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## New Logging Book Attracting **Plenty Of Attention**



Photo - A local area historian, John Haegeman, has compiled a book, The History and Location of North Shore Logging Camps, which is filled with photos and historical anecdotes. The book will be available shortly. Photo by Rosalind Russell.

By Rosalind Russell - A book that focuses on the history of logging camps is getting plenty of buzz in the Espanola area.

Eighty-four-year-old John Haegeman was a fur trapper back in the 1980s when he met up with Damien Lunning who introduced him to log hammers.

Haegeman says the law to mark logs for transport came into being in 1870 but was discontinued in the 1940s with rivers no longer being used for transportation.

He had collected hundreds of the



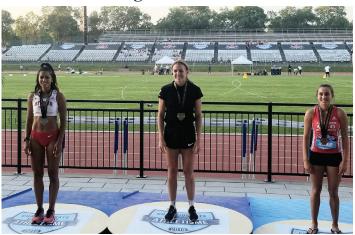
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#### Caroline Ehrhardt Wins Eighth National Title



**Photo** - Caroline Ehrhardt was on the podium once again Saturday, July 27 to accept a gold medal in triple jump. Photo supplied by Dave Gallant.

Caroline Ehrhardt was on the podium once again Saturday, July 27 to accept a gold medal in triple jump.

This is the eighth national title for Ehrhardt who won her event with a jump of 13.35 metres.

She took the win at the 2019 Canadian Track and Field Championships held in Montreal.

Ehrhardt began her jumping career at Espanola High School under the guidance of former coach David Gallant breaking records along the way since her first big win over a decade ago.

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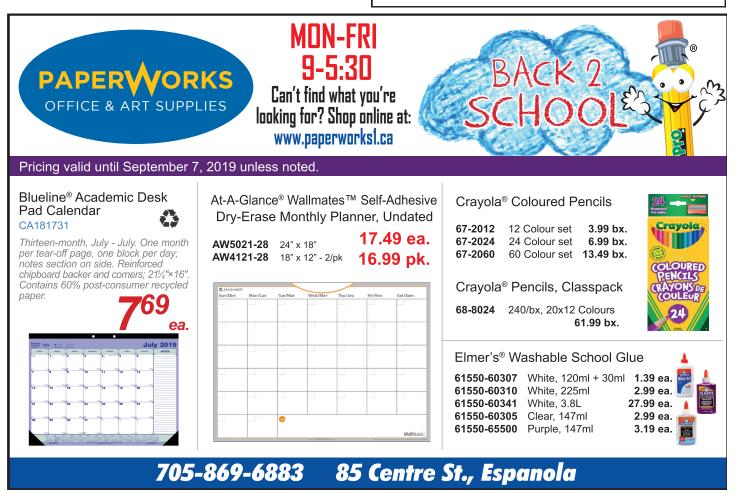
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# All The World's Circus William Thomas

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# **Sports - A Really Bad Metaphor For Life**

You know what's wrong with sports Philadelphia's 'Broad Street Bullies' today? Underwater hockey. And chess boxing, really bad officiating, drug cheaters, too many games, tickets that England. cost the same as your first car, violence, concussions, a new baseball rule in which score against first-time qualifier Thailand a batter can steal first base, the salary cap, greedy agents, meddling NHL parents, the uniforms of the Vegas Golden Knights, crotch scratching, serial horking, the price of a cup of beer and human-being impersonator Richie Incognito?

And as far as new sports go, I'm definitely against the Baby Olympics in which children between two and four years of age compete in gymnastics, basketball, football and wait-for-it...weightlifting. But I'm all for lifting the weight you married and running through an obstacle course with that bride draped awkwardly over your shoulders. In Finland's Wife Carrying Championships, the winners earn their weight in cheese and the losers go home in separate schlumbergers, not puhuminening to each other.

Car curling is apparently quite popular except with insurance agents while in Beer Pong, a ping pong drinking game, many matches are postponed due to too much vomit on the table. Haggis Hurling and the Hairiest Back Championships actually draw crowds.

But you know what's really rotten in sports today? The US Women's National Soccer Team! I have never seen a more talented team of athletes behave like such a bunch of knuckle-dragging boors at the recent FIFA World Cup in France.

come to mind but even those vulgarians stopped short of insulting the Queen of

First the US unmercifully ran up the to a humiliating 13 to 0 defeat. But all the while they lavishly celebrated each and every goal--dancing, sliding, splashing, fist pumping--it was so over-the-top, normally stoic commentator Kaylyn Kyle said: "I'm disgusted. There are kids watching this."

After scoring a big goal against England, Alex Morgan celebrated by mockingly sipping a cup of tea with her pinky finger sticking out. An ugly American abroad sticks her thumb in the eye of the Queen of England. Afterward Captain Megan Rapinoe screamed out some sort of victory tirade punctuated by F-bombs throughout. The message: "So as we grow the game in America let's make sure all the little boys and girls learn to be just as pompous and gross as we are!" Arrogant, crude and cruel--who do these women think they are? The US Olympic men's swim squad?

Recently the US House of Representatives voted 240 to 187 to publicly condemn President Donald Trump's latest racist screed to send four elected representatives, all women of colour, back to their "broken and crime-infested countries." All are Americans so...yeah, they're pretty much already there. Given his endless list of crimes and scandals, the president is also

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guilty of really bad geography. Sports? Oh yeah, the 2022 Professional Golf Association Championship will be held at Trump's Bedminster Golf Club in New Jersey. In light of the president's selfcreated crisis of racism in America, some are calling for the tournament to be moved elsewhere. Still denying he's a racist, the president claims this is a really stupid idea especially since he's already paid for the "White's Only" signs for the washrooms.

The City of Toronto has a noise problem so they sent a delegation down to New York City to see how that metropolis dealt with its daily dilemma with din. Sinatra was right. Apparently over the years New York actually did become "The City That Never Sleeps." Why didn't Toronto just send a delegation down to Exhibition Place and cancel the Honda Indy which you can hear as far away as Niagara-On-The-Lake for three earsplitting days?!? Save the gas, spare the pollution and make Toronto so quiet even people in the suburbs could hear that day's downtown shooting. The Indy-- identical cars operated by nearly identical drivers going round'n round in a circle until some guy who can't stand the boredom anymore runs out onto the track with a checkered flag and puts an end to it all.

which is not really a sport but an extremely silly game of Scrabble played on a soccer pitch. On what planet would a score of six runs be called a Dorothey Dix and an erratic swing at the ball is called a Perhapser. A &#%K@\*! Perhapser!?! Like a freaking "If By Chancer!" Any game in which a bowler can toss a dibbly-dobbly with a spinning googly to a poor-hitting rabbit hoping that his sweeper can pull off a lolly between the fly slip and cow corner- should be banned in public places everywhere. I tell you it's enough to break one's duck. And yes I'm aware of the Global T20 Canadian Cricket League but frankly I don't give a slog sweep!

And the last word on "Goodbye Kawhi." Had sound reasoning and wisdom been involved in his decision to stay or leave Toronto, Kawhi Leonard would have been a Raptor for the next five years. I mean you really have to worry about reasoning power of a guy who forgoes the adoration of an entire nation so he can live closer to wild fires, mud slides and earthquakes.

Why do we watch sports in this day and age? Because it's slightly less depressing than the news.

And for comments, ideas and copies of The Legend of Zippy Chippy go to

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Manitoulin Special Olympics Snowshoeing **Team Going To Nationals** 



Photo - The Manitoulin Special Olympics snowshoeing team. Supplied by MSO.

The Manitoulin Special Olympics snowshoeing team, which brought home a total of 15 medals from the Ontario Special Olympics provincial winter games held earlier this year, have been selected to compete in the 2020 Canada National Winter Games. The National Games will be held in Thunder Bay next year from February 25 to 29.

Manitoulin Special Olympics coach Judy Olacke has also been named as one of the coaches for the games.

"It is with great pleasure that we make the first announcement for the Team Ontario training squad for the 2020 National Winter Games which will take place in Thunder Bay, Ontario from February 25-29, 2020.

"The National Games will host 1,185 athletes, coaches and mission staff from across the country," stated Team Ontario Chef de Mission Juli Prokopchuk making Brattan when the

announcement.

Team Ontario is comprised of 251 athletes, 70 coaches and 16 team management.

The athletes named to Team Ontario will begin their training immediately in preparation for the National Games with the goal to be selected to Team Canada for the 2021 World Winter Games to be held in Sweden, says Prokopchuk. "We feel the members of Team Ontario will represent our province with dignity, respect and with great enthusiasm to perform at their highest ability. We are very excited to be working with the members for National Games."

Athletes Bruce Van Horn of Mindemoya, Dayne Tipper of Mindemoya, Mark Dokum of Wikwemikong, Normand Daoust of Mindemoya have all been named to the Ontario team to compete at the National Games following their multiple wins at the provincial games held in Sault Ste. Marie this past February.



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### Espanola Gets Major Funding For More **Highway Six Rehabilitation**

Highway 6 – Centre Street in Espanola will be redone next year.

Espanola is receiving \$3-million to reconstruct the main highway in the Espanola Mall area of town from the McDonald's restaurant to McCulloch Drive through the Connecting Link Program.

Another major section of The funding covers up to 90 per cent of eligible project costs, to a maximum of \$3 million.

The funding will cover the design, construction and replacement of the major byway.

The work will be carried out next year.

### Sables-Spanish Rivers Township Council Will Survey Building Fees

Sables-Spanish Rivers Township council is undertaking a poll of other municipalities to see how they set their building permit fees following several concerns raised by local residents and business owners.

Council has met with several farmers over the last month including Charlie Smith and John Mooney who both expressed their alarm over what they believe is exorbitant fees.

Township CAO Kim Sloss says the fees were reviewed in 2012 and 2016.

Mayor Leslie Gamble says township staff is polling other communities to see what their fees are for different classes of development and how they are set.

However, he cautions there may not be any changes made. Council will discuss the poll results at their August meeting.





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## **New Logging Book Attracting Plenty Of Attention**

hammer stamps used by the companies that had logs transported down the Spanish River and the stories that go along with them.

Filled with photos and historical anecdotes, "The History and Location of North Shore Logging Camps" will be available shortly.

Haegeman admits he has always been a collector.

"I didn't even know what a hammer stamp was, but quickly did some information gathering and found it fascinating. I started to explore some of the old logging camps, many of them now abandoned, of course, looking for the stamps.

His book features 275 old logging camps, which Haegeman admits, Google Earth helped him locate when he went exploring, sometimes days at a time.

He also got a hold of another "Registered Timber book, Marks of Eastern Canada", featured all which the registered hammers, what they looked like, where they were used and who used them, including the companies that logged the North over the decades. It was completed in 1985.

He says his collection is wide and varied.

"One hammer took me 21 years to find, another 30. Physically, I found it sometimes demanding, but I loved going out and exploring the camps. Sometimes I would go back three, four, five times before finding a hammer.

The logs were brought down the Spanish River in huge booms. They were deliberately cut to 16 feet, six inches. "The extra six inches were to allow for any damage to the end of the logs when they went over rough water or through rapids. The Town of Spanish was the hub of activity during those 'boom' times.

"The loggers would sort up to 32,000 logs a day, they literally would eat while walking and working the logs, amazing balance," he explains.

"Twenty-five companies used the river and each one of them had their own stamps applied to the wood. In Spanish, they would be sorted into separate booms lined up along the edge of the harbour. The booms were huge, 20,000 logs in one boom going to the Blind River mill, up to 50,000 for booms transported to Bay City, Michigan.

Haegeman described one stamp, which he considers a favourite; the EDDY Brothers stamp.

"There were four brothers from Bay City, Michigan who were all involved in logging. Their stamp was made up of four E's etched into the metal. It was called the Box E Hammer."

He admits his health is not as good as it was, so his exploring days are over. The book is a culmination of his life's work. He credits many people with helping bring it together, with a special thank you to his wife, Claudette, who "always had supper waiting."

Anyone interested in knowing more can contact Haegeman on Facebook, via email: haegeman@cyberbeach.net or call 705-869-2394.



# **TOWNSHIP OF SABLES-SPANISH RIVERS**

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#### **NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING Concerning Application for Consent**

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers will hold a public meeting on Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 6:00 p.m., at the Township Office, 11 Birch Lake Road, Massey in order to consider a proposed application for Consent under Section 53 of the Planning Act, RSO 1990 as amended.

#### Consent File No. C-19-06

The purpose of this consent application is to provide for a lot addition in the Rural zone. The property is described as Salter Township, Broken Front Concession, Lot 14, at 985 River Road.

The lands subject of this application is not subject of any other Planning Act application.

**TAKE NOTICE** that if you wish to be notified of the decision of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers on the proposed application, you must make a written request to the Clerk of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers. To appeal the decision to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal, send an appeal form to the Clerk of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers outlining the reasons for the appeal. You must enclose the appeal fee of \$300.00 for each application appealed, paid by cheque, made payable to the Ontario Minister of Finance.

If a person or public body would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Council of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal but the person or public body does not make oral submissions at the public meeting or make written submissions to the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers before the bylaw is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision.

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at the public meeting, or make written submissions to the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers before the decision is made, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Tribunal, unless in the opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION regarding this application is available at the municipal office at 11 Birch Lake Road, Massey, during regular office hours.

Dated this 6th day of August, 2019 Kim Sloss, Clerk-Administrator

#### MASSEY-WALFORD HORICULTURAL SOCIETY

55th Annual Flower Show August 8th, 2019 Massey Legion from 12:00pm – 2:00pm Theme: Dragonfly in the Garden



Location: Massey Heritage Park (at the lights in Massey)

When: Fridays from June 28th – October 4th Time: 3:00PM – 7:00PM

Did you know that you can be an occasional vendor at our farmers' market? Blueberries and raspberries are in season and we would love to have them! If you are out picking and would like to set up your table at the market on Fridays, the cost is \$5.00 for local vendors (within the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers) and \$10.00 for vendors outside the Township. Don't miss out on this opportunity, call Lisa Hobbs at (705)-869-2646 or email: ecdev@sables-spanish.ca ASAP to register your spot today!

#### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Accounting Clerk Internship

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**Job Description:** Duties will include a range of accounting and administrative functions within a municipal environment, including accounts payable/receivable processing, reconciling bank statements, assisting with tax collection activities, cash receipting and general office duties as required. Municipal accounting experience and experience in an administrative office setting are considered to be assets. General knowledge of computerized financial software is required.

**Qualifications:** The successful candidate must be a university or college graduate who has graduated within the last three years from an accredited college or university. The candidate must be a graduate of a post-secondary degree or diploma program in business or accounting. The position will be a first full-time employment in the candidate's field of study. A criminal records check will be required from the successful candidate.

Application Deadline: Written applications shall be accepted by the undersigned until 12:00 p.m. on Monday, August 26, 2019. E-mail and faxed applications accepted.

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#### NOTICE OF THE PASSING OF ZONING BYLAW (Planning Act-Section 34)

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers passed Bylaw 2019-36 on the 24th day of July, 2019.

**PURPOSE AND EFFECT:** The purpose of the zoning amendment is to provide for an increased percentage of lot coverage in the Rural zone. The effect is to allow for construction of a storage building. The land to which the bylaw applies is described as Victoria Township, Section 28, Parcel 28-4-4 at #6 Wuorinen Road. This application is not subject of any other application under the Planning Act.

APPEAL - The last date for filing a notice of appeal of the by-law is **August 26, 2019.** Any such appeal must be filed with the clerk of the municipality and must set out the reasons for the appeal and must be accompanied by the fee required by the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal. Only individuals, corporations and public bodies may appeal a by-law to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or the group on its behalf. No person or public body shall be added as a party to the hearing of the appeal unless, before the by-law was passed, the person of public body made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the Council of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers or, in the opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to add the person or public body as a party.

This bylaw is available for inspection in the municipal office during regular office hours.

Dated this 6th day of August 2019 Kim Sloss, Clerk-Administrator



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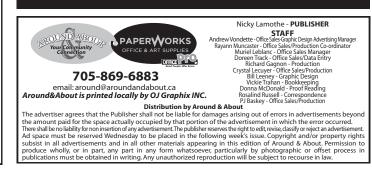


Laplante – Douglas R. (July 29, 1949 – July 29, 2019). It is with heavy hearts that we announce that Doug, a lifelong resident of Massey Ontario, peacefully passed away on his 70th birthday at Health Sciences North, Sudbury with his devoted wife of 42 years, Armande (nee Roy)by his side. In addition to Armande, Doug will be lovingly missed by his children Angela Rodrigue (Roch) and Darcy (Amie Mathie), his beautiful granddaughters Gabriella, Kylie and Emily-Rae of Espanola, as well as many family members and friends.

many family members and friends. Family & friends joined for the interment of Doug's cremains at the Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Massey on August 2, 2019 at 11 AM, followed by a gathering at the Royal Canadian Legion in Massey. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Doug's memory to the Espanola Regional Hospital Foundation or the Royal Canadian Legion – Branch #432. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



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The Espanola Express is pleased to announce that Lisa MacDonald Beauchamp has accepted the position of Billet Coordinator. Lisa and her husband Don have been a billet family for the past 7 years.

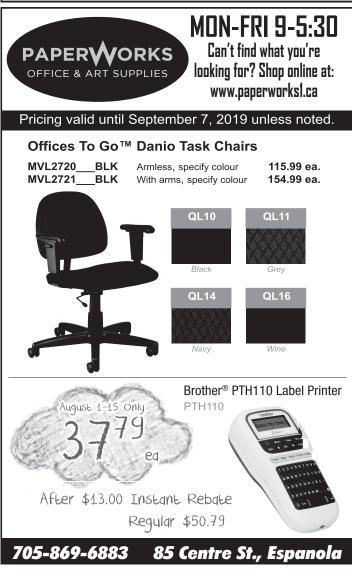
The Express are currently looking for interested and qualified families who would like to house an Express player for the upcoming 2019/20 season.

The Espanola Express currently provide the following benefits to our billet families:

- ✓ \$500 monthly Room and board allowance
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Interested in becoming a billet family? Please contact Lisa by calling or text 705-662-2629 or email con\_kat@hotmail.com



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COMMUNITY NOTES



Massey-Walford Horticultural Society's 55th Annual Flower Show. - "Dragonfly in the Garden" at the Royal Canadian Legion Massey Thursday, August 8. Lunch 12:00 p.m., followed by flower show until 2:00 p.m.

**36th Annual Jessie Burnside Memorial Art Show** - Runs the whole month of August at the Massey Area Museum Stop in, admire the art and vote for your favorite.

**Espanola Public Library Board Game Night** - NO fee or registration required! Every 3rd Thursday of every month 6:00-8:00 p.m.

**Lighthouse Community Lunch -** Free community luncheon at the Lighthouse, across from the Royal Bank, every second and fourth Tuesday of the month, 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Do you have a NOTE for the Community? We invite not-for-profit organizations to submit information on their upcoming events in writing no later than Wednesdays at 3:00 p.m. 25 Word Limit. E-mail: around@aroundandabout.ca

# Recipe

My friend shared this recipe with me stating "these are the best blueberry muffins ever!" Fortunately for me, we have a blueberry patch close to our house and I



had just picked a bowl of berries, so I tried it and she was right. They are rich and delicious; the secret being the sour cream. The recipe makes a large batch of muffins so I froze half to enjoy later.

#### **Blueberry Cream Muffins**

• 4 eggs

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- 2 cups white sugar
- 1 cup vegetable oil
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 4 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 cups sour cream
- 2 cups blueberries



Preheat oven to 400 degrees F (200 degrees C). Grease 24 muffin cups or line with paper muffin liners. In large bowl beat eggs, gradually add sugar while beating. Continue beating while slowly pouring in oil. Stir in vanilla. In a separate bowl, stir together flour, salt and baking soda. Stir dry ingredients into egg mixture alternately with sour cream. Gently fold in blueberries. Scoop batter into prepared muffin cups. Bake in preheated oven for 20 minutes.