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Uncommon find Cannonball tests explosives disposal team's knowledge

Second Lieutenant Meagan Duncan

In the summertime, "cannonball!" may be a phrase often heard poolside. A team of archaeologists recently discovered a more traditional cannonball while working on a site in Milton.

Lead archaeologist Laura de Boer, of Davis MacIntyre & Associates, called Liverpool RCMP June 8 to come to the site along the Mersey River, where the RCMP's Explosives Disposal Unit determined the ordnance to be safe. The RCMP brought the five-pound, 3.46 inch cannonball back to the Liverpool detachment for temporary storage but, as a cannonball may technically be considered military ordnance, they decided to contact the Canadian Armed Forces' Regional Joint Operations Centre - Atlantic (RJOC-A).

In turn, 14 Wing Green-wood's Explosive Disposal Flight (EDF) was tasked by RJOC-A to recover the cannon-ball. Two EDF team members traveled to Liverpool July 6, where they X-rayed the cannonball and confirmed it safe to transport. They placed it in a sand-filled, closed metal container (CMC) to ensure a safe trip to 14 Wing.

"The CMC is an airtight, watertight container and it's a normal transport method that we use," says Sergeant Terry Sawchuk, the deputy commander of 14 EDF. "The CMCs are often filled with sand to prevent ordnance from moving

around inside of it."

A cannonball isn't an item the EDF members deal with on a regular basis but, even though there have been no cannonballs reported in Greenwood in recent years, the team members are knowledgeable on a wide variety of ordnance.

"Some old cannonballs can be hazardous, but our X-rays deemed this one to be safe. It is a solid cannonball, not filled with anything," Sawchuk says. Filled cannonballs usually have a hole, so you can tell where it's been filled with black powder or gunpowder.

Finding the cannonball was very unusual for the archaeologists as well.

"This cannonball was unrelated to anything we had been looking for," de Boer says. "Many sites along the Mersey River are very dense in Mi'kmaw artifacts."

This particular site had already been heavily disturbed by construction crews before the archaeologists were called in to search for historical Mi'kmaw objects; this meant it was not a typical, methodical dig site.

De Boer was leading the archaeological ef-

14 Wing Greenwood's Explosive
Disposal Flight deputy
commander Sergeant
Terry Sawchuk holds
up a unique find: a fivepound, 3.46 inch cannonball dug from the ground
by archeologists in Milton.

2Lt M. Duncan

forts by sifting through tonnes of earth when they discovered the cannonball.

"Finding a cannonball at this site is quite out of context, so the exact origin of the cannonball may never be known."

The site is far enough in-land it likely would have been out of range for a coastal ship's cannon. De Boer speculated the cannonball could have been brought there by intentional human activity, or unintentionally by previous construction activity. The archaeology team is

* Actual size

interested in learning more about the cannonball, including potentially studying its iron content to try and determine its age.

Referencing the Special Places Protection Act, a Nova Scotia act to provide for the preservation, regulation and study of archaeological and historical remains and palaeontological and ecological sites; De Boer says all artifacts found on provincial land are considered property of the province. The cannonball is currently being stored at the 14 Wing armament building. >

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le thème de l'amitié souligné par la Marche de Nimègue et la longtemps que vous le voulez, l'essentiel étant de vouloir faire Marche de la victoire de l'année dernière.

ces années, en particulier lorsque son père servait comme officier de l'Armée en Indonésie. Nos soldats canadiens

The Eykelenbooms encourage Canadians to join this et leurs actions ont convaincu de nombreux Néerlandais summer's Boomer's Legacy Friendship March, an opd'émigrer au Canada. Les Eykelenboom ont foulé le sol portunity to support the long-time humanitarian work of Canadian soldiers at home and abroad. Submitted

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La Marche de l'amitié de Boomer's Legacy célèbre l'amitié. «Nos soldats ont tout donné pour les enfants et le peuple rire un enfant était la chose la plus importante de sa mission.»

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Boomer's Legacy invites Canadians to the Boomer's Legacy Canadian troops is extremely meaningful to our family. My hus-Friendship March, taking place until July 31.

poral Andrew Eykelenboom," says Maureen Eykelenboom. "We especially with his father serving as an Army officer in Indonesia. on a child's face was the most important thing about his tour." assist Canadian Armed Forces members fund their humanitarian Our Canadian soldiers and their actions positively persuaded efforts both at home and abroad."

theme of friendship brought to light by the Nijmegen Marches and last year's Victory March.

"The celebration of the liberation of the Netherlands by our

band, and Andrew's father, was born in Arnhem, Netherlands. could: my son, Andrew "Boomer," did the same for the Afghan "Boomer's Legacy was founded in memory of my son, Cor- in 1943. Their family experienced hardship in those early years, people, the children especially. He told me that putting a smile The Boomer's Legacy Friendship March hopes to reinforce the The Eykelenbooms came to Canada in 1953."

Celebrating friendship

The Boomer's Legacy Friendship March celebrates friendship. humanitarian efforts at home and abroad. >>

"Our soldiers gave the Dutch children and people all that they

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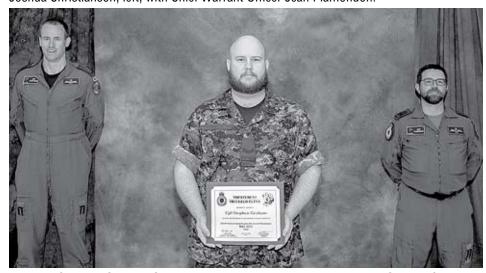
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June 10, Master Corporal Megan Trace, centre, was promoted to the rank of sergeant by June 10, Corporal Logan Forsyth, centre was presented with the Top Student Certificate from 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson, left; with Chief Warrant Officer Jean Plamondon.



June 10, Corporal Stephen Graham, centre, was presented with the Top Student Certificate from CP140 Aurora Aviation Systems On-Aircraft Maintenance Course Mod 2 by 404 (Long June 15, 405 (Long Range Patrol) Squadron Master Warrant Officer Glenn Priddle, centre, was Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson, left; with Chief Warrant Officer Jean Plamondon.



The (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Buffalo Blade-winning team, consisting of, from left, Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson, Major Wayne O'Donnell, Chief Warrant Officer Jean Plamondon and Major Keith Tagg; are shown after winning the squadron golf tournament June 17 at the Greenwood Golf Course.



June 24. Major Hugh MacKinnon, centre, was promoted to current rank by 405 (Long Range Patrol) Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, left; with Chief Warrant Officer



CP140 Aurora Aviation Systems On-Aircraft Maintenance Course Mod 1 by 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson, left; with Chief Warrant Officer Jean Plamondon.



presented a 1 Canadian Air Division Commander's Commendation by 14 Wing Greenwood Commander Colonel Brendan Cook, left, with Wing Chief Warrant Officer Jonathan Proulx, for his work as the 405 Squadron lead planner. Cook recalled flying with Priddle a number of years ago, when crews realized how much they'd miss Priddle as he moved to operations; not realizing how much he would contribute to the wing in that new role: "You were working hard every single day for this squadron and the wing – a consummate professional." Priddle retired at the end of June after a 39-year career.



June 17, Master Corporal Evan Booth, centre, was presented with a 404 Squadron Commanding Officers Leadership Award by 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson, right, with Chief Warrant Officer Jean Plamondon. Booth played a pivotal role in 404 Squadron's relocation to 9 Hangar and stepped up their leadership role as A/Cell Lead. Each task and position responsibility was handled with poise, completing all requirements to a high standard. They displayed exceptional professionalism and dedication to the Royal Canadian Air Force and 404 Squadron. Booth's leadership abilities, along with their relentless enthusiasm, have directly contributed to meeting 404 Squadron's mission and vision of providing advanced force generation to the CP140 fleet.

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Special Service Medal - Expedition Bar by 405 (Long Range presented the Special Service Medal - Expedition Bar by Special Service Medal - Expedition Bar by 405 (Long Range Patrol) Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, left, with 405 (Long Range Patrol) Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Patrol) Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, left, with Chief Warrant Officer Brian Nelson.



Goldie, left, with Chief Warrant Officer Brian Nelson.



June 29, Sergeant Dave Jenkins, centre, was presented the June 29, Master Corporal Kent Billingham, centre, was June 29, Corporal Martin Joanisse, centre, was presented the Chief Warrant Officer Brian Nelson.



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Warrant Officer Brian Nelson.



with Chief Warrant Officer Brian Nelson.





June 29, Aviator Mitchell Williams, centre, was presented June 29, Corporal Jamie Smith, centre, was presented the June 29, Corporal Christopher Barsalou, centre, was the Special Service Medal - Alert Bar by 405 (Long Range Canadian Forces Decoration by 405 (Long Range Patrol) presented the Canadian Forces Decoration by 405 (Long Patrol) Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, left, with Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, left, with Chief Range Patrol) Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, left, Warrant Officer Brian Nelson



with Chief Warrant Officer Brian Nelson



Corporal Antoine Issa, second from left, was promoted to master corporal June 23, by 14 Master Corporal Sean Brathwaite, centre, was promoted June 23 to sergeant by 14 Operations with his partner and, at right, Chief Warrant Officer Craig MacLellan.



Operations Support Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Serge Parisien, left; Support Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Serge Parisien, left; with Chief Warrant Officer Craig MacLellan, right; with his family on hand.



Patrol) Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, second from left; with Major Milne, left, Operations Support Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Serge Parisien, left; and Chief Warrant Officer Brian Nelson.



June 24, Master Corporal Brandon Austin was promoted to current rank by 405 (Long Range Sergeant Amy Welton, second from left, was promoted to warrant officer June 23, by 14 with her partner, Captain Dan Long and, at right, Chief Warrant Officer Craig MacLellan.



Major Jason Collingridge, right, was presented June 17 Corporal Noah Slaughter, right, was presented with a Club by 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson. Force and Canadian Armed Forces ethos. Collingridge played meeting 404 Squadron's vision of developing the best LRP to PaCE, all while grappling with the staffing complexities ACS, maintenance managers and wet ditch courses; and has induced by multiple waves of the pandemic. He also directly contributed to wing morale as the PMC for the 14 Wing RCAF HAZMAT/ fire hall surveys and completing layout plans to Mess Dinner, while concurrently stepping forward to support facilitate a safe working environment for peers. ongoing operations, completing a plethora of advanced PD courses, and soon deploying in support of RIMPAC.



June 17, Sergeant Alex Hughes, right, was promoted to his June 17, Major Mathew Cormie, left, was promoted to his



Colonel Tom Goldie, left, with Chief Warrant officer Brian Nelson.



Brendan Colonel Cook, his godfather, at 14 Wing headquarters. Joshua Christianson.



with a Buffalo of the Quarter award at the Greenwood Golf Buffalo of the Quarter award at the Greenwood Golf Club Collingridge's dedication, initiative and sound leadership Slaughter's leadership attributes exemplify the core values of exemplify those values at the core of the Royal Canadian Air the Royal Canadian Air Force, with dedication instrumental in an instrumental role in continuing to pursue efficiencies within professionals. In addition to multiple secondary and primary MOAT, the adoption of Block IV training and the unit transition duties, Slaughter revitalized integral course content for the



current rank by 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron current rank by 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson. Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson.



July 7, Master Corporal Lee Johnson, centre, was presented June 29, Corporal Don Leynes, centre, was presented the 405 with a 1,000 flying hours in the CC130 Hercules pin by 413 (Long Range Patrol) Eagle of the Quarter Year by Lieutenant- (Transport and Rescue) Squadron Lieutenant-Colonel Greg Surek, right; with Chief Warrant Officer Shawn Harrison.





404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Sergeant Kevin Scott, shown with his daughter, after receiving his promotion to his current rank at the Greenwood Golf Club June 17.



June 17, Major Jacinda Vlaar, centre, shown with her family; was promoted to her current rank by 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Christianson.



June 17, Sergeant Mitchell Scott, shown with his child, right; was promoted to his current rank by 404 (Long Range Patrol and Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-



June 17, Master Corporal Sebastien Rocque, right, was June 29, Master Corporal Katharina Meihuizen, centre, was June 15, 2nd Lieutenant Ethan Gallant, right, received his promoted to his current rank by 404 (Long Range Patrol and presented the 405 (Long Range Patrol) Eagle of the Quarter commission from 14 Wing Greenwood Commander Colonel Training) Squadron Commanding Officer Lieutenant-Colonel Award by Lieutenant-Colonel Tom Goldie, left, with Chief



Watching the waves for whales Aurora capabilities put to new use supporting right whale study

special projects officer, RCAF Environment & **Operational Sustainability**

Falling into the "and more" with Dalhousie University, list of taskings the CP140 Transport Canada, Fisheries Aurora regularly handles is and Oceans Canada. Defence helping international study Research and Development of the endangered North Canada, and the National Atlantic right whale.

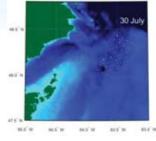
erations Support Squadron, the data collection effort on CP140 Aurora crews helped the whales in the Gulf of St. collect sample whale ac- Lawrence. tivity information through preliminary acoustic, EOIR (Electro-Optical/ Infra-Red) Risk Act 11, with fewer than images and visual data: 415 350 animals in the oceans.

Second Lieutenant Meagan and drug trafficking. Whale Duncan & Craig Reesor. survey work is definitely a new application of an Aurora capability

The Department of National Defence partnered Oceanic and Atmospheric With support from 14 Op- Administration to coordinate

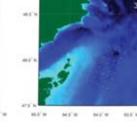
The right whale is endangered under the Species at (Long Range Patrol Force Known as the "right" whale on protecting marine species used passive sonobuoys - ment of Fisheries, could surveillance and reconnais-Development) Squadron in during 18th and 19th cen- impacted by multiple threats like a microphone in the better direct active sonobuoy sance. 2018, and 405 (Long Range turies whaling, due to their from human activity, includ- water listening for sounds use in different regions or Patrol) Squadron in 2021. tendency to float, slowness ing noise. The DND's major - to acoustically monitor seasons. The long-range patrol aircraft and preference for coastal noise source is tactical active for the presence of whales. The Acoustical Society of ing, this close collaboration is usually used for maritime habitats; the animals made sonar used for anti-subma- Aurora crews dropped a field America recently published with other governmental and overland intelligence, for easy targets. They are rine warfare conducted by of 32 passive sonobuoys to a journal article, sponsored departments and leading surveillance and reconnais- now the centre of multiple the Royal Canadian Navy record for about six hours by DRDC - Atlantic Research researchers reinforces the sance, anti-submarine and recovery efforts in the United and Royal Canadian Air Force each day, with approximately Centre, Employing Royal RCAF's well-deserved role anti-surface warfare, strike States and Canada, includ- with the Halifax-class frigate, eight kilometres between Canadian Air Force Sono- as an environmental steward coordination, and search ing being a focal species in the CH148 Cyclone and the drop locations, in the Gulf buoys for Passive Acoustic and supports a larger wholeand rescue. It also assists the 2017 Oceans Protection CP140 Aurora. government agencies com- Plan. This federal, whole-of- While flying over the Gulf nobuoys picked up whale rich data sets collected by the defend the health of Canada's bat illegal fishing, pollution government strategy focuses of St. Lawrence, the Aurora vocalizations, data gained will Aurora will also be featured marine environment. >>





better inform how the whales as the keynote dataset in a use various Gulf habitats. major science workshop in Commercial vessels already 2024.

of St. Lawrence. As the so- *Monitoring of Whales*. The of-government strategy to



follow speed restrictions as Researchers, policy-makright whales migrate into the ers and the marine environ-Gulf. In military exercises, the ment will continue to benefit detection of whales through from the Aurora's profespassive sonar, as information sionalism and advanced

is shared with the Depart- capabilities in intelligence,

from the typical Aurora task-























Steerfest was back! July 9, Kingston celebrated the return of its summer fun event after a two-year hiatus, and the community turned out in support of the parade, breakfast, entertainment, food - and more!

Images: S. White and M. Ralph





Staff Cadets promoted prior to arrival of course participants

Meagan Duncan

July 8, in 14 Wing Green- including teaching a class to
The commanding officer of promoted to sergeant or flight they are ready to welcome the Ellerbeck. >>

summer course Cadets, one The Cadets completed a group arriving at the GCTC July week of training beforehand, 11 and the other July 18.

wood's High Flight Room at show their instructional skills, the GCTC, Lieutenant-Colonel the Annapolis Mess, five staff displaying proper dress and Nicole Whiteway, presented the



From left are Sergeant Matthew Ratushny, Sergeant Kaili Foster, Flight Sergeant Cadets with the Greenwood deportment, punctuality, clean promotions, along with Chief Alexander Rafuse, Lieutenant-Colonel Nicole Whiteway, Chief Petty Officer First Cadet Training Centre were barracks and more. They proved Petty Officer First Class Kent Ellerbeck, Flight Sergeant Thomas Taylor and Sergeant Victor Perez.

143 CEF steps in to complete school work

Lieutenant Nathan Ridley, spurred by the COVID-19 gineering flight located in Officer Commanding 143 Construction **Engineering Flight**

Education Centre (PVEC) with but was unable to finish its work safely at heights. the completion of an outdoor roof due to limitations of

pandemic, as the school Bridgewater, part of 14 Conwanted to create a capabil- struction Engineering Squadity for sheltered outdoor ron. The flight is comprised learning, while giving their of various Canadian Armed Over the span of a week students a valuable opportu- Forces engineering trades, in June, a small contingent nity to learn and apply trade and 143 CEF's members were of members from 143 Con- skills. A team of students able to assist PVEC students struction Engineering Flight from PVEC spent the year complete their work, as its (143 CEF), assisted Parkview constructing the classroom, members are qualified to

This project was originally 143 CEF is a Reserve entrain its members on roof-potentially interested in join-in the community when pos-members. >>

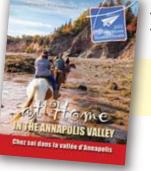
ing, and provide the unit the ing the trades. 143 CEF looks sible, on projects that provide

This project was both an opportunity to engage young forward to continue its work the unit with opportunities opportunity for 143 CEF to members of the community with non-profit organizations to develop the skills of its

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Celebrate 14 Wing Greenwood's Wing Welcome weekend September 8 to 10, as new military families and the community settle into fall routines. This publication kicks off Wing Welcome, fall programs and attractions with an extensive listing of community resources.



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ing Welcome 2022 presents a special opportunity for businesses and organizations to welcome - and welcome back! - friends and customers.

As you book your At Home in the Annapolis Valley ad, book a complimentary second placement in The Aurora Newspaper This second ad must run before the end of October 2022 (will be sized to the nearest equivalent column width).

Challenging year, but GMFRC programs, people determined to meet needs

Managing editor

the last year's centre activity needs are being met."

"We're so grateful for that partner agencies and indi- of what it does without wide and develop a succession between program costs and a budgeted \$9,300), childcare - you're trusting us with viduals; volunteers, staff and wing and partner support, plan for the board and centre expenditures. Under pro- and preschool programs your social, emotional and the board's directors for help- and thanked everyone for staff. employment needs; for in- ing the GMFRC do it's work: their roles in the return over "If we don't know what over budget on supplemental The GMFRC had budgeted formation and that need for "they want you to have what the past year of large and we don't know, or there is funding expenses (\$81,731 to finish 2021/ 2022 with a connection. That's all exactly you deserve, so we have their well-known events and pro-something we're not meet-versus a budgeted &70,800, \$42,480 deficit, but actual

isolation, assistance with Greenwood, every day and tre's dedicated volunteers, Clifford, five years.

The GMFRC marked an- first month as wing com- bring back in-person social resources and answer ques- program (\$12,864 versus terms were Justin Kubis and other year of pandemic-in- mander but no stranger to programs - and we've had tions." fluenced programs, services, work and life in Greenwood record attendance, with fami- Staff marking service year prevention, support and in- two-year terms were Angie finances and interactions, from past postings, thanked lies expressing many thanks anniversaries in 2022 in-tervention programs (\$1,649 Publicover, Natasha Appoland staffing challenges; but, the MFRC staff and volunteers and much appreciation for clude Brenda Virtue-Ellis, 15 versus \$4,000), second loni, Sarah Fox and Andrea Reid said, "we work with for their work: "everyone who the opportunities the centre years; Mary Wredenhagen, language training (\$5,751 Harris. Stefanie Arduini repurpose to identify family makes this such a success provides."

schools, working with service night. You give our families and encouraged any new- The GMFRC operated on and administration (\$533 verclubs. Every time we're out the support they need – and comers to consider getting \$1,251,448 in revenue, in- sus \$6,600). Straight expen-"You came back!" said and about, we're working as deserve - as we execute our involved with programs, or cluding \$923,790 in funding ditures included \$885,730 Margaret Reid, executive advocates on your behalf. mission. This is my 17th year even board roles. director of the Greenwood "We're putting military and as a military family, and the "We are starting to revamp tary Family Services and \$147,130), \$96,295 on ad-

Military Family Resource community issues on the MFRC has always supported our strategic plan, with three \$128,815 in program fund-vertising and public relations, Centre, as she summarized table, out front – so that your us when we needed it." during the June 27 centre She thanked the 14 Wing Sergeant Justin Kubis said nity participation, strengthen fundraising line. Expenses by \$75,295), child care food

grams on the wing.

needs, childcare, healthcare, in the small community of He also thanked the censides, 5 years; and Liana cychildcare (\$560 versus and was also re-elected. +

from the Directorate Mili- in wages (under budget by goals around our mission and ing. Just \$108 was real-including branded swag for GMFRC board chairman values: to increase commu- ized in a budgeted \$6,000 centre visitors (over budget command team and base the MFRC couldn't do half our organizational foundation totaled \$1,255,659, shared and supplies (\$5,389 versus gram costs, the MFRC was (\$35,068 versus \$28,036). ing – let us know so we can volunteer costs (\$8,553 ver- was -\$4,211t. Colonel Jeff Davis, in his "We've been fortunate to provide those programs and sus \$1,200), deployment Re-elected for two-year \$1,500); but under budget on Laura Fox, elected for new

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15 years; Michelle Green- versus \$14,100), emergen- offered for a two-year term,

Amanda Forster Memorial tournament kicks Middleton plans big off once again in Kingston/ Greenwood



Second Lieutenant Meagan Duncan

The Kingston/ Greenwood Soccer Club (KGSC) is bringing back the Amanda Forster Memorial soccer tournament this summer. After a two-year hiatus due to CO-VID-19 restrictions, the annual tournament will return July 22 to 24. More than 40 B-division teams have registered, ranging in ages from under-9 to under-18, with girls' and boys' teams for each age group. Seventy-one munity as well.

very active in the soccer com- the tournament.



started in 2007 to honour Sergeant Megan Trace, of And, a beavertails food truck the lvy fields." the life of Amanda Forster, 404 (Long Range Patrol and will be at the civic field."

"Snow cones will be avail- end. >>

For more information on hotvf.ca/street-parade.)

festival, MRHS reunion weekend July 22 to 24 Middleton Regional High School is celebrating a COVID-

delayed 70th reunion July 22 to 24, in conjunction with the Middleton Heart of the Valley Festival the same weekend.

MRHS 70TH Reunion registration gets underway July 22 at 1 p.m., and continues to 9 p.m., with a more formal opening ceremony at 6 p.m.; all in the MRHS east gym. Author Alf Bent, a former MRHS student, will host the first

of two book-signings of his book, "The Story of Al Peppard: Athlete, Coach, Educator, Mentor, Family Man & Community Builder – A Middleton Legend;" between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m., with Peppard himself in attendance. A second book signing gets underway at 3 p.m., featuring Carol Ann Cole, Nancy Hussey and Marshall Ennis.

Saturday, July 23, gets started with a reunion breakfast, with a freewill offering taken for the MRHS Bursary Fund. Reunion registration continues at the Middleton Rotary Raceway Park, and both the MacDonald Museum and tourist centre and the Middleton Railway Museum will be open for visits and tours. At 1 p.m., the day will be proclaimed "Al Peppard Day" at a park event. Bent and Peppard will be on hand for more book signing and conversation.

At the Middleton Legion, between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m., "The tournament relies on able at Kingston District a reunion social will welcome attendees. MRHS will also games are scheduled on fields KGSC is a 14 Wing Green- a lot of volunteers from the School Saturday from 10 be open between 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. for hallway walks and throughout Kingston and wood personnel Support community," MacNeil says. a.m. to 6 p.m., and the same picture viewings. A firemen's chicken BBQ at the Middleton Greenwood over the weekend, program-run club, with both "Our main set up will be at the times Sunday. We'll also have fire hall will be hosted between 4 p.m. and 6 .m., followed base and community vol- Apple Bowl field. We'll be sell- volunteer-run canteens at by the "homecoming" Heart of the Valley Festival parade This annual tournament unteers. KGSC president ing shirts there all weekend. Kingston District School and from the arena to Rotary Park at 7:30 p.m. (Parade walkers

who tragically passed away in Training) Squadron, and par- The popular food truck is the tournament, check out Sunday, July 24, an informal "bike rally" ride around 2006 at 14 years old. Forster ent volunteer Crista MacNeil scheduled to be at the Civic their Facebook page, "Amantown will be held at 9:30 a.m., the MacDonald Museum was part of a military family have been working hard as field (on Central Avenue) da Forster Memorial Soccer will be open and a picnic and closing gathering will be held and an exemplary player with tournament co-chairs, or- Friday, 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.; Tournament," and support there from noon to 1 p.m. on the lawn (bring your own KGSC. Her family - Donna, ganizing teams, schedules, Saturday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.; the teams around Kingston food and seating). The railway museum will be open for Renee and Alexander - were referees and volunteers for and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Greenwood this week- the afternoon, and a 2 p.m. service will be held at the North Street Chapel. >>

Six men, two women heading to Atlantic golf championships



Captain Andrew McNeil started his June 267 Day 1 action with some range warm-up time.

ers took to the greens at Paragon in Kingston June 27 to 29 in a three-day playoff event to determine base representation at the Canadian Armed Forces Atlantic region golf championships, coming up in Gander July 25 to 26.

Twenty-two men and three

to the Canadian Armed Forces' Atlantic regional championship later in July. women were involved in the a great few days," he said, Members selected to rep- Dan MacGregor, 5. Warrant Women - 1. Captain Kayla

gram sports coordinator expectations, headed for a Men - 1. Master Corporal Matt Gillis and several vol- warm-up window and then Todd McAvoy, 2. Corporal took to the greens early on Mitch Conrod, 3. Aviator Wyatt Magarvey, 4. Major

base-level event, organized as players went through resent 14 Wing at the Atlantic Officer Joel Brooks, 6. Mas- Hobday, 2. Corporal Joanne by Personnel Support pro- the rules and tournament championship include: ter Corporal Alexander Silver. Gauthier +



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Registration required.

Dungeons & Dragons

Matt the Music Man

July 17 to July 23

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

some long-awaited progress. Keep

the learning process moving along

Someone may want to surprise you

this week, Scorpio. You may prefer

a good-natured gesture, so go with

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

can make things easier for your

family, Sagittarius, Even if this

change requires a sacrifice on your part, it could be worth it.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Capricorn, there are many enjoyable

things you can become involved in

if you are willing to put in the effort

Once you do the work, the rewards

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, your family life is going

so-distant future. How it plays out

will be profound and positive.

change your self-image and how

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

to change in a big way in the not-

remains to be seen, but the effects

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

the flow this time.

ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

cycles in your life, think of minor now is the time when you will see tweaks you can make that will have an impact on your bottom line. TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21 Taurus, if you are in a rebellious mood, find an outlet that will not get

week, Aries. Instead of repeating old

you into too much trouble. Engage to know what is coming, but this is in challenging pursuits, like puzzles

or sports games. GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21

Gemini, your relationship status is One minor change in your daily life about to reach another level. Welcome these changes as they come and enjoy the ride. Don't hesitate to share good news with others.

CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22 You may have outgrown a career or a community in recent weeks, Cancer. Take your time exploring

new opportunities so your next move can be effective.

LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23 Leo, a change in your responsibilities could lead to a pay raise or even a promotion in the days to come.

Focus on where you want to be in vour career.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22 A unique experience shared with Some surprising information comes someone else can make a big to light this week, Pisces. It may lifference in your relationships, Virgo. Learn from every lesson that others perceive you.

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wick and District Library invites a-month group for caregivers a public yard sale. youth ages 10 to 15 to join our and their babies (newborn to 18 Blood donation clinic

Chicken barbecue lunch July 21, 10 a.m. to noon. The July 23, noon to 1 p.m., the vices will host a blood collection sions, and seeds are welcome. Where: Berwick and District Kingston Lions Club hosts a clinic at the Kingston District Fire 7Arts Summer Camp

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Starting July 20, and continuing invites little one ages one to three July 23, noon to 2 p.m., the July 27 at 1 p.m. to 2 p.m., the Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m. to noon; who loves to be creative to join Kingston Library invites all ages Kingston and District Library the Berwick and District Library Elizabeth for an hour of magical to bring your own board games hosts Annapolis Ambre's Awewelcomes all breast feeding discovery as we explore finger or tabletop RPG or drop in and some Animals: fun, science and chest feeding parents. We paints, shapes, colours and play one of ours. Bring friends or education and animal awareness provide peer support. Led by two more. A parent and/or guardian make new ones over a game of with Ambre and special guests,

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Dungeons and Dragon campaign. months), Quiet stories, rhymes, July 25, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m., and July to bring a plant, take a plant!

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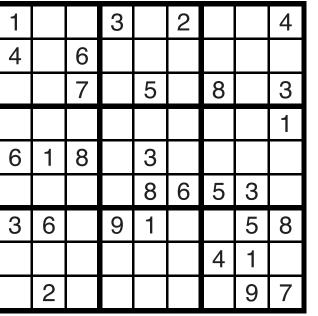
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Ladies' day a golf circuit highlight

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The Greenwood Golf Club held its Ladies' Field Day June 22. Forty players from around the province were treated to a great day of golf, a delicious meal and prizes. The Greenwood ladies put extra effort into making all the quests feel welcome: at registration, they were treated to coffee and muffins, a "goodie" bag and, after golf, each one found a new golf towel at their seat - a huge hit, and special thanks to Betty Saltzman, who assembled the tartan trimmed towels. Thanks to Kelly and staff for a delicious salad and dessert, Ryan and his Golf Genius for doing the scoring and, mostly, to our in for a Friday night sosmall band of golfers who worked so hard to make the day a success.

Congratulations to Karla Wilms, River Hills Golf Club, who shot 84 and won the field low gross. Elaine Drew from Greenwood won the field low net score with a score of 70. Well done, la-

The 1st division winners were: 1st low gross Debbie Arsenault 88, 1st low net Bekki McGillivary 72, 2nd

low gross Joanie McCarville 91, 2nd low net Sandra Cathcart 77R, 3rd low net Donna Hill 77. 2nd division winners were: 1st low gross Kim Garby 100, 1st low net Debi Sponagle 78, 2nd low gross Donna Bonner 102, 2nd low net Shannon Chattington 79R, 3rd low net Sherry Robinson 79. 3rd division winners were: 1st low gross Suzanne Aucoin 109, 1st low net Alice Cleveland 80, 2nd low gross Kathy Siddall 116, 2nd low net Helen Marshall 81, 3rd low net Jill Davies 88.

Closest to the pin on #8 was Joanie McCarville and, on #11, it was Tammy Atwood. Elaine Drew won the closest to the line on #17.

Starting July 15, drop cial, including a nine-hole, two-person golf scramble. Registration starts at 4:30 p.m., with a shotgun start at 5:30 p.m. Cost for members is \$5, and non-members is \$15. There is an optional \$5 per seat fee for a golf cart. Prizes will be awarded, along with an optional meal, after

The Greenwood Golf Course is in great shape: come out and play a round. Hit 'em long and straight! >>



Karla Wilms, right, was the June 22 Greenwood Golf Club Ladies' Day winner; shown here with Betty Saltzman.



Tammy Atwood won the #11 closest to the pin contest June 22.



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Elaine Drew, right, with Betty Saltzman; was the June 22 low net winner.

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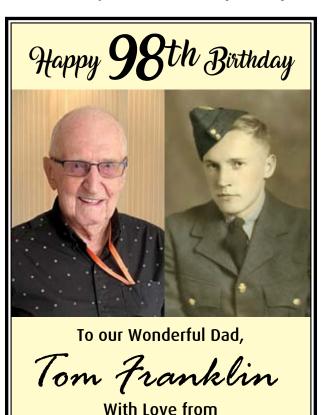




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