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Colonel Jim Irvine, 14 Wing Greenwood commander, centre, accepts an appreciation award from Harley Hazelwood, manager of the Upper Room Food Bank, Kingston, and food bank volunteers; presented in recognition of the base and, in particular, Fire and Emergency Services' ongoing support. Private N.Clarkson, 14 AMS Wing Imaging

Food bank friends Base personnel, Upper Room volunteers work well together

Sara Keddy. **Managing editor**

A network of support seems to back the successful 14 Wing Greenwood efforts to support the local food bank.

At an event March 12 at base headquarters, representatives from the Upper Room Food Bank in Kingston presented 14 Wing, in particular the base's Fire and Emergency Services personnel, a plaque in thanks

for outstanding efforts through singled out the firefighters for and the community," Fire Chief "Walking through our doors is 2012.

"We'd like to thank each and every one of you - you go out. you bang on doors and go to the sections," said food bank manager Harley Hazelwood. "If it wasn't for you, the food bank would suffer."

14 Wing Commander Colonel Jim Irvine said the food bank projects on base are part of an overall effort to support the community, but also

a "fantastic job throughout the vear."

The fire crews regularly hold a Christmas food drive throughout base sections and the Residential Housing Units and organize the Pull the Pumper challenge in the spring. Thousands of pounds of food and cash donations are collected.

"We couldn't do what we do without the support of the wing Captain Bruce Paradis said.

Hazelwood told the gathering the food bank's donations are down during what is traditionally a slow period - even though demand is at its highest: 162 families came through the doors in February, including eight new families.

'They are from all walks of life – some of these people were donating to the food bank themselves last year," he said.

a difficult thing to do, and we always help people and treat them with the utmost respect."

Hazelwood said the Thanksgiving and Christmas peak in donations is always wonderful support, but Upper Room volunteers encourage individuals and businesses to take advantage of special events - wedding anniversary or birthday parties, or business milestones - to remember the food bank.

RCAF participates in NATO antisubmarine exercise

Two CP140 Aurora aircrafts and four crews from 404, 405 and 407 squadrons participated in the world's largest NATO anti-submarine exercise, which took place off the coast of Sicily, Italy, over the last two weeks.

Reinforcing interoperability amongst participating NATO nations is a key element of the Proud Manta exercise. This provides RCAF crews a unique opportunity to exercise their communications and operating skills in a challenging multinational environment.

"Canadian participation in Exercise Proud Manta permits our forces to work alongside our NATO allies and demonstrates that we remain amongst the best in the world at what we do. It allows Canadian CP140 aircrew and maintenance personnel from both coasts to hone the skills that serve them on a daily basis, either at home on patrol, or

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RCAF participates ...

deployed around the world," says Lieutenant-Colonel Mike Adamson, commanding officer of 405 Long Range Patrol Squadron.

"Ex Proud Manta is also one of the few opportunities for CP140 Aurora crews to actively engage real-world submarine forces. It is a vital skill set that needs to be practiced and maintained.

Exercise Proud Manta challenged RCAF members with both above and below water training scenarios. The training scenarios range from non-threatening communication exercises between multinational aircraft, ships and submarines to war-fighting scenarios. The most challenging training scenario involves finding enemy submarines. sensor operators.

RCAF members also exercise their tactics and techniques at the crew level as well as their ability to manage resources within the aircraft.

"This is the hardest task we are required to perform as aircrew but is also the most exciting and the most rewarding one, professionally," says Major Paul Gilbert, detachment commander of 405 Squadron.

"Practicing those skills together with our allies over 100 hours of flight time spread out over 22 missions - brought the aircrew cohesiveness at the highest level."

Typically, the CP140 Aurora has a crew of 10, including two pilots, one flight engineer, one tactical navigator, one navigator communicator and five airborne electronic



Project people

Dwight Ross Elementary recently hosted its schoolwide project fair, inviting special guests from 404 Squadron, 14 Wing Greenwood, as well as Kings West MLA Leo Glavine to help with the judging. Shown above are volunteers (left to right) Captain Keith Cusson, Corporal Dan Bertier, students from Mrs. Lunn's Grade 4 class, Master Corporal Elizabeth Oliver, Glavine and Master Corporal Scott Wheaton.

L'ARC prend part à l'OTAN au exercice de guerre anti-sous-marine

et quatre équipages 404°, 405° homogène. L'interopérabilité et 407^e Escadrons, ont participé entre les nations participantes à l'OTAN au plus grand exercice de guerre anti-sous-marine au monde, qui a eu lieu au large des côtes de la Sicile, en Italie, au cours des deux dernières semaines.

L'exercice Proud Manta offre à l'ARC une occasion unique de parfaire sa capacité de travailler dans un environnement multinational. À la fin de l'exercice, les nations participantes sont capables de communiquer canadiens des deux côtes de de compétences essentielles

est un élément crucial de la mission de Proud Manta.

« La participation canadienne à l'exercice Proud Manta permet à nos forces Escadron de patrouille à long de travailler avec nos alliés de l'OTAN et de montrer que nous sommes parmi les meilleurs au monde dans ce que nous faisons. Elle permet de la maintenance des CP140 marines: c'est un ensemble

Deux aéronefs CP140 Aurora et de fonctionner de façon parfaire les compétences qu'ils qu'il faut toujours exercer et nécessité de repérer les sous-rayon d'action. utilisent au quotidien, que ce soit au pays en patrouille, ou en déploiement un peu partout dans le monde », de dire le lieutenant-colonel Mike Adamson, commandant du 405e ravon d'action.

« L'exercice Proud Manta est aussi l'une des rares occasions pour les équipages des CP140 Aurora d'engager activement aux équipes et au personnel de véritables forces sous-

maintenir. »

L'exercice Proud Manta a mis au défi les membres de l'ARC avec des scénarios d'entraînement au dessus et en dessous de l'eau. Les scénarios d'entraînement vont des exercices de communications hors menace entre des aéronefs, des navires et des sous-marins de plusieurs nations jusqu'à des scénarios de conduite de la guerre. Les plus exigeants intègrent la Escadron de patrouille à long troniques aéroportés.

marins ennemis. Les membres de l'ARC s'entraînent aussi à recourir à leurs tactiques et à leurs techniques au niveau de réparties sur plus de 22 misl'équipage ainsi qu'à gérer les sions – a permis aux équipages ressources à bord de l'aéronef.

« Il s'agit de la tâche la plus plus haut niveau. » difficile que nous avons à exéle major Paul Gilbert, commanscénarios d'entraînement les dant du détachement du 405°

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« Parfaire ces compétences ensemble avec nos alliés – plus de 100 heures de temps de vol d'en arriver à une cohésion du

En général, le CP140 Aurora cuter en tant qu'équipage, mais a un équipage de 10 membres, c'est aussi la plus stimulante y compris deux pilotes, un méet la plus enrichissante sur le canicien de bord, un navigateur plan professionnel », de dire tactique, un navigateur préposé aux communications et cinq opérateurs de détecteurs élec-



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La diversité, force des FAC Le 21 mars est la Journée internationale pour l'élimination de la discrimination raciale

Sara Keddy Rédactrice en chef

Pour le Lieutenant-colonel Patrick Thauberger, les différences apparentes ne sont qu'un aspect bien superficiel de la diversité.

« La plupart du temps, la diversité va bien au-delà du visible. Elle n'en est pas moins notre force, qu'elle nous vienne des femmes, des Autochtones ou d'autres groupes » explique le commandant du 404° Escadron, champion de la diversité à la 14^e Escadre Greenwood. À ce titre, le Lcol Thauberger prépare avec enthousiasme la Journée internationale pour l'élimination de la discrimination raciale, qui aura lieu le souhaitons. Alors nous tra- d'abord pour l'enrichissement 21 mars.

« Nous installerons, au mess Annapolis, nos stands d'information sur l'équité en matière d'emploi à la base. nous ferons de la promotion à l'entrée principale et je ne manquerai pas d'inciter les autres commandants à faire tout ce qu'ils peuvent, au sein de leurs unités respectives, pour promouvoir cette journée. »

Le Lcol Thauberger croit fermement que les Forces armées canadiennes d'aujourd'hui sont ouvertes à la diversité.

« Nous voulons une organisation riche en diversité or, cette diversité n'est pas aussi présente que nous le

vaillons activement, sur le plan du recrutement, pour qu'elle le devienne » dit-il. Idéalement, les minorités, au sein des Forces canadiennes, devraient êtres représentées de la même facon qu'au sein de la population canadienne, tant dans les proportions que dans la composition. Selon le Lcol Thauberger, nous devons tous être très vigilants et dénoncer, le cas échéant, tous les cas de discrimination que nous constatons.

« Nous avons fait de grands progrès mais il reste du chemin à faire. »

Pour les FAC, la diversité est un atout indiscutable, tout

qu'elle apporte au quotidien dans le milieu de travail, mais plus encore lorsque le Canada est appelé à mener des missions à l'étranger.

« Il est important que nous représentions le plus fidèlement possible ce qu'est le Canada: un pays d'immigrants. Lorsque nous sommes en mission à l'étranger, nos troupes ne sont pas forcément représentatives de la population locale, mais nous affichons tout de même une certaine diversité, de par les origines multiples de nos membres » d'expliquer le Lcol Thauberger.



Strength of CAF in its many faces March 21 marks International Day for the **Elimination of Racial Discrimination**

Sara Keddy. Managing editor

Pointing out differences may be just a "superficial" way to point people out, says Lieutenant-Colonel Patrick Thauberger.

"A lot of times diversity is unseen, but it's our strength - whether it's women, Aboriginals or others," the commanding officer of 404

Greenwood's "champion" for promote the day." diversity, and is looking forward to the International Day day's Canadian Armed Forces for the Elimination of Racial is open to diversity. Discrimination March 21.

"We'll have information and our base employment equity displays set up at the Annapolis Mess, we'll promote awareness at the main says. Ideally, minority repregate sign and I'll certainly be speaking to other commanding officers to do what Squadron says. He's 14 Wing they can within their units to

Thauberger is confident to-

"We want diversity in the organization, and it is less than what we'd expect to see - but it's something we're trying to actively recruit," he sentation would reflect the

size and make up of Canada's an asset, not only for the of immigrants," Thauberger entire population. If there are instances of discrimination, Thauberger says it's up to everyone to "watch for it and call people on it.

"We've made great progress, but "there are always places to go."

For the CAF in particular, a diverse force is definitely called upon for international

what Canada really is: a nation from wherever."

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perspectives it brings in the says. "If we're somewhere in day-to-day workplace, but the world and we aren't repreparticularly when Canada is senting that local, indigenous population we're serving, we are still showing diversity in "It's important we represent our own people, who come



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People issues Women's challenges in early CAF paved way for change

Sara Keddy. **Managing editor**

Karen Breeck ran into her share of "bad apples" as a young, female doctor coming into a newly-integrated Canadian Armed Forces, but "thankfully, there were also lots and lots and lots of men willing to do all the battles they could" to welcome women.

Breeck was the guest speaker at the March 8 14 Wing Greenwood International Women's Day event, and called the trip to the base from her home, now in Ottawa, "therapeutic,"

Breeck retired in 2009 as a major after a 20-year career in military medicine, but began her military medical work at 14 Wing. Her early years coincided with the arrival of women in non-traditional flight crew roles, sparking a life-long interest in gender-specific medicine and the workplace.

"Greenwood was a very unusual base, with more female air crew being integrated here than anywhere else in Canada.

changes taking place, and all of the women came right to us (herself and another female doctor, known together as the "killer Bs" because of their last name) - and we went right to the chain of command to find out what was going on, and how we could fix it."

Breeck says her own experiences likely represent the wider experiences of 10s and 100s of women in those changing vears: a lot of jokes at women's expense, humiliating ways by some men to "show them the ropes," and inappropriate behaviour from "dinosaurs" who outright told her to get out of their office. Policies were written for a male-only force. female washrooms were often several buildings over, flight safety equipment was taken home and modified by women to fit, career course selection passed over women, who would likely be sidelined by having a baby; and no research time or money was allocated to any of these situations.

"One generation now from be "stasis? There were a lot of trials and those years, and some of



Dr. Karen Breeck (retired major) says women's issues have changed as more and more women take equal roles in society: in fact, any continuing concerns really could be more widely addressed as people issues.

Private N.Clarkson, 14 AMS Wing Imaging

those issues for women aren't to be done, but women are not known." Breeck said. "Now. looking at career choices in the women have pretty well done military. I think we do have a chance here of going backwards But, is that enough? Breeck if we don't have a plan."

> Determining that plan, Breeck and others in the audience acknowledged in general discussion afterwards, is a challenging political and human rights issue "Well," Breeck said, "it's a people issue.

'We need a system that supports taking care of all CAF members who want to achieve all they can, and still have a "Perhaps nothing more needs career and a family."

Road ahead an opportunity for CAF women

Confident, courageous people are what Lieutenant-Colonel Andre Gloumeau is looking for as members of his Canadian Armed Forces team.

Low self-esteem, apathy around issues of body image. violence and objectification; and a lack of appreciation for the history of women's achievements in the CAF could be seen as road blocks on "the road ahead." this year's theme for International Women's Day events, marked March 18 at 14 Wing Greenwood.

Or, as Gloumeau said, "it's our opportunity.

"The road ahead for the Department of National Defence is really our young men and women. For anyone with a daughter or niece or female relative, you should be concerned and cognizant of the issues facing young women so we can better plan."

Gloumeau, commanding officer of 14 Software Engineering Squadron, is the base's "champion" for women, and helped organize the March 8 afternoon. A screening of "Killing us Softly" generated lots of thought on the portrayal of women



in advertising, how sex sells and how much more graphic - and damaging for women - that message has become in recent years. Retired doctor Karen Breeck also spoke about her experiences as a young woman coming into the CAF medical environment, and how she thinks things have changed.

"I would issue a charge to each and every one here: take this discussion out and forward around the base and with your peers," Gloumeau said. "Without it, progress can not happen."

A collection on behalf of Valley women and children's shelter Chrysalis House gathered an assortment of toiletries and \$279 – which Breeck matched as the afternoon

Questions d'ordre humain Les obstacles qu'ont dû franchir les pionnières des FAC ont pavé la voie au changement

everything."

is concerned that lack of aware-

ness of issues early CAF women

faced among today's young

women members represents a

"tipping point." With close to

15 per cent of the CAF female

(the force's actual employment

equity target is 25 per cent), and

a generation of "firsts" already

in the history books, could there

Sara Keddy Rédactrice en chef

En tant que jeune femme médecin au sein de Forces armées canadiennes (FAC) récemment intégrées, Karen Breeck a eu sa part de problèmes. Heureusement, nombreux étaient tout de même les hommes qui étaient prêts à se battre pour accueillir les femmes dans leur milieu.

Conférencière invitée à l'activité organisée pour marquer la Journée internationale de la femme à la 14^e Escadre Greenwood, le 8 mars, Karen a qualifié de « thérapeutique » son voyage à la base, depuis son domicile actuel situé à

Karen a pris sa retraite en naient vers nous (elle et une

2009, au grade de major, après autre femme médecin qui une carrière de 20 ans en médecine militaire commencée en raison de leurs noms de faà la 14^e Escadre. Ses débuts coïncidaient avec l'arrivée de femmes dans des rôles non traditionnels de militaires navigants, ce qui l'a poussée à s'intéresser, pendant toute sa carrière, à la place et au rôle des femmes, tant dans le domaine de la médecine qu'au sein du milieu de travail.

« Greenwood était une base très particulière, puisqu'on y trouvait plus de femmes navigantes que n'importe où ailleurs au Canada. On procédait à de nombreux essais et changements à l'époque, et toutes les femmes se tour-

étaient appelées les « killer Bs » mille). Alors nous nous adressions directement à la chaîne de commandement pour savoir ce qui se passait et voir ce que nous pouvions faire pour elles » explique M^{me} Breeck.

Pour Karen, son expérience reflète, à plus grande échelle, l'expérience qu'ont vécue des dizaines, voire des centaines de femmes à cette époque de grands changements: plaisanteries sur le compte des femmes, humiliations de la part de certains hommes qui prétendaient leur « montrer les ficelles du métier » et comportements déplacés de la part de « dinosaures » qui la

chassaient carrément de leur bureau. Les politiques étaient rédigées en fonction d'une force exclusivement masculine, les toilettes des femmes se trouvaient souvent dans des bâtiments éloignés, les femmes emportaient chez elles le matériel de sécurité en vol pour l'adapter afin de pouvoir l'utiliser, les femmes n'étaient pas choisies pour participer aux programmes de perfectionnement professionnel et se trouvaient presque à coup sûr mises de côté lorsqu'elles avaient un bébé. Qui plus est, on n'accordait ni temps ni argent à la résolution de ces situations.

« Une génération plus tard, les problèmes auxquelles ont assiste à une stagnation?

été confrontées les femmes ne sont pas connus » dit Karen. « Aujourd'hui, les femmes ont pratiquement franchi tous les obstacles ».

Mais est-ce suffisant? Mme Breeck s'inquiète. Pour elle, le fait que les jeunes femmes militaires d'aujourd'hui ne soient pas au courant des problèmes auxquels ont dû faire face les pionnières des FAC peut être un point critique. Avec une proportion de près de 15 pour cent de femmes au sein des FAC (la cible actuelle en matière d'égalité au sein des Forces est 25 pour cent), et une génération de pionnières qui appartient maintenant au passé, se pourrait-il qu'on

« Peut-être n'est-il plus nécessaire de faire quoi que ce soit, mais les femmes n'envisagent pas spontanément les carrières militaires. Je crois que nous risquons de reculer si nous n'avons pas un plan. »

M^{me} Breeck et les personnes qui assistaient à la conférence ont reconnu par la suite, lors d'une discussion générale, que mettre sur pied un tel plan représentait un défi à la fois politique et humain - « C'est une question d'ordre humain » a déclaré Mme Breeck.

« Nous avons besoin d'un système qui permet de prendre en compte tous les membres des FAC qui veulent s'accomplir pleinement, et avoir à la fois une carrière et une famille. »

Le chemin à parcourir : une occasion à saisir pour les femmes des FAC



Le Lieutenant-colonel André Gloumeau, "Champion" pour les femmes de la 14º Escadre de Greenwood, a conduit les événements et la période de discussion afin de souligner la Journée internationale de la femme, le 8 Soldat N. Clarkson, 14 EMA Service d'imagerie de l'Escadre.

Le Lieutenant-colonel An- la femme. dré Gloumeau cherche des pour faire partie de son équipe des Forces armées canadien-

Une faible estime de soi, l'inertie vis-à-vis des questions d'image corporelle, la violence, l'exploitation axée sur le sexe et le manque d'intérêt pour les réalisations de femmes dans l'histoire des FAC pourraient constituer des obstacles sur le « chemin à parcourir », thème choisi cette année pour les activités organisées à la 14e Esde la Journée internationale de

gens confiants et courageux Lcol Gloumeau, c'est l'occa- ce titre, à l'organisation de sion que nous devons saisir l'après-midi du 8 mars. La pour réagir.

> « Le chemin à parcourir, pour le ministère de la Défense nationale, est représenté par nos jeunes hommes et femmes. Quiconque a une fille, une nièce ou toute autre parente, devrait s'intéresser de près aux problèmes auxquels font face les jeunes femmes, afin que nous puissions mieux préparer l'avenir. »

Commandant du 14e Escadre le 18 mars, à l'occasion cadron de génie logiciel, le tant que jeune femme à son son apport personnel à la fin Lcol Gloumeau est le cham- arrivée dans le milieu médical de l'après-midi.

pion de la base pour la cause des FAC, et a expliqué combien Ou, comme l'a dit le des femmes, il a participé, à de nombreuses réactions sur l'exploitation des femmes dans la publicité, sur l'aspect marketing du sexe et sur le caractère de plus en plus explicite – et dégradant pour la femme – des messages depuis quelques années. La docteure à la retraite Karen Breeck a également raconté les expériences qu'elle a vécues en

les choses avaient changé par rapport à ce qu'elle a connu.

« À vous tous ici présents, projection du documentaire je confie une mission : ré-« Killing us Softly » a suscité pandez le message véhiculé ici partout dans la base et autour de vous » de dire le Lcol Gloumeau. « Sans lui, pas de progrès possible. »

> Un collecte organisée au profit de Chrysalis House, refuge de la Vallée pour les femmes et les enfants, a permis de recueillir divers articles de toilette et la somme de 279 \$, que Mme Breeck a doublé par

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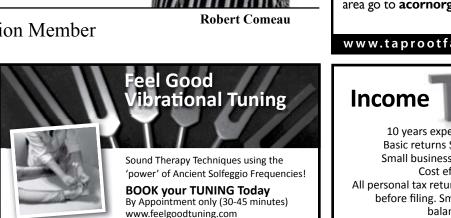
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404 Squadron's first upgraded Aurora deployment

Flight Lieutenant Rich Jones, 404 Squadron, Block III Implementation Flight

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A 404 (Long Range Patrol & Training) Squadron crew took part in a multinational exercise with aircraft 115, the most recent Aurora to have gone through the upgrade process.

hosted by Royal Naval Air Station Culdrose in Cornwall,

against HMS Astute, one of the newest, modern and most technically advanced nuclear submarines in the world. The crew also put the new Aurora through its paces in an all-out war training scenario in the English Channel, one of the busiest shipping areas in the world. The crew worked with a multinational force, consisting of British and German warships, helicopters and fast jets in a highly charged and dynamic scenario.

Excellent training was The crew, while being achieved, and the 404 Squadron crew relished the opportunity to show off Canada's England, flew a training flight latest Aurora to our allies.



The upgraded Block III Aurora on its recent British



Members of the Block III Implementation Flight from 404 Squadron (back row, left to right): Sergeant Bob Legere, Sergeant Geoff Brown, Captain Jan Douglas, Sergeant Stu Greenslade, Captain Bruce Jarvis, Major Gord Colwell, Master Warrant Officer Rob O'Brien. In the foreground is Sergeant Kenny Caldwell.

Master Corporal R.Wilson, 404 Squadron

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moving van.

son are urged to attend one of three mandatory posting-out briefings: March 26 at 1:30 p.m., April 9 at 6 p.m. and April 10 at 1:30 p.m., at the Birchall

"If you are in PMQs (Private Married Quarters), there are Military members and their things you need to do," says spouses who will be posted Master Corporal Kathleen

ment support clerk in the Wing Orderly Room. "If you have children, there are resources and childcare to help - sometimes it's difficult to make a move for families. There's a clearing out list for the base

Snow, a resource manage- with tonnes of places on it that tion Services and the Furniture challenge, Snow says, there need to be checked off."

All of this information will be reviewed at the briefings, with speakers from the Canadian Forces Housing Agency, the military family resources centre, Brookfield Global Reloca-

and Effects Section. Hard copies of information guides will be available (on-line, find what you need at http://www. irp-pri.com/policies_directives/cf members/).

When a move becomes a

is help: the MFRC, base padres and social workers, and military peers who have lived through change can share in the experience, with support for stress to handy packing

Renseignez-vous sur le processus...

Séances d'information préalables au déménagement

maintenant?

familles de la 14e Escadre feront le grand déménagement dans les prochains mois, et il y a encore de nombreuses listes à cocher et de nombreux plans à établir avant que la dernière boîte ne soit rangée à l'arrière du fourgon de déménagement.

Nous encourageons vivement les militaires et leurs conjoints qui seront affectés au cours de la période des affectations 2013 à assister à l'une des deux séances d'information obligatoires sur les affectations qui auront lieu le 26 mars à 13 h 30, le 9 avril à 18 h ou le 10 avril à 13 h 30 au Centre d'instruction Birchall.

a certaines choses que vous devez faire. Si vous avez des enfants, des ressources et des services de garderie seront offerts pour vous aider, car le déménagement est souvent difficile pour les familles. La base dispose d'une liste de libération comportant et de déménagement.

Vous êtes affecté - Et de nombreux cases qui doivent être cochées », affirme le Plusieurs centaines de caporal-chef Kathleen Snow, commis de soutien à la gestion des ressources de la salle des rapports de l'escadre.

> Toute cette information sera examinée lors des séances d'information, avec des présentateurs de l'Agence de logement des Forces canadiennes, du Centre de ressources pour les familles des militaires, des Services globaux de relogement Brookfield et de la section Meubles et Effets. Des copies papier des guides d'information seront disponibles (en ligne, vous trouverez ce dont vous avez besoin à http://www.irppri.com/policies_directives/ cf_members/).

Lorsque le déménagement « Si vous êtes dans des devient pénible, dit-elle, il logements familiaux (LF), il y y a de l'aide : le CRFM, les aumôniers et les travailleurs sociaux de la base ainsi que les pairs militaires qui ont réussi à traverser des périodes difficiles de changement peuvent partager leur expérience, offrir un soutien en matière de gestion du stress

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WOW! event will inspire, energize change

Managing editor

Organizers of an upcoming conference in Greenwood are going for the WOW! effect.

The Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre will present Janice Butler of Creative Breeze Training March 23 in a day-long event designed to wow and inspire participants.

"What you feel when you normally walk into a conference: 'Oh, well...' - it's hard to describe Janice, but it's really her that makes the conference," says MFRC board conference called WOW!, you spot for Butler, as she un-

vice-chairman Leanne Den- need to make an effort that derstands families' stress and videos and activities everyone could be up dancing.

"Timing-wise – everyone coming out of the winter slump – we intend to motivate them!"

It could be the DJ Butler brings along with her, with cues throughout the day's presentations to add in everything from dance music to bird song, representing energy from the environment.

"Oh, wow, the energy...," says Butler. "If you're at a community does open a soft

nison. "She's exciting and says wow. Every time, people motivating, she uses games can't go to sleep, they're wondering, 'What is she going to say next?'; and I go from story to story and share so many experiences."

> Butler doesn't change her presentation for her audience, whether its forest firefighters, home builders, women business owners - "It doesn't matter what role you play in life, I really go to the heart of every individual. We're all people first."

A Canadian Armed Forces

and worry over deployments, moves - change.

"Change is one of the seven themes I talk about, and every human, anytime there's something different, it's, 'How do you deal with that?' It sabotages us from doing something else. I go through some little tools that are actually powerful techniques that can help.'

Dennison said her WOW! experience led her to identify some personal goals, write them down and start working on them,. She's pleased to say she's crossed one off her



Janice Butler goes for the WOW! effect.

list, and is close to achieving another. The real life examples from Butler's own experience, and people she's met, gave Dennison the positive power to make her own changes.

The free MFRC event here will be held at the Annapolis Mess March 23, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. There is room for 100 participants (military members, their families, DND partners and MFRC staff and volunteers), with coffee breaks provided morning and afternoon. Lunch is independent. To register, contact the MFRC, 765-5611, as soon as possible to reserve a place.

Un événement WOW! qui inspirera et animera le changement

Sara Keddy Rédactrice en chef

Les organisateurs d'une conférence qui se tiendra bientôt à Greenwood veulent impressionner leurs visiteurs. Le 23 mars prochain, le Centre de ressources pour les familles de militaires (CRFM) de Greenwood présentera Janice Butler, de Creative Breeze Training, à l'occasion d'un pour fasciner et inspirer ses participants.

vous arrivez à une conférence ordinaire... Il n'est pas facile de décrire Janice, mais c'est vraiment sa personnalité qui fait la conférence », commente Leanne Dennison, vice-présidente du comité du CRFM. « Elle est excitante et motivante, elle se sert de jeux, de vidéos

atelier d'une journée concu et d'activités, et elle est capable de faire danser toute la salle! »

« Au sortir des blues de « Ce n'est pas comme quand l'hiver, le moment ne peut pas être mieux indiqué pour motiver tout le monde! »

> Ce pourrait être à cause du DJ dont Butler se fait accompagner, qui intervient à divers moments avec des sonorisations allant de musique de danse aux chants d'oiseaux pour représenter l'énergie tirée

de l'environnement.

« Oh, wow, l'énergie... », commente Butler. « Si vous êtes à une conférence intitulée WOW!, vous devez faire un effort qui dit Wow! À chaque fois, tout le monde est assis au bord de sa chaise et se demande 'Qu'est-ce qu'elle va nous sortir maintenant?' et je saute d'histoire en histoire pour partager tout un tas d'expériences. »

Butler ne change pas sa

présentation en fonction de munauté des Forces armées son auditoire, qu'il soit composé de pompiers forestiers, de constructeurs de maisons ou de femmes propriétaires d'entreprises. « Peu importe quel rôle chacun joue dans la vie, je m'adresse directement au cœur des gens. Parce que c'est ça que nous sommes avant tout, des personnes. »

Butler trouve très émouvant de travailler avec la com-

canadiennes. Elle comprend le stress des familles, les inquiétudes associées aux déploiements, aux déménagements, aux changements...

« Le changement est un des sept thèmes que j'aborde, et chaque être humain, confronté à quelque chose de différent, réagit en disant 'Mais qu'estce qui va nous arriver?' C'est comme si nous nous empêchions de faire autre chose. Je décris quelques petits outils qui sont en fait des techniques puissantes qui peuvent faire beaucoup de bien. »

Dennison mentionne que son expérience de la conférence WOW! I'a amenée à cerner certains buts personnels, à les transcrire sur papier et à travailler à leur réalisation. Elle est heureuse de confier qu'elle en a déjà rayé un de sa liste et est sur le point d'en atteindre un autre. Les récits d'expériences vécues par Butler et par les gens qu'elle a rencontrés ont donné à Dennison l'énergie positive requise pour apporter ses propres changements.

Cette conférence gratuite du CRFM aura lieu le 23 mars prochain, de 9 h à 16 h, au mess Annapolis; nous pouvons accueillir 100 participants (membres militaires, familles, partenaires du MDN et employés et bénévoles du CRFM). Nous offrons les pauses-café du matin et de l'après-midi. Le déjeuner est laissé au choix des participants. Réservez votre place dès que possible en téléphonant au CRFM, au 756-5611.



Canadian nurse shares hobby with German students

U.S. Army Garrison Baumholder Public Affairs

An air evacuation nurse with the Canadian Forces recently deployed to Landstuhl Regional Medical Center as part of the casualty support team visited children at Smith Elementary School on Smith Barracks but, instead of focusing on her job, Captain Denise Olson talked about bagpipes.

"I'm here today at the school because I'm actually instructing three of the teachers here on how to play the bagpipes," Olson said. Her talent is in high demand wherever she goes, especially on holidays such as Memorial Day or Veterans Day.

Dressed in her kilt and piping uniform, Olson fielded questions from the children about everything from what was inside the "bag" to what the decorations on her uniform were. Of course, she also played for the children, who were surprised to learn how loud the pipes sounded in their school library.

Olson has been playing the pipes for 35 years and says her hobby actually paid for her college and nursing school. For six summers, she had a job on the Cabot Trail, a tourist location in Nova Scotia.



Captain Denise Olson visits school children to talk about her Canadian Forces experiences.

any other job. That was my job, eight to nine hours a day."

She became interested in bagpiping through Highland dancing when she was seven years old.

"At the age of 10, I thought, "I didn't have to look for well, I'm already dancing to the music - I'd like to learn how to play it."

Olson comes from a very musical family. Her father plays several instruments, and so do her uncles.

"I'd already started to take

piano, so I was very interested in music. It has been fantastic," Olson said.

Olson was in Germany from May to November 2012, and returned back to work with 26 Canadian Forces Health

Greenwood January 4, in time in-command of clinical serto move right into the new vices.

Services here at 14 Wing health centre as the second-



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TENDER 13-01

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Specifications and tender forms may be viewed and picked up beginning March 21, 2013 (upon receipt of a non refundable deposit of \$50.00) at the Municipal Complex, located at 87 Cornwallis Street, Kentville NS. Office hours are Monday to Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. Tenders may also be viewed at the Nova Scotia Construction Association, located at 260 Brownlow Avenue - Unit 3, Dartmouth, NS.

Specific inquiries pertaining to this tender may be directed to Evan Teasdale, P. Eng., GENIVAR by phoning (902) 835-9955 or email: evan.teasdale@genivar.com

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Bike zombies

Hours on a bike - going nowhere - really added up, as a team from 26 Canadian Forces Health Services at 14 Wing Greenwood took part in a 24-hour spin-a-thon hosted by CFB Halifax February 28 and March 1. The event was an awareness and fundraising challenge for Boomer's Legacy, a charity run in memory of Corporal Andrew "Boomer" Eykelenboom, a CAF soldier killed in Afghanistan in 2006. The cyclists rode multiple shifts of 45 minutes over the 24 hours, drank lots of water and coffee and enjoyed snacks, music, ball and badminton with other team members — they even had a chance to grab some sleep on cots in the Stadacona gym's squash court. Maureen Eykelenboom (Boomer's mom) was there, and participants experienced many emotional moments remembering fallen soldiers. Cards hanging from the bikes' handles included pictures and details of a few of the fallen, including Boomer. The Greenwood team shared its bike with Jessie Wright, a Flight Line Café in Greenwood employee who has been involved with previous Boomer's fundraisers, and some personnel who travelled from 42 Health Services Centre Gagetown. In the picture are (from left) Lieutenant Gillian Howell, Corporal Veronique Barbeau, Leading Seaman Scott Carson, Corporal Cori Plante, Corporal Carla Morrice and Leading Seaman Will Dunphy. The Greenwood team raised \$1,002.15 a great chunk of the overall event's \$12,000 total, and thank all their co-workers and friends for such strong support.



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NS employers, educators honoured for Reserve support

Council (CFLC) recognized 15 civilian employers and educators for their support to Canada's Reserve Force at Nova Scotia's Government House March 7.

Brigadier-General the Honourable J.J Grant, CMM ONS CD (retired), Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, and Brigadier-General J.D.G .Henley OMM CD, Deputy Commander of Land Force Atlantic Area, were on hand to present awards.

cational institutions to grant International.

The Canadian Forces Liaison Reservists time off on a voluntary basis, without penalty, to allow them to participate in their military activities, duties and training.

Valley award recipients included Canada Post Kentville, recognized in Best Practices In Employer Support: Large Organization; the Annapolis Valley Regional School Board, recognized for Support to Canada's Reserve Force Operations: International (Public Sector); and Vanoostrum Farm Equipment Ltd., also recog-The council encourages nized for Support to Canada's civilian employers and edu- Reserve Force Operations:



Marcia Longley-Carroppi, Canada Post local area manager, Kentville; accepts a Reserve Force support award from Brigadier-General the Honourable J.J Grant, Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia.

Warrant Officer J. Kean, Land Force Atlantic Area Public Affairs



Lavina Parrish-Zwicker, chairwoman of the Valley Regional School Board, centre right; and Margo Tait, board superintendent, accept a Reserve Force support award from Brigadier-General the Honourable J.J Grant, Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia. George Thomson, Aylesford, a lieutenant-colonel with the West Nova Scotia Regiment, nominated his employer.



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Le Relais pour la vie est la votre équipe, tous les membres ioindre pour cet événement mémorable qui tiendra le 14 juin.

Le session d'information se nement pendant les 10 dernières tiendront: le 22 mars à 13h00 années à Middleton. Venez-vous au Salle de Jeux des Officiers joindre à nous pour combattre du Mess Annapolis. Si vous désirez avoir plus de détails, vous pouvez contacter le BPI, succès cette année. Cela ne fait Capitaine Mathieu Kuhn, 765-

Friends say thanks

unteers are extending big costs. Scotiabank Greenwood thanks to the community for also participated with a ticket its support of the group's sale, and supplied volunteers. February 23 auctions, dinner and dance.

The evening was in aid of the Western Kings Arena phase two renovation, and raised \$22,425,11.

the event, with donations for tion items.

Friends of the Villages vol- the auctions and covering A community dance group and hockey players served guests, and Elizabeth Cushing was the winner of a raffled quilt.

Special thanks to all those who attended the dinner or Many sponsors supported dance, and made bids on auc-

~ Obituary ~

LeGard, Stephen William,

Nictaux, NS

LeGard, Stephen William- It is with heavy hearts that we announce the sudden passing of Stephen LeGard on March 3, 2013. Born in Halifax on September 30, 1962, he was a son of Dianne Hankinson LeGard and the late Leonard LeGard. Stephen attended schools in both Dartmouth and Middleton. In 1985 he completed the Silviculture Worker Level 1 Training Program. In the late 1980's Stephen,

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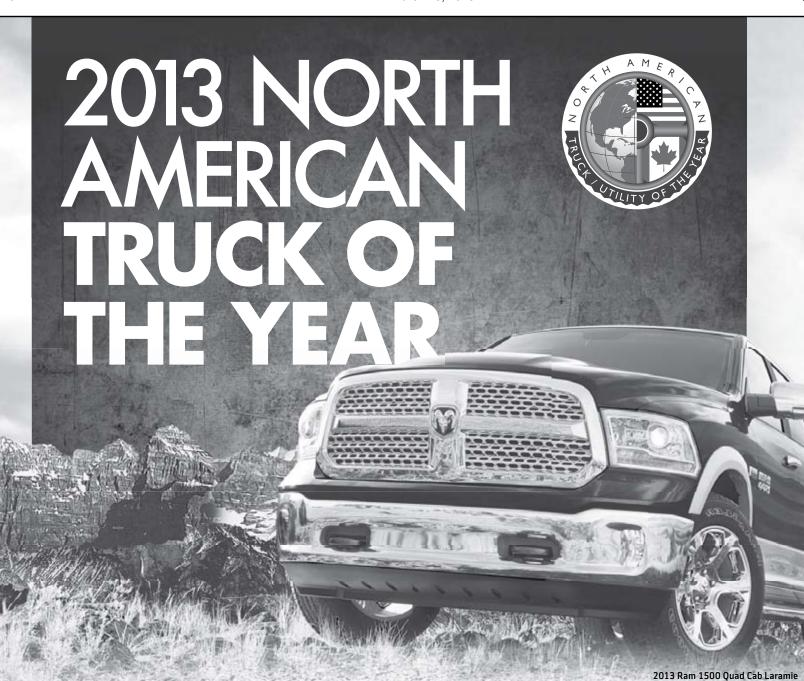


along with his mother, Dianne owned and operated LeGard's Forestry Services Ltd. He attended NSCC Cape Breton (89/90) and successfully completed the Forestry Worker Program. In September of 1990 he obtained his Nova Scotia Provincial Scaler's License. He then decided to move to British Columbia, where he completed the Utility Arbourist Certification Program while he worked for Asplunde, who did contract work for BC Hydro. Returning home in 1994, Stephen worked along with the rest of the family creating the Falcourt Inn in Nictaux. Stephen enjoyed canoeing and horseback riding and loved the great outdoors. He was a member of the Banook Canoe Club in Dartmouth, where he enjoyed paddling in the early 1970's. He was predeceased by his father, Leonard LeGard; paternal grandparents Henry "Harry" and Susan (McCurdy) LeGard and maternal grandparents, Thomas and Marguerite (Drake) Hankinson. Steve will be sadly missed by his mother, Dianne; brother, Derek; sister, Susan and his best friend and partner, Nancy McNeil. Cremation has taken place. A memorial service was held 2:00PM, Saturday, March 9, 2013 in the Middleton Funeral Home 398 Main Street, (902) 825-3448. Private family interment will be in Pine Grove Cemetery, Middleton A reception for family and friends will follow service in Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Middleton. By request, family flowers only. Donations in memory may be made to a charity of your choice. Online guest book may be signed by visiting:

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The Bolingbroke restoration progress after three years and 7,000 volunteer man-hours by Greenwood Military Aviation Society volunteers.

Time taking back 60 years of Bolingbroke history

Malcolm Uhlman & Dave Saulnier **Greenwood Military Aviation Society**

The Greenwood Military Aviation Museum (GMAM) rescued the carcass of a Second World War aircraft in 2009 from a swamp in Dauphin, Manitoba. This restoration project is a Bristol/ Fairchild Bolingbroke MkIVT (British Bristol Blenheim), a representative of an aircraft flown here at RAF/RCAF Station Greenwood during 1943-44. After 60 years of exposure to outdoor elements and the loss of many parts from metal and parts scavengers, there wasn't much left of the aircraft.

The distinctive nose of the Boly required a major reconstruction of the skeletal structure, as did the rear fuselage. These were successfully completed and work has since concentrated on developing the many curved windows, being moulded of non-yellowing Lexan polycarbonate. This process necessitated the construction of 14 different forms for each unique window shape and the construction of a 4'x4'x4' oven. The oven's heat allows the flat Lexan to drape over the form and take on the new shape. Most of these windows are now being fitted and installed.

Other parts have been fabricated from scratch as well. The forward escape hatch was missing and its reconstruction has been started from photos of other reconstructed Bolingbrokes. A navigator's table and corresponding map box have been meticulously replicated and installed in the restructured nose. The interior panels of the cockpit have also been repaired or replaced. A newly con-

structed instrument panel is decked out with mock dials because of low radiation emissions from the original style instruments and is now installed, as well as the throttle quadrant, master switch box and pilot's gun sight - all carefully replicated and dressing up the stark interior of the hulk. An original compass was recently installed and other pilot aids will be added. The pilot's seat has been repaired and primed, and is awaiting upholstery before reinstallation.

Structurally, the horizontal stabilizer was reskinned with new aluminum but the fin needed only a new leading edge. The complete reconstruction of the rudder and both elevator skeletons was accomplished using the salvaged hinges only, and the ribs fabricated from photos and drawings. These three major pieces are now ready for fabric covering, as in the original Bolingbroke. Work also continues on the massive wing box (centre section) and the complicated repair of the crushed ribs of the trailing edges.

Since its inception three years ago, almost 7,000 volunteer man-hours have been logged on the restoration of Bolingbroke 9997. The completion date is several years away, but it is gratifying to look back and see the progress accomplished by the enthusiastic team of museum volunteers.

Visitors are welcome to view the project in the workshop building behind the museum complex during volunteer work times Monday and Thursday mornings.

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In 2012, auxiliary members raised \$6.590.35 from a ticket auction and silent auction; this, coupled with regular coffee parties, card parties and lotteries etc.; exceeded members' goal of \$12,000.

The auxiliary disbursed over \$13,000 in January in support of Annapolis Valley Health services and to care organizations, including the following: the Soldiers Memorial Hospital Foundation, the Valley Regional Hospital Foundation, the Victorian Order of Nurses, Mid-Valley Palliative Care and Fidelis House.

Information: 1-800-A NEW-POT or www.paderno.com. Not all locations open Sundays, Good Friday and/or Easter Sunday. Quantities limited, please be early. Sale items may not be exactly as shown.

Greenwood swimmers making big splash

Greenwood Dolphins head coach

The Greenwood Dolphins are mid-season, and the future could not look any brighter!

Swim club members just wrapped up a championship meet for the short course season (25 metres pool competitions) and are now looking forward to the long course season (50 metres pool competitions).

Greenwood sent five swimmers to the Nova Scotia Junior Provincials, held February 8 through 10 in Port Hawkesbury. Notable performances were put in by Kyra Jarvis, 11, first in the 50m fly, second in the 50m free and third in the 200m free; Jenna O'Brien, 13, first in the 100m fly and 200m fly; Larissa Coleman, 11, first in the 200m back, third in the 50m back and third in the 200m IM; Julie Hotton, 14, third in the 100m fly and 200m fly. Nick Gilbert, 16, had three top-six placings in his first junior provincials, and Victoria Gilbert, 13, helped round out the first and second placed 13-14 girls' relays. As well as the medals each

the end.

February 28 through March 3, the Greenwood Dolphins went to Halifax, where the best Atlantic Canadian swimmers and some clubs from Quebec and Ontario competed at the East Coast Championships (short course). With the best of the best showing up to compete, Greenwood had four swimmers fully qualified for this competition. Savanah Leblanc, 12, proved to be a fighter in her first East Coast appearance, placing seventh in the 400m IM. She also swam personal bests in all six events she competed in. Jarvis, another East Coast first-timer, also swam bests in her three events, highlighted by a first alternate position for finals in her 50m back. Mercedes Leblanc, 14, a member of the Nova Scotia All-Star team, placed fourth in finals for her 200m breaststroke, seventh in the 200m free, eighth in the 200m back and eighth in the 200m IM. Lo-

many top-six ribbons won and the provincial all-star team, the 50m back, second in the minutes of time dropped. A rounded out Greenwood's small contingent representing contingent, qualifying for Greenwood made a mighty Age Group Nationals in the force to be reckoned with in 50m back, 100m back and substantial amounts of time junior provincials in May in Nationals in July in Montreal.

swimmer received, there were gan Way, also a member of 200m back. He placed first in in each of their swims, very Wolfville, Ken Dun Champs 200m back, third in the 100m back and fourth in the 50m

hard to do at the level they are competing at.

Greenwood is now looking

in June in Halifax, the Long Course East Coast Champs in July in Newfoundland and fly. All four Dolphins took off forward to swimming at the Labrador and Age Group



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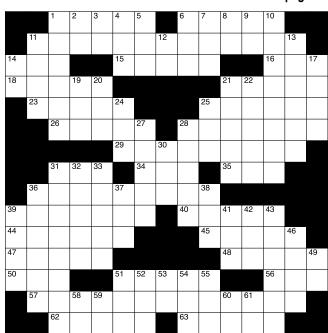
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Meeting

March 18, the Canadian Cancer Society's Kingston/ Greenwood Living With Cancer Support Group will hold its regular monthly meeting in the St. Mark's Protestant Chapel Annex, Greenwood, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. The CEO of the CCS NS Division, Barbara Stead-Coyle, will be guest speaker, on "Reflecting On the Last 75 Years and the Future of the Canadian Cancer Society." Cancer patients, family and friends or anyone seeking information on cancer is invited to attend. For information: Lloyd Graham (765-6133) or Lynda

Pierce (765-3055). **Spring celebration**

March 19, 7 p.m., enjoy a recipe for an early spring at the Rosa M. Harvey Library: a town crier, live bunnies, two-week old lambs, tips on spring fashions and flower arrangement plus sampling of homemade ice cream. Spring formally comes a few hours early, with a celebration of the new season and something special for all ages.

March 20, 7 p.m., is the next meeting of the Wilmot Garden Club in the Melvern Square Community Hall. Bill Sproule will be discussing grape growing. Everyone welcome. www.wilmotgardenclub.ca.

Ticket auction

March 23, there will be a ticket auction at West Kings High, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Twenty tickets for \$1. Lots of great prizes, including passes to Oaklawn Zoo and Upper Clements Park. All proceeds will help a West Kings teacher raise \$6,000 for the Diabetes Association. There will also be baked goods and a hot dog sale occurring throughout the day.

Breakfast

March 23, 8 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., enjoy a big breakfast at the Middleton Curling Club, 6 King Street. A community favourite.

Ticket auction March 23, there will be a ticket auction at the Melvern Square Community Centre, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Proceeds for the Melvern Square United Baptist Church. Name and phone number will be taken. Canteen available.

Supper

March 23, 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., "Meat" the spring at a meatloaf supper, hosted by the Paradise United Baptist Church. Menu: potato scallop, meatloaf, coleslaw, roll: pie for dessert. Come join us at the Paradise Hall. Adults. \$10; children under 12, \$7; under

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March 23 at 8 p.m., Evergreen Theatre (1941 Stronach Moun-

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Meeting

March 25 is the annual meeting for the Melvern Square & Area Community Association, 7 p.m., in the community hall, 165 Bridge Street, Melvern Square,

Dessert, card party

March 25, the Kingston and District Health Auxiliary will be holding a dessert and card party, 12:30 p.m. for 1 p.m., at the Kingston Lions' hall. Tickets are \$7, available at the door. There will be various card games and lots of prizes. Everyone is welcome. Please come out and help support our community and health auxiliary. For information, call 765-3094.

Luncheon

March 26, enjoy a home-made meal at a reasonable price; attend the Middleton Fireflies' luncheon, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Middleton fire hall. Lobster chowder (\$8), corn chowder (\$7) or hamburger soup (\$7), followed by your choice of upside-down cake or rhubarb crisp, tea or coffee. If you prefer to have the meal (minus the beverage) delivered

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Meeting

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Donut sale

March 27, All Saint's Anglican Church Kingston will be selling mini donuts all day at All Saints' Anglican Church Hall, Pleasant Street, Kingston (turn west off Bridge Street). Cost: \$ 4 a box. Come out and try them warm from the kitchen - buy a couple of boxes and enjoy them for snacks and coffee breaks!

Men's basketball

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Kingston Area Seniors Association

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Every 1st and 3rd Monday of each month, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the MRHS library. If you are interested in having a skate park in Middleton, these meetings are for you! New members always welcome. For info, call Brooke at 824-1069

Youth bowling

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Centre youth bowling programs are underway for youth ages five to 19. Call the Greenwood Bowling Centre to register, 765-1494 local 5631.

Church service

Sundays: 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship services at the Fellowship Baptist Church, 174 Bridge Street, Melvern Square. 765-6361, www. fbcmelvernsq.com.

Church service

Sunday service 10:45 a.m. at New Beginnings Centre, 1151 Bridge St., Greenwood. Nursery and program for children ages three to 12. We are an evangelical Christian church. 765-8155.

Church service

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TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

You may need an extra dose of patience this week, Taurus, Some difficult tasks are ahead and you will be in charge of getting things back to normal.

GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21

Gemini, though many things can induce stress, the infectious sound of children's laughter will quickly take vou out of a slump. Take some time to enjoy the simpler things in life.

CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22

Cancer, some issues that require your attention arise at the office even though you may feel you have already devoted enough time to work responsibilities this week.

LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23

A memorable night is on the horizon, Leo. It may be Wednesday or Thursday, so plan to look your best on those days. Romance could be in the air as well.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, before reacting to something this week, take a few deep breaths before saying or doing anything. This way you can be sure you are not engaging in a knee-jerk reaction.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

Libra, someone you can trust will be by your side this week when you need the most support. He or she also can help with sorting through financial concerns

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

Scorpio, you may need to take a look at your finances and any things you can do to address any issues. Tweak things that have not been working as you had hoped.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, make some concessions if it means keeping the peace around the house. Sometimes you have to simply sit back and let others be in the spotlight.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Capricorn, take a few moments to think about what you expect from a particular person and then develop a strategy that will bring you to that end. It sounds easy, but it will require effort

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Sometimes things last, but other times they fizzle away, Aquarius. You may not be able to predict the outcome of everything, but you can take steps to protect the things you want to save

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Greenwood curling club clinic participants included, from left, Robin Bradshaw, Carolyn Dale, Sue Ryan, Florence Roach and Sandra Cathcart. In the hack is Helen Malo.

Greenwood curlers' skills set for year-enders

With the spring weather just around to view ourselves on video – thanks, the corner, the 14 Wing Greenwood Curling Club is preparing for the final bonspiels and curling of the season.

The regular curling leagues – ladies', men's, mixed, juniors, commercial and intersection - have only another four weeks of curling left. To help hone skills and correct all those bad habits learned throughout the season, a curling clinic was held March 9. Florence Roach guided a group through a review of many aspects of the sport, including sliding, releasing the rock on the skip's broom and sweeping, to name a few. Participants also had an opportunity

Bill Laird and Dan Praught, for working the cameras. Hopefully, the clinic will improve skills and prepare players for upcoming closing bonspiels.

Both the ladies' and the men's leagues will host closing bonspiels: the ladies' 44th closing bonspiel will be April 12 to 14 and will attract 24 teams from the local area and throughout Nova Scotia; the men's closing bonspiel will be April 19 to 21, with 32 teams from the Maritimes expected. If you want to catch some curling we invite you and your friends to come to the curling club and watch a few games.

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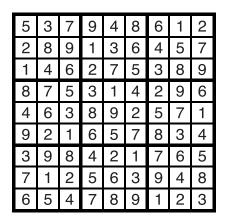
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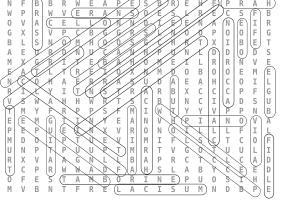
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C&E curling great tradition

Corporal Jaden Braniff, Wing Telecommunications & Information Services

In January, 14 Wing Greenwood hosted the Atlantic Region Construction & Engineering Curling Bonspiel. The branch has been running the event faithfully for the last 26 vears.

and has seen many teams radar technicians from the from across the country make the journey to Greenwood. The event has also spread to other wings in Canada, demonstrating the importance of the bonspiel's esprit de corps. One team in particular, "The Old Farts," has taken part in the event since its inception in Barrington 26 years ago. The bonspiel began in 1988 The founders, a group of

historical site, moved the event to Greenwood after the second bonspiel to allow for a more regional tournament. It has been held at the Greenwood curling rink ever since.

The three-day event gives past and serving members of the branch the opportunity to participate in personal development sessions, as well as an exchange of ideas through a social meet and greet - not to mention some good old fashion rivalry.

14 Wing Commander Colonel Jim Irvine presided over the opening ceremonies, as each team marched on to the ice accompanied by the 14 Wing piper. Irvine expressed his appreciation for the dedication and hard work the organizers of this event have shown over the years and recognized the importance such event has for all who attend.

Master Corporal Michael Thomas, chairman of the event, planned the event for nearly three months with his 14-member committee. The team searched out sponsors, accommodations, completed a web page and logo design. Thomas and his crew pulled together a myriad of resources to make this year's bonspiel as memorable as always.



The "Old Farts" - from left, Ernie Killen, Bill Powley, Gord Macdonald and Allen Morris - have now participated in the 26-year history of the Construction & En-

gineering branch annual bonspiel.

Holy Week



7 PM Sunday 24 March 13 **QUEEN OF HEAVEN CHAPEL**

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HOLY WEEK SERVICES – QUEEN OF HEAVEN CHAPEL

Sunday 24 March – Palm Sunday Mass – at 11 AM and Taizé Service at 7 PM Monday 25 March - Parish Reconciliation Service at 7 PM

Thursday 28 March – Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7 PM

Friday 29 March – Good Friday Celebration of the Passion of Our Lord at 3 PM Stations of the Cross (A Children's Live Portrayal) - Good Friday at 10 AM and 7 PM

Saturday 30 March – Easter Vigil – at 8 PM

Sunday 31 March – Easter Sunday – Celebration of Resurrection of Our Lord at 11 AM

HOLY WEEK SERVICES - ST. MARK'S CHAPEL

Sunday 24 March - Palm Sunday Special Service - with Padre Richard Bastien at 10:30 AM Thursday 28 March – Maundy Thursday – with Rev Mike McKeage at 6:30 PM Friday 29 March – Good Friday Celebration – with Padre Gordon Poley at 3 PM

Sunday 31 March – Easter Morning – with Padre Gordon Poley at 6:30 AM

Sunday 31 March - Easter Celebration - with Padre Gordon Poley at 10:30 AM



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Students recognized for **Call to Remembrance results**

Harold MacKenzie. Publicity coordinator, Call to Remembrance Quiz

Middle school students from Windsor to Clementsport held at the Royal Canadian Le-February 28. in recognition of their participation and achieveRemembrance competition.

people.

ments in the earlier Call to Zone 8 Commander Mervin cash prize.

Steadman, with assistance Emcee for the evening was from Korean War veterans branch second vice-president Glen Hardiman, Ernest "Ju-Leo Jenkins. Camp Aldershot nior" Saulnier and Ronald Batguest speaker Captain Jeremy son. Cash prizes, medallions Wigmore gave a heartwarming and certificates of participation were honored at a banquet and educational talk on his were awarded to the students tour of Afghanistan, including on the top three teams. All gion Branch #098 in Kingston his interaction with the Afghan participating students received a certificate, and all schools Awards were presented by entering a team received a



Kings-Edgehill was the top team in the 2013 Call to Remembrance competition.



Captain Jeremy Wigmore, Camp Aldershot, left; with Korean veterans attending the Call to Remembrance 2013 awards banquet.

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