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## Ontario Health Coalition Hosts Public Hearings on Hospital Cuts.

HOSPITAL CUTS AFFECT EVERYONE throughout the province. Here in Algoma, we are well aware of the difficulties facing Sault Area Hospital, as it struggles to work within severe provincial funding constraints.

Inadequate provincial funding that has not kept pace with inflation has resulted in cuts to renal services and cancer care, cuts in the number of hospital beds, cuts in staffing, etc. We are all aware of the overcrowding at the hospital, resulting in longer surgery wait times. The community is still apprehensively waiting to learn how this will affect the future of Matthews Memorial Hospital in Richards Landing.

In response to a major protest of more than 1,000 people at the Ontario Legislature last April, the Minister of Health announced a Panel on Rural and Northern Health Care. While it was understood that this panel would have an independent look at the crisis faced by small and rural hospitals, it is now evident that the panel will not be holding public consultations until after it has finished its work. Moreover the word "hospital" is not included in its mandate nor is there any mention of the crisis that local hospitals across the province are facing.

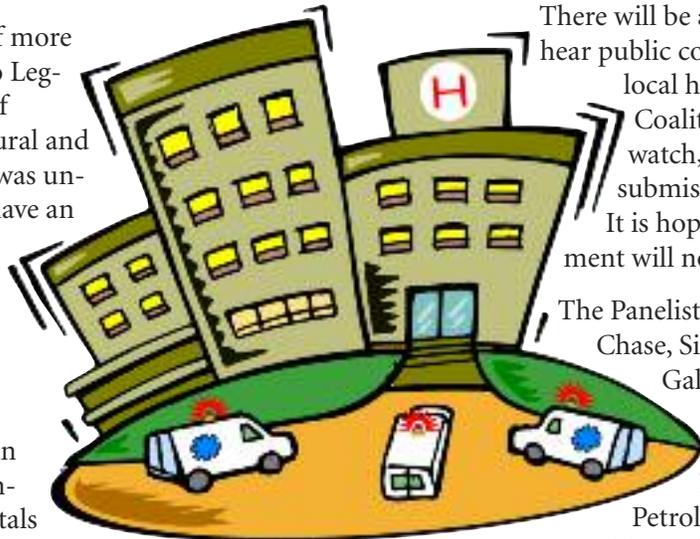
The panel has refused to meet with any patients' groups, municipal groups, community groups, the Ontario Health Coalition, unions and other key stake holders.

The Ontario Health Coalition, a non partisan group committed to maintaining and enhancing our publicly-funded, publicly-administered health care system, is working with

community groups in twelve communities across Ontario to hold democratic Public Hearings on the future of our small, rural and northern hospitals.

The Coalition will collect concerns and ideas from people and groups in every region of the province and create a report, which will be released publicly and brought to the legislature to be given to the Premier and the Health Minister.

**The nearest Public Hearing will be on Friday, March 26 from 3 pm to 6:30 pm at the Johnson Township Arena in Desbarats.**



There will be an expert, non-partisan panel to hear public concerns and ideas regarding our local hospitals. The Ontario Health Coalition encourages everyone to watch, present, or send in a written submission that will go into the report. It is hoped to be a report that the government will not be able to ignore.

The Panelists will include: Dr. Claudette Chase, Sioux Lookout, The Hon. Roger Gallaway, retired Liberal MP for Sarnia Lambton, France Gelinas, MPP and NDP Health Critic, Nickel Belt, Dr. Tim Macdonald, Petrolia, Natalie Mehra, Director, Ontario Health Coalition, Barb Proctor, retired RN, Picton and Kay Tod, Retired RN, Burk's Falls.

**You Are Invited to write a submission or make an oral presentation at the Hearing.**

If you would like to book an oral presentation (7 minutes maximum) please contact the Ontario Health Coalition by 5 o'clock on March 15, 2010. If you would like to make a

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St. Patrick driving the snakes out of Ireland

## St. Joseph's Day Celebration at the Legion!

MAKE A NOTE ON YOUR CALENDAR for Friday, March 19th! That's when our Island Royal Canadian Legion branch will be celebrating St. Joseph's Day, with an "Authentic Polish - style platter" of cabbage rolls (Glompki), Kielbasa, Sauerkraut, and Perogi!

Teresa "Szumski" Parker will be preparing the meal, just as her Mother did, and the generations before. "St. Joseph's Day was always a big day in our family," says Chef Teresa. "My Grandfather's name was Joseph, and Grandma's name was Josephine, so we always made a grand celebration of it! It only seems fitting to celebrate the day known as St Joseph's Day on our island with the same name, and enjoy it with others!"

In Western Christianity, March 19, St. Joseph's Day, the Feast of St. Joseph or Solemnity of Saint Joseph marks the principal feast day of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Virgin Mary. It is a Solemnity in the Roman Catholic Church, a feast in the provinces of the Anglican Communion, and a feast or festival in the Lutheran Church.

Throughout the world, St. Joseph's Day is the Patronal Feast day for people named Joseph, Josephine, etc., and for religious orders, schools and parishes bearing his name, and for carpenters! It is also Father's Day in many predominantly Catholic countries, such as Spain, Portugal, and Italy.

Although traditions vary from country to country around the world, the common theme for celebrating and feasting on St.

### St. Joseph Patron Saint of Real Estate?

There is a very strange practice of burying a plastic St. Joseph to help speed the sale of a home, which dates at least to 1984 in the USA. In 1990 it seemingly became all the rage, with realtors buying plastic saints' statues by the gross. The standard practice calls for the statue to be dug up once the property has sold and placed on the grateful seller's mantle or in another place of honour.



*Statue of St. Joseph on Charles Bridge, Prague (with feathered friend)*

Joseph's Day centres around sharing one's good fortune by giving or serving food to travelers and the less-fortunate members of the community.

So come and help Teresa celebrate this special day, at the Legion. Everyone is welcome! And, in the meantime, no matter what your religious affiliation or faith may be, any day is a good day to celebrate your good fortune by donating badly-needed food to our Food Bank.

We're sure that St. Joseph would definitely approve!

Now, real estate agents, psychics, religious artifact stores, the Home Depot and eBay are all in on the act.

But why Joseph, you ask? Why not another Saint — say, St. Jude, Patron Saint of lost causes? Joseph, Jesus' earthly father, is the patron saint of home and family.

We're not sure that being buried in the yard is quite what St. Joseph had in mind!

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## And speaking of Saints, here's some interesting background on the famous 'Urban Angel' of St. Michael's Hospital in Toronto.

FOR OVER A HUNDRED YEARS, St. Michael's Hospital in downtown Toronto has been providing healthcare to anyone in need - long before Canada instituted 'universal health care' for its citizens.

Founded in 1892 by the Sisters of St. Joseph as a 'charity' hospital, next door to St. Michael's Cathedral, the hospital's image has always been tied closely to its famous statue of St. Michael the Archangel.

Over the years, the statue has been recognized and loved as an inspirational symbol of hope and healing for patients and their families, as well as for those who work and volunteer at "Toronto's Urban Angel".

In 1997, the statue was moved from the hospital's Bond Street lobby, where it stood for many years, to a new location in the newly-constructed Victoria wing.

As the heavy statue was carefully moved away from the wall by a professional moving team, the name "Pietrasanta" could be seen chiseled on the back of the statue. The marble for this statue had come from the same quarry in Italy as the marble that Michaelangelo used for his famous Pieta. The artist and the date of creation of the statue are not known, nor are the details of how it made its way to Canada.

What we do know, however, is that shortly after the Sisters of St. Joseph founded St. Michael's Hospital in 1892, they found the dirty and blackened statue of St. Michael in a pawnshop on Queen Street.

After some vigorous negotiations with the owner of the shop, the Sisters agreed to pay \$49 for the statue of St. Michael - money they had saved from selling old newspapers.

Since that time, the St. Michael's statue has become an important symbol for everyone whose lives are touched by the compassionate care provided by the hospital. Its origin, however, remains a mystery to this day.



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## Carol Fabbro's Salami Bread

- 1 loaf of frozen bread dough
- butter
- salami
- grated mozzarella
- parmesan cheese
- parsley
- garlic salt

Defrost frozen bread dough in a sprayed casserole dish, cover with plastic wrap & leave in the fridge overnight. Let it rise a couple hours on counter in sprayed pan. Flatten out and brush with butter. Layer salami, grated mozzarella cheese, parmesan cheese, parsley, garlic salt. Roll like jelly roll on sprayed cookie sheet. Press seam down and tuck ends in. Bake at 375° for 30 - 35 minutes. Let cool and slice.

*Alternatives - can add a tiny bit of sauce and thinly sliced mozzarella or use butter, cinnamon and brown sugar for a sweet treat.*

**Thanks Carol!**

*Hey out there! Please send us some more recipes so we can continue this column. Pretty please?*

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**Lot 13 Big Point Rd.**

Waterfront with beautiful views of the North Channel on Lake Huron. 330 feet of shoreline, watch the ships go by from your home or cottage. Close to Hilton Beach & marina. Almost 15 acres in total. **\$124,900**



**134 Pumpkin Point Rd.**

Build your dream home or cottage on this very affordable lot. Driveway is in and a cleared area is all ready to build on. Only 25 mins east of Sault Ste. Marie on paved road. Boat launch at end of the road. Well treed. **\$17,500**



**3810 A Line Road, St. Joseph Island**

Cedar chalet features 3 bedrooms up and 1 on main. Main floor laundry room, oak hardwood floors, fully finished basement, 2 full baths. Oversized 2 car garage has heated office and finished playhouse. Several out buildings on this 10 acre lot include maple syrup shack with all you need to make syrup. **\$289,900.00**



**348 ABC Puddingstone Rd. Desbarats**

Exceptional piece of property. Over 260 acres of bush, fields, gardens, creek and pond. Log cabin over looks pond. House is over 2000 sq.ft. Large games rooms with L shaped wet bar and patio door to large wraparound deck. Large detached garage with walkup attic. Plus large barn. **\$549,900.00**



**1216 Gore St. Richards Landing**

Close to beach and marina. This four year old, 3 bedroom bungalow has over 1430 sq ft with open concept living/dining/kitchen. In floor heating plus wood stove, huge master, walk in closet and ensuite, with garden doors to hot tub. **\$269,900.00**



**4198 Old Moffat Bay Rd.**

Waterfront on St. Joseph Island. Beautiful view of Moffat Bay from this two bedroom cottage. Large deck, boat house/could be guest bunkie. Good useable water frontage for swimming or boating. **\$138,500.00**



**1277 Richards St. St. Joseph Island**

Two bedroom bungalow, with some newer windows. One block from beach or marina. Great as a summer getaway or year round home. Town water and sewer. Close to school, hospital and shopping. **\$59,900.00**



**3104 Mark St., Hilton Beach**

Only 1/2 a block to beach and marina. This 3 bedroom home has tons of character with original woodwork. Hardwood floors, huge 3 season porch, newer wiring and plumbing. Town water and sewer. **\$109,900.00**



**537 Military Trail, St. Joseph Island**

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**Lot 28-22 Anjigami Lake**

Beautiful views of Lake Anjigami from this log cottage. Large lake with great fishing and hunting. (Dist 34+35) Good road in or take the railway and get dropped off. Property is over an acre. Land is leased but loads of value in the log cottage. Propane lights & stove. **\$67,000**



**135 Lakeshore Dr. Desbarats**

Waterfront overlooking Brown's Island. Newer roof, oak kitchen, updated gas furnace and central air. Large garage insulated and heated. Large loft area above for future development. New garden shed and gazebo at shore. **\$269,900.00**



**1163 Adcock Dr. St. Joseph Island**

Breathtaking Landscaping surrounds this beautiful cedar 3 bedroom home on the water. Good sized guest house or shop has water and electricity. Beautiful hardwood floors, large master suite with two sided fireplace, very open concept. **\$279,000.00**



**368 Cathcart St. SSM**

Central location close to shopping. This 2 bedroom brick 1 3/4 storey home features newer shingles, newer furnace, updated electrical panel, office or nursery upstairs plus 3rd bedroom in basement. Mostly hardwood floors throughout, parking/fenced yard. **\$89,900.00**



**12 East Champagne Dr. SSM**

Great east end neighbourhood. Perfect home for retired or first time buyers. 960 sq. ft. 2 bedroom plus guest room out back (12x16) features fresh paint, new windows, most flooring, new 4 piece with soaker tub. 26x28 garage insulated and drywalled. Fully fenced yard with above ground pool. **\$189,900.00**



**288 Lane 12 Echo Bay**

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**2032 Canoe Point Road**

St. Joseph Island - Scenic views from this open concept 4 bedroom 3 bathroom home on Gawas Bay. Master with ensuite, main flr laundry. Two car detached garage with bunkie, woodwork-ing shop and art studio. Sandy beach, big dock, minutes from Hilton Beach. **\$499,000.00**



**Lot 3 Peter Lake, Echo Bay**

160.50 acres of privacy with hundreds of acres of crown land around. Several roads/trails, large pond with creek that runs through the property. Just north of Echo Bay off Hwy 638. Great hunting and fishing. Several island lakes close by. Comes with treated logs to build log cottage. **\$99,900**



**3419 Hamilton Bay Rd. St. Joseph Island**

80 acres of field and bush features 2 bed log home with full walkout basmt, several out buildings, with separate corals, beaver pond with creek running through property. Great for horses, or hunt camp. **\$139,900.00**



**456 Pine Island**

Over 150 feet of shoreline on this 2.5 acre lot on Pine Island. Only 25 min to SSM. Year round road, driveway with turn around and power to site. Waterfront sheltered from Island. Build your dream home or cottage. **\$159,900.**



**9 Taylor St, Bruce Mines**

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**1960 Shore Rd. St. Joseph Island**

200 feet of shoreline. On paved year round road, nice sand beach, newer septic system, shed and guest bunkie. Cottage has character with large covered porch. Newer electrical panel. Faces west for beautiful sunsets. Half log exterior. **\$190,000**



**3079 Hilton Rd. Hilton Beach**

Excellent retirement or summer home. Large marina and beach mins. away. Newer kitchen, baths, furnace plus wood stove insert. Formal dining room and hardwood floors. Main floor master as a family room with garden doors to deck. Large yard. **\$119,900.00**



**Lot 44 Mamainse Lake, Batchewana Bay**

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**1202 Gore St. Richards Landing**

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**1203 Gore St. St. Joseph Island**

Prime location downtown Richards Landing. Extensively updated building all wiring and 200 amp panel, windows, refinished hwd. flrs. Main room is approx. 1032 sq. ft. with 11 ft. ceilings. Large deck at front with wheelchair access, office area and workspace off the main room. Parking out front plus out back. **\$169,900.00**



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## Report from East Algoma/Thessalon OPP

### Bruce Mines ‘Break & Enter’

East Algoma – Thessalon OPP report a ‘Break & Enter’ at a Taylor Street residence in Bruce Mines.

The break and enter occurred sometime between February 22 and March 3, 2010. Suspects entered the residence, causing extensive damage throughout the home. The damage amount and items stolen is still being tabulated.

### From Blind River OPP: Blind River Attempted Robbery

Blind River OPP are seeking assistance from the public in identifying the person responsible for an attempted robbery in Blind River. On February 16, 2010 at approximately 9:30 p.m. a female was walking home with her dog on Huron Avenue in Blind River, when she was approached from behind, knocked to the ground and the bag she was carrying ripped open. The OPP canine unit was brought in, but was unsuccessful in locating the suspect.

If you have any information on either crime, please call Crime Stoppers at 705-942-7867 or 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or on their website at [www.saultcrimestoppers.com](http://www.saultcrimestoppers.com).

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by George Skardis

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If you have free email provided by MSN Hotmail, Yahoo, or Google, forgetting an email password is very, very serious. Free email means no technical support. As a safety measure, free email services will reset the email password once personal information has been correctly entered on-line and a secret question has been answered. If you cannot provide this information, you have only one choice: sign-up for a new free email address. When signing up for free email, take the extra time to accurately record your email password, personal information, and secret question plus answer.

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61 fish were caught: 5 pike and 56 perch. No splake again this year!

## Winners of the open division were:

1st	Kendra Ledyit	2.14 lb. pike
2nd	Nathan Bourgoin	2.8 lb. pike
3rd	Jaze St. Pierre	2.7 lb. pike

We'd like to once again thank our Sponsors. This free event wouldn't happen without them. Also, to all who came out to help us put this event on and, last but not least, the baking that comes in never ceases to amaze us.

## A VERY BIG THANK YOU!

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Hunters & Anglers will be having a general meeting on Mar 11 at 8 pm. Come and learn how Fire Smart pertains to Hunters & Anglers

There are a couple of tables still available to rent for craft sales at the Maple Syrup Festival on the second weekend – April 10th & 11th. If you are interested in showcasing your crafts or products, please call Kathy at 246-2381.

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## Notice to Creditors

ALL PERSONS having claims against the Estate of Wilma Roberta Stevens, late of Richards Landing, District of Algoma, who died August 15, 2009, are required to file them with the undersigned on or before the 1st day of April, 2010, after which date the Estate will be distributed having regard only to claims then received.

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## Friday Night Foods at the Legion

Joe Cardinal will be cooking the regular menu

The Ross Phillips Band will be the evening's entertainment.

*Come on out and enjoy good food and try your luck on the meat draw!*

Jocelyn Recreation will be having their annual Irish Stew Supper on Saturday, March 13th from 5 - 8 pm at the Jocelyn Township Hall. Cost is \$10. per adult and \$5. for children under 12 years. Come enjoy some homemade stew, biscuits, dessert and beverages with your family and friends. For further information call 246-2025

Don't miss the Vintage Snowmobile Roundup in Hilton Beach, Saturday March 13, starting at 10 am. Everyone and all machines welcome!

The Children's Library is having a Chili Supper from 5 -7 pm on Wed. Mar. 24 at the Harmony St. Marks United Church in the Fellowship Hall. Take-out is available and cost is by donation.

Children all ages, please come celebrate St. Patrick's Day, Wed. Mar. 17 at the Children's Library, 10:30 - 12. We'll have Leprechaun stories, games, crafts and snacks. We might even find a pot of gold. Contact 246-2877 for more info.

The Parent & Teacher Group from St. Joseph Island Central School and the Jocelyn Recreation Committee are making an order for biodegradable products. With more orders we could get a better price and we could share the shipping costs. Please check the website: [www.wastereductionstore.com](http://www.wastereductionstore.com). If you would like to join us with an order please call Gabriella Helbling 246-0346.

Watch for our fresh bouquets of daffodils for sale! The local branch of the Canadian Cancer Society will have daffodils available Wed. March 24 at various locations. Also, we are in need of volunteers for our annual residential canvass. Honour someone by giving your time. Members meet Tues. March 16- 1:30 pm - Harmony - St. Marks Church Hall. All welcome! Contact is Joan Bishop 246-2387

The World Day of Prayer was celebrated at St. Boniface Catholic Church on March 5 with members of most Island churches in attendance. The organizing committee would like to thank all who participated in this inspirational and informative evening.

The Quilt Challenge for the WI Quilt Show in Richards Landing July 30, 31 and August 1, 2010 has the theme of "O Canada' 'What Canada Means to Me". It is to be a quilted item which could be a wall hanging, tote, table runner, purse or other item as long as the perimeter does not exceed 280 cm or 110 inches and it must contain at least one maple leaf design. Bring entries to the public school from 7-9 pm July 29th. Fasten an envelope on the back with your name, address and phone #. Prizes will be awarded. All entries welcome. For info contact Norah at 246-1084 or Maria ([mariajsmith@hotmail.com](mailto:mariajsmith@hotmail.com)).

The Children's Library of Richards Laning is in need of children's books for the White Elephant Sale at the Maple Syrup Festival. Please call 246-2777 or drop off at Moose Sweats in Richards Landing.

Pasta Dinner at CASS on Wednesday, March 10, 4 to 7 pm. Come out and enjoy a delicious meal of penne and meatballs, salad, and fresh bread for only \$7/person. Proceeds will help send 20 CASS dancers to the Pulse Dance Conference in Toronto in May.

Do you hand quilt? You are needed to help quilt the quilt to be raffled by Matthews Memorial Hospital Auxiliary at the Richards Landing Community Night. Proceeds support Matthews Memorial Hospital. Come meet friends and let your skills be appreciated. Quilting starts March 12th at Harmony St. Marks church hall, Richards Landing. For information call 246-2082.

Hilton Community Projects Committee is holding their annual Childrens' Easter Party on Sunday, March 21st from 1:30 to 3 pm at the Hilton Township Office, 2983 Base Line, Hilton Beach. Crafts, treats and a free colour photo of each young person with the Easter Bunny! All kids are welcome!

## OBITUARY

**Beula Stewart** (nee Matheson) long time St. Joe's Island resident died peacefully at the West End Villa Nursing Home in Ottawa on March 4th 2010. Beula leaves behind many

friends from the Island and the Soo as well as her nieces, nephews, and family. She will be missed and remembered by so many people she has touched over her life.

## CHURCH SERVICES

**Saturday:**  
St. Boniface Roman Catholic, Hilton Beach at 4:30 pm.

**Sunday:**  
Holy Trinity Anglican, Jocelyn at 11 am.

Free Methodist, 10th Side Rd. Come for coffee, tea and friendship at 10:30 am. Worship service 11 am.

Island Bible Chapel, Richards Landing. Lord's Supper 10 am, Family Bible Hour 11:15 am.

Grace United, Hilton Beach. 9:30 am.

Harmony St. Marks United, Richards Landing. 11 am.

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<b>Saturday</b>	Childrens Library - 10 am to 3 pm Story time - 10:30 am Hilton Union Public Library - 1 pm to 5 pm St. Joseph Twp. Public Library - 1 pm to 5 pm Free pool all day in the Legion lounge Nordic Walking Group - Meets at 10 am Vintage Snowmobile Roundup - 10 am - Hilton Beach
<b>Sunday</b>	
<b>Monday</b>	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 St. Joseph Twp, Public Library - 6 pm to 9 pm Hilton Union Library - 3 pm to 5 pm & 7 pm to 9 pm Children's Library - 6 pm to 8 pm Seniors Walking Program - Legion, 9 - Noon
<b>Tuesday</b>	CAPC Play & Learn Best Start Hub - 9:30 to 11:30 am, Free Methodist Church Women's Physical Activities, Public School Gym - 6:30 pm to 8 pm Cribbage (singles), Legion Hall - 7:30 pm (\$3.00 per person) Quilting - 1-3 pm, Downstairs Hilton Hall except the 3rd week held at the Trefry Centre.
 <b>Wednesday</b>	Bridge, Dr. Trefry Centre - 1 pm to 5 pm (Open to all seniors) 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 - 9 am to 12 pm Story time - 10:30 am Hilton Union Public Library - 1 pm to 5 pm Seniors Walking Program - Legion, 9 - Noon Ski or Snowshoe Social - Mountain View Trails - 1:30 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	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 - 9 am to 12 pm Story time - 10:30 am 3:30 - 5 pm Darts at the Legion (Starting as Open; may change) - 7:30 pm Seniors Card Night = 7 pm - Dr. Trefry Centre

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