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# **Express Teddy Bear Toss Offered Plenty Of Fun**





The Annual Express Teddy Bear Toss in partnership with the Espanola Lions Club was held on Friday, December 7th between the first and second period of the Espanola Express game. Kids threw their stuffies and teddy bears on to the ice and members of the Massey Predators Minor Hockey helped pick up the softies. The toss is part of the Espanola Lions Club Annual Toy Drive, which wrapped up this week just in time for Christmas.

Photos by Rosalind Russell and Grant Lewis.



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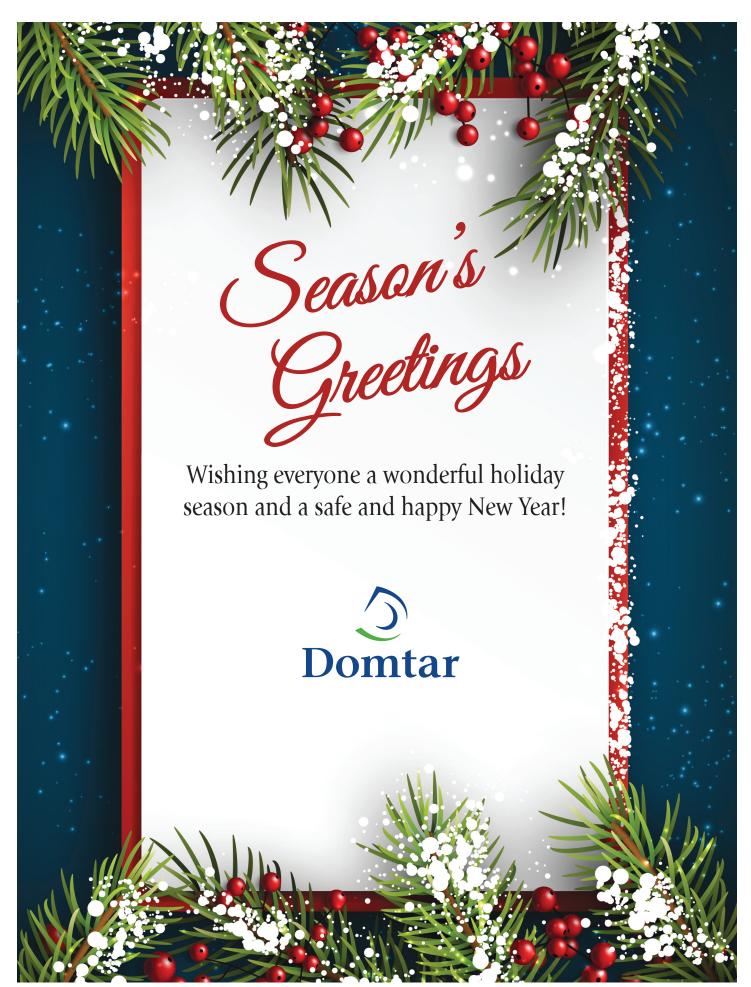
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# All The World's William Thomas

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### "I Got Holes In My Head And They Won't Go!"

last week than moles. In China 149 miners survived that country's latest coal mine disaster but 32 did not.

Near Whiteville, West Virginia Cody Beverly lead two friends down into the abandoned Elk Run coal mine with the intention of stealing copper. They were trapped without food, water or light for four days. Rescue workers managed to pull the three dirty and desperate trio to safety. After thanking his saviours and telling the press it was a "life-changing experience for me," the 21-year-old Beverly gave the finger to a photographer taking his picture. Trapped in a deep black hole can make a man humble and grateful. Suggested headline: Thief Digs Himself a Deep Hole When Confronted By Copper!

In San Lorenzo, California a 29-yearold man stripped naked on the roof of a Chinese restaurant and slid down the vent into the kitchen. Using the steel chute like a waterslide, he entered Chef Kwong with the intention of robbing the place of appliances. But the vent took a sharp turn over the kitchen stove and he became trapped and struggled for two days in guck and grease to get out. It wasn't until the owner of the business next door heard the man's moaning that he was rescued by firefighters who had to cut through sheet metal to release him. Looking like a well-done Peking duck, the guy lived but not to tell his story. So far he's not cooperating with police. Trapped in a dark, greasy duct for days can render a man speechless. (At least until he's talked to a

There were more people falling down holes lawyer.) Suggested title: Naked Man Jumps into Grease Pit, Lard Ass First.

> And then there's Julia Roberts. Last week the actress was not so much trapped down a dark hole as she was entrapped by a 'holey'

> In a puff piece distributed to American newspapers by the Associated Press, the editor of the Post-Journal in Jamestown, New York made a type-setting error that nobody caught until it went Internet viral. The headline on the entertainment article above Julia's confident face read: "Julia Roberts Finds Life and Her Holes Get Better With Age."

> I mean, you gotta hope it was a typo. I can't speak for her ears but those nostrils look like they've seen better days!

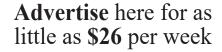
> No, this is Julia Roberts and unless she's had some serious cosmetic work done on her belly button, that 'hole' thing is definitely a typo.

> And although I'm taking the high ground on this one, Lestor Lawrence, the guy who smuggled \$190,000 worth of gold out of the Royal Canadian mint in his rectum – he could not make that same claim!

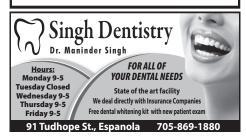
> Let's remember this is Julia Roberts not Gwyneth Paltrow who probably would boast about her holes getting better with age and attributing the improvement to her Tushy Clip-On-Bidet at only \$69 plus shipping on Goop.

> Of course it was an innocent mistake in a frantic business with over-worked people groggy right up until deadline. Still, it was

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ridiculous! "Julia Roberts Finds Life And Her Holes Get Better With Age." A fourth-grader can clearly see that the headline should have read: "Julia Roberts Finds Life And Her Rolls Get Better With Age."

Typos! The bluebirds of happiness of the newspaper industry. We love 'em. We repeat 'em. I collect 'em. Some typos can bring great relief. Like the news item in Silicon Valley's Mountain View paper: "Police received a report of a newborn infant found in a trash can. Upon investigation, officers discovered it was only a burrito." Yeah, but big burrito! Okay?

There are some typos that leave you speechless: "One-Armed Man Applauds The Kindness Of Strangers." Or "Homicide Victims Rarely Talk To Police." (Yeah, but when they do, people listen!)

Some typos are irrefutable if a bit odd: "Statistics Show Teen Pregnancies Drop Significantly After The Age of 25.

Ghoulish? "Students Cook And Serve Grandparents." Yes, until that little preposition 'For' gets out in front of the grandparents. Some typos just defy logic. "Worker Suffers Leg Pain After Crane Drops 800 Pound Ball On His Head." Sore leg but one helluva hard head.

A few typos if not corrected could change history. "President

Woodrow Wilson Spent An Evening At The Theatre Entering The Ladies." (Mrs. Wilson must have really been passed off!)

Sometimes there's a very good reason for a newspaper mix-up. From the Spokesman-Review/ Spokane, Washington: "An April 5th story stated Mary Fraijo did not return a reporter's calls seeking comment. Fraijo died last December." See? Not avoiding. Just chillin'.

And that 'hole' episode with Julia Roberts was not the first time the Jamestown Post-Journal got a headline hilariously wrong. Years ago when I taught a writing course at the nearby Chautauqua Institute, I used to read that paper daily. No cartoon or humour column ever made me laugh out loud like this one, 'the mother of all corrections: "The Band Raging Saints base their music on Born Again Christian principles and the King James version of the Bible. They are not 'unrepent-ant headbangers' as was reported in our Nightlife column last Saturday. The Jamestown Post-Journal regrets the error." Don't we all!

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### Sable-Spanish Rivers 4-H Club Members Had A Fabulous Year



Dianne Emery says 4-H members and leaders gathered at S. Geiger Public School to celebrate their accomplishments in 2018 on Thursday, December 13th.

The Plowman's Association Award for the Top Senior member was presented to Faith Emiry.

The club also selected three outstanding members to receive free memberships to 4-H for 2019: Leah Emiry, Chloe Day and Rachel Joyce.

Emiry adds the evening also featured the club's Go for the Gold team who competed at the Provincial Go for the Gold competition in November, placing fourth in the province.

Members also received awards for participation and leadership. Eight members were selected to receive Head, Heart, Hands, and Health awards. They were Anabelle Ropp, Chessa Dorion, Max Meier, Morgan Wagler, Taryn Jerome, Kyara Vuorensyrja, Elizabeth Roy, and Alyssa Labelle.

The club also honoured members who will be graduating from secondary school in 2019, namely Faith Emiry, Heidi Meier,

Makenna Constantin, Grayem Vuorensyrja, and Emily Camillo. Faith, Heidi, and Makenna also received recognition for being Youth Leaders in 2018 along with Montana Brandow. They were presented with 4-H backpacks through the Kubota Canada 4-H Youth Leader recognition program.

Emiry says the Sables-Spanish Rivers 4-H club extends a huge thank you to community members and organizations who helped with clubs and special

Thanks to that support, the club was able to offer 12 projects covering topics such as cooking with chocolate, crafts, dairy calf club, leadership, ukulele, and

There are over 70 members ranging in age from 6 - 20 years old. Six to eight year olds are Cloverbuds and 9 - 21 year olds can join 4-H.

Another exciting year of 4-H will begin in January with membership night on Thursday, January 10th. 7:00 to 8:00 pm at S. Geiger Public School.

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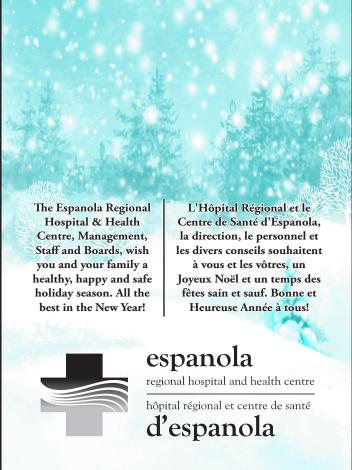
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## Giving A Helping Hand



to: the directorate of staffing policies and programs at the Department Of National Defence senior team working Rosalind's with daughter, Natalie Donohue, who donated \$310 to go ongoing towards necessaries food

bank clients will need in the new year. Thank you!!

Photo: Volunteers with the Espanola Helping Hand Food Bank dropped by the Moose studios on Monday, December 17th, to pick up the shoeboxes and bags filled with necessaries for those in need.

Instead of getting presents, Moose Morning Host, Rosalind Russell, asked for people to put together shoeboxes for the Espanola Helping Hand Food Bank. Around 20 shoeboxes and bags filled with necessaries for men, women and children were collected. And, a huge shout out

### **Espanola Royal Bank Staffers Gives Back**

The Royal Bank staff in Espanola was busy preparing for the Holiday Season.

Tammy Meloche says the staff has been hosting dress down Fridays with the donations going to the Espanola Helping Hand Food Bank.

And last week, they wrapped boots for under-privileged children that need them.

The bank donated \$1,000 to the cause.

And, Meloche adds the staff even gave up their Christmas Party this year to do up two Christmas baskets for two clients of Espanola Community Living.

Photo of staff doing their seasonal best to make Christmas brighter. Photo supplied





#### What Would Christmas Be Without School Concerts?



Sacred Heart School in Espanola is just one of several schools who held a Christmas pageant to mark the season. Plenty of talent to be found in our younger citizens. Photos by Rosalind Russell



### Preliminary Study Of Little Current Swing Bridge Up For Review

A preliminary study of the Little Current Swing Bridge, which is the direct link to the mainland and Highway Six, is available for public review.

The Ministry of Transportation is hosting the study since the bridge may need replacing due to age and the cost of ongoing repairs and was modified for highway traffic in

It undertook a study this fall outlining possible alternatives and have come up with five: do nothing and continue to maintain it as best they can; replace with a ferry; replace with a tunnel; replace with a moveable bridge or replace with a fixed bridge.

The Little Current Swing Bridge was built in 1913 by Algoma East Rail as a rail bridge connecting Manitoulin Island to the mainland. The second of three public review sessions is set for August where the alternatives will be discussed with the public.

For the link to the study, go to: http://swingbridgestudy.ca/



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#### **MEETINGS**

Massey Agricultural Society monthly meetings - 3rd Thursday of the month. Held at Massey Firehall @ 7pm. (Next meeting is November 15th) We welcome the public's attendance. 04/23

#### **SEASON'S GREETINGS**



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#### THANK YOU



# Thank You



The Baldwin Recreation Committee would like to thank Leonard and Bernie Houle (aka Santa and Mrs. Clause). You do a wonderful job and are greatly appreciated. Also thanks to Curtis Taylor for all your hard work the day of the event.

A special thank you to Baldwin Township, Goodman's Motel, Tim Horton's, Wendy's, Alta Vista Motel, Vern Gorham, Giant Tiger, Canadian Tire, Espanola Home Hardware, Rainbow Chrysler and A. Massicotte Trucking for your generous donations.

Thanks to everyone's help the party was a huge success. See you next year!

#### **OBITUARY**



Jones – Norman Frank of Sagamok passed away at the Espanola Regional Hospital on December 13, 2018 at the age of 84. Dear son of the late Arthur & Julia (nee Toulouse) Jones. Beloved husband of Marcella (nee Eshkokegan). Loving father of Jeffrey Jones (wife Karen) of Orillia. Cherished grandfather of Perri-Lyn Toulouse. Dear brother of Mary Ann Trudeau (husband Joe), Pauline Eshkokegan (partner Frank), Jessie Roy (late James) and Roger Jones (partner Cheryl) all of Sagamok and the predeceased by Bernard, William, Charles,

Leonard, Edward, Viola, Dorothy Daughtry and Bernadette. Also sadly missed by many friends and relatives. Visitation was at the New Sagamok Community Centre on Saturday December 15, 2018 from 11 AM. Funeral Mass was on Monday December 17, 2018 at St Raphael Spiritual Centre at 11 AM. Interment in the New Sagamok Cemetery. Arrangments by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.

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## Recipe

This is a great recipe for holiday entertaining. You can substitute the pepperoni and mozzarella with bacon and cheddar cheese and also make these for breakfast.



#### Sausage and Pepperoni Pizza Puffs

- 3/4 cup flour
- 3/4 tsp baking powder
- 1/2 tsp garlic powder
- 3/4 cup whole milk
- 1 egg, lightly beaten
- 4 oz mozzarella cheese, shredded (about 1 cup)
- 2 oz mini turkey pepperoni, (about 1/2 cup)
- 4 oz sausage, cooked and crumbled I
- 1/2 cup pizza sauce

Pre-heat the oven to 375°. Grease a 24-cup mini-muffin pan. In a large bowl, whisk together the flour, garlic powder and baking powder; whisk in the milk and egg. Stir in the mozzarella, sausage and pepperoni; let stand for 10 minutes. Stir the batter and divide among the mini-muffin cups. Bake until puffed and golden, 20 to 25 minutes. Meanwhile, microwave the pizza sauce until warmed through and serve with puffs for dipping.

#### **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

#### Notice of Annual General Meeting Tuesday, January 15th, 2019 Massey Legion (upstairs) Time: 7:00 p.m.

All members are invited to the Annual General Meeting of the Massey Agricultural Society.

#### At the Annual Meeting:

The Board of Directors shall present:

A report of the Society's activities and accomplishments A detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year Financial Statements prepared by Freelandt, Caldwell, Reilly

The general membership will appoint the Secretary and Treasurer. Such positions will be voting members of the Executive.

The general membership will elect 10 Directors to represent the Board of Directors of the Society. The new Board of Directors will elect from themselves a President, Vice President, 2nd Vice President (officers of the Society to be known as the Executive).

Should you wish to address the membership at this meeting please advise the Secretary in writing prior to January 1st, 2019 of your intent and the topic you wish to address so that the agenda can be finalized.

Noreen Clement, Secretary/Treasurer masseyfair@bellnet.ca or Massey Agricultural Society, Box 728, Massey, Ontario POP 1P0

#### **Massey Agricultural Society**

# **COMMUNITY NOTES**

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**Massey Community Christmas Dinner** - December 25, 4:00 p.m. at the Massey Legion. If you would like to join us or need a ride call Penny 705-865-2467.

**Free Christmas Dinner** - 4:30 p.m. Christmas Day at the Espanola Legion. Everyone welcome. If you are able to attend or need a ride please call Joan 705-869-1648 or Laurie 705-865-2346.

**Northshore Pins & Needles Quilting & Stitchery Guild** - Next meeting, Wednesday, January 23, 7:00 p.m. at the Espanola Royal Canadian Legion. New members welcome.

**The Manitoulin Navy League Robbie Burns Fundraiser Dinner** — Saturday, January 26, 6:30 p.m. at the Manitoulin Hotel and Conference Centre, Little Current. For ticket or more info call 705-368-3718.

**Meat Roll-offs** - The Espanola Helping Hand Food Bank with be hosting at the Espanola Legion every Saturday at 3:30 pm. for the month of January.

**From Soup to Tomatoes** - Basic Class 9:00 - 9:45 a.m., Gentle Class 10:00 - 10:45 a.m., Yoga Class 11:00 - 11:30 a.m. Mon-Wed-Fri at the Elks Hall for all three classes. Mon-Wed-Fri Basic class only at the Seniors Drop In Centre.

Free Indoor Pickle Ball - Mondays 7:00-10:00 p.m. & Saturdays 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. at the Espanola High School Gym. Begins Saturday, November 3. Contact Mike 705-662-5859 or Greg 705-863-2684.

## Do you have a NOTE for the Community?

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