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Fundraiser Underway For **Bottle Drive For A Bridge**



Photo - A fundraiser is underway to build a small bridge on the Black Creed Sno-Trail. Jolene Courtemanche says the bottle drive is in partnership with The Beer Store to raise \$3,000 for the small walkover bridge on the trail. Photo provided by Jolene Courtemanche and used with permissions.

By Rosalind Russell - An Espanola family is starting a bottle drive to raise funds for a bridge to be built on the Black Creek Sno-Trail.

Sandra Courtemanche and her daughter, Jolene, access the trails all the time, but Jolene who is in a wheelchair, can only go so far because there is no little bridge across one of the small creek beds.

Sandra says to that end, the Espanola

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NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING Concerning a Proposed Zoning Bylaw Amendment

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers will hold a public meeting on Wednesday, July 27, 2022 at 6:00 pm, at the Massey & District Community Centre & Arena, in order to consider a proposed application for an amendment to the Comprehensive Zoning Bylaw 2020-41 under Section 34 of the Planning Act, RSO 1990 as amended.

File No. ZBA22-03 Purpose and Effect: The amendment, once approved, would allow for a second dwelling in the Rural Zone. The property subject to this amendment application is described as 361 Birch Lake Road, Salter Township, Section 13, Parcel 27908, RP 53R10041 Part 1. The land subject of this application is not subject of any other Planning Act application.

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers on the proposed zoning by-law amendment, you must make a written request to the Township.

ANY PERSON may attend the public meeting and/or make written or verbal representation either in support of, or in opposition to, the proposed By-law Amendment.

If a person or public body would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers to the Ontario Land Tribunal but the person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the Township before the by-law 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 a public meeting, or make written submissions to the Township before the proposed By law Amendment is passed, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Ontario Land Tribunal unless, in the opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION related to the proposed amendments is available at the municipal office at 11 Birch Lake Road, Massey during regular office hours.

DATED at the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers this 5th day of July, 2022.

Anne Whalen Clerk-Administrator

ATTENTION MASSEY WATER USERS WATERING BYLAW

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Complete bylaw available at www.sables-spanish.ca and at the Township Office

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The purpose of this proposed Zoning By-law Amendment is to permit temporary habitation in a recreational vehicle on a lot with a primary residential use, and on vacant lots within the Resource Recreational (RR) and Rural (R) Zones. The amendment applies throughout the entire Township.

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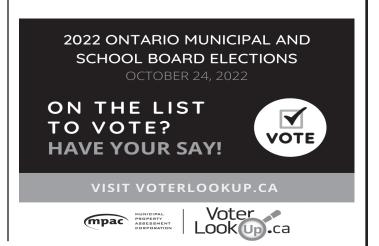
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Additional information and material about the proposed by-law amendment will be available for inspection during regular office hours at the Municipal Office, 11 Birch Lake Road, Massey, Ontario P0P 1P0.

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Fundraiser Underway For Bottle Drive For A Bridge

Game and Fish Club has given the goahead for the fundraiser to raise the estimated \$3,000 needed.

Jolene adds The Beer Store in Espanola is also on board and will be collecting bottles from July 11th to 14th for the cause.

Jolene adds she has already started collecting bottles and the public can either drop them off at her home or wait to bring them to the Beer Store for the Black Creek Fund. Bottles can be dropped off at 259 Algoma Street or the Beer Store.

ÉSC La Renaissance Graduate Recognized For Her Positive Francophone Leadership





The Lynx family is proud to highlight the various facets of a remarkable graduating student, Chloë Paul. Since grade 9, this student has stood out for her academic excellence and active participation in school life at École secondaire catholique La Renaissance (Espanola).

This positive and hard-working young Francophone leader is appreciated for her open-mindedness and perseverance. Through her actions, enthusiasm and tireless efforts, she was able to contribute to her school's Student General Assembly and various committees. Chloë actively participates in pastoral activities and fundraising efforts to help those less fortunate in her community. Chloë also represented very well ÉSC La Renaissance as well as the Espanola community during her participation in several sports competitions at the school and community level.

Without a doubt, Chloë is a role model for her peers. All members of the school community appreciate her contributions and achievements during her high school years at La Renaissance. We wish her much success in his studies at the postsecondary level.

École Publique De Blind River Unveils New Name



A Blind River French public school has

Students and staff were joined by Director of Education, Sébastien Fontaine in unveiling the new name for École publique de Blind River late last week.

Fontaine says during the school year, students, staff and the school community were invited to suggest a name for their new school.

He says following that consultation, the name École publique des Pins Blancs, which translates to White Pines Public School, was chosen.

Fontaine say the name refers to the lumbering history of the community, which was founded in 1906 as a direct result of the lumber and sawmill industry. The new school opened its doors last fall and offers Junior Kindergarten to Grade eight programs.

Photo provided by École publique des Pins Blancs and used with permission.

ALS Walk Another Success



Photo - Melanie Poirier walked for ALS once again, her fourth year in taking part in the fundraiser. She walks in dedication to her mother who passed away from the disease last year. Poirier says over the last four years, she has raised \$4,675 for the cause. Photo provided by Melanie Poirier and used with permissions.

The numbers are in, and an Espanola woman is grateful for the support of the community in supporting the annual ALS walk in memory of her mother. Espanola resident Melanie Poirier says she has walked for the last four years, but this year it was special since it was in memory of her mother Rita Poirier who died last year following a five-year battle Poirier with the disease, ALS.

She says ALS is a disease that gradually paralyzes people because the brain is no longer able to communicate with the

muscles impacting everyone in the family as the person gradually loses their ability to

She started the annual walk in 2018 to help the association and raise awareness but adds the process has helped her personally in accepting, grieving and now healing from her loss.

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OBITUARY



It's with deep sadness that the family of Leslie Barnes announce her passing on June 27 2022 after many years of various health issues. Dear wife of Leo Barnes, mother to David (Sarah), Corey and Jenny. Adored grandmother of McKenna, Coen, Avery, Sydney and Capri. Daughter of the late Jim and Nello Larone, sister of the late Barry Larone (Donna), Bruce Larone (Sharlene) and Laurie Larone (Jacques). Dear friend of Janet Steinke (Late Brian)and a sister to the Webbwood Eagles Ladies Auxiliary. We will remember our

mom for her stubbornness, humour and quick wit. Our family wishes to thank her Dr's. Dr Kimberly Perlin, Dr. Nistico, and her favourite nurse Doctor Ronald. To the staff at the Espanola General Hospital, we thank you for always accommodating her and making her visits a little less "hospital-ie". Thank you to the Sables Spanish River Fire Dept. and paramedics. She endured a lot of health issues throughout her life and took each diagnosis with a grain of salt. We take comfort knowing she without pain and reminiscing with loved ones. A graveside service will be at the Webbwood Protestant Cemetery on Friday July 8t, 2022 at 11 AM. In lieu of flowers our family would appreciate donations be made to the Webbwood Eagles Club. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.

OBITUARY





Karin Denise Bates, February 28, 1963 – June 25, 2022. Karin Denise Bates of McKerrow, passed away surrounded by love on June 25, 2022 (age 59). Survived by the love of her life and rock, Scott McPhee, her best doggo Archie, her loving children,

Tania Lapper, Holly (Lee) Zahorodny, Jim McPhee (Ashley), Kristen McPhee (Jeff), and grandchildren Hayden & Ryker McPhee, sister Ellen Bates (Scott). Predeceased by her parents, Ray & Inge Bates (nee Döppner). Karin always lived life to the fullest & encouraged everyone around her to the same. She will be greatly missed & held in the hearts of many friends & family. A celebration of life will be held Saturday, July 16th at 2:00pm. Please reach out to the family for details. In lieu of flowers, a donation to the Northern Cancer Foundation is greatly appreciated. Arrangements by Bourcier Funeral Home in Espanola, ON.



Shirley Anne Jack - January 5, 1942 - June 21, 2022. Shirley Anne Jack, of Massey, Ontario, passed away at Espanola Hospital on June 21 2022, in her 80th year. Daughter of Thelma and Albert Wanamaker (predeceased), married to Ken Jack for 63 years. Mother of Chris Landry (Pat Thornton), Jennifer Wallace (Shane), Jamie (Predeceased 2019) Grandma of Madison, Caitlin and Troy, Jesse (predeceased 2016). Puppy Bella. Great Grandmother to Jace. Sister of Lloyd (Barbara) Wanamaker. Shirley leaves behind many nieces and nephews and

the Jack clan. Amazing cook and homemaker, Shirley took pride in her home and her massive flower gardens, she was involved in many charities such as Meals on Wheels, driving for Von and Children's Aid. Our mother knitted numerous baby blankets hats and booties for premature babies for the hospitals. She also knitted hundreds blankets and vests for the elderly for missions across Canada. Our mother loved watching all sports especially her Blue Jays. She will miss all of her wonderful neighbours who took such great care of her especially in the last few months. Our family would like to thank all of the great nurses and doctors who took care of her in her last days at Espanola Hospital. Cremation and Memorial Mass have taken place. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Alternative Funeral Services, Elliot Lake.



Toulouse – Pauline of Sagamok passed away at Health Sciences North, Sudbury on June 26, 2022 at the age of 78. Dear daughter of the late Thomas & Melbina Trudeau. Beloved wife of Thomas Toulouse. Loving mother of Lionel Toulouse of Orillia, Paulette Toulouse of Massey, Wayne Toulouse of Sagamok, Chad Toulouse (Claudette) of Massey and the late Brad Toulouse. Cherished by grandchildren Alexander Jane, Ashley, Mzhiikenh, Farrah, Austin, Mitchell and great grandchildren Scarlet and Alana. Dear

sister of George (Alice), Georgina (Lissium), Walter (Patricia), Harvey (Delores), Leo (Sharon), Laura, Hazel, Roger, and the late Donna and late Andrew. Also, will be sadly missed by many friends & relatives. Visitation on Tuesday June 28, 2022 will start at the Multi Education Centre, Sagamok at 6 PM. Funeral Mass on Thursday June 30, 2022 at St. Raphael's Spiritual Centre at 11 AM with cremation to follow. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Heart & Stroke Foundation and/or the St Raphael's Parish would be appreciated. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola



Nora Irene Stewart (nee Jones) Passed away peacefully at the Espanola Regional Hospital on June 15, 2022 in her 99th year. Was born in Alliston ON. Daughter of the late Martha & Harry Jones with 8 siblings. Wife of Alexander (Sandy) Stewart (1975). Blessed with three daughters - Joan (Frank), Gail, Sandra (Paul), five grandchildren - Coralee, Stewart (Doris), Shawn, Shannon (Chantal), Dodi (Carlo), five great grandchildren-Natasha, Taylor, Sam, Eric, Sarah. Partner to Dalton (Chuck) Lafolley (2020). Nora & Sandy lived out West, Sudbury, Daigle Power

Plant, Webbwood. Mom taught Joan & Gail their schooling by correspondence. She was an accomplished knitter, volunteering for the Seniors, United Church, enjoyed broomball, cross-country skiing, square dancing, ice fishing, camping, visiting St. Joseph Island & Sudbury. She really enjoyed her home in Webbwood, gardening, sitting in her porch, playing crib, scratching bingo cards & reading. Cremation with interment at a later date. If so desired donations to the Espanola Regional Hospital or to the charity of your choice would be appreciated.



Cosby – Enid. It is with great sadness that the family announce the passing of Enid Rose Cosby(Rollins) of Massey, June 21st, 2022. Wife of Morris Cosby for 52 years. Mother to Rhonda (Scott) Heinemann, Emma (Dale) Woelfle. Grandmother to Melissa (Adam), Andrew Heinemann, Braden, Leah, Kelly Woelfle. Daughter of the late Carson and Mildred Rollins. Sister of the late Edith (Bob) St. Michel, Carson (Betty) Rollins, Laura (Ralph) Cole, Myrna (Tom) Slater. Also, will be sadly missed by many friends &

relatives. Enid loved spending her time working hard beside her husband Morris on Hill Top Farms, in Massey. She enjoyed making lasting memories with her grandkids. Her butter tarts will definitely be missed by all who were fortunate enough to know her. Cremation with a Celebration of Life will be at a later date. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



Robert (Bob) Martin - May 31, 1943 — June 28, 2022. It is with saddened hearts that the family of Bob Martin announces his peaceful passing on June 28, 2022. Devoted husband to Annette, loving Dad to Randy (predeceased), Sandy (Steve), and Tammie (Jim). Adoring Papa to Mary, Tyler (Alyssa), Jerrika, Brady, Jadyn (Sebastien). Great-Papa to his "prince" Jaxyn, and proud brother to his many brothers and sisters. He will be missed by all his nieces, nephews, friends, and family. He was happiest when surrounded by his family and tinkering in his shop. If so desired, a donation in Bob's

memory can be made to The Northern Cancer Society or the charity of your choice. A funeral mass will be held Wednesday, July 6th at Saint Jude Parish at 10:30am. Following the service, a celebration of life will be held at Dynamic Family Restaurant, all who knew him are welcome. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola

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