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## Silent Salute

TRIBUNE PHOTO BY NATASHA TERSIGNI

Balmoral School students Caleb Fearn, Connor Smith, Liam Pauls and Alexander Evans honour Canadian veterans with a silent salute during the No Stone Left Alone event held on Nov. 6 at the Transcona Cemetery. The annual initiative educates youth on the service and sacrifices of current and former members of the Canadian Armed Forces.

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# Lest We Forget

By Jo-Anne Procter

Remembrance Day services were held in school divisions throughout Manitoba last Friday.

Students of Ecole R.W. Bobby Bend school, parents and members of the Canadian Armed Forces were serenaded into the annual Remembrance Day Service by Shayne Campbell playing the bagpipes.

Children sang and recited poems in both English and French in remembrance of the fallen and in honour of those still serving our country.

Guest of honour Lt.-Col. Juby spoke about the importance of remembering before three students that are members of a local 4-H Club recited *In Flanders Field*.

Poppies were pinned to a wreath as bagpipes were played in the background. Stonewall Collegiate band member Aiden Mulvihill played *The Last Post* before a moment of silence. Master Cpl. Phinney read a verse, everyone sang *God Save the Queen* and, in true Bobby Bend tradition, everyone joined in with music teachers Mr. Cloud and Mr. Enns to sing *My Voice Alone* to conclude the program.



Rowan F. places a poppy on a wreath during the school's service.



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Members of the Canadian Armed Forces attended the Remembrance Day service at Ecole R.W. Bobby Bend School on Nov. 10.



Local 4-H Club member Ella F. recited *In Flanders Field*, along with Sierra S. and Levi M.



Bagpiper Shayne Campbell led the service.



Stonewall Collegiate band student Aiden Mulvihill plays *The Last Post* as Sgt. Kelly Glaspey stands at attention.



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# Christmas Cheer Board seeks books, food, toys

By Jennifer McFee

Ho! Ho! Ho!  
Collection efforts are already underway for the Stonewall and District Christmas Cheer Board.  
Jacquie Derewianchuk is working with local churches and schools to organize food and toy drives.

Non-perishable foods and new unwrapped toys will be used to help build Christmas hampers for people in the community.

In addition, Derewianchuk is encouraging people to consider donating books for the hampers.  
"We'd really like books for all ages.

That's something that people might forget about giving," she said.

"Books of all descriptions would really be a welcome addition to the donations. Baby food is always really appreciated as well."

Last year, the Stonewall and District Christmas Cheer Board distributed

about 105 hampers in the area.

Donations can be dropped off at many of the local schools and churches. For anyone who would prefer to make a monetary donation, an account is set up at the Stonewall branch of the Sunova Credit Union. The donation deadline is Friday, Dec. 8.



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Jacquie Derewianchuk of the Stonewall and District Cheer Board is hoping the community will help with the annual food and toy drive that she is organizing for the community.



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# Past the Perimeter earns Manitoba Country Music Award

By Jennifer McFee

Three cheers for Past the Perimeter for earning a sought-after award to add to their list of musical accomplishments.

The local band earned the title of Emerging Artist of the Year at the Manitoba Country Music Awards, held in Winnipeg on Nov. 10.

The event started off on the right track since Past the Perimeter opened the show with a live performance of Let Your Country Show, the first song on their latest album.

When they heard the announcement that they won the Emerging Artist category, it was a surreal moment for bandmates Derek Peters, Evan Taplin, Devin Biy and Lachlan McLean.

"It wasn't really anything that we expected," Peters said. "Of course, we went in with high hopes, but when they called our name, we had to think of something to say because we hadn't prepared anything."

They used the moment to thank the people they work with and keep close in their lives.



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Past the Perimeter bandmates, left to right, Evan Taplin, Lachlan McLean, Devin Biy and Derek Peters won the title of Emerging Artist of the Year at the Manitoba Country Music Awards in Winnipeg on Nov. 10.

"We work with only the best people and the most likeminded people," Peters said.

"Our team is fantastic from our manager Bambi to our producer Murray Pulver. We get along with everyone so well that it doesn't even feel like work."

Other contenders in the Emerging Artist category included Rhianna Rae Saj of Stonewall as well as Aaron Prociuk, Elsie Morden, Emma Peterson, Greg Arcade, Jade Turner and Russell Lee.


"In that category, anyone could've taken the award," Peters said. "The cool thing is everyone is rooting for one another. It's not exactly competitive. It's more like a family."

After clinking champagne glasses at the awards event, the band is ready to get down to business again.

"It was fun on the weekend to celebrate, but it's back to work now," Peters said. "We've got to continue focusing on our singles and our songwriting for new material next year."


Coming up on Saturday, Past the Perimeter will be performing in Brandon at The 40. After that, they'll entertain the crowds at Meadow Lea Hall for a fundraiser on Nov. 24. On New Year's Eve, Past the Perimeter will take the stage at South Beach Casino.

And, of course, fans can always listen to the tunes of their latest album *Lost With You*, which is available on iTunes, Google Play and Spotify.



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# Local students ensure 'No Stone Left Alone'

By Natasha Tersigni

To help students understand the important sacrifice that Canadian soldiers made while serving their country, Manitoba organizers of the No Stone Left Alone initiative held a service at the Transcona Cemetery in Winnipeg on Nov. 6.

Over 500 students from eight middle schools across the province, including students from Balmoral and Stony Mountain schools, took part in the Remembrance Week ceremony. The national initiative is held annually for students to learn about Canadian soldiers and the contributions they made during world wars and peacekeeping missions. This year alone, the

No Stone Left Alone Memorial Foundation will be hosting 100 ceremonies across the country for 6,000 middle school students.

During the service, each student stood in front of a headstone of a Canadian soldier. Before leaving the cemetery, students read the information on the headstone they stood by and then placed their poppy in front of the marker to remember that soldier.

For Stony Mountain teacher Erin Hunnam, the event is an opportunity for her Grade 5/6 class to understand the meaning of Remembrance Day and pay tribute to Canadian veterans. "I would like to pass on the impor-



TRIBUNE PHOTOS BY NATASHA TERSIGNI

Interlake School Division Balmoral and Stony Mountain students took part in the 'No Stone Left Alone' event held on Nov. 6 at the Transcona Cemetery in Winnipeg. The national initiative is held annually for students to learn about Canadian soldiers and the contributions they made during world wars and peacekeeping missions.

tance of honouring those who served in the war and continue to talk about the dedication and sacrifice that people made to ensure our freedom and safety today," said Hunnam, who took part in the initiative last year for the first time with Balmoral students.

To build on what they learned during the No Stone Left Alone event, Hunnam's class studied the historical Canadian Battle of Vimy Ridge and were able to meet with a local veteran Sgt. Nathan Kachur and learn about his military service.

## Move-in dates delayed at Lions Manor

By Jennifer McFee

It will be a little while longer before some occupants can call Lions Manor their home sweet home.

Soon-to-be residents received notification that the previously discussed occupancy dates will be delayed.

Many of the residents had originally expected to move on Oct. 1 into the four-storey building, which adds 71 suites to Lions Manor's existing life-lease operation. During a meeting in the summer, they heard that the progress was about four to six weeks behind schedule.

Currently, an occupancy date of Nov. 27 is expected for a limited number of suites (136 to 145, 246 to 257 and 346 to 358). The move-in date for all other suites has been delayed, and tenants won't be able to store their belongings in the building prior to occupancy.

Manor board chair Bill Ridgeway now estimates that everyone will hopefully be in the building before Christmas.

"It's delayed because of an accumu-

lation of little things, but we're doing our best to get people in as quickly as possible," he said.

"We're also doing our best to keep all of our incoming tenants informed. We're sending out emails on a regular basis to let them know what's happening. We had to delay a number of the suites from Nov. 20 to Nov. 27. The other ones will be ready as quickly as we can get them approved."

The building's safety systems, such as the sprinklers and fire alarms, are already installed and are currently pending approval. The organization will also need to apply for an occupancy permit through the South Interlake Planning District.

"I know it's frustrating for people and I feel their frustration," Ridgeway said.

"We're working on the details, and there's still some finishing going on right now. Things are moving along and we're doing everything we possibly can to get people in as quickly as possible."

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## > ARNIE WEIDL **First ice fishers of the year hit the ice last week**

Hello, my good friends.

It's probably an understatement to say that Mother Nature was harsh in her delivery of early first ice. Come last Saturday, my grandson Keenen Park and I slowly cruised the #320 along the Red River downstream of Selkirk looking for our first ice angler.

Suddenly, north of Sugar Island, we saw a lone figure on the ice. I pulled Old Red off the road and Keenie and I made for him. We stopped at the shoreline and called out to the angler, asking how thick the ice was. "It's five to six inches. I drilled a hole every 20 feet on my way out to make sure it's safe," his voice carried in the still overcast morning. We tread out carefully, having forgotten our clip-on foot spikes, and met Barry Paddock of Winnipeg. Unshaven and swarthy, his voice was deep and strong, his body all muscle, just the kind of guy you would expect to be a first icer.

To be sure, there are spots where the water runs fast and is able to hold off the ice, like beside the fish ladder at the Lockport locks, which is where I found Carlos Olviera and Rui Machado of Winnipeg last Tuesday.

These 20-something, agile, long-haired buddies hadn't pulled any fish from the roaring, frothing waters there, but they were very adamant about pointing out all the empty minnow tubs, drink cans, fish line and food packaging strewn along the shore. As they spoke of how poorly this litter reflected on sports anglers, I mentioned that the gang at the Manitoba Ice Fishing Association were just about to embark on this winter's publicity and garbage drive to reinforce anglers' mindset of practising good housekeeping on the ice. It's always amazed me how, in just a few short years, the gentle prodding of MIFA and other similar organizations have changed fishers and outdoor enthusiasts from careless littering to leaving nothing out there but their footprints. Good for all of us.

Another spot where the water runs fast is on the downside of the Winnipeg River's Powerview hydro dam. I stood on the shore a week and a half ago watching in fascination as a half-dozen small boats would slip downstream with the current then turn and rev their outboards, struggling upstream with a "netter" at the bow working a net with a long handle to catch whitefish from the bottom of the river. It was odd watching them jockeying their little boats, jostling each other for the best position.



**TRIBUNE PHOTO BY ARNIE WEIDL**

Left to right: Alex Fust, Viktor Borau, Leon Fust, and Jan Englmann from Lorette with some of their netting catch at Powerview.

Time and again, each boat would periodically come to shore to hand their catch to their families for boxing. One huge family, who would switch netters in the boat from time to time, were from Lorette. Some of them — Alex Fust, Victor Borau, Leon Fust and Jan Englmann — stood with some of their catch so I could take a picture. Thanks guys!

Recently, I met Jack (get ready for his last name) Bug-drucker, one of the most relaxed young guys I ever came across. That ease, however, was in stark contrast to his exacting manner. He was boat fishing with two chaps on a small lake in the northern Interlake, and one of them, let's call him Harvey (he didn't want his real name used), didn't have much in the way of fishing gear so Jack gave him one of his prize lures. Harvey cast out and soon got snagged. Tim, Jack's other friend, was an impatient sort, and after watching Harvey pull his rod this way and that, he grabbed it and reefed hard, breaking the line. An awkward silence ensued for a moment as Tim could feel Jack's glare boring through his back. Tim turned, saying, "What's your problem?" to which Jack responded, "That was my lure."

Tim, feeling responsible, gave Harvey one his lures and fishing resumed. Then Tim got a snag. He tried to free his line but no luck. Jack stared at Tim, waiting. Slowly Tim

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# Selkirk-Interlake-Eastman MP Bezan to seek re-election in 2019

By Lindsey Enns

Conservative Selkirk-Interlake-Eastman MP James Bezan says he plans to seek re-election in 2019.

"I have been honoured to run in the past five federal elections as the Conservative candidate," Bezan said in an emailed statement last Sunday evening. "It has been a privilege to represent the great people of Selkirk-Interlake-Eastman over these past 13 years at the national level.

"I will be seeking re-election in 2019 in a bid to defeat Justin Trudeau's Liberals and make Andrew Scheer the next Prime Minister of Canada."

Over the course of his parliamentary career, Bezan has chaired the House of Commons Standing Committees for Agriculture and Agri-Food (2006-08), Environment (2008-11) and National Defence (2011-13).

As Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of National Defence from 2013-15, Bezan was active on files dealing with military procurement, mental health issues in the Canadian



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Conservative Selkirk-Interlake-Eastman MP James Bezan has officially announced his plans to see re-election in 2019.

Armed Forces, the war against ISIS, and Russia's aggression in Ukraine.

Bezan currently serves in the Official Opposition Shadow Cabinet as

the Conservative Shadow Minister for National Defence and the Vice-Chair of the House of Commons Standing Committee on National Defence.

"I have the support of my family, I've enjoyed and am honoured to be the member in Parliament and carried the Conservative banner in the last five elections and believe that I still have more to contribute and have the confidence of our leader Andrew Scheer," Bezan said during a telephone interview with the *Record* on Monday.

"I still believe that there's a lot of things in the riding that I've been successful carrying forward to Ottawa and I believe there's more that need to be done."

If re-elected, Bezan said he plans to continue fighting for the things that matter to his rural constituents.

"There's still a lot of work in providing infrastructure to our municipalities and ensuring that we have the money there," he said. "We all pay taxes and want to see those taxes come back into our communities."

Bezan added the election nomination process closes on Dec. 2 and he doesn't expect anyone will step forward to challenge his seat.

# Fundraising continues at Rosewood Lodge

By Jennifer McFee

Rosewood Lodge is one step closer to moving forward with its courtyard improvement project.

A recent Bud, Spud and Steak event brought in \$1,900 for the initiative.

Recreation co-ordinator Carrie Munro said that fundraising efforts have been going strong for about a year and a half.

"We're hoping to raise at least \$25,000 and we're not too far off that target," she said, adding that some of the funds get used for other programming and projects. "We've actually done a lot of fundraising and had re-

ally good success."

The work on the courtyard will likely begin in the spring.

"We're putting together a 24-by-36 cement pad out back and putting up a pergola. We're also having our sidewalk fixed and upgraded by widening it," Munro said.

"Right now, there's not much shade during the day, so it can be too hot to be out there in the sun. We only have a small area, so there's not enough space to get many people sitting outside and enjoying the summer."

Donations to the project would be gratefully accepted.

To contact Rosewood Lodge, call 204-467-5257.



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A recent Bud, Spud and Steak event brought in \$1,900 for the Rosewood Lodge courtyard improvement project. Pictured left to right: Kathy Nicholson, Diane Lehmann and Carrie Munro.

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# Stonewall-Rockwood fire hall nearing completion

By Jennifer McFee

Rockwood council got its first glimpse at renovations to the Stonewall-Rockwood fire hall last Wednesday.

The project includes a newly added room where other fire departments can come to fill their tanks without accessing the rest of the fire hall.

In addition, the bays, bathroom and lunch room have all been expanded to add more space.

The Town of Stonewall owns the fire hall, while the costs for the firefighters and vehicle are split 50-50 with the RM of Rockwood. The RM of Rockwood stepped up with a proposal to pay for the expansion, covering up to \$400,000.

The finishing touches on the fire hall are underway, and the project will be complete in the near future.

In other council news:

- Coun. Willy Pinchin was ap-

pointed as deputy reeve.

- Council approved a variation request for the subdivision of an 80-acre parcel that is split into two pieces by Highway 7. The zoning is different on both sides of the property, which is located near Road 74NE and Road 9E, and one of the pieces is smaller than the usual requirement.

- Representatives from Nadi Design spoke to council about designs possibilities for residential development in Stony Mountain. Currently, there are no proposals on the table from potential developers, but the RM is focused on smart design rather than a cookie-cutter approach.

- Council also heard from representatives from PureSphera Recovery and Recycling, which picks up and recycles refrigeration and air conditioning appliances to destroy harmful gases and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY JENNIFER MCFEE

Other fire departments can fill their tanks in this new room without accessing the rest of the Stonewall-Rockwood fire hall.

- The Dec. 27 committee of the scheduled for Dec. 20. whole meeting is cancelled and re-

# Stonewall Chiropractic Centre hosts kids' PJ drive

By Jennifer McFee

A brand new pair of pyjamas is one of life's small pleasures.

And this year, Stonewall Chiropractic Centre is hoping to spread this joy to children during the holiday season.

For the first time, the local business is participating in the annual PJ drive organized by The Caring Chiropractors and the United Way Winnipeg.

Through this initiative, different chiropractic offices around the province are collecting new kids' pyjamas in all sizes from newborn up to youth XL.

Donations can be dropped off at

Stonewall Chiropractic Centre, located at 425 Main St., until Dec. 2.

After that, United Way Winnipeg will sort the donations and distribute the pyjamas to community agencies dedicated to helping kids during the holiday season.

"It's a charity that's supported by the Chiropractic Association of Manitoba, and it's definitely a great cause," said Leigh Nesbitt of Stonewall Chiropractic Centre.

"Who doesn't love opening up a fresh pair of pyjamas for Christmas morning?"

Dr. Ryan Dumont expressed similar sentiments.

"We have already begun collecting," he said. "We thought it was a good cause, so we decided to support it."

For Dr. Colina



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Leigh Nesbitt, left, and Dr. Colina Wong of the Stonewall Chiropractic Centre are hoping to spread joy this season by collecting pyjamas for the United Way.

Wong, she would like to rally support from the community.

"We're hoping to notify people so that we can collect donations from the community of Stonewall," she said.

As another way to show support, financial donations can be made to the United Way at [www.UnitedWayWinnipeg.ca](http://www.UnitedWayWinnipeg.ca).

**KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION WEEK**

**Monday, November 27th to Friday, December 1st, 2017**

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Argyle School offers a divisional Multi-level Learning program with all day Kindergarten every day. Please contact the Argyle School Principal (204-467-2683) for details regarding this program.

French Immersion Kindergarten will be offered at École R. W. Bobby Bend School.

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National Addictions Awareness Week

# 'We don't focus on recovery enough,' former addict says

By Lindsey Enns

A former drug addict who managed to turn his life around says a stigma surrounding addictions still exists.

"When I was growing up as a little kid, my first thought wasn't 'Hey, I want to be an addict when I grow up and lose everything including my family and my career,'" Ian Rabb said, adding addiction doesn't discriminate. "I was a doctor living quite a successful life and then I ended up on the streets homeless before I came to Winnipeg to get clean."

The Winnipeg and Winnipeg Beach resident, who has been sober since July 7, 2001, is now the director of business development and spokesman for the Aurora Recovery Centre in Gimli.

National Addictions Awareness week, which runs until Saturday, Nov. 18, is putting the spotlight on how stigmatizing language can perpetuate harmful stereotypes through this year's theme, "words matter." With that in mind, Rabb said he wanted to get the word out that "addiction is a disease and recovery is needed."

"We don't focus on recovery enough so when I think about words matter, I think about the messaging that we need to get across, which is that there is success in treatment after care ... and ultimately treating a whole family when there's an addicted member of a family," he said.

When asked what his advice is for



TRIBUNE FILE PHOTO

Ian Rabb is a former drug addict who turned his life around and has been sober since July, 2007. Rabb is now the director of business development and a spokesman for the Aurora Recovery Centre in Gimli.

someone who is currently struggling with an addiction, Rabb simply said: "there's life after an addiction."

"You have to imagine that your life is pretty much in a box when you're in an addiction ... your life gets smaller and smaller," he said. "The hardest thing for families and addicts is they don't see a way out. They don't see how their life can get better."

"There's a sense of denial that surrounds addiction that's just so deep."

Rabb said working in addictions and helping others is what helps keep his

life on track.

"I maintain a very, very close contact with the recovery community and my No. 1 goal is to actually help others," he said. "From being a selfish, self-centred, addicted person, the best advice is to become self sacrificing and help others through it."

"And it's never too late to reach out, it's never too late to get help."

Aurora Recovery Centre, located at 20025 Lakeside Rd. in Gimli, the former site of Misty Lake Lodge and Conference Centre, is a privately run

24-7 facility which offers individualized treatment based on a 12-step program and offers treatment for alcohol and drug abuse, depression, anxiety, eating disorders as well as gambling and sex addiction.

Along with offering various services including one-on-one counselling, the centre is also home to a medical detox program.

Rabb believes what's missing in Manitoba is more centres that offer a full continuum of care like Aurora does. In the future, the centre is planning to offer scholarships to help people cover the cost of care, which is often one of the biggest barriers preventing addicts from reaching out for help, Rabb said. The average cost for a one-month stay at the centre is roughly \$15,000 while 60 days is closer to \$25,000.

"A lot of our calls are people that are reaching out, they are desperate for help, they have tried every other means and they are absolutely in turmoil," he said. "We are the only medical withdrawal unit that exists in the whole province."

For more information about the Aurora Recovery Centre, visit [aurorarecoverycentre.com](http://aurorarecoverycentre.com).

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turned to Jack and said, "OK, you want to get even, here reef on my rod!" Jack, with a devilish grin, took Tim's rod and pulled up on it as hard as he could, breaking the line. Tim looked at him with a stern smile, saying, "Are you happy now?"

"Yea, I'm good," Jack responded with a smirk. Harvey just sat there concerned at the way Jack and Tim talked to each other. He needn't have because they had been trash talking each other since they were in school

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**Christmas Cheerboard**

Help needed! The Stonewall and District Christmas Cheerboard is looking for donations to help those in need this Christmas. Donations of non-perishable food items, monetary donations and toys for children and teens would be appreciated. We are especially in need of socks for all ages and books and items for teens. Donation boxes are placed all over Stonewall and monetary donations can be made at **Sunova Credit Union**.

*Volunteers will be collecting spare change along the parade route on December 1st.*



# Young parliamentarians preparing for winter legislative session

By **Natasha Tersigni**

For a real-life lesson in politics, Stonewall resident Trent Brownlee will be leaving his textbooks behind and spending a week in the hallowed halls of the Manitoba legislature as the Minister of Rural Development.

Brownlee has not been elected to the Manitoba Legislature Assembly, but for the last week in December, he will be working in the chamber and learning what elected politicians go through to develop and pass legislation.

For the second year in a row, Brownlee will be taking part in the Youth Parliament of Manitoba (YPM), a non-profit organization dedicated to teaching Manitoba youth about politics while incorporating other life skills such as public speaking.

"Last year I was a backbencher, and this year I decided to apply to be a minister with the portfolio of rural development. I want to try and get more rural youth involved because it is an awesome event," said Brownlee, who is in his first year at the University of Winnipeg where he is double majoring in history and politics. "For me, youth parliament is where I learned to be outgoing and start conversations. It took me outside my normal bubble and comfort zone and I was able to meet new people. It was truly an amazing experience."

With registration still open, Brownlee hopes local youth aged 16 to 20 will join him Dec. 26 to 31 in the

legislature for the 96th Youth Parliament winter session. The organization is making an effort to recruit youth from rural and First Nation communities, and prospective participants do not have to be well read on party politics to get involved.

"We go back to a time when you didn't represent a party; you merged into coalitions individually. During YPM, the government sends out their bills, we debate them in question period and then we send them to a committee. Each member is on two of the three-bill committees and our job is to amend the bill so it will be re-introduced into the house and pass," said Brownlee, who added the bills that are presented during YPM do not always reflect what is currently happening in politics; rather, they are more focused on societal issues.

"With our bill, we are dealing with current events. One of them this year will be dealing with fake news, government censorship and where we should draw the line. That is something that a lot of people can get interested in and understand from an avenue that isn't politics."

This year's Youth Parliament of Manitoba will run from Dec. 26 to 31 in Winnipeg. During the day, the youth are at the Manitoba legislature and they stay overnight at Kelvin High School. There are evening activities including guest political speakers. For more information or to register go to [www.ypmanitoba.ca](http://www.ypmanitoba.ca).



**TRIBUNE PHOTO BY MICHELLE WESTMAN**  
For the second year in a row, Stonewall resident Trent Brownlee will participate in Youth Parliament of Manitoba's winter session. Brownlee is working to recruit more rural youth aged 16 to 20 to take part in the event.

## Rosser council appointments to boards and commissions for 2017-18

Committee/Board	Appointed	Alternate
Assiniboine River Basin Initiative	Stewart	Corbett
Association of Rural Municipalities - Capital Region	Smee, Emms	
BFI Community Liaison Committee	Smee, Daniel Grenkow	
Cartier Regional Water Co-op	Corbett, CAO	Smee
CentrePort Board of Directors	CAO	
Community Futures East Interlake Inc.	Emms	
East Interlake Conservation District	Stewart, Gordon Grenkow	Garfinkel
Grosse Isle Sub-Committee	Garfinkel	Smee
Interlake Community Foundation Inc.	Murray Slagerman, Cheryl McClure	
Interlake Municipal Recreation Association	Recreation Director, Corbett	
Interlake Tourism Association	Garfinkel	Emms
Lilyfield Cemetery Committee	Smee	Stewart
Partnership of Manitoba Capital Region	Reeve, Deputy Reeve	
Red River Basin Commission	Emms	Smee
Rockwood/Rosser Weed Control Board	Corbett, Stewart	
Rosser-Woodlands Recreation Commission	Smee, Corbett	
South Interlake Planning District	Smee, Emms	Corbett
South Interlake Regional Library Board	Wendy Rutherford, Garfinkel	Stewart
Stonewall & District Handi-Van Committee	Smee	Corbett
Stonewall & District Health Foundation	Carol Nichol, Cheryl McClure	
The South Interlake 55 Plus, Inc.	Emms	Corbett
Winnipeg Airport Authority Board of Directors	Tom Payne	
Southwest Teens at Risk Committee	Stewart, Corbett	Emms

### Staff

### Rosser council standing committee appointments for 2017-18:

- Legislative and Finance Committee – Emms and Corbett with Garfinkel as alternate
- Personnel and Policy – Garfinkel and Smee with Stewart as alternate
- Protective Services – Stewart and Corbett with Smee as alternate
- Transportation/Environmental Health – Stewart and Garfinkel with Corbett as alternate
- Recreation and Culture – Smee and Stewart with Emms as alternate
- Utility Committee – Emms and Smee with Garfinkel as alternate

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# Veterans await court decision on life-long pensions

By Patricia Barrett

A promise made by the people of Canada during the First World War to take care of their wounded veterans is the premise of a class-action lawsuit seeking to restore life-long pensions the federal government revoked in 2006 and replaced with lump-sum awards.

Six Afghanistan veterans launched the lawsuit in 2012 on behalf of all Canadian veterans impacted by the New Veterans Charter of 2006, but they're still waiting for a B.C. court to make a decision.

Vancouver law firm Miller Thomson, which offered its services on a pro bono basis, and the Equitas Society, an organization founded in 2011 to represent injured veterans' interests, are supporting the plaintiffs.

A senior partner with Miller Thomson, who's now retired, volunteered his services after learning of the effects the Charter was having on veterans – inadequate payouts, lack of mental-health supports and a spate of suicides.

Sorochan said the pension system for wounded veterans was established at the time of the First World War (1914-1918), when Canada, like other British Dominions, was required to raise a citizens' army. The pension system arose from a social covenant (a promise) that veterans would be cared for if injured.

"It was said to be a covenant from the government and the people of Canada to those who had served and become wounded, or to the dependents of those who had been killed in the First World War," said Sorochan by phone from Equitas' office. "To give effect to that to promise, the government brought in pensions for people who had incurred wounds and injuries. And it continued on through all other military engagements – the Second World War, the Korean War and UN deployments."

The pensions were significant in that they recognized armed forces personnel as the only people in Canadian society required to give their lives for their country, he said.

But the New Veterans Charter marked a shift in the way veterans were viewed, he said. It was prompted in part by a natural decline in First and Second World veterans and by the influence of insurance companies competing for government benefit programs.

"That year a number of paradigm shifts occurred as regards the care of veterans, from the places they were treated [veteran hospitals] to the type of pension and the cost of maintaining that pension," said Sorochan. "There was getting to be this view among the federal bureaucracy – why are we treating veterans differently from any other person receiving health services ... and why are we giving them a special pension? There was a pressure by the insurers to remove this distinction."

A major issue with lump-sum awards is that they're usually far less than what wounded veterans would receive from a life-long pension, said Sorochan.

Gavin Flett, a plaintiff in the lawsuit, received a \$14,000 lump-sum award for his injuries, something Sorochan called "inadequate by any stretch of the imagination. And in any event, it doesn't do what was intended by the social covenant – and that is to



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During the First World War, an agreement referred to as the social covenant was made between armed forces personnel and the people of Canada. It promised to take care of wounded veterans and their families.

look after the injured person."

Flett's compensation was based on a personal injury "meat chart," which assigns a price to the loss or damage of a body part. But the chart doesn't take into account one's future ability to earn, said Sorochan.

And he doesn't think it's "very wise" to give wounded veterans lump-sum payments because those funds might be utilized for immediate financial needs.

"I speak from experience from my early days dealing with residential school clients," he said. "We had seen that giving a lump sum to somebody...to compensate them going forward in their future years would be spent on [other things]. It's not up to me to be paternalistic towards the people getting these payments, but that's a fact of life. And it leaves people in a situation where they do find they need it later on."

In addition to reduced compensation, the federal government began closing health facilities dedicated to treating injured veterans. Veterans are now experiencing delays accessing mental-health care, and more and more are dying by suicide.

Chilliwack-based veteran Aaron Bedard, a plaintiff in the lawsuit, suffered a brain injury when his tank drove over a mine in Afghanistan in 2006. He

later developed post-traumatic stress disorder.

He said a major source of stress for veterans suffering from PTSD is getting timely and appropriate access to mental-health services. When veterans are ready to reach out for help, they experience pushback from Veterans Affairs and/or months of delay trying to get a referral to a medical professional who specializes in PTSD.

"That's the biggest stumbling block. I get troops that come to me that have been out for five, 10, 15 years saying, 'I need to get some help now, what do I do?'" said Bedard. "I get them to call Veterans Affairs and half the time they're pushing them away, saying... 'you don't have an injury so you don't have a file open with us.'"

Veterans have also a hard time finding a general practitioner because many are loath to accepting Veterans Affairs' clients that come with "mountains of paperwork," he said. "There's nothing in place to ensure doctors have to take...a mental-health injury."

Another obstacle facing veterans is a lack of mental-health services in rural areas, where many veterans with PTSD prefer to live.

"We have tons of veterans with PTSD who choose to go out and live in a rural setting way the heck up north somewhere in a cabin with no service and what have you," he said. "When they decide they need help, it's often at a point where they're drinking and self-medicating and they've lost their job. They finally reach out for help and there's no mental-health support in rural settings."

Bedard himself spends hours on the highway travelling to and from Vancouver where he attends an OSISS (operational stress injury social support) clinic. The drive is harrowing for him because it takes him back to situations he experienced in Afghanistan.

"Some of the biggest issues from my tour are driving," he said. "I went over an anti-tank mine and I have issues with vehicles that cut me off."

Bedard said he sees no reason why the government can't offer telehealth services to veterans living in rural Canada. He's been advocating for years to get teleconferencing and video-conferencing services.

"They come up with excuses that are so complex," he said. "Then they'll do things like the Invictus Games, a big Kumbaya gathering, saying, 'Look how great we're doing and look how much we're helping veterans.' Change the music."

The B.C. Court of Appeal has yet to rule on the lawsuit. In the meantime, Conservative MP John Brassard has introduced a private member's bill to amend the Veterans Affairs Act. The bill, said Sorochan, intends to add "some teeth" to the social covenant.

"We relied on our citizens to come forward and defend us," he said, "and that's why the covenant is with...the people of Canada. It's for our benefit that veterans were wounded or gave their lives."

For more information about the Equitas Society, visit [www.equitasociety.ca](http://www.equitasociety.ca). Bedard has a Facebook page called Veteran Guerrilla Radio to keep veterans up to date on pertinent issues.



# Teen travel group plans 2019 trip to Scandinavia

By Jennifer McFee

"Certainly, travel is more than the seeing of sights. It is a change that goes on, deep and permanent, in the ideas of living."

This famous quote sums up one of the best reasons to pack your bags for adventure — and it's also the driving force behind the creation of a travel group for local youth.

Monica Conger-Morrison and Randy Gabel are the co-creators of the Stonewall Community Teen Travel Group, which will embark on its first trip during the upcoming spring break.

As teachers at Stonewall Collegiate Institute, Conger-Morrison and Gabel both have ample experience in international excursions geared for youth.

"We've been doing this since 1999 within the school, so we've done many, many tours," Conger-Morrison said.

"We're moving forward into a new way of doing this through a community group."

The inaugural group includes 21 students who have signed up for a 13-day trip to Italy and Greece in March 2018.

"The community is very supportive of the group. We really do believe it's a wonderful experience for the kids. They get a world view and a greater

perspective," Conger-Morrison said.

"For many years, we've said that we're making global citizens in this community and we feel really strongly that we want to keep doing it."

The travel group is geared for youth between 15 and 18 years old who are living in Stonewall, Gabel added.

"There are so many benefits to it," he said. "There's always some fear when you go someplace new. Then you see that it's not very different in negative ways but it's different in so many great ways. The students can learn so much."

For both Gabel and Conger-Morrison, it's easy to see the positive impacts on teens who have the chance to travel.

"We've been fortunate to see the results of going on international trips with the soft skills like independence, responsibility and being part of a team. You have to manage your time and logistically work your way through an airport or a subway experience. We've seen kids really flourish from timid, shy people. They have so much more to talk about and their whole repertoire expands," Conger-Morrison said.

"After they've gone on a trip, it brings them out of their shell because of their world experience. We've even



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The Stonewall Community Teen Travel Group is looking for youth to participate in a 12-day trip in 2019 to Scandinavia, including stops in Norway, Denmark, Sweden, Finland and an excursion to Estonia.

had kids come back and say they felt confident to go on their own international trip because of the skills that they gained while they were with our teen travel group."

Plans are already in the works for a 12-day trip in 2019 to Scandinavia, including stops in Norway, Denmark, Sweden, Finland and an excursion to Estonia.

For anyone who would like to find out more about this trip, the Stonewall Community Teen Travel Group is hosting a meeting on Thursday, Nov. 30 at 7 p.m. in the music room at Stonewall Collegiate Institute.

The tour company will offer a \$300

discount as an incentive to anyone who enrolls for the trip within 48 hours of the meeting. After that, a \$200 discount will be available to anyone who signs up by the end of December.

"We're hoping to have people come and hear about the teen travel group," said Conger-Morrison.

"It's an opportunity that we don't want kids to miss out on. It's a highlight of their youth."

For more information about the Stonewall Community Teen Travel Group, email Conger-Morrison at conmor@mymts.net or Gabel at rd-pjgabel@gmail.com.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY JOEL MCDONALD

Silver Cross Mother Mrs. Shirley Seggie, who was raised near Marquette, attended the Woodlands Legion Remembrance Day service. Shirley was accompanied by her husband Chief Warrant Officer retired Mr. Jim Seggie. RCMP members Sgt. John Montgomery, left, and Sgt. Doug Lukeway also attended the service.

## Silver Cross Mother

Shirley and Jim's son, Cpl. Michael James Alexander Seggie was one of the three soldiers killed in Afghanistan in 2008. Cpl. Mike Seggie was a soldier with the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry based out of Shilo and was on his first tour of duty in Afghanistan, and was just two weeks away from coming home.

Cpl. Seggie was on a security patrol in a light armoured vehicle (LAV) when they came under attack.

At a news conference in Afghanistan in 2008, Brig. Gen. Denis Thompson said Cpl. Seggie as "was cool under fire. He often made himself the brunt of jokes just to get a laugh out of his section. He was a great communicator and had learned several Pashtun phrases in order to work better with the local population."

The family of Cpl. Seggie issued a

statement soon after they received the news.

It is with great sadness the family announces that Cpl. Mike Seggie died on duty in Afghanistan doing what he loved to do and what he believed in. He was two weeks from the end of his six month tour and was looking very forward to returning home to his family and friends. Mike had been stationed in Shilo for two years. Mike loved life and lived it to the fullest, there was never a dull moment when Mike was around. He enjoyed driving his 1968 Barracuda and showing it off any time he had the chance. He was extremely close to his family as well as his many friends. He was looking forward to coming home to see his nephew whom he was extremely proud of. He was the best son/brother/uncle anyone could have ever asked for.



# St. Laurent residents to receive Indigenous Indspire Award

By Natasha Tersigni

Two St. Laurent residents are the recipients of the 2018 Indspire Award, the highest honour bestowed on Indigenous people in Canada, for their work supporting and bringing awareness to issues within the indigenous community.

Métis youth Tracie Léost, who ran 115 kilometres in four days to raise money and awareness for missing and murdered indigenous women and girls, and Métis lawyer and retired law professor Paul Chartrand travelled last week to Ottawa, where it was announced that they were among the 13 recipients of this year's award.

"We not only recognize the recipients' individual successes, their discipline, drive and determination to set high standards and accomplish their goals but also to share and celebrate the impact of their stories and journeys with all Canadians," said president and CEO of Indspire Roberta L. Jamieson in a press release.

Chartrand, who grew up and still lives in St. Laurent, has spent his law career advocating for aboriginal people and the issues they face. He has held many notable and high-profile positions where he was able to influence change through policy. Chartrand worked with the United Nations (UN) for 30 years helping to write the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and has consulted on similar documents. In Canada, Chartrand was appointed to Manitoba's Aboriginal Justice Inquiry in 1988 and then was appointed by the federal government in 1991 to serve on the Royal Commission on Aboriginal Peoples.

Chartrand entered into a career in law to make a difference for people in his community.

"Just before graduating from law school, I was debating with myself what I should focus on and maybe I should get rich and focus on corporate taxation. I decided to focus on aboriginal law so I took a program in Saskatchewan that specialized in that," said Chartrand.

"I thought it would be an opportunity to help people in my community. My dad was a trapper, my grandfather was a trapper and I am one of 12 children. I didn't grow up surrounded by professional people. Most of my friends from school are seasonal trappers and fisherman still. I thought this would be a way for me to do something for the people that I understand and the people that I am so seeded with."

At the age of 74, Chartrand is still involved with law and he is a counsel to a private law firm that specializes in aboriginal law. Being recognized with the Indspire Awards is way to give back to the community he has spent a career advocating for.

"The award is an honour but not something I seek. The reason I accepted the award is that Indspire is an organization that raises millions of dollars for the promotion and education of young aboriginal people," said Chartrand.

"I always believe, and still do, that the way forward for people that have been looked down upon for many, many years is education and economic opportunity. These are critically important ways to get ahead. Indspire was created to promote indigenous education."

The Inspire Awards reception will be held on March 23 with a ceremony in Winnipeg where all 13 recipients will be recognized for their work in the indigenous community.



TRIBUNE PHOTO SUBMITTED  
St. Laurent's Tracie Léost, right, along with Ashley Callingbull, left, and Donna May Kimball are to receive the national Indspire Award for their work and commitment to the raising awareness on indigenous issues in Canada.

## Ventura proposing \$25 million luxury apartment project in Stonewall

### Stonewall council news in brief

By Jennifer McFee

Housing options in Stonewall might soon increase since Ventura is proposing a \$25 million luxury apartment project to be built in the town.

Ventura vice-president Tim Comack spoke to council about a proposed series of 24-unit luxury retirement apartments that would have a potential total investment value of more than \$25 million upon completion. He anticipates the project would include three or four buildings, based on interest.

The proposed project would be geared towards empty-nesters, and the goal is to start leasing the units in early 2018. Leasees who give a \$1,000 deposit would be given the first right to a unit. Although it wouldn't be a life-lease operation, tenants would put down a down payment that would go back to them when they leave the building.

All the units would have two bedrooms and the buildings will feature heated indoor parking plus plenty of visitor parking.

The first building would feature a fitness centre, and each subsequent building would have a different amenity for residents to share. In addition, each building will include a party room with a kitchen that would be ideal for hosting large gatherings.

Anyone who would like more information can contact info@venturadevelopments.ca to secure a spot. A meeting will also be scheduled in mid-December to provide more information and a chance to sign up for a suite.

In other council news:

- Coun. Walter Badger was named deputy mayor.
- The committee of the whole meeting will be held on Nov. 15.



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Ventura is proposing a \$25 million luxury apartment project (No. 3 in the above photo) to be constructed across from the Stonewall Hospital.



# Argyle remembers and honours veterans



TRIBUNE PHOTOS BY SHAYNE CAMPBELL

Community members gathered at the Argyle community hall on Nov. 11 for the annual Brant-Argyle Royal Canadian Legion Branch #222 Remembrance Day service. The service began indoors and then moved outdoors to the community cenotaph where wreaths were laid. The service paid tribute to the 173 soldiers who were born or have lived in the Argyle region along with all members of the military that served Canada. Left photo: Rev. Marc Whitehead and Rev. Mary Best led the outdoor portion of the Argyle Remembrance Day service at the cenotaph; Middle photo: the Brant-Argyle Royal Canadian Legion Branch #222 Colour Party (left to right): Jim Rodger, Ross Foulds, Wayne Henderson, Ben Schindle, Ron Watson and John Morgan. Left photo: one of several wreaths laid at the base of the cenotaph.

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# Captivating music at country Coffee House evening



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Guests packed into the Odd Fellows Hall and kept their toes tapping into the evening for another country Coffee House event held last Friday. The show featured eight musical performance by local musicians including Sydeny Lockhart (far left photo); Joe Bailey (middle photo); Spencer; Sam and Edith Hofer and Wayne Stewart (far right photo); Andy and Company; The Occasionals; Two Crows for Comfort and CSI.



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**November 17 & 18 WEEKEND**

## Friday November 17th

- 10:30am "King" Themed Story Time at the South Interlake Regional Library Teulon branch
- 2-8pm South West District Palliative Care Memory Tree Lighting at the Teulon Seniors Resource Centre
- 2-8pm WinterFest Craft Sale at the Teulon Hall *sponsored by the Teulon Farmer's Market*
- 6:30pm Bonfire by the Ag Office
- 7pm Holiday Magic Lights Parade along Main Street *sponsored by Kozy's Productions*
- 7:45pm FIREWORKS Display on Main Street across from the Teulon Motor Hotel *sponsored by the Teulon & District Chamber of Commerce*
- Hot chocolate & Cookies on Main Street near the Teulon Ag Office before the parade *sponsored by ONE Insurance Teulon*

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# Stonewall students honour local veterans

## Remembering veterans on the 100th anniversary of the end of the Battle of Passchendaele

By Natasha Tersigni

To commemorate Remembrance Day and pay tribute to local soldiers that served in the Canadian Armed Forces, Grade 6 students from École Stonewall Centennial School gathered at Stonewall Cemetery last Friday to mark veterans' headstones with handmade votives.

Three days before the service was held, students went to the Stonewall Heritage Arts Centre to view the Stonewall Remembers exhibit and to learn how local soldiers contributed to the military including during the First and Second World Wars. Following his or her tour of the exhibit, each student crafted a votive that would mark a headstone of a local veteran.

While stormy winter weather shortened the outdoor portion of Friday's service, organizer Catherine Precourt used it as an opportunity to teach students about the harsh realities that soldiers faced on the battlefield.

"You have to remember that soldiers didn't have a choice to stay warm. They had to go into the battle no matter the conditions. We are here today



to remember the men and women that served in times of need and in times of peace," said Precourt, who noted that the service also fell on the 100th anniversary of the end of the Battle of Passchendaele.

The Battle of Passchendaele took place in Belgium from July to November 1917 during the First World War and is regarded as a major pivotal moment in Canadian history, as Canadian soldiers were able to capture the ridge and village of Passchendaele from enemy forces. During their



TRIBUNE PHOTOS BY NATASHA TERSIGNI

Hannah Walton, left, and Cheyenne Chubaty each place their marker next to a veteran's headstone at the Stonewall Cemetery.

fourth assault on Nov. 10, 1917, Canadian soldiers secured the high ground and defeated the German hold of the ridge. The success was not without risks, and during the battle, there were 15,600 Canadian casualties.

Precourt spoke of the sacrifice that many soldiers made in order to protect Canada and why it is important to remember their service.

"They served and continue to serve so you and I can have the freedoms

we enjoy today: freedom to gather in a public space, freedom to openly speak about ideas that are important to us and the freedom to go to school. While we may take those freedoms for granted, there are many people around the world who do not have the same freedom that we enjoy," said Precourt.

"Those of us here have not sacrificed anything for our freedom; it is a precious gift that someone else has given us and sacrificed so much for."

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## Dog banned from RM of Rosser

By Jennifer McFee

Rosser council is standing behind its decision to permanently ban a dog from the municipality.

At the Nov. 7 meeting, Todd and Michelle Kendall spoke to Rosser council about the exclusion of their dog from the RM.

The banishment stems from an incident that took place in Little Mountain Park on Aug. 29 when a German shepherd attacked a golden retriever in the off-leash area. The dog that was attacked died in the park.

Little Mountain Park is owned by the City of Winnipeg and is subject to an RM of Rosser bylaw to provide for the regulation and control of dogs within the limits of the municipality.

The municipal bylaw enforcement officer investigated the incident. At a special meeting on Sept. 27, council decided to permanently ban the attacking dog, whose owners do not live in Rosser. The owner filed an appeal to remove the banishment, and council defeated the appeal.

In other council news:

- Coun. Scott Corbett was appointed as deputy reeve for the RM of Rosser for 2017-18.

- Council approved an application by Mei-West Enterprises for a culvert crossing on Road 1W about 40 metres north of the yard site. Council also approved an application from Brian and Trudi Sigfusson for a five-metre culvert extension on Road 5E.

*An Evening of Remembrance*

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# St. Laurent Fire Department looking for additional members

By Jeff Ward

By the end of the year, St. Laurent fire chief Roger Leclerc is hoping to recruit some new members into the fire department who have daytime availability.

Leclerc explained that his department has had to rely more on mutual aid to deal with emergencies due to waning membership.

Leclerc said that while the department does have 25 members, only 12 of them are active. Some work out of province and many others just simply don't have the time to dedicate to all calls. He said he understands those situations but reiterated that he needs more members. Emergency calls for St. Laurent routinely need to involve the mutual aid from neighbouring fire departments like Woodlands. Leclerc said that while those departments are great to work with and have never shown any frustration to the increased need for help, he'd like to not have to rely on them as much.

"We don't want to have to call them every time we get a call," said Leclerc.

"Our real problem is daytime availability. If we get a call during the day, we might only have five members respond, and that's not enough. We need people who can respond during those hours."

Leclerc said that becoming a member is a big responsibility and com-

mitment. Not only is there a lot of training involved, but the job is dangerous by its very nature. Outside of the duties the job brings with it, members need to have a conversation with their employer to let them know that these calls could come in periodically and that they might have to leave. He said it's not always an easy discussion to have but many employers in the area don't seem to have an issue.

Leclerc said that his big concern going forward is that his department numbers will continue to dwindle and that it could lead to a situation where lives could be at risk. An optimal number of members on a call is 12 according to Leclerc. With that number, mutual aid would only need to be called in during more extreme situations.

The job can also be mentally taxing, adding to the list of reasons Leclerc would like to see active membership increase.

"We, unfortunately, have to see some things that are pretty hard to deal with and I always tell my members that we're all here to talk. We have to support each other and it's tough to be constantly going out on these calls," said Leclerc.

With more active members available, it doesn't have to be the same people going out each time, which could serve to lessen the mental and



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY JEFF WARD

St. Laurent fire chief Roger Leclerc is looking to increase his department's membership numbers with people who have better daytime availability. The department has had to rely on mutual aid more often recently due to waning membership.

physical stress the job brings with it. For those interested in getting involved, Leclerc said that he can be contacted directly at 204-861-0269.

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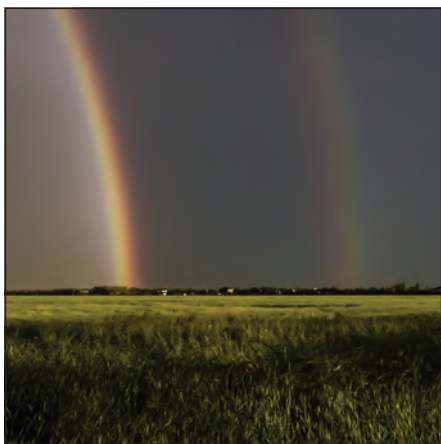
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- Less distance, greater fuel savings. Shopping at neighbourhood stores goes a long way toward minimizing greenhouse gas emissions. The holiday season is all about giving, so why not give back to the planet as well? Furthermore, try to do your Christmas shopping on foot as much as possible. After all, walking is excellent exercise!

- Local shops, unlimited selection. Clothing boutiques, art galleries, spas, candy stores, bookstores – you'll certainly find something to please everyone on your list by shopping local. Psst! If you've always wanted to check out that quaint little boutique at the corner of the street, now's the time to do so! Who knows, you might make some amazing discoveries.

- Local vendors, superior service. Take advantage of local business owners' expert knowledge when buying that perfect Christmas gift for your friend or family member. These friendly merchants are committed to offering the highest quality of service to their loyal customers. After all, your patronage is part of the reason they're still in business! What's more, keep in mind that returning and exchanging items is much simpler when you do business close to home. Bought the wrong size? Noticed a defect? Your local business owner can have the problem solved in a jiffy!

- Quality products, fair prices. Have you noticed that certain products are slightly more expensive in smaller, local shops? Well, think about it: is it really worth driving to another city, looking for parking in crowded lots and racking up mileage just to save a few dollars? Logic states that you have everything to gain from shopping local. Remember: when you support small businesses, you contribute to the local economy and generate positive change in your community. With time, new businesses will pop up, infrastructure will evolve and greener spaces will abound.

### Christmas markets

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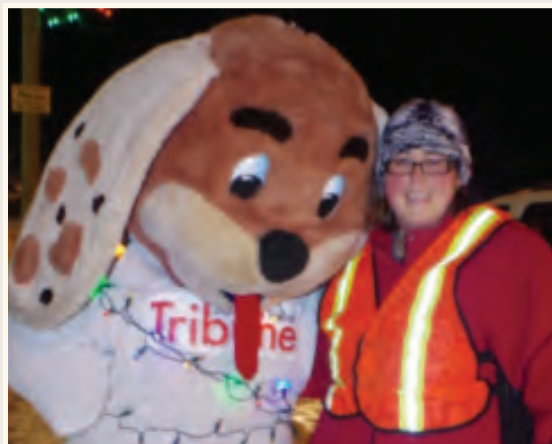
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## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The annual Festival of Lights Santa Claus Parade is right around the corner. With over 40 amazing floats every year down Main Street, it is crucial that we have enough volunteers to ensure the safety of our crowds and the float drivers along the route. We require adult volunteers to help along Main Street on Friday, December 1st from 6:30pm-8pm. If you feel you could spare a short bit of time to make sure this parade can happen, please contact Christy or Stephanie at 204-467-5836 or info@stonewallchamber.com before November 15th.

## Upcoming Chamber Events

**General Lunch Meeting** Thursday November 23 11:30 am  
at Rockwood Motor Inn, Stonewall Please RSVP to info@stonewallchamber.com

**Festival of Lights Santa Claus Parade** Friday December 1 on Main Street.  
Contact Christy at 204-467-5836 or info@stonewallchamber.com  
for more information or to get registered

Chamber of Commerce **Annual Christmas Dinner** Thursday December 14  
Rockwood Motor Inn, Stonewall  
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For more information about becoming a member:  
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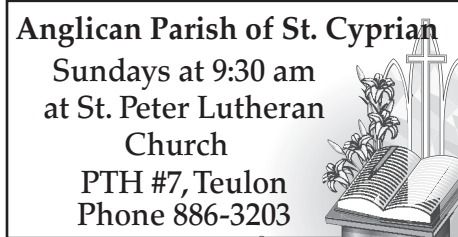
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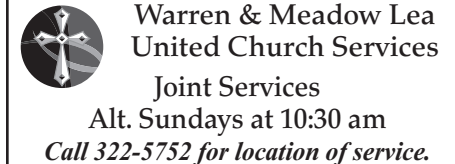
**Stonewall United Church**  
369-1st Ave. N., Stonewall  
Service and Sunday School  
Sundays 10 a.m.  
Phone 467-5469 (office)  
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**Alive! Family Church**  
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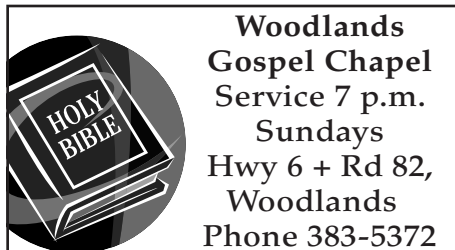
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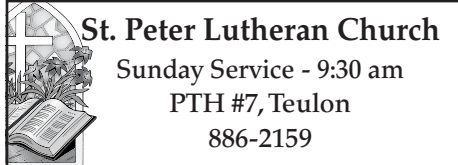
**New Life Church**  
Sunday Service 9:00 & 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Classes  
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**New Life Church**  
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Teulon 886-3269



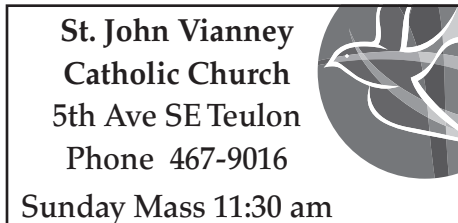
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Service 7 p.m.  
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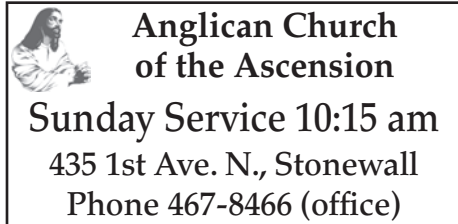
**Cornerstone Pentecostal  
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Youth Nights - Sundays 6 pm  
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& Kids Club 7 pm  
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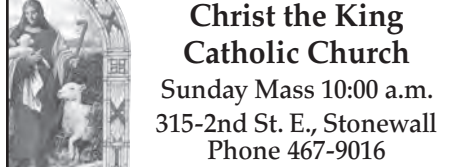
**St. John Vianney  
Catholic Church**  
5th Ave SE Teulon  
Phone 467-9016  
Sunday Mass 11:30 am



**Christ Church Anglican**  
97 School Rd,  
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**Anglican Church  
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Rosser Sunday 9:45 am

## Finding Your Song

SING TO GOD A NEW SONG; SING TO GOD ALL THE EARTH. PSALM 96:1

For as long as I can remember, music and my faith have been intertwined. My earliest memory of church is the dancing knees of the choir that sang in our little church in Jamaica, where my father was serving as overseas personnel. As I sat in the front row with my mother, the knees of the choir were right at eye level, and in true Caribbean fashion, the choir always swayed and danced whenever they sang. I remember clearly how people danced down the aisle with their offerings to place them in the offering plate.

That joyful music has never left me as I found my own way into the church. The depths of our spirits find their expression in the music we sing and hear in the church. Music stays with us into old age, remaining with us even when our memory fails.

And so the songs that we sing as the church matter. I am excited to see all the new hymns being written to express our ever-changing faith in God; new hymns that ring true in the ears of younger generations; the hymns that many of us will find ourselves singing into old age, alongside the hymns of our childhood.

The psalmist reminds us to sing a new song to God as a true expression of where we are, right now, in our spiritual journey. We do not sing alone, but are invited into a global community of singers.

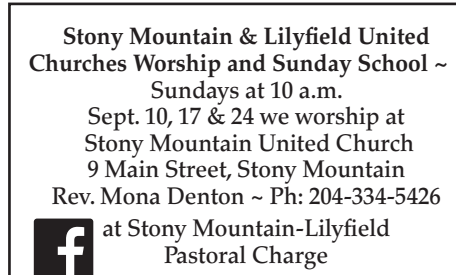
Songs can be sung in so many ways – sometimes with our voices, but most powerfully with our whole being, with our lives. The song of faith is unique in each one of us, but our songs are so much more powerful when we find our own voice.


The traditional hymn of my childhood asks God to: “give me a song to sing.”

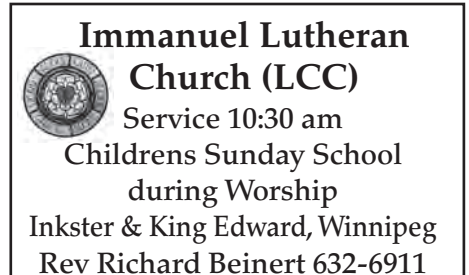
May God be in the songs we sing each day – new songs of love, compassion, hope, peace and justice.

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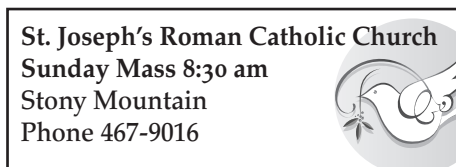
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Woodlands**  
Service  
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# get inspired

> MEAL IDEAS

## Kids Feel Unloved When Parents Show Anger



Parents: a member of the younger generation has asked me to explain something to you. I am told that even if you love your children, and even if they know that you love them, when you are angry they feel that you don't. When they see anger in your eyes, they feel like you must hate them. While they may be at an age where they seem not to value parental opinions, our good opinion of them is extremely important. They are growing and learning; both take time.

If we view our children as extensions of ourselves, then when we see them behaving differently than we would, it is tempting to reject them. We want them to demonstrate responsibility, to do their chores well, and to remember things. We may forget how long it took us to reach that stage, and how frustrated our parents may have been. It is one thing to know how to clean a bathroom. It is another thing to remember that you must, and to do it completely and well. It is fairly normal to be somewhat unmotivated in the face of this task. It is okay to point out that it has not been done properly, and that it needs more work. It is not helpful to suggest that the child is lazy, incompetent, or unappreciative. It is fine to have consequences for things not done, but it is not fine to throw in a character assassination just for good measure!

Teenagers are extremely sensitive, despite what they might show externally. They are vulnerable to our anger and criticisms. If we say they did a lousy job, they think we are saying they are lousy people. If we did not take their shortcomings personally,

we would not be so tempted to launch a personal attack. They do not generally mess up because they do not like or respect us. However, if we attack them personally, then soon they will not like or respect us. Getting them to do things will be even harder.

There does come a time when they do not respond to us as dutifully as when they were small. There does come a time when they may begin to challenge us. If we come down harshly and judgmentally in the face of these natural, stage appropriate occurrences, we may stunt their emotional growth. They may put their energy into rebellion and resistance, rather than slowly but surely developing competence and responsibility. They need the same gentle encouragement and support that they always did. It may be a bit harder with a teenager with an attitude, than it was with a chubby-cheeked cherub, but they are just as delicate inside.

As with all of us, they put more stock in actions than words. If our actions say we do not like them, even if our words are different, they will gravitate away from us, and towards those they can count on for support. If our love and respect for who they are, with all of their foibles, is clear in our behavior, they will be drawn to us like a magnet. Further, they will see that if we can love them even though they are not perfect, perhaps they can love themselves. Believe it or not, that just might be the most challenging thing for them to do. It is, however, the most important. Help them.

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## > DOG BANNED, FROM PG. 20

- CentrePort planner Kari Schulz provided information about a zoning amendment bylaw.

- Nicole Galbraith and Dustin Moore provided an update about plans to upgrade the building of the Rosser Central Community Club. They also requested funding. Council approved a grant for the community club to prepare a concept plan for building upgrades, with costs to be

approved by the CAO. The funds for the grant will come from the recreation reserve.

- The RM of Rosser entered into agreements with Muniware for computer software licence and support.

- Council granted a leave of absence to Reeve Frances Smee until Dec. 31.

- The Nov. 14 council meeting was cancelled. The next council meeting will be held on Nov. 21 at 6 p.m.

## Attention Kids...



## What's *Your* Christmas story?

Choose any of the topics and create your unique story.

1. Is it more fun to give or receive gifts at Christmas?
2. How does your family celebrate Christmas?
3. Write your own version of "The Night Before Christmas."
4. Five things I could do to help someone less fortunate on Christmas
5. The funniest Christmas joke I ever heard
6. What kind of technology should Santa use in his sleigh?
7. What family traditions will you keep for your family when you are older?

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Mail or email your letter to us by Wednesday, December 6th, and we'll make sure it appears in our special section on December 21st.

**Please remember to include your first name and age on your letter!**

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 or mail to Box 39, Stonewall, MB R0C 2Z0



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# sports & recreation

INSIDE > OUTSIDE > UPSIDE DOWN

## Wildcats win three of four zone championships

By Brian Bowman

The Warren Collegiate Wildcats had a great time at the zones last week, winning three of the four volleyball titles up for grabs.

Warren's varsity girls were very impressive as they soundly defeated Ashern in the final.

"We played very well," said Wildcats' coach Jennifer Krahn. "We have a really strong offence and our passing was real good all tournament."

Warren finished the zones with a perfect 5-0 record. The excellent run at zones wasn't exactly a surprise to Krahn.

"We have a really good team this year," she boasted. "We're ranked two in the province (among 'AA' schools) and all of the top five teams in the rankings have a good shot at (winning provincials)."

Warren did a lot of winning at five tournaments this past season. The Wildcats captured a tournament title in Roblin and came in second in three others.

Warren also competed in a "AAAA" tournament, finishing in the top five.

The Wildcats have plenty of depth throughout their roster this season.

"This is the first team that I have ever coached in my entire coaching career where I can actually say any person can be on the court at any time," Krahn said.

"All of the girls are phenomenal athletes."

The MHSAA "AA" provincials will take place Dec. 1-2 in Warren. The Wildcats will be considered one of the favourites along with Green Valley, Niverville, Killarney and MacGregor.

The Wildcats are hoping that the home-court advantage will help them at the most important time of the season.

"We're starting to generate a lot of electricity in Warren Collegiate and it's really nice to have the hometown fans in the gym, for sure," Krahn said.

Meanwhile, Warren's varsity boys and junior varsity girls also won their zones. The Wildcats' junior varsity girls defeated Teulon in the finals.

Warren's junior varsity boys lost in the semifinals as Riverton won the zone title.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY DARCI HOLOD

Varsity boys, back row, left to right: Ryan Peltz, Austin Holod, Bren Hunter, Connor Oleschak, Hunter Sholdice, Mitchell Allen, Matt Fossay, Lucas Procter, Harley Peterson, Mackenzie Buors. Front row: Asa France and Nick Streeter.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY DEBBIE GOODMAN

Junior varsity girls, back row left to right: Andrea Schutz (coach), Jordan Crooks, Jenn Fossay, Hailey Friesen, Emma Goodman, Mackenzie Turner, Tyler Oliver (coach). Front row, Joy McCutcheon, Paige Wright, Hannah Friesen and Bobbie Fairlie.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY MARGARET ANN BRAD

Varsity girls, back row, left to right: Mackenzie Turner, Jacee Turner, Ryenn Lobb, Laura Brad, Grace Goodman, Jenn Krahn (coach). Front row: Payton Janke, Madeline Boonstra, Hannah France and Alex Chester.



# sports & recreation

INSIDE > OUTSIDE > UPSIDE DOWN

## Rams spike their way to huge wins last week

By Brian Bowman

The Stonewall Collegiate Rams varsity boys' volleyball team was very busy last week.

They were also very successful.

The Rams finished up league play last week with two big wins.

Those victories — over Shaftesbury and Portage — secured the Rams third place in their division. Stonewall finished league play with a respectable 5-5 record.

"At the beginning of the year, I wasn't sure how things were going to go," admitted Rams' head coach Owen Nishi. "But we improved a decent amount over the season and the boys have played well at the end of the year."

Stonewall played Portage this past Tuesday in a league semifinal game (no score was available at press time). The Rams were optimistic heading into that match.

"We battled with them pretty well all year," Nishi noted. "We had a five-set loss in the first league game that we played them in Portage and then

we beat them 3-1 at home."

Meanwhile, because the Rams are a "AAA" school, Stonewall played St. James in a must-win game last week for a chance to compete in the MH-SAA "AAA" provincials.

Stonewall won that game 3-1 (25-18, 25-21, 21-25, 25-19) at home and will now battle John Taylor on Wednesday.

"We were pretty confident going into the game against St. James," Nishi said.

Left side Scott Yeo had a tremendous match against the Jimmies.

"We're just not the same team without Scott Yeo on the court," Nishi stressed. "He's our backbone and he carries us through a lot of matches with his drive, his skill, and his willingness to compete."

A win over John Taylor would keep the Rams' provincial hopes alive. It was not known, however, if a win would give Stonewall an automatic berth into the provincials.

The format for teams advancing to provincials changes from year to year, said Nishi.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY LANA MEIER

The Rams' Scott Yeo goes high over the net for a kill. The Rams defeated St. James 3-1 in a must-win game last week.

## Rams' season ends with tough losses to John Taylor

By Brian Bowman

The Stonewall Collegiate Rams' junior varsity girls' volleyball team won't be sending John Taylor any Christmas cards this season.

The Pipers put an end to the Rams "AAA" provincial hopes with a fifth-set win last week and then turned the same trick Monday in the WWAC Tier 2 semifinals.

In Monday's match, John Taylor eked

out a 3-2 (25-20, 24-26, 25-10, 17-25, 15-11) win on its home court. The Pipers went on a late run, taking advantage of a few Stonewall mistakes, to win the decisive fifth set.

In the provincial qualifier Nov. 8, the Rams lost the fifth set by a very slim 15-13 margin.

"They were both fairly competitive games," said Rams' coach Kim Kerelchuk. "The girls were excited and they

fought pretty hard but, unfortunately, we didn't get the result that we wanted."

The Rams finished league play with a 4-5 record (beating St. James three times and John Taylor once) to place third out of four teams. Stonewall also saw some tournament action this season and improved quite a bit from Day 1 to their final game Monday.

"We had lots of practices," Kerelchuk

noted. "The girls were pretty committed and really improved individually and as a team. It was really great to see the team gel over the season."

Meanwhile, the Rams' junior varsity boys saw their WWAC season come to an end Monday after a 3-1 (19-25, 25-21, 25-7, 25-22) loss to Portage Collegiate.

## Mercs split SEMHL weekend games

By Brian Bowman

The Warren Mercs found themselves on both sides of lopsided games last weekend.

Warren was on the winning end of a 7-2 home win over the Notre Dame Hawks on Friday but then suffered a 6-1 road loss to the Morden Redskins the following evening.

In Friday's win, Jeff Michiels scored to give Notre Dame an early lead but

Warren replied with first-period goals from Bryn Lindsay and Brendan Luschinski.

Notre Dame's Mitch Chanel tied the score at 2-2 with a power-play goal at 8:44 of the middle frame.

But it was all Warren after that.

Matt Jacobucci scored a shorthanded goal and then the Mercs went ahead 4-2 as Luschinski scored with just 48 seconds left in the second period.

Luschinski finished with a game-high four points.

Ryan Sholdice, Brayden McDonald and Lindsay then scored in the third.

Cole Boulton earned the win in goal.

Goals came easy to Warren on Friday but Saturday was a different story.

Sholdice scored Warren's lone goal on the power play at 12:05 of the first period to open the game's scoring. Mike Gemmill and McDonald assist-

ed on the goal.

Morden's Graham Leiding answered with a first-period goal and then Keith Bially, on the power play, and Cole Penner tallied in the second.

Jay Fehr (two) and Matt Sibbald then put the game out of reach with third-period goals.

Warren (2-1) will travel to Winkler on Sunday (7:30 p.m.) and then will host Carman on Nov. 24 (8 p.m.).



# Salmon sensational at bull riding championship

By Brian Bowman

It takes one tough hombre to be a bull rider.

And Tyson Salmon was the toughest of them as he was crowned the 2017 Manitoba Bull Riding Champion in Brandon at the end of October.

"I had a pretty busy day the first day," Salmon explained Monday evening. "I also team rope and I was team roping that day. I went right from team roping to bull riding, back-to-back, and I ended up winning the bull riding the first night."

Salmon finished with the highest score (85) in bull riding. That was a point better than the second-place finisher.

"It's a pretty small difference," Salmon explained. "It's out of 100 points. It's 50 points to the bull and 50 points to the rider."

Salmon was very pleased with his performance.

"When I look back, it was a pretty good weekend," he said. "Not only did I win in the finals of bull riding but I also got rookie of the year. I had the highest amount of points (450) from the year for all of the rookies."

Scores are based on how difficult the bull was and how much the rider was in control.

"If it looks like you are really in control of the ride, then you get a higher score," Salmon noted. "But if you are flailing around or hanging off to the side, and you're not in control, then you're docked points."

Salmon had the "bull of the year" for the MRCA, which was picked by all of the riders, when he won in Brandon.

The 19 year old was in the first year that he bought his senior card. He competed throughout Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta this past summer.



Tyson Salmon, left, receiving his saddle award at the end of the last performance in Brandon.

He was part of both the Manitoba Rodeo Cowboys Association and the Canadian Cowboys Association (which is referred to as a type of semi-pro circuit).

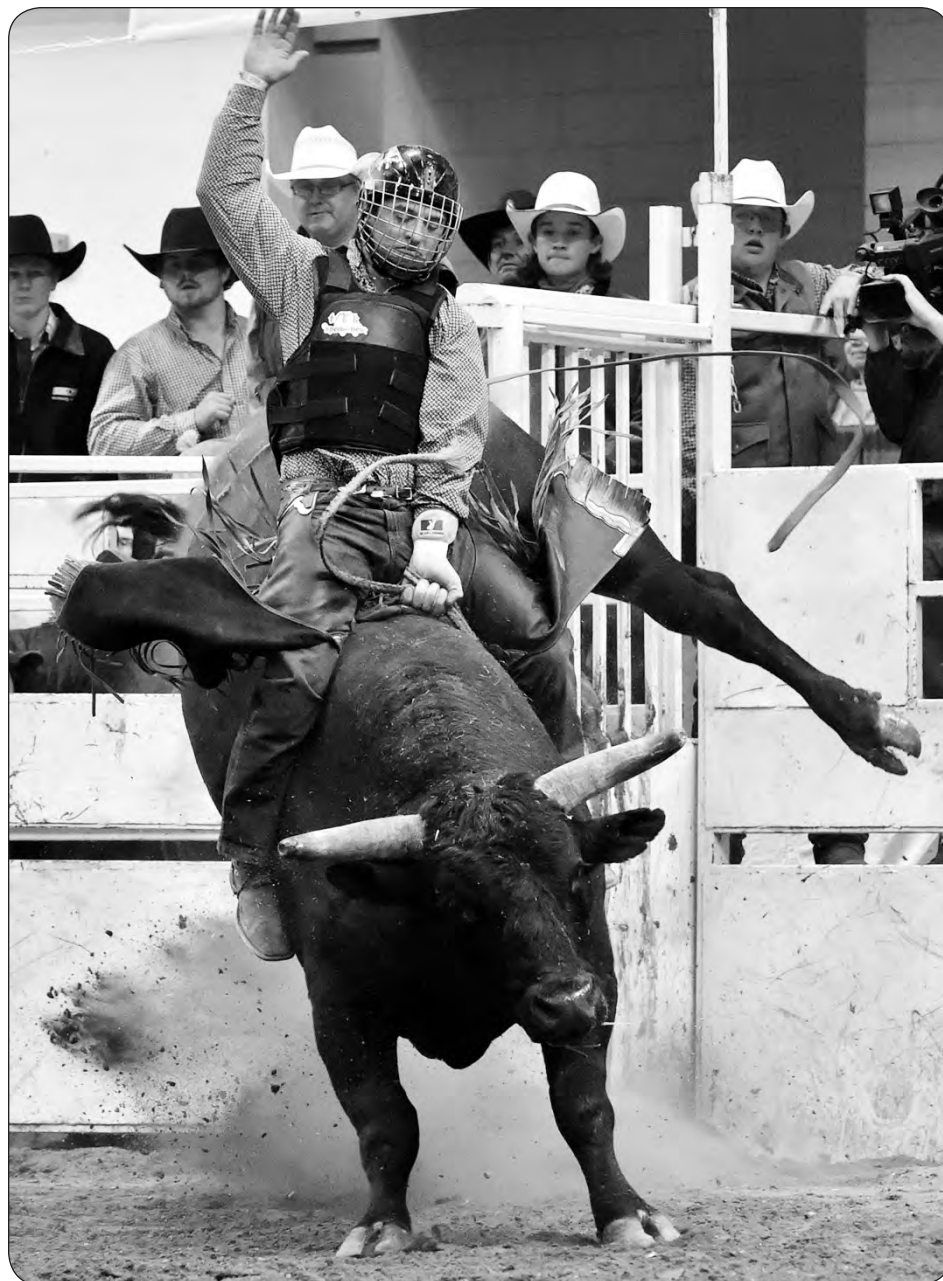
Salmon, a Stonewall Collegiate graduate, also did bull riding in high school.

"I did pretty well in high school rodeo," he recalled. "I was second in my Grade 12 year in bull riding and the year before that, I was third."

So, what makes a good bull rider? It's actually not that easy, said Salmon, who broke a toe earlier this summer.

"It's not as easy as it looks," he stressed. "When you get on (the bull), you're only thinking about the moment that you're in. You're not thinking about anything else. You, basically, have to wipe your mind."

"The minute you start thinking, or



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY RICK HIEBERT

Stonewall bull rider Tyson Salmon was crowned the 2017 Manitoba Bull Riding Champion last month.

give up, it's the moment that you're going to get hurt. And, in bull riding, it's not if you're going to get hurt, but

when and how bad because you're doing the most dangerous sport on earth."

## Wildcats stung by Scorpions

By Brian Bowman

The Warren Collegiate Wildcats and Lorette Scorpions had a real good battle on the ice last Friday.

But, unfortunately, it was Lorette that went home as the winner as it edged Warren 6-5 in Winnipeg High School Hockey League action.

Lorette, which built a 4-2 third-period lead, never let Warren get closer than a goal in the final

frame.

Nick Prystupa (two), Trey King, Cody Melo and Wyatt Hagen scored for Warren. Prystupa leads the Wildcats in goals scored (seven) and points (10).

Craig Patton (three), Brayden Gerard, Colten Leclair and Owen Kintscher replied for Lorette.

On Nov. 8, the Wildcats were clipped 5-2 by the Linden Christian Wings at the Max Bell Arena.

Linden Christian's Graham Waschuk gave the home side a 1-0 first-period lead before Warren's Reid Weatherburn tallied in the second.

The Wings' Darian Ahronson and Weatherburn traded goals early in the third but Linden Christian put the game away with tallies from Waschuk, Alex Loudfoot and Ahronson.

Jayden Allary finished the game

with two assists for Warren.

Warren hosted Murdoch Mackay this past Tuesday and then will see Louis Riel visit Warren today at 4:15 p.m.

The Wildcats close out this month of action with home games against Leo Remillard next Tuesday and Sisler on Nov. 28.

Both games start at 4:15 p.m.



# Midget Lightning suffer pair of weekend losses

By Brian Bowman

The Interlake Lightning were part of two entirely different games against elite opponents last weekend.

One was a close affair in a tough 6-5 loss to the Winnipeg Bruins and the other was a blowout 7-2 defeat against the Eastman Selects.

"We were playing some pretty good hockey for a while," said Lightning head coach Dwayne Swanson. "The Bruins game was really good. We controlled a lot of that game and they're (a top) team."

It was a different story, however, against Eastman.

Eastman, which held period leads of 3-0 and 5-0 against Interlake, saw Cole Dekoninck score twice and add an assist while Josh Beauchemin had a goal and two helpers.

Rylan Hoffman, Hunter Sexton, Kieran Thiessen and Matthew Smith also scored for Eastman.

It wasn't exactly the Lightning's best effort against Eastman.

"That was probably our worst game of the year," Swanson said. "We didn't show up ready to play and I think what happened was our guys threw everything that they could at the Bruins the night before and weren't ready for that Eastman team."

"That's something our guys have to do if they want to play junior hockey."

Connor Dowhy and Bryce Krauter scored third-period goals for the Lightning. Hunter Halcrow assisted on Dowhy's marker.

Eastman outshot Interlake 49-22 as Justin Powers posted the win in goal.

The game, meanwhile, took a sombre tone when Selects' defenceman Matthew Boonstra of Garson was seriously injured late in the second period.

Boonstra, attempting to deliver a check, went into the boards awkwardly and an ambulance was called.

Boonstra, a very talented defenceman, suffered a vertebrae injury.

Saturday evening saw the Winnipeg Bruins beat the Lightning by a goal as the visitors erased a 5-2 deficit.

"We played right with them but it just didn't go our way," Swanson said. "And that's what hockey is all about. Sometimes it goes your way and, to be honest with you, we're still trying to teach our kids how to win games."

"That's a habit you have to learn because a lot of our guys have come through the Lightning (program) not winning a lot of hockey games. They're still trying to learn what it takes to win in the third period."

Winnipeg scored a pair of goals late in the second period and then added two more in the third.

Jason Szun had three of those Bruins' goals while Luc Masse, Corbin Mariash and Ty Naaykens also tallied.

Dylan Fontaine scored a pair of first-period goals for the Lightning and then Marcus Dewey, Gabe Odowichuk and Fontaine notched second-period goals.

Fontaine also added an assist for a four-point game.

"He's brand new to our team and he now has five goals in the last three games," Swanson said of the Brandon product. "He's an offensive kid, which we are sorely lacking of, and he's been a nice addition to the squad. "He's a good, young man and he brings a lot of attributes to our hockey team and were glad to have him."

Both Interlake and Winnipeg scored three power-play goals in the game.

On Nov. 8, the Lightning lost 6-2 at home to the Central Plains Capitals.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY LANA MEIER

The Lightning's Dylan Fontaine scored a hat trick Saturday night during Interlake's 6-5 against the Winnipeg Bruins.

Central Plains led 3-2 after two periods in a good battle between the two clubs but then scored three times in the third.

"We showed some immaturity in the third period, I guess, and lost our composure," Swanson noted.

Tyler Van Deynze scored a pair of power-play goals and then Cameron Trimble added an even-strength marker midway in the period.

Brandon Kochon, Kian Calder (on the power play) and Mitchell Wilson scored the Caps' other goals.

Fontaine answered with a pair of power-play goals for the Lightning. Krauter assisted on both goals while

Corey Soorsma and Odowichuk added helpers.

Interlake, now 4-8, will hit the road for a pair of games this weekend. The Lightning will be in Brandon on Saturday (7:30 p.m.) and Dauphin Sunday (2 p.m.) to play the Parkland Rangers.

Interlake's next home game is Nov. 25 when the Winnipeg Wild travel to Teulon for a 7 p.m. game.

## Mattson has pair of assists in Kelowna victory

Staff

Leif Mattson had a pair of assists to lead his Kelowna Rockets to a 5-2 home victory last Saturday evening over the Red Deer Rebels in Western Hockey League action.

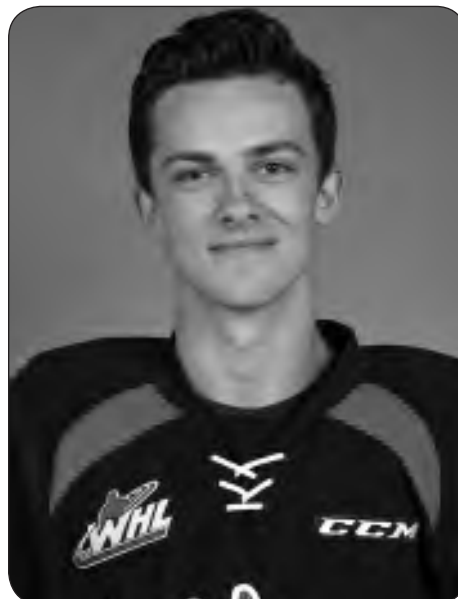
Both of Mattson's assists came on Kelowna's power play, including on the eventual game-winning goal by James Hilsendager at 8:41 of the middle frame.

The Rockets were 3-for-6 with the man advantage in the game while the penalty kill was a perfect 5-for-5.

Mattson, a former Interlake Lightning, has played well this season. The 6-foot, 200-pounder has six goals and 10 points through 10 games. Two of those goals have come on the power play.

Mattson also has a plus-one rating and four penalty minutes.

With the victory Saturday, Kelowna improved its record to 10-6-2-1 on the season heading into this past Tuesday's home game against the Edmonton Oil Kings.



Leif Mattson

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# Jets topple Twins with second-period offensive explosion

By Brian Bowman

The Stonewall Jets needed just over 17 minutes to turn a close game into a rout.

Tied at 1-1 in the second period against the Ft. Garry/Ft. Rouge Twins on Sunday, Stonewall exploded for five second-period goals in a convincing 6-1 Manitoba Major Junior Hockey League victory.

Kyle Doak scored two of those goals while Aiken Chop also finished the game with a pair of goals.

Foster Bytheway and Sam Mandryk each scored their first goals of the season for the Jets in the middle frame.

Cole Ferguson scored at 11:20 of the first period to give the Twins a 1-0 lead.

Stonewall was 1-for-3 with the man advantage while the Twins were blanked in three opportunities.

Curtis Beck made 33 saves for the win. He is currently second in the MMJHL in goals-against average (1.49) and save percentage (.949) to the Hawks' Ryan Hall.

The Jets started the weekend with an exciting 3-2 overtime win over the Transcona Railer Express on Friday

evening.

Ryan McMahon scored his seventh goal of the season for the OT winner, assisted by Devin Muir.

Transcona's Noah Skorpad had tied the score at 2-2 at 12:57 of the third period.

Stonewall's Chase Faulkner opened the game's scoring at 19:19 of the first period and then Transcona's Kelby Picard and the Jets' Max Smith traded second-period goals.

The Jets were outshot 31-21 as Hunter Ploszay posted the win in goal.

With the two wins last weekend, Stonewall improved its record to 11-5 and the Jets now have 22 points to sit tied for third with Transcona (10-5-2).

The defending-champion Raiders Jr. Hockey Club leads the 10-team league with a 14-1-2 record and 30 points, five points ahead of the Charleswood Hawks (11-2-3).

The Jets are back in action tonight when they visit the St. Vital Victorias. Stonewall will then host the St. James Canucks on Friday.

Both games begin at 7:30 p.m.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY JO-ANNE PROCTER

Ryan McMahon battles for the puck in the Stonewall Jets' overtime win against the Transcona Railer Express. McMahon scored the OT goal for the 3-2 win.



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY LANA MEIER

Goaltender Gavin White made 36 saves in Interlake's 7-3 loss to the Pembina Valley Hawks on Nov. 9.

## Hawks fly past Lightning in Bantam action

By Brian Bowman

The Pembina Valley Hawks swooped in on the Interlake Lightning and stole a couple of victories from the local club last week.

Pembina Valley won 7-3 in Stonewall last Thursday and then cruised to a 10-5 triumph on Sunday in Morden.

In Thursday's loss, Jacob Plett opened the game's scoring for the Lightning and then Brett Tataryn and Logan Resch (shorthanded) tallied in the third.

Tataryn, Lane Bond and Zachary Halldorson each had an assist in the game.

In Sunday's defeat, Tataryn led Interlake with two goals and two assists

while Ashton Fisher scored twice and added a helper.

Peyton Bateman scored the Lightning's other goal, assisted by Tyson Barylski.

On Nov. 8, Interlake was defeated 11-1 by the Eastman Selects in Landmark.

Cole Emberly scored Interlake's lone goal in the second period. Barylski drew the assist.

Interlake played the Winnipeg Monarchs on Tuesday and then will host the Winnipeg Sharks Saturday (4:30 p.m.) in Stony Mountain.

On Sunday at 2:15 p.m., the Lightning will play the Winnipeg Hawks at the Maples Multiplex.

## Rams remain winless this month

By Brian Bowman

November has been a tough month so far for the Stonewall Collegiate Rams' hockey team.

Stonewall lost its third consecutive game in November after a 4-1 home loss to College Beliveau last Friday.

Evan Rogers and Quinn Keller scored to give the visitors a 2-0 lead before Stonewall's Seth McMahon cut the lead in half with 10 minutes left in the opening period.

Reis Wasmuth and Blake McClintock assisted on McMahon's goal.

Rogers added his second goal of the game with 5:02 remaining in the first period and then Cade Gillespie closed out the game's scoring in the third.

With the loss, Stonewall saw its record dip to 2-7 in the WSHL's Winnipeg Free Press Division. The Rams

have six points, which leaves them in 10-place in the 13-team division heading into this week's slate of games.

Stonewall played at College Jeanne Sauve this past Tuesday but no score was available at press time. The Rams will then battle Kildonan East at Gateway Blue Arena next Tuesday. Puck drop is 4 p.m.



# Skating excellence Curling bonspiel champs



TRIBUNE PHOTO BY CJ BUTCHER

The Stony Mountain Skating Club was well represented at the Skate Manitoba Sectionals in Virden back on Nov. 4-5.

Local skaters and coaches are now hard at work preparing for the Super Skate competition, which will be held in Winnipeg from Nov. 24 to 26.

Pictured left to right: Marrin McKee, Chloe Beresford, who placed third in Pre Juvenile U11, Vanessa Navarro, Jayla Butcher and Katie Roy. Roy finished second in Pre Juvenile U13.



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Team Walter of the Elmwood Curling Club won the Kyle Flett Memorial MJCT bonspiel in Petersfield last weekend, curling five games without a loss.

The team is now headed to Brandon this weekend for the Sun Life bonspiel and then Hamiota for a berth spot the following weekend. Pictured, left to right: Meghan Walter, Sara Oliver, Morgan Reimer and Mackenzie Elias.

## Special player



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Former Interlake Thunder player Cordell Holder, centre, was named the co-recipient of the Westshore Rebels' special teams player of the year award for the 2017 season. Westshore competes in the British Columbia Football Conference.

## Manitoba Hockey Standings

MANITOBA JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Kenora	16	6	8	0	14	46	49						
Steinbach Pistons	19	16	3	0	32	110	45						
OCN Blizzard	22	15	5	2	32	84	70						
Winkler Flyers	21	15	6	0	30	77	44						
Virden Oil Capitals	19	13	6	0	26	91	54						
Portage Terriers	20	12	6	1	26	78	54						
Selkirk Steelers	19	12	6	1	25	74	62						
Winnipeg Blues	23	10	10	3	23	77	85						
Neepawa Natives	22	10	10	2	22	81	80						
Swan Valley Stampeders	19	6	10	3	15	47	70						
Dauphin Kings	22	4	16	1	10	50	103						
Waywayseecappo Wolverines	22	1	20	0	3	40	142						
MANITOBA MAJOR JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Raiders Jr. Hockey Club	17	14	1	2	30	70	34						
Charleswood Hawks	16	11	2	3	25	42	26						
Stonewall Jets	16	11	5	0	22	50	36						
Transcona Railer Express	17	10	5	2	22	63	50						
St. Vital Victorias	16	9	7	0	18	53	58						
St. James Canucks	17	8	8	1	17	49	48						
Pembina Valley Twisters	16	7	9	0	14	65	68						
St. Boniface Riels	17	6	10	1	13	51	58						
Ft. Garry/Ft. Rouge Twins	17	6	11	0	12	43	53						
River East Royal Knights	17	1	15	1	3	27	82						
KEYSTONE JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Peguis Juniors	9	8	1	0	16	65	20						
Arborg Ice Dawgs	10	7	2	1	15	47	28						
Fisher River Hawks	12	1	11	0	2	26	110						
SOUTH DIVISION							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Selkirk Fishermen	12	8	1	3	19	64	34						
Lundar Falcons	10	7	1	2	16	49	33						
St. Malo Warriors	11	6	3	2	14	50	32						
North Winnipeg Satelites	11	3	8	0	6	39	56						
NORTH DIVISION							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
OCN Storm	9	6	2	1	13	62	38						
Cross Lake Islanders	9	4	5	0	8	53	42						
Norway House North Stars	9	1	7	1	3	31	93						
SOUTH EASTERN MANITOBA HOCKEY LEAGUE							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Altona	2	2	0	0	4	11	6						
Carman	2	2	0	0	4	9	5						
Warren	3	2	1	0	4	16	8						
Morden	2	1	1	0	2	7	5						
Portage	3	1	2	0	2	6	14						
Notre Dame	2	0	1	1	1	6	12						
Winkler	2	0	2	0	0	7	12						
AAA MIDGET HOCKEY LEAGUE							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Brandon	16	14	2	0	28	90	40						
Eastman	16	13	2	1	27	74	48						
Wild	15	13	2	0	26	79	30						
Bruins	16	12	3	1	25	71	51						
Pembina Valley	15	9	4	1	20	50	46						
Parkland	16	8	7	0	17	55	61						
Yellowhead	16	8	8	0	16	56	54						
Thrashers	18	7	10	1	15	53	79						
AAA BANTAM HOCKEY LEAGUE							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Hawks	14	13	1	0	26	118	32						
Monarchs	11	10	0	1	21	75	22						
Sharks	11	9	1	0	19	58	24						
Selects	11	9	2	0	18	77	24						
Lightning	15	5	10	0	10	46	88						
Warriors	12	0	11	0	1	23	75						
MANITOBA FEMALE MIDGET AAA HOCKEY LEAGUE							GP	Reg W	Reg L	T	OTW	OTL	PTS
Westman Wildcats	9	5	1	-	-	2	14						
Eastman Selects	12	6	5	-	-	1	13						
Yellowhead Chiefs	7	6	1	-	-	-	12						
Winnipeg Avros	8	4	2	-	2	-	12						
Central Plains	8	3	4	-	1	-	8						
PV Hawks	9	3	5	-	-	1	7						
Interlake Lightning	9	-	9	-	-	-	-						
MANITOBA HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY Winnipeg Free Press #2							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Shaftebury	5	5	0	0	15	22	8						
Glenlawn	8	4	2	0	15	39	28						
College Bellevue	5	4	1	0	12	26	17						
Sanford	5	4	1	0	12	18	6						
J.H. Bruns	8	4	4	0	12	26	31						
St. Paul's 2	4	3	0	0	11	13	7						
Westwood	8	2	4	0	9	32	39						
Fort Richmond	7	1	3	1	8	24	28						
Steinbach	4	2	1	1	7	20	17						
Stonewall	9	2	7	0	6	18	34						
Kildonan East	5	1	3	0	4	20	21						
College Jeanne Sauve	4	1	3	0	3	11	13						
West Kildonan	6	1	5	0	3	9	29						
MANITOBA HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY Price Division							GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	GF	GA
Murdoch MacKay	9	8	1	0	24	37	19						
Pierre Elliott Trudeau	10	7	3	0	21	37	26						
Leo Remillard	7	5	1	0	17	31	17						
Louis Riel	8	4	3	1	13	27	30						
John Taylor	8	3	4	1	10	29	25						
Lorette	9	3	6	0	9	25	44						
Linden Christian	7	2	4	1	7	22	28						
Sisler	6	0	4	0	4	21	28						
Warren	8	1	7	0	3	25	37						

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Sudoku Answer

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Crossword Answer

# CROSSWORD

CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Holds candles
- 7. In possession of
- 10. Rodents
- 12. Type of cofactor (Brit. sp.)
- 13. Hard candy on a stick
- 14. Animal of the weasel family
- 15. Things that should not be overlooked
- 16. "Silence" author
- 17. Dried, split lentils
- 18. People native to Ghana
- 19. Barros and Gasteyer are two
- 21. British thermal unit
- 22. Large oblong hall
- 27. Ethnic group in Asia
- 28. Holiday decoration
- 33. Milliliter
- 34. Open
- 36. Health physics concept (abbr.)

- 37. Tantric meditation
- 38. Where golf games begin
- 39. Birth swine
- 40. Rip
- 41. Remove
- 44. Puts together in time
- 45. Rotary engines
- 48. Skeletal structure
- 49. Member of a labor organization
- 50. Japanese classical theater
- 51. Undergarments

CLUES DOWN

- 1. "Snake Tales" cartoonist
- 2. Religious group
- 3. Singer Redding
- 4. \_\_ and tuck

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- 5. Head honcho
- 6. Second sight
- 7. Composer
- 8. About aviation
- 9. Senior officer
- 10. Forecasts weather
- 11. Seasoned Hungarian soup
- 12. Town in Hesse, Germany
- 14. Thought to derive from meteorites
- 17. Hit lightly
- 18. Seemingly bottomless chasm
- 20. Title of respect
- 23. Warms up
- 24. Man and Wight are two
- 25. Type of scan

- 26. Atomic mass unit
- 29. Article
- 30. Inculpate
- 31. Passes by
- 32. Most nerve-inducing
- 35. David Alan Grier sitcom
- 36. Achieve
- 38. Freshwater fish
- 40. Beginner
- 41. Dark brown or black
- 42. A newlywed wears one
- 43. DiFranco and Vardanyan are two
- 44. Diego, Francisco, Anselmo
- 45. Ancient Egyptian King
- 46. Old name (abbr.)
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151200	SE 1/4 18-14-1 EPM EXC FIRSTLY: NLY 1200 FEET OF WLY 1200 FEET SECONDLY: SLY 261 FEET OF WLY 1558.19 FEET AND THIRDLY: ELY 405 FEET OF WLY 1158.19 FEET OF NLY 405 FEET OF SLY 666 FEET - 0136 E PR 323 ROAD 80N	L -\$190,100 B -\$38,100	\$7,790.03
334000	ELY 576 FEET PERP OF WLY 1680 FEET PERP OF SLY 680 FEET PERP OF SW 1/4 7-16-3 EPM - 12046 E ROAD 91N	L -\$39,500 B -\$59,300	\$5,169.62

The tax sale is subject to the following terms and conditions with respect to each property:

- The purchaser of the property will be responsible for any property taxes not yet due.
- The Municipality may exercise its right to set a reserve bid in the amount of the arrears and costs.
- If the purchaser intends to bid by proxy, a letter of authorization form must be presented prior to the start of the auction.
- The Municipality makes no representations or warranties whatsoever concerning the properties being sold.
- The successful purchaser must, at the time of the sale, make payment in cash, certified cheque or bank draft to the Rural Municipality of Rockwood as follows:
  - The full purchase price if it is \$10,000 or less; OR
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- The risk for the property lies with the purchaser immediately following the auction.
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Dated this 23rd day of October, 2017.

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Proud grandparents are Megan and Perry Taylor and Rick McDonald and Traci Longley.



## ANNOUNCEMENT

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We would like to thank our son Carl and his helper for the wonderful 60th Anniversary party they put on for us. Thank you to all our friends and relatives that came from near and far, for all the cards, gifts, flowers and phone calls.

God Bless you all.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

### IN MEMORIAM



**Robert Peltz**  
In Loving Memory  
of our beloved son, brother, uncle  
**Robert**  
who left us suddenly  
on November 19, 1983

There will always be a sadness,  
And often a silent tear;  
But always special memories  
Of days when you were here.

-Lovingly remembered by Mom,  
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Ashley, Keegan, Ashley, Jason, Ryan,  
Lachlan and Sophia

## OBITUARY



#### Barry Wendell McMahon

On November 8th, 2017, Barry Wendell McMahon passed away peacefully at Goodwin Lodge surrounded by family.

Barry is survived by his loving wife and best friend of 58 years Shirley. Also survived by his daughter Kelly (Joel), son Keith (Gail), daughter Karin (Ian); grandkids Erin, Brett, Penny (Jay), Kelsey (Ryan), Taylor, Ryan, Cole, Campbell and Christine; brother Bill (Bea); sisters-in-law Frankie, Linda, Lorraine, Faye, Stephanie, Joan; brothers-in-

law Murray, Richard and Jack and many nieces and nephews.

Barry was born on August 26th, 1938 to Alex and Edith McMahon and lived his whole life in Teulon, MB. Barry was a very hard working man who always put his family first. Barry worked for the Department of Highways and then moved to the Hosiery mill. From there Barry went to work as a custodian at Teulon Collegiate Institute until his retirement after 32 years.

Barry loved to cook and often cooked Sunday dinner. He also loved to bake and always helped Shirley make all of the Christmas goodies. Shirley's favorite holidays to celebrate with Barry were their anniversary and Christmas. Barry loved hunting and it was always a big adventure when hunting season rolled around. What started as a yearly outing with his buddies soon became a cherished family tradition with his son, son-in-law and grandkids. He coached baseball for several years and always made time to drive his son to hockey and his girls to figure skating. He was always a home body, but his favorite trip was when he and Shirley flew to Campbell River to see his sister Irene and to see the ocean. Barry took pride in everything he did and was always tinkering, building bird houses and gardening. He loved horses – riding out on his horse Peggy with his buddies and going to "the Downs" to help his Dad Alex. Barry's grandkids were the light of his life and they all agree that he gave the best bear hugs.

Even in his failing health Barry always had a smile and a twinkle in his eye. He fought a hard battle and now he is at peace. We will miss you and love you always.

Shirley and family would like to express our sincere gratitude to the staff of Teulon Hospital and Goodwin Lodge for their exceptional care and unwavering compassion during Barry's last years.

At Barry's request there will be no funeral. A private family interment to follow "2 hours before sunset on a sunny summer day" just as Barry wished.

Family is in the process of setting up a memorial bursary in Barry's name – as Barry has said "If every student who walked the halls during my 32 years at T.C.I. donated something, think of how many kids we could help". In lieu of flowers donations may be made to this bursary, at the T.D. Bank, Teulon Branch, account No. 6214734 or to Teulon Hunter Memorial Hospital Foundation or Goodwin Lodge Teulon Foundation – donations for both can be sent to Teulon Memorial Health District Foundation Inc. Box 312 Teulon, MB., ROC 3B0.



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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**IN MEMORIAM**



**Eric John Schott**  
January 28, 1957 – November 20, 2007  
Remembering you is easy,  
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Missing you is the heartache,  
That never goes away.  
You may be gone from our sight,  
But you dear Eric,  
Are never gone from our heart.

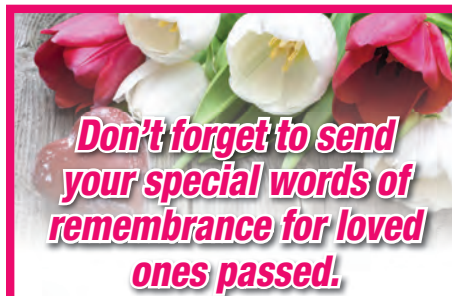
-Lots of love,  
Marlys, Daniel, Monica  
Bonnie and Stacey

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**IN MEMORIAM**

In Memory of our son  
**Eric Schott**  
January 28, 1957 – November 20, 2007  
Treasured memories keep you near,  
As time unfolds another year.  
No longer in our lives to share,  
But in our hearts you're always there.

-Love,  
Dad, Mom and family



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**OBITUARY**



**Lilly McCarthy (Jorheim)**  
February 27, 1922 – November 12, 2017

Peacefully, at the age of 95 years, Lilly passed away in Teulon Manitoba.

Lilly was predeceased by her husband Frank and her parents Ole and Ingrid; siblings Ed, Ole, Clarence, Bill, Bert, Norman, Betty, Alice; sisters-in-law Pearl, Rita, Anne, Verna; brothers-in-law John, Harry, Roy, Norman and Gerry. She is survived by her daughters Lorelie, Peggy (Al), Rory; granddaughters Kristy (Cam) and Marcy; great-grandchildren Tate and Ruby; sisters Irene, Margy, Alma (Herman), Violet and sisters-in-law Frieda and Ingrid, as well as many nieces and nephews.

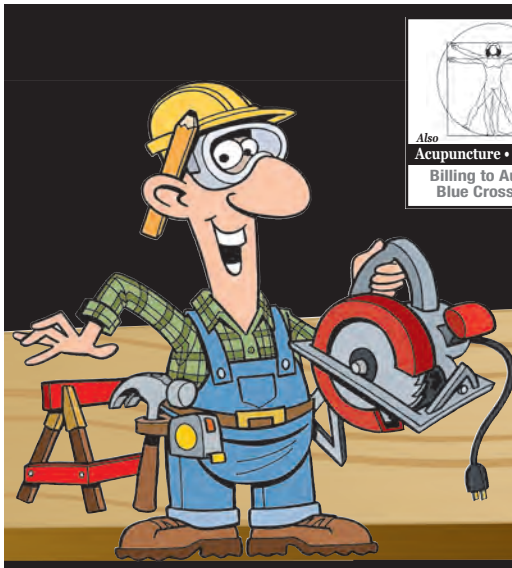
Lilly was born on the family farm at Inwood Manitoba, and was the oldest daughter of 13 children. She attended Union Prairie and Inwood Schools. Lilly left home at an early age to work in Winnipeg. In 1951 she married Frank McCarthy and they resided in the Brooklands area of Winnipeg. In 1973 Frank passed away and in 1974 Lilly sold her house and moved to East Kildonan. In 1993 Lilly moved to Teulon Manitoba and at the time of her passing was residing at Goodwin Lodge.

Lilly took a special interest in her great grandchildren Tate and Ruby. She loved to look at their pictures and enjoyed watching them grow up. She also enjoyed our family pets and was always willing to help out with our many dogs, cats and even chickens! She liked doing crossword puzzles, especially the daily Jumble, knitting, reading, going for long walks and visiting with her sisters. She made the best fruitcake, shortbread and ginger cookies and we all looked forward to her Christmas baking. This past summer Lilly enjoyed visits with her sister Violet and niece Chris from BC and her niece Inger Lise from Norway.

The family would like to express their thanks to the staff and caregivers at Goodwin Lodge and Hunter Memorial Hospital for the excellent care and kindness given to Lilly.

At her request no service will be held. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the charity of your choice.

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