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## We've Found Some Golden Oldies - Apples That Is

Last year was very challenging for the Algoma Lost Apple Project but, with help, we did manage to sample and tag one of the oldest surviving orchards on St. Joseph Island. And we found some treasures. As Paul Kron, Research Assistant at the Dr. Brian Husband Lab at the University of Guelph puts it, "We saw things we hadn't yet seen anywhere else, including Charlamoff, a winter-hardy Russian variety good for both cooking and eating fresh, and Hibernial, a tart, astringent apple suited for saucing or drying." Another Algoma find is Liveland Raspberry (AKA Lowland Raspberry), an early-maturing apple that we know was being sold from the Tait Nursery in 1916. Donna Hadden (nee Haight) tells me that the Liveland was her favourite apple growing up.

According to the publication Fruit Trees of Ontario 1906, "Charles Young, Richards Landing, Ont." recommended growing in Algoma District for "Commercial and Domestic: Astrachan, Transparent, Duchess, Charlamoff, Gideon, Longfield, Wealthy, Scott Winter" varieties of apples. Three of these, we have yet to find – Gideon, Astrachan and Longfield. It would also be lovely to find a Peach of Montreal and/or a Shiawassee, both of which were sold by Tait.

It is my hope that with the help of volunteers, we will be able to collect samples from perhaps a couple of hundred old trees in orchards that still exist just here on St. Joseph Island. Once the samples have been taken and properly dried, they will keep for years if necessary, until we can secure funding to have the DNA testing done. Individuals can still do this and pay the \$20 per tree fee to have their tree(s) tested. One of the volunteers in the group,



can help guide you through the process. If someone does go ahead on their own, it would be appreciated if they would let Paul Kron know that he can share the results with the Algoma Lost Apple Project. He wouldn't need to give us any identifying information as to location or ownership.

As Paul put it in his letter of support for our funding request, the Ontario Heritage and Feral Apple Project being conducted by the Dr. Husband Lab at the University of Guelph "is a project with a strong citizen science component, with the general objective of improving our knowledge about the distribution of abandoned orchards, historic trees, and native crabapples (*Malus coronaria*) in Ontario. We are interested in the persistence of heritage trees, and the interaction

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APPLE...cont from cover

between feral apples (trees growing “wild” from seeds) and both commercial plantings and native populations. Aside from compiling data about tree and orchard locations, we provide a genetic testing service that matches trees of unknown identity to known cultivars in our database. While we do not directly test for traits associated with specific uses (e.g. cider or dessert apples), the results provide identification of less common cultivars and parental information for feral trees, including trees that may have caught the interest of local groups because of their appealing characteristics. The results also give insight into historical planting patterns for a region, all of which may be of interest to local grassroots business and cultural groups. The Algoma project has already inspired another group in the Haliburton area to launch a similar project.”

Another goal is to obtain soft wood cuttings from the owners of the heritage trees that we have found to start new trees by grafting them onto hardy rootstock. That way they will live on.

We would welcome information and interest from owners of old orchards on the mainland as many old orchards grew there. Perhaps you know what varieties your tree are. That would be great. If you would like to be a part of the project, you can contact Sheila Campbell at 705-246-3078 or lostapple-aloma@gmail.com.

In partnership with the Jocelyn Recreation Committee and the St. Joseph Island Horticultural Society, an apple tree pruning workshop and work bee is being held at the Jocelyn Township Centennial Grounds (corner of the P Line and Hwy 548) on Saturday May 7th from 1-4 pm. Come and learn. Come and help rejuvenate the old trees by the House of History. For information contact Laurie 705-246-2753 or Sheila 705-246-3078.

Sheila Campbell, Project Coordinator  
Algoma Lost Apple Project



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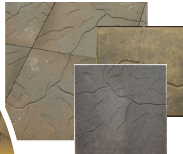
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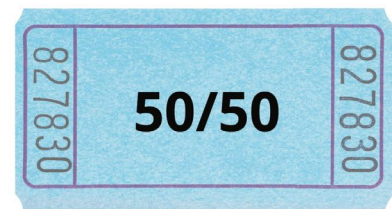
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## Crossword - solution pg 11

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### ACROSS

- 1 Accountant
- 4 Throat infection
- 9 Gossip
- 12 Downwind
- 13 Bowed stringed instrument
- 14 North American country
- 15 Serving of corn
- 16 Widely known
- 17 Sky
- 18 Unhappy animal sound
- 20 Turkish
- 22 Dined
- 24 Elver
- 25 Wicked act
- 29 Man-made fiber
- 33 Won
- 34 African antelope
- 36 Huge whale
- 37 Brings in a fish
- 39 Not septic
- 41 The \_\_\_ (final word)
- 43 \_\_\_ Lanka
- 44 More decrepit
- 48 Tangle
- 52 Panama
- 53 Large instrument
- 55 French "yes"
- 56 And so forth
- 57 Organic compound
- 58 Internal Revenue Service
- 59 Tree
- 60 Thick soups
- 61 Tiny mark

### DOWN

- 1 Gadfly
- 2 Fruit
- 3 Air (prefix)
- 4 Trim
- 5 Twitching
- 6 Rolled chocolate candy brand
- 7 Excite
- 8 Wooden-soled sandal
- 9 Small island
- 10 East
- 11 Farm building
- 19 Walked like a duck
- 21 Site of ancient Olympic games
- 23 Electroencephalograph (abbr.)
- 25 Damage
- 26 Frozen water
- 27 Find
- 28 Cell stuff
- 30 Tons
- 31 Kimono sash
- 32 New York City
- 35 Ship initials
- 38 Shoots covertly
- 40 Mistakes
- 42 Freethinker
- 44 Popular stadium
- 45 Food
- 46 \_\_\_-a-sketch
- 47 Kph
- 49 Gap
- 50 European monetary unit
- 51 Itemize
- 54 Fresh

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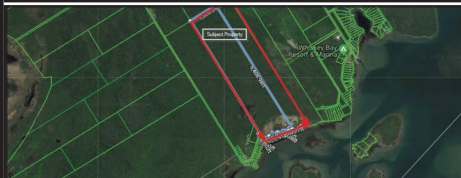
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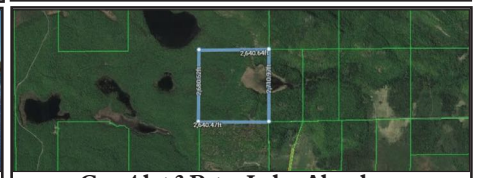
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**Sudoku - solution on pg 11**

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### WANTED

We are looking for a 3 bedroom in the Sterling Bay Area from August 6-13 or August 6-20. 4 adults and one baby. No pets. Please contact me at dkluxton@bell.net.

Wanted dry maple firewood. I bought a pizza oven and I need dry wood so I can use it right away. I would need it to be cut & split at least 1 year ago. Even small amount would be good. Call Mark at 705-206-3798.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

AlgomaTrad presents Vin-ta - Old Town Hall May 7th, 7:30pm, and Jane & Kyle - AlgomaTrad Centre Pavilion May 16th. Children 10 & under are welcome at no cost. Tickets for each concert available online [www.algomatrad.ca](http://www.algomatrad.ca) or at the Island Market. \$25/adult, \$20/seniors & students

RCL Br 374 Honours and Awards Banquet and Presentations Saturday, May 14, 2022. Cocktails at 5:30 p.m.; Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Chicken Parmesan Catered by Jessica Duplin. Tickets are \$25 and available at the Branch

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The St. Joseph island and Area FOODBANK Opening hours 1 - 3 every Wednesday at Harmony-St. Mark's United Church, Richards Landing

The Great Northern Ontario Roadshow with Science North is looking for vendors at the Richards Landing Marina show on May 28th from 12-3pm.

Vendor spots are free and are for artists, businesses, service organizations, local restaurants and more! Email [community@stjoseph-township.com](mailto:community@stjoseph-township.com) for a link to the vendor form.

Camp McDougall... Attention!! There is a new camp this year. A 1 week Teen Out-Trip! For campers ages 12-16, from July 31 to August 5th, 2022. This will be a 3 night adventure in the wilderness, canoeing, tenting, campfires, and lots of outdoor adventures. There will be a day and night at Camp McDougall doing training and preparing for the Out-Trip with trained staff to help with the organizing of the trip. A list of items needed for the trip will be supplied along with a registration form. The cost of this adventure is \$385.00 per teen.... with all food and camping supplies being provided. So don't hesitate to register if you think this is for you. Contact Steve Mullins. [smullins1@shaw.ca](mailto:smullins1@shaw.ca). All other regular camps are offered as in the past years. These camps are open to all children and teens ages 6 to 17. For this information, go to [www.campmcdougall.com](http://www.campmcdougall.com) Financial assistance for all camps is available through the St Joseph Island United Churches. For this information call Lorrena at 705-246-2103 or e-mail Joan at [ross.joan.bishop@gmail.com](mailto:ross.joan.bishop@gmail.com)

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our very own Algoma District Butterflyway Ranger Carly will be presenting about the project in Algoma via ZOOM at the upcoming meeting of the St. Joseph Island Horticultural Society at 7 pm on May 5th. You can attend in person to watch Carly on the big screen or join us via ZOOM. Local Rangers Lois and Anne will be in attendance at the United Church, Richards Street, Richards Landing.

If attending in person, masking will be required in order to protect everyone.

If you wish to join us by ZOOM, please email Sandie at [bs.leith@bell.net](mailto:bs.leith@bell.net) to receive an invite with connection details.

It was good to see old friends at the April meeting. Hope to see more of you in May.

APH Safe Food Handler's Course Thursday, May 12th, 9:30a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Johnson Township Community Centre Hosted by the Johnson Farmers' Market for more info or to register contact [jtfarmersmarket@gmail.com](mailto:jtfarmersmarket@gmail.com)

Apple Tree Pruning Workshop Saturday May 7, 1 - 4 pm Mountainview Centennial Grounds, Jocelyn Twp (parking area by the sliding hill) 3670 5th Side Road Come out and learn how to rejuvenate old apple trees in a hands-on approach. As a community we will prune some of the apple trees on the township property to contribute to the Mountainview Heritage Orchard Rejuvenation Project (more information on this project to come in the Island Clippings). Bring pruning shears, loppers or pruning saws if you have them. We welcome both those with experience to share their knowledge, and those new to apple tree pruning. For more information call Laurie Thompson 705-246-2753 or Sheila Campbell 705-246-3078

## Friday Food Special at The Legion

### This Friday

Turkey Dinner by Shawn L.

5pm - 7pm in the Hall

Nostalgia

**Cash Only**  
**ATM on site**

Reservations recommended on nights with specials

705-246-2494

Try your luck on our Meat Raffle

**Everyone Welcome!**

Coming up

May 13 - Regular Menu  
Music by Ezee Country

### EMPLOYMENT OPP

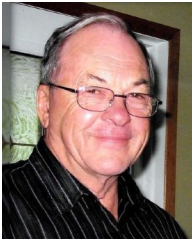
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Student Summer Employment St. Joseph Island Museum is accepting applications for summer student employment. 30 hrs. a week @ \$15.25 hr. Interested students are invited to send a cover letter and resume to [laveramc@gmail.com](mailto:laveramc@gmail.com) or mail to Lavera Crack P.O. Box 59 Hilton Beach, P0R 1G0



## CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Celebration of Life  
Family and friends are invited to  
share in celebrating the life of  
Harvey Stevens May 28, 2022.  
Hilton Beach Community Centre.  
Come and go reception 5-7 light  
refreshments.



## Crossword solution

C	P	A		S	T	R	E	P		G	A	B
L	E	E		V	I	O	L	A		U	S	A
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## Sudoku solution

7	8	9	3	6	5	1	4	2
2	3	5	1	8	4	9	6	7
1	6	4	9	2	7	8	5	3
4	7	6	8	5	2	3	1	9
8	9	3	6	7	1	4	2	5
5	1	2	4	9	3	7	8	6
6	4	7	5	3	8	2	9	1
3	5	1	2	4	9	6	7	8
9	2	8	7	1	6	5	3	4

### Hope In Times Like These:

#### Our Approach to Life - a Choice

"Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and  
spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your  
to the LORD. Giving thanks always for all things  
unto GOD and the Father in the name of our LORD  
JESUS CHRIST;" -Eph. 5: 19,20 .

*I have a song that Jesus gave me,  
It was sent from heaven above;  
There never was a sweeter melody ,  
'Tis a melody of love.*

*In my heart there rings a melody ,  
There rings a melody with heaven's harmony;  
In my heart there rings a melody;  
There rings a melody of love. - Elton M. Roth -*

Hope in God. Choose to Follow HIM.

## VISIT MOOSE SWEATS FIRST!

AMAZING NEW ARRIVALS :

DRESSES

IRISH SWEATERS

BOOKS

*including Historic St. Joseph Island  
by Bayliss books have finally arrived.*

*\$25.00 each.*

### HOURS

MONDAY TO SATURDAY 11-4 SUNDAY 12-4



246-2777

RICHARDS LANDING

## Classified Ads and Announcements

The Island Clippings is pleased to publish personal Classified Advertising and Public Service Announcements of 50 words or less, free of charge to Island residents, as a community service. Other than personal for sale ads the announcement must be of value to the community. We reserve the right to decide if the ad is of service to the community.

Ads or announcements for non-residents or items or services, to be sold for profit, or generate income or events charging an entrance fee (which includes "not for profit organizations") as well as items valued at over \$1,000, will incur a nominal charge of \$10, plus HST. We reserve the right to determine if a fee is required. We reserve the right to edit down to 50 words or less.

Ads or announcements will appear in one issue, but may be repeated, at your request (space permitting). Advertiser must resubmit ad each week. To ensure space for everyone, please limit your content to a maximum of 50 words. Ads can be placed by: Email to: [islandclippings@gmail.com](mailto:islandclippings@gmail.com) or by phone 249 525-7470 (from 9 – 5, Mon-Thurs)

Mail to: Island Clippings  
2328 Huron Line, Richards Landing, ON P0R 1J0  
Or for non timely ads simply put it in our pick-up box located at The Hilton Beach Waterfront Centre.

*Sorry, we're not available on Sundays.*

## Children's Corner

This weeks submission is from Sapphire age 5 - Duck in the pond

We do believe we have printed at least one picture from everyone who sent one in (you can send more than 1 if you'd like) so we need new submissions! If we did miss you just let us know and we'll get it printed!



If you have a drawing, poem, short story or anything else you'd like featured here by all means send to [islandclippings@gmail.com](mailto:islandclippings@gmail.com) - if we don't get to it right away it's only because we have others to publish first