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Jody Ansell with the antique manure spreader that belonged to her husband's grandparents. Ansell has transformed it into a flower bed.

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Blooming gardens thrive as pandemic leaves people with extra time

By Sydney Lockhart

Jody Ansell had her first summer off in many years due to the pandemic and decided to put her extra time and energy into her yard.

Ansell had always been a creative person, but when it came to her yard she was always working on pipelines and didn't have the time to plant and care for annual flowers.

"It's been great. I finally got to enjoy the yard," said 46-year-old Ansell, "I got to spend some time with my kids and stuff. They're both on their own now but it's nice to be at home because I travel so much."

Since her yard transformation this year, Ansell has had people stop to take photos of her yard or point out their favourite part.

"I like to paint and decorate. My mom has always been into antiques, so I grew up with a lot of them around," said Ansell.

An old rusted antique truck, with a bit of TLC, is filled with flowers and made into a feature point of the yard.

Antique farm equipment is scattered throughout the yard, many with plants and flowers decorating them.

The newest addition to the yard is a gazebo crafted out of an old grain bin.

"We had the idea and we just went with it," said Ansell, "We just finished it at the beginning of August."

The bin has been hauled from a farm that wasn't using it and placed on a round slab of concrete in Ansell's backyard.

The door and windows were cut out and reinforced by wood, and the western-style swinging doors at the entrance were repurposed from Fry-Days restaurant in Teulon.

"We had to buy granite counter tops so that way it would take the weather," said Ansell.

The granite was installed to create a bar area on the outside, then tractor seat stools were the finishing touch.

"Next summer if we're home, we'll probably use it all the time," she said.

Ansell said the hardest part was dismantling the grain bin at the farm. The rest of the ideas came from Pinterest.

The whole project took Ansell and her husband just two weeks.

"Whenever I want something done,



A birdhouse made by Ansell that she created using her late father's cowboy boot.



One of the newest additions to Ansell's yard is an old truck she converted into a flower bed.

I don't have patience. I want it now," said Ansell laughing.

An old manure spreader sits at the front of the property. Ansell said it used to be her husband's grandparents.

Ansell hopes to keep adding to her yard projects in the future, such as a bridge with a garden beneath it.

Almost all of the backyard proj-



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Jody Ansell with her newly installed grain bin gazebo. This gazebo was made by Ansell in the span of two weeks.



Ansell has transformed an antique manure spreader, which belonged to her husband's grandparents, into a flower bed.

ects Ansell has completed have been made from repurposed materials, including a birdhouse she made out of her late father's cowboy boot.

"Working in my yard this summer has not only kept me busy but gave me peace and tranquility during these uncertain times," she said.

Ansell said she used to put a lot of work into Halloween, spending thousands of dollars on animated decorations, but after being shot in the Las Vegas Strip shooting in 2017 and losing her father just three months prior,

Ansell says she gave up on it.

"It's just not the same."

She added that her yard has become the replacement project for her where she focuses her extra time and energy.

Around this time each year, Ansell usually travels down to Las Vegas for a reunion with the survivors and to complete the 4K run.

This year, due to COVID-19, she is participating in the virtual run.

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Town of Stonewall attains prestigious COR certification

By Jennifer McFee

The Town of Stonewall is earning recognition for its extensive efforts to keep employees safe.

On Sept. 17, the Manitoba Heavy Construction Association informed the town that it had attained COR certification, which acknowledges the creation and implementation of an employee safety program that meets the organization's rigorous standards.

In 2018, the town embarked on its efforts toward COR certification after recognizing that it needed to do more to protect its employees. Most of the changes focus on training and improved documentation.

"We want every one of our employees to go home safe every day and that has been the primary motivation for this initiative," said Mayor Clive Hinds.

"Obtaining COR certification through the process is simply icing on the cake."

Catherine Precourt is the manager at Quarry Park as well as one of the two designated internal safety auditors for the town.

"The town operation has gone through an extensive internal process," she said, "which included near-

ly two years of effort to review policy, update procedures and enhance safety documentation."

Teresa Taplin serves as the other internal safety auditor for the town.

"We started out with a safety program sitting in a binder on a shelf," she said. "Now we have an operational program that helps improve the safety of employees and the public."

According to the Manitoba Heavy Construction Association website, the COR (certificate of recognition) program is a "nationally recognized accreditation program that verifies implementation of a safety and health management system, which meets national safety standards for the construction industry."

It's not common for municipalities to achieve this status. Stonewall is the 11th municipality in Manitoba to achieve COR certification, and credit goes to council for providing the resources to move forward with an improved safety program.

In other council news:

- At the Sept. 16 meeting, Tim Comack of Ventura provided an update on the Renaissance project and future plans for residential multi-



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The Town of Stonewall attained COR certification, thanks to its employee safety program.

family development within it.

- Council started the process of developing a code of conduct bylaw, as required by the provincial government.

- Now that Thompson Dog Park is officially open, council has closed the off-leash area in Quarry Park. People can still take their pets to Quarry

Park, but they now must be on a leash.

- Deputy Mayor Peter Bullivant and Coun. Jackie Luellman will be members of the Board of Revision this year, along with citizen representative Glenn Leskiw.

- Residents are asked to wear a mask before entering any town facilities.



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Manitoba Public Insurance and RCMP focus on school zone safety

Enhanced enforcement in September

Staff

Manitoba Public Insurance is once again partnering with law enforcement agencies throughout the province to fund enhanced enforcement activities in and around schools over the month of September.

Now in its eighth year, MPI provides funding to assist three police agencies in enhancing their patrols around schools in the mornings and afternoons when pedestrian activity and traffic volumes are heaviest. Participating agencies this year are the RCMP, Winnipeg and Brandon police services.

Stonewall-Headingley RCMP Staff Sgt. Sean Grunewald reminds drivers to educate themselves where school zones are located and when speed limits are in effect within their respective communities.

"There will be zero tolerance for speeding in school zones. Children's safety is paramount," said Grunewald.

Enhanced enforcement can take place before, during or after classes in the designated school zone.

RCMP were out patrolling last week and will continue in October.

"It's important that drivers observe the speed limits and slow down. Reducing the vehicle's speed could save a life. Slowing down allows the driver to react quicker and reduces braking distance," said Satvir Jatana, vice-president of employee and community engagement for Manitoba Public

Insurance.

"Whether it's pedestrian traffic or parents dropping off their children, school zones can be very busy. Slowing down can make everyone safer."

During the campaign last year, nearly 600 speeding offence notices were handed out during this annual school safety initiative. Over the last five years, more than 5,000 provincial offence notices for various infractions — ranging from speeding to use of a hand-held electronic while driving to failure to stop at pedestrian crosswalks and other traffic control devices — have been issued to drivers.

Last year, participating police agencies monitored more than 100 different school locations in both urban and rural communities. Photo radar speed enforcement in school zones is not a part of this partnership initiative.

Important back-to-school safety tips

For drivers:

For drivers:

- Look well ahead to spot school buses and school zone signs; reduce speed in school zones, and wait for children to cross completely before



Sean Grunewald



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Motorists are being reminded to educate themselves where school zones are located and when speed limits are in effect.

proceeding.

- Stop at least five metres behind a school bus when the upper red lights are flashing, and do not proceed until the "Stop" sign is closed and the red lights stop flashing. Motorists travelling in both directions must stop for the school bus, except if the road is divided by a median.

- Scan under parked cars for the feet of children approaching traffic and make lane changes early to allow room for children on bicycles, skateboards or roller blades.

For parents:

- If you are driving your children to school, drop them off in a safe area,

away from traffic; use a designated drop-off zone, if the school has one.

- Talk to your children about traffic safety and the importance of staying alert to the traffic around them. This includes staying off cell phones and other electronic devices and being smart pedestrians.

For children:

- Cross only at intersections whenever possible, preferably at those controlled by patrols, signs or traffic control signs.

- When crossing the street, make eye contact with drivers to be sure you are seen and cross as quickly as possible to minimize time in the roadway.

Manitobans reminded minimum wage will increase Oct. 1

Submitted by Manitoba government

Manitoba Finance reminds Manitobans the minimum wage will increase by 25 cents to \$11.90 Oct. 1.

The increase of 25 cents per hour will raise the current minimum wage to \$11.90 from \$11.65. This adjustment is based on Manitoba's 2019 inflation rate of 2.2 per cent, rounding up to the

nearest five cents.

Budget 2019 implemented the reduction of the sales tax rate to seven per cent from eight per cent, effective July 1, 2019. This broad-based tax cut benefits all Manitoba families and businesses, with an estimated total savings of \$325 million in the first full year and growing in each subsequent

year. On July 1, 2020, Manitoba eliminated the sales tax on property insurance premiums, saving families and businesses an additional \$75 million.

Manitobans also continue to benefit from the indexation of the Basic Personal Amount and the provincial income tax brackets since 2017. Since indexation began, an estimated 7,720

Manitobans have been removed from the tax rolls and the cumulative maximum tax savings from the 2017 tax year to 2019 tax year is \$253.

Information on the minimum wage and other employment standards is available at www.gov.mb.ca/labour/standards.



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Local man documenting the history of Woodlands

By Evan Matthews

Society's perception of history is only as good as its records, and a man in Woodlands is working to ensure the record is up to date.

Bryan Myskiw said after reading a couple of local historical accounts with his grandmother, she was of the opinion the records could use some updating.

"She said people had been talking about updating the history books here for 15 or more years," said Myskiw.

"In one of the older books, I came across a quote from the editor: 'It is our regret that this book wasn't compiled at an earlier date, the past would have been much easier to describe if many of our pioneers were still with us,'" he said.

With an aging population and keeping a previous editor's regret in mind, Myskiw said he has set out to get an accurate depiction of the RM's past.

Myskiw said he will start by focusing on compiling historical information regarding individual family histories, clubs, organizations and businesses with more topics to be announced at a later date, he said.

"It's going to be quite a large, all-encompassing book," said Myskiw, adding the aim is about 450 pages. "It's

going to be a hybrid between a coffee table-style book with colour photos and that, and a history book with a fair bit of text."

With no historical publication about the RM since "yesteryear," Myskiw said his goal is to paint a picture of the RM so clear that no one will forget.

"As a child, I remember a time when the August harvest brought with it endless tandem trucks, lining the local elevators bringing loads of wheat, golden and warm from the heat of the final days of summer.

"Local personalities became characters in a story of the horizon filled land. Memories filled with ice cream cones on Sundays or entering a lowly lit, smoke-filled store to find a man perched on a chair near the till," said Myskiw, in the book's preface.

"Though certainly not every moment can be recalled with such fondness, it is a reflection of growing up in the Rural Municipality of Woodlands somewhere between 1980 and 2020.

"It is that sense of community for me that has always amazed me. The small-town gossip and the gatherings of people that bring a celebration of life to the Canadian prairies," he said.

From the RM's perspective, the book is something to get excited about, es-

pecially given the plans to celebrate Manitoba 150 have changed substantially due to COVID-19, according to councillor and chairperson of the local celebrations Orval Procter.

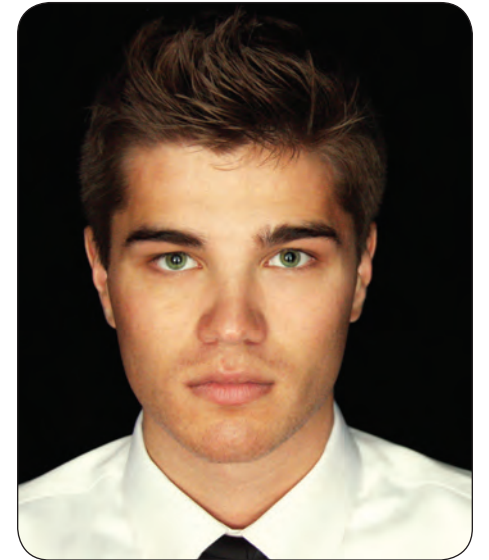
The RM has acquired grant money for celebrations that may or may not happen (to the same extent), according to Procter, meaning the book could be a creative replacement and way of celebrating the province and the RM.

"So many people have passed away in our community over the past year and a half; people who could have been major contributors to local stories," said Procter.

"Council had expressed some of this history should be written down, and Bryan approached us expressing interest in doing it.

"We feel it's so important to have that history written down, preserved and kept," he said.

By the end of September, Myskiw said RM residents should receive a notice in their mailbox, advising them the RM is working to compile historical information.



SUBMITTED BY BRYAN MYSKIW

Bryan Myskiw wants to ensure the RM of Woodlands' history is preserved, and he has the support of council. His aim is for a release date of December 2021.

The plan, according to Myskiw, is to release the book for Christmas 2021 through the RM office.

Rosser council news in brief

By Jennifer McFee

• At the Sept. 8 meeting, council hosted a public hearing regarding a conditional use request from Kurt McCullagh and Arnason Industries Ltd. to allow an addition to a commercial building on PTH 101.

• The RM of Rosser will enter into an agreement with Sandbox Design & Consulting regarding municipal engineering services.

• The RM will also enter into an agreement with Steele Business Park regarding legal and engineering fees.

• The 2020 Board of Revision will be made up of Reeve Frances Smee as presiding officer, as well as Ward 1, 2 and 3 councillors and Bob Brown as members. CAO Larry Wandowich will be secretary for the Board of Revision.

• Council accepted proposals for services provided by Stantec Consulting Ltd. for a CentrePort wastewater servicing study at a cost of \$28,690 plus tax and a CentrePort water system modelling study at a cost of \$24,300 plus tax. Both ex-

penses will be funded by the capital levy reserve.

• Council approved a culvert crossing onto Road 9E. The applicant must cover the costs of supplies and installation.

• Council approved work a request from Manitoba Hydro to install electric and gas service for Phase 2 at BrookPort.

• Council approved an application for widening and relocating one driveway access on to Road 9E, subject to approval from administration and the municipal engineer. Only one driveway is allowed on the property, and the applicant must cover the cost of supplies and installation.

• Council conditionally approved a request from Lilyfield Quarry to remove topsoil from quarter sections. The applicant must maintain long-term weed control on the land.

• The RM of Rosser earned the Provincial Cup from the Manitoba Good Roads Association for having the overall best roads within its five-district area. Rosser won the same title in 2010, 1986, 1981 and 1979. The RM also tied for the title in 2000.

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COVID numbers continue to climb in Manitoba

Staff

The current five-day COVID-19 test positivity rate is 1.8 per cent and 22 new cases of the virus have been identified as of 9:30 a.m. Monday, bringing the number of cases in Manitoba to 1,608.

Public health officials are also reporting two new deaths: a male in his 80s from the Southern Health-Santé Sud health region and a female in her 80s from the Prairie Mountain Health region. This brings the total number of deaths to 18.

The data shows Interlake-Eastern region with a total of 18 active cases, 86 recovered and no deaths. Currently there is one active case in the Beausejour district, four in Fisher/Peguis, two in Powerview/Pine Falls, two in Springfield, five in Stonewall/Teulon, three in Winnipeg Beach/St. Andrews and one in an unknown district.

The data also shows:

- 363 active cases and 1,227 individuals have recovered from COVID-19;
- eight people are in hospital and two people in intensive care; and
- the number of deaths due to COVID-19 is 18.

Case investigations continue and if a public health risk is identified, the public will be notified. Confirmed laboratory testing numbers show 1,626 tests were completed on Friday, 1,425 tests were completed on Saturday and 1,116 tests were completed on Sunday, bringing the total number of lab tests completed since early February to 166,998.

Public health officials have sent a

letter to parents about a possible exposure to COVID-19 at Collège Garden City Collegiate on Sept. 14-16. The school is working closely with public health officials and following their recommendations. Based on the public health investigation, this exposure was assessed to be low risk. At this time, no close contacts in the classrooms have been identified at Garden City Collegiate. No one is required to self-isolate from this exposure. The school will remain open to students and staff, who can continue to attend school in person. The site is not being elevated on the Pandemic Response System, given the low risk and lack of close contacts.

Public health officials have sent a letter to parents about a possible exposure to COVID-19 in the school portable at Meadows School in Brandon on Tuesday, Sept. 15 and Wednesday, Sept. 16. The school is working closely with public health officials and following their recommendations. This case was not acquired at school. Public health has recommended that all students and staff in the same room as the case be identified as close contacts and advised to self-isolate. This class has been transitioned to remote learning as of today. The school will remain open to all other students and staff, who can continue to attend school in person.

Public health is also advising of possible exposures to COVID-19 at the following sites on the dates and times:

- Planet Fitness at 783 Leila Ave. in Winnipeg on Tuesday, Sept. 15 from 3

to 4 p.m.;

- 7 Arabian Dreams at 775 Corydon Ave. in Winnipeg on Friday, Sept. 18 from 11 p.m. to 2 a.m. and Sunday, Sept. 20 from 12:45 to 1 a.m.; and

- Winnipeg Transit, route #14 on Sept. 15 from Ellice Avenue and Spence Street at 11:10 a.m. to St. Mary Avenue at 11:30 a.m.

There has been a concerning increase in the number of cases in Winnipeg, with many cases having large numbers of close contacts. Recent success in the Prairie Mountain Health region shows that focusing on the fundamentals can reduce the transmission of COVID-19. The chief provincial public health officer strongly encourages residents of and visitors to Winnipeg to focus on these fundamentals to help stop the spread of COVID-19.

People must stay home if sick. Wash/sanitize your hands, cover your cough and physically distance when you are with people outside your household. If you cannot physically distance, you should wear a mask to help reduce your risk. Reduce the number of close contacts outside your household, and avoid closed-in or crowded spaces.

Unless recommended by public health officials, only individuals experiencing COVID-19 symptoms should go for testing. Individuals with symptoms are asked to seek testing as soon as possible once symptoms are present. Employers are asked to only send employees for testing if they have symptoms or if testing has been recommended by public health officials.

letter to the editor

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- Ross Thompson

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Red Planet at best in October

By Ted Bronson

After several months of anticipation, sky watchers and amateur astronomers now have a front row seat to the best appearance of the Red Planet Mars since July 2018.

Mars oppositions (when Earth catches up to and passes closest to Mars) happens about every 26 months. However, these oppositions are not all the same. Every 15 or 17 years we experience exceptional oppositions (known as a perihelic opposition) where Earth passes much closer to Mars than usual. This is due to the shape of Mars' orbit around the sun. The last perihelic opposition was that of July 2018. This year Mars comes to opposition on Oct. 13, at which time it will be 62,069,570 kilometres distant. The 2018 opposition was 4.5 million kilometres closer to Earth but Mars was quite low above our horizon (15°) when highest. This fact meant the light coming from the Red Planet had to pass through more of our atmosphere blurring its image despite the larger angular diameter of the planet at that time. This time Mars is a bit farther away but will appear higher in the sky at maximum altitude (nearly 45°) and a brightness of -2.6. The best perihelic opposition of Mars occurred at the end of August 2003 when it was 57.6 million kilometres distant and achieved a magnitude of -2.9. This was the closest that the Red Planet had approached Earth in nearly 60,000 years!

By midmonth Mars rises just after

sunset in the east. Its bright rusty red colour makes it easy to identify against the much fainter stars in the constellation of Pisces. For a couple of weeks around opposition Mars will outshine any other nighttime object except the Moon and Venus!

A telescope will easily reveal the rusty coloured disc of the planet. Even under good conditions most of the surface features, appearing as light and dark markings, are very subtle sights. Patience is always a virtue when it comes to planetary observing. Colour filters will help bring out various surface features as well as cloud and frost formations by increasing their contrast. The south polar cap should be prominent even in smaller telescopes. My suggestion is to be seated at the eyepiece and wait for those valuable moments of steady seeing which will reward you with finer details.

Once the sun goes down, the two largest planets will dominate the southern evening sky throughout October.

The bright yellow colour of Jupiter is easy to spot in the constellation of Sagittarius. Jupiter fades slightly throughout October from magnitude -2.4 to -2.2. A telescope of any size will show the four bright moons of the giant planet. Their relative positions change noticeably hour to hour. Jupiter's two dark equatorial bands are easily seen as well.

Scan a little to the left of Jupiter and look for a yellowish "star." This will be the ringed planet Saturn

also in the constellation Sagittarius. It is smaller and much farther from us than Jupiter therefore fainter at magnitude 0.5 in brightness. Despite the pleasing background of stars the best views of Saturn come through a telescope. Since Saturn is still high enough once darkness falls, there is still an opportunity to view the planet with a telescope. You will not be disappointed. Saturn hosts a large family of moons and the rings are presented northern side towards us tilted at 21°. Look for a dark band in the ring structure. This is known as Cassini's Division. As Saturn moves around the sun in its orbit, the rings will seem to disappear in 2025 as we view them edge on from our location on Earth. Jupiter moves faster around the sun catching up to Saturn. By the end of December, these two planets will be very close as seen in the night sky (about five minutes or 1/12 degree).

The full moon will pass very close by the Red Planet the night of Oct. 2-3. The waning crescent moon can be found just above Venus before sunrise on the 13th. The next day before the sun rises the moon has moved to a point below and to the left of Venus. The waxing crescent moon forms a triangle in the night sky with the planets Jupiter and Saturn on Oct. 22.

Clear Skies

Ted Bronson is an avid local astronomer who has been observing the sky since 1964. This column "Guide to the Galaxy" appears monthly in the Tribune.

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Manitoba waives emergency measures exercise requirements

By Evan Matthews

The Province of Manitoba has waived its requirement for RMs to exercise its emergency measures protocols, but that doesn't mean RMs won't practice anyway.

In the Interlake, both the RMs of Woodlands and Armstrong have been busy ensuring emergency measure

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Lake Manitoba Narrows gets fresh filleting facility

By Evan Matthews

Fishers can look forward to a functional and odour-free experience when cleaning their fish at The Narrows.

The Lake Manitoba Narrows Game and Fish Club installed a new filleting facility over the September long weekend. The old facility was destroyed in a 2019 summer storm and club member Warren Stevenson came up with a new design.

"It's an open-air concept, which makes it easy to clean and won't have the odour of an 1800s fishing vessel," said club treasurer Dwayne Germaine.

"It's not only practical, but it's mobile. Water will be used from the lake, using a garden hose and a small, battery powered pump."

Solar panels will be installed to keep the batteries charged, he added.

The reason for ensuring its mobility, according to Germaine, is to provide flexibility down the road if it needs to be moved. The hope, however, is it will remain at its current location on the south side of Highway 68, in the large

parking lot outside of the lodge.

Trailers have been placed on each side of the filleting facility, which can be towed by truck to the nearby woods. Germaine said this will ensure the fish remains will go back to nature and wild animals in the area.

The project's budget was roughly \$2,000, according to Germaine, and is already receiving positive reviews from users.

"I couldn't believe the number of comments from people," said Germaine. "It's quite obvious it's going to work very well."

The RM of West Interlake donated \$250 to the project, with Reeve Arnthor Jonasson commending the community group for getting the project completed.

"It's a useful facility for The Narrows to have. The old facility was old, and despite it being destroyed, quite a few people expressed the need for a new one," said Jonasson.

"It's a worthwhile endeavour, and we're happy to donate and support a community organization bettering the community."



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The new filleting facility at The Narrows was installed by volunteers over the September long weekend. It features two accessible sides with trailers, so fish remains can be towed by truck and dumped in nearby woods.

Germaine thanked the RM of West Interlake, private businesses for donations to the club, and its own volunteers for time and energy, as he said the new facility wouldn't have been

possible without all involved.

The Lake Manitoba Narrows Game and Fish Club is a non-profit community group led by volunteers in the area.

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protocol is up to date, and Woodlands Reeve Lori Schellekens said the RM intends to continue its preparation for worst-case scenarios.

"We didn't get through our entire tabletop exercise originally, but all (of council) felt more comfortable knowing

that with the training they could handle something if it came," said Schellekens.

The RM will continue its tabletop exercise at some point in the near future, likely at the Warren Multi-Purpose. Council has yet to set a date, she added.

"We're lucky we haven't had to deal with any flooding or anything this year with everything else that's going on. But you don't ever want to be caught unprepared, really," she said.

Though Armstrong Reeve Susan Smerchanski could not be reached by press time, Armstrong did hold an EMO meeting and tabletop exercise on Aug. 10 at the Fraserwood Hall.

On Aug. 14 the Provincial Department of Infrastructure announced the Emergency Measures Organization would be suspending the requirement for municipal emergency coordinators and chief administrative officers to conduct

their usually mandatory annual exercises.

The announcement comes as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, according to the province.

"This is primarily intended for functional and full-scale exercises where physical distancing requirements can make their conduct challenging, but extends to tabletop exercises as well," the statement reads.

"We encourage you to consider conducting tabletop exercises if possible," it goes on, later emphasizing the need for appropriate COVID-19 risk reduction measures.

Coming in December, the province will make its decision on whether or not the suspension will extend to 2021.

In 2019, both the RMs of Woodlands and Armstrong conducted similar full-scale exercises in which tanker trucks filled with either explosive or toxic materials had overturned, creating hypothetical emergencies in the respective communities.

After the hypothetical emergency was in full swing, municipal emergency co-ordinators with the help of their council, fire department and the province, would set up an Emergency Operations Centre to best deal with the situation as it evolved.

"Without these exercises, how else do you prepare?" Schellekens asked.

"You never know what's going to happen, but we're going to be ready."



TEMPORARY INTERRUPTION OF X-RAY SERVICE

Stonewall and District Health Centre

X-ray equipment at Stonewall and District Health Centre is being replaced with new equipment that is expected to be operational by the end of November 2020. In the interim, individuals who have been referred for a non-urgent X-ray may take their requisition to any X-ray facility during hours of operation. Visit <https://sharedhealthmb.ca/services/diagnostic/locations/> to search for facilities with X-ray services.

Patients who call 911 and require emergency or urgent care will be transported by ambulance to the most appropriate emergency department for assessment. Patients who visit the Stonewall and District Health Centre's emergency department will be assessed and triaged by the emergency physician. If an urgent X-ray is required, patients will be transported or referred to the appropriate X-ray facility.

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Interlake couple celebrating 60 years of marriage

By Sydney Lockhart

Last Thursday Linda and Wally Finnbogason celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary with their family at a backyard barbecue.

"The day we got married, we were at the Lutheran church between Arborg and Riverton. It was almost 80 degrees," said Linda Finnbogason.

She said there was around 100 people in attendance at their wedding and that she had three bridesmaids.

"We went to the same school and we only lived a mile apart," said Finnbogason, "I was in Grade 4 and Wally was in Grade 5 when we met."

She added that she and Wally always had similar interests drawing them together.

"We've had a great life together. We had three kids and they all got married and we had six grandchildren and now seven great-grandkids."

In their spare time, Linda and Wally love horseback riding and snowmobiling. Even at 78 and 80 years old, they get on their horses as often as they can.

They have taught their grandchildren and great-grandchildren to ride as well on the family farm, making it a family hobby.

"We do everything together. I don't tractor pull but I watch him all the

time and I've never missed one. We've been compatible since the beginning," she said.

Linda and Wally sit at the table and have breakfast every morning together, coffee and toast over the newspaper, chatting about the weather and their plans for the day.

"We've just had a very simple life," said Linda.

The couple has travelled together to Iceland, the East Coast, Florida and many more places. If they can, they ride horses along their travels.

They have also been active contributors to the annual Ride for a Child's Wish charity event, Wally taking it upon himself to collect donations every year.

Out of the 31 years the event has run, the Finnbogasons have only missed two. The couple say that they will ride horses in the fundraiser until they aren't able to.

Wally had some advice for newlyweds that he believes is the key to a happy and long marriage.

"We don't argue. We talk through any issue that's pressing. We don't yell, shout or anything. We always get along. We both like what we're doing together," he said.

The couple had a backyard barbecue with their family to celebrate the



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Wally, 80, and Linda, 78, Finnbogason spend as much time as possible horseback riding.

milestone, where they had sausages, hamburgers and cupcakes decorated into their family tree.

"I think we're fortunate that her and I are healthy enough to get that far,"

said Wally.

Both Wally and Linda's parents made it to their 60th anniversary as well.

2020 Rescue on the Island a success

Submitted by Chad Saxon

While they may have been small in number, the participants in the seventh annual STARS Rescue on the Island proved to be mighty when it comes to fundraising as the trio of participants raised more than \$223,000.

Taking on the Rescue on the Island challenge Sept. 9 were:

- Al Babiuk — president and CEO, Loewen Windows and Doors
- Bernhard Teichroeb — sales and project manager, Wiebe's Steel Structures, Morden
- Sarah Normandeau — councillor, RM of Ste. Anne/recreational services manager, Town of Ste. Anne

The three participants were stranded on an island in Whiteshell Provincial Park and to secure their "rescue" and return to civilization, they were challenged to fundraise as much as possible using their mobile phones and personal and corporate networks.

To allow the event to proceed during the pandemic, several safety protocols were put in place including a reduction in participants, STARS staff and volunteers taking part, social distanc-

ing and the wearing of masks.

"With the global pandemic making the world of fundraising significantly more difficult, we were absolutely thrilled and inspired by how well our participants did this year," said Colleen Mayer, STARS' director of development, Manitoba.

"Since it began in 2013, Rescue on the Island has raised more than \$1.5 million in support of STARS' life-saving work in the province. While we appreciate each of those dollars, the funds raised this year will hold a special place in the history of our event."

While stranded on the island, each individual participated in a series of challenges, including a simulated medical scenario and survival challenge. Throughout the day they also had the opportunity to learn more about the services STARS provides to Manitobans and the challenges faced by the STARS medical and aviation crew.

"I took part in Rescue on the Island to give back in some small way for the role STARS played in saving my daughter's life a few years back," said



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2020 Rescue on the Island participants, left to right: Sarah Normandeau, Bernhard Teichroeb and Al Babiuk.

Teichroeb.

"Because of the size of Manitoba, it's critical that when someone is injured in a remote area they get to hospital as soon as they can. I would encourage others to support because you may

need them one day.

STARS brought in a backup helicopter for this event, leaving the active on-duty aircraft mission ready at the Winnipeg base.



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Warren rink edges closer to completion

By Jennifer McFee

The community is rallying together to work on the outdoor rink in Warren — and even more involvement would be welcome.

Kelly Kimball, recreation director for the Rosser Woodlands Recreation Commission, explained that hockey players and other students from Warren Collegiate Institute helped take down the previous rink last year. Then a team of volunteers moved the wood to its new location for reassembly.

"The location of the arena was too cold and too distant, so we had been using the tennis courts at the high school and they were getting ruined. So we decided to move it back so the community could use it," she said.

"It's taken a little while to get some momentum and volunteers, but now I've got a good group who've been working on reassembling it using their construction skills. We have the structure almost done, and now we're just finishing up some of the netting and the trim."

The work is progressing as planned, yet there are still plenty of ways to get involved.

"We're getting to the point where we want to get the community more involved in maintenance and upkeep. We hope they'll understand that financially the community has to take care of it," she said.

"It's nice when there are commu-



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY KELLY KIMBALL

Community involvement is needed for the Warren rink's maintenance and upkeep.

nity groups that are eager, but money is always an issue too. So I'm looking to get people to become members or make donations."

The rink will provide an opportunity for outdoor activity, which is particularly important during this pandemic period.

"Especially with COVID, there are lots of people who struggled with loss of jobs and needing to social distance. The way I see this, it's a double win — something free and something for the kids," Kimball said.

"Many communities I've spoken to have had a lot of vandalism and general littering throughout the summer. So I'm thinking giving these kids something else to do is probably the best option."

Anyone who would like more information or to get involved in the project can contact Kimball by email at rosserwoodlandsrec@mymts.net or call 204-461-4040. They can also send a message through the Rosser Woodlands Recreation Commission's Facebook page.

Local chef prepares gourmet

By Jo-Anne Procter

Local chef Abbey McLeod's passion for cooking and flair for creativity impressed diners at her first solo pop-up dinner held at Quarry Park Heritage Arts Centre last Saturday.

An impressive four-course menu started with roasted butternut squash soup with maple infused ricotta, toasted pumpkin seeds and sage oil, followed by smoked Gouda and wild mushroom arancini with sundried tomato pesto, chiffonade basil and candied walnuts complimented with beet chips.

For the entree, pan-seared honey balsamic herbed chicken breasts served with smoky roasted baby potatoes, grilled candied garden carrots and sauteed broccolini. White chocolate cheesecake with blackberry coulis, lemon curd rosemary shortbread crumble and fresh glazed blackberries for dessert completed the dinner.

McLeod has another sold-out dinner

booked for November and is currently planning one for January.

For more information, McLeod can

be reached through her business Prairie Fusion on Facebook and Instagram.



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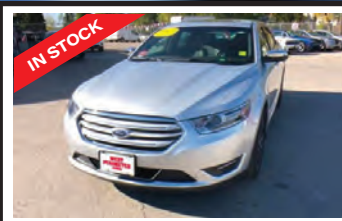
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Stonewall man seeks info about stolen truck

By Jennifer McFee

A Stonewall man is seeking information after his truck was stolen and set on fire last week.

Aaron Ansell said his 2018 Chevy Silverado Duramax was stolen on Sept. 14 from the street in front of his home on 4th Street N.

"Monday at 2:56 a.m. is when my neighbour's camera saw the truck leaving my yard. At 5:07 the police got a call that there was a fire east of Subway. It ended up being my truck," he said.

"It's burnt to a crisp. There are no fingerprints, no nothing. So now it's just me dealing with Autopac."

RCMP confirmed that the truck was reported stolen on Sept. 14 at 11:50 a.m.

"The keys were reported to have been left in the vehicle. The theft occurred sometime overnight as the truck was located that morning at 5:05 a.m. when a call was received of a fire on the old rail line near 4th Street E.

The caller originally thought a residence was on fire, but officers located the pickup fully involved upon arrival," said RCMP spokesperson Sgt. Paul Managire.

"No injuries were reported and the matter is still under investigation."

Ansell has been pounding the pavement in an effort to gather information, as well as surveillance camera footage, related to the incident.

"I assume it was kids wandering around town, checking for vehicles that were locked or unlocked. If it was unlocked, they would go in and take your pocket change. I'm assuming I left my truck unlocked — but I had spare keys in my console," he said.

"It's kind of pointless to steal a truck for only two hours and then burn it. They didn't steal my tools. There's a slip tank in the back worth \$1,500 and they didn't take that. They didn't really take anything a thief would take."

He's also on the lookout for a few of his smaller belongings that the cul-



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Aaron Ansell's 2018 Chevy Silverado Duramax was stolen on Sept. 14, and he's hoping someone might have some information to share.

prits may have taken.

"There were a few items in my truck that I would assume they took and I'm watching for them in town," he said. "They're pretty obvious items."

Ansell had insurance on the vehicle, but he's concerned that the amount offered by Manitoba Public Insurance won't be enough to cover the cost of replacing his truck.

Anyone with information can contact the local RCMP detachment. To submit an anonymous tip, contact Crime Stoppers toll-free at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or text "TIPMAN" plus your message to CRIMES (274637). People who provide tips to Crime Stoppers can earn a cash reward for information that leads to an arrest.

Manitoba home sales continue at a strong pace in August

Submitted Manitoba Real Estate Assoc.

Following consecutive months of record sales activity in Manitoba, August was yet another busy month in the province's housing market, the Manitoba Real Estate Association (MREA) announced on Sept. 16.

"Spring is the busiest season typically in the real estate market; however, following the slowdown in late March and April due to COVID-19, the summer months have had the highest level of activity this year," said MREA president Glen Tosh. "Year-to-date sales have surpassed last year and we're seeing a competitive market for buyers."

In total, 1,955 residential properties sold in August, up 29.6 per cent over August 2019. These sales accounted for \$605.8 million in total dollar vol-

ume, an increase of 42 per cent over the same month last year.

As well, 2,060 sold in July, totalling \$637 million. This marked the highest level of residential sales in a single month over the past 40 years.

"While strong sales activity over the summer months is good news for sellers and those considering selling, current market conditions may be more challenging for buyers looking to purchase," said Tosh.

"This is because new listings have not come to market at the same rate as the rebound in sales and buyers need to understand how to navigate potential multiple offer situations in a competitive market."

Year-to-date residential sales totalling 11,138 is up 6.6 per cent over last year. However, 17,865 new listings in Manitoba is down 8.7 per cent this year, meaning 1,697 fewer properties have been placed on the market.



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The strong housing market in Manitoba could be reflective of the great communities and neighbourhoods we have in the province.

"In addition to the pent-up demand created by the spring slowdown, we

believe COVID-19 has led to greater demand for homes that offer living space to accommodate families working from home and home-schooling during these extraordinary times," said Tosh.

"It is also conceivable due to COVID-19 that some potential sellers may have decided this year to stay in their current home."

"The current state of the real estate market is reflective of the fact so many of our communities and neighbourhoods in Manitoba are great places to live and own a home."

For monthly residential market statistics, please visit <https://realestate-manitoba.com/monthly-market-statistics.html>.



WEARING A MASK IN PUBLIC

As cases of COVID19 continue to increase in Manitoba the Town of Stonewall Council would remind everyone that wearing a mask in public can help reduce your chances of getting and spreading COVID19. For your safety, as well as the safety of Town Staff and other residents, please ensure you are wearing a mask whenever you are unable to maintain physical distancing and before entering all Town indoor facilities.

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Age Friendly plans walk for wellness

By Jennifer McFee

Age Friendly Stonewall-Rockwood has pivoted its plans since the group now needs to postpone its wellness expo due to the pandemic.

Originally planned for Thursday, Oct. 1, the expo was going to coincide with the United Nations International Day of Older Persons and the World Health Organization's implementation of the Decade of Healthy Ageing endorsed by the 73rd World Health Assembly.

Chairperson Joie Van Dongen said that COVID put an end to their plans.

"Perhaps this lack of wellness has put us in this pandemic and has made this pandemic so serious," she said.

"COVID-19 has emphasized the need to be healthy and The Decade of Healthy Ageing (2020-2030) is an opportunity to bring together governments, civil society, international agencies, professionals, academia, the

media and the private sector for 10 years of concerted, catalytic and collaborative action to improve the lives of older people, their families, and the communities in which they live."

Instead of hosting its wellness expo, Age Friendly will instead host a simple outdoor wellness activity on Oct. 1 between 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m.

All are welcome to join the group for a social walk while maintaining physical distance. Participants are asked to wear bright colours as well as a mask if they are unable to keep six feet of physical distance.

The walk will start at Centre Avenue and Main Street to South Interlake 55+ at 374 1st Street West, where participants can watch for line dancers.

Then the group will travel west on 1st Avenue South, cross 5th Street West at a lighted crosswalk and loop around the Lions Manor through the parking lot, where they can listen for

music.

After that, they'll travel east on Centre Avenue back to 5th Street West and along the trail to 1st Avenue North, where they'll turn east. They'll walk around Rosewood Lodge, where they can watch for a wooden sword presentation.

To wind up the route, the walkers will continue east down 1st Avenue North to Something Beautiful, where they might opt to indulge in a snack.

The event will be cancelled if it's raining or if outside public gatherings are limited to 10 people.

Van Dongen notes that healthy aging is the process that enables well-being in older age.

"This includes a person's ability to meet their basic needs; to learn, grow and make decisions; to be mobile; to build and maintain relationships; and to contribute to society," she said.

"Well-being at all ages includes

three features of health: physical, mental and emotional/spiritual."

Physical health includes tending medical needs, getting proper rest, exercising and eating nutritious foods.

Mental health can include life-long learning, mental exercise, hobbies and tackling technology.

Emotional or spiritual health can include communication, advocating for those in need or asking for help, socializing in small groups with family or friends, and donating time or expertise to a good cause.

To maintain well-being during the pandemic, Van Dongen encourages everyone to know the three Ws: wear a mask, wait your turn six feet apart, and wash your hands often and completely.

For more information about Age Friendly Stonewall-Rockwood or about the Oct. 1 wellness walk, call 204-467-5486.

Mask straps



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Nine-year-old Addy Meier made a donation of \$100 to K9 advocates, a non-profit dog rescue, this past weekend. Her donation is a portion of money she has made filling orders for personalized custom made mask straps. The straps are beaded and connect to your mask so it is always handy. The cost per strap is \$10 and Meier is still taking orders; however, the turn-around time isn't as quick since school has started. If you are interested in placing an order, she can be reached at strapplesandbananas@gmail.com.

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New home announced for Selkirk area paramedics

By Katelyn Boulanger

Health, Seniors and Active Living Minister Cameron Friesen along with MLA Dr. Alan Lagmodiere announced the construction of a new Emergency Medical Services (EMS) station in Selkirk, on Sept. 16.

"Redevelopment of the emergency medical services program remains an integral part of establishing a more responsive, more reliable, more professional EMS service and that is why we're happy to be here today in the City of Selkirk to announce a new EMS facility to be built right here in Selkirk. It will help in those efforts to make a strong stable EMS service here in Interlake-Eastern Regional Health Authority," said Friesen.

The new station will be a 7,500-square-foot facility, which will be constructed next to the old Selkirk hospital. It will have a six-bay garage, offices, crew quarters and a space for paramedic training.

"It acts essentially as an operational home for the paramedics who are stationed in this area. Throughout their shifts, paramedics are repositioned so they aren't here all the time but they are using a globally recognized flexible dispatch model that allows

computer modelling and predictive deployment to ensure that they are in the right place to respond well across the region and that helps us to keep wait times down," said Friesen.

The total investment in the new facility is \$4.2 million and construction of the facility took no time beginning to begin breaking ground on Sept. 17.

"This process actually began a lot of years ago with the envisioning of a new health centre in Selkirk replacing [the old Selkirk hospital]. Because the ambulance station is integrated with the old hospital, of course, there had to be plans put in place for how we would take care of the infrastructure in the future and today marks the start of that structure coming to be. We're so pleased," Ron Janzen, acting CEO of

IERHA said.

The new Selkirk hospital opened just over three years ago to serve the region and Janzen says that this EMS station will be similar describing it as a regional emergency ambulance superstation.

"Something that people say about our health-care system is that it's there for you when you need it and when you really need it is in emergency circumstances and this type

"HIS TYPE OF INFRASTRUCTURE WILL ENSURE THAT OUR REGION HAS AN EMERGENCY RESPONSE WHEN YOU NEED AN EMERGENCY RESPONSE."



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY KATELYN BOULANGER

Health, Seniors and Active Living Minister Cameron Friesen was in Selkirk last week to announce the building of a new EMS station to be located beside the old Selkirk hospital.

of infrastructure will ensure that our region has an emergency response when you need an emergency response," said Janzen.

Louise Alarie, regional director of EMS, says that this new facility will be a serious upgrade for staff.

"The new station will provide staff with a larger more modern space willed with all of the amenities that paramedics do need day today. It also will improve workflow by providing a positive environment for education

and training," said Alarie.

She says that better facilities and better amenities for frontline, administration and leadership staff makes for the ability to provide the best care possible and that she can't wait for the new station.

"We are committed to getting good health care sooner for all Manitobans. We are committed to making good investments in the area of EMS," said Friesen.

Stonewall hospital to get new X-ray machine

By Jennifer McFee

A brand new X-ray machine will be coming soon to Stonewall's hospital to replace older equipment that broke down this summer.

In July, the X-ray equipment at Stonewall and District Health Centre broke down, which caused an interruption in X-ray services at the facil-

ity.

"This was quite an old machine. Unfortunately, we couldn't source the spare parts so we ended up having to do a full replacement," said John French, executive director of diagnostic imaging with Shared Health Manitoba.

"It takes a bit of time to do a full re-

placement of an X-ray machine. We will start that process toward the end of September, and the new machine will be installed and in operation hopefully by the end of November."

In preparation, renovation work will be underway this month to get the space ready for the new equipment.

In the meantime, the emergency department has remained operational with unchanged lab and cardiology functions.

"We were able to do some limited X-ray procedures at the Stonewall hospital because we do have a mobile X-ray unit there. Our mobile X-ray unit is not as powerful as a fixed X-ray unit, so it has more limited functionality," he said.

"For other procedures, we are redirecting patients to other sites within the district."

An emergency physician assesses and triages patients in the emergency room, and patients requiring urgent or emergent X-ray services during this interruption are directed or transported to appropriate facilities. Patients who have been referred for a non-urgent X-ray are encouraged to go to any X-ray facility during business hours.

"There should be as minimal disruption as possible," French said, "although some patients will have to travel to other sites specifically to get the more urgent or the more complicated X-rays."

For patients who call 911 and require emergency or urgent care, they will be transported by ambulance to the most appropriate emergency department for assessment.

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Beach volleyball league a possibility for Stonewall

By Jennifer McFee

A local man is serving an idea to the community that he hopes will net some interest.

Andrew Martin is hoping to gain support for starting a beach volleyball league in Stonewall, where he envisions the development of a beach volleyball court.

"For the last couple months, I've been working with the town on it to get plans made up and see how on-board they are with it," he said.

"Hopefully by this coming spring, we can get the court nets finalized and put in place. It would be great to have it up and running for next year."

One possible location is behind the main baseball diamond on the way down to the quarry.

"There are a couple courts on the beach already, but the hours of the beach are limited. But there's an open area behind Diamond 1 by the scoreboard to put potentially two or three courts in that area," he said.

"That way, anybody could use them anytime, not just during certain hours. It would be really accessible to everyone to use it. That would be an ideal



Andrew Martin, left, is hoping to launch a co-ed competitive and recreational beach volleyball league in Stonewall next year.

situation."

Martin is hoping to generate enough interest to launch co-ed recreational and competitive divisions.

"We're looking at starting off with 20 teams of four between the two leagues, with roughly eight teams in the competitive league and 12 teams



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in the rec league. We might get people out from other areas of the Interlake out too," he said.

"So far, the town seems to like the idea. It seems like they've been trying to put a little more sport and rec emphasis and healthy living for the last couple years. The town wants to make

sure there's enough interest before they move ahead on it, so the more people that express interest, the better."

Anyone interested in the possibility of joining a beach can contact Martin at agmmartini@gmail.com.

Oak Hammock Marsh welcomes back visitors

By Nicole Buffie

Oak Hammock Marsh has reopened their doors to the public just in time for the fall migration.

The marsh is once-again inviting visitors to the wildlife interpretive centre to experience the flocking of geese, ducks and many other species to the south for winter.

The marsh was closed in mid-March for repairs to the well and plumbing system.

Jacques Bourgeois, director of marketing and communications for Oak Hammock Marsh, said the timing of the reopening couldn't have been better.

"For the longest time, people were kind of confined to their house and to their yard," he said. "Now the fact that they can explore and take in that nature that they've been craving. It's been quite popular."

During renovations, the centre remained open for outdoor activities including self-guided canoe tours through the marshes. What would

usually be a guided tour in a 10-person vessel, visitors were afforded the opportunity to explore the area themselves in smaller numbers, which also happened to fall in line with public health and safety orders put in place by the province amid the COVID-19 pandemic.

Bourgeois said while the self-guided canoe tours and all outdoor activities will still be available until late fall, the marsh is excited to bring back their indoor pastimes such as the Feature Hall — a rotating room of exhibits throughout the year — and the observation deck located at the top of the interpretive centre to catch a glimpse of all that's happening on site.

To make up for nearly six months of lost time and activities, Oak Hammock Marsh has a schedule full of events, including the migration festival where visitors can learn about

"NATURE FILLS THAT VOID PEOPLE HAVE DURING COVID OF BEING IN CLOSED QUARTERS ALL THE TIME."



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY KATELYN BOULANGER

Canadian Geese resting at Oak Hammock Marsh before their flight south in the fall.

the different species of birds leaving the cool autumn of Manitoba to seek warmer weather down south.

Attendees to the site are also welcome in the café, offering a view overlooking the marsh to grab a bite to eat and watch flocks of birds departing for the season.

"People get to see the birds leaving

and the colours changing: it's a full multi-sensory experience in the fall," Bourgeois said. "And before we know it, the snow will be flying so we want to enjoy it while we can."

To find more information on events and activities happening at Oak Hammock Marsh, visit www.oakhammockmarsh.ca.

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Olfert, Anderson selected as MJBL all stars

By Brian Bowman

A pair of Interlake Blue Jays were rewarded for their all-star type seasons recently.

The Blue Jays' Cole Olfert and Ben Anderson were very deservedly named to the Manitoba Junior Baseball League all-star team.

Olfert was selected as a utility player while Anderson was chosen as an outfielder.

"It's obviously an honour and, to be honest, I wasn't really expecting it," said Olfert, who lives in Riverbend. "It came as a surprise but it was a good season and there were definitely other guys on the team that could have been picked in that spot as well."

Olfert played every position with the exception of catcher and right field this past season while hitting a solid .274 with four doubles and a home run against Winnipeg South.

"Growing up I had great coaching so I always had knowledge of each position and I think that helped," said the 20 year old Olfert. "We had some younger guys on the team that had a little more pep in their step in the infield than I do now. I'm getting a little older so I was happy to move to the outfield."

Interlake's other homer was hit by Anderson.

Olfert played several seasons with the North Winnipeg Pirates "AAA" program. He really enjoyed his time with the Pirates while being coached by Dave Nychuk and Gary Dear, both St. Andrews residents.

"So much of my success in baseball growing up and just character as a man was because of Dave," Olfert said. "Not only does he teach baseball on the field but off the field as well with how to handle yourself and how to handle failure. It's not only huge in baseball but life in general."

Olfert will be entering his third season playing at the junior level with the Blue Jays next summer. He's proud of the fact that their team has made it to the league semifinal two consecutive seasons.

"(Adam Kirk) is great and all of the coaching staff bring a really good approach to the game," Olfert said. "They're super competitive and they want to win but you know they have your back as well. They also keep it loose enough that by the end of the day, we're always getting better towards our end goal. We're always playing our best baseball at the end of the year, which is what you want."

Anderson, meanwhile, enjoyed a tremendous season this past summer. He hit a whopping .410 and had a team-leading 11 stolen bases.

On the defensive side, he was an outstanding outfielder, tracking down a lot of baseballs that were headed in the gap.

"Ben's a good player," Olfert noted. "Not only can the guy hit very well, he plays centre field and he can run with the best of them. I would say he's the second fastest in the league next to Darnell Wyke from Elmwood."

"When he puts the ball in play, he can beat out infield singles which leads to that super high average."

"He was a huge part of our team this year."

The other MJBL all stars includes the Elmwood Giants' Riley Trager (first base), Dawson Tanner (second base), Wyke (outfield), and Brandon Racette (right-handed pitcher), the Pembina Valley Orioles' Tristan Peters (outfield), Jared McCorrister (designated hitter), and Tyson Pringle (left-handed pitcher), the Altona Bisons' Isaiah Letkeman (catcher), the Carillon Sultans' Zach Giesbrecht (third base) and the St. James A's Troy Kemball.



The Interlake Blue Jays' Cole Olfert was selected as a utility player to the Manitoba Junior Baseball League all-star team.



TRIBUNE PHOTOS BY KEN ALLEN

The Blue Jays' Ben Anderson hit .410 and stole 11 bases this past season to earn a MJBL all-star nod.

Stonewall United edged by Les Bleus

Staff

The Stonewall United was edged 2-1 by Les Bleus in Manitoba Major Soccer League 5th Division action last Thursday at the University of Manitoba.

Stonewall, now winless in its past five games, is 4-6-2 and has 14 points to sit in a tie for fifth place with the

Saints James Spurs Soccer Club in the eight-team division. The United are now three points back of fourth-place Les Bleus and have played one more game than Les Blues.

Stonewall will play Veni Vidi Vici FC this Thursday at the Ralph Cantafio Soccer Complex. Game time is 8 p.m.

Cockerill cards lowest round during European Tour tournament

Staff

Aaron Cockerill finished in a four-way tie for 24th place at the European Tour's Open de Portugal at Royal Obidos last weekend.

Cockerill, a Stony Mountain product and lone Canadian on the European Tour, closed out the 72-hole

event at 8-under 280. He fired rounds of 72, 71, 64 and 73.

His blistering 64 was the lowest round during the tournament.

South Africa's Garrick Higgo won the event with an impressive 19-under 269. That was one stroke better than Spain's Pep Angles.

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Local schools taking a time out with sports

By Brian Bowman

With the Manitoba High Schools Athletic Association's release of Return to School Sport Plan - Version 2 released on Sept. 15, schools are taking a slow approach to starting their respective seasons.

In fact, many schools have shut down all sporting activities for the time being.

Currently, only golf and cross country have been given the green light by the MHSAA for competition.

The MHSAA has said, at this time, there will be no tournaments or provincials this season. For some high schools, their volleyball and basketball seasons are made up solely of exhibition and tournament play.

"Most of the divisions are at a standstill and are not offering things," said Curtis Grieve, a teacher and coach at Stonewall Collegiate, last Thursday afternoon. "We're closely following the Sport Manitoba guidelines with

Return to Play policies. With sports like volleyball, we're looking at a Return to Practice and training that will fit our building."

Grieve said their school must get the approval from the Interlake School Division before they begin any practices.

Teulon Collegiate is in a similar situation.

"We're just working on our plans to have extra-curricular sports," said Jason Darragh, Teulon's vice principal and coach, last week. "We will come up with a plan and we will obviously follow the provincial guidelines and we'll also need the approval from our division."

Because schools like Teulon Collegiate and Warren Collegiate do not play in a league, their volleyball and basketball seasons may be affected greatly this year if there are no tournaments allowed.

"That's just the state of where things

are at," Darragh reasoned. "I can't see things changing in the near future as for games and things like that."

At Warren Collegiate, meanwhile, the Wildcats have no athletes competing in golf this season and the school is in the process of putting together a return to practice protocol.

"Our student-athletes are disappointed, as is to be expected when you tell kids that they can not compete in something that they have been training for a long time, as is our school community as a whole," said Tyler Oliver, Warren Collegiate's vice-principal and coach, in an email. "However, we do understand the situation that we are in and are facing so, disappointed yes, but completely understanding why we can not have a season. We are currently working on our return to practice protocol for volleyball and cross country. Practices have not yet started."

Manitoba U18 AAA Hockey League announces major schedule changes

From the U18 AAA hockey website

The Manitoba U18 AAA Hockey League's Return to Play Task Force has determined the structure and format of the schedule for the 2020-21 regular season.

The following Return to Play plan is subject to final approval by Hockey Manitoba.

Following parameters set by Hockey Manitoba and the Provincial Health Authority, the Manitoba U18 AAA Hockey League has prepared a significantly modified schedule. Member clubs will play a reduced schedule of 36 games in two phases beginning on Oct. 16.

To accommodate potential regional health authority restriction increases during the season, the league will divide its member clubs into three divisions: West, aligned with the Prairie Mountain Health Region; Central, aligned with the Southern Health and Interlake-Eastman Health Regions; and East, aligned with the Winnipeg Health Region and northwestern Ontario.

West Division: Parkland Rangers, Yellowhead Chiefs, Brandon Wheat

Kings and Southwest Cougars.

Central Division: Central Plains Capitals, Pembina Valley Hawks, Interlake Lightning and Eastman Selects.

East Division: Winnipeg Bruins, Winnipeg Thrashers, Winnipeg Wild and Kenora Thistles.

As a geographical outlier, Norman's schedule will differ significantly from other member clubs.

In an effort to reduce travel, hotel stays and contact between multiple clubs in succession, Phase 1 of the season will consist of divisional play and three-game mini-series over 10-day periods. Using the East Division as an example, Phase 1 would see the Wild play the Bruins in a three-game set followed by a three-game set against the Thrashers, followed by a three-game set against the Thistles.

The teams would then repeat the cycle to complete Phase 1.

Should a positive case or outbreak occur, the three-division structure will allow the league to isolate individual divisions while permitting the others to continue to play.

At the conclusion of Phase 1, and

subject to its completion without COVID-related cancellations, Phase 2 will consist of interdivisional play. Teams will play home and home series against teams outside of their own division.

Continuing our effort to reduce hotel stays and contact between multiple clubs in succession, Norman's schedule will see the team host all 12 clubs for two games in Thompson. Norman will also travel south to play six teams for two games. As always, the games will be confined to weekend play, and the league intends to isolate Norman's games from any three-game set played between divisional opponents.

Finally, as directed by Hockey Manitoba, each team will appoint a communications officer to be responsible for monitoring and maintaining safety and hygiene protocols. Communication officers will be required to ensure all health authority guidelines as well as Hockey Manitoba guidelines and recommendations are adhered to for each on or off-ice session (practice, games, video, etc.).

Stonewall's Laxdal coaching in NHL final



PHOTO THE HOCKEY WRITERS.COM
Derek Laxdal is the assistant coach for the Dallas Stars in this year's NHL Stanley Cup final.

Staff

The Dallas Stars are just three victories away from winning their franchise's second Stanley Cup.

Dallas defeated the Tampa Bay Lightning 4-1 in Game 1 of the Stanley Cup final last Saturday night in Edmonton.

Stars' goaltender Anton Khudobin made 35 saves while Joel Hanley, Jamie Oleksiak, Joel Kiviranta and Jason Dickinson scored for Dallas.

Yanni Gourde replied for Tampa Bay. Stonewall's Derek Laxdal is an assistant coach with the Stars while Dallas head coach Rick Bowness is a former Winnipeg Jets' player and coach.

Both were promoted back in December when Dallas fired head coach Jim Montgomery. Bowness went from an assistant coach with Dallas to interim coach while Laxdal made the move up to the NHL after serving as a head coach for six seasons with the Texas Stars of the American Hockey League.

Game 2 of the best-of-seven NHL final series was played on Monday but no score was available at press time. Game 3 is set for Wednesday at 7 p.m.



THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ST. LAURENT NOTICE OF NOMINATIONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the following days: October 1, 2, 5, 6, and 7, 2020 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at the Rural Municipality of St. Laurent office, 16 St. Laurent Veterans Memorial Road, St. Laurent, Manitoba, nominations will be received for the office of Councillor of the aforesaid Local Authority.

The nomination deadline is October 7, 2020 at 4:30 p.m. Nominations cannot be accepted after this day.

All nominations shall be made in writing and shall be signed by at least twenty-five voters, or NOT less than 1% of the voters (whichever is the lesser) of the authority, but in all cases by at least two voters. Each nomination shall also be accompanied by the candidate's declaration of qualification.

Nominations may be filed in person or by an agent at the above location, on the date and hours specified. To obtain a nomination paper, and/or candidate's declaration of qualification, contact the Local Authority at the telephone number listed below.

Nomination papers not accompanied by the required documents and not properly filed shall be rejected.

Local Authority telephone number - 204-646-2259

Dated at St. Laurent, Manitoba on September 10, 2020.

Ernie Epp
Senior Election Official (S.E.O.)
Rural Municipality of St. Laurent

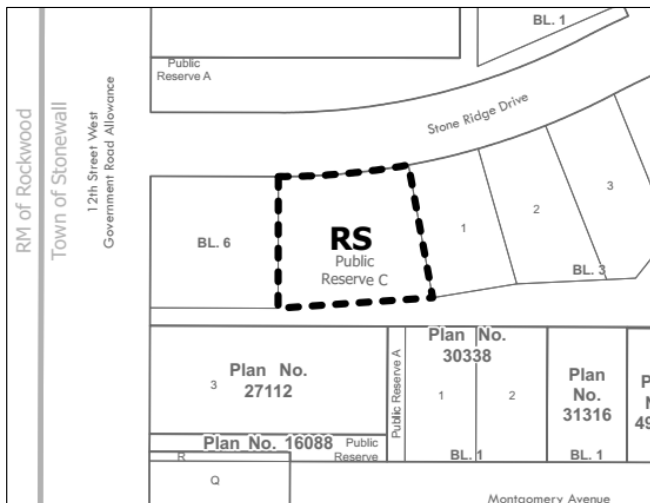
TOWN OF STONEWALL UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE PLANNING ACT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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:

TOWN OF STONEWALL BY-LAW NO. 05/20
Being an AMENDMENT to the TOWN OF STONEWALL
ZONING BY-LAW NO. 6/16, as amended.

HEARING: Heritage Arts Centre
LOCATION: 166 Main Street, Stonewall, MB
DATE & TIME: Wednesday, October 7, 2020, at 6:35 PM
GENERAL INTENT: To rezone Pt. SW ¼ 36-13-01 EPM from "P" Parks, Institutions and Open Space Zone to "RS" Residential Single Family Zone to accommodate residential development.

AREA AFFECTED:



FOR INFORMATION: Eric Shaw, General Manager
South Interlake Planning District
CONTACT: 285 Main Street, Stonewall, Manitoba, R0C 2Z0
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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.

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The Vendor is informed that there is situated on the property a single family split level of approximately 2,640 square feet with 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen and mudroom. There is a partial unfinished basement and a triple detached garage.

TERMS: Deposit of \$50,000 which deposit shall not exceed twenty percent (20%) of the Reserve Bid by certified cheque, bank/credit union draft or solicitor's trust cheque on the date, place and time of auction and the balance in accordance with the conditions to be announced at sale.

The Property is sold subject to a RESERVE BID of \$257,138.76 plus such other additional and incidental costs which may be incurred by the Lender from the 15th day of September, 2020 to the date of auction and which costs will be announced prior to the commencement of the Sale.

Property Taxes are paid to December 31, 2019.

Purchaser to be responsible for payment of any outstanding water accounts owing by the Mortgagor.

Property is subject to Nil.

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THE BOARD OF REVISION shall sit to hear complaints on **Thursday, November 5th, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.** in the Municipal Council Chambers in Rosser, Manitoba.

ANY PERSON, including the assessor, who believes that an assessment ought to be revised may make application for revision of an Assessment Roll in accordance with Sections 42 & 43 of The Municipal Assessment Act.

APPLICATION FOR REVISION:

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- liability to taxation;
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- classification of property; or
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APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- 43(1) An application for revision must
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 - set out the roll number and legal description of the assessable property for which a revision is sought
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 - be filed by
 - delivering it or causing it to be delivered to the office indicated in the public notice given under subsection 41(2), or
 - serving it upon the secretary,

at least 15 days before the scheduled sitting date of the board as indicated in the public notice.

Applications for revision or complaints must be received by 4:30 p.m. Tuesday October 20, 2020, no late exceptions will be allowed. Applications should be mailed: Secretary, Board of Revision Box 131, at 0 077E PR 221, Rosser, Manitoba, R0H 1E0 emailed: info@rmofrosser.com or faxed: 204-467-5958. Applicants will be notified, in writing, of the date and time of the hearing of their application.

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DATED this 23rd day of September 2020 at the Village of Rosser, in the Province of Manitoba.

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Property is subject to Nil.

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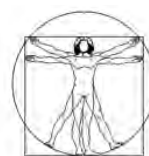
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Of how much we are missing you.

-Love,
Carl and family



Warren Campbell
September 27, 2007

Time slips by and life goes on
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we had you.

-Love Diane and family

OBITUARY

Roger George Griffin

May 11, 1942 – September 16, 2020

Words cannot fully express the profound sadness that surrounds this announcement of the passing of our husband, father and Papa, Roger Griffin.

Roger passed away suddenly but peacefully at his home in Teulon the evening of September 16, 2020.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife and best friend of 52 years, Claudette; daughters Angele (Scott) and Cherise; and grandchildren Olivia and Abby, Desiree and Dominic. Also mourning this loss are Dad's sisters, Ruth (Stewart McMahon), Evelyn (the late Walter Mohr), Fern (Richard Nosaty), Joy (Nick Bodnar) and many nieces, nephews and friends he knew both personally and professionally.



Dad was born in Teulon to George and Rhoda (Brigg) Griffin. He grew up on the family farm just outside of town and attended Stacpoole School. By all accounts, he was an intensely shy boy growing up. As a young teen he left school to work on the farm but later in life as an adult, he returned to Teulon Collegiate to obtain his high school diploma.

In 1968, Dad married his long-time sweetheart, Claudette Baron. He was adored by Mom's parents, Leo and Lil, and was welcomed into the family and the family business. Dad eventually bought Leo's business, creating Baron & Griffin Insurance Agency in Teulon, which he operated for 33 years. Dad also obtained his Real Estate License early on and began assisting Leo with sales at L.J. Baron Realty. Several years later, Mom joined Leo and Dad creating a truly family-operated business. Dad worked diligently ensuring the managerial side of the business was looked after and was instrumental in its ongoing success. He and Mom had an amazing partnership with complementing strengths. Dad thoroughly enjoyed meeting new people and helping them with their insurance and real estate needs. Every time we suggested it may be time to consider retirement he responded, "work keeps me young" and "I don't feel my age".

The community of Teulon will feel his absence. There was always a wave and a smile when passing by. He loved his community, giving of his time volunteering with the Kinsmen Club, Volunteer Ambulance, the Chamber of Commerce and the Liliane Baron Breast Cancer Support Group. He continued playing hockey with the Old Timers well past his prime. The people and memories from these times enriched his life.

Dad was the rock of our family. He was always the calm, reassuring and patient voice of reason throughout the trials and tribulations that our family has faced. He would do anything for us and never ask for anything in return. He adored and supported Mom at work and at home. Having spent so many years surrounded by the many special women in his life, Dad was especially grateful for his strong relationship with his son-in-law, Scott. His pride and love for his grandchildren was evident. They will cherish Papa Roger's spontaneous phone calls, drop in visits and the regular teasing and jokes he threw their way.

Dad loved trying new recipes, feeding family and friends, entertaining, working and relaxing with a glass of wine at our Norris Lake family cottage. His passion for the Jets and Bombers was evident each time we watched the games with him. Dad looked forward to regularly scheduled travels with Mom, friends and family. From Vegas and Palm Springs to exotic locales such as Vietnam, Morocco and Egypt, he savored these adventures. With travel plans now temporarily on hold, he finally got the convertible he'd been wanting for years and was looking forward to more cruising throughout Manitoba with Mom.

Dad still had big plans for life but we are comforted in knowing he lived a fulfilled life of love surrounded by family, friends and the community he loved. Thank you, Dad. You checked all the boxes of what a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend should be.

Due to COVID-19, in lieu of a public funeral we ask anyone who wishes, to raise a glass of scotch, beer or wine in a toast to a life well lived. A private funeral is planned.

If friends so desire, donations in Dad's memory can be mailed to the South Interlake Liliane Baron Breast Cancer Support Group, Box 10, Teulon, MB., R0C 3B0

Our family would like to extend special thank you to Ken Loehmer.

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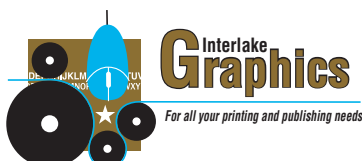
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OBITUARY



Raymond J. Fontaine

October 30th, 1949 - September 16th, 2020

Ray passed peacefully at home with wife Linda, daughters Monique and Janine at his bedside. His family were present to say their farewell during the day before he left us.

He leaves behind his mother Leona; sister Diane; brother Gary and nephews. Daughter Monique (Bob), Jake and Victoria; daughter Janine (Stephen), Gaige, Orren and Georgia; son Clint (Christine), Miles and Isabella; sister-in-law Donna (Brian); brother-in-law Gary and sister-in-law Kim; nieces and nephews.

He was a great dad and grandpa. He loved them and left many memories to keep.

Summer was his favorite season. Time in the garden, building his famous lawn chairs and of course #1, the golf course with Kelly, Keith and Dwayne. Passionate indeed. He did manage to accumulate three holes-in-one during his lifetime at the courses.

Ray and Linda were raised in Brooklands, Winnipeg. Times were easier then, good times, best friends Frank and Dave were his growing up buds. Family was close and of course Ray loved his baseball and outdoor hockey. He graduated from high school and was with MTS the following spring. He was with MTS for 36 years, trained well by Wes McGillvary, they became good friends. Thanks Wes, for all the visits during Rays bad times, he loved you like a brother.

Rays passion for hockey and golf highlighted his life. Jets became his team when they came to Winnipeg, but the Montreal Canadians were always #1. He played with the Rink Rats, Old Time hockey (great times), coached and traveled to games with Clint and Janine's hockey and then the grandkids many activities. He loved to travel. Cuba was our favorite destination, Mexico, many great vacations and of course our #1 trip was to Australia. Clint, Christine, Miles and Isabella showed us the trip of a lifetime. Thank-you.

Ray was a strong, loving guy. "His spirit" at the end was always present. He was our Rock. Dad, thanks for helping me find my first car, chauffeuring us from concerts in Winnipeg, sending me to Red River College, babysitting and helping with renovations to our home. I will always make you proud. - Monique

A family service at MacKenzie Funeral Home will take place Friday, September 25th, 2020, graveside to follow. COVID restrictions in place, invitation only.

Thank you, friends and neighbors, for your kindness, flowers and baking. Love you all. Thank-you, thank-you to my sister Donna and Brian, sister Diane and brother Gary for your love.

Regrets - I have a few, too few to mention but, I did it my way.

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OBITUARY



Justin Norman Barylski

July 29, 1999 - September 1, 2020

Suddenly and unexpectedly, Justin was taken on September 1, 2020 at his home in Greenwood Nova Scotia, at the age of 21.

Justin was born on July 29, 1999 to Tim and Andrea Barylski; he is older brother to Tyler, Kylie and Emma; grandson to Randy and Bev Wynne and Barb (Rick) Hunt; great-grandson to Joyce Mott. Justin was loved greatly by his many aunts, uncles and cousins, as well as his close friends Mikal, Toran, Mark, Austin and many others.

As a young boy Justin loved John Deere tractors and airplanes. This was until he received his first Lego set and his love of Lego never ended. He was still planning what set to get next with his cousin Kaylea. As a teenager he started playing the bagpipes. He piped in his graduating class in 2017 and played with the 402

Pipes and Drums band. He loved a cup of hot tea and a bubble bath on any occasion. Over time he started collecting pocket knives, fancy pens, flashlights, and wallets. Justin would post what he carried in his pocket on his Instagram page @everyday_carry_. In his spare time he enjoyed building his Minecraft world with his friends. He enjoyed fine Scotch. Justin was a kind and thoughtful young man who always puts others needs above his own. He was an old soul at such a young age.

At age 12 Justin joined the 301 Air Cadet Squadron in Stonewall and loved the idea of the military at this young age. He signed on with the Royal Canadian Air Force on October 11, 2018 and left to start his military career on October 20, 2018. He was trained as an Aviation Technician; at his graduation in Borden Ontario he received the Royal Canadian Air Force Core Values award. We were so proud of him. In November 2019 Justin was posted to 405 Squadron in Greenwood, Nova Scotia. He moved into his own place in January 2020. Even though he was half way across the country he was never far from our thoughts, always a phone call, text or Facetime away. Justin had plans of eventually moving close to home and helping on the family farm. Often talking about the next time he could make it back home as he missed being away from his family. He had big plans that were cut too short.

We love you our boy and will miss you every single day.

A memorial service was held September 9 at the Windsor cemetery.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Soldier On Fund at soldieron.ca

Thank you to George Madhu, his roommate, our family and friends, New Life Church, Pastor Rusty, Ken Loehmer, and the Royal Canadian Air Force. We are so thankful for the loving support, prayers, and comforting words from our surrounding communities.

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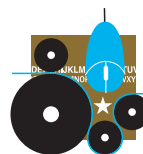
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