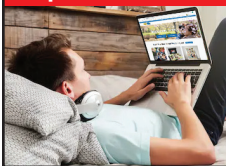
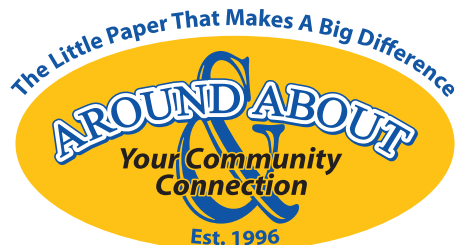


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Day For The First Time In
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Friday, September 24, was a special day for students and staff at École catholique La Renaissance in Espanola. Having moved recently to their new school, students celebrated Franco-Ontarian Day by taking part in a march to the former École Saint-Joseph and École secondaire catholique Franco-Ouest sites to recuperate the Franco-Ontarian flags that were still flying in front of their former schools. Afterwards, students proudly marched in the streets towards École catholique La Renaissance so that the flag could be raised for the very first time in front

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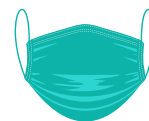
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École Catholique La Renaissance Students Celebrate Franco-Ontarian Day For The First Time In Their New School

of their new school. The flag-raising ceremony was a very emotional activity and the perfect way to celebrate their new school.

Also as part of Franco-Ontarian Day, Kindergarten to grade 12 students took part in a series of fun-filled activities. Students had the chance to display with pride green and white clothing in their classroom while taking part in stimulating activities highlighting Franco-Ontarian culture. The COVID-19 pandemic will not prevent students and staff from proudly celebrating their identity and their belonging to the Francophonie in Ontario.

The provincial Franco-Ontarian day, celebrated officially since 2010, took place on September 25. The date marks the anniversary of the Franco-Ontarian flag, which was flown for the first time in Sudbury in 1975. CSC Nouvelon school students and staff take great pride in celebrating the flag's 46th anniversary. The day of activities, while recognizing our Francophone and Catholic heritage, also promotes the excellence and dedication of our students and staff as they seek to widen their Francophone space and live their own culture to the full in the province of Ontario.

Rainbow Board To Discuss Saving Of A.B. Ellis PS Proposal



The trustees of the Rainbow District School Board will be reviewing a proposal for saving AB Ellis Public School in Espanola soon.

Rainbow Community Non-Profit Housing spokesperson Fred Yackman and consultant Angela Roy presented the board with their findings last week demonstrating the feasibility of the vacant school building being converted into housing for senior and low-income residents.

Yackman says the feasibility study carried out by Roy shows the viability of conversion to housing units. He told the trustees they have applied for a planning grant but need the board to put the

motion on hold to demolish the school and turn it into a parking lot before moving forward.

He emphasizes they want to work with the board on a common meeting ground including negotiations for the property, which he says is owned by the taxpayers of Espanola, who he says were not properly consulted about the disposal of the property when the board moved students into the shared space at Espanola High.

Board chair Doreen Dewar told Yackman the trustees will have to meet and discuss the proposal and will respond to the requests in the near future.

Scouting Weekend Kicks Off Program



By Rosalind Russell - Beavers, Cubs, Scouts and Venturers braved the elements and held their first fall camp at Chutes Provincial Park two weekends ago.

Scout troupe leader, Rob Haarmeyer, says the youth, girls and boys from Copper Cliff and Espanola, enjoyed crafting rafts and constructing shields based on a Viking theme and floating them down the river.

He adds the scouts went on a hike and also learned knife, axe

and saw skills, how to work together in cooking supper and keeping the campsite clean.

Haarmeyer says the skills they learned this weekend will help as they fundraise for FinJam in July of 2022 (an international scouting event in Finland) so keep your eyes open for Scout popcorn, Scout Coffee, a 50/50 draw and even porketta bingo ... mmm!

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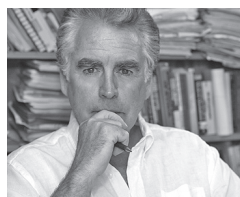
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Billionaires Rocket Into The Great Beyond! Sadly, They Keep Returning To Earth.

All of a sudden we are witnessing a brace of billionaires puttering around in space. First Richard Branson aboard Virgin Orbit rocketed into the ionosphere and nine days later Jeff Bezos followed on Blue Origin. At least six other members of the "One Thousand Million Dollar Club" including hotelier Robert Bigelow and Microsoft's Paul Allen have plans to travel to the great beyond. Elon Musk has been quoted as saying he 'wants to die on Mars' and if his spacecraft performs like the four previous SpaceX prototypes that crashed and burned upon landing... he might just get his wish.

Branson's venture could be described as 'one small step for man; one giant leap for a guy who only 17 months ago was begging Britain for a \$700 million COVID-19 bailout and offering his \$100 million Caribbean island as security.

Branson and his shaggy mane spent four minutes in space, far short of the record set by the shorthair Russian dog Laika who entered the upper atmosphere in 1957 and is still up there somewhere.

But it was the universally-disliked Jeff Bezos who had the roughest ride into the world of self-made astronauts. Apparently 1.3 million Amazon employees applauded and cheered as their boss was launched into space but things quickly turned ugly when they were told that he'd also be returning to earth. (Not making this up — an online petition to keep Jeff Bezos in outer space collected 165,000 signatures as soon as it was posted.)

To put the time frame in perspective, his ex-wife, MacKenzie Scott, now worth \$35 billion herself, took more time to have her nails done than Bezos spent in zero gravity.

Bezos and his cowboy hat spent approximately 10 minutes in space or as one disgruntled Amazon employee

characterized it... maternity leave. If I were Bezos I'd be very, very nervous about getting into a space craft made by non-unionized workers.

Musk was thrilled to see Bezos doing back flips in zero gravity because for those ten minutes Elon became the richest man back here on planet earth. While sucking on a blunt, Musk was seen wildly applauding Bezos' trip until somebody explained to him it was "ten minutes in space" not "ten minutes spaced out."

Way too obvious to overlook, Bezos' rocket, The New Shepard, looks exactly like a penis or from a slightly different angle... Ted Cruz.

Bezos actually auctioned off the seat next to him in the spacecraft and I thought, with his net worth at \$196.3 billion why didn't he just pay for that seat and leave it vacant so he doesn't have to fight the guy next to him for the armrest!?

Watching all the amateur astronauts eating skittles, spinning upside down and uncorking Champagne upon landing, I remember thinking — couldn't they at least pretend to be doing some sort of cancer research in weightlessness to make themselves look less like a bunch of out-a-touch elitist loons? With their total of trillions of wealth they could end world hunger or eliminate future pandemics or reverse global warming. "Amazon buys The Amazon," has a nice ring to it. But no, all that money for a "Toy Store Space War."

Conan O'Brien summed up this new space race best when he said: "I dream of the day when space travel is available not only to billionaires, but to any person with a net worth of over \$500 million."

I like to think this whole space extravaganza began with Branson, Bezos and Musk betting on who could pay the least taxes, then escalated to who had the biggest

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booster rocket and wound up in thin air 80 kilometres above the bar they were in.

Next thing you know somebody will mention that the oceans are the earth's last unexplored frontiers and suddenly Mark Zuckerberg and James Cameron will be playing bumper cars with nuclear submarines 20,000 leagues under the sea. Zuckerberg's first shot into space will represent a homecoming because he kinda looks like he came from there.

Despite Musk's dream to create a city on Mars or Bezos' plan to build colonies in Earth's orbit, both of these flights were nothing more than crass advertising for the future business of space tourism — quick, sightseeing tours at the edge of earth which will make the incomprehensible rich even richer. Can you imagine if they're right and the price of space rides comes down to where the average person can

afford it?

"Excuse me, could I get a glass of wine?"

Stewardess/flight attendant/astronaut: "No. Tang or recycled pee with ice."

"Pee!"

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Elks Lodge 346 Hospital Equipment Donations - If you are in need of any hospital beds, wheelchairs, shower chairs or commodes etc, please call Steve Philpott at 249-879-8634.

Al-Anon Support for families and friends - Troubled by someone's drinking. Meetings every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. at St George's Anglican Church, Tudhope St. More information @ al-anon.org

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

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Espanola Does Not Pass A Vaccine Policy For Employees

The Town of Espanola has bucked the trend when it comes to putting a vaccine policy in place for municipal employees. Discussions were centred around the possible dismissal of staff.

Council discussed the topic for nearly an hour, with Town CAO-treasurer Allan Hewitt telling council dismissal would be the very last resort.

Councillors did not agree.

With one councillor absent, it went to a recorded vote which ended in a tie, defeating the motion.

Mayor Jill Beer says that puts Espanola in the position where

it has no vaccination policy for town staff as recommended by governments and health agencies.

Councillor Heather Mallot was absent from the meeting.

Councillors who voted in favour of the policy are Bill Foster and Sandra Hayden, as well as Mayor Beer. Councillors Ken Duplessis, Ray Dufour and Maureen Vanalstine voted against.

However, vaccination policies are in place for the public.

As of last Wednesday, proof of vaccination is needed at the Espanola Regional Recreation Complex.

Recipe

A quick, easy and delicious recipe. A perfect meal for a busy weekday, but also an impressive dish to serve to guests. Place everything on a large platter and allow everyone to assemble their own pitas.

Sheet Pan Chicken Pitats with Tzatziki

- 1 lb boneless skinless chicken breasts, cut into thin strips
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 tbsp olive oil
- 1-2 tbsp lemon juice
- 1 tsp each of cumin, smoked paprika, kosher salt
- ½ tsp curry powder
- Black pepper
- 2-3 bell peppers, sliced into strips
- Tzatziki sauce (homemade or store bought)
- Cucumbers, diced
- Red onion, diced
- Kalamata olives
- Feta cheese
- Pitats or Naan bread

Preheat oven to 425 degrees. In a bowl mix the chicken with garlic, 1 tbsp olive oil, lemon juice, cumin, smoked paprika, salt, curry powder and pepper. Marinate for 30 minutes (don't marinate for too long or it changes the texture of the chicken). On a sheet pan toss the peppers with olive oil and salt. On a second sheet pan, place the chicken pieces. Cook both for 10-15 minutes or until chicken is cooked and peppers are browned. (If you have a large sheet pan you can put the chicken on one end and the peppers on the other end). Serve chicken and peppers on a platter or on the sheet pan with Tzatziki sauce, pita or naan bread, and all the fixings on the side. Everyone can build their own pitats.



No Minor Hockey In Massey This Year – Full Steam Ahead In Espanola

The pandemic and other ongoing challenges have led to the minor hockey season being cancelled this year in Massey.

The Massey Predators usually sport several teams in the league every season, but due to low enrolment and a lack of volunteers, there will be no organized games this year. Meanwhile, the Espanola

Eagles roster runs for several ages with their first day of regular play on September 26th.

Due to Massey minor hockey having to fold, the Espanola league is currently making waitlists for all our teams. Please email info@espanolaminorhockey.com to be added to the list with the child's name and division.

Thank You



Tim Horton's staff receiving gift baskets from the Espanola Food Bank for all their help with a successful Smile Cookie campaign

By Grant Lewis - The Tim Horton's Smile Cookie Campaign is over for another year. It was fun, frantic, involving a lot of volunteer hours. But, someone had to bake and sell these cookies. HUGE thanks to the management and staff at the two Tim's locations in town. They were also fun, frantic at times, but VERY busy. Not only did they have to deal with their regular customers, but also these annoying ☺☺ volunteers wanting more cookies to decorate. Everyone survived! You have to be there and actually see the hectic pace the staff have to maintain so that everyone gets the right doughnut and the correct coffee order. Many thanks to you all. The Helping Hands Food Bank hopes you enjoy the well deserved gift baskets.

Then there are the countless volunteers from the Food Bank and other groups in town who made this all possible: the Royal Bank, Espanola Gardeners, Espanola Lions, Royal Canadian Legion, and of course Helping Hands Food Bank. I hope people didn't take a close look at the smiley faces!! Some were a little "unsmiley"! Others, if you used your vivid imaginations, could discern a slightly humanoid face!

And....the winners of our friendly competitions were.....drum roll please....Tanner's Your Independent Grocers, Remedy RX, (I'm assured by a totally reliable source at Robinson's that this will never happen again), and a tie between the two Banks. Too close to call! Yep, I am a chicken to declare a winner there, after all, they hold all the money\$\$\$\$

And of course I must thank my Grade 1 teacher for giving me a true appreciation of chocolate chip cookies(you know snack time and all that). I hope everyone enjoyed their beautifully and artfully decorated masterpieces.

Thank you....merci....Miigwetch ..

Northeast Region Welcomes 13 New OPP Officers

There are 13 new Ontario Provincial Police officers to serve the northeast region. Regional Commander Chief Carson Parry says Class 492 graduated last Friday and will now be deployed throughout the region. Manitoulin OPP and East

Algoma OPP will acquire one new officer each while Nipissing West OPP, which services the Sudbury region will acquire four. Parry adds the new officers bring a diverse set of skills and experiences to proactive frontline policing and ensure the safety of communities where they serve.

Dollars To Help Tourist Operations

The Ford government is spending 100-million dollars to help the tourism industry, hard-hit by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Tourism Minister Lisa McLeod says the cash will be distributed to businesses in the industry that have suffered at least a 50 per cent drop in revenue since the pandemic began.

Businesses eligible for the new Tourism Recovery program include accommodations, ski centres, theatres, and amusement parks.

Applications will be accepted beginning October 13th.

Algoma Manitoulin MPP Michael Mantha, says the funding is long overdue and should be made available faster.

Espanola Trio Of Women Form Group For Community-Based Approach To Opioid Crisis

The Espanola & Area Overdose Epidemic, a group created by a trio of local women; Linda Collins, Carrington LeBlanc-Nelson and Tyana Sandiford, hopes to help alleviate some of the barriers facing addicts in Espanola.

Sandiford says addiction is not just a "big city" problem and it has been affecting and taking too many members of small communities.

She says the group has come together on Facebook to bring awareness of the overdoses in the community and to have people

come forward in a community-driven effort to help.

She recognizes there are some resources available but with no local treatment facility, the waiting lists are too long for some.

Sandiford says a warming centre is needed and the group is gathering winter clothing to help with the approaching winter.

She adds they will be approaching council soon seeking support.

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NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING Concerning Applications for Consent

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers will hold a public meeting in order to consider a proposed applications for Consent under Section 53 of the Planning Act, RSO 1990 as amended. The public meeting will be held on **Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.** at the Massey and District Community Centre & Arena, at 455 Government Road, Massey, Ontario unless Covid-19 restrictions require Council to meet electronically.

Consent File Nos. C-21-12 to C-21-14 Purpose and Effect: To provide for one new lot per application in the Rural zone. The property is described as Salter Township, Section 26, Parcel 2536, on Government Road. The lands subject of these applications is not subject of any other Planning Act application.

Consent File Nos. C-21-15 to C-21-17 Purpose and Effect: To provide for one new lot per application in the Residential zone. The property is described as Salter Township, Section 25, Plan D260, Parcel 16-1, 385 Bell Street, Massey. The lands subject of these applications is not subject of any other Planning Act application.

Consent File No. C-21-18 Purpose and Effect: To provide for a lot addition in the Residential zone. The property is described as Salter Township, Section 25, Plan D255, Parcel 14-1, 315 Caddell Rd, Massey. The land in subject application is not subject to 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 applicable appeal fee for each application appealed, paid by cheque, made payable to the Ontario Minister of Finance.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION regarding these applications is available by contacting the municipal office during regular office hours.

Dated this 5th day of October, 2021
Kim Sloss, Clerk-Administrator

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- **Espanola:** 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. @ Public Library
- **Gore Bay:** 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. @ Town Office
- **Meldrum Bay:** 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. @ Meldrum Bay Inn

Wednesday October 13th

- **Mindemoya:** 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. @ Township Office
- **Wiikwemkoong:** 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. @ Band Office
- **Manitowaning:** 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. @ Municipal Office
- **Little Current:** 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. @ Arena in Lions Den

Thursday October 14th

- **Massey:** 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. @ Township Office
- **Webbwood:** 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
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- **Nairn Centre:** 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. @ Township Office
- **McKerrow:** 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. @ Township Office



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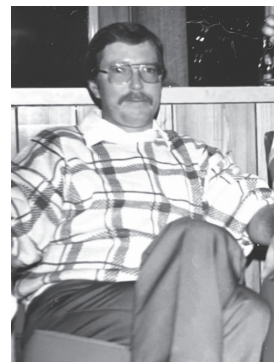
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Alec Clifford**

October 21, 1953 - January 22, 2021

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OBITUARIES



Beckwick – Karl Verner of Espanola passed away at the Espanola Regional Hospital on September 24, 2021 at the age of 92. Dear son of the late Otto & Agnes Beckwick. Beloved husband of Ida (nee Leclaire) (2015). Loving father of Allan (Deborah) of Hamilton, Leonard (Maria) of Hamilton, Jim (Joanne) of Callander, Judy Howard (Dave Porteous) of Espanola and Cindy (Bert) of Barrie. Cherished by 8 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. Dear brother of the late Arnie Beckwick and Rose Ahonen. Sadly missed by niece Lisa Chenier (Kevin) of

Thunder Bay. Also, will be sadly missed by many friends & relatives. Cremation with a Celebration of Life on October 1, 2021 in the Bourcier Funeral Home from 9 – 10 AM. Interment to follow in the Espanola Cemetery. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



Kalynka – Peter of Espanola passed away at his residence on September 23, 2021 at the age of 90. Dear son of the late John & Mary (nee Sokoloski) Kalynka. Dear brother of Stephen (Helen) of St. Catharines. Also, will be sadly missed by many nephews, nieces, friends & relatives. Cremation with interment of ashes at a later date in the Espanola Cemetery. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



Campbell – Norma. It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of our dear mother Norma Campbell, Thursday September 23, 2021 at the age of 90 with family by her side at St. Joseph's Villa, Sudbury. Dear daughter of the late Leon & Parna (Root) McKnight. Loving wife of the late Boyd Campbell. Dear sister to the late William "Bill" McKnight, wife Alice, late Birdie Middleton (McKnight), husband Barney, late Melvin McKnight wife Edith. Beloved mother of Bonnie Cappadocia, husband Mike,

Robert "Bob", wife Patricia, Thomas "Tom" wife Alta, Jack wife Krista, William "Larry", wife Monique "Nicky". Cherished by grandchildren Kathy, Andrew, Angie, late Robbie, Sarah, Ryan, Karla, Justin, Austin, Aimee, Jason and Codie. Dearly loved by many great grandchildren. Also, will be sadly missed by many friends & family. Norma was known for her love of gardening and flowers. She loved her camp and enjoyed family get togethers with fun and music. Cremation with a graveside committal service will be on Thursday September 30, 2021 at 10 AM in the Espanola Cemetery. If so desired, donations to the Kidney Foundation would be appreciated. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola



Eileen Audrey MORGAN (Denison) - March 19, 1932 - September 24, 2021. It is with great sadness that we announce our mom's passing. Proud mother of her children, Gary (Jan), Bruce, Gail Mitchell (Stephen), Cindy (Robert Sisson). NONA to 9 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren and many others she nurtured over the years. Mom never stood still. Over the years she gave back through community boards and committees. Eileen was a 4-h leader, a cub master and a guider. Even with her community work, her job and raising a

family she studied for over 20 years and obtained her BA from Laurentian at 65! There will be a private family memorial service. Donations can be made in mom's name to diabetes or heart and stroke foundations. If you are making your donation online or by cheque directly to charity, please include the following note with your gift... "please notify family". Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



Julie (Mary Retia Julette) Carpenter (Fletcher, Aubertin) of Iron Bridge passed away peacefully with her family by her side at North Shore Health Network in Blind River on Thursday, September 23 in her 69th year. Julie was born on December 19, 1951 to Jules Aubertin and Alida Dionne. Beloved wife of Dan Carpenter and lifelong partner of Randy Fletcher (predeceased 2007). Cherished Mom to Lisa (Choo) Richer of Massey and Dan (Bec) Fletcher of Little Current, Scott (Linda) Carpenter of Abbey, Saskatchewan

and Jason of Woodstock. Nana and Grandma to Ryan, Emily (predeceased 2019), Taylor, Kennadi, Kori-Rose, Daniel Kai, Kyler, Quentis, Darwin, Kaitlyn, Klaryssa and Bethany. Special GG to Zayden, Jasper and Kairi. She will be missed by many brothers, sisters, in-laws, nieces, nephews and friends as well as her doll sculpting family. Julie was very proud of the numerous awards she received for her doll sculptures. She loved to spend her time sculpting, sewing, knitting and crocheting. She also loved to spend time with her family, especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. At Julie's request there will be no visitation or service and her ashes will be buried at a private service at a later date. In lieu of flowers and if so desired donations in her memory can be made to a food bank of your choice. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



IN LOVING MEMORY OF VELMA FOSTER

- It is with great sadness we announce the passing of Velma Foster in her 95th year, on Saturday, September 25th, 2021 at the Espanola Regional Hospital and Health Centre. Beloved wife of the late Norman Foster (2015) for over 64 years. Dear mother of Wayne (Iris, predeceased) of Beeton, Bill (Maureen) of Espanola, Marlene (Harry) of Brampton and Peggy (predeceased, 2007, Jim) of Newmarket. Loving grandmother to Cheri, Kathy, Rick (Kendra), Tatem (Donald), Paula (Warren), Quintal (Will), Niomie (Steve), Kimberly (Frank), Michael (Sarah) and Bryan (Beth). Velma was a woman of great faith and prayer. She treasured the time spent with her many great grandchildren. She especially enjoyed attending figure skating competitions, hockey games, track events and many celebrations as well as crafting and baking with her great grandchildren, Brandon, Sophie, Olivia, Amelia and Jackson. At the age of 85 they taught her to play a game on their tablet. She was an avid volunteer at her church. At the age of 87 she learned to knit and was happy to make scarves, hats and mittens to donate to the Espanola Helping Hand Food Bank. She was very talented in the art of embroidery and quilting. Her generosity and willingness to help others was always in the forefront. She will be missed but never forgotten. A Memorial Service will be held at Paroisse Saint Jude Parish Roman Catholic Church on Wednesday September 29, 2021 at 10 AM with Fr. Gilles Grandmont officiating. Interment to follow in the Espanola Cemetery. If so desired memorial tributes may be made to Paroisse Saint Jude Parish or Espanola Regional Hospital Long Term Care. Arrangements by Bourcier Funeral Home Ltd, Espanola.

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