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## Science smarts

Dwight Ross Elementary recently hosted its schoolwide science fair, inviting special guests from 404 Squadron, 14 Wing Greenwood, to help with the judging. Shown are volunteers Captain Chevalier and Master Warrant Officer Cusson, with students from Mr. Baskwill's Grade 5 class.

Submitted

## Diversity day Differences make base better

Sara Keddy,  
Managing editor

There are lots of different people living and working at 14 Wing Greenwood, and it's important to recognize – and respect – those differences.

Last year's diversity day initiative by former Commander Colonel Bill Seymour has been picked up and continued by current Commander Colonel Jim Irvine. Over 100 people attended last year's sessions on lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender issues; this year, the theme is race.

"Diversity covers a much more broad range of areas than those covered under employment equity legislation,"

says Lori Gordon, the base's employment equity officer. "Diversity is everyone - race, religion, sexual orientation, cultural differences. It's not always what you see."

April 12, at 1 p.m. in the Annapolis Mess, Sergeant Craig Smith will be welcomed by Irvine, speaking to his team on what diversity in the workplace means to him. Smith was the Nova Scotia RCMP diversity policing analyst from 2005 to 2011, working in the Community, Aboriginal & Diversity Policing Services Section. He is now site supervisor for the Cole Harbour RCMP detachment, and looks after community policing and school liaison constables and the

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# SAR crew hoists residents away from waters

March 22 at approximately 6:20 p.m., the Joint Rescue Coordination Centre (JRCC) in Halifax dispatched a Cormorant helicopter from 413 Transport and Rescue Squadron, 14 Wing Greenwood, in

response to a request from the Emergency Measures office in New Brunswick in the evacuation of three people from their home in Middle River after an ice jam flooded the surrounding area.

The home, surrounded by rising, fast-moving water, was in danger of large ice chunks tearing it apart: at the time of the call to the JRCC, the home's front porch had been torn away.

Upon the arrival of the Cormorant, approximately 50 emergency response personnel were on the banks of the river, unable to reach the occupants of the house.

SARTECHs from 413 Squad-

ron were able to airlift the three occupants of the home, along with their two dogs, from the small backyard 135 feet up to the hovering helicopter.

"It was a challenging rescue given the confined area we

had to work with, said Major Danny Poitras, the aircraft captain, "They were real happy to see us. We flew them to the Bathurst airport, where local emergency services were waiting."

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**Brigadier General Fred Bigelow talks to the staff at the Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre.**

Corporal J.Reynolds, 14 AMS Wing Imaging

## People person Support services 'part of the team'

**Sara Keddy,  
Managing editor**

Brigadier General Fred Bigelow is the first to admit he heads up a "weird, broad and diverse" mix of services to Canadian Forces' members and their families.

The director general of Personnel and Family Support Services was in Greenwood March 30, visiting the local branches of everything from sports and recreation facilities and financial counselling

services to newspapers and ill and injured soldier programs to human resources staff and Canex.

"I still run into people who don't understand the diversity in this service, from Non Public Funds to the military family resource centres..." Bigelow said in a town hall with the varied employees he is, ultimately, responsible for.

"You produce really good work – you are part of the team here in Greenwood, and there is continued sup-

port for what you do."

Bigelow had whirlwind stops at a handful of Greenwood's support service centres throughout the day, along with his chief warrant officer, Mario Dion; Sharon Fleming, vice president of human resources; and Johanne Thibault, national director of sports, recreation and Messes.

"You're public servants, you're serving those who serve," he said, reminding employees of their branch motto; "and I believe it.

"I've had so much good feedback from your chain of command and the wing commander as I've been here walking around."

Wing Administration Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Heber Gillam spent the day with Bigelow, and encouraged local staff to take advantage of Bigelow's presence in Greenwood.

"He asked for this job because he cares about what you do and offer to military families," Gillam said. "Him being here says a lot."

## Decades of service to base, community marked

While in Greenwood, Brigadier General Fred Bigelow, director general of personnel, presented the Chief Executive Officer's Special Commendation to Stephen R. Boates, recognizing Boates' 30-plus years' service with 14 Wing's Aurora Newspaper.

In 1981, Boates joined the paper as its advertising representative. By 1983, he was the managing editor, and has been since. According to the nomination prepared by Personnel Support Program manager Mike Taylor and endorsed by former wing commander, Colonel Bill Seymour, over the last three decades at 14 Wing, no Non

Public Funds employee has "better exemplified long-term service, perseverance, dedication and professionalism." Boates was "serving those who serve" and "enhancing the morale and welfare of the military community and contributing to the operational effectiveness of the Canadian Forces" long before these were the mottos and mission statements of the current organization.

In the late 1990s, Boates was a driving force behind the formation of the Canadian Forces Newspaper Association. In 2009, Boates was recognized as leader of the newspaper team, award-

ed the Wing Commander's Commendation for ongoing service and particular contributions to special events, including Wing Welcome and the Wing Commander's Wellness Campaign. The Aurora was also judged best Canadian Forces newspaper by the Canadian Community Newspapers Association, the national voice of 700 community papers in Canada.

"Boates' professional attitude and sincere loyalty to the wing and his customers are the valued traits that have kept the Aurora Newspaper vibrant," the citation reads.

Boates commenced a leave from his "beloved" Aurora



**From left are Mike Taylor, Personnel Support Program manager; Kathleen Boates, Brigadier General Fred Bigelow and Stephen Boates.**

Corporal J.Reynolds, 14 AMS Wing Imaging

Newspaper in 2010.

Boates' dedication to 14 Wing, the Aurora Newspaper and the villages of Green-

wood and Kingston has been demonstrated on a consistent basis during 30 years of service. It is a record of service

for which he should be very proud, and of which the community has been the primary beneficiary.



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## Diversity day...

...cover

victim services program for Halifax District.

Smith was also born and raised in central Halifax, one of five children, and has been active in community development and race relations since 1980. Married with two grown daughters, he has worked for the North Branch Library, been a YMCA director and driven for Metro Transit.

He has served on committees at all levels of government and in numerous communities; he has also created educational tools that acknowledge African Nova Scotian history. In 1993, he and his wife, Lisa Adams-Smith, created the Black First's in Nova Scotia poster; in 1996, the African Canadians of Achievement poster and, in 2000, Historic Black Maritimes poster. In 2000, Smith published Journey, an African



**RCMP Sergeant Craig Smith**  
Submitted

Canadian educational guide. In 2006, he released "You Had Better Be White by 06:00am/African Canadian History in the RCMP." Books since include The Ultimate African Heritage Quiz Book and The Journey Continues – An Atlantic Canadian Black Experience. Smith is a member of the Dr. Rev. William P. Oliver Black Wall of Honour and was listed in the inaugural Who's Who in Black Canada. In April, Smith will receive the Harry Jerome media award for sharing the African Canadian story.

## Journée diversité Quand les différences améliorent la base

**Sara Keddy,**  
rédactrice en chef

Divers groupes de personnes vivent et travaillent à la 14<sup>e</sup> Escadre Greenwood, et il est important de reconnaître – et de respecter – ces différences.

La journée Diversité, initiée l'année dernière par l'ancien commandant de l'Escadre, le colonel Bill Seymour, a été reprise et poursuivie par l'actuel commandant de l'Escadre, le colonel Jim Irvine. Plus de 100 personnes ont assisté aux séances de l'année dernière sur les questions relations aux lesbiennes, gais, bisexuels et transgenres. Le thème de cette année est la race.

« La diversité couvre un domaine beaucoup plus vaste que celui de la législation sur l'équité en emploi. La diversité représente tout le monde – race,

religion, orientation sexuelle, différences culturelles. Ce n'est pas toujours ce que vous voyez », affirme Lori Gordon, officier d'équité en emploi de la base.

Le 12 avril à 13 h, le colonel Irvine accueillera au mess Annapolis le sergent Craig Smith, qui expliquera au public ce que signifie pour lui la diversité en milieu de travail. Smith a été analyste des services de police interculturels de la GRC en Nouvelle-Écosse, Section des Services de police autochtones et interculturels, de 2005 à 2011, travaillant au sein de la communauté. Il est maintenant superviseur du bureau du détachement de la GRC de Cole Harbour et s'occupe des services de police communautaires, des officiers de police de liaison scolaire ainsi que du programme d'aide aux victimes pour le district d'Halifax.

enfants, Smith est né et a grandi au Centre d'Halifax. Depuis 1980, il joue un rôle très actif dans le développement communautaire et les relations raciales. Marié et père de deux filles adultes, Smith a travaillé à Halifax North Branch Library, a été directeur du YMCA et conducteur d'autobus pour Metro Transit.

Smith a participé à des comités à tous les ordres de gouvernement et dans de nombreuses communautés. Il a également créé des outils éducatifs qui mettent en évidence l'histoire afro-néo-écossaise. En 1993, il a créé, avec sa femme, Lisa Adams-Smith, l'affiche des premiers Noirs de la Nouvelle-Écosse; en 1996 l'affiche de

réalisations afro-canadiennes et, en 2000 l'affiche de la communauté noire des Maritimes du passé. En 2000, Smith a publié « Journey », un guide pédagogique afro-canadien. En 2006, il a publié « You Had Better Be White by 06:00am/African Canadian History in the RCMP ». Il faut mentionner également « The Ultimate African Heritage Quiz Book » et « The Journey Continues – An Atlantic Canadian Black Experience ». Smith est membre du Tableau d'honneur des Noirs, du Rev. William P. Oliver, et a figuré dans le « Who's Who in Black Canada » inaugural. En April, Smith recevra le Prix Média Harry Jerome pour avoir partagé l'histoire afro-canadienne.



## Wings awarded

Lieutenant Bryan Morrison, 405 Squadron CP-140 Aurora, received the Hal Wishart trophy for top multi-engine student March 9, presented by the 3 Canadian Forces Flying Training School Honorary Colonel Orville Wagner. Sixteen new Royal Canadian Air Force pilots were welcomed into the elite club of military aviators by having their wings pinned on their uniforms.

Corporal J. Archambault

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The 14 Wing Operations Officer, Lieutenant-Colonel Steve Chouinard presents Corporal Marin with the Canadian Forces Decoration. 22 Mar 2012.



The 14 Wing Operations Officer, Lieutenant-Colonel Steve Chouinard presents Corporal Abbott with the Canadian Forces Decoration. 22 Mar 2012.



The 14 Wing Operations Officer, Lieutenant-Colonel Steve Chouinard presents Captain Turton with his Certificate for completing the Air Forces Officer Development Program. 22 Mar 2012.



The 14 Wing Operations Officer, Lieutenant-Colonel Steve Chouinard presents Captain Howatt with his Canadian Forces Decoration First Clasp. 22 Mar 2012.



Private Rogowsky is presented with the cover of the February 2012 RCAF Crew Brief Magazine. Upon his return at the end of Op MOBILE, Private Rogowsky and crew were welcomed home by the Minister of National Defence (MND) Peter MacKay, the Director General, Personnel and Family Support Services, Brigadier-General Bigelow, 14 Wing Commander, Colonel Irvine, Lieutenant-Colonel Major and exec members from 405 Squadron. But most importantly, he was welcomed home by a very ecstatic Willow, his 18 month old daughter, who could no longer contain her excitement and is shown on the cover as she runs for her dad. Sergeant C.R. Hosford, 405 Squadron



The 14 Wing Operations Officer, Lieutenant-Colonel Steve Chouinard presents Sergeant Kimbers with the Canadian Forces Decoration. 22 Mar 2012.



### The Village of Kingston

## NOTICE OF BUDGET MEETINGS

The Kingston Village Commission will be releasing its proposed 2012/13 Operating and Capital Budgets and has scheduled budget meetings for the following dates:

- Thursday, April 12, 2012 at 7:00pm
- Thursday, April 26, 2012 at 7:00pm
- Thursday, May 10, 2012 at 7:00pm

Residents are invited to provide input into the budget by attending these meetings, by contacting the Village Office or Village Commissioner.

The proposed budget will be presented at the April 12<sup>th</sup> meeting, and will be available at the Village Office or on the village website after this date. Any comments or queries regarding the budget may be directed to the Village Office at (902) 765-2800 or at [info@kingstonnovascotia.ca](mailto:info@kingstonnovascotia.ca).

All meetings are open to the public and are held at the Kingston Village office - 671 Main Street, Kingston, NS.

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Captain Antle is presented with his new rank by Lieutenant-Colonel Major, Commanding Officer of 405 Long Range Patrol Squadron and Chief Warrant Officer Houston. Sergeant C.R. Hosford, 405 Squadron



Lieutenant-Colonel Guy Leblanc, Commanding Officer 413 Squadron, presents Captain Bryan Aubin his promotion to his current rank.



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## Rockin' celebration

Students in the second language courses offered through the Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre expressed an interest in trying curling as a way to celebrate the end of their Module 4 French course. The graduates met at the 14 Wing Greenwood Curling Club. The spring session for second language courses will start April 3. The Module 2 and Module 5 French courses and the Module 2 English course will be offered. For the course schedule, contact the GMFRC reception desk at 765-5611.

Submitted



Dans le cadre des cours de langue seconde offerts par l'entremise du Centre de ressources pour les familles militaires de Greenwood, les étudiantes ont manifesté l'intérêt d'être initiées au curling afin de souligner la fin de leur cours de français module 4. Les graduées se sont réunies au club de curling de la 14e Escadre Greenwood. La session de printemps des cours de langue seconde débutera le 3 avril. Les cours de français module 2 et 5 ainsi qu'un cours d'anglais module 2 seront offerts. Pour l'horaire des cours, s.v.p. communiquez avec la réception du CRFMG au 765-5611.

## business of the week

### Gail's Barber Stop



Owner/Operator Gail Youden is now celebrating the 5th Birthday of "Gail's Barber Stop". The Barber Stop is located in the CANEX Building along side the aviation museum and coffee shop.

The shop opened April 10th, 2007 with just myself for one year. The 2nd year Lavena was my first welcomed staff member and is still apart of the success of the shop today. Sara joined us last year straight from hairstyling School and has fit in perfect. The shop is still growing and we are looking for a new member for our team now. We all love our work environment here in our cozy shop, we know our clients well. Sometimes it doesn't even feel like work, just friends stopping in.

To celebrate 5 years we are having coffee and cake April

10th between 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. with a ballot box for a draw. You will have a chance to win 5 free haircuts, a bottle of Crew Gel and a grooming brush. Anyone can enter the draw up to April 30th. You do not require a hair cut to enter the draw, just drop by to see who we are.



Lavena, Gail and Sara

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## Helping hand

“Friends of the Village” volunteers from Kingston - Kings County’s volunteers of the year – recently presented a cheque to Western Kings Arena Association president Wayne Fowler and treasurer Jack Rafuse. The group has partnered with the arena to help diminish the facility’s debt and help with much needed upgrades. The next fundraiser will be the Western Kings Arena Charity Golf Classic and auction at the Paragon Golf Course May 25.

Submitted

## Greenwood takes Atlantic curling title

Greenwood hosted the 2012 Atlantic Curling Regional bonspiel March 21 to 23, with teams from Gagetown, Halifax and Greenwood on the ice.

The Greenwood team was represented by skip Master Corporal Colin Drolet, vice Corporal Dave Murray, second Second Lieutenant Trevor Nemish, lead Corporal Scott Reed and fifth Master Corporal Chuck Daborn.

In the opening game, Halifax beat the defending champs from Gagetown. With that, everyone knew this year’s event would be tightly contested.

Unfortunately for Halifax,

this would be its only win. At the end of day one, the host team from 14 Wing led with two convincing wins; Halifax was 1-1 and Gagetown winless.

Day two brought the best out of the defending champions, as Gagetown turned around and won both its games, moving to second place in the standings. Greenwood split the day’s two games and finished the round robin in first place. Halifax was eliminated.

The day three final, between Gagetown and Greenwood, Gagetown was aware of the host team’s pattern of jumping out to quick leads, then

coasting home with victories. This game saw a more tentative start, allowing Gagetown to harness a 4-1 lead. In the fourth end, Gagetown attempted a difficult tap that would have scored them three, but the rock overcurled and Greenwood stole one. At 4-2, Gagetown had missed the opportunity to put the pressure on Greenwood. From that point, Greenwood pressed and, eventually, took the lead. When the eighth and final end rolled around, Greenwood simply needed to peel away Gagetown’s stones and sweep to victory. The final score was 6-4 Greenwood.

## business spotlight of the week

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I would like to thank everyone who has visited our shop over the past year and look forward to seeing you in the years to come! We invite you to join us for our 1st Anniversary celebrations during the week of April 16th - 21st, and be sure to look for wonderful new and unique items arriving all year long...I'm sure you'll be "Tickled Pink"! - Angie Vanderwees

## First Anniversary!

*In-store celebration April 16<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup>*

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# Pick up a ball and bowl

Youth ages five to 16 are being invited to learn a few things about five-pin bowling, as the Greenwood Bowling Centre starts an eight-week learn to bowl program April 25.

The Bowl Canada program will run after school at the bowling centre Wednesdays. Organizers say physical fundamentals taught in school – balance, motor skills, stability, locomotion, sliding and manipulation – are easily translated into a sport that can be a lifetime activity, or a competitive pursuit. Youth will be active, with hands-on lessons each week, learning everything from safety to pin value, technique to positioning. A mini-tournament at the end of the session will reinforce everything they've learned, and make use of their new skills. Participants are eligible for awards and certificates, along with bowling coupons and an invitation to join the Greenwood Youth Bowling League at a discounted price.

Classes will be broken into age groups: five to seven years old in hour-long sessions, and eight to 11 and 12 to 16 year olds in two-hour sessions. Registration deadline is April 16. For information on costs, time and program details, contact Leon Bullock at the Greenwood Bowling Centre, 765-1494 ext 5631.

## Valley volunteers recognized at N.S. event

At the 38th Provincial Volunteer Awards Ceremony April 2 in Halifax, Nova Scotian communities thanked 69 outstanding volunteers.

Valley region representative volunteers recognized include

- Gordon MacDonald, Town of Middleton
- Murray Freeman, Municipality of the County of Annapolis
- Marian Ward, Town of Bridgetown
- Marj Murphy, Town of Berwick
- Friends of the Village (Kingston), Municipality of Kings County
- Town of Bridgetown, Model Volunteer Community of the Year

Statistics Canada says Nova Scotian volunteers devoted 207 hours, on average, to volunteer work in 2010, the highest average in Canada.

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# Let's hear it for hockey!

## Annual tournament a Greenwood success

**Cheryl Morris**

The March break has come and gone, but exciting hockey over the 10 days, March 9 to 18, filled two local arenas with players travelling from as far away as Antigonish for Greenwood Minor Hockey's annual March break tournament.

The opening ceremonies took place at the Greenwood Gardens the first Friday evening, with the stands full of hockey players of all ages, loud with excitement. 14 Wing Greenwood's commanding officer, Colonel Jim Irvine, was present for the ceremonial puck drop.

In addition to the Novice teams, there were four divisions represented during the event. The Middleton Mustangs won the Atom Rec division, the Dartmouth Whalers came out on top of the Pee Wee Rec division, the Berwick Bruins were the winners of the Bantam Rec title, and the host Greenwood Bombers were the champions of the Pee Wee B division.

Over the course of the week, tournament staff received numerous positive comments and emails from team coaches and parents who wanted to pass on how well-organized the tournament was. A lot of hard work goes into a tournament of this size, and Greenwood Minor Hockey thanks all the incredible sponsors for their support, which helped keep the event's costs down. A huge thank you also goes out to all the coaches, players, parents, referees and the many volunteers who made this event as successful as it was.

For those players whose season hasn't ended yet, good luck and continued success. If your 2011/2012 hockey season has wrapped up, have a fantastic summer and we'll see you in the fall.



Emilie Murdock from the Greenwood IP team.



Novice player Luke MacDonald.



Four-year-old Alex Murdock, the event's youngest male player.



14 Wing Greenwood Commander Colonel Jim Irvine drops the ceremonial starting puck for PeeWee Recreational players James Brick, Berwick's captain, and Greenwood's captain, Brayden Lewis.



Rosalie Dowling, a Grade 11 student from École Rose-des-Vents, opened with the Canadian anthem.

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## WV champs

The Western Valley Midget AA Spartans are the 2012 Nova Scotia Midget hockey AA champions. Provincials were held March 23 to 25 in Pictou County, with teams from Western Valley, TASA, Bedford, Pictou and Truro competing. The Spartans faced Truro in the first of four round robin games; they defeated Truro 6-4. The Spartans then had to play two games Saturday, facing Pictou and Bedford. With discipline and focus, the Spartans demonstrated defeated both teams for a perfect 3-0 start. Sunday morning was started early, with a game against TASA, and the Spartans crushed TASA 7-0. Their round robin was quite a difference from last year's record at provincials, as the Spartans only claimed one victory. In the championship game with Bedford - extremely big, skilled and offensive players, the Spartans managed a fast-paced and hard-hitting pace. After the second period of overtime, the Spartans scored to claim the provincial title 4-3. Five Spartans were recognized during the tournament's individual awards presentation - a provincial record. Tournament MVP was Carson James, leading scorer Calvin Cough, best defenseman Wyatt Macgarvey, all star defenseman Tyler Wotton and most sportsmanlike Kent Buckler.

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## SUMMER SOCCER 2012

Spring is here and it is time again for Soccer Registration. There will be several opportunities to register.



### In Person:

Wednesday, April 4	14 Wing Community Centre	6:00 - 8:30
Saturday, April 7	14 Wing Community Centre	2:00 - 3:30
Wednesday, April 11	14 Wing Community Centre	6:00 - 8:30
M-T April 16-19	14 Wing Community Centre	9:00 - 4:00

Online: Open April 4 - April 20. Visit our website:

[www.kingstongreenwoodsoccer.org](http://www.kingstongreenwoodsoccer.org)

- \* Players are required to register according to the year they were born
- \* An additional \$10 fee will be charged for non-Rec Card holders
- \* Valid Health Cards and Rec Cards are required at registration
- \* There is also a \$50 Jersey Deposit cheque required at time of registration

### Method of Payment:

In Person: Cash, Cheque. Debit will only be available April 16-19.  
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For more information and/or to download a registration form, please visit our website: [www.kingstongreenwoodsoccer.org](http://www.kingstongreenwoodsoccer.org)  
Or contact the registrar at: [kgsc.registrar@gmail.com](mailto:kgsc.registrar@gmail.com)

## Golf club meeting, clean-up dates set

The 14 Wing Greenwood Golf Club is open for the season, so be sure to call 765-5800 to book your tee time.

The club's spring general meeting is April 15 at 2 p.m. Please come out and support your club, as it will be a great opportunity to raise any issues you may have. The 2012 executive committee has some positions that need to be filled, so please consider volunteering.

April 16 is the club's annual course clean-up day. If you can spare a few hours to help the maintenance crew, it would be greatly appreciated. The work party starts at 8 a.m. and goes until noon, when volunteers will

be treated to a BBQ lunch.

Club rates may be found at [www.greenwoodgolfclub.ca](http://www.greenwoodgolfclub.ca) and the office is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday (phone 765-1494 ext 5821). Come out early to take advantage of our payment plan options. Talk to the club staff as well about hosting your upcoming golf event at Greenwood's 18-hole course, with great rates, a driving range, power carts, a beverage cart and a fully licensed bar and kitchen.

Tamara Stephen will run the CN Future Links Learn to Play model for youth members, and the program will begin June 10 and continue Sundays to July 29. This great opportunity for our junior and intermediate members is included in their membership.

Greenwood is a fun and affordable golf club, with something to offer everyone regardless of skill level: "We are Golf the way it should be... Golf fore you."

## Notice of Special Meeting

From: Kingston District Fire Commission  
To: Ratepayers

**TAKE NOTICE** that a Special Meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 25, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. at the Kingston District Fire Hall to approve the proposed borrowing for a new fire truck, not to exceed \$400,000.00.

**PLEASE NOTE** that this meeting is not to increase the area fire tax rate.

Marilyn Wilkins  
Secretary/Treasurer  
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### TENDER 12-04

#### Waterville STP Bridge Upgrades

The Municipality of the County of Kings, Engineering and Public Works invites tenders for upgrades to the Waterville STP bridge, located at 1307 County Home Road, Waterville NS. Bridge upgrades involve, but are not limited to, excavation, replacement of steel beams, bridge deck, new guardrails, re-surfacing of concrete abutments and environmental protection.

Specifications and tender forms may be viewed and picked up beginning April 5, 2012 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 Stacy Muise, P. Eng., ABL Environmental Consultants Ltd by phoning (902) 466-0050 or email: [smuise@ablenvironmental.com](mailto:smuise@ablenvironmental.com)

**SEALED TENDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL 2:00PM THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 2012**

The Municipality reserves the right to reject any or all tenders, not necessarily accept the lowest tender, or to accept any which it may consider to be in its best interest. The Municipality also reserves the right to waive formality, informality or technicality in any tender.

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## ~ Obituary ~

**Myers, Leo Patric, Greenwood, NS**

Myers, Leo Patric, 77 of Greenwood. It is with great sadness that we announce the sudden passing at home of Leo on March 28, 2012. He was born in Eastern Passage, the son of the late Harold and Laura (Mosher) Myers. Leo served in the Canadian military for 34 years and was an active member of the Royal Canadian Legion since his retirement. First and foremost, he was a kind and caring family man. He



is survived by his loving wife of 53 years, Vivianne (Aube), three adoring daughters: Kim (Steve) Stuart, Halifax, Helen (Chuck) Shields, Middleton, and Lynn (Ken) Knox, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E and the loves of his life, his five grandchildren: Martine (Greg) Howes, Central Islip, NY, Evan Shields, Winnipeg, Ryan Shields, Halifax, Geoffrey Stuart, Halifax, and Kyla Shields, Wolfville. They dearly loved and will miss their "Poppy". Also survived by brother, Raymond Myers, Eastern Passage, sisters: Jean Hudak, Cow Bay, Stella Ollevier, Winnipeg, Audrey Lentine, Toronto, Doris (Don) Warwick, Cow Bay, and Thelma (Leonard "Hank") Snow, Cow Bay, and numerous nieces and nephews. Besides his parents, he was predeceased by his brother, William Myers, Cow Bay and sister, Shirley MacDougall, Cow Bay. Leo was a sweet and gentle man who loved gardening and could not wait for spring each year to get started. He could fix anything and everything, often "rigging up" something ingenious to make it work. He was a storyteller, often entertaining listeners with tales of his life and his travels around the world. Inspired by his love of learning, his three daughters have all become educators. The family would like to express sincere gratitude to Dr. Yafai for his many years of excellent care, often going above and beyond to ensure Leo's quality of life. Special thanks to paramedics, firefighters, RCMP, Padre Bastien and Father Tim Nelligan for their support and professionalism at the time of Leo's passing, and for friends and neighbours, especially Rex and Pat Young who assisted in so many ways over the past few years. He had numerous visits from the Victorian Order of Nurses over the past three years and never failed to express his gratitude for their kindness and wonderful care. Leo received the wonderful gift of a kidney 17 years ago from an unknown donor whose generosity allowed him to enjoy many wonderful years. We will always be indebted. Leo always believed in helping others, and when it was his time of need, so many others came forward to help him. Thank you. Funeral service were held at the Queen of Heaven Chapel, 14 Wing Greenwood, NS on Tuesday, April 3, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. A reception followed. By request, cremation has taken place. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Middleton Funeral Home, 398 Main Street, (902) 825-3448. In lieu of flowers, donations in Leo's memory may be made to the Victorian Order of Nurses or the Kidney Foundation of Canada. Online Guest Book may be signed by visiting: [www.middletonfuneralhome.com](http://www.middletonfuneralhome.com)





The Aurora publishes items of interest to the community submitted by not-for-profit organizations. Submissions are limited to approximately 25 words. Items may be submitted to our office, 83A School Road (Morfee Annex), 14 Wing Greenwood; by fax, (902)765-1717; or email [editor@auroranewspaper.com](mailto:editor@auroranewspaper.com). Dated announcements are published on a first-come, first-served basis, and on-going notices will be included as space allows. To guarantee your announcement, you may choose to place a paid advertisement. The deadline for submissions is Thursday, 9:30 a.m., previous to publication unless otherwise notified.

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1. 1965 PGA Champion David

5. Pesetas (abbr.)

9. So. Am. treeless grassland

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16. Confederate general Richard S.

17. Seamen

18. Honey bee genus

19. City in central Poland on the Mleczna

20. E. M. Forster novel

23. Jenny \_\_, Swedish soprano

24. Illumined

25. Escargots

28. Surgical clamp

33. Maize

34. Ngerulmud is the Republic's capital

35. \_\_ Jima, WW II battlefield

36. Master copies

39. Jack of little fat

41. Apple or lemon meringue

42. Actress Zellwegger

43. At this place

44. Remunerations

46. Removes writing

48. Fit out a ship with sails, etc.
49. Elinor \_\_, British novelist

50. M. Ali's famous boast

57. Damascus is the capital

58. Worldly rather than spiritual

59. Winglike structures

60. Indicating silence

61. Myanmar monetary unit

62. 100 = 1 tala

63. Translucent, greenish variety of chalcedony

64. Impudence

65. Netherlands river
- DOWN
1. Denotes change of position

2. So. Am. armadillo with 3 bands of bony plates

3. About aviation

4. Repairing worn shoes

5. Decapods

6. Having moderate heat

7. Almost horizontal entrance to a mine

8. Somalian shilling (abbr.)

9. Penetrable

10. To be in store for

11. People of ancient Media

12. A way to work the soil

13. Air-launched missile

21. 1/1000 of an inch
22. \_\_ Mater, one's school

25. Old English poet or bard

26. Persian wheel used to raise water

27. Spirit in "The Tempest"

28. Drag, cart or haul

29. If not; otherwise

30. Coverings for wheels

31. Having cognizance

32. Lugs

34. Sheet of glass in a window

37. Cause annoyance in

38. Sound of a horse

40. Apparition

45. Military land forces

46. Selects by votes

47. A shag rug made in Sweden

49. Anchovy pear tree

50. 8th Jewish calendar month

51. Blood clams genus

52. Benevolent and Protective Order of \_\_

53. Birthplace of Buddhism

54. Ancient Greek City aka Velia

55. Capital of Yemen

56. Golf ball pegs

57. Engine additive

**Luncheon**  
April 10, the Kingston Lions will hold their community noon luncheon, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Kingston Lions' hall. Menu: chicken supreme. Potatoes, carrots, turnip, cole slaw and dessert. Price \$8, \$8.50 for take out (call 765-2128). All proceeds support Lions' work in the community.

**Meeting**  
April 10, 10 a.m. Associate Sergeants' and Warrant Officers' meeting, Sergeants' and Warrant Officers' Mess. Items for discussion: dues increase, future Mess activities, associate involvement in Mess activities, open floor. For information, contact Winston Dominie, 825-2544.

**Girl Guide cookies**  
April 11, Berwick Sparks, Brownies, Guides and Pathfinders will be out and about town with traditional chocolate and vanilla creme cookies, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. - or swing by the Berwick town hall parking lot for our cookie "drive thru." Cookies are \$5 a box, and proceeds support girl greatness! If you miss us or would like cookies, call Sara, 538-9191.

**Concert**  
April 13, the Annapolis Valley Centre of the Royal Canadian College of Organists presents its eighth annual concert of performances by Annapolis Valley singers and instrumentalists to suit every musical taste in Bridgetown Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. A freewill offering will be taken for its organ scholarship fund for aspiring organists. For information on the concert or scholarship program, contact Maureen MacLean, 825-3387.

**Meeting**  
April 14, the Annapolis South East Neighbourhood Watch will meet at

the Three Rivers Hall, 2 p.m. The purpose is to determine interest in reactivating the group: the need exists in communities covered by the group (Nictaux, Torbrook, Middle Road, Meadowvale, South Farmington, Ward Road, Torbrook Mines, Nictaux South and Nictaux West). For info, call 825-3125.

**Children's party**  
April 14, children and parents are invited to a Tots & Toddlers Tea Party, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., at New Beginnings Centre, 1151 Bridge St., Greenwood. Dress up for a garden tea party. Entertainment, crafts, face painting, decorated hat contest, door prizes. Proceeds for New Beginnings Centre. Cost is \$10/ child, \$35/ family, adults \$2.

**Variety show**  
April 14 at the Kingston Lions' hall, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Performers Valley Blue, Jamie Legg and Just for Fun. Admission: \$5, doors open at 6 p.m. Come out and help us support our community.

**Fiddle fest**  
April 14, the Bridgetown Regional High School Senior Band Committee will host a fiddle fest, 7 p.m., in the BRHS gymnasium. Tickets \$9, under 10 free. Acts include the Bridgetown Fiddlers, the Symons Family, Mary's Islanders, Lorimer Higgins and Brent Williams. Trip members and parents are fundraising for the 2012 band trip to Ottawa in April, an educational exchange with Bell High.

**Huge yard sale**  
April 14 Relay For Life team fundraiser. 9 a.m. until 2 p.m., in the former Foodland parking lot (corner of Main St. and Bridge St., Kingston). Free admission, tables available to all registered Relay For Life teams. Barbecue and refreshments for sale (rain date April 15). To reserve a table, phone 765-9451, or email Dave Shears at [daveaway@hotmail.ca](mailto:daveaway@hotmail.ca).

**J'apprends en famille**  
Programme de lecture por parents et jeunes enfants (0-6 ans), six semaines. Chaque semaine : contes, bricolages et jeux. Après la rencontre: livres et jeux à prêter. Gratuit. A École Rose-des-Vents, Samedi, le 14 avril. Pour les renseignements veuillez joindre: Diane Brisson, 242-2454.

**Supper**  
April 14 - Seafood Supreme Supper, in support of Relay for Life at Emmanuel Congregational Church, 37 Gates Ave., Middleton; 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Adults \$15, children 12 and under \$7.50.



## Best brownies

**Greenwood's Flight Line Café put its baking where its mouth is March 16, challenging friends to a brownie bake-off. Café co-owner Ian Taylor, left, got community "judges" going on their sampling and scoring, including Chloe Peckford, left; Carmen Glavine and Robert Peckford. Five competitors turned out with their cooked goodies, including one in the under 17 category. Ian and Karen Taylor from The Flight Line are proud to announce, in the adult category, their own triple chocolate brownies earned the most points, but the runner up, Sharon Hickey, was awarded the prize. Jessie Wright's grasshopper brownies came in next, followed by Sundas Shamsi's chocolate brownies with sea salt. In the under 17 category, Jayden and Makaylah Bradbury entered their crunchy-on-the-outside-but-goey-on-the-inside gluten-free brownie cookies. Donations were collected for Chrysalis House from the taste testers, raising \$85, along with some personal items.**

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Menu includes haddock, scallops, shrimp, lobster flavoured pollock, mashed potatoes, vegetables and assorted homemade pies. For tickets, call 765-9464.

**Concert**  
April 15 - What Heaven Means to Me, 7 p.m., at Emmanuel Congregational Church, 37 Gates Ave., Middleton. Featuring music by Matt Balsor. Freewill offering.

**Hymn sing**  
April 15, hymn sing at the Wilmot Christian Fellowship Centre, 7:30 p.m. Special guests are Graham Moorehead & Friends. Fellowship time to follow - all welcome.

**Canadian Red Cross babysitters course**  
April 15, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Middleton fire hall. Whether your teen stays home alone or plans to babysit, this course is for them! First aid and safety in the home. Open to males and females, ages

11-plus. Cost is \$35, space is limited, pre-register at 825-6611.

**Bridge**  
April 16 "Funds for Fuel" bridge party at Macdonald Museum, Middleton, 1 p.m. \$4 per person. Light refreshments served. Come out for a fun afternoon and support your community museum.

**Meeting**  
April 16, the Kingston/ Greenwood Canadian Cancer Society "Living With Cancer" support group will meet at St. Mark's Chapel Annex, 14 Wing Greenwood, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Guest speaker: LeeAnn White-Young, nurse practitioner, at the Greenwood/ Kingston Family Health , on nurse practitioners and skin cancer. Cancer patients, spouses, family members or anyone seeking information on cancer are most welcome and encouraged to attend. For information, call Lloyd Graham (765-6133).

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# Greenwood volunteers make a difference

2012 National Volunteer Week is April 15 to 21, a special time set aside to honour the people who donate their time and energy to their fellow citizens. It is also meant to raise awareness of the vital contribution volunteers make to our communities, across Canada and to the identity and values of our country.

14 Wing Community Recreation and the Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre will honour their core volunteers and sponsors with a dinner and comedy show April 12, the second year both agencies have partnered for this event. Close to 200 volunteers, 15 sponsors and a dozen internal partners will

be recognized.

The success of recreation and MFRC programs is made possible by the outstanding support from 14 Wing personnel. Every event requires assistance, and 14 Wing internal partners are always willing to pitch in. 14 Wing volunteers make a big difference, as special event volunteers, community club organizers and members - ranging from clubs of 10 to 400-plus members, totalling over 2,500 people supporting almost 30 clubs; many club volunteers hold multiple volunteer positions at one time.

The MFRC depends on over 90 volunteers who, in 2011, were actively involved, contributing 2,587 hours of their time to a number of programs.

This year we once again received funding from SISIP to help finance the Volunteer Dinner.

Over 377,000 Nova Scotians contribute their time and talent to programs and services that enrich our lives - over 47 million hours. Nova Scotia is the third-leading province in the number of average hours contributed (195 hrs), and our teenagers (ages 15 to 19) are volunteering at a rate of 65 per cent, contributing 18 per cent more than their national peers. There are currently 5,820 non-profit organizations in the province.

# Les volontaires de Greenwood font une différence

La Semaine nationale de l'action bénévole, du 15 au 21 avril 2012, est l'occasion de rendre hommage aux personnes qui donnent de leur temps et de leur énergie pour leurs concitoyens. C'est aussi le moment d'attirer l'attention sur la contribution vitale des bénévoles à nos communautés, partout au Canada, ainsi qu'à l'identité et aux valeurs de notre pays.

Le Centre communautaire de la 14<sup>e</sup> Escadre et le Centre de ressources pour les familles des militaires de Greenwood honoreront leurs principaux volontaires et commanditaires à l'occasion d'un souper et d'une comédie qui auront lieu le 12 avril; c'est la deuxième année que les deux organismes sont partenaires pour cet événement. Près de 200 bénévoles, 15 commanditaires et une douzaine de partenaires

internes seront à l'honneur.

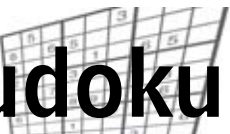
Le succès des programmes du centre communautaire et du Centre de ressources pour les familles des militaires (CRFM) est rendu possible grâce au soutien extraordinaire du personnel de la 14<sup>e</sup> Escadre. Tous les événements requièrent de l'aide, et les partenaires internes de 14<sup>e</sup> Escadre répondent toujours à l'appel. Les bénévoles de la 14<sup>e</sup> Escadre font

une énorme différence, en tant que bénévoles pour les événements spéciaux, organisateurs ou membres de clubs communautaires – allant de 10 à 400 membres et plus – pour un total de 2 500 personnes soutenant presque 30 clubs. Beaucoup de ces bénévoles occupent plusieurs postes bénévoles en même temps.

Le CRFM compte sur plus de 90 bénévoles qui, en 2011, ont été très actifs et ont donné 2 587 heures de leur temps personnel à de nombreux programmes.

Cette année, nous avons encore reçu des fonds du Régime d'assurance-revenu militaire (RARM), qui nous aident à financer notre souper des bénévoles.

Plus de 377 000 Néo-écossais font profiter de leur temps et de leurs talents des programmes et services qui enrichissent nos vies – plus de 47 millions d'heures. La Nouvelle-Écosse est la troisième province pour ce qui est du nombre moyen d'heures données (195 heures), et 65 % de nos adolescents (de 15 à 19 ans) font du bénévolat et donnent 18 % de plus que leurs pairs ailleurs au Canada. Il y a actuellement 5 820 organismes sans but lucratif dans la province.



## sudoku

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Level: Beginner

### Fun By The Numbers

Here's How It Works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!



## patrick's puzzle

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### Word Search — Lawn Care

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## horoscopes

April 8 - April 14

### ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

Aries, others are wondering if you are up to the challenge of doing something different and out of your comfort zone. This seems like just your style this week.

### TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, butting heads in a conflict is easy, but it's not so easy to let things slide like water off a duck's back. You will earn greater respect for being non-confrontational.

### GEMINI - May 22/June 21

Gemini, work on rebuilding a relationship that may once have taken a backseat to more pressing matters. You never know when you need to call in a favour.

### CANCER - June 22/July 22

Cancer, your stubbornness appears once you set your mind to something and get to the task at hand. This can have its pros and cons, especially at work.

### LEO - July 23/Aug 23

Leo, you have exerted all your energy and now you're looking to lessen the workload. Now could be the time to delegate some of your responsibilities to others.

### VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, accepting help is not a weakness. While you may want to be an independent person, accept the help others have generously offered.

### LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

Libra, sometimes you want to play the role of the saviour. While your efforts are generous, not everyone will accept your advice or your gestures.

### SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

Pick your battles, Scorpio, because not everything will necessarily go your way. There is no point in creating extra stress and grief for yourself.

### SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, relax and open up to the ones you love. You may be surprised just how fulfilling and liberating this can feel, especially when you do it frequently.

### CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Capricorn, lean on friends and family when a difficult situation presents itself. Not everything has to be a secret this week; you can use some support.

### AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, expect to see everything in black and white in the days ahead. This is alright, just avoid taking this perspective to the extreme. Sometimes you have to have faith.

### PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

Pisces, things are changing all around you and you'll get left behind if you don't make some attempts to catch up.



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## sudoku solution

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## patrick's puzzle

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## Youth Happenings

Megan LeMoine,  
Recreation Youth Worker

Starting this month at the 14 Wing Community Centre, Walking Club for both pre-teens and teens is underway. Meet at the centre for a walk through the community. If you would like more information about any programs or events, call 765-8165. Here's what's happening this week:

### Teen Council

April 10, 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Teens: today we'll talk about the volunteer dinner and the upcoming pre-teen dance and BBQ at Sobeys April 20.

### Walking Club

April 10, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Pre-teens and teens, join the Walking Club. We'll meet every other Tuesday to walk, jog or bike around our community. If the weather doesn't co-operate, we'll use the walking track at the F&S Centre. Put some spring in your step! Wear appropriate footwear and bring a water bottle.

### Active Chicks

April 11, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Girls, tonight you're going to make your very own sock monkey. Please pre-register for this event with \$4. Keep in mind there is sewing involved in this program.

### Pre-Teen Dance

April 13, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Come dance the night away, listen to great music, win a dance contest and hang out with your friends! Admission \$3.

### Teen Games Night

April 17, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

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