alfred, father, brother and grandfather on June 22, 2017 at 92 years.

He is survived by his daughters Marilyn (Marvin) and Audrey; grandchildren Robbie, Marlene (Leah), Damon (Samantha), Pauline and Jazzy; great-grandchildren Blayse (Jordan), Max, Corbin and Allie; great-great-grandchildren Miles, Hunter, Xavier, Lily and Harlow; brother Gabrielle Bryuere and special cousin Charlotte and numerous friends and relatives.

He was predeceased by his lifelong love Joanne and son Hebert. Alfred was born in Pine Falls, Manitoba on February 6, 1925. He was raised in Fort Alexander, Manitoba. Dad started his career working as a Pulp Cutter and then spent many years working at the Paper Mill in Pine Falls, Manitoba. After his retirement he spent his years in Selkirk.

His sense of humour and kind spirit were felt by many. He enjoyed playing hockey in his younger years and loved spending time with family and close friends, playing guitar and singing.

We would like to thank the staff at Betel Home in Selkirk for their compassion and care they provided to him.

A funeral service was held on Tuesday, June 27, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. in the Gilbert Funeral Chapel, Selkirk, MB with cremation to follow. A private family interment of ashes will take place at a later date. Condolences may be left at [www.gilbartfuneralhome.com](http://www.gilbartfuneralhome.com)

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