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'Right time, right place' 14 Wing men win CAF championship in first ever nationals

Sara White, **Managing editor**

"Super lucky" is one thing, but 14 Wing Greenwood's men's basketball team worked hard to take full advantage of a "right time, right place" season and win the Canadian Armed Forces championship in their first ever appearance at the tournament.

"Walking away from regionals in 2023, no one could have expected us to win regionals this year, then nationals," says head coach Alyssa DeAdder, 14 Wing's Personnel Support Program sports coordinator. Then, the team was injured, missed out on the regional final and faced the roster churn of the posting season heading into 2024.

"It's the nature of military sport." She says. "We knew all the teams would all be different than last year - someone's on a ship, someone's deployed, someone can't make it."

14 Wing started its practice season determined to take a core group, and newcomers, as far as it could. At regionals earlier this winter, Gagetown didn't enter a team: fewer games, fewer chances for wear and tear – but fewer opportunities to play as a team. Still, Greenwood won.

"In Petawawa, at nationals, we knew we were going into the round robin looking for game experience and high level

play - and it caught on really quickly," DeAdder says. "We knew, if we wanted to play, compete and do well, we had to show up and go into every game wanting to win."

Greenwood opened April 30 facing the CFB Esquimalt Tritons, bringing the game within 10 points at the end of the third quarter before the Tritons went on a scoring run to take a 82-64 win. Greenwood's MVP was Master Corporal Edrian Vlaar. Later the same day, Greenwood met Petawawa and won 59-54. Greenwood's MVP was Corporal Jordon Mayo. An 80-63 loss May 1 to Ottawa (Greenwood MVP was team captain Lieutenant Jon Wilson) added to the mixed bag results, and put Greenwood in third place out of the round robin.

Wilson says that Ottawa loss helped Greenwood, part of the "progression of the team.

"We rallied to our game plan, scraped through it - and then followed it to a T into our semi-final."

More right time, right place for Greenwood: Petawawa beat Esquimalt 48-45 in an "eyeopener" game.

"If they can do it, we can do it," DeAdder says: Greenwood went into its semi-final and beat Ottawa this time, 60-58 on a foul-induced free-throw, with just 1.2 second left in the game. Greenwood's MVP was Corporal Evan Trites.

Preparing for the May 3 final,





would pack its gym and be confident on home court: they'd have to come out strong.

"In the first quarter, we were up," DeAdder says. "There was never a point where it wasn't out of hand. I didn't feel com-

Greenwood knew Petawawa fortable or confident on the bench, really just watching, while the guys were on the court playing.

> Greenwood played hard, used its defence to keep Petawawa from shooting the way it had through the tournament



- and won in a surprising 65-39 result.

"We opened that final with zero doubt," says Wilson, with an advantage over DeAdder with his on-court, in-game perspective.

"It was impressive an RCAF

team out-muscled and outhustled an army team. We were dedicated and driven - we knew it could be our only time to win. We came out in that first quarter and put it on them.

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CAF basketball milestone for DeAdder

With the 2024 Canadian every team, she was tactical, the CISM women's basketball ketball team.

Lieutenant Jon Wilson, captain She deserves coach of the about me, but that I'd earned of the 14 Wing Greenwood year. team, the national tournament "It cannot be understated." skills and expertise. MVP and a CISM-level basket-

DeAdder, 14 Wing's Person- "It's nice to hear from the "We went out and watched coordinator, is a coach on my time and effort." +

Armed Forces championship, her time-outs were organized, bench, "but this is men's bas-Alyssa DeAdder becomes the she had our team cool downs ketball," she says. "A few of the first woman to head coach a set up with rides and hydra- guys who have been with me CAF title-winning men's bastion; two of the other teams for the past two or three years, have coaches both affiliated as they posted out, had come "She was crucial," says with CISM's men's program. and said they weren't sure their trust and they knew my

nel Support Program sports players that they appreciate

Right time, right place...

and we didn't take our foot off can Greenwood repeat? Wilson ever played in.

was the stars aligning."

already looking ahead to 2025: Wing basketball.

what's it going to take to rebuild "We're walking away from after a posting season? Who can this season, feeling such a Petawawa's semi-final was so they recruit from 14 Wing's per- high," DeAdder says. Wilson difficult, they were tired; but sonnel, or from anyone posting agrees: "This was definitely the we worked to stay composed, in? As they host 2025 regionals, best basketball tournament I've

says, despite the "one-year con-"I've truly never been on a



"We were never scared: this tracts" of many military sports team that worked like this, that this tracts of many military sports team that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the structure of the same that worked like this, that the same that worked like this, the same that worked like this worked like this, the same that worked like this worked like this, the same that worked like this wo athletes, this season cemented came together and won. It was its first-ever nationals appearance in May – and won. DeAdder is 14 Wing's Person-DeAdder and Wilson are a new "Bombers' culture" for 14 amazing to watch everything nel Support Program sports coordinator, and a CAF CISM women's bench coach.

Private J. Froome, Canadian Armed Forces

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Participate in change: defence advisory groups seek members

as one" exemplifies the 14 the base.

Wing Greenwood vision of af- 14 Wing has five defence and the Defence Team Pride across the Defence Team. regardless of the ethnicity, under "Contacts" on the Emfording all civilian and military advisory groups (DAGs): Advisory Organization (DT- Your input is vital in identi- gender, orientation, etc. members the opportunity for the Defence Indigenous Ad- PAO). These groups provide fying issues and formulating Currently, the DVMAG is page (under "Quick Links" a diverse and welcoming work visory Group (DIAG), the unfettered and grassroots proposals that will assist in seeking to fill its civilian co- on the Greenwood Splashenvironment and promoting Defence Visible Minorities advice to Department of Na- eliminating barriers, and in- chair position. the values and prosperity of Group (DVMAG), the Defence tional Defense and Canadian crease the sense of belonging. If you are interested in Evolution Coordinator, Major diversity in the workplace in Women's Advisory Organiza- Armed Forces leadership on for all Defence Team mem- participating in change - even Backhouse, 902-765-1494 the interest of enhancing the tion (DWAO), the Defence issues relevant to their group bers. All military members in the smallest way, or are local 568-1643. >>

with Disabilities (DAGPED), ployment equity and diversity participate in any of the DAGs, any of the members listed

"Working together to see operational capabilities of Advisory Group for Persons on the implementation of em- and civilian employees may seeking information, contact ployment Equity and Diversity page), or the wing's Culture

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fighters have raised nearly life-changing equipment. drive. cular community. Each year, changes, and help fund ing. >

For more than 67 years, career and volunteer fire- research that is helping

partners and supporters of ing various events like boot tantly, they have put smiles Muscular Dystrophy Canada drives, rooftop campouts, on the faces of thousands (MDC) and Canadians af-stair climbs, ladder sits, car of children, hope in the fected by neuromuscular washes, raffles, sporting hearts of parents, trust in stood beside MDC since the Firefighters have made are an example of dedication beginning. They are part of a difference in the lives of and service to our com-

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a huge difference for the forts to raise awareness #FillTheBoot and keep this entire Canadian neuromus- and make positive policy long-standing tradition go-





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Contribuez à la campagne Barrages routiers!

le début. Ils font partie de dans la recherche qui aide boot drive ». l'ADN de l'organisation.

sécurité incendie et associa- temps. 3 millions de dollars annuel- de milliers d'enfants, l'espoir esRoutiers. 🗲 lement en soutien à DMC. Depuis 1954, les pompiers ont recueilli près de 100 millions de dollars et ont fait une énorme différence pour l'ensemble de la communauté canadienne des maladies neuromusculaires. Chaque année, des pompiers professionnels et volontaires donnent ainsi de leur temps et participent à notre financement en organisant une grande diversité d'activités, dont des barrages routiers. des séances de camping sur les toits, des défis Gratteciel, des échelles-o-thons et des lav-o-thons, des tirages, des manifestations sportives

Les pompiers ont fait une différence dans la vie d'innombrables familles canadiennes qui sont touchées par les maladies neuromusculaires. Ils ont contribué à

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Depuis plus de 67 ans, les l'achat de fauteuils roulants, dans le cœur des parents, pompiers d'un bout à l'autre de lits d'hôpital, d'appareils la confiance dans l'esprit du pays sont des partenaires orthopédiques, de déambu- des donateurs et sont un et des sympathisants in- lateurs, de respirateurs et exemple de dévouement et défectibles de Dystrophie d'autres aides techniques de service à notre commumusculaire Canada (DMC), qui peuvent changer des nauté. ainsi que des Canadiennes vies. Ils soutiennent les 23 mai de 06:30 h à 9 et des Canadiens touchés efforts de sensibilisation, h, le Service d'incendie et par les maladies neuromus- favorisent les changements d'urgence de la 14e Escadre

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au Canada amassent plus de naître le sourire sur le visage de la campagne #Barrag-







Join in 14 Wing Indigenous Awareness

May 19 to 25 is Indigenous Awareness Week, and the 14 Wing Greenwood Defence Indigenous Advisory Group and community friends.

Campaign begins. This initia- a revision of the Atlantic Detive began as a way to en- fence Regional Advisory Group gage men and boys in ending patch, after the entity's name violence towards women and was changed to the Defence Inchildren, and has grown into digenous Advisory Group. The a nationwide movement of In- 14 Wing DIAG team worked digenous and non-Indigenous closely with 14 Operations Canadians all committed to Support Squadron's Captain taking action to end this vio- Stephanie Juliusson to brainlence. Wearing the moose hide storm ideas for the new patch pin signifies your commitment design. After careful considerto honour, respect and protect ation of the different options the women and children in Juliusson provided, the team your life and speak out against settled on a beautiful turtle gender-based and domestic design, which it submitted for

Later in the day, at 1:30 p.m., Juliusson's turtle design a new fence Indigenous Advisory the DIAG hosts a free screening purpose. of Gord Downie and The Secret

May 16

Moose Hide Campaign

14 Wing main gate

Upcoming | June 21

8:15 a.m. Flag raising & smudging,

The Secret Path, Birchall Theatre

1:30 p.m. Screening: Gord Downie and



Laura Lascelle

April 15, 14 Wing Greeninvites you to join in several wood's Defence Indigenous events. All activities are free Advisory Group (DIAG)'s new and open to the Defence Team coin was unveiled on its Facebook Page.

May 16, the Moose Hide The project initially began as consideration. Ultimately, the May 21, at 8:15 a.m., the piece was declined in favour Grand Council Flag will be of producing a national DIAG raised at the main gate, with the patch, giving the 14 Wing Honour Song and a smudge. DIAG the opportunity to give

activities, as the DIAG will mark didn't want it to go to waste, collective awareness initia-National Indigenous Peoples so we hummed and hawed tives.

INDIGENOUS

AWARENESS

May 19 to 25

Summer Solstice & National Indigenous Peoples Day

WEEK



Master Corporal Nicholas Wing Greenwood's De-Group new coin, a turtle design originally crafted by "We had this beautiful de- Captain Stephanie Julius-Path, at the Birchall Theatre. sign that Captain Juliusson son, which now includes Save the date for June 21 had come up with, and we references to the DIAG's

Officer Cadet L. Lascelle

Whaley, DIAG military co-chair, I believe is important for an says. "We really wanted to get advisory group. It represents that symbol out because it is how we try to advise the wing very obvious what it represents on Indigenous matters." - and then we came up with the idea for the coin " the collaborative spirit with

With Juliusson's turtle lov- which the DIAG aspires to ingly placed in the centre, the educate the wider community military and civilian co-chairs on Indigenous matters. The worked diligently with the en- turtle's shell is represented by tire DIAG team and the artist to the medicine wheel, a symbol create the design now featured of knowledge and interconin the coin. While the turtle nectedness. While the wheel's does represent Turtle Island. centre is often depicted with Whaley explains Juliusson's green, to represent balance choice to feature the animal and community, the team means so much more to the opted to feature the Royal

"I was really excited be-roundel, to symbolize the cause, in reference to the balance the DIAG strives to DIAG, our original patch has achieve within the RCAF. The seven feathers for the seven green has been reserved for sacred teachings, and one of the head and limbs, demonthe seven sacred teachings is strating the collaborative ef-Truth, which is represented forts of all Indigenous peoples by the turtle. Truth and Time. represented by the infinity The turtle is one of the oldest symbol, Inukshuk and feather; animals on the planet, and it and initiatives, such as the has largely stayed unchanged, Red Dress Campaign and which means it is true to itself. the No More Stolen Sisters This is important for us, be- Campaign, that bring balance cause it has adapted to change through connection and the without necessarily changing - sharing of knowledge. The something Indigenous culture circumference is orange in has tried to do

promote the DIAG as an entity, about it, and know they can get it," Master Corporal Nicholas has attention to detail, which

"The turtle is also slow, Matters Campaign Day and the Summer solstice. about making some stickers to so more people could know involved and become a part of methodical, grounded and The DIAG coin will serve as

> "It will be something to have on display somewhere, or to be presented, so that people go, 'Hey, what's that?' It will engage people into asking questions so that we can discussions about Indigenous cultures on the wing."

While the community will have the opportunity to initiate those conversations during activities taking place at 14 Wing May 17 to 24, as part of Indigenous Awareness Week, Whaley encourages anyone interested in getting involved in the DIAG, or learning more about the programs available, to reach out to the team. All members of the defence community are welcome to join the DIAG at its meetings, every second Tuesday at 1 p.m., in the Annapolis Mess' Tow Bar. >>

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The design details embody

Canadian Air Force (RCAF)

a tool for promotion, education and raising of awareness here at 14 Wing Greenwood.

recognition of the Every Child

create these conversations organically: we can have open

WNSR member among first **Coronation Medal** recipients

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Charles III Coronation Medal, in recognition of significant service, during the inaugural investiture ceremony at Government House May 6. The ceremony in Nova Scotia, on the first anniversary of the King's coronation, was the first to

take place in Canada. Medal recipients represent The medal program was Wade, Bridgetown.

throughout the Common- 20 people. >>

Several Annapolis Valley wealth, championing youth, residents were among Nova environmental stewardship, Scotians awarded the King Crown-Indigenous relations

> by those in uniform. In this spirit, the Coronation Medal honours those who have demonstrated an unwavering dedication to their professions and the well-being of the province," said Lieutenant-Governor Arthur J. LeBlanc.

a broad cross-section of Nova established by the Govern-Scotians, who have made ment of Canada in May 2023. significant contributions to with the support of The King, Canada, the province or their and is administered by the community. The recipients Chancellery of Honours, on included Valley residents Gina behalf of the Governor General Haverstock, Wolfville; Chris- of Canada. The medal will be tine Igot, Annapolis Royal; awarded to 30,000 Canadians. and Corporal Christopher M. Along with nominations from a diverse cross-section of "His Maiesty has dedicated national organizations, each his life to the service of people MP and senator may nominate



West Nova Scotia Regiment Corporal Christopher Wade, Bridgetown, right, was one of the inaugural recipients of the King Charles III Coronation Medals, presented May 6 in Halifax by Nova Scotia Lieutenant-Governor Arthur J. LeBlanc.

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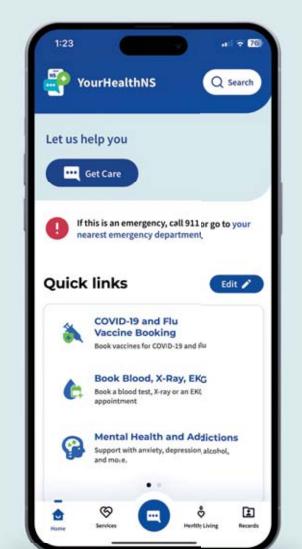
Positive Space Ambassador June course dates

The Positive Space pro- at St. Mark's Chapel annex, gram will offer the two-day Church Street, Greenwood; Positive Space Ambassador June 25 and 26. program to 14 Wing Greenwood Defence Team mem- program and to register, visit bers interested in becoming mil.ca (Positive Space); or, an ambassador, or learning contact Major Backhouse,

CBDC HANTS-KINGS

To learn more about the more about 2SLGBTQI+ his- 902-765-1494 local 1643 or tory, terminology and issues. michelle.backhouse@forces. The program will be offered gc.ca →





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Crafters' and vendors' sale table bookings

June 9, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., there for a May 25 4-person scramble ist (knitting, crochet, cross stitch, vintage and antiques - and more! Girl Guide chocolate and vanilla 2414 Hwy 1, Aylesford. A little will be a "Happy Campers" golf tournament at Paragon embroidery, felting, or rug hooking) Free items, too! Barbecue hot dogs! sandwich cookies, \$6 a box. crafters' and vendors' sale at Golf & Country Club, with all over the age of 25? Bring your own Proceeds help charities. the Waterville & District fire hall, proceeds presented to local materials or purchase a kit from us! Yard sale 1415 County Home Road, hosted food banks. Team entry is \$300, Suggested donation \$5. by Hardwood Lake Girl Guide and includes on-course BBQ, ArtBeat Lounge Camp. To book a table (8', \$25), snacks, green fee and prizes; 9 May 25, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., 7Arts yard sale. Gently used furniture, Veterans Drive, as Canadian Blood pancakes, ham, sausages, baked contact Sara, cskeddy@hotmail, a.m. (shotgun start). Call the pro in Greenwood hosts the ArtBeat tools, appliances and housewares Services hosts a collection clinic. beans, hash browns, toast, cofca. Full details in the Hardwood shop to rent a cart. For info, and Lounge, free for ages 13 to 17: available. Find that hidden treasure! Make an appointment at blood.ca. fee, tea, juice. Adults \$12, youth

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familiarization night. We can't do Yard sale Missed our volunteer info night? Ave., Middleton. Bountiful items for **Spring tea**

p.m.; 7Arts in Greenwood hosts a toys, frames and pictures, clothing, admission will go towards the **Yard sale** drop-in craft & chat group. Are you purses, shoes, small kitchen appli- youths' donation of canoe paddles June 8, 8 a.m. to 11 a.m., Aylesford May 20 is the deadline to register a female-identifying fibre craft art- ances and furniture, collectibles, for Hardwood Lake Camp. PLUS: United Church hosts a yard sale,

Lake Camp Facebook Event. to register your team, contact your ultimate playground for ar- Canteen on site with refreshments. Concert

into visual arts music dance or projects poetry, this is your space to shine. **Blood donor clinic**

Farmers Market hosts a volunteer Club. Pre-registration not required. p.m. to 8 p.m., and May 28, noon 50th anniversary, the concert will Greenwood; by fax, 902-765-1717; or 1717 ou par courriel à l'adresse it without you: have an interest May 25, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., St. blood at the Kingston District Fire open reception following the conemail auroraeditor@ns.aliantzinc.ca. auroraeditor@ns.aliantzinc.ca. Les in getting involved in our farmers Monica's Catholic Women's League Department, 570 Sparky Street; as cert. Tickets available from choir Dated announcements are published annonces avec date sont publiées market? Come on out to our vol- welcomes you to our CWL an- Canadian Blood Services hosts a members or at the door. unteer familiarization and training nual indoor charity yard sale at St. collection clinic. Make an appoint- Margaretsville Community night at the Aurora Inn in Kingston. Monica's church hall, 41 Connaught ment at blood.ca. No worries! Come join us, meet men, women, and children: jewelry, May 29, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Berwick Community Hall will hold its an-

Le commandant publie des avis publication, à moins d'avis contraire. May 22 and 29, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 plants, craft and hobby supplies, coffee/ tea/ cider. Your freewill community

Blood donor clinic

May 29, noon to 3 p.m. and 5 June 8, 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., come May 25, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., the Kings- p.m. to 8 p.m., give blood at the for breakfast at the Kingston ton Lions host their annual Spring Berwick and District Lions Hall, 250 Lions Hall. Scrambled eggs,

> May 31, 7:30 p.m.: Sing Together under) FREE. Kids' storytime in-Always is the spring concert of the cluded, at 9 a.m.; and, ask about Middleton Choral Society, directed paying it forward. Proceeds to

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June 4, 7 p.m., the Margaretsville new friends and see what we have tools and hardware, household Girl Guides host a Spring tea at the nual general meeting at the hall. items and home décor, linens, puz- South Berwick Community Hall. Come one and all to find out all zles, books, CDs, DVDs, garden and Small selection of sweet treats, the great things happening in our

something for everyone!

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ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20 ally this week. Chat them up because these next few days. Libra. This this is a person you want to have in will help add a spark to your your network. You never know current relationship or help you find , when you'll need some assistance.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21 Taurus, you have real talent, so you

should be proud and show off your be on your mind. Scorpio. Create efforts. Whether it is artistic in nature or you are a whiz with numbers. share your gift with others.

Gemini. You can use a new hobby Look at trends that are popular right now and try one of those

you meet someone new this week. Capricorn, you have a lot of self

socializing right now, Leo. Your calendar will fill up quite quickly with invitations from people in your life. Enjoy the attention.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

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35. Young woman ready to enter society

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43. Duty or responsibility 44. Part of (abbr.) 45. Time zone 10 Line from the center

GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21

Explore creative possibilities,

CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22 Cancer, trust your intuition when CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23

There is a lot of potential for

Virgo, take inventory of the things n your life and be real about what you need and what you can get rid days to spend time alone and sort

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23 Aries, you may meet an influential You may be feeling extra flirty

someone new if that is the desire. SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

Relationship issues at home may pockets in your days for deep

introspection to process all of the SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, if you can't get ar answer to something vourself then you may want to pick the brains of friends or other people in your circle. They may offer unique perspectives.

worth, so stop looking at yourself someone right away. That's an important skill to develop, especially in the workplace. through a pessimistic lens. Be convinced of your value and ability to assist others around you. AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Start feeling good about what the

future may hold. Aquarius. There are a lot of possibilities out there and you're starting to see them peeking out over the horizon.

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

You may not be feeling overly social right now, Pisces, Take a few of right now. You may be carrying around a lot of baggage you simply through your feelings. Over time you may be ready to re-engage.

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will be held on Tuesday May 21, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. in the Kingston Fire Hall.

- Presentation of Financial Statements for April 1, 2023 - March 31, 2024.

April 1, 2024 - March 31, 2025.

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All interested persons are invited to attend.

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Entry deadline: Noon, May 22, 2024 AYLESFORD & DISTRICT LIONS Complete the following questions from ads in this week's issue and win a \$20 coupon to play Friday CLUB Night BINGO from Aylesford & District Lions Club. Coupons valid for 1 year. Age 17+ on regular games. 2160 Hwy 1, Aylesford Starts 7:00 pm Friday 902-847-9374



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2024 PROPERTY TAX SALE

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The Municipality of the County of Kings will conduct its 2024 property tax sale at 10:00 am on June 13, 2024 at the Municipal Complex, 181 Coldbrook Village Park Dr, Coldbrook, NS. All details regarding the 2024 property tax sale are available at the Municipal offices or online at:

https://www.countyofkings.ca/business/sales.aspx

Details available will include:

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Golden Oldies put sticks on the ice, donations into local community

Brenda Milligan

The Greenwood Golden Oldies recreational hockey club hosted 100-plus participants in two different divisions (40 to 64 and 65plus) - four teams in each - in its annual tournament at 14 Wing Greenwood March 22 to 24.

The club, established in 1994, was the brainchild of the still-going-strong Jeremiah Mead (aka The Grand Poobah), along with likeminded co-founders, a few of whom are still lacing up the skates. Its mission: to provide an avenue for seniors to continue to enjoy the game well into their "golden" years.

As is custom, proceeds from this tournament, after all expenses are paid (ice rental, officials, food purchases, etc) are donated to a selected local cause. This year's recipients were the Multi Addiction Centre Society of North Kingston and the Soldier's Memorial Hospital Foundation. Each of these two very worthy organizations received a cheque for \$2,000.

Participants in this tournament register as individuals rather than as a team, and teams are established via a draft based on individual ratings in an attempt to equally

Base soccer, slo-pitch practices underway

Summer sports at 14 Wing Greenwood are taking to the fields. Military personnel are encouraged to join in the fun – and competition!

Men's slo-pitch: Tuesday and Thursday, 2 p.m., on the base ballfield.

Women's slo-pitch: Mondays, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. on the base ballfield.

Women's and men's soccer: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m., at the Church Street Apple Bowl pitch.

For information on any base sports program, contact Personnel Support Programs sports coordinator Alyssa DeAdder, at deadder.alyssa@ cfmws.com. >>

teams as competitive as possible. Although the subjectivity of the player ratings does not lend itself to a perfect system and disparities do occur, it should be noted eight of the 12 round robin games resulted in a two-goal or less differential.

With the cost of admission, each participant is guaranteed both the opportunity to forge new friendships as well as a minimum of three games. Half of them get a fourth game on the Sunday, when the top two teams in each division advance to the championship games.

Participants come from all over the Annapolis Valley, from as far away as Yarmouth, Windsor and beyond. Many are "repeaters," and look forward to this event every year. Besides this, the age of the participants spans five decades AND, an all-inclusive event, three women participated this year.

disperse talent and keep the Kudos to Bobbi-Jo, Janice and Bonnie!

> Congratulations to this year's championship teams: the Leafs, recipients of the Helmet Trophy in the 65-plus division, after a nail-biter OT win (although, in true Leaf fashion, they did try to snatch defeat from the jaws of victory late in regulation time) with Ted emerging as the star for his penalty shot winning goal. Also, to the Kraken, recipients of the Broken Wing Trophy, for their victory in the under-65 game.

A special kudo to Bob Macdonald, recipient (unanimously) of this year's Inspiration Award, in recognition of his own health recuperative efforts this year, as well as the many hours of volunteer service he has unselfishly contributed throughout the Valley for so many years.

Also, special thanks must go out to the players and fans, without whom this tournament cannot happen



Leo Glavine, right, accepting the Greenwood Golden Oldies' Multi Addiction Centre Society donation from Jerry Mead.

seeing year after year.

A big thank you and acknowledgement to the many people who helped to make this event a success. The Golden Oldies board of directors takes care of all the details involved in organizing such an event. The officials - Fred, Mitchell, Greg, John and Terry - keep things under control on the ice (yes, even the most "mature" of us can get a little feisty at times. Coincidental penalties and a quick escort off the ice can go a long way to settling things down quickly and effectively). Canteen staff Sue Ryan and Heather Kennedy spent long



Don Hyslop, right, on behalf of Soldier's Memorial Hospital Foundation; accepting the Greenwood Golden Oldies' donation from Jerry Mead.

and huge senses of humor were appreciated.

Financially, this event would not succeed without the continued support of local sponsors, and we just cannot thank them enough for their support: in Greenwood, McDonald's Restaurant, Pizza Delight, Scotiabank, Kenny Goguen Skate Sharpening and Essential's Lingerie; in your stick on the ice! >>

and whom we look forward to days, but their warming hugs Kingston, Atlantic Superstore and Evangeline Wealth Management (John Burris); in Berwick, Berwick Heights Golf Course, Hearth Energy and Technology and Annapolis Valley Surveying (Kirk Hicks); along with Glen Penny Drywall and Painting and Dan Calnan.

> See you all again next year and, in the meantime, keep



Village of Kingston

ELECTION DAY SATURDAY May 25th, 2024

TAKE NOTICE that the Village of Kingston will be holding elections for the position of two (2) Commissioners.

Election Poll will be open from 9:00am until 7:00pm on Saturday, May 25th, 2024.

An Advance Poll will be offered from 11:00am until 7:00pm on Tuesday, May 21st, 2024.

Poll location is the Kingston Village Office, 655 Main St, Kingston.

Voting is open to all residents of the Village. Per section 403 of the Municipal Government Act, an elector means a person resident within the village entitled to vote at a municipal election, and who will have resided in the village for at least six months immediately prior to the village election.

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