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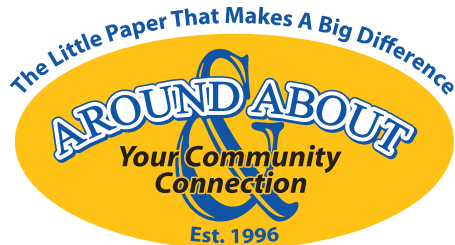


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Stuff The Bus:  
Food Drive In Its 3rd Year



By *Chloe Kneer* - For the third year in a row, Veterans Transportation has teamed up with PaperWorks Ink, the Espanola Express and area schools for Stuff The Bus, a food drive for the Espanola Helping Hand Food Bank, leading up to Thanksgiving. Newly on-board this year are Espanola High School and Franco Ouest.

You can send your children to school with canned goods and non-perishables, or you can drop them off at one of the many locations until next Tuesday, October 4. On October 4, Veterans will send a bus to each drop off point to pick up the goods and, hopefully, "stuff the bus." "With EHS and Franco Ouest helping out this year, we are hoping for a bigger and better drive to help the food bank going into the holiday season," said Veterans Transportation's Melissa McKee.

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## Stuff The Bus: Food Drive In Its 3rd Year



**Photo:** Ecole St. Joseph students help load the school bus during last year's Stuff The Bus.

The collection has become a bit of a contest amongst the schools to see who can stuff a full bus on their own. Last year, Ecole St. Joseph collected the most items.

Espanola Express players will be on hand to help unload the buses at the EHHFB after everything has been picked up.

## ATV Poker Run Benefits Muscular Dystrophy



**Photo:** A total 206 riders enjoyed the beautiful weather on September 17. A drone captured the bikes on shore and rinsing off in House Lake.

**By Trevor McVey** - Well let's start by saying WOW. Over 200 participants and more than \$5,000 raised for Muscular Dystrophy. That is over double what we collected at last year's event. The weather was perfect. A little bit of rain fell at the start of the ride, but that helped to knock down the dust, fill the holes and make the trail a little greasy. We were extremely pleased that so many people came out to ride their ATV's.

The committee would like to thank all the local businesses and our ATV dealers. They truly stood up and supported us. The prizes were awesome. Then we would have to thank the Espanola Firefighters Association for their members who volunteered to help out on the day. Lots of work went into this event to make it go off. Shout out to the Elks for giving us a hall to house the event and spaghetti supper after.

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# All The World's A Circus

William Thomas

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## The Global Disease Of "Stupidity" Is Spreading

The latest addition to Bill Bryson's ongoing series of travel books written, as always, from the keen eye of a curmudgeon is titled *The Road To Little Dribbling*. Not my favourite, but few writers can take the utterly mundane and make it instantly funny as hell.

In this book about meandering around his adopted country of Britain, he referenced the Dunning-Kruger Effect, a theory put forth by two academics at N.Y.'s Cornell University claiming that this world has become so stupid, we the people are unable to realize how stupid we have become.

And it's not just individual stupidity. Not just what Justin Bieber does or Donald Trump says or Lady Gaga wears, although the puzzling support for Trump's bid to become President of the United States suggests a public dumbing down of an entire nation that is happening faster than the onslaught of global warming.

The Dunning-Kruger Effect points to a more general slide in values and poor judgment in the world – global brain cramps like The Panama Papers, Brexit and the ongoing existence of the Canadian Senate.

A small section illustrating the rape of our oceans is based on the book *Ocean Of Life* by Callum Roberts. As we constantly overfish and under-manage our seafoods and driving all life below the surface into extinction, Roberts offers up a startling example of deep sea stupidity. The following is a documented ledger of a fishing boat off the Pacific coast with a licence to catch only mahi-mahi, thereby making all other types of sea life illegal to keep. In one day, this professional trawler caught 211 mahi-mahi, but in the process hauled aboard and tossed back

dead: 488 turtles, 455 stingrays and devil rays, 460 sharks, 69 sailfish, 34 marlin, 32 tuna, 11 wahoo, 8 swordfish and 4 giant sunfish. And you thought your kids with their picky eating habits were wasteful?!? What's worse, this red sea slaughter according to international fisheries rules or the illegal pillage of marine life by the Chinese who enjoy throwing sharks overboard after they've sliced off their fins for soup? Should this commercial fishing brainlessness continue, someday soon there will be no edible life in the oceans.

In the 1980s the world fell in love with personal home computers, machines that broke down for no apparent reason, wiped out information, lost files and without warning, just crashed. So did we go back and fix the technology that was rushed prematurely to the market place? No, we proceeded to redesign cars that so that they are now essentially computers on wheels. Hackers can now honk your horn, lock your doors and disable your car while you are motoring down the highway. Idiocy in motion.

In a colossal mistake by misinformed voters, Britain exits the European Union, thereby restricting their young to domestic-only jobs and making David Cameron the man who will go down in history as the dumbass Prime Minister who broke up the British Isles. And instead of a 'do-over' or a snap election to reverse this example of mass stupidity, British leaders stumble down the path of their own ruin. Once brilliant enough to break down Nazi Germany's Enigma code system, how thick have the Brits become?

Canadian taxpayers send large cheques

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to Revenue Canada while the Mike Duffys and the Pamela Wallins slurp and snort at the overflowing trough of government largess. A half million pissed-off people on Parliament Hill would close down that retirement home for floor-flushing, well-connected seniors who park their fat asses in the Canadian Senate. But no, with not a protest sign in sight, those tax cheques arrive on time, too. How dumbed down have Canadians become?

After 20 children were shot and killed at Sandy Hook on December 14, 2012 President Barack Obama looked America in the eyes and said: "Your children or your guns!" America responded very clearly with 1,126 mass shootings since and at least 1,252 dead. How gun-crazy foolish are Americans today? The world is supposed to be evolving into a place of higher intellect and more compassion for displaced people and the less fortunate, instead we're reverting back to tribalism and killing people who don't look or think like us. As of 2014, there are now 10 official wars happening around the world, 8 active military conflicts and others, most civilian cross-border wars involving 64

countries and 576 militias. Why? Mainly "because my invisible god is way better than your invisible god!" More and more the world cannot keep burning down the rain forests or devote vast tracks of arable land for animal feed so that people in the richest countries can enjoy burgers. More and more the medical experts are urging us to eat less meat and more plants to reduce heart disease, diabetes, obesity, etc. As I'm writing this, the Junk Food Festival is being held in Toronto. Yeah, let's not just gorge ourselves on unhealthy crap, let's celebrate its popularity with a festival. The big buzz this year is about Glo In The Dark Ice Cream. Like we need another really fun way to get more sugar into the kids. Almost across the street at Harbourfront, Veg Food Fest is celebrating its 32nd. Good luck with that. Never truer are the words of Forrest Gump who said - "Stupid is as stupid does." But no one warned us it could be contagious.

For comments, ideas and copies of The Legend of Zippy Chippy, go to [www.williamthomas.ca](http://www.williamthomas.ca)

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All volunteers will receive an orientation on June 29 at 6:15 p.m. prior to the awards presentations. Please email [laclocheshow@hotmail.com](mailto:laclocheshow@hotmail.com) with your name and phone number if you are interested.



**Photo:** Judith Mosher presents Sacred Heart student Paige Eadie the award for best Student Artwork.

**Universities Coming To EHS**

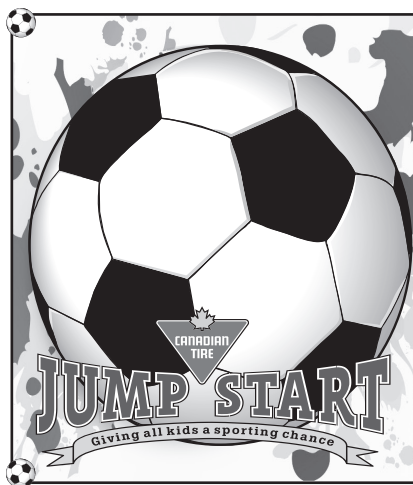
Representatives from Ontario's twenty-one universities will be at Espanola High School on Monday, October 3 from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. for the University Information Program (UIP). This free event offers high school students from the surrounding area, and their parents, the opportunity to speak in-person with multiple university representatives. Students and families from any high school in the area are welcome to attend. The UIP offers students who are considering an Ontario university the opportunity to learn more about admission requirements, scholarships, residence, the application process, campus life and much more. The event is designed to assist graduating high school students in making an informed decision before they apply to university in January 2017. The event also aims to help younger students with high school course selections in order to guide them toward future university programs. Students and their parents will have the chance to attend a fair-style session, held in the school's gym, where they can visit each Ontario university representative individually. Students can confirm the UIP schedule with their guidance office. The UIP is hosted exclusively by Ontario universities. Each university participates in joint visits to high schools across the province each fall. The event is organized by the Standing Committee on Student Recruitment and the Ontario University Registrars' Association.

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## Recipe

Use a leftover ham bone to make this creamy, satisfying, and very wholesome soup. Cooking it low and slow is the best method for creating creamy, delicious split pea soup. It all starts with a 16 ounce bag of green split peas which are rich in soluble fiber keeping cholesterol and blood sugar levels in check. They are high in protein and low in fat, and make us feel full for a long time. Be sure to rinse and pick through the peas to remove any small pebbles or debris that commonly get mixed into the bag.



## Slow Cooker Split Pea Soup

Servings: 6 to 8 servings

### Ingredients

- 1 (16 ounce bag) green split peas, rinsed well and drained
- 2 carrots, peeled and chopped small
- 2 ribs celery, chopped small
- 1/2 cup finely chopped white or yellow onion
- 1 tablespoon minced garlic
- 1/3 cup chopped fresh Italian (flat leaf) parsley
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh thyme
- 1 bay leaf
- 1 teaspoon salt, plus additional as needed
- Fresh ground pepper, to taste
- 1 meaty ham bone
- 6 cups low-sodium chicken broth (or more, as needed), divided

Layer the ingredients, around the ham bone, in a slow cooker in the order listed. Add about 4 to 5 cups of chicken broth, just enough to cover ingredients. Reserve remaining chicken broth for later. Cover and cook on HIGH for 7 to 8 hours. Stir occasionally during cooking time. When peas are tender, remove ham bone to a cutting board. Pull off and tear the ham into small pieces and return it to the slow cooker. Discard ham bone and bay leaf. Use a spoon to lightly mash some of the peas against the side of the slow cooker and stir until nice and creamy, adding more broth, if needed, to reach desired consistency. Taste and season with additional salt and pepper, as needed.

This soup freezes exceptionally well. Freeze cooled soup in freezer containers. Thaw overnight in the refrigerator and then reheat in microwave or in a saucepan on the stove. When reheating, thin with a little water or chicken broth, if desired.



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**Poste:** Éducateur/trice de la petite enfance  
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**Nombre d'heures/semaine:** Temps plein

**Date prévue d'entrée en fonction:** Le plus tôt possible

**Emplacement :** Centre de la petite enfance  
d'Espanola 333 boulevard Mead, Espanola (ON)

### Compétences requises :

- Diplôme d'Éducation en services à l'enfance et/ou l'équivalent
- Connaissance pratique de la loi sur les garderies
- Doit être enregistré(e) et membre en règle de l'Ordre des éducatrices et des éducateurs de la petite enfance (OEPE)
- Flexible en ce qui concerne les heures de travail assignées
- Compétence de travailler seul ainsi qu'en équipe; requiert de bonnes compétences interpersonnelles
- Avoir l'aptitude de respecter le caractère confidentiel de la position
- Bonne capacité de communication écrite et verbale en français

### Responsabilités :

- Planifier et exécuter un programme cohérent d'après les besoins des enfants conformément aux normes d'All Star Children Services Inc.
- Évaluer le niveau de développement des enfants
- Assurer la supervision et l'orientation des activités quotidiennes, des sorties éducatives et des activités
- Démontrer un engagement envers l'apprentissage des enfants
- Autogérer le développement professionnel continu
- Modérer un comportement approprié pour le personnel, les enfants et les parents
- Guider le comportement des enfants de manière à promouvoir l'autonomie et le concept de soi positif
- Faire preuve de professionnalisme dans tous les aspects du travail
- Assurer une communication positive avec les parents et coéquipiers

**S'il vous plaît faire parvenir votre lettre de présentation et votre curriculum vitae d'ici le vendredi 30 septembre 2016 à :**

**All Star Children Services Inc.**  
**À l'attention de: Brigitte Drouin, Directrice générale**  
**160, avenue Spruce**  
**Elliot Lake, ON**  
**P5A 2C5**  
**Télécopieur : 705-848-4993 Courriel :**  
**ascs@adsab.on.ca**

## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE** - ATV up seat, like new. Fits Yamaha. Asking \$100. Call 705-869-2969. 10/4

## ENTERTAINMENT

**MARSHALL'S BAR AND GRILL** - Presents live music: Elijah and the Backburners. Thursday, September 29, 2016. For more details go to: MarshallsBarGrill Facebook page. 9/27

## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT** - Lang Lake Resort - Waterfront suites and cottages available for rent. Full kitchen, satellite TV, Jacuzzi tub. Call 705-285-4241 for monthly rates. Available October 1. 9/27

**FOR RENT** - 2 bedroom apartment, available November 1. \$900 all inclusive. 705-862-2467. 10/11

**FOR RENT** - One bedroom apartment available immediately, 2 bedroom November 1. 45 Arthur Ct, Espanola. No pets, references required. Call 705-869-5989. 10/18

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The **Espanola Regional Hospital and Health Centre** is currently seeking passionate, qualified applicants for the position of...

### Medical Dictatypist

(Permanent, Part-time)

In this role, the successful candidate will be charged with transcribing and/or editing complex clinical documentation from voice-to-text using voice recognition products in an acute health care setting. All individuals in this role are charged with acting in accordance with the Hospitals rules on Ethics and Confidentiality.

The successful candidate will possess exceptional organizational ability and will be highly adept at filing information and using transcription equipment. Individuals in the Medical Dictatypist position will be expected to work independently and with minimal supervision. Bilingualism in French and English is an asset, as is previous related experience working in the healthcare setting. Completion of a Medical Office Administration training program is most beneficial.

Applicants in consideration for the position will be required to submit to a Hospital-issued typing test.

Please submit your cover letter and resume, outlining all relevant qualifications, as soon as possible.

At the Espanola Regional Hospital, we are committed to our "patients first" philosophy and are seen as a model organization for small communities. If you would like to be considered for this exciting opportunity, please apply in confidence by forwarding your resume and cover letter, outlining all relevant qualifications, to:

Human Resources  
Espanola Regional Hospital and Health Centre  
825 McKinnon Drive, Espanola, Ontario P5E 1R4  
Fax: (705) 869-4039  
Email: [recruitment@esphosp.on.ca](mailto:recruitment@esphosp.on.ca)

Thank you for your interest.  
Only those applicants under consideration will be contacted.



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## NOTICE

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S.D. 2001, C.25  
RR.O.1990, Reg. 824

### FORM 6 SALE OF LAND BY PUBLIC TENDER

The TOWNSHIP OF SABLES-SPANISH RIVERS

**Take notice** that tenders are invited for the purchase of the land( s) described below and will be received until 3:00 pm local time on **October 26, 2016, at the Township Offices, 11 Birch Lake Road, Massey, Ontario POP 1PO.**

The tenders will then be opened in public on the same day at 3:15pm local time, at **the Township Offices, 11 Birch Lake Road, Massey, Ontario.**

#### DESCRIPTION OF LAND(S)

File	92,973 (ID SSR 15-02)
Roll no.	000-001-15001-0000
Pin	73424-0102
Property	PCL 6085 SEC SES; PT LT 11 CON 6 HARROW AS IN WP3151 EXCEPT LT 29615 & PT 1 53R17037; SABLES-SPANISH RIVERS

#### MINIMUM TENDER AMOUNT \$7,776.81

Tenders must be submitted in the prescribed form and must be accompanied by a deposit in the form of a money order or of a bank draft or cheque certified by a bank or trust corporation payable to the municipality (or board) and representing at least twenty per cent (20%) of the tender amount.

Except as follows, the municipality makes no representation regarding the title to or any other matters relating to the land(s) to be sold. Responsibility for ascertaining these matters rests with the potential purchasers.

This sale is governed by the Municipal Act; 2001, and the Municipal Tax Sales Rules made under that Act. The successful purchaser will be required to pay the amount tendered plus accumulated taxes and the relevant land transfer tax.

The municipality has no obligation to provide vacant possession to the successful purchaser.

**For further information regarding this sale and a copy of the prescribed form of tender contact:**

Title	Name of Municipality or Board
Patricia Deline, Treasurer	Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers
Address of Municipality or Board	Phone No. of Municipality or Board
11 Birch Lake Road, Massey, Ontario POP 1PO	705-865-2646



705-869-6883

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