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Photo - It is the 19th year for the annual car show in Espanola. This year promises plenty of shiny chrome, as well as charities and a craft show at The Oval beside the Espanola Regional Recreation Complex. Photo by Rosalind Russell

By Rosalind Russell - The Annual Knights Cruisers 19th Annual Cruise-In will feature vintage cars with a focus on receiving donations for a local area food bank, a barbecue in support of the Espanola Elks and a craft show for attendees.

Anyone interested in taking part can contact the organization.

The event will be held May 28th from 9 am to 3 pm at The Oval of the Espanola Regional Recreation Complex.

The first 125 cars registered with also receive dash plaques.

For more information, call 705-869-4757.



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Manitoulin Health Centre Introduces Automatic Dispensing Unit



Photo - ADU in place in Little Current. Jenn D. Marshall - Little Current Nursing Team. Kim Shank - Little Current Nursing Team . Photo provided by MHC and used with permission

Manitoulin Health Centre has received some new equipment that will help control medications.

Pharmacy manager Jayme Watson says the health centre has received four new Automatic Drug Dispensing Units.

She says the units are pharmacy-based and contain medications providing for safe, monitored medication dispensing to patients – like a vending machine.

Watson says the units in Little Current will be activated March 15th, one on the inpatient unit and one in the Emergency Department, and the Mindemoya site on March 28th.

She explained the units' interface with the electronic records system known as Meditech, so, patients' medications are profiled, decreasing the risk of medication errors.

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Local OPP Warn Public of MTO Validation Tag Scam

The MTO validation tag scam is popping up on computers throughout the local area. The East Algoma Ontario Provincial Police is telling those who have received texts or emails about a refund for a vehicle tag, it is likely a scam where the scammers want personal banking or other information. OPP Constable Phil Young says the fake email tells potential victims to click on a link to claim their refund, but the Ministry of Transportation does not send texts or

emails to the public. The scam popped up on the net after Ontario Premier Doug Ford announced motorists would be getting a refund for the validation tags, which will no longer be required for vehicle owners. He says the government will send refunds directly to motorists through legal information provided on their ownership or licences adding no one should give out personal information to anyone online or over the phone.

Larger Community Invited To Relay For Life

With no Relay for Life in the North Shore area, Laurentian University organizers are inviting the larger community to take part in their Sudbury-based event. Natalie Crepeau, one of 17 student volunteers says they have set a goal of \$35,000 for this year's event, which will be held on March 11th and 12th. She says if they reach this year's goal, the event will have raised over \$250,000 since its introduction eight years ago. Crepeau adds the Laurentian Relay for Life will be preceded by March 6th's virtual Hope Ceremony that honours cancer survivors, those living cancer-free or those living with the disease. Visit https://support.cancer.ca/site/TR/RelayForLife/RFLY_NW_odd?



Photo - Laurentian University volunteers raised an astounding \$65,000 during last year's Relay For Life and dealing with the restrictions of the pandemic. They hope to raise \$35,000 this year. Photo provided by Laurentian University Relay for Life Organizing Committee and used with permission.

Science North Summer Science Camps Open For Registration

As life returns to near normal, registration is now open for summer camps being offered by Science North. Marketing specialist Erin McWhirter says registration is now open in over 30 communities across Northern Ontario including Sudbury, Espanola, and Little Current. She says Science North and Dynamic Earth have offered innovative and stimulating summer camps that introduce children to the worlds of science, technology, engineering, and math through demonstrations, games and fun activities. She says COVID-19 protocols for in-person camps while keeping a close eye on the situation. Sudbury's Summer Science Camps are offered at Science North and Dynamic

Earth for kids ages 4 to 11 in English and French and will run from July 4 through September 2. Espanola - August 29 - September 2*
 Little Current - August 15 - 19*
 McWhirter says prices range from \$166 to \$280 per week. Updated information about protocols will be posted to sciencenorth.ca/camps if needed. Register online 24 hours a day at sciencenorth.ca/camps or call 1-800-461-4898 ext. 222 from 9 am to 5 pm, Monday to Friday. She suggests interested people, visit the website for a complete list of details, including camp descriptions, pricing, and dates of Summer Science Camp programs being held in your community. The website is www.sciencenorth.ca

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March into Prayer - one day workshop Monday, March 14, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Calvary Church, 599 Barber Street, Espanola. Guest speaker Lynn Halliday. Call Jenny at 705-583-2078 to reserve. A free will offering will be taken.

Espanola Public Library - March Break Book Sale! Monday March 14th - Saturday 19th in the Library Meeting Room. Cash only.

Legion Branch 432 - Legion Provincial Service Officer coming to Branch 432 in Massey on March 14, 2022. Military, Veterans, Widows & Dependents invited. Please call Bill Mawhinney for information 705-822-5957.

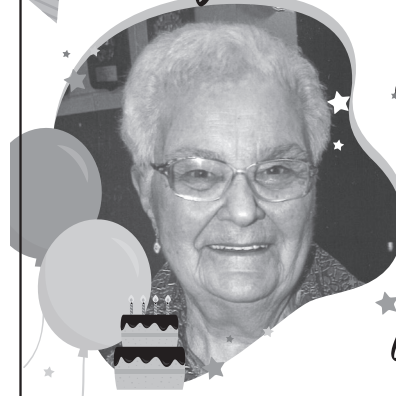
AL-ANON -Support for people affected by someone else's drinking. Meetings every Tuesday at 7:00PM. St George's Anglian Church, Tudhope St., Espanola. More information at al-non.org

Meat Roll-Offs - The meat roll-offs are back at the Espanola Legion starting and will run every Saturday. The fun starts at 3:30 and everyone is welcome. COVID-19 protocols in place.

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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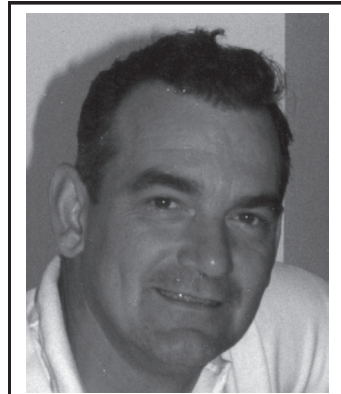
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THANK YOU - The family of the late Geraldine Bertin express their deepest gratitude for the many acts of kindness, flowers, food, calls, cards and the support of church families and prayers of many. To our mothers' close friends who have brought her countless joys, the FCFE, her bingo friends and neighbours and the Espanola Seniors Club, we are so grateful to all of you. Thank You Espanola Hospital Staff, The Family Health Team, Espanola Clinic Pharmacy, and Dr Salam for your commitment and patience in our mother's care. To the devoted NE Home & Community Care staff, the Bayshore PSW, and nurses, your expressions of compassion and love have brought much comfort and have touched us deeply. Arrangements by Bourcier funeral home.

OBITUARY



Danny Brunne passed away Feb 28/22 at Health Sciences North at the age of 80. Will be sadly missed by beloved wife Lorrie, son David, grandchildren Jessica, Ryan, & Carson, great grandchildren Lincoln & Jordan. Celebration of life at a later date.