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Teulon Elementary School students enjoyed a hands-on presentation by retired wildlife biologist Murray Gillespie. Pictured: Leo, Riley, Lucy and Hannah check out the display while teacher Miss Morin watches the background.

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Hands-on learning

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Teen dog-walker seeks more canine clients

By Jennifer McFee

A young animal lover is embracing her entrepreneurial spirit by offering helpful services for pet owners in the Stonewall area.

Abby Emmer, 13, launched her dog-walking business two years ago, while also offering in-home pet visits, feeding services and more. Now she's ready to expand and share her expertise in training, walking and pet sitting.

"It's been going well, but I'm at a point where I am looking to increase the number of pets I care for," said Abby, who is seeking more canine clients.

"I will care for your pet if you are away but will not stay overnight at your house or have them overnight at mine ... yet. I can also teach dogs tricks and some leash obedience."

She has gained plenty of experience with her own dog Chicklet, a cute and cuddly cockapoo.

"I love interacting with the dogs and other animals I care for, as well as being outside getting fresh air and exercise," she said.

"I have had some excellent feedback. People often say how much their pet looks forward to seeing me."

The business provides Abby with a joyful outlet during a difficult time. Her dad, Paul Emmer, is battling Stage 4 cancer. Paul and his wife Allison are known for their work with the Youth for Christ drop-in program and Heroic Family Missions, while also raising their tight-knit family of eight children.

Abby noted that the cost for her animal-care service is flexible with no set prices.

"Pricing is whatever works best for the customer. I love serving families, and I've done walks for free," she said.

"People can pay me whatever they want or donate to my dad's cancer



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I am grateful for the support I received in selecting me to be your next PC candidate for Lakeside constituency in the upcoming provincial election. Thanks to all that purchased new memberships and all existing members that participated in the exercise of choosing your representation for the Progressive Conservatives into the future. Thank you to those that were unable to attend but yet still reached out to me with their support.

Thank you to my team and my family for their hard work throughout this campaign.

Sincerely, Trevor King

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TRIBUNE PHOTO BY JO-ANNE PROCTER

Abby Emmer was out for a 45-minute walk with Bruce, a great Pyrenees cross, in Stonewall last Thursday.

treatments. I'm driven by my love for animals and serving our community."

From a parent's perspective, Allison Emmer shared pride in her daughter's initiative.

"We are very proud of her," Allison said. "She loves animals, and having

a business like this is a great outlet for her to use her passions to bless others."

Anyone who would like more information about Abby's animal business can call 204-872-3978. References are available on request.

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Wildlife biologist shares knowledge with Teulon students

By Jennifer McFee

Teulon Elementary students enjoyed a hands-on approach to environmental and wildlife education.

On Friday, Feb. 17, retired wildlife biologist Murray Gillespie spent the day at the school sharing stories, photos, videos and artifacts from his lengthy career.

The Manitoba Métis Federation provides support for Gillespie to visit Interlake schools that have Métis students. His wife, Valerie, is also an integral part of the program delivery.

"How many kids have ever had the chance to put their hands on a polar bear hide or a muskox hide or a skull with antlers from a caribou?" he asked.

"I've got many, many props from all the fur-bearing animals like wolverine and lynx. I show them all that kind of stuff and they get to handle it. It really piques their interest and they get to ask questions."

His interactive presentations highlight the interconnection among wildlife, humans and the environment.

"I like that the kids are excited and interested. It inspires them to hear the information," said Gillespie, who lives near Stonewall.

"I get enjoyment out of sharing knowledge with these kids and seeing their reactions."

For more than 36 years, Gillespie worked for the provincial government in the field of natural resource management. He specialized in game birds and northern wildlife research, and he gained extensive experience in northern areas such as Churchill and the Arctic Circle.

After he retired in 2007, he started visiting schools across Manitoba and Saskatchewan to introduce students to environmental concepts.

As a wildlife photographer, Gillespie also documented wildlife and their habitat, particularly in the north.



Gillespie shows kindergarten student Napoleon how the polar bear skull bites.

In his presentations, he often focuses on animals such as caribou, wolves and polar bears, as well as their natural habitats.

"I think students need an understanding of how the ecosystems and the environment work. We also talk about pressures on the environment and wildlife, and how human-caused events such as mining or roads can impact animals. Even things like throwing your garbage can have an impact on an animal," Gillespie said. "I think it's beneficial to their edu-

cation and understanding, so that's why I do it. They're eager, and I think that's something that they can carry with them as they grow older."

School principal Heidi Reeb also sees the benefits of the engaging program.

"Staff and students thoroughly enjoyed Murray's hands-on presentation. Murray is clearly knowledgeable about Canadian wildlife and enthusiastically shares his passion," she said.



TRIBUNE PHOTOS BY HEIDI REEB

Retired wildlife biologist Murray Gillespie shared his knowledge during presentations at Teulon Elementary School last week.

"We were delighted that Murray reached out to us to offer our students this important learning opportunity."



Jacob Kroeker tries on a set of elk antlers with the help of Gillespie.



Students had the chance to handle props from fur-bearing animals.



Gillepsie had hides from virtually every mammal one would find in the Arctic Circle for the students to Erik Hillyer poses for a photo with a fisher. touch.





Sadie, Ethan, Billy, Tom and Lexi get an up-close look at the presentation props.

Reunion planned for Balmoral School students

Staff

Calling all former students of "the old brick" Balmoral School!

You're all invited to a school reunion on June 24 at the Balmoral Rec Centre.

Built in 1914, the Balmoral Consolidated School was constructed with bricks from the Balmoral Brick Company. The two-storey school welcomed students from Bruce, Greenridge and Centre schools.

Between 1922 and 1949, the school offered grades 1 to 11, and occasion-ally Grade 12.

Starting in 1958, students from Grade 11 were transferred to Stonewall. Soon after, Grade 9 and 10 students followed suit.

The current school was built in 1976 for Grade 1 to 8 students, and kindergarten was added in 1989.

Former student Bev Wait started attending Balmoral School in 1956 and remained there until she went to Stonewall in Grade 9.

"It was a really neat building. It had a central staircase, so there was lots of running up and down the stairs and sliding down the bannister. It had two classrooms each on the main level and upper level with one more in the basement. Most of the kids knew each other, so it was like one big family," she recalled.

"We're encouraging people to bring photos and share their memories."

All former students are encouraged to attend the June 24 reunion, which will include time to visit with former schoolmates and enjoy a catered dinner.

Additional details are still being finalized. Anyone who would like to attend the reunion should contact Don Lawrence as soon as possible at motorhome43@outlook.com.



PHOTO CREDIT ARCHIVES OF MANITOBA, GEORGE HARRIS FONDS Balmoral Consolidated School, shown in this 1919 photo

Snow groomer breaks through ice at Narrows Bridge



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Once again, thank you for giving me the opportunity to be involved in your care and for welcoming me into your lovely town. I wish you and your family health and happiness in the future!

Sincerely, Dr. Prasanga Ketawala (Dr. PK)

By Autumn Fehr

A potentially fatal accident involving a provincial Snoman Inc. (Snowmobilers of Manitoba) groomer occurred earlier this month.

At approximately 1:30 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 3, 2023, a snow groomer broke through the water at the Narrows Bridge.

Two of the Ochre River Snowmobile Club members were grooming trail No. 5 from Ochre River to Lake Manitoba, the Narrows. At this point, they went to turn around to go back, but with poor visibility, they went too far, and the ice began to crack and let go. The two members calmly exited the groomer to find it sinking and sinking fast.

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Executive director of Snoman Inc. Yvonne Redoubt said thin ice conditions were the cause of the incident.

Two members of the Ochre River Snowmobile Club were present when the incident occurred, but they both walked away with no injuries.

The groomer was retrieved and lifted onto solid ice late Wednesday, Feb. 8, 2023.

Snoman's operation manual that oversees the ice operations is currently under review. It will be updated accordingly.

Since the incident, Snoman has been working on putting a plan in place in case an incident like this one were to happen again.

Redoubt said they have been in contact with Manitoba Environment, Climate and Parks and have put a procedure in place. In addition, a letter was sent to their clubs to inform them of the process to be followed should an incident as this one happens again.

The update sent to club members outlined the process to be followed should a groomer or sled be immersed in water. Due to the potential of a pollutant or contaminant being released into the environment, the club president or designate must call the 24-hour environmental emergency response line as soon as possible when it is safe to do so. The number to call is 1-855-944-4888.

Stolen vehicle investigation leads to search warrant and arrests

By Jennifer McFee

Local RCMP have been busy responding to break-ins, drug busts and more.

On Feb. 8, Stonewall RCMP responded to a report of a break and enter at a Woodlands business on Railway Avenue.

A vehicle had smashed the gates open over night, although nothing of value seems to have been stolen. The vehicle was left at the scene and RCMP confirmed it was stolen.

Stonewall RCMP continues to investigate, along with forensic identification services.

Then on Feb. 11 at about 6:10 a.m., Stonewall RCMP received a report of a possible stolen vehicle in the Stonewall area.

Officers located the stolen vehicle abandoned on Road 70N off High-

way 7. Further investigation led officers to execute a search warrant at a home in Stonewall, and they arrested four adults at the residence.

In addition, officers seized several stolen items, as well as a small amount of crystal methamphetamine, psilocybin and brass knuckles.

Brittny Anderson, 27, has been charged with possession of a controlled substance x2, possession of property obtained by crime x3, unauthorized possession of a prohibited weapon x2, failing to comply x4 and trafficking in property obtained by crime. She was remanded into custody.

Conrad Bonwick, 42, has been charged with possession of a controlled substance, possession of property obtained by crime x3, unauthorized possession of a prohibited



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RCMP responded to a report of a break and enter at a Woodlands business on Feb. 8.

weapon x2 and trafficking in property obtained by crime. He was released on a release order.

The other two adults were released with no charges. The investigation is ongoing.

According to RCMP crime statistics, reports of break and enters were up by nine per cent between November 2021 and November 2022 in the east district, which includes Stonewall detachment. In addition, theft over \$5,000 increased by 15 per cent over the same period in the east district.

RCMP Cpl. Julie Courchaine said they continue to see property crime in all communities across the province.

"We continue to respond and investigate all reports that we receive. I

will take this opportunity to remind the public of some tips that may help deter property crime," she said.

"Close your doors to all garages and sheds that are on your property and ensure they are locked. Secure your vehicles. Don't leave spare keys or garage door openers in your vehicle." Courchaine also suggests keeping a

record of the make, model and serial number of valuable tools, bicycles and more.

"This will help police identify property and return it to its rightful owner. Invest in lighting and security cameras. Proper lighting and security cameras can be an excellent deterrent," she added.

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Province discontinues COVID vaccine app and card

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breaks at the Selkirk Betel Personal

Care Home (declared Jan. 31) and

at the Ashern Personal Care Home

(declared Feb. 6) continue, according

to the IERHA's outbreaks webpage

said by email the changes come as the

province moves out of the pandemic.

"As Manitoba transitions out of the

pandemic, many of the related public

health measures are no longer neces-

sary. Manitoba's proof of vaccination

requirement expired in March 2022

and with it the need for a verifier app.

Neither measure was intended to be

The immunization card app is not

being discontinued and it will be up-

But it, along with the verifier app,

has been removed from Google Play

"While Manitoba QR code access

and Apple stores, states the bulletin.

dated, said the spokesperson.

permanent," said the spokesperson.

The provincial government is

(viewed Feb. 17).

Bulletin #589 of Feb. 10.

By Patricia Barrett

Another significant number of Manitobans died from COVID in the second week of February, along with an increase in hospitalizations, according to the provincial government's respiratory surveillance report for Feb. 5-11 (reporting Week 6).

Seventeen people died from COVID in Week 6. The previous week's report showed 11 deaths. Manitoba's COVID death toll was 2,439 as of Feb. 4, according to the federal government's COVID webpage, and Canada's death toll is now 50,863.

There were 61 new COVID hospitalizations, with eight intensive care admissions, according to the differences in severe outcomes between weeks 5 and 6. There were 53 people hospitalized with 10 ICU admissions reported the previous week.

There were 108 new COVID infections detected by PCR testing in Week 6, an increase of 43 cases over the 65 reported the previous week. Provincial data are an undercount of the true number of cases as the government restricts PCR testing and rapid antigen tests aren't tracked.

The provincial government no longer provides in its surveillance reports the names of personal care homes and hospitals experiencing COVID outbreaks.

Wastewater surveillance data for COVID for Winnipeg and Brandon up to the end of Feb. 7 showed sustained activity.

The Week 6 report shows nine new cases of influenza A, one hospitalization and no new deaths.

There were 64 new respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) cases reported in Week 6, down 11 cases from the 75 reported the week before.

Other health news:

The Interlake-Eastern Regional Health Authority declared on Feb. 10 a gastrointestinal outbreak at the

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increase in the number of COVID deaths while Canada is showing limited change. will no longer be available, Manitobans travelling abroad will continue to have access to their pan-Canadian proof of vaccination through the app and COVID-19 immunization information can continue to be updated,"

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said the spokesperson. When asked if Manitobans might have to pay out-of-pocket for COVID vaccines in the future — in the United States people will soon have to pay for the vaccines — the spokesperson

"Manitoba continues to offer COVID-19 vaccinations free of charge," said the spokesperson.

The World Health Organization says the COVID pandemic continues as countries see high numbers of new infections and deaths.

Worldwide, there were over 6.7 million new COVID infections and more than 64,000 new deaths reported over the period Jan. 16 to Feb. 12, according to the WHO's epidemiological report published Feb. 15.

In total there have been over 755 million confirmed COVID cases reported globally and over 6.8 million deaths from the virus as of Feb. 12.



Iceland, Australia, parts of Africa and South America are currently seeing an





TRIBUNE PHOTO BY LANA MEIER

The South Interlake SnoRiders groomer was out touching up the Interlake trails last week preparing for the long weekend. Help the Tribune record the weather of the week and send in your photos of friends or family enjoying the outdoors. Email: weather@stonewallteulontribune.ca

Manitoba government extends clinic hours, adds 80 physician-training seats

By Manitoba government

The Manitoba government is helping heal the health-care system by launching a new premium for physicians who offer extended hours in family medicine and pediatric clinics, adding 80 physician-training seats, and providing mental-health supports to doctors, Health Minister Audrey Gordon and Advanced Education and Training Minister Sarah Guillemard announced recently.

"Our government is making significant investments to heal health care and we know that physicians will be essential in that healing process," said Gordon. "We recognize the enormous contributions of primary-care providers and pediatricians and the care they provide to Manitobans. Providing an incentive to extend clinic hours will make accessing care more convenient and timely, while taking pressure off emergency departments and urgent care centres so the health-care system functions more efficiently overall."

Gordon noted the changes announced today fulfil promises laid out in the Health Human Resource Action Plan.

Effective Feb. 1, family medicine and pediatric clinics offering extended hours can receive a 20 per cent premium on extended hour billings. This change will help ensure primary-care providers and pediatricians are readily available, Gordon noted. Eligible extended hours, which can be used to see existing patients or take walk-ins, are considered weekdays from 6 a.m. to 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. to midnight, and weekends and recognized holidays from 7 a.m. to midnight.

Participating clinics have been asked to advertise or promote extended hours and availability, Gordon said, adding that the Manitoba government will work with Doctors Manitoba to ensure the new premium will help increase overall capacity in the health-care system.

"The actions the government is announcing today all directly respond to advice we've offered on behalf of physicians," said Dr. Candace Bradshaw, president, Doctors Manitoba. "From an innovative and unique-in-Canada approach to help clinics with extending their hours, to a significant expansion in medical training, to new resources for supporting physician wellness and avoiding burnout, all three of these actions will help to support better access to medical care for Manitobans."

The Manitoba government will also provide funding for 40 new undergraduate physician-training seats, a 10-seat increase in the one-year international medical graduate program and 30 seats in the two-year postgraduate medical education program for internationally educated medical students.

"This is an incredible opportunity for Manitoba, so prospective physicians can find a place to learn and grow in their chosen career path in the province," said Guillemard. "The Manitoba government will be investing in the education of those who will provide care to Manitobans for years into the future, recognizing that our workforce needs to attract students from Manitoba, across the country and around the world. This work will also support the overall goal of adding 2,000 health-care providers as part of our government's Health Human Resource Action Plan."

This funding will ensure access to undergraduate medical education programs will keep pace with Manitoba's population growth, while supporting a sustainable and growing number of physician graduates able to work in the province's health-care system, Guillemard added.

Additionally, the Manitoba government is investing in physician retention by supporting overall physician health and wellness through a \$450,000 contribution to the Physician Peer Support program run by Doctors Manitoba. The program offers peer support networks and training for peer supporters, as the support of colleagues has been shown to improve overall wellness and help reduce the risk of burnout. This funding will help ensure the program can continue and expand to meet the changing needs of physicians, the ministers noted, as recommended at a rural and northern summit hosted by Doctors Manitoba and the Manitoba Chambers of Commerce last fall.

These investments are part of the Manitoba government's Health Human Resource Action Plan, a \$200-million initiative announced in November 2022 to help retain, train and recruit 2,000 health-care workers.



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I had only started watching the series *Chosen* after it had been recommended to me by a friend. It wasn't long before I realized that indeed there was something special about this production. I understand that, in fact, it is appealing to Christians in general and even beyond what we would normally call a Christian audience. Our parish in Stonewall has decided to discuss a few episodes each week during Lent.

Although I have not watched all three seasons yet, there are a few strong faith lessons that have caught my attention. One of the first of these was how the movie shows that faith is born because reaches out to us first; that is, God acts in ways that are meant to heal, to reconcile, to teach, to forgive, to strengthen etc., and then we are left to respond. As much as I teach myself and others this fact, I often revert back to thinking I am in control of my life and my faith. In fact, God is always the first mover, who out of love offers grace and mercy. Our task is, with God's grace, to say yes to God.

One scene that brought this whole idea home for me was the healing of Mary Magdalen. She was unable to get rid of the demons that were destroying her life. It was only when Jesus healed her that she could resume a normal life. A number of years ago, a parishioner and good friend said to me that her courting could be described as "he chased me until I caught him!" Since then, I have always thought that it also describes our encounter with God. Even though we might tell ourselves that we are hunting to find God, we discover that it is more appropriate to say "we chased Him until he caught us!"

Rev. Barry Schoonbaert

Pastor of Christ the King, Stonewall, St. Joseph in Stony Mountain and St. John Vianney in Teulon

8 *The Stonewall Teulon Tribune* Thursday, February 23, 2023 Over \$123 million invested in initiatives to retain and recruit nurses

By the Manitoba government

The Manitoba government is investing over \$123 million in nine initiatives to retain, recruit and support nurses building on its commitment to end mandated overtime and add 2,000 health-care professionals through the Health Human Resource Action Plan, Health Minister Audrey Gordon announced Friday.

"Nurses are an incredibly valued member of the health-care workforce who provide critical services under sometimes extraordinary pressures," said Gordon. "These incentives improve nurse staffing where there are high demands and needs in the health-care system such as weekend coverage. We are already beginning to see positive results from these strategic investments and I want to assure all of Manitoba's health-care providers that more supports are on the way as the Health Human Resource Action Plan is rolled out."

The minister noted incentives for nurses include:

- a new hourly premium for nurses who work weekend hours;

- a new annual payment for nurses who hold the equivalent of a full-time position, as this helps to build more stability in the workforce;

- reimbursing the costs of nurses' professional licensing fees;

- an annual incentive for nurses who are eligible to retire but choose to remain in the workforce for up to an additional two years, to retain valued expertise and build capacity as new nurses are recruited into the workforce;

- an incentive for nurses who have previously left the profession but choose to return to the workforce;

- a new refer-a-nurse program for current nurses who refer a prospective nurse to a Manitoba employer;

- a provincial float pool to support nurse staffing needs across the province;

- a travel nurse incentive, which will provide an additional hourly premium for nurses who travel to work in remote locations; and

- a wellness incentive, which adds additional funds to the health spending accounts of full and part-time nurses to help to cover the costs of eligible expenses.

"The Winnipeg Regional Health Authority is experiencing higher staff vacancies as we emerge from the COVID-19 pandemic as is the case across Canada," said Mike Nader, president and chief executive officer, Winnipeg Regional Health Authority. "We are beginning to see positive uptake on these new incentives. We thank the Manitoba government for this significant investment in support of the recruitment and retention of nurses in Winnipeg."

The minister noted that supporting the health and wellness of nurses who are providing care to others is a priority and the new wellness incentive is one of several projects underway to improve the work environment, safety and well-being of all nurses in Manitoba. The Manitoba government is consulting with stakeholders, including the Manitoba Nurses Union, to design additional programs to support the well-being of nurses, including mentorship and peer support, with more details to be provided when finalized.

"We view this announcement as a very necessary and positive step in addressing the significant recruitment and retention issues for Manitoba's nurses," said Darlene Jackson, president, Manitoba Nurses Union. "We will always work diligently and share our ideas and approaches to get our health-care system back to where it needs to be. Nurses are problem solvers and we are anxious to develop and see the implementation of further effective measures for all nurses to solve the many challenges of our nursing human resource crisis."

These programs and incentives are part of the Health Human Resource Action Plan, which launched in November 2022 with a commitment to add 2,000 health-care providers, invest \$200 million to retain, train and recruit health-care staff across the province, and eliminate mandated overtime. Since that time, more than 330 new health-care providers have been hired including nurses, healthcare aides, physicians and other staff who provide bedside care.

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KAP concerns

During August 2022, I had a lengthy phone conversation with the general manager of Manitoba Beef Producers (MBP) regarding the announcement by Keystone Agriculture Producers (KAP) that it intended to apply a \$262.50 plus \$13.12 GST membership levy to Manitoba cattle producers sales. I offered that I would study the issue with the intent of drafting a resolution for presentation at the MBP District 5 annual fall meeting.

letter to the editor

While researching the issue, I found that the Agricultural Producers Funding Act empowers KAP to apply its levy to

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cattle sales. This is not debatable. The act also provides balance by guaranteeing individual producers the right to be exempted from paying the KAP levy.

I noted that diversified cattle operations, marketing gain, oil seeds and pulse crops had the KAP membership levy deducted from the sale of those products. KAP's initiative appears to be focused at collecting its membership levy from those producers whose entire income is derived from cattle sales. The number of producers that fall into this category is hard to determine — 1,000 cattle-only operations paying the \$262.50 KAP membership levy would contribute an additional \$262,500 to KAP's annual revenue. I assume that, in many cases, these new contributors would represent the same operations that bore the brunt of MBP's successful campaign to end the points-based system of Crown land allocation.

I presented a resolution to the District 5 annual meeting calling upon the MBP to utilize its publication *Cattle Country* to inform its members of their legislated right to notify KAP of their objection to paying the organization's membership levy and to make available to its members a fill-in-the-blanks form that could be used by those wish-



ing to exercise their legal right of objection.

The resolution passed and proceeded to the MBP annual convention in Winnipeg, Feb. 2 to 3, 2023. When the resolution reached the convention floor, it was met by strong opposition from both the current president of MBP and the immediate past-president of KAP. Both spokespersons were strongly opposed to making the MBP membership aware of their legislated right to be exempted from paying the KAP membership levy.

Comments made during the debate on the resolution led me to believe that there has been ongoing discussion between the two orgniztions regarding MBP joining KAP as a commodity group. If this comes to pass, the KAP levy would be automatically extended to all cattle sales. Although the resolution was soundly defeated, the legislated legally binding right of an individual producer to provide KAP with written notice of objection remains intact.

Individual producers must retain their right to choose their choice of voice. It is a legislated right that is worth protecting.

Woodlands council news in brief

By Autumn Fehr

RM of Woodlands council members established a temporary committee to facilitate the Woodlands transfer station improvements at the regular meeting on Feb. 14. The following have been appointed to the committee:

- Reeve Douglas Oliver as chair
- Coun. Carl Fleury
- Coun. Darryl Langrell
- Coun. Darrell Sinclair
- Deputy Reeve Lorna Broadfoot
- CAO Kaitlyn Griffith

• Public works foreman Dave Kozyra

• Waste transfer station attendant u Kevin Penny ft

Amy Hildebrandt submitted a conditional use application for an additional dwelling on her property.

Council approved the conditional use application, following the below conditions:

1. Approval of this application

> SEARCH WARRANT, FROM PG. 5

"Most importantly, report suspicious activity. If you see a suspicious person or vehicle, call your local police. Not only will we respond and investigate, this can also help our analysts determine areas of interest, which can lead to identifying prolific offenders."

Courchaine also mentioned that there's a CREST unit (crime reduction enforcement support team) in each district. They focus on intelligence-based investigations into drugs, rural property crime and serious, prolific offenders within communities.

"They are there to assist our front-line officers," she said.

An Indigenous legend of the stars Starlight

By Emerson Korchinski, Grade 4 student

There was a rustle in the bush! Fox jumped with fear. It was getting closer. He thought flight or fight, his mind said flight. But his body chose a third option FREEZE!

Bear emerged from the bush munching on saskatoons. "Geez, you scared me half to death!" Fox yowled. "Sorry scardy cat!" Bear chuckled. "I'm not a cat!" Fox grumbled under his breath.

Thunderbird swooped past Bear and Fox and quickly disappeared into the trees. Fox fell over from the unexpected gust of wind. The moon started rising.

"Don't you ever think that the moon is lonely up there all by itself?" Bear asked. "No not really." Fox yawned. Suddenly Bear's Mom ran toward him crying. "Bear come on!" She bellowed. Fox and Bear ran. It was Bear's Dad he was in bed looking terribly ill.

"Dad!" Bear walked closer to the bed. "Please don't go!" Bear cried.

His Dad passed away that night. As they put him in the lake Fox's tear hit the water. The water started to glow and float up into the night sky. The moon was no longer lonely like it used to be.

shall expire unless acted upon within twelve months, as per section 110(1) of the Planning Act.

2. The dwelling shall adhere to all setback requirements as per Table 4.6.

3. Sewage disposal for the dwelling shall be in accordance with provincial legislation.

4. The additional dwelling must meet all applicable codes, have a building permit taken out, and be inspected by a municipal representative.

5. The owner is required to obtain a permit for the intensification of use of the existing access onto PR 248 from Manitoba Infrastructure.

In other council news:

- Council appointed Michael Dola of the Rockwood-Rosser-Stonewall-Teulon Weed

District as the

2023 weed inspector.

- Council will issue a letter of support to the Woodlands School PAC for upgrades and improvements to the Woodlands playground.

- On Sept. 13, 2022, the council adopted the RM's Accessibility Plan. Since committee members have changed, it needs to be updated. Some items have been completed, and some timelines have been adjusted. Council will adopt the amended Accessibility Plan as presented.

- Council authorized Coun. Carl Fleury to attend the AMM elected officials training session on Feb. 24, 2023, at the Victoria Inn in Winnipeg, for \$75 plus applicable taxes.

- Council authorized Reeve Douglas Oliver and Deputy Reeve Lorna Broadfoot to attend the Red River Basin Commission's 12th Annual North Chapter Fish Dinner Fundraiser Gala on March 22 at \$85 per person, plus applicable taxes.

- Council issued a request for bids for hourly rates from April 1, 2023, to March 31, 2024. All submissions must be received on or before March 17, 2023.

- The RM of Woodlands agreed to 716/21 with the Manitoba Water Services Board (MWSB) on May 6, 2021, to cost-share the Warren watermain extension to pressure test water lines in Woodlands. The MWSB recommends amending the existing agreement budget from \$250,000 to \$270,000 to account for the Woodlands Waterline Testing. The RM has entered into said agreement. The reeve and CAO are authorized to execute the agreement.

Inland Port Special Planning Area Under The Authority of The Special Planning Areas Regulation 49/2016

Notice of Public Hearing

On the date and at the time and location shown below, a PUBLIC HEARING will be held to receive representations from any person(s) who wish to make them in respect to the following matter:

To subdivide 4 new lots totalling ± 41.08 acres in Pt. Parcel "E" Plan 50401 WLTO in the Rural Municipality of Rosser



A copy of the above proposal and supporting material may be inspected at the location noted above during normal office hours, Monday to Friday. Copies may be made and extracts taken therefrom, upon request. A description of the procedure to be followed at the hearing is also available at the location noted above.



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Warmer weather is just around the corner folks! And with it comes tick season! Some species of tick, including deer ticks, can be active on winter days if the ground temperatures are above 0 °C.

Ticks are efficient carriers of disease because they attach firmly when sucking blood, feed slowly and may go unnoticed for a considerable time while feeding. Ticks take several days to complete feeding.

The deer or black-legged tick is of most concern, as they can transmit Borrelia, the bacteria that can cause Lyme disease, as well as Ehrlichia and Anaplasma to dogs, cats and people.

Ticks have four distinct life stages:

- 1. Egg
- 2. Six-legged larva

3. Eight-legged nymph

4. Adult

Deer Ticks: These ticks are usually found in wooded areas along trails. The larvae and nymphs are active in the spring and early summer; adults may be active in both the spring and fall.

To remove ticks: Use fine tipped tweezers or disposable gloves to handle the tick. If you must use your fingers, shield them with a tissue or paper towel. Infectious agents may be contracted through mucous membranes or breaks in the skin simply by handling infected ticks. This is especially important for people who de-tick pets because ticks infesting dogs and other domestic animals can carry multiple diseases capable of infecting humans. Grasp the tick as close to the skin surface as possible. This reduces the possibility of the head detaching from the body upon removal.

After removing the tick, you may wish to preserve it in rubbing alcohol for identification. Be sure to label the container with information about the time and place where the tick bite occurred. This will help you to remember details of the incident, especially if a rash or other symptoms associated with Lyme disease appear later. This information will be of help to a veterinarian or physician diagnosing an illness.

Tick prevention for your pets is recommended from March 1 through to November 1 every year. There are many different types of tick preventatives available in the marketplace. Some products are available over the counter, while others are only available through your veterinarian. Your veterinarian will make specific recommendations to keep your pet parasite free.

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Share good deeds to help local hockey team

Community members can participate

By Jennifer McFee

A minor hockey team in Stonewall has scored a Top 5 spot in the Good Deeds Cup - and they need the community's help to jump up to take the lead.

Through the Chevrolet Good Deeds Cup, eligible U11 to U15 minor hockey teams complete good deeds in their community. Teams score points for their good deeds, and the team with the highest number of points wins \$100,000 for a registered Canadian charity.

The Stonewall Blues U11 A Team Scrivens made it to third place on the leaderboard against other teams from across the country. (At publication time, the team was in fifth place.) Some of the team's good deeds include supplying snacks to referees and arena staff, bringing treats to Tribune staff and donating books to mental health charities.

The community plays an important role in their progress since any Canadian resident over age 13 can submit a good deed in support of the team. To participate, all you have to do is post a video of your good deed on Instagram, Twitter, Facebook, YouTube or TikTok and tag the Stonewall Blues U11 A Team Scrivens and @ChevroletCanada, while also using the hashtags #GoodDeedsCup #Contest.

Every eligible good deed you submit will add one point to the team's score. And on Friday, Feb. 24, any good



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The Stonewall Blues U11 A Team Scrivens is in the Top 5 for the Chevrolet Good Deeds Cup. Community members can help boost their score by submitting videos of their good deeds, which are worth five times the points on Friday, Feb. 24.

deed posted using these hashtags and naming the team will be worth five times the points.

Good deeds can be big, small or anything in between. Any effort that helps the community counts in this challenge, including cleaning up the park, salting sidewalks, donating clothes, helping someone cross the street or washing someone's car.

"We encourage anyone to do a good deed, record it (30 to 60 seconds), tag it and post it online that day to help these kiddos make some history," said Laine Wilson, whose son plays on the team.

"Any support the community and wider can show to these boys and coaches is amazing. The boys are proud of themselves — and they should be. The comments from people encouraging them to continue to

contribute are huge."

The initiative also showcases the dedication of the coaches to their team, she added.

"They sign up to teach these kids important skills on the ice," she said, "but then to reach further and teach them important skills off the ice is really special."

James Hodge, brand director of Chevrolet Canada, noted the broader impact of the Good Deeds Cup.

"Since its inception, the Good Deeds Cup has seen thousands of good deeds conducted in towns and cities all over Canada," he said.

"Chevrolet Canada's goal with this program is to continue to support youth in hockey by empowering them to utilize the important and positive values they learn through the sport to give back to their communities."

The Chevrolet Good Deeds Cup wraps up on March 4.

To learn more about the Good Deeds Cup, visit www.ChevroletGoodDeedsCup.ca.



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Sara Orlesky captivates students



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY JO-ANNE PROCTER Stony Mountain School students enjoyed listening to Sara Orlesky, sports reporter and a senior host and producer for the Winnipeg Jets, read to them and field questions for "I Love to Read Month" last Friday. The former TSN SportsCentre reporter was described as "among the top young female sports broadcasters in Canada" by the Globe and Mail in 2008. Orlesky read The Golden Goal written by Matthew Cade with illustrations by Patrick Gray. The story is about Team Canada's Sidney Crosby's famous overtime goal in the 2010 Olympics to claim the gold medal after defeating Team U.S.A. 3-2 - a game that Orlesky will forever remember. When asked by a student how many interviews she has done, her reply was after 22 years of interviews she would have to say thousands with her favourite interview being Wayne Gretzky. She had an interview scheduled with The Great One only to be disappointed when her plane was delayed. Gretzky was at a function but left it to accommodate Orlesky, an interview she'll never forget.

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To rezone ± 184 acres and create 17 new lots in Pt. E 1/2 20, W 1/2 21 AND SE 1/4 29-11-2 EPM in the Rural Municipality of Rosser

HEARING LOCATION	400-330 Portage Ave. Winnipeg, MB. R3C 0C4	29 11.04
DATE and TIME:	Wednesday, March 15, 2023 at 6:00 pm	
GENERAL INTENT and PURPOSE:	To rezone ± 184 acres and create 17 new lots in Pt. E ½ 20, W ½ 21 AND SE ¼ 29-11-2 EPM in the Rural Municipality of Rosser.	20
AREA AFFECTED:	This rezoning and subdivision shall apply to the area identified on the map appearing on the Public Hearing Notice.	RM of Rosser
FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:	Holly Ervick-Knote, Planner Manitoba Municipal Relations Inland Port Special Planning Area 604-800 Portage Avenue Winnipeg, MB R3G 0N4 Phone: 204-945-1312 Email: inlandportspa@gov.mb.ca	City of Winnipeg

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Fire prevention and Burn Awareness Week poster contest



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Congrats to the winners of the Stonewall Rockwood Fire Department poster contest. Clockwise from top left: RW Bobby Bend's Samara, Hailey and Haleigh; RW Bobby Bend's Callen, Rebecca and Aria; Brant-Argyle School's Ayla, Britton and Izzy; Brant-Argyle School's Calise, Grayson and Grady; Balmoral School's Rogan, Eric and Maverick; Balmoral School 's Miller, Kinsley and Fallyn.



Stonewall council news in brief

By Jennifer McFee

The Town of Stonewall is one step closer to attaining additional childcare spaces.

On Feb. 15, Stonewall council hosted a public hearing related to a variation application that would allow for the construction of a 5,973-square-foot childcare facility. The proposed facility would be located on a two-acre portion of the Veterans Memorial Sports Complex grounds in the northwest corner of the property.

Through a collaborative program with the provincial and federal governments, Stonewall is one of nine Manitoba communities selected to receive a childcare facility. This program aims to create more than 1,200 new regulated non-profit childcare spaces across the province, focusing in particular on rural and First Nations communities.

As part of the agreement, the Town of Stonewall must provide at least two acres of serviced land with 15 years of free rent and support services.

The pilot project uses a prefabricated construction process so the buildings can be constructed off-site and then moved to a permanent foundation. For all nine communities, Pretium Construction is the contractor chosen to construct the buildings and develop the sites.

The Town of Stonewall will maintain ownership of the new childcare facility for at least 15 years, with potential for future phases or project expansion.

The town recommended that Start-

Easton Place

ing Blocks Inc. serve as the new facility's operator.

South Interlake Planning District had no significant concerns with the proposed variation, and council conditionally approved the request.

In other council news:

Stonewall council passed first reading of a bylaw to govern the town and its committees.

Council declared Feb. 19 to 25 as Kin Canada Week and encourages everyone to salute local Kin members. The service club is celebrating its 103rd anniversary this year. It launched on Feb. 20, 1920, in Hamilton, Ont., so council also declared Monday, Feb. 20, 2023, as Kin Canada Day.

Council approved a resolution to prepare all municipal records currently stored at the Heritage Arts Centre for transfer to the Manitoba Archives.

Council approved the South Interlake Regional Library's 2023 budget.

Council adopted a social media use policy to ensure employees, council members and commit-

tee members are aware of their responsibility to present a positive image as a town representative.

Council



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Aerial view of the proposed location for a new childcare centre.

lines how the town will work to prevent abuse. It also outlines how abuse or suspected abuse can be reported and addressed by the town.

The Town of Stonewall has repealed its COVID-19 vaccination poliсу. •

Council adopted a workfrom-home policy to maintain high-quality public service.

Summer employment opportunities are posted on the Town of Stonewall website at www.stonewall. ca. The application deadline is March 10

The committee of the whole meeting on March 8 is cancelled.

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Teulon council news in brief

By Autumn Fehr

The Town of Teulon council approved the installation of a public monument to recognize local individuals who have been inducted into the Manitoba Baseball Hall of Fame at the regular meeting on Feb. 14.

The monument that will recognize local individuals that have been inducted into the Manitoba Baseball Hall of Fame was approved with the following conditions:

- All costs for the design and construction of the public monument be fully bourne by the applicant, Sherri Waluk.

- The applicant submit a mock-up of the monument to be approved by the town; and

- The applicant apply for a development permit at their expense from South Interlake Planning District (SIPD) and that all conditions contained within the permit be fulfilled and adhered to, as well as any other requirements from SIPD.

The town will provide utility locates and install the monument at their expense.

In other council news:

- The Town of Teulon reduced the rental fee for the Teulon-Rockwood Centennial Centre for the Teulon minor hockey fundraiser held on

Feb. 4 to \$150.

- Council approved the recreation facility policies and procedures Policy #P&R-01 effective March 1.

- The council of Teulon approved paid accounts payable cheques for \$140,691.34. Staff payroll dated Jan. 20 was approved in the amount of \$13,142.95. Staff payroll dated Feb. 3 in the amount of \$12,731.26 was approved. And staff payroll dated Feb. 17 in the amount of \$13,146.67 is set to be approved for payment.

- Council approved the fire department's payroll in the amount of \$9,873.15.

- Council approved council indemnities in the amount of \$3,324.36.

- The Town of Teulon extended Napier Emergency Consulting services to provide emergency consulting services and municipal emergency coordination services from Jan. 1, 2023, to Dec. 31, 2023, in the amount of \$5,000.00 plus GST of \$250.00.

- The council will provide a letter of support to Green Acres Arts Centre to support their community spaces grant application for park improvements in Green Acres Park.

The next meeting was a committee of the whole meeting on Feb. 22.

Tight defence



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY LANA MEIER The Teulon Collegiate Saints' Sarah Tyluk closely guards an Immanuel Christian player during tournament action last Friday at Warren Collegiate.

Jake's denture story - how he's thriving with his new smile

BY ELISHA VANDOR

I was helping a woman in her 30's at the front desk (who was on her way to get her remaining upper teeth pulled) when she yipped, "Don't say the D word!" She was of course referring to her new upper denture that I was showing her. She much preferred me to call them her new teeth rather than her new denture. As someone who's in my 30's myself, I understood where she was coming from. The word denture can come with a lot of baggage. Let me explain...

A lot of people wear dentures and everyone has their own good or bad experiences, but mostly, people like to share their bad experiences with others. Why? Because it's interesting news! Jake, had heard from his family and friends not to get dentures. Most likely because of the troubles they had experienced. Regardless, Jake decided for himself it was time to pull his remaining upper teeth and get a denture. He says, "I was petrified because I needed 10 teeth pulled. I was scared to know how much pain I was going to be in, but zero, there was zero pain. It was amazing. I hardly felt anything. When it came to the denture, I thought I would have this giant thing in my mouth with big protruding teeth, but when I saw my smile for the first time I said, 'wow I've been missing out'!"

I recall the phone conversation I had with Jake the day after he had his teeth pulled. He said he was smiling at everyone! I could hear the excitement in his voice when he talked about his new found smiling freedom. He shared with us when he came in a few days later saying "I'm definitely smiling now. I haven't smiled in the last 3 years, but I love smiling now, I can't stop. People are noticing and saying, 'wow', where did you get your smile? They want to do what I've done. It's pretty exciting."

It's been 10 days since Jake's been wearing his Immediate upper denture. We call it an immediate denture because it goes in immediately after the teeth are pulled. There are many benefits to having a denture right away. First, you get to smile! Getting your smile back right away is a boost of confidence, especially when you look like you. Second, wearing a denture immediately after helps heal the gums faster as the denture acts like a Band-Aid over the extraction site. Finally, wearing a denture immediately after helps you eat the foods you want, faster. You get to practice and get used to wearing a denture right off the hop. Usually, the longer you wait to wear a denture, the harder it is to get used to because you've become accustom to nothing in your mouth. Jake says, "after 10 days I don't even notice the denture is there anymore. I wear it day and night and only take it out to clean. It took me about a week to accept and get used to it. I made a decision to be positive. That's what it's all about. I can't stop smiling now and brighten up any room."

If you've lost, about to lose, or are needing to replace your dentures we would love to make you smile like Jake. Consultations are free! We look forward to hearing from you.



Jake's before and after photo's show his 'WOW' transformation from broken and failing natural teeth to an immediate denture.

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Gimli's Einarson looks for Scotties four-peat

By Ty Dilello

Manitoba is well represented at this week's 2023 Scotties Tournament of Hearts in Kamloops, British Columbia, as the keystone province boasts an all-time high of four teams in the event.

Gimli's Kerri Einarson (Val Sweeting, Shannon Birchard, Briane Harris) enters the Scotties as the betting favourite to win the championship. They will be playing as Team Canada since they've won the three previous Scotties events.

Einarson's team has been Canada's finest over the past five years. They've won everything except the last Olympic Trials. With one more Scotties win this year, the Einarson foursome will tie Nova Scotia's Colleen Jones for the most consecutive Scotties titles in history with four when they won every year from 2001 to 2004.

Jennifer Jones and her rink (Karless Burgess, Mackenzie Zacharias, Emily Zacharias, Lauren Lenentine) out of the St. Vital and Altona Curling Clubs are Team Manitoba and hold a ton of experience as Jones is a six-time champion at the event.

Team Kaitlyn Lawes (Laura Walker, Jocelyn Peterman, Kristin MacCuish, Selena Njegovan) out of the Fort Rouge will be playing as Wild Card #1 as the team ranked highest in Canada that failed to win their provincial playdowns. Finally, Team Meghan Walter (Abby Ackland, Marquette's Sara Oliver, Mackenzie Elias) is entered as Wild Card #3 for their remarkable season on the World Curling Tour.

The other teams that make up the 18rink field are Alberta's Kayla Skrlik, British Columbia's Clancy Grandy, New Brunswick's Andrea Kelly, Newfoundland and Labrador's Stacie Curtis, Northern Ontario's Krista McCarville, Nova Scotia's Christina Black, Ontario's Rachel Homan, Prince Edward Island's Suzanne Birt, Quebec's Laurie St-Georges, Saskatchewan's



Abby Ackland and Sara Oliver help a rock down the ice Sunday in their 8-6 win over N.W.T.

Robyn Silvernagle, Northwest Territories' Kerry Galusha, Nunavut's Brigitte MacPhail, Yukon's Hailey Birnie and Wild Card #2's Casey Scheidegger.

The event follows the same format as the past two Scotties that includes Team Canada, the 14 Canadian curling member associations (including three territories and Northern Ontario) and three Wild Card teams that are the top three teams who did not qualify from their provincial playdowns based on CTRS standings.

The Scotties Tournament of Hearts runs from Feb. 17-26 at the Sandman Centre in Kamloops, British Columbia. The winning team will represent Canada at the 2023 World Women's Curling Championship at the Göransson Arena in Sandviken, Sweden.

As of Monday night, Team Walter had one win and three losses, while Team Canada (Einarson) had five wins and Team Manitoba (Jones) lost their first game but went on to win the next three.



TRIBUNE PHOTOS BY DERWIN FARMER

Manitoba is well represented at this week's 2023 Scotties Tournament of Hearts in Kamloops, B.C., as the keystone province boasts an all-time high of four teams in the event. Team Walter, left to right: Sara Oliver, Meghan Walter, Abby Ackland and Mackenzie Elias.



Kinsley Ackland cheers on her mom Abby Ackland at the Scotties.

Third Abby Ackland calls for a take out.

Rams, Wildcats reach finals of home tournament

Staff

Both the Stonewall Collegiate Rams and the Warren Collegiate Wildcats reached the finals of their varsity girls' basketball tournaments last Saturday.

Stonewall was defeated 72-59 by the MBCI Hawks and then they beat the Neelin Spartans in its championship game.

The Rams started the tournament with a dominating 79-25 win over the

Sanford Sabres 69-33.

Warren, meanwhile, was downed 72-45 by the Happnot Kopper Queens in its final on Saturday.

The Wildcats earlier defeated the Frontier Raiders 65-16 and the Immanuel Christian Flames 60-40.

By Brian Bowman

The Warren Collegiate Wildcats proved that the regular season is meaningless.

Despite winning just three times in 22 games during the regular season, Warren won twice in three days to upset the Transcona Titans 2-1 in their best-of-three Winnipeg High School Hockey League playoff series.

"There's no other way to put it, the stars aligned and we played very well," said Ryan Margetts, who is a teacher liaison and assistant coach on the team. "It was very simple. We had a really good game plan. We knew their (defence) was where they created their offence."

The Wildcats clinched the series win with a 5-0 road victory last Thursday.

Colton Bruce scored a first-period power-play goal and then Owen Shymko tallied with the man advantage in the second.

Dylan Riddell, Logan Fehr and Owen Shymko scored at even strength in the third.

Teagan Atchinson played very well, posting the shutout.

"Her play gave the guys more confidence and we just played a more committed, structured game," Margetts said.

Last Wednesday the Wildcats were edged 3-2 in overtime by the Titans. Cody Gable scored the game winner

in OT. Colton Bruce and Ethan Shymko scored second-period goals for Warren

"(Ethan) and Colton Bruce and Quinn McKnight played together (in) the series and played very well and capitalized on a lot of special-team opportunities," Margetts said. "They're skilled guys and when they're moving the puck around the offensive zone, they create a lot of problems for the other team."

Transcona's Mathew McCorrister scored in the second period and then Landon Bollenback tallied in the third.

Warren started the series with an impressive 6-1 road win over Transcona on Feb. 14.

The Wildcats grabbed a 3-0 first-period lead and never looked back.

Owen Shymko had a fantastic game with three goals and an assist while Bruce also had a great game with two goals and two assists.

Carter Olson scored Warren's other goal. Brady Boonstra chipped in with



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY JO-ANNE PROCTER

The Warren Collegiate Wildcats' Owen Shymko carries the puck up ice against the Transcona Titans in Game 2 of their best-of-three playoff series last Wednesday.

two assists.

Griffin Boomer netted a second-period goal for Transcona.

Warren played Powerview in Sagkeeng on Tuesday in a second-round series but no score was available. The Wildcats will host Powerview on Thursday in Game 2 of the series. Puck drop is 3:30 p.m. The Stonewall Collegiate Rams, meanwhile, received a first-round bye after finishing the regular season in first place in the Winnipeg Free Press Division.

Stonewall hosted the Kelvin Clippers this past Tuesday and then will play Kelvin Wednesday (4:15 p.m.) at River Heights Arena.

Pawluk to represent Canada at 2023 World Cup of University Hockey

By Brian Bowman

Teulon's Brayden Pawluk will have a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity in April.

Pawluk was one of 23 players chosen to the American Collegiate Hockey Association's Team Canada squad that will compete in the 2023 World Cup of University Hockey from April 14-19 in Cârța, Romania.

He will be joined on the team by St. Andrews' Carter Barley.

"It's very humbling and I'm excited for that opportunity," said Pawluk, who plays hockey for the Minot State University Beavers, last Friday. "I've never been able to represent Team Canada and wear that maple leaf on my chest before so to be able to wear it playing the sport I love, it's going to be an unbelievable experience."

Minot State University leads all schools with five representatives on the Canadian team.

Canada will be competing in Group B along with Romania, Poland and Czech Republic.

Travelling to Romania is going to be quite the experience.

"It's definitely a different world over there and it's a great opportunity to experience a different country," Pawluk said. "I don't think I would ever go to a country like Romania if it wasn't for hockey. It's going to be cool to say that I've gone there and not many people have. There will be a lot of sights to see - there's lots of history in that country."

In the meantime, Pawluk will continue to help his Minot State team win hockey games. The Beavers were an impressive 27-2 heading into a home game last Sunday.

On Saturday, Pawluk scored the game winner in overtime as Minot Stated defeated University of Mary.

"We have a really good team. We had a strong team last year and we ended up falling short in our national tournament in the first round and it was quite upsetting," he said. "Thankfully, we didn't lose many players throughout the offseason, not many graduated, and we brought in a really strong recruitment



class and the freshmen have really stepped in and have made an immediate impact. It's exciting to see the team that we've formed throughout this year and we're excited to go to Boston in March for nationals to see what we can do there and hopefully we have a better outcome than last year."



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY SEAN ARBAUT

The American Collegiate Hockey Association announced the 23-player roster for ACHA Team Canada, which includes Teulon's Brayden Pawluk, that will compete in the 2023 World Cup of University Hockey April 14-19 in Cârța, Romania.

U17 AAA Lightning end regular season

Staff

The Interlake Lightning U17 AAA hockey team ended their regular season on Saturday with a 5-1 loss to the Brandon Wheat Kings in Teulon.

Troy Johannesson scored a second-period goal for the Lightning, assisted by Preston Crate.

Wheat Kings' goals came from Loughlan McMullan (two), Liam Puichailo (two) and Lucas Newman.

Last Friday, Interlake was defeated 8-3 by the Eastman Selects in Teulon.

Cedrick Puffalt scored twice for the Lightning while Evan Deprez also tallied.

Eastman goals were scored by Cameron Sylvester (two), Calyb Moore, Noah St. Laurent, Ryan Reynolds, Easton Stoesz, Chase Holdnick and Nathan Forster.

Interlake will now play the Wheat Kings in a best-of-five playoff series.

Games 1 and 2 of the series will be played in Brandon on Thursday (7 p.m.) and Saturday (3 p.m.).

Game 3 is set for Sunday (3 p.m.) in Arborg. If necessary, Game 4 is slated for next Tuesday (7:30 p.m.) in Warren.

A series-deciding fifth game returns to Brandon on March 2 at 7:30 p.m.

The U15 Lightning, meanwhile, posted a 1-2 record in their B-side playoffs last weekend.

Interlake started action Friday with a 12-2 loss to the Winnipeg Thrashers Blue. Layne Stuart and Jacob Keck scored for the Lightning.

On Saturday, Interlake defeated the Norman Wolves 7-4.

Lightning goals were tallied by Ryder Kirk (four), Brody Slatcher, Madden Van Kemenade and Mason Bernier.

Owen Coe made 30 saves for the win.

Sunday saw Interlake lose 4-1 to the Central Plains Capitals. Kirk scored a third-period goal for the Lightning.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY LANA MEIER

Interlake Lightning goaltender Owen Coe made 35 saves in a 4-1 playoff loss to the Central Plains Capitals on Sunday.

Selene Wozney.

On Feb. 14, Interlake was edged 2-1 by Winnipeg.

Shelby Staples scored the Lightning's goal in the second period, assisted by Veronica Asquith and Barylski.

Haley Braun and Jacob replied for the Ice.

Meanwhile, Interlake's U18 male hockey team's season ended on Saturday with a 9-3 loss to the Winnipeg Bruins.

Talon Hogg, Joel MacMillan and

Blake Farthing scored for the Lightning.

Nick Giasson (two), Hayden Moore, Luke Wagner, Tyler Bernier, Tyson Vounot, Reeve Sukut, Nathan Brown and Peyton Allard replied for the Bruins.

The Lightning finished in ninth place in the 12-team league with an 18-23-0-3 record and 39 points.

Interlake was three points behind the Southwest Cougars for the eighth and final playoff spot.

U18 Lightning seasons end

By Brian Bowman

The Interlake Lightning lost 7-0 to the Winnipeg Ice in Manitoba U18 Female Hockey League playoff action on Sunday at the Scotiabank hockey for all centre.

Ice goals were scored by Stephanie Jacob (two), Alycia Ross (two), Ava Bergman, Katelin Moffatt and Kianna Saillant.

Winnipeg won the best-of-five series

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Last Friday in Warren, Interlake was beaten 4-1 by Winnipeg.

The Ice scored twice in the second period and then added two more goals in the third.

Brooke Barylski scored an unassisted goal in the third for the Lightning. Winnipeg goals were tallied by Ella Maternick, Ross, Annika Russell and

Maternick, Koss, Annika Kussell and

Stonewall Jets split weekend games in MMJHL action

Staff

The first-place St. James Jr. Canucks are a very good hockey team.

They proved that once again on Sunday evening.

St. James scored six third-period goals in a 12-2 victory over the visit-ing Stonewall Jets in MMJHL action.

Karson King and Raf Padua scored power-play goals for the Jets. St. James' goals came from Matthew Mason-Vandel (four), Rory Neill (four), Ashton Romaniuk (two), Tyrone Willan and Brady Whitely.

Last Friday, the Jets had a great 6-4 road victory over the Ft. Garry/Ft. Rouge Twins in Winnipeg.

Stonewall's Nathan Vigfusson and Michael Spence scored first-period goals.

Spence and Cole Emberly (short-handed) tallied in the second.

Tied at 4-4 in the third, Stonewall broke the game open with goals from Spence and King (empty net).

The Jets' Peyton Bateman had three assists in the game.

Twins' goals were scored by Carter Halamandaris (two), Declan Bowden (power play) and David Balshaw. Tucker St. John made 34 saves for the win.

Stonewall's next game is Friday against the Pembina Valley Twisters in Morris. On Sunday, the Jets will visit the River East Royal Knights. Puck drop for both games is 7:30

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Legion bonspiel returns after two-year hiatus



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The 18-team Legion Bonspiel was held last weekend at the Stonewall Curling Club. The A-side winner was Team Wasylik, pictured left to right, Janine Pruneau, Desneiges Pruneau, Joshua Harding and Zach Wasylik. The B-side winner included Team Good's rink of Blake Good, Dayna Lea, Autumn Good and John Good. Team Hatch, whose rink featured Julia Vincent, Reiss Pratt, Joey Hondz and Ben Hatch, was the C-side champion.

Warren Mercs sweep Notre Dame Hawks

Staff

The Warren Mercs made quick work of the Notre Dame Hawks in the first round of the South Eastern Manitoba Hockey League playoffs.

Warren swept the best-of-five series with a 5-3 home win last Wednesday. Braydon MacDonald gave Warren a 1-0 lead just 32 seconds into the game but Notre Dame's Eli Carels respond-

ed with a pair of goals to give the visitors a 2-1 lead after 20 minutes.a The Mercs' James Maxwell tied the

score with a goal at 14:17 of the middle frame and then MacDonald, Carson Ouellette and Chase Faulkner tallied in the third.

Hayden Dola stopped 19 Hawks' shots for the victory.

The Mercs took a 2-0 series lead with a 2-1 road victory in overtime on Feb.

13.

Drake Lindsay tallied the game winner in OT.

Jean Prejet scored to give Notre Dame a 1-0 first-period lead but Warren's Kyle Lundale replied with a goal midway in the second.

Dola made 23 saves for the win.

The schedule for the second round of the playoffs was not on the league website at press time.



The Interlake has a brand new volleyball club and the 13U girls' team won bronze at a 12-team Bisons tournament at the University of Manitoba on Feb 19. Interlake went undefeated in the round robin, lost in the semifinals, but defeated the Bisons in the bronze-medal game. The team, coached by Vanessa Chetyrbok and Kim Cassils, consists of players from Stonewall, Grosse Isle, Warren and Teulon. Pictured back row, left to right: Lyla Koch, Isla Gemmill, Payton Farthing, Mia Mederios, Ella Riddell, Emma Cassils and Kate Rawlings. Front row, left to right: Katie Atchison, Everly Sherry, Jordyn Chetyrbok and MacKenzie Boonstra.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY JO-ANNE PROCTER

Mercs' forward Chase Faulkner scored a goal and had an assist in Warren's 5-2 win over the Notre Dame Hawks in Game 3 of their first-round playoff series last Wednesday. Warren won the series 3-0.



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- Previous Administrative Assistant experience
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Inquiries and applications (cover letter and resume submitted in PDF format as one document) are to be submitted to Superintendent/CEO Margaret Ward at mward@isd21.mb.ca

Deadline for applications is Monday, February 27, 2023 - 12:00 noon.

Interlake School Division welcomes applications from Indigenous persons, members of visible minority groups and people with disabilities. Accommodations are available upon request during the assessment and selection process.

We thank all applicants for their interest. Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. Employment will be subject to satisfactory references, Criminal Record and Child Abuse Registry Checks.



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Jessie Kathleen (Cameron) McLean August 29, 1922 - February 12, 2023

Mom passed peacefully on Sunday, February 12 at Teulon Memorial Hospital where she had staved since September 15, 2022.

She leaves behind her two sons Danny and Lockie, daughter-in-law Diana (Mallon) McLean, son-in-law Ron Unger: eight grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by the accidental death of her son, lan, in 1975; her husband, Alex, in 2001 and her daughter, Heather, in 2021.

Mom met the love of her life, Alex, (Dad) and waited for him while he served overseas for four years in WW2. Upon his return from War's end, they married on March 23, 1946. Mom always said for that special day, it was beautiful and sunny, with no snow on the ground. They were soul mates and inseparable. They would old time dance in our small house with no music playing and us kids would just wonder what was going on.

Mom was born in Stonewall on 3rd St. West and lived her whole life on that same street. She was the youngest daughter of Paul Cameron and Jessie Kennedy (Welsh). Her's was a childhood of a different era. One of horseback riding without saddles and horse and wagon. Her's was a story of a loving, caring family. Her parents homesteaded in Stonewall before it was a town and she was so proud of her pioneer-like heritage.

She was a proud "Scot" and this was reinforced last year when Diana convinced her to have her DNA tested with the result being 98% pure Scottish and 2% Viking! Mom had a network of wonderful friends and neighbors who all shared in her story. This enriched her life and helped her stay happy and independent in her own house until June of last year. She then moved in with Diana and I and we were able to care for her until three days before her 100th birthday.

Visitors to Mom's home could never leave without her giving them a gift. Her passion was petit point in her early years, which was appreciated by many throughout the country. Her love of knitting included supplying "everyone" with mitts, toques, socks, scarfs, and slippers. In later years, her dish cloths were given to so very many family members, friends, and neighbors.

The family would like to thank her caring neighbors, the many home care workers, and the staff at Stonewall Hospital. A HUGE thank you though goes to the amazing and caring staff at Teulon Hunter Memorial Hospital!

Mom, we are so very grateful for having you in our lives and we are so very fortunate to have had you with us for so very long!

A celebration of life is planned for Sunday, February 26th from 2 to 5 p.m. at Stonewall Heritage Arts Centre.

In lieu of flowers, a contribution to the South West District Palliative Care would be appreciated.

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OBITUARY



Darlene McMaster August 16, 1944 - February 15, 2023

Our Mom has taught us that the most important thing in life is family. But not just the family that we are born into, but also the family that we invite into our lives. Our Mom, Darlene McMaster, peacefully passed away on February 15th surrounded by those she loved, her family.

Darlene was raised on a farm near Bowsman, Manitoba where she was surrounded many aunts, uncles and cousins. In fact, how many people can say that their best friends were also their cousins. Darlene's first cousin Clifford, affectionately called her Sam, much to her dismay. In fact, it took a lot of doing to convince her new friends in high school that her name was actually Darlene. In the spring of 1963 Darlene met the love of her life. It was thanks to her cousin Clifford, that Darlene met Wayne McMaster.

Clifford set up Wayne and Darlene on a blind date, that started a 57-year romance. When Darlene and Wayne were getting to know each other through letters, Darlene asked Wayne to send her a picture of himself. To Darlene's surprise, Wayne sent her a picture of himself - in his boat - about 50 meters away. Dad's excuse is that the telephoto lens was not invented yet.

On September 4, 1965, Darlene and Wayne were married. They ran a boarding house so Darlene could do what mattered the most to her; raise her children. Mom and Dad shared not only their house, but also their hearts, with the many young people who lived with them. In fact, they kept in contact with Maw, a young man from Malaysia who boarded with them over 54 years ago. Through the years, the boarders who rented rooms, became cousins who moved into Winnipeg to go to school. As Darlene and Wayne's family grew, and her cousins' found places of their own, Mom and Dad's house was still their meeting place. Our Mom had an uncanny sense of when to bake. Often Mom would just be pulling out a freshly baked cake from the oven, and in would walk her cousins. The coffee was put on, and the laughter and stories would start to flow. As children, we all loved lying in bed at night, listening to the laughter and stories taking place around our kitchen table.

As we grew into teenagers, our friends affectionately called Darlene their second Mom. If you were a friend of one of her children, she adopted you and you became the newest member of the McMaster family. Tom and Paul love to share stories of how they were instantly apart of the McMaster family.

Darlene was so excited when her children, Jana (Paul) Krowiak, Jolie (Tom) Tonner and Jeremy McMaster promoted her to Grandmother status with the birth of Kurtis (Krowiak), Shayla (Krowiak), Cade (Tonner), Ryler (Tonner), Kalennah (Tonner), Erika (McMaster), Karah (McMaster), and Isabella (McMaster). Being called Grandma was Darlene's favourite title. As a family, we often laugh that Darlene loved her children, but she adored her grandchildren!

Once Darlene and Wayne retired, they grew their snowbird wings and began to spend winters in the south. It was in the retirement parks where they lived during the winter months. They made new friends, who became their family in the south. Together, they hiked, toured, went to flea markets and dentist appointments in Mexico. Darlene's competitive spirit helped to crown her, Queen of the Shuffleboard. Darlene and Wayne loved their time in the south so much at they invited the friends and family from the North to join their new family in the South. Darlene and Wayne introduced them to all their new friends and taught them all the joys of southern living. Over the years, Wayne and Darlene travelled from Alaska to Newfoundland and everywhere in between, with their chosen family of friends.

Our Mom's faith was an integral part of who she was. As a young girl, her Grandma Ferriss helped instill in her, a faith in God that has supported her throughout her life. It was friendships found through church, bible study groups, and care groups in Canada and the US, who became our Mom's Faith family. Mom was often found volunteering at Take A Break in the nursery, (she even volunteered our Dad to help when more people were needed), as well as enjoying evenings with the seniors groups, and weekly Care Group get-togethers. Our mom never worried about what would happen after her time her on Earth was done. She knew the best was yet to come.

"I know the Lord is always with me. I will not be shaken, for he is right beside me." - Psalms 16:8 Darlene is survived by her husband, Wayne McMaster; children Jana (Paul) Krowiak, Jolie (Tom) Tonner, Jeremy McMaster; grandchildren Kurtis, Shayla (Patrick), Cade (Ainsley), Ryler, Kalennah, Erika, Karrah, and Isabella; brothers, Bryan (Donna) Ferriss, Blake Ferriss; brothers-in-law Jim (Helen) McMaster, Ken (Carol) McMaster and Keith (Rhonda) McMaster; and many nieces and nephews. Darlene was also blessed to have been survived by many great friends both here in Canada and in the United States, who cannot be named for fear of missing someone.

Waiting to welcome her in Heaven are her parents, Gordon and Pauline Ferriss; in-laws, John and Lucille McMaster and sister and brother-in-law Bev and Bill Barnstable.

Your memory will live forever Engraved within our hearts

We would like to thank Dr. Olayemi and all the kind and caring staff at Stonewall Hospital, who not only took care of our Mom, but also our family during this difficult time. Words cannot truly express the gratitude in our hearts.

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OBITUARY

Ivey Geraldine McNeill (nee Graham)

Peacefully on February 9, 2023 at the Stonewall Hospital, Ivey passed away at the age of 91 years. Graveside service will be held at a later date in the Elm Creek Cemeterv.

Memorial donations may be made to #1. Stonewall and Area Mobility Service, Box 250, Stonewall, MB R0C 2Z0; #2. IERHA, specifically earmarked to STAY in Stonewall for A. Stonewall Paramedic Service B. Stonewall and District Hospital; #3. Stonewall & District Lions Manor; #4.United Church of Canada or #5. charity of your choice but Ivey was especially interested in charities re: First Nations Education Funding.

The family would like to thank the following: all the drivers with SAMS, Stonewall Paramedic Service, Stonewall and District Hospital especially Erin, Kelty, Dr. Graham and Dr. Zahiri, Stonewall

and District Lions Manor and all her many friends made over the years here, way too many to name individually

Full obituary will follow at a later date.

Doyle's Funeral Home, Carman in care of arrangements www.doylesfuneralhome.ca

OBITUARY

Annie (Anne) Peleshaty (nee Kaschvshvn) May 23, 1927 - February 15, 2023

Peacefully, on February 15, 2023 at Arborg & District Health Centre, Anne Peleshaty, beloved mother, grandmother, and greatgrandmother, passed away at the age of 95 years.

Mom will be dearly missed by her children, Don (Ritma), Rose-Anne (Royden), David (Mary-Anne), Bonnie (Dany), and daughterin-law Roseline. She will be lovingly remembered by her eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Anne was predeceased by her husband John, son Tom, and her five siblings.

Anne grew up on a farm in Inwood, MB. She met and later married her husband John in 1945. Together, they farmed and eventually raised five children. We all enjoyed her cooking, baking, canning,

and most of her experimental recipes.

Mom would adopt anyone who came through the door, in hope that they were hungry, so she could fatten them up before sending them home.

Mom doted on her family, never missing a birthday or special occasion. Even in her 90s, she kept track of all the new family additions, noted on her big block calendar.

In summer, flowers were Mom's passion and she always enjoyed being surrounded by plants and blooms.

Her stories, jokes, and advice will be remembered, shared, and appreciated for generations to come.

We miss you already.

Funeral Services for Anne will be held at the Stonewall Christ the King Catholic Church at 315 - 2nd St. E. at 10:00 a.m., Friday, February 24, 2023 with viewing prior to the service. Interment to follow at Stonewall Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation toward the restoration of the Quarry Park Kilns, c/o Interlake Community Foundation.

Anne's family extend a sincere thank you to the many, daily Home Care workers and also to the amazing medical staff at Arborg and Stonewall Hospitals, who provided excellent care, until her passing.

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