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## Vietnam Veteran From Massey In Washington, D.c., For Reunion



**Photos** - On Feb. 15, 2025, at the Renaissance Active Living Centre in Elliot Lake, MP Carol Hughes presented Richard Wayne Golden of Massey with a King Charles III Coronation medal for his service in the Royal Canadian Navy and the US Army and service in the community for all veterans. Photo provided by Carol Hughes. Photo of Wayne Golden when he was in the Canadian Navy - photo supplied.

**By Rosalind Russell** - A veteran who served in both the American Army in Vietnam and in the Canadian Navy is in Washington, District of Columbia, for a unique reunion of Vietnam vets marking the 50th anniversary of the end of the Vietnam War.

Richard W. Golden of Massey celebrated his 85th year with a unique trip to Washington for a gathering of Vietnam veterans.

Golden, who founded the Sgt. Charles Golden Veterans Rifle team in memory of his great-uncle who died in 1959, is also a past executive with the Massey

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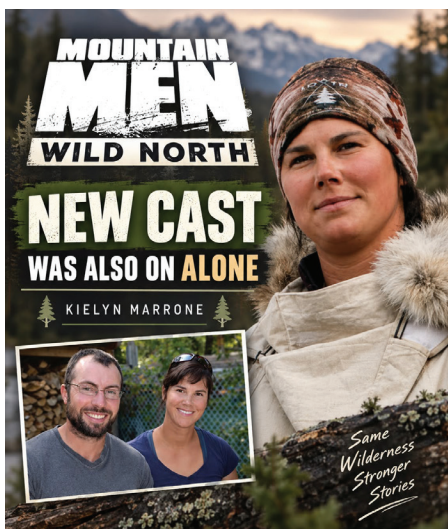
## Wilderness Couple Share Their Love Of The Wild On Mountain Men: Wild North

By Rosalind Russell

- It's been a busy summer for the Marrones of Lure of the North fame, who spent the last year filming Mountain Men.

Kielyn Marrone and her husband, Dave, operate Lure of the North, a North Shore-based wilderness business that offers excursions, training in traditional skills and how to live in the wilds off-grid.

No stranger to the screen, Kielyn says she and Dave will be featured on Mountain Men: Wild North, featuring the wilds of the LaCloche Mountains, south of Espanola. Kielyn is well known for being a part of Season 7 of Alone,



surviving 80 days in the Arctic and reaching the final three in the 100-day challenge.

The series premieres October 7 in the U.S. and October 8 on HISTORY Canada.

Poster provided by the Marrones.

## Banana Bonspiel To Support NOFCC – Yup – Banana Costumes!



By Rosalind Russell - The Curling Bananas Charity Bonspiel is set for Halloween weekend in support of the Northern Ontario Families of Children with Cancer.

The Espanola Curling Club's Logan Emiry says this is the first time they are hosting the event to assist the kids who need it most.

He says the bonspiel will take place October 30th and 31st. Registration is \$400 per team, and guarantees three six-

end games, Saturday lunch and dinner, and four banana costumes.

Visit <http://www.curlingbananas.com/.../curling-bananas-bonspiel> for more information or to register.

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## Vietnam Veteran From Massey In Washington, D.C., For Reunion

Legion and the War Pensioners of Canada.

He has received honours from Vimy Ridge 108 Unit ANAVETS and Manitoulin-North Shore 176 ANAVETS of Canada, as well as the King Charles III Medal. The Washington trip recognizes his contributions on both sides of the border.

During the visit, the group visited various landmarks, including the Vietnam Memorial Wall and Arlington National Cemetery to observe the Changing of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

The itinerary also includes visits to the

national memorials dedicated to World War II, Korean War, and Vietnam War veterans.

Golden is also the recipient of a joint ANAVET award when his name was submitted by the ANAVET provincial president to the American Legion.

Golden joined the Royal Canadian Navy when he was seventeen, spending five years on board navy ships patrolling Arctic waters.

He was in Portland, Oregon, joining the US Army in 1967, did two tours in Vietnam, and those experiences led to his work advocating for veterans in both countries.

## Step into the Wild P. Lynn Halliday

### Disaster!

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#### Chapter Two

“Jan, are we supposed to be zigzagging, instead of heading straight?” Chrissy asked. “Am I doing something wrong?”

“Ah, no—I’m just not used to having you as a partner. But don’t worry, I’ll figure it out,” I boasted.

“Okay, girls, you are doing well in the bay. Now I want you to head across the lake in a straight line for the point over there, then turn around and come straight back to the dock,” said Mopsy. “That will really test your abilities, since there’s a bit of a breeze.”

“Do you think we’re ready for this?” asked Chrissy, nervously. “So far, all we’ve done is paddle in circles.”

“Good grief, Chrissy,” I replied. “That’s because the bay is small, we’ll straighten out when there’s more room. Now start paddling, using the slow, steady forward strokes we’ve been practicing.” The canoe headed out on a straight course, but slithered sideways as soon as we left the bay. It was windier than I thought.

Farther out from shore, the wind became stronger. The canoe became a wild thing with a mind of its own and that mind had decided that the marshy shore was where it wanted to go. Nothing we did seemed to have any impact on that decision. Panic hit.

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## Fifth Annual Heart of Gold Radiothon Raises Over \$12,000 for NOFCC



the Moose 99.3 FM CJJM studio on Thursday to support the Fifth Annual Heart of Gold Radiothon in support of the Northern Ontario Families of Children with Cancer. Gerry Massicotte, who hosted a barbecue

**By Rosalind Russell** - The Fifth Annual Heart of Gold Radiothon hosted by Moose 99.3 FM in Espanola has raised over \$12,000 in monetary donations and donated items. The radiothon has raised over \$4,500 so far, and counting, to be donated to the Northern Ontario Families of Children with Cancer.

There is also donations exceeding \$7,000 in donated items to go towards the NOFCC's Gold Soiree held September 26th in Sudbury. The items were auctioned off with the funds going to the organization.

Several donors dropped by

at Espanola's last Farmer's Market of the season last week for the cause, thanked all the volunteers and businesses that supported the radiothon raising \$3,000. Aidan Kaillionen also ran a half-marathon raising pledges for the NOFCC and made a \$350 donation. Carol Simond, representing the Espanola Knights Cruisers Club, also dropped by with a \$700 donation. Individual donations have brought the total raised so far to just over \$4,500. The final tally will not be known until late next week.

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## 4th Annual Hospital Foundation Golf Classic Raises More Than \$62,000 for Local Healthcare

**By Katie Cooper** - Espanola, ON — The Espanola Regional Hospital and Health Centre (ERHHC) Foundation is proud to announce that the 4th Annual Hospital Foundation Golf Classic, held on September 19, 2026, raised more than \$62,000 in support of local healthcare.

Hosted at the Espanola Golf Course, the tournament brought together local businesses, community leaders, healthcare supporters, volunteers, and golfers for a day of friendly competition and community impact. Funds raised through the event will support priority equipment and healthcare initiatives at ERHHC, helping ensure quality care remains available close to home.

"We are incredibly grateful to everyone who participated, sponsored, donated, volunteered, and supported the event. Raising more than \$62,000 is an

outstanding achievement that will have a direct impact on patient care in our community," said Katie Cooper, Foundation Coordinator.

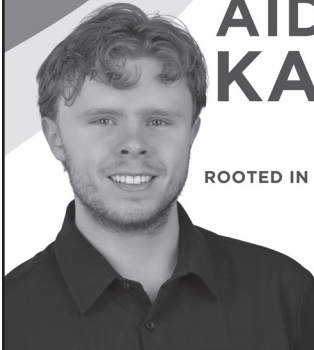
The Foundation extends its sincere appreciation to the event's tournament participants and sponsors:

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A special thank you to RBC, our Corporate Sponsor, for its generous support of this year's tournament. RBC sponsored both the Hole-in-One Contest and the \$2,500 Putting Contest, helping create some exciting moments on the course.

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**CLOWATER, Jude Francis Joseph** - Of Espanola passed away at the Espanola Regional Hospital on Thursday, September 17, at the age of 75. Beloved husband of Lorraine Beland. Dear son of Robert & Caroline Clowater. Loving father of Casey (Lisa) Clowater of Sudbury, and Ryan Clowater of Espanola. Cherished step-father to Kathy (Darren) of Whitefish and Roger (Diana) of Manitoulin. Loving grandfather to Autohm, Damian, Regan, Heather and Karsyn. Dear brother to Anne, Carley, Chesty, and Robert. Will also be missed by many friends and relatives. Cremation with a celebration of life at a later date. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME, Ltd., Espanola.

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We would also like to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends, family, and coworkers, especially those at Espanola Regional Hospital, for every phone call, text message, message of support, visit, hug, and kind gesture. We are also especially touched by the beautiful flowers sent by the Toronto Police Hold Up Squad. Orvie would have been so honoured and proud to know that they thought of him and our family during this difficult time.

There are so many things we will miss about him—his quick wit, his humour, his smile, his care for others, and the way he could make us laugh with a simple story. Many of his favourite memories came from days spent hunting and fishing with family and friends. As an avid outdoorsman, he loved being in the bush and enjoyed the time spent with the people who meant so much to him. He had a wonderful way of bringing those memories to life when he shared them, and we will always treasure the laughter and memories he left with us.

While it's hard to say goodbye, there is comfort in knowing that he is now back with his beloved wife, Tillie. We can only imagine the stories they have to catch up on and the laughs they are sharing as they dance together into eternity.

With heartfelt thanks,  
Cindy & Jack  
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The tenders will then be opened in public on the same day at the Township of Baldwin, 11 Spooner Street, McKerrow, at 3:15 p.m.

### Description of Lands:

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## 2026 WATER MAIN SWABBING PROGRAM

The Town of Espanola and OCWA will be conducting its Water Main Swabbing Program from the night of Sunday October 4 until the morning of Thursday October 8. Hours of swabbing will be from 9:00pm to 5:00am each night.

The following streets will be swabbed/affected on **Sunday October 4:**

- Southon Dr., Whitney Ave. & Burk St.
- 172-356 Tudhope St.
- 347-361 Barber St.
- 206-309 Spanish River Dr.
- 287-360 Sutherland St.
- 183-281 Watson Ave
- 250-291 Talbot Ave.
- 200 Bois St.

The following streets will be swabbed/affected on **Monday October 5:**

- Wagosh Place & Vincent Court
- 356 Tudhope St.
- 346-407 Barber St.
- 255-338 Watson Ave.
- 302-337 Talbot St.
- 319-484 Haig St.

The following streets will be swabbed/affected on **Tuesday October 6:**

- Jean St., Elizabeth St., Gus Masson St. & Amadori Court
- 596-825 Second Ave.
- 436-481 & 548 Barber St.
- 639-690 Katherine St.
- 401 Wood St.

The following streets will be swabbed/affected on **Wednesday October 7:**

- McCarthy St., Bois St., West St., Sokoloski Court, Shames Cres., Harvie Cres., Goodman Ave., Young Place & Arthur Court
- 370-551 Barber St.
- 843-936 Second Ave.
- 363-424 Sutherland St.
- 488 Haig St.

**Affected residents are advised to turn off their main water valve between 9:00 pm and 6:00 am during the swabbing process. This precaution will help prevent debris from entering your home's plumbing, which could cause low or no water pressure.**

**PLEASE NOTE: ANY DEBRIS THAT ENTERS PRIVATE PLUMBING SYSTEMS WILL BE THE RESIDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO REMOVE.**

After swabbing is completed, if you notice discolored water, run the cold water tap closest to where the water enters your home until it clears. Residents not in the swabbing area **COULD** experience dirty water. If the discoloration persists, please contact Public Works at 705-869-1751 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Thank you for your cooperation as we work to maintain a safe and reliable water supply for the community.

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## COMMUNITY NOTES

**Women of Faith Luncheon** – Saturday, October 3, 11:00 a.m. at the Espanola Seniors Complex. For Tickets call: Evelyn 705-869-3561 or Marilyn 705-849-5095

**La Cloche Makers Market and Craft Sale** - October 3 at the Whitefish Falls Community Centre. While you are here, have lunch on site, prepared by The Church Mouse Cafe and take in a live forge demo by the Angry Owl Smithy. Admission is free!

**Webbwood Eagles #4269 Spaghetti Dinner** - Saturday, October 3. Eat in or Takeout 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. Spaghetti, salad, garlic bread & desert.

**North Shore Quilting & Stitchery Guild** - presents "Lunch Among the Quilts" Saturday, October 24th. 11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m., at the Espanola Legion. For Advance tickets: [nancy.fitzjohn@gmail.com](mailto:nancy.fitzjohn@gmail.com)

**Espanola Elks Elimination Draw, Dinner & Dance** – October 24, 4:30 p.m. – 1:00 a.m. Perogies, baked beans, pulled pork, buns & dessert. For tickets please reach out to a local Elks member or message on Facebook.

**North Shore Quilting & Stitchery Guild: Next meeting** – Wednesday, October 28, 2026, 7:00 p.m. at the Espanola Royal Canadian Legion. New members welcome.

**Massey Museum Craft Show** – November 7, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at the Massey Arena. For Tables, call Denise 705-865-3399.

**Massey Museum Bingos** – 1st Monday of every month, at the Massey Arena. Starts 6:45 p.m. (doors open at 6:00 p.m.) Contact Denise 705-865-3399.

**United Church of Espanola Soup and Sandwich Lunch** - 3rd Tuesday of the month from September to May. 11:30 to 1:00 p.m. Everyone welcome.

**Free Community luncheon** - at the Light House 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month. 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. 84 Centre St. Everyone Welcome.

**Massey Legion 432** - is collecting liquor bottles and cans for children's activities. Any local children's activities are welcome to apply for funding. Donations can be dropped off at the back of the legion at 320 Imperial St in Massey.

**Massey Legion 432 weekly events** - Tuesday evenings, Euchre 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Afternoon, Bid 500, 1:00 p.m., Northern Light Seniors. Lions club TV Bingo, Wednesdays (October -end of May). 6:30 p.m. Dart night, Thursdays 7:00 p.m. (starting again on Sept 24). Friday Roll Off with Poiter's Gift cards, Doors open at 6 pm, Wheel Rolls at 7:00 pm. Bar is open. Pool table available.

**Calvary Baptist Church** - 599 Barber St., invites you to come and worship with us, Sunday 10:30 am. All are welcome! Matthew 2:11. Care Closet, Donation drop-off hours Tuesday 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. & 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Wednesday 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., or by appointment.

**St. George's Anglican Church** - New to Espanola or looking for a new faith community? Please join us at 213 Tudhope Street for worship service every Sunday at 10:00 am.

**Church Services** – St. Francis of Assisi, Walford, Saturdays 4:00 p.m. St. Lawrence the Martyr, Webbwood, Sundays 9:00 a.m. Immaculate Conception Parish, Massey, Sundays 11:00 a.m. Everyone Welcome

**North Shore Seventh-day-Adventist Church** - invites you to join us on Saturdays (Sabbaths) 10:00 a.m. for Sabbath School, 11:00 a.m. Divine Service. 10 Menard Cres. Walford. For more info call 705-865-3013.

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

**The Remnant Call Church** – Service: Sunday 10:30 a.m., Espanola Elks Hall; All welcome. Non denominational.

**Al-Anon** - Not everyone Trapped by Alcohol is an Alcoholic. Family and Friends are suffering too. Meetings: Tuesdays at 7, St George's Anglican Church. 213 Tudhope St, Espanola.

**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.**  
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