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Stan Matthews — A Renaissance Man!

A LITTLE OVER A HUNDRED YEARS AGO, a fellow from Ohio by the name of Matthews had gotten into the habit of bringing his family to Canada, to stay with friends at their Lewellyn Beach summer home, in a remote, far-away place called St. Joseph Island. The 1910 summer season proved to be a little different from earlier times. During his stay, Mr. Matthews noticed an interesting old house overlooking the Shoal Island Lighthouse. It had once been the ferry tender's house, but was now vacant.

Mr. Matthews knew he was seeing a true jewel in the rough. He bought the property and then his fancy was taken by another charming old house, just across the road – or so he thought! As it turned out, the other house was actually on another island! And so began a relationship between the Matthews family and St. Joseph Island that has grown and flourished ever since.

Since 1910, St. Joe and Matthews Island have been the 'home away from home' for generations of the Matthews family – including Mrs. Mary Ann Matthews, who in 1930, donated \$35,000. to give our community its new 'Matthews Memorial Hospital' in memory of her late husband Mortimer – and now, it's 'home' to Stan Matthews.

Today, the "Main House" stands no more, having been replaced years ago by the current warm and inviting house, which was designed and built by Stan's grandfather Stanley II, a noted Architect, famed for designing hospitals and residences. The house and grounds are not what you'd expect. If you hope to see a palatial, ostentatious mansion, surrounded by immaculately groomed and tended gardens and lawns, you've come to the wrong island!



Here, Mother Nature is a friend and ally, helping to shape Matthews Island to fit the taste and commitment of THIS generation of the Matthews family. Here, nothing is ever wasted. Everything gets recycled into a new life. Many of the

"new" house's features were carried over from the old 'Main House', as are materials used in other buildings and the boat-houses. Here, 'green' is good' in every sense of the word, starting with Stan's experimental 'green roof' garden project. The beautiful birdhouses located throughout the island are enhanced by the creative and tastefully displayed works of art indoors and outdoors. A large part of the island is being allowed to reclaim itself as a wildlife sanctuary. Even the old tennis courts are being allowed – nay, encouraged! – to revert to their natural state. And the 'architect' of THIS living, breathing work of art is Stan Matthews - a very interesting man indeed.

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PUBLIC INFORMATION SESSION RE: ROAD REHABILITATION PLAN

When: WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 2009 AT 7:30 P.M.

Where: Hilton Township Municipal Office
2983 Base Line, Hilton Beach, Ontario

The Township of Hilton recently received notice of our successful application under the Infrastructure Stimulus Fund for the rehabilitation of Hamilton Drive/Court.

This Public Information Session is being offered to ensure affected residents are fully informed regarding the proposed work and aware ahead of time of disruptions that will occur.

If you cannot attend this meeting and have questions regarding the work, please call the office at 705-246-2472 or email: hiltontownship@xplornet.com.

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“I like to take what Nature starts, and put it to work.” He quips. Stan is very good at adapting something for other innovative uses, and he’s also no stranger to hard work.

Although his family’s roots are in Ohio, Stan calls Austin, Texas home, at least when he’s not here on his beloved Matthews Island. One of his great passions is rowing – at 5 years of age, Stan took great satisfaction from puddling around the island in his little rowboat. Today, his ‘rowboat’ of choice is a single seat, 2 oar racing shell. And he has two others as well. Stan, you see, is a ‘Masters’ class rowing competitor!

“Although I don’t usually get up in the ‘dark and early’ anymore, except for a Race Day, I’m out here pretty much every morning. I did 13 miles today!” he states proudly. “Nowadays, I only compete in 1 or 2 marathons a season – this year it will be Ottawa in late August, followed by Louisiana in November.”

After attending the University of Texas, he moved to Grand Rapids, Michigan in the early 1990’s to hone his rowing skills at the renowned Grand Valley State University Rowing Club – a prominent varsity-rules rowing club that is currently home to the U.S. National Champion team. “I went there for winter training, and stayed for 7 years!” he smiles. He quickly moved from ‘novice’ ranked rower to Assistant Coach, then to Head Novice Coach, where he remained for 5 years. “It was a real handful, taking a bunch of people who don’t know anything about boats, and turning them into fierce competitors.”

It’s no surprise that Stan and his family are closely following developments here in the fight to save Matthews Memorial Hospital. “We’ve been around for quite a while, and we have more than just a passing interest. Our attitude is that we’re here for the long haul.”

“I’ve talked with a lot of people that I haven’t talked with before. I’m very reassured by the many people working hard on this. Although I had been kept informed by friends and other sources here, I didn’t know about the multiple parties involved, until I got here.”

“It strikes me that they all have at least one similar goal. We [the Matthews family] don’t think the hospital, as we’ve known it, has ever been a true “Stand Alone”. It’s always been associated with another organization, such as Sault Area Hospital and before that, the Red Cross. It’s just good business – to share the burden.”

“The idea of running completely on our own might save the day for a moment, but its going to be a lot of scrambling after that. There are certain things we have access to because we have access to the Sault Area Hospital. We have a “maintenance and repair” contract in place for the equipment, etc.

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that they don't even own. If we went on our own, we'd have to keep that going, and we also might have to set new contracts with ambulance services, doctors, and so forth."

When asked for his take on the relationship with the Sault Area Hospital, Stan was quite direct. "It's been a love-hate relationship. It seems that every other season, we'd come up, and they'd be threatening in some way. The nicest way to settle this would be for them to stop treating us like an 'ugly stepchild' and come around to the idea that we represent maybe a little bit more than half a percent of their budget! I know you've got to start somewhere, but the idea of spending that small amount someplace else – and getting it lost someplace else – instead of providing services to this community with that money – is ridiculous. It simply doesn't make any sense!"

"They need to be reminded, unfortunately, that their REAL responsibility is NOT to balance budgets. Their REAL responsibility, morally and ethically, is to provide medical services to this region. That's one of those things that came up all those many years ago, when the original hospital burnt down. It really didn't take long to replace it, which says a great deal about this community. We've had one all along, and as soon as it was lost, the community did what they had to do to recover it. I guess THAT one was probably a 'Stand Alone' type of thing."

"I haven't seen any feasibility reports on a 'Stand Alone' hospital. It's good news to find out that they [the 'Save MMH' movement] at least understand that they have to do that much! If it comes down to 'NO hospital or Stand Alone', obviously we're going to support it to go 'Stand Alone'. If it comes down to "Stand Alone, or part of an organization, it's fairly simple."

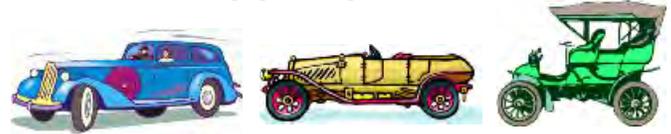
"We think long term. Considering what we know about it right now, we think that the hospital will be stronger if it's part of an organization. I'm not saying it has to be Sault Area

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Hospital, but I think that, as part of an organization, it's going to be in a stronger position. I think it's going to come down to some group, some where, whether a cooperative organization that runs a collective of small hospitals, or whatever."

"Again, we think long term. If that's going to resolve this issue right now, that's fine. But if it's going to be able to resolve the issue and we can actually be assured that there's a mid term and a long term viability there, then that's really what we want. We want to go for some assurance."

"From a competitive rowing standpoint, when you're trying to put together a program, you can't just do it with one year coaching contracts. You have to think years down the line. You handicap yourself and your program by insisting on short term 'one year' contracts."

"Government exists to do the collective will of its people. You need to TELL the government bodies what you want and need. You simply cannot sit back and take what they [government] choose to give you – which is usually what's left after every one who DID stand up for themselves gets what THEY want and need."

"To us [the Matthews family], it's not about saving the name on the Hospital. It's about the hospital itself! We care deeply about communities – especially this one. We also care about more than just the hospitals. We care about libraries and museums and community culture. As I've said before, we're here for the long haul!"

Your humble reporter must admit that he came away from his afternoon on Matthews Island feeling refreshed in both mind and spirit. Stan Matthews is truly a Renaissance Man, and I feel privileged to have spent time with him.

But even Stan can't win everything. He's been fighting for years against an ornery beaver who likes to build his dam in the old Boathouse ... and the beaver is winning!

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Urgent Care Centre is not a Hospital

I WOULD LIKE TO CLEAR UP some confusion and misunderstanding about the terms “Emergency Care Centre” and “Urgent Care Centre” which have been bandied about regarding the possible closure of Matthews Memorial Hospital on St. Joseph Island. Make no mistake; these terms are not interchangeable, and confusion may lead to complacency. If patients living between Echo Bay and Bruce Mines, including St. Joseph Island, are left with an Urgent Care Centre, urban people may ask, “What’s the problem?” In order to answer that question, let’s look at the definitions.

I have it on good authority that an Urgent Care Centre is not a “hospital”, and cannot accept patients with heart attacks, strokes, difficulty breathing, traumas, severe abdominal pain, and other extremely serious conditions which fall under the mandate of an Emergency Care Centre. An Urgent Care Centre is restricted to providing care regarding less urgent matters. (I am indebted to data provided by the Ontario Health Coalition).

The closure of a local hospital Emergency Department such as Matthews Memorial Hospital and its replacement with an Urgent Care Centre means that patients with severe conditions, such as heart attack or stroke, would have to travel to a hospital with an Emergency Department; in our case to Sault Area Hospital. When time is of the essence, it may also prove fatal. If a severe (Emergency) condition is assessed by the paramedics anywhere in the rural area mentioned above, the ambulance must by-pass Matthews Memorial Hospital and continue to transport the patient to the Sault. Depending on where the ambulance station is to be located or relocated, the time involved may be an hour and a half with life or death in the balance, because the paramedics are not equipped to administer Emergency care.

Rural residents and Sault residents should not be complacent about these different health care services. Serious illness or injury can occur to anyone at any time, in the home, at the cottage, or on the highway. The bell may be tolling for the Algoma rural residents, but it may toll for you as well. To answer the bell now means we have to persuade our Provincial government to better fund our hospitals. Few things can be more important, n’est pas?

Ray Stortini, Richards Landing
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The budget will be adopted at the August 4th Council meeting. There will also be discussion on Jocelyn's All Season Trails Project.



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Thanks Shirley Meeks!



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Only on St. Joe's!

THE JOHNSONS OF BUSY BEAVER CAMPGROUND want to thank the McCarty's of Hamilton Bay and Heather and Brian Fox of the Island Clippings.

Jack, our cockatiel likes to roam. He usually stays close to home, but his June outing, we could not find him. I put an ad in the Island Clippings, hoping someone had seen him. Well, Brian called to say the McCarty's had a cockatiel that fit the description. Sure enough, Jack had moved in with this wonderful family. To say the least, we are very grateful that Jack is home.

If you have a friendly cockatiel move in, he probably belongs to us, and we do want him back!

*Thanks again,
Sharon & Ernie*

Editor's Note: We have recently received a number of anonymous letters for publication. While these letters are topical and deserving of publication, we regretfully cannot publish material for which we can't verify the source. If you'd like your material to be considered for publication, please identify yourself. We will withhold your name if you so request.



Island Music Scene

Switchback is Back!

FRIDAY JULY 17TH, the Dew Drop Inn will rock once again, with a double barreled dose of energized musical entertainment.



Switchback, the Island's award-winning "adopted sons" will be back, to help raise funds for the fight to save Matthews Memorial Hospital. The Chicago-based band may be on tour, but as far as their many friends and fans on St. Joe are concerned, they're coming home!

A dynamic duo consisting of Marty McCormack on bass and vocals and Brian Fitzgerald on guitar and vocals, Switchback plays a blend of their own Americana and Celtic songs, as well as a full repertoire of other music genres including country, rock and pop. They're just as much at home with the Beatles or U2 as they are with Johnny Cash and Willie Nelson, and their offerings run from sentimental ballads to blistering rockers. Their true forte, however, remains in their commitment to their Celtic roots. It's not a well-known fact, but Brian is actually a classically-trained Irish Tenor!

Another reason Switchback is so popular here, is their strong support of local musicians and performers. According to David Nelson, one of our own local singer/songwriter/musicians, "These are two of the most

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talented musicians I've ever met! And they simply LOVE to play!" That translates into some great times for local pickers and players too. "When I first met them, a group of us put on a 'Hoolie' (otherwise known as an 'Irish Wake without a corpse!) and they actually played with us, at our level. They could have left us in their dust, but they didn't."

When the last Cornfest, for which they were the headline act, got rained out, they cheerfully switched venues, went over to the Legion lounge, and played there for 2 nights, without missing a beat.

Switchback are also committed to reaching out to young people. When on tour, they always try to slip in visits to local schools. In their previous stops on St. Joe, they've put on music workshops at CASS, White Pines and the Central School in Richards Landing. To them, it's all about the music.

Marty and Brian are also ardent songwriters. They're currently working on a new CD – perhaps of Dew Drop Inn music? (they have 12 out now). But, it's coming far too slowly. Why? Because they're out playing all the time! Rumour has it that they're trying to tempt David Nelson into collaborating on an album of his original music. David, however, is typically low-key in his response. "I'm not sure about that, since many of my own songs are specific to the Island. I think the only way I'd do it would be as a fund-raiser for a good cause." Now that will be something to watch for!



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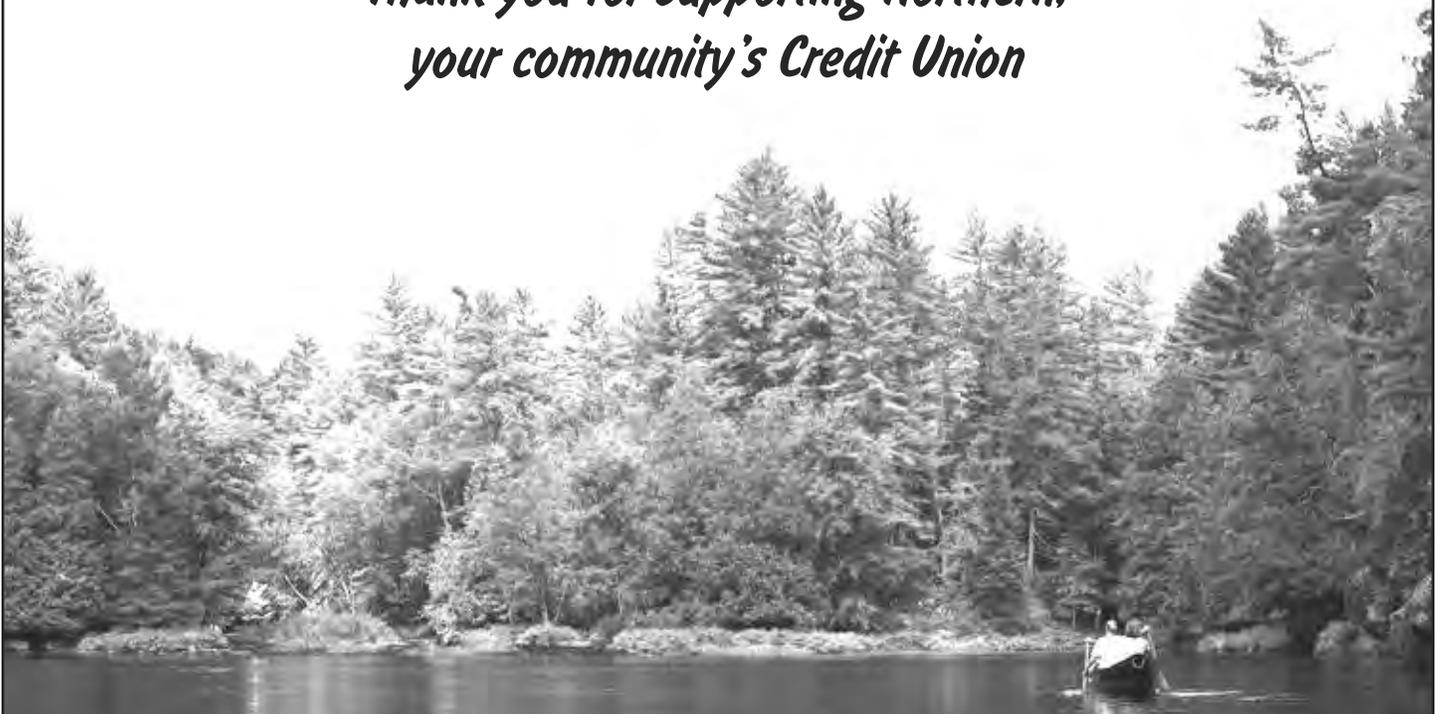
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2928 Soo Mill Rd. Hilton Beach
Waterfront. St. Joseph Island. Excellent location with nice cleared area with usable waterfront. Vaulted ceiling, large dining room, front and back decks, double detached garage has been converted to 2 bedroom and a family room. Drilled well and septic. Close to Hilton Beach. New roof. **\$209,900.00**



1615 20th Side Road, St. Joseph Island
Prime Location on St. Joseph Island with commercial potential. 98 acres of field and bush, beautiful hardwood ridge with road to back of property. Apple orchard with fields. Frontage on Hwy. 548 and 20th Side Road. House has 2 bedrooms and attached shed or workshop. Comes with extra lot on Hwy. 548. **\$189,900.00**



2972 Soo Mill Rd. St. Joseph Island
Waterfront, St. Joseph Island. Mostly updated bungalow with newer kitchen, windows, metal roof, eaves and soffits. Oversized single garage. Large deck, shared drilled well. Close to Hilton Beach off Canoe Point Road. Good usable waterfront. **\$189,900.00**



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Vacant Land, 2559 Q and R Line Rd. St. Joseph Island
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3853 X Line, Hilton Beach
St. Joseph Island waterfront home or cottage. Newer windows and roof. Balcony off master bedroom with views of the lake. Drilled well and septic (just pumped). Year-round road. Close to Hilton Beach. Newer oil stove, patio doors to deck, wheelchair accessible. **\$129,900.00**



1743 Lucy St., Richards Landing
Beautiful view of the water. Park & hockey rink across the street. Newer roof, oil furnace with newer tank. 3 bedrooms, large living room with patio doors. Some newer windows, new tub and surround (to be installed by the buyer), large yard. "As is" condition. **\$64,900.00**



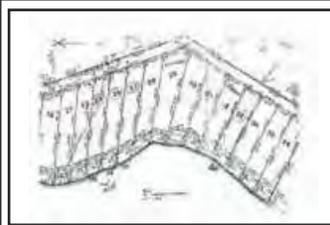
52 Echo Lake Road, Desbarats
Waterfront cottage on Echo Lake. Stone fireplace in large living room. Large master bedroom overlooking the water. Sauna building has guest room with deck at shoreline. Large older boat house/garage. Beautiful views of the mountain in the back drop. **\$79,900.00**



Vacant Land, Weirzbicki Dr. St. Joseph Island
 1.66 acres on St. Joseph Island. Great lot to build your dream home or cottage. 2nd last lot in subdivision, so very quiet and private. Over 240 ft. of shoreline, driveway in, but needs trimming. Lots of sand. Year round road. Close to Marina for boat storage. **\$49,900.00**



Vacant Land, Wierzbicki Dr., Lot 9, St. Joseph Island
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Vacant Land, Lots 233 & 234, Ninth Street, Hilton Beach
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NEW LISTING
5950 Jocelyn Drive
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NEW LISTING
2882 Canoe Point Rd, St. Joseph Island
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NEW LISTING
3419 Hamilton Bay Rd. St. Joseph Island
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5246 Wierzbicki Dr. St. Joseph Island
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NEW LISTING
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PC DOCTOR



by George Skardis

QUESTION: Something very strange happened to one of my desktop program icons. I clicked on the icon as usual to open a program. When I closed the program, the icon was missing from my desktop. Where did it go? How do I get it back on my desktop?

ANSWER: This disappearing act can be very puzzling but most likely is caused by an accidental drag and drop. Here is the sequence of events to explain this mystery. If your left index finger lingers in contact with the left mouse button, or your left mouse button is sticking, the Windows Operating System interprets this as a request to drag and drop the item directly under the mouse pointer. In any event, the unfortunate item finds itself being dragged out of position. There's no predicting when or at what point the extra pressure on the left mouse button might be relieved. At that precise moment the accidental drag and drop ends leaving your desktop icon possibly poised over My Documents, over a shortcut to My Pictures, or over any adjacent folder. Your missing icon vanishes into the gaping folder like a rabbit down a hole. There are two ways to find the missing icon: the hard way and the easy way. The hard way entails opening every desktop folder and slowly examining contents one by one. The easy way to find lost items is via the Search tool. For Windows XP computers, click on the Start button, then click Search. Specify that you wish to search in All Files and Folders by left clicking on this option. Try to recall the name or label for the missing item. Type a part of this name into the first text box. Single words yield better search results than wild multi-word guesses. Also, check the More Advanced options to extend search into system folders, hidden folders, and subfolders. Click on the Search button. A Search Results page provides locations for matching items. Drag and drop what you require back to the Desktop. On Vista computers, an Instant Search box appears at the bottom of the Start menu. This Instant Search box enables you to perform quick searches of the entire computer. Single word searches work best. You simply must try the Vista Instant Search. It's quite good!

QUESTION: How can I create shortcut icons for some of my most frequently used programs?

ANSWER: Shortcut icons are marked with a small white square plus an interior black arrow. Avoid hunting through the Start menu when you can have shortcuts placed strategically on your desktop. To create that wonderful shortcut, go to Start, All Programs. Use the right mouse button to drag and drop any menu item to the Desktop. Left click on Copy Here to complete this exercise. Do not left drag menu items to the desktop. A left drag removes that item permanently from the Program menu. Whoops!

Mike Brown Announces \$1,900,000 Provincial Funding For Recreational Upgrades

QUEEN'S PARK – Mike Brown, MPP, Algoma-Manitoulin, is pleased to announce that Algoma-Manitoulin will benefit from joint provincial and federal funding to improve community recreational infrastructure, announced today under the Recreation Ontario (Ontario REC) and Recreational Infrastructure Canada program in Ontario (RInC Ontario).

“These projects will provide stimulus to the local economy through investments that will spur construction activity related to recreational infrastructure. Including the previously announced stimulus projects, Algoma-Manitoulin has received a total number of 85 projects since January 2009.

Whitefish River First Nation (\$230,000): Abinoojiinah Odumino Gitigaan “Children’s Playing Field”

Township of St. Joseph (\$4,000): 10th Side Road Trail

Sheguiandah First Nation (\$73,000): Wiingsh Miikan Outdoor Rink

Town of Thessalon (\$3,000): Community Hall Accessibility Project (C.H.A.P.)

Township of Dubreuilville (\$42,000): Multi-use Trail Beautification (upgrade)

Sagamok Anishnawbek (\$385,000): Community Centre Retrofit

Blind River Curling Club (\$13,000): Curling Club Renovations

Aundeck Omni Kaning First Nation (\$115,000): Sports and Recreation Infrastructure Project

Serpent River First Nation (\$1,000,000): Serpent River First Nation Lifestyle Centre

Township of Jocelyn (\$5,000): Beech Beach Facility Improvements

Chapleau Cree First Nation (\$47,000): Little Foxes Playground, Multipurpose Recreation Pad and Sports Fitness Centre

These are some of the 758 projects announced by Minister of State (Science and Technology) Gary Goodyear, on behalf of the Honourable Tony Clement, Minister of Industry, and Ontario Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Leona Dombrowsky, on behalf of George Smitherman, Ontario Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, worth a total joint federal and provincial investment of more than \$380 million.

Approved projects were selected on the basis of merit and construction readiness. A list of approved projects is available at www.rinc-on.ca.



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If you like the idea of “affordable” waterfront living on St. Joseph Island then check out these listings.

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A St. Joseph Island

Museum Moment

This is the story of Betsey and the St. Joseph Island railroad. W. J. Smith purchased and repaired a demolished train engine from Bruce Mines. He hired fifty – sixty men, paying them approximately two dollars for a ten hour work day. On July, 23rd, 1910 Smith had the tracks completed and opened the Stone Lumber Company. The train was –by locals- affectionately called “Betsey” or “Nip and Tuck”. The train was used to transport logs from the mountain, to Smith's logging camp in Marksville (now called Hilton Beach).

Old Betsey had many problems when it was in operation. For one, it derailed countless times. Also, the maple trees had been painted when it was still green, which made it dry incorrectly, and the ties rot quickly, which resulted in a portion of the tracks be torn up and rebuilt.

Smith tried to bypass a citizen's private property, so he would not have to pay a two hundred dollar fee. Bypassing this property meant he would need to pass through a swamp. In order to do this he had to make a corduroy bed for the train. When the engine crossed the swamp, the corduroy bed moved out from under it and the engine came to a halt. Smith eventually got fed up and paid the two hundred dollar fee to cross through the private property.

The railroad ran from 1912 until 1937. For the first couple years, the entire track was used. But around 1927 – 1928 a second camp was made closer to the logging base. The rest of the track was torn up.

Pat Fleming (the curator of St. Joseph Island's museum) mentioned that she heard a rumour about Betsey. She had heard it was shipped to a crushing company, just north of Sault Ste. Marie. When the crushing company was in possession of the train, it fell into Lake Superior. It is said that plans are under way for it to be retrieved from the bottom of the Great Lake and returned to its rightful home at Hilton Beach.

By: Cameron Ward (Katimavik Participant)



TEE TALK



July 7th 2009

28 ladies dressed in pj's, nightgowns, slippers, bathrobes and headgear came out for a night of fun. Carts and pullcarts were decorated with pillows, blankets, curling irons, teddybears and snackfood to make quite an interesting sight on the course. Barb Gajda and Elizabeth Ralph made the PJ's.

Results:

50/50 draw TR Barban, Catherine White, Britney Stevens, Celia Peres

Costumes: Team: Sally Wismer, Judy Connell, Doreen May, Jan Prodan

Pull Cart: Ruth Stevens

Drive Cart: Julie Stevens, Britney Stevens

Individual: Catherine White

Team Payouts: Bernie Crosby, Kathy Adams, Barb Jackson, Diane Tasse, TR Barban, Marsha Caughill, Gloria Struk, Catherine White.

A special thanks to Elizabeth Ralph and Barb Gajda who made two cute pairs of PJ's for a raffle , which netted the League \$40:00.

Seniors July 13/09

Closest to Pin - Mitch Gajda, Closest to 200 - Diane Tasse, Bob Jerrard;

Golf Balls winner: David Cook;

Teams 1st - Bernie Crosby, Vince Vernelli, John Mitchell, Dorothy Bianchi; 2nd - Arden Irwin, Bob Jerrard, Margaret Lees; 3rd - Julie Stevens, Sally Wismer, Mitch Gajda, Vern Carnduff



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MISCELLANEOUS

Quilts! Quilts! Quilts! Wanted your quilts- new, old, heirloom, large, small, hand or machine made, etc - to display at the 21st Annual Women's Institute Quilt Show to be held July 31 & August 1 & 2 at the St. Joseph Island Central School, Richards Landing. Don't forget the Wall Hanging Competition. For info contact Norah 246-1084 or Maria 246-2483.

Matthew's Memorial Hospital Charity Concert by Letitia Bishop. Saxophone & Piano, Classical, Pop & Country. Thursday July 30th, 7 pm - 8:30 pm. Free Methodist Church Hilton Rd & 10th Side Rd.

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Watch for the SJI Horticultural Flower & Vegetable Exhibition. Sat. August 22 at the St. Joseph Township Fire Hall in conjunction with the 75th Plowing Match. Open to adults for a \$5 fee and no entry fee for the children's program. Prize lists available now at: The Children's Library - R.L., Post Office - R.L., Hilton Beach General Store, Kentvale Merchants. For more info contact Sheila Campbell 246-3078

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOCCER REFS NEEDED!!
The end of season soccer tournament with teams from St. Joseph Island, Echo Bay, Desbarats and Bruce Mines is being held at the Township of St. Joseph Centennial Grounds. Saturday July 25th. Referees are needed for all three Divisions (ages 4-7, 8-10, 11-13). Instructions on basic rules are available. If you can help out, please call Jody at 246-0616 or Cathy at the Twp. Office at 246-2625.

Will the person who keeps stealing our 'House for Sale' signs, please return them.....or, if there is a good reason for removing them, please call us to let us know why.

If you would like to bake a pie or two for Richards Landing Community Night (July 31) and have not yet been called, please drop off your donation on Friday, July 31, at the pie booth between 12 noon and 4 p.m. If you are new to the Island and would like your name added to the calling list, please call Jane St. John at 246-1108. Don't bake, but appreciate having a hospital on our Island? A donation is most welcome!

Beula Stewart has moved to the 2nd floor of the West End Villa nursing home at 2179 Elmira Dr. in Ottawa, K2C 3S1. Her # there is (613) 829-3501. She would love to hear from you.

Teddy Bear Picnic, Sunday, July 26th, 12 pm to 4 pm. At the St. Joseph Island Museum. Bring a picnic and a blanket. Music, games, stories, hotdogs, ice cream and beverages available. Admission by donation. Free for those who bring a teddy bear or wear a fancy hat. For more information call Pat Fleming 246-2672

Spy school at the Children's Library has only two weeks left of training and we are still taking in new students. We have trained over 40 kids, so beware the island is under surveillance. On Monday July 20 we will learn about Cracking the Codes from 7:00- 8:30. If you are interested please register with Chief Inspector or Agent 99 at 246-2877.

The Anglican Parish is holding a special "OUTDOOR" service this Sunday, July 19th at 10:30 AM at WI Park. Service will be followed by a Pot Luck Lunch. Come on out and enjoy worship and fellowship at the park.

Notice to all ticket holders of the cancelled Webb Surround Dinner and Show. The show has been rescheduled for September 12th. You can either bring your tickets into the

Legion Office before July 25th for a full refund or hold on to them for the Sept. 12th Dinner and Show. Our apologies, RCL Br. 374 - 246-2494.

St. Joseph Twp. Public Library will be starting their new summer hours July 13th. Mon. 1-9, Tues. 1-5, Wed. 9:30 - 6, Thur. 1-5 & 7-9, Fri. 10-6, Sat. 12-5. Sat morning 10-12 lessons only please. Call to set up lessons 246-2353 246-2738

The American Wind Symphony Orchestra will be performing a FREE WATERFRONT CONCERT at the Roberta Bondar Pavilion in the Soo, Wednesday, July 22, starting at 7:30 pm. A Gala night, including a private concert, tour of the floating art gallery and wine & cheese will be held Tuesday, July 21st at 50\$ per ticket. For more info, contact Laura Widdgett at the Soo Arts Council - (705) 945-9756; laura_widdgett@hotmail.com.

Jocelyn's House of History. If you're looking for something interesting to do this Sunday afternoon, (July 19), visit the Mountain View Centennial Grounds on the corner of the P Line and the 5th Side Road. There, you can examine hundreds of items used by our ancestors, when opening up this area. Articles include logging equipment, farm implements, early automotive items, household appliances and furniture. Re-live the experience of attending a one-room schoolhouse in our restored Mountain School. This Sunday, Gail, Marie, Brenda and Don will be available to assist you in your tour, from 1 to 4 pm.

Richards Landing Community Night. Friday July 31st at the Centennial Grounds. Food booths open at 4 pm. Parade from the Clansmen & Littleton St. 7 pm. Bingo & games of chance. Fun for all.

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RECREATION**

Preparations for **Harvest Festival** are in full swing. Volunteers are always needed for this fun filled day. If you would like to volunteer please call Ruth Stevens at 246-2580. If you are interested in displaying antique vehicles or machinery please call Ed Arthurs at 246-3411. Calling all Kids! In conjunction with Harvest Festival is Jocelyn Recreation's **Fall Fair** on September 5th, 2009. There are four divisions ranging from Kindergarten to Grade 8. Exhibitors win cash prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place finishes. You can pick up the brochure at the Children's Library, Kentvale Store, and Hilton General Store.

We encourage all participants to pick up and complete their exhibitor tags before you drop off your items. Item drop off is at the Jocelyn Fire Hall on September 4th, 2009 between 6:30 pm and 8:30 pm. The **Fall Fair Awards Night** is scheduled for September 11th, 2009 at 7:00

pm at the Jocelyn Township Hall. This is a potluck dessert event.

Looking forward to seeing you all at Harvest Festival!

OBITUARY

REED, T. Edward - passed away peacefully at the Queensway Carleton Hospital, Ottawa, on May 26, 2009, in his 93rd year. Loving husband for 67 years of Adeline A. (Barkley) formerly of Echo Bay, now residing at Fairfield Manor in Orleans. Ed was predeceased by brothers and sisters: Lorne, Pearl, Jim, Elgie, Carl, and is survived by sister Elva of Fort Wayne, IN. Ed's graveside life celebration will be held on St. Joseph's Island, August 2nd at 2 pm. in the Hilton Cemetery, with light refreshments at the Trefry Centre following. Ed was an employee of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce for thirty-seven years, and lived in numerous places around Ontario.

Another WWII pilot makes his final flight.

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The McGuires' 60th Anniversary and Norah's 80th birthday

Wow! What a weekend! Thank you everyone who came from far and near to help us celebrate our 60th anniversary and my 80th birthday. First of all, thanks to our eight children who did all the planning and made it to the Island from all over the world – the first time since Christmas 1999 that we were all together. Thanks also to our relatives and friends who came from Regina, North Bay, Perth, Pembroke and Allumette Island.

Saturday night's anniversary dinner for invited friends and relatives was held at the Trefry Centre that was transformed for the evening with white tablecloths and beautiful flower centerpieces. We had wonderful food and ambience topped off by a very nostalgic slide show done by our granddaughter.

A special thanks to our Island and Soo friends, especially 'Norah's quilting girls', for all their help with the garden party on Sunday for my 80th. The rain held off so we could have an outdoor celebration, complete with the lovely music from the Schryer family, including a bagpipe rendition of Happy Birthday. The Pattersons' Model T Ford 'taxi' ferried everyone up our long driveway; even some of the younger folk decided they needed to experience a ride in a Model T.

Thanks to daughter Kelly, our weekend co-ordinator, and to everyone who helped to give us such wonderful memories, including our relatives, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

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A woman meant to call a record store, but dialed the wrong number and got a private home instead. "Do you have 'Eyes of Blue' and 'A Love Supreme?'" she asked.

"Well, no," answered the puzzled homeowner.

"But I have a wife and eleven children."

"Is that a record?" she inquired, puzzled in her turn.

"I don't think so," replied the man,

"but it's as close as I want to get."

WHAT'S HAPPENING ON ST. JOE

Friday	Hens & Stitches, Dr. Trefry Centre - 10 am to 12 pm Island Cast-a-Weights, Calorie Watchers, Hilton Community Hall (rear door, basmt) - 8:30 am Children's Library - 10 am to 3 pm Story time - 10:30 am Friday Foods Menu available at the Legion - 5 pm to 9 pm AA Meeting, United Church (new addition, side door) - 8 pm
Saturday	Nordic Walking Group, meet at Tranter Park - 10 am Childrens Library - 10 am to 3 pm Hilton Union Public Library - 11 am to 5 pm St. Joseph Twp. Public Library - 1 pm to 5 pm Free pool all day in the Legion lounge Open Air Market - Hilton Beach, Under the yellow tent - 10 am to 2 pm
Sunday	Jocelyn Twp. Historic buildings on Centennial Grounds open 1-4 pm.
Monday	Bridge, Dr. Trefry Centre - 1 pm to 5 pm (Open to all seniors) 60+ Exercise Program, Dr. Trefry Centre - 10:30 am Euchre, Legion Hall - 8 pm (\$3.00 per person) Carpet Bowling for Seniors, Legion - 1 pm Children's Library - 6 pm to 9 pm St. Joseph Twp, Public Library - 6 pm to 9 pm Hilton Union Library - 1 pm to 5 pm & 7 pm to 9 pm
Tuesday	Women's Physical Activities, Public School Gym - 6:30 pm to 8 pm Cribbage (singles), Legion Hall - 7:30 pm (\$3.00 per person) Yoga Drop-In Class - postponed until fall
Wednesday	Pool, Legion - 7:30 pm St. Joseph Twp. Public Library - 9:30 am to 12:30 pm Food Bank, United Church, Richards Landing (side door) - 1 pm to 3 pm Children's Library - 10 am to 3 pm Story time - 10:30 am Dr. Trefry Centre's Day Out Program - 9 am to 4 pm Hilton Union Public Library - 1 pm to 5 pm Bingo, Legion - Doors open 6:30 pm
Thursday	St. Joseph Twp. Public Library - 1 pm to 5 pm and 7 pm to 9 pm Dr. Trefry Centre's Day Out Program - 9 am to 4 pm Children's Library - 10 am to 3 pm Story time - 10:30 am Darts at the Legion (Starting as Open; may change) - 7:30 pm

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