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Corporal (Cpl) Karen Lindsay (right wing) and Master Corporal (MCpl) Chris Crowell (left wing) remove the chocks from Aurora aircraft CP140101 to launch their first O'Brien mission, as Cpl Shawn Skaling marshalls the aircraft outside 11 Hangar on 09 March, 2011. The crew are members of 14 Air Maintenance Squadron (AMS), Greenwood, Nova Scotia. (Image: Corporal Melissa Spence, 14 AMS Wing Imaging, Imagery Technician)

By: Warrant Officer Paul Blinn

After a long hiatus of eight years, the O'Brien Competition or "EXERCISE O'BRIEN" to which it is now referred has officially returned. This prestigious event previously pitted the best Maritime Patrol (MP) crew from among 405, 407 and 415 Squadrons (Sqn(s)) against each other in an ASW (Anti Submarine Warfare) competition. The winners, along with bragging rights as the best Canadian crew, typically represented Canada at the Fincastle International ASW competition. This year 14 Wing hosted EXERCISE O'BRIEN from March 4-11, 2011 which saw 405 Long Range Patrol (LRP) Squadron and 14 Air Maintenance (14 AMS) Squadron representing the East coast and 407 LRP Sqn the West. Both Sqns sent their AEU (Air Expeditionary Unit) crews, or as we used to call them, Vanguard crews to compete in the Exercise to identify the most proficient Aurora crew in Canada.

How the O'Brien Trophy came into being is part of MP's, now LRP's, continuing history. In 1965, during the annual Maritime Command Aircrew Training Conference, it was recommended that an annual intersquadron ASW (Anti Submarine Warfare) competition be introduced to increase MP crew effectiveness. The first contest took place 10 to 12 July 1969 in Summerside, PEI. Admiral O'Brien, the Maritime Commander at the time, donated a trophy to be awarded to the top crew. It is officially called "The Maritime Commander's Trophy" but has since become known as the "O'Brien Cup".

Each Canadian MP Squadron was to be represented by one 15-man crew and a 10man technical support team. Competing crews were required to demonstrate proficiency in all aspects of ASW against a Canadian Oberon class submarine, as well as bombing accuracy against a towed target. As an incentive, the winning crew was awarded with a long range patrol on the opposite coast from that of their home unit. This competition eventually evolved as a means to select the top Canadian crew to compete in the annual Commonwealth (United Kingdom, New Zealand, Australia and Canada) Fincastle Competition.

Unfortunately the last O'Brien Competition was held in 2003 as a result of changing priorities and LRP taskings coupled with restructuring and down-sizing within the CF. Similar changes have also affected our fellow Commonwealth nations and the Fincastle Competition has also has been delayed or cancelled in recent years, 2006 being the last year one. In October of 2010 the CMAAG

(Commanders Maritime Air Advisory Group) identified the need to more accurately assess the proficiency of LRP crews and the capabilities of our aircraft. The Aurora crews were to be tested carrying out various mission profiles that may be required to support Canadian domestic and international policy. As a result, a reinvigorated O'Brien Competition to be referred to as EXERCISE O'BRIEN was identified to be the vehicle to achieve that intent.

Lieutenant Colonel Ron Walker, Commanding Officer of 404 Long Range Patrol and Training Sqn, reiterated the CMAAG's intent and tasked the 404 Sqn Standards and Training Flight Commander, Captain Bill Nemet, to develop an exercise plan to test the LRP crews in various disciplines. Overland Operations, Anti-Submarine Warfare, Joint Naval Operations, Search and Rescue, torpedo loading and aircraft servicing and maintenance were identified as the key areas for evaluation. In addition to assessing the proficiency of the AEU crews, the goals of the Exercise were to challenge the crews, to provide collective training, to assess and upgrade crew qualifications and to evaluate and further develop common Standards by which we

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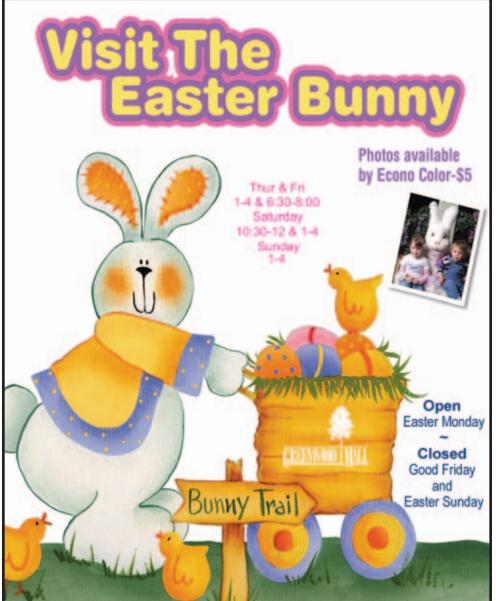


## O'BRIEN is Back!

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Winning team from 405 Long Range Patrol (LRP) Squadron and 14 Air Maintenance Squadron (AMS) with the Maintenance Cup, O'Brien Cup and Maritime Air Group (MAG) Torpedo Load Crew Trophy. Front Row (left to right): Corporal (Cpl) Lindsay, Cpl Morrison, Master Corporal (MCpl) Squires, Sergeant Harnett, Cpl Cheeke, Cpl Desruisseaux, MCpl Crowell, Cpl Landry and Cpl Skaling. Back Row (left to right): Cpl Whalen, Warrant Officer (WO) Inman, MCpl Brown, Captain (Capt) Rection, Capt Freeman, Capt Reeves, Capt Freely, WO Bergman, Capt Pearson, Sergeant (Sgt) Bergozy, Lieutenant (Navy) Becker, WO Osmond and Major Leblanc.





407 Squadron technicians and air crew from 19 Wing Comox pose for a group photograph with the VP International (VPI) Attackex Trophy they received for competing in the O'Brien Cup. Front Row (left to right): Master Corporal (MCpl) Johnny Hunter, Corporal (Cpl) Pat Bergeron, Sergeant (Sgt) Theresa Vlaar, Cpl Adam Phillips, MCpl Chad Peacey, Cpl Chris Halladay, Cpl Stephane Simard, Cpl Sasi Supramaniam, Cpl Dave Horwood and Cpl Nate Ouellet. Back Row (left to right): Captain (Capt) Patrick Leblanc, Capt Chris Wattie, MCpl Martin Fiset, Capt Sebastian Tardif, Capt Peter Bolton, Capt Kurt Luneburg, Sgt Patrick Lalande, MCpl Alan Thomson and Sgt Steve Horne.

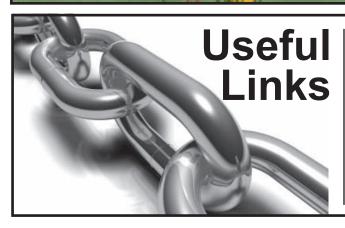
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The Canadian Victoria Class submarine was unavailable to participate during the Exercise, therefore the preprogrammable Expendable Maritime ASW Training Target or EMATT was used during the airborne ASW scenario to simulate a sub. The 404 Sqn Standards section with Long Range Patrol Standardization and Evaluation Team tested

conduct flying operations, arm and validated the Exercise Developing a realistic and maintain our Aurora fleet. scenarios to ensure that the Overland scenario presented scenarios represented realistic expectations of the crews and that the scoring was both fair and provided valuable assessment criteria. Mr Jeff McBean, Mr Craig LeBlanc and Mr Dom Carroll of the 404 Sqn Operational Mission Simulator (OMS) staff developed an exceptionally realistic Joint ASW scenario to challenge the crews.

challenges as well. The 14 Wing Transport Section eagerly provided two vehicles and drivers to support the scenario and the feedback from both crews was very positive as a result. Master Warrant Officer Dave Chevalier, MWO Chris Bailey and Warrant Officer Paul Blinn put in many hours developing the entire ... continued on page 3.





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maintenance and torpedo load competition scenarios and scoring criteria. They quickly learned during the planning phase that there were slight variations in the torpedo load and maintenance procedures between the two coasts. One of the Exercise goals of standardizing processes between across all LRP units had already achieved results.

While the scenarios were being developed and tested, an exhaustive search for the long lost "hardware" was also being carried out. The four Exercise trophies were all located within 405 Sqn and 14 AMS spaces or at the museum, the last and most elusive of which was located within days of the Exercise. Their return to active service saw the trophies a little tarnished and dust-covered after years of patiently awaiting to be presented once again to the top Canadian LRP, Torpedo Load and Maintenance crews. In addition to the previously mentioned O'Brien Cup, there is the VPI (VP International)

Attackex trophy for the quickest and most accurate attack on a submarine, the MAG (Maritime Air Group) Torpedo Load Competition Trophy and the Maintenance Competition Cup. Although there were individual awards for the Maintenance and Torpedo Load Competitions (TLC), the scores received by the ground crews for these competitions also factored into the overall scoring along with the aircrew scores from the various Exercise scenarios for the O'Brien Cup. The scores for the Attackex scenario would be used to identify the winner of the VPI Attackex trophy but would also be used as a tie-breaker for the O'Brien Cup if required.

The opening day consisted of a mass Exercise briefing for all participants, judges and officials. 14 Wing Commander, Colonel Seymour officially opened the Exercise by offering words of wisdom and encouragement to the crews and the crews were briefed on the Exercise rules, which was

followed by a Meet and Greet at the Annapolis Mess. The games officially commenced the next day as the Flight Crews proceeded to write an LRP tactics exam while their Maintenance Torpedo Load crews carried out the MK46 torpedo load and unload portion of the competition. Sunday was scheduled as a day of rest or for aircraft maintenance if required. Monday saw the Flight crews commence the OMS scenario and Fast Attack evaluations as the crews' maintainers provided any necessary TLC to the aircraft. Tuesday and Wednesday blessed with good weather saw the flying phase, both squadrons' flight crews were assessed in tracking the EMATT, Search and Rescue and Overland Operations. While servicing the aircraft during the flying phase, each maintenance crew was scored on their ability to conduct pre and post flight checks and other servicing functions as they launched

and recovered the aircraft for the two airborne missions. With the aircraft safely airborne, each maintenance crew, for the first time in the O'Brien competition's history, wrote a P-Series exam which tested their individual and collective knowledge of maintenance policies and Orders. Following the exam, the maintenance crews worked through a paper exercise which presented simulated AVN and AVS snags. Using the aircraft CFTO's (Canadian Forces Technical Orders) and their system knowledge, the crews proved their proficiency at rectifying aircraft snags and completing all required paperwork.

Thursday was originally scheduled to be used as an alternate day for either flights or simulators in case unserviceabilities or inclement weather prevented the completion of any Exercise event – after all, it is still winter in Canada. However, the day was not

required as the weather and aircraft cooperated, the time was used to provide the aircrews with comprehensive debriefs on their performance, for the judges to review the assessments of the various events, to tally the final scores and to spit polish the soonto-be-presented hardware. VPI hosted all Exercise participants for a Fellowship Meet and Greet in their lounge.

Friday's activities consisted

of an Exercise Review chaired by Lieutenant-Colonel (LCol) Walker with the Commanding Officers (CO's), participants and judges in attendance. This forum was used to raise any issues observed during the competition and to recommend possible ways ahead for organizing future O'Brien Exercises. The Exercise came to a close with the Awards Luncheon at the Annapolis Mess attended by all competitors, judges, and Wing Branch heads. After opening remarks from the President

of the local VPI Chapter and the three Sqn CO's, the Wing Commander congratulated all those involved who organized and participated in the Exercise. Col Seymour was impressed with both crews' overall performance and commented on how close the overall scores were between the crews. Considering all scoring criteria from the various events, only 1.5 points separated the two crews out of a possible 100. He expressed how this was testimony to the Standardization of our Aurora fleet training and operational proficiency and readiness for 'OP NEXT" despite being situated on opposite coasts.

Awards were presented to the following winners:

- MAG Torpedo Load Crew: **14 AMS**
- Maintenance Cup: 14 AMS VPI Attackex Trophy: 407 Sqn
- The O'Brien Cup: 405 Sqn Congratulations to all winners and well done by all.

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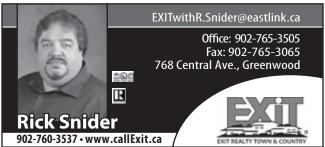
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By Eric MacKenzie

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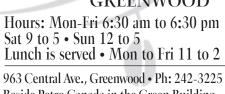


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It is the time that we officially thank all of our volunteers, although we hope that they feel recognized and appreciated with every encounter that they have with us. This year Volunteers at the Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre have contributed over 2100 hours of their valuable time. We will officially recognize them on April 12th at our annual volunteer appreciation event. Here are some national statistics on volunteering:

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annually, which is equivalent to about **1.1 million** full-time jobs. (Canadian Survey of Giving, Volunteering and Participating, 2007)

161,000 is the approx. number of charitable and not-for-profit organizations in Canada. (Canada Revenue Agency)

More than 7% of the population are 'uber volunteers' -- this single group contributes nearly 80% of the total volunteer hours tallied. (Canadian Survey of Giving, Volunteering & Participating, 2007)

54% of all non-profit and charitable organizations have no paid staff. (National Survey of Non-Profit & Voluntary Organizations, Statistic Canada, 2005)

73% of businesses either support or accommodate employee volunteering. (Employer Supported Volunteerism, Volunteer Canada, 2004)

200 is the number of volunteer centres in Canada. They are the local leaders of volunteerism responding to the needs of local volunteers and volunteer-involving organizations. (Volunteer Canada, 2010)

The **top three reasons** why Canadians volunteer are: 1) To make a contribution to their community; 2) The desire to make use of personal skills and experiences; 3) Having been personally affected by the cause. (Cdn Survey of Giving, Volunteering & Participating, 2007)

Volunteering can help build self-esteem, develop life-long skills, strengthen community, and improve health. Harvard University research shows volunteering is a reflection of social connectedness that is strongly associated with the health of people in that community. (Volunteering & Healthy Aging Project, Volunteer Canada, 2009)

Children and youth are more likely to become engaged citizens if they see someone they admire helping others, including their parents. (Canadian Survey of Giving, Volunteering & Participating, 2007)

For more information visit the Volunteer Canada Resource Centre at www. volunteer.ca

In the words of G.B Stern, "Silent gratitude isn't much use to anyone" so in closing I will simply say THANK YOU.



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Specific inquiries pertaining to this tender may be directed to Tanya Oickle, Engineering Support Clerk, 690-6164, <a href="mailto:toickle@county.kings.ns.ca">toickle@county.kings.ns.ca</a> or Tim Bouter, P. Eng., Supervisor of Engineering Services, 690-2219, <a href="mailto:toickle@county.kings.ns.ca">toickle@county.kings.ns.ca</a>.

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## 14 Wing Greenwood New Health Services Centre - Update





Exterior views of the Health Services building during construction showing steel super structure.

By: Sergeant Pete Nicholson, 14 Wing Photojournalist

Now that spring is officially here and most of the snow has melted, it seems prudent to update the progress of the new 14 Wing Health Services Centre.

Bryan Bent, Superintendant of Pomerleau Construction is very pleased with the development to date. Having started eight months ago in September 2011, they have been building for

212 days! A little behind schedule, which is typical because of the weather he is confident that all will be caught up shortly. He was actually quite surprised that they have accomplished as much as they have with the winter being as rough as it was!

As of today there are twenty four persons on the site. Pomerleau Construction has three people, and the sub contractors have twenty one. The mechanical / electrical /

(Images: Sergeant Pete Nicholson, 14 Wing Photojournalist)

structural sub contractors are all Nova Scotia companies. The steel stud / drywall company is from Quebec that has hired local tradespersons.

#### MILESTONES

- Foundation. Completed end of January 2011 Steel structure. Will be completed by the first week of April
- Roof and Walls. Should be completed by end of April 2011.

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Chocolate Milk - \$1.35; Welch's Fruit Snacks - \$1.25; Apple Slices - \$1.00; Pudding Cups (vanilla, butterscotch, banana) - \$1.00;
Bagels (blueberry, plain) - \$1.00; Bagel & Cream Cheese (strawberry, plain) - \$1.50; Applesauce (strawberry/apple, blueberry/apple, plain apple) - \$1.00; ~~~ Canteen Items - CASH ONLY ~~~

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Anne Kempton thanks Steve Nickerson.

## **Mu Chapter Learns Self Defensive Tactics**

Submitted by Anne Kempton, Recording Secretary

The ladies of Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi (BSP) had first hand knowledge of Women's Self Defensive Tactics on March 30. 5th Degree Black Belt Steve Nickerson, Owner/ Instructor of East Coast Aikido was Anne's guest.

Steve provided a hand out on a list of statistics regarding violence against women

The vulnerable striking targets; pressure point & defensive tactics were shown in a diagram. He reviewed with us ways for prevention and assertiveness for general safety.

be keys, a comb, pen or kubotan which are acceptable under the rules for protection governed under the Criminal Code of Canada.

The one hour presentation was followed by a short video of Steve defending himself in a competition against a single attacker. The competition lead up to three men carrying swords. My first question was to find out if Steve was the man who never fell down. He remained on his feet and seemed to defend himself tirelessly.

The ladies of Mu Chapter want to thank Steve for taking the time to bring awareness of

situation occurs. The ladies are interesting in taking one of his all day classes. Anyone 825-3645.

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# Large Monument to Honour 429 Squadron WWII Veterans Unveiled in Middleton



Commanding Officer (CO) of 429 Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Huddleston (right) and Chief Warrant Officer Bernard (left) salute during the unveiling of the 429 Squadron Monument.

By Captain Scott Spurr

The month of April certainly came in like a lion, but it did not dampen the spirits of the participants who witnessed the official unveiling of a large monument dedicated to the members of 429 Squadron (Sqn) who flew bombers during WWII.

The event took place at the Old Holy Trinity

Church cemetery in Middleton, Nova Scotia on April 1, 2011 at 11:00 a.m. In attendance were members of the present day 429 Transport Squadron that are based out of 8 Wing Trenton. Several members from 14 Wing Greenwood were also on hand as well as the Wings Brass and Reed Band.

Mr. Mark Smith from



Official unveiling of the 429 Squadron Monument held in Middleton, Nova Scotia. The monument was designed and erected by former 429 Squadron member and World War II veteran, Mr. Mark Smith to honour his fallen comrades during the Second World War.

(Images: Private Crystal Smith, 14 AMS Wing Imaging, Imagery Technician)

Middleton was also a member of 429 Sqn during the Second World War and wanted to do something that would remember and honour his fallen comrades. He did not want their sacrifices and memories to be forgotten. He came up with the idea of creating

a large monument that would contain their names, dates and places they were killed.

The monument was actually completed last November and unfortunately, Mr. Smith passed away in December, but not before seeing the completed monument. Jim Duguid was a good friend of Mark and thought it would be a great idea to have an official ceremony to unveil the impressive structure. Jim spearheaded the ceremony by contacting various organizations to

see if they were interested in participating such as 14 Wing Greenwood, 429 Sqn, and the local Legion to name a few.

After months of planning, the 1st of April was chosen for the date for the unveiling as this date is the anniversary of the Air Force and everyone thought that this would be fitting for such an amazing memorial.

Even though the weather was cool with snow flurries in the air, a great crowd of people were on hand to witness the dedication. In attendance was

Lieutenant Colonel(LCol)
Iain Huddleston, the
Commanding Officer from
429 Sqn and his Chief
Warrant Officer (CWO),
Justin Bernard and the
Acting Wing Commander
from 14 Wing, LCol Ron
Walker and CWO Denis
Gaudreault.

The members of 429 Bomber Sqn who fought bravely and valiantly throughout WWII for democracy and freedom may be gone, but through Mark Smith's efforts they will not be forgotten!

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Bob MacDonald taking a great shot or a ballet pose. (Images submitted)

Ken Landry.

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tournament appears to be

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siasm and goodwill of the

participants. All are looking

forward to next year, which will mark the tenth anniver-

Ålways on the cutting

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Submitted by: "The Flying None" Bob Landry

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Two divisions battled for the championship trophies. The SENSEI, or senior group, was made up of players aged 65 plus. The GRASSHOPPER, or junior group, was comprised of players aged 50 to 64. The Grasshopper division wore the uniforms of the original six NHL teams.

The four Sensei teams honoured former champions: the Ottawa Senators (1903 Stanley Cup), the Victoria Cougars (1925 Stanley Cup), the Montreal Maroons (1935 Stanley Cup) and, last but not least, the famous RCAF Flyers, crowned the 1948 World Champions. These senior players put on quite a show; their average age being 70 years young. Hon-oured with ``IRONMAN`` mementos were four octogenerians: Middleton's Al Peppard (84), Tancook Island's Elmer Cross (81), French Shore's Eddy Thimot (80) and Rawdon Hill's Robert Bennett.(80).

After four exciting games in only forty hours, with all the attending fanfare and hoopla, the Montreal Canadiens won the Grasshopper division title. The Sensei crowned the Victoria Cougars tournament champions and the RCAF Flyers were winners of the SWANSONG trophy in a thrilling comefrom-behind victory over the Maroons.. This actionpacked weekend sparked the accompanying poem, A GOLDEN OLDIES ODE, by the ``Gatineau Bulldog`



Iron Men Elmer Cross, Al Peppard, and Eddy Thimot.



Bryan, Craig and Sonny Gibson led the Canadiens to Youth Division Championship.



# **Painting**

Submitted by: Ann Marie Chalifoux, DRES

It was a family affair as Ellen Masse and her sons. Austin and Adam Charron, took part in a cooperative volunteer painting venture as 404 Squadron volunteers joined staff, parents and friends of Dwight Ross Elementary School for a day of painting on March 26th; part of a school beautification project.

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	Lundi	Mardi	Mercredi	Jeudi	Vendredi
9 h – 12 h			Français module 2		Français module 2
18 h – 21 h	Français module 1 Français module 3 Anglais module 4	Français module 5-6	Français module 3	Français module 1 Français module 5-6 Anglais module 4	

## **Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre** Second Language Training - Spring 2011

**Dates**: From Monday, April 18, to Friday, June 24, 2011

Registration deadline for all 5 classes: Monday, April 11, 2011 at the GMFRC Front Desk

**Duration**: 10 weeks for a total of 60 hours (three hours twice a week)

Location: Birchall Centre, GMFRC childcare hours, for a Reception 765-5611 Language School, on the Base

Cost: For Spouses, CF members, and dependants over 14 years of age: \$50.00 refundable upon completion of 85% of classes. All other participants: \$100.00

Free childcare is offered to military families during

maximum of 6 children per class period (first come, first served), pre-registration is necessary.

Placement Test: Contact Danielle Brochu at 765-5611 LIMIT of 10 students per

class – register early to avoid disappointment!

For information:

Schedule: Subject to change depending on Birchill Centre Second Language Classrooms, teacher and students availability. Let us know your availability; we will do our best to accommodate you.



#### FOIRE DE LA SANTÉ ET DE LA SÉCURITÉ

La Semaine SNASST 2011 1 - 7 mai

Santé et sécurité: un engagement pour la vie! « Quel est votre plan »?

Admission gratuite

QUAND : Mercredi le 4 mai, 2011 à 1000 - 1500 heures.

OÙ: 14 Escadre, Mess Annapolis (salons A, B & C)

Pour marquer la Semaine de la santé et de la sécurité au travail en Amérique du Nord, le Bureau de sécurité de la 14e escadre en conjonction avec le Bureau de la promotion de la santé, vous accueille à la foire de la santé et de la sécurité. La foire est ouverte à tous les employés du DDN et des FC et à leurs épouses, aussi qu'aux commerces de la région et au public général.

Il y aura plusieurs kiosks d'information sur la santé et la sécurité traitant de sujets concernant la sécurité à la maison, au travail et dans la communauté. Venez faire un tour pour voir notre exposition.

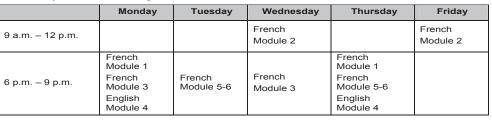
Des prix d'entrée seront tirés au fil de la journée.

N'oubliez pas de noter cet évènement sur votre calendrier.

Une initiative du Bureau de la sécurité générale de la 14e escadre et du Bureau de la promotion de la de la 14e escadre









#### HEALTH & SAFETY TRADE FAIR "What's Your Plan?" FREE ADMISSION

WHEN: Wednesday, 4 May 2011 1000 - 1500 Hrs

WHERE: 14 Wing, Annapolis Mess (Lounges A,B & C)

In celebration of North American Occupational Safety & Health Week the 14 Wing General Safety Office in conjunction with 14 Wing Health Promotions is hosting a Health & Safety Fair. The Fair is open to all DND/CF employees and their spouses, as well as the local business communities and the general public.

There will be numerous exhibitors with health & safety information kiosks and displays touching on issues from home & community safety to workplace safety. Drop by and browse the exhibits.

Door prizes will be drawn for throughout the day.

Don't forget to mark this event on your calendar.

Sponsored by 14 Wing General Safety Office & 14 Wing Health Promotions





## Youth Happenings at 14 Wing Greenwood

By: Recreation Youth Worker; Megan LeMoine

I hope everyone is enjoying the warmer weather we have been having by getting outside and walking, biking or going for a hike! During Easter we will be closed Good Friday and Easter Monday. If you would like more information about any programs or events, please call Megan at 765-8165. Here's what's happening this week.

Boys Club Cooking Class Monday April 11 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Boys come learn how to make tacos, it will be a fiesta!

Please pre-register before April 10 for this program.

Teen Council Tuesday April 12 3:00-4:00 p.m.

We will not have our regular meeting today. Cancelled

Active Chicks
Sock Monkey
Wednesday April 13
6:00-7:30 p.m.
Cost- \$4
Pre-Register

Girls for only \$4 come make your very own sock monkey. Please keep in mind this program involves a lot of sewing, although is very achievable for beginners or expert sewers!

Teen Activity
Walk/Hike

Thursday April 14 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Bring your walking shoes to The Centre for a walk to Fales River and back. Let's hope for sun!

Pizza Party
Friday April 15
Pre-teen- 6:00-8:00 p.m.
Teen- 8:00-10:00 p.m.
Cost- \$2

Come make your own 'mini pizza' for only \$2! We'll make the crust, you can choose your toppings, sit back and relax until your pizza is done and then enjoy!

Gardening Sunday April 17 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Today we are going to freshen up our garden beds

with new flowers and start our own vegetable garden!

Spring Fling Dance Friday April 29 Pre-teen- 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Teen- 8:30-11:30 p.m. \$4 Come dressed in your best for our Spring Fling dance. We'll have great music, dance

contests and cool prizes!

Teen Council

Community Yard Sale
Saturday April 30
1:00-3:00 p.m.

For only \$10 reserve a table at The 14 Wing Community Centre Gym for a Community Yard Sale. We'll also have a BBQ will all proceeds going to Teen Council. To book a table please call 765-8165.

## ~ Obituary ~

GRANT, Walter Roy "Wally"

Greenwood, NS

GRANT, Walter Roy "Wally" - 75, of Greenwood, NS passed away on Sunday, April 3, 2011 in the Valley Regional Hospital, Kentville. Born in Middleton, he was the son of the late Vernon "Jim" and Eileen (Coleman) Grant. Wally retired from the Royal Canadian Air Force after 32 years as a Supply Technician. He was later employed with Baader Canada, Dartmouth for 15 years.



Wally was an avid hockey fan and got great enjoyment out of watching all levels of hockey with his sons, and most recently enjoyed watching his grandson play. He was a devoted father, grandfather, and husband and loved his family dearly. He enjoyed his Friday night card socials with his special aunts, uncles, cousins and friends, as well as his daily walks and drives throughout the valley. He is survived by his wife of 53 years the former Teresa Sampson; daughter, Tammy (Dave) Hiscock, Winnipeg; sons, Todd Grant (Elaine Craig), Kentville; Troy (Susan) Grant, Chezzetcook; grandchildren, Tyler Grant, Meghan Hines and Emma Hines. By Wally's request, cremation has taken place. Visitation will be held from 7-9PM Thursday, April 7, 2011 in the Middleton Funeral Home, 398 Main St., (902) 825-3448 where a memorial service will be held 2:00PM Friday, April 8, 2011 with Rev. Bill McLeod officiating. A reception for family and friends will follow the service. Interment will be in St. Lawrence Cemetery, Kingston. By request, family flowers only. Donations in Wally's memory may be made to the SPCA Kings County or to the charity of choice. Online condolences may be made through: www.middletonfuneralhome.com

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#### BIANS - Brain Injury Association of Nova Scotia - Valley Chapter

Valley Regional Hospital, Kentville – Support Meeting - every 3rd Thursday of the month from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. and the General Meeting from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Valley Chapter Executive; Soldiers Memorial Hospital, Middleton - every 3rd Wednesday of the month from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.: Annapolis Community

Center, Annapolis Royal every 2nd Thursday of the month from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. For additional information please contact Barry Schaffner: 902-582-7443, Jake Mac-Donald: 902-542-4289, Dan Nogler: 765-6760.

#### I.O.D.E. Public Speaking Contest

Rosemary Chapter I.O.D.E. will be holding a Public Speaking Contest for Grades

Rosemary Chapter

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

decisions.

Libra, opportunities to further

your education present

themselves in the coming days.

Think about these opportunities

carefully before making any

Scorpio, until you settle down,

expect your finances to be in a

bit of disarray. It may be good to

sit down with a planner and work

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Unless you open up to others, you

won't be making many friends

this week. Try to explore other

opportunities for socialization,

Sagittarius. It could get lonely.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

There's more to you than you let

others see, Capricorn. Sometimes

leaving a little mystery can be a

good thing. But don't let it get in

Don't hold out on someone

who has been counting on you,

Aquarius. When you look at your

schedule, you will find you have

the way of relationships.

time to fit everything in.

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

through the bigger issues.

April 19th at 7:00 p.m. in the school library. Public welcomed to attend. **Country Music Night** The Kingston Lions club

7 & 8 for the Middleton Re-

gional High School, Tuesday,

presents a Country musical night on Saturday 23 April 2011 from 7:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. at the Kingston Lions Hall. Entertainment features Bernie & Jackie, Valley Blue and Caroll Edwards. Come out and help us support our Community, in our 50th year of service to others. Cost is \$5.00 each. For info please call 847-0525 or email Eric at bjourneay@eastlink.ca.

#### Kingston Lions Annual Yard Sale

The Kingston Lions YARD SALE will take place on 21 May from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. If you have an item that you would like to donate please contact us at 765-2128. We will only take items that are in good working order which includes stoves, Refrigerators, Washers and Dryers. Come out and bring a friend with you.

#### **Kingston Lions Annual** Spring Raffle

Please support our Annual Spring Raffle starting on 12 April and running until 1 June. Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00 and will be available at Zellers in Greenwood, the Greenwood Mall and Sobeys in Greenwood. Total prizes are valued at over \$2000.00. The draw will take place on 1 June at the Kingston Lions club. Help us support our community in our 50th year.

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1. What is the phone number for Cole Sawler Law Office

3. Who is the owner of Currie's Small Engine Repair\_

4. Who is the installation specialist in flooring

2. When is Creekside's Bed & Breakfast Grand Opening

5. What is the phone number for Colonial Hearth & Aquatics

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2. Fax: 765-1717 3. Drop into our office located

No Central Registry or Canada Post please.

Deadline: Noon, Thursday, April 14, 2011.

#### **Giant Yard Sale**

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There will be a giant yard sale on April 16 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the old Foodland Parking Lot in Kingston. Teams participating Middleton Campus.

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in this year's Middleton Relay For Life will be selling their wares in an attempt to achieve the dubious honour of top team for the year. There will be also be barbecued snacks to fill your tummy. Come out and see what it's all about

#### Noon Luncheon 12 April 2011

Our next Noon Luncheon will be on April 12 at the Kingston Lions Hall from 11:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. The menu is Chicken Supreme dinner with all the trimmings and dessert, tea & coffee. The cost is \$8.00 per meal, \$8.50 delivered. To order a meal please call 765- 2128.

#### Wilmot Garden Club

The Wilmot Garden Club meets at the Melvin Square community hall at 7:00 p.m. on the third Wednesday of every month. Everyone is welcome. Our April 20th meeting will feature a guest speaker on growing in containers. Go to - www.wilmotgardenclub.net.

#### **Kingston and District** Health Auxiliary Coffee **Party**

The Kingston and District Health Auxiliary will be holding a Coffee Party on Friday April 15th, 2011, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m., at the Kingston Fire Hall, Proceeds for Palliative Care. All are welcome to join us for coffee and snacks.

#### **Kingston and District** Health Auxiliary Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Kingston and District Health Auxiliary is April 5,2011 at 1:00 p.m., at the Kingston Fire hall, all are welcome.

#### **IODE Rosemary Chapter** Rummage Sale

IODE Rosemary Chapter is having a rummage sale on Saturday, April 30th from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. at NSCC

#### **Kingston Area Seniors Association Meeting**

Kingston Area Seniors Association meets the second Wednesday of each month at 10:00 a.m. at the Kingston Branch No 98 of the Royal Canadian Legion. Fun day (cards & games) every second and fourth Friday of the month at 1:00 p.m. For more information contact Barb Hildebrand at 765-2513.

#### **Aylesford Minor Baseball Registration for the 2011** Season

Date: April 13th and 20th Time: 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Place: 965 Park Street, Atwater's Service Centre in Aylesford Call for registration fees or any questions: 847-3705 (Dave) or 847-1146 (Karen). Birth Certificate, Health Card, and registration fees are due upon registering.

#### Soldiers' Memorial **Auxiliary Dinner**

A most popular fund raising, Stuffed Roast Pork Dinner prepared by chefs of CFB Greenwood and hosted by Soldiers Memorial Health Auxiliary will take place Saturday, April 16 at the Middleton Fire Hall. Proceeds to help purchase medical equipment. First seating 4:30-5:45 p.m.; Second seating 6-7:15 p.m. Take out available only 3:45-4:30 p.m. Tickets available: Ruth Brigley 825-3663; Elizabeth Spinney 825-6841.

#### Valley Stamp Club Annual Stamp Show & Exhibition

The Valley Stamp Club will be holding their Annual Stamp Show & Exhibition at the Kentville Fire Hall on April 30th, 2011 from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., Eight Dealers will be present and the Auction starts at 2:00 p.m. Door Prizes + Free Admission. Come Celebrate the Clubs 50th Anniversary.

PRESENTS...

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#### **Greenwood Skating** Club AGM

The Aurora Newspaper, 14 Wing Greenwood, NS

The Greenwood Skating Club will be holding its Annual General Meeting on Sunday, May 1st at 3:00 p.m. in the Bomber Room at the Greenwood Arena. All members are encouraged to attend.

#### North Kingston Public **Cemetery General Meeting**

The North Kingston Public Cemetery General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 19th, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in the Kingston Fire Hall. The agenda will include raising the cemetery lot prices on June 1st and changes in the Cemetery Rules and Regulations. Everyone is welcome. The Annual Spring Clean-up Day at the cemetery will be held on Saturday, April 30th at 9:00 a.m. with the rain date on May 7th. Please bring rakes and gloves and family and friends

#### Church Library Hours

The Kingston United Baptist Church Library is open to the public on Thursday evenings 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. The Library is located upstairs in the Christian Education wing. Please use upper side door off main parking lot. Excellent selection of Christian books, videos, CDs, DVDs, and other resources. For info call 765-6735.

#### Breakfast at the Aylesford **United Church**

Saturday, April 16, 2011 from 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. Free will offering. Menu: pancakes, ham, sausage, scrambled eggs, toast, apple or orange juice, tea or coffee. Sponsored by the Committee of Stewards. All are welcome! CentreStage

CentreStage Presents: Sadie Flynn Comes to Big Oak by Norm Foster. The show opens on Thursday, April 28 (pay what you can) and continues playing on Friday and Saturday nights at 8:00 p.m. until May 28. There will be a 2:00 p.m. matinee on Sunday, May 15. Phone 678-8040 to make reservations. CentreStage Theatre is located at 61 River Street in Kentville, across from the police station.

#### Good Friday Service

A Good Friday Service will be held at New Beginnings Center, 1151 Bridge St., Greenwood on April 22nd, at 7:00 p.m. There will be special music and a drama. We will be serving decadent desserts, tea and coffee. We look forward to having you join us. **TEDx Annapolis Valley** 

"Ideas that connect and empower rural communities". Saturday, 14th May 2011, 12:30-5:00 p.m. Al Whittle Theatre, Wolfville, Nova Scotia. This event is by invitation. Tickets \$10.00. email TEDx-AnnapolisValley@gmail.com to apply for an invitation.

#### The Watoto Children's Choir

The Watoto Children's Choir is coming to Middleton

## HOROSCOPES

April 10 - April 16

#### ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

Aries, it's hard to concentrate this week but you have to try to devote your attention to the task at hand. Avoid distractions and focus on the job that needs to be done.

#### TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, you're itching for a change but you don't know whether it should be a career change or a change in location. Think it over a little more.

#### GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21

Gemini, a cloud of uncertainty is looming over an important relationship. There's no surefire way to know if this person is a keeper. You can only hang in there.

#### CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22

Cancer, just when you thought you had your mind made up something changes your entire line of thinking. Embrace this new line of thought.

#### LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23

Leo, return to your comfort zone to ease some nerves and concerns. Take a calm. methodical approach to life this week and reap the rewards.

#### VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, take some time to yourself the next few days because the coming days figure to be hectic. It's time to start thinking about a vacation.

You may have to do a little damage control, Pisces. This week simply swallow your pride and get things done.

#### **FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS**

APRIL 10 Mandy Moore, Singer (27) APRIL 11 Joss Stone, Singer (24) APRIL 12 Claire Danes, Actress (32) APRIL 13 Rick Schroder, Actor (41) APRIL 14 Adrien Brody, Actor (38) APRIL 15 Seth Rogen, Actor (29) APRIL 16 Ellen Barkin, Actress (56)

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Complete the following sentences from ads in this week's issue and WIN a

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Baptist Church on Wednesday, May 18th at 7:00 p.m. for a Concert of Hope. The choir consists of parentless children from Uganda, Africa and is sure to touch the hearts of all ages with stories, music and dance. Free will offering. To learn more about the choir please visit www.watoto.com Music Benefit Show

#### and Bake Sale

Music Benefit Show and Bake Sale will be held on April 17, 2011 from 1:00-4:00 p.m. at the Aylesford Firehall to help raise funds for Elizabeth Steele to go to Rhode Island for the MS Liberation Procedure. There will be door prizes, 50/50 draw and raffles. Free will offering. Donations can also be made to: Elizabeth Steele, Scotiabank, Greenwood, NS. Thank you.

#### Steak and Refreshment Dinner and Silent Auction

Will be held at the Top Hat Tavern on May 7th, 2011 from 4:00-9:00 p.m. to raise funds for Elizabeth Steele to go to Rhode Island for the MS Liberation Procedure. Tickets are \$15.00 and can be purchased from Brian & Shirley Smith 765-9170, Ken Brown 242-2232 and Elizabeth Steele 242-2315. Donations can also be made to: Elizabeth Steele, Scotiabank, Greenwood, NS.

Sudoku

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Fun By The Numbers

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a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve

a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row,

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in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric

clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers

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#### 14 Wing Teen Council - Community Yard Sale

On Saturday April 30, 14 Wing Teen Council will be hosting a Community Yard Sale. For only \$10 come register a table and sell your unwanted belongings for a reasonable price, anything you make, you keep! We will also have a BBQ with all proceeds going to 14 Wing Teen Council. For more information or to register a table, please call Megan at 765-8165. Come show your support and get started on spring cleaning!

#### Greenwood Minor Hockey Annual General Meeting

Greenwood Minor Hockey will be holding their Annual General Meeting 13 April 2011, 7:00 p.m. at the Annapolis Mess. This is a public forum to look at the past season and discuss the way ahead, as well there are some Executive Positions that will be vacated and need to be filled. All Executive positions are up for re-election, for details contact tryg\_fischer@ hotmail.com.

#### Annual Spring Tea & Sale

Please come out to the Annual Spring Tea & Sale at Three Rivers Community Centre (Torbrook Mines) on Saturday, April 16 from 2:00 -

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4:00 p.m. You will be delightfully treated to an afternoon of tea with sandwiches, tasties and ice cream sundaes with home made sauces. Also featured will be sales tables with jewellery by Homer Noble and Jane White; with homemade jams, jellies, pickles and choice white elephant sale items. All are welcome. This event is sponsored by the Torbrook Mines United Church Worker.

#### **Scrapbooking Event**

Jackie Bigelow is organizing a Spring Crop; all day scrapbooking. May 14th, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. at the MRHS school cafeteria. Anyone interested can contact Jackie at: jebigelow@eastlink.ca. All proceeds will go towards the MRHS student band trip. **Church Grove Cemetery** 

Annual Meeting of the Church Grove Cemetery Co. will be held at the Melvern Square Community Hall, Wednesday, April 27th, at 7:00 p.m. Hope to see you there!

**Elementary School Thanks Middleton IODE** Submitted by Brittany, Our playground isn't just Jenna, Dante, Tristan, Keagan, the school playground, it is Breanna, Alexandria, Allie, Victoria – AEES Journalism

**Annapolis East** 

Enrichment Group Annapolis East Elementary School in Middleton received a \$1000 donation from the Middleton IODE towards the purchase of new playground equipment. Some of the current equipment is over twenty years old and needs to be upgraded. The Home and School Association and the students themselves have raised \$30,000. The April 5th IODE donation has lead the way in the next step to raise

a community playground with children playing on it every day.

The students of AEES

would like to thank the IODE for their generous donation. We will continue to work towards a fundraising goal of at least \$60,000 in order to upgrade the playground.

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#### **Metro Crossword** money to buy new equipment. Spelling: US English PATRICK'S PUZZLE

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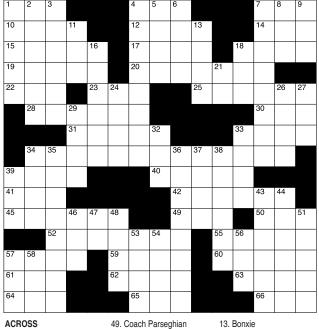
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50. \_\_\_ Te Ching by Lao Tzu
52. Dead body of a human

60. A legally binding

61. Woolen Scottish cap

62. Common stuffing herb 63. Wild sheep of north Africa 64. Woman (French)

#### ACROSS

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   Make an explosive noise
   Upper left keyboard key
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   Armenian King 928 953
   House member title
- (abbr.) 15. Starchy food made of
- dried orchid tubers
- 19. Sylvia \_
- 20. Takes upon oneself 22. Adult female hog 23. Irritate
- 25. Quarrels
  28. Appropriate for young women
  30. Chest cavity bone
- Directed a weapon
- 33. Nothing more than 34. Keyboard partner 39. Meets the Danube at
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  Adult male pigs
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- NE and E
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- 65. No. French river 66. Senior officer DOWN
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   Slender long-tailed

  - parrots
    5. Obeahs
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  - committees
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    8. A very large body of water

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    11. Disappear beyond the horizon

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  55. Plural of 18 across
  57. Indication of skin damage
  59. Oasis (Arabic)
- Pokanoket

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  18. Two-year-old sheep
  21. Mister
  24. New Zealand red pine
  26. Irish Republic
  27. One point E of due S
  29. 7th avatar of Vishnu

- 32. Woman making her
- debut (abbr.)
  33. A guiding spirit
  34. Town of Jesus' 1st
- miracle
- 35. Surmounted

- 35. Surmounted
  36. Prayer beads
  37. Picasso's mistress
  38. Rich in decorative detail
  39. Unit of time
  43. A set of steps
  44. Toilet powder

- 46. Paddle
- 47. Doctor of Medicine
- Board cutters
  Port of ancient Rome
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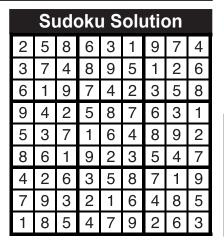
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## Hole

Submitted by: Wendy Richardson

Well I guess spring is really here. The course is open and I have been told the course is in great shape...and the Greens weathered the winter very well.

As in previous years there is a Clean-up Day planned for April 20th...there is a sign up sheet at the pro shop, so if you can spare a few hours in the morning of the 20th, they can use your help. Give the Pro Shop a call 765-5800.

This year the Golf Club are selling tickets on a 3 year membership, the tickets are at the Pro Shop and will cost \$10.00 each and only 500 will be sold. The draw will take place at the Annual General meeting October 16th (2:00 p.m.)...that would be a nice win for just a ten dollar investment. Ask the Pro Shop staff about these tickets.

There are a few dates that have been set for

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upcoming events: May 8th is the Ladies Get Acquainted Day...and then on May 15th it will be the Ladies Early Bird Tournament. The Founders & Builders Tournament is scheduled for May 27-29... check the Greenwood Golf Club website for info on this event.

Members are encouraged to use the COMMENT CARDS available in the hall, passing comments on to the pro shop is a good thing, but if they are busy, they may forget to pass on the info...fill out a comment card and it will be actioned and you will get a reply.

Karen Gorman, our new Manager, was telling me there are over a hundred members already and it is only April. There are new members signed up already, so if you see someone you don't recognize, say Hello and make them feel welcome.

Soon the course will be in Full Swing...and as in past years, remember to Keep up the pace of play and remember to replace your divots and repair your ball marks on the greens...if you are a member, this is your course, so set a good example for others and look after the course by following these simple things.

If you have any info you would like to have included in this article, please send me the info... wdrichardson@eastlink.ca.

Until next week, dust off those clubs and golf shoes and Hit the Links...Enjoy The Challenge!

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**Greenwood Players Theatre Group Presents** 

"The Foreigner"

## Family Violence, the Red Flags, How to Help Others & Where to Find Support

Submitted by Jennifer Hill, BSW, SWC, GMFRC Social Worker 765-1494 ex 1811

"Everyone has a right to peaceful coexistence, the basic personal freedoms, the alleviation of suffering, and the opportunity to lead a productive life..."

- Jimmy Carter

The topic of family violence is a delicate subject that is often viewed as taboo because of the complexity of the layers within.

As the GMFRC Social Worker

of the Prevention, Support and Intervention program, I receive many inquiries from concerned third party persons who are looking for supportive information to help a family member who is experiencing family violence. This can be a frightening and isolating road to travel as there are many twists, turns, and speed bumps along the way. It is important to understand the layers of family violence and who it affects and how. If you know of someone experiencing family violence it is important

to recognize some of the warning signs (red flags) and know how to proceed in guiding them toward support.

Some examples of the 'Red Flags' that may indicate a loved one is experiencing any form of family violence (emotional, physical, sexual, and spiritual) include:

- Withdrawal from friends & family/activities - someone outgoing is now quiet & reserved
- Changes in behaviour/mood swings anger, rage, sadness, despair
- Change in eating habits sudden weight loss, weight gain
- Physical injuries cuts, bruises
  Substance use (used as a coping mechanism to escape)

What can a family member or friend do to help?

- · Be empathic
- Assure the person you are there for them; whether they or you have insight into the issues at hand or not
- Help the person connect to community resources
- Reassure that they are not alone and support networks are available
- Practice self care for yourself - it is important that you do not become consumed or vicariously take on the emotions of the person you are trying to help

#### Where to turn for help:

- GMFRC Social Worker
- 14 Wing Mental Health Services

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Family violence has proven time and time again to have long term effects on every individual within the family.

While recognizing that family

violence is experienced by the entire family unit, please note that there are resources available through community programs for the women, children, and men involved. The suggestions in this article are for general

violence is experienced by the entire family unit, please note that there are resources available information. If you want to explore more please contact your GMFRC.

For a more detailed list of community resources and connections please contact your GMFRC.

## Mental Health and Addictions Strategy Public Consultation

Nova Scotians are invited to participate in public consultations to develop a Mental Health and Addictions Strategy for our province. The goal of the Strategy is to revamp mental health and addictions services to ensure better health care for you and your family. The consultations will take place in 6 communities provincewide including:

#### Greenwood

Monday, April 18, 8 a.m. – noon 14 Wing Greenwood, Birchall Training Center, The Chamber Room

If you are unable to attend the public consultations, you can provide input through an Online Consultation. To access the Online Consultation, or for more information regarding the development of the Mental Health and Addictions Strategy, please visit:

#### www.nshrf.ca/mentalhealthandaddictionsstrategy

A copy of the Consultation Questionnaire can also be mailed to you if you are unable to attend a public consultation or access the Online Consultation. Please contact **902-424-4043** to request your copy.



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## Kingston Lions Celebrate 50th Anniversary

was Co-sponsored by the Middleton and Kentville Lions Clubs on 06 MARCH 1961 with the late Lion Reg Boates as Charter President. Our Membership stands at 51 to date. With the acquisition of our own facility in 1968 and the start up of Bingo, the potential and capabilities of the club

The Kingston Lions Club construction of a mobile BBQ in 1990 further enhanced our capability. As the Membership increased in the mid 1990's the club became actively involved in catering which effectively utilized the growing LION power. Some of the most visible activities/projects that we are involved with are the annual Kingston Steer increased dramatically. The BBQ, Port George Country





The Annual Kingston Steer BBQ



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at fund raising and providing

assistance to seniors, disabled,

the less fortunate people in

our community. Some of

these services included Sight

related needs, Scholarships, Scouting, Speak Out, Youth

Exchange, Lions-Quest, International Youth Camp, Drug Awareness, Medic Alert,

Diabetes Awareness Education

and support to Camp Lion

Maxwell, a Lions project for Diabetics. Community

services also include financial

support to the Valley Shuttle,

aid to the elderly, the Lions

Foundation District N2, Health

Services and provide space for Blood Donor clinics. We also

support the Canadian Cancer Society, Heart & Stroke

physically disabled. Our club is proud to provide support to a Foster Child through World Vision.

Over the past 50 years the Kingston Lions team have raised in excess of \$2,000,000.00 dollars in support of community needs. The funds go to less fortunate families to alleviate their transportation, medical, dental, vision care and special educational expenses. Donations are made to disaster areas in other parts of Canada and the world which included the World Trade Centre disaster of September 11<sup>th</sup>.

A special **THANK YOU** is extended to all our patrons. Fundraising functions such as: Bingo, Noon Luncheons, Yard Sales, and Raffles have enabled the Lions Club to contribute to many Programs. LOCALLY, Christmas Mommies & Daddies, Christmas Food Hampers, Food Bank, Schools, Hospitals, financial support to the Hospital Shuttle Service, Foundation, Health Education Fire Departments and Nursing

Homes. REGIONALLY we Guide Dogs (for the Blind, support Hospitals; (Soldiers' Memorial, Valley Regional, IWK and the QEII), Disaster Relief, District Eye Projects, Children's Wish Foundation, Canadian Blood Services and Youth Camps for Diabetes and Cancer patients.

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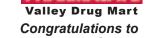
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