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65 Ontario Paramedics Including Two Locals Recognized For Excellence



Photo - Governor General Emergency Medical Services Exemplary Service Medal bars for providing exemplary emergency medical services have been presented to two local recipients paramedics Dwayne Elliot and Daniel Tremblay of the Manitoulin Sudbury DSAB. Photos provided by Mike Mantha.

By *Rosalind Russell* - In late December, 65 Ontario paramedics including two from Manitoulin-Sudbury DSAB received their Governor General Emergency Medical Services Exemplary Service Medal bars for providing exemplary emergency medical services.

The two local recipients are Dwayne Elliot and Daniel Tremblay who received their first bars.

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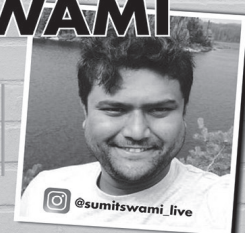
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The Ontario government is launching a new Youth Wellness Hub to serve Sagamok Anishnawbek First Nation and surrounding areas.



Photo - Angus Toulouse, the Chief of Sagamok-Anishinabek First Nation says the new youth hub will be an integral part of services for youth throughout the local region. Photo provided.

Chief Angus Toulouse says the new hub is one of the eight the government is adding to the 14 already created since 2020.

He says the Hub will be permanently housing its services at its Youth Wellness Centre in 2024 adding it will achieve the community's vision of creating a culturally safe space that places youth and their families at the center of services to address their needs.

The eight new Youth Wellness Hubs funded by the Addictions Recovery Fund are in Sagamok, the Algoma Region, and Sudbury with the other five located in southern Ontario.

North Search & Rescue Seeking New Members

An Espanola and Sudbury-based rescue unit is looking for new members to provide services to a wide area.

According to the release, North Shore Search & Rescue is looking for candidates for their Member In Training winter intake.

The unit says candidates are welcome from Blind River to West Nipissing, Cartier to Parry Sound, and including Espanola, Greater Sudbury, Killarney, and the Manitoulin Island.

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the link. Want to help find lost/missing people, help those in need of help in remote locations? Send an email TO join@nssar.ca.

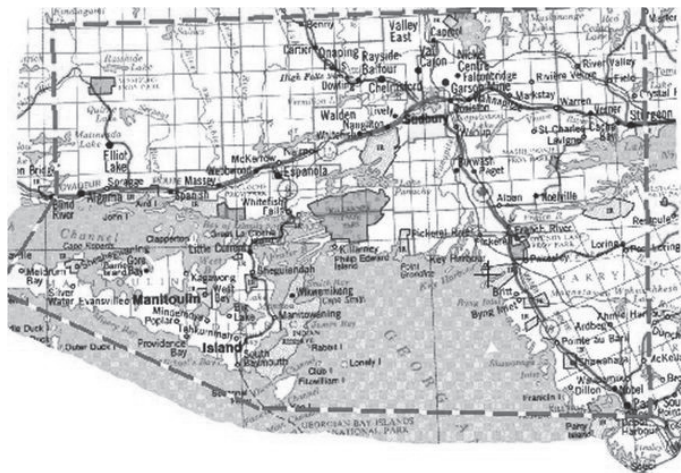


Photo: Want to help people in trouble? North Shore Search & Rescue is looking for dedicated individuals with a sense of adventure, but also caution, who want to join the unit. Map provided of catchment area of North Shore Search & Rescue.

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Treaty Legalities Moving Forward

It's another step forward for the Robinson-Huron Treaty settlement agreement. The \$10 billion proposed settlement – involving 21 First Nations including Serpent River, Sagamok, Mississauga and those on Manitoulin Island – was reached with the provincial and federal governments last June. Trustees with the Robinson Huron Treaty Litigation Fund

met last week and signed the agreement. It now goes to Ontario's Minister of Indigenous Affairs to be signed, then to the federal Minister of Crown-Indigenous Relations. This after, officials say, the governments of Canada and Ontario completed their internal approval processes. They add all these steps are expected to be done soon.



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Game And Fish Big Buck Night - Elks Hall, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m., Friday, January 26. Bring antlers from last fall's hunt, to be measured.

Free St. George's Soup & Sandwich Takeout – January 30, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., St. George's Church, 213 Tudhope St. Espanola.

Community Choir - The Voices of Spring is starting up again. Rehearsals are at 10:30 am, Saturday mornings at St. Andrew's United Church, Massey. New members are welcome!

St. Andrew's Church Massey - Services at 10:30 every Sunday. All are welcome.

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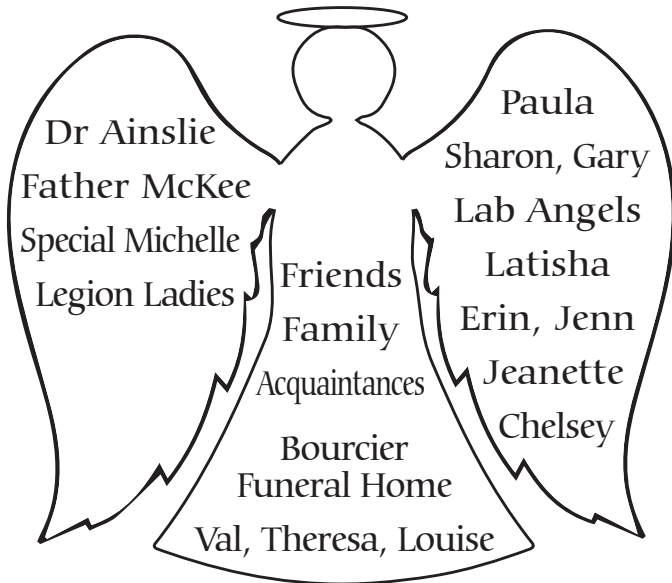
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BEAUMIER – Donna. It is with broken hearts that we announce the passing of Donna (Lees) Beaumier in her home at the age of 63 on January 9th, 2024. Donna is survived by her loving husband Marcel, and was the proud mother of Tania (Jeff) Massicotte, Jennie Madill (Dwayne Belanger) and Shaun (Jessie Plant) and proud grandmother (mere) to Mackenzie, Makenna, Zachary, Jovie, Emmett, Nia and Parker. Donna was at her happiest when with her family, and when crafting. Many memories were made crafting all sorts of things. Anyone who knew her, knew how she would love to take things apart and rearrange it to her own creation. Mere, you are loved and you will be missed forever. Cremation with a Celebration of Life will be held at the Espanola Legion on January 20, 2024 with an 11 AM prayer service followed by a luncheon and time for some fellowship. The family asks that people make donations towards the Canadian Lung Association instead of sending flowers. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



Morin – Lila - It comes with great sadness that we announce the passing of our beautiful mom, Lila. She passed away peacefully at the age of 81 on January 4, 2024, with her family by her side. Predeceased by parents Abe and Kathleen Guay, sisters Gertrude Restoule and Kathleen St.Micheal, brothers Leonard Guay, Edward Guay and Fred Beer. Survived by loving brother Richard Guay (Brenda). Predeceased by her loving husband Phil Morin and daughter Joanne. She will be greatly missed by her children Debbie Sheremetta (Dan), Joe Morin (predeceased Kelly), Laurie Morrow, and Karen Mayo (Rick). Lila was the loving grandmother to Britney (Bob), Chelsey (Derek), Stacey, Erica (Ryan), Dennis (Larissa), Melissa (Noah), and Christopher (predeceased). Great-grandmother to Sophie, Olivia, Jaxson and Theo. Lila was a kind, loving, and giving person to everyone she met. She was the happiest when she was surrounded by her family. Her happiness was infectious at these special times as her smile would light up the room. Lila's greatest passion was cooking, and everything she made was made with love. Celebration of Life for Lila will be held on February 3rd, 2024 at 11a.m. at the Elk's Hall in Espanola at 539 Second Ave, Espanola ON, P5E1M1. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



Gariepy - Leopold 1946 - 2024. It is with a broken heart that we announce the unexpected, peaceful passing of Leo in the comfort of his home. He leaves to mourn his much loved wife and best friend Shelda (nee Francis) and his beloved boys Jacques of Newmarket and Daniel of Montreal. He also leaves to mourn Shelda's children whom he always referred to them as his sons and daughter. Nelson Patenaude (Chelsey) of Winnipeg and their children Teshawn, Roman and Anya. Norma (Dave Knapman) of Val Caron and their children David, twins Hunter and Hudson, and Isabella. Mark Patenaude (Tracy) of Massey and Mark's girls Adelyne and Amelia. Aaron Patenaude of Edmonton. Mathew Patenaude of Lethbridge. His brothers Raymond, Roland, Rene, and their wives of Nicolette, Quebec, along with sister-in-law Norma Stokes of London and many nieces and nephews. Cremation has taken place and in honouring Leo's wishes there will be no visitation, funeral or celebration of life. In Leo's eyes everyday was a celebration of life. We have lost a kind, thoughtful person but have so many wonderful memories to help us navigate the future. Be kind and thoughtful to someone today in Leo's memory. Friends please feel free to drop by our home if you wish for a visit. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



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