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PSW Outreach Program Update



File phoot from Island Tri Sport

We would like to give a big thank you to all of the generous community members and organizations who have given both time and money to support our local PSW program. There are many worthy projects and programs that rely on local donations to enhance the delivery of a particular service or a much-needed piece of equipment for our local healthcare system. It is therefore extra special to us when people fund-raise specifically for our program. Making pies! Holding teas! The Lions Club Dance! Chair Yoga! Many organizations, such as ARCH, have a salaried full-time fund raiser. We have our community! We also have Stacie Koch, our RN, who, on her own time has created a really fun all day sport event called Trisport.

The PSW Outreach program was funded on a yearly basis with monies from Algoma District Services Administration Board with the understanding that

we would be able to secure funding from the provincial healthcare system within four years. We have not been successful to date. The case we continually presented to Ontario Health and the MOH was that our catch-

ment has a serious gap in assisted living, general PSW services, and lower acuity services such as homemaking, laundry, meal prep etc – essentially the wrap around services that allow people to stay in their homes where they want to be. We have been informed that there is neither money to fund our program, nor is there money to create assisted living spots. There is some acknowledgement that services from Sault Ste. Marie do not come to our catchment but no plan to change that.

Going forward, our plan is to stretch our remaining budget as long as possible in hopes of securing a funding source. We are therefore offering services to St. Joseph Island residents only. Our program will continue to offer respite, homemaking, meal prep etc for those people either not eligible for services with the province, or who need those services but don't have access to them.

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PSW continued from cover

We will have further updates while we scale down our program and determine a timeline and a budget for our future.

- Janet McLeod







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Bernie



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Caregiver Resources

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Safety Tips

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Local Activities

All ages are











Health Network





ST. JOSEPH ISLAND MUSEUM MOMENT

I thought this might be an interesting topic to research since we are approaching autumn and the harvest season. Many people have some preconceived notions of nineteenth century dining traditions, our mind wanders to the early settler, pioneer or homesteader out in the wilderness living in a primitive log structure. It was a life full of hardships, no roads for easy travel and communication, they were no doubt small settlements sheltered from the outside world. Any thought of dining traditions of early Ontarians one thinks of bland soups and stews, dense breads, dried meat and hard tack. Though it's partly true, it is not entirely historically accurate. In larger urban settings that were developing rather quickly exposure to outside influences through immigration of settlers, importation of books and magazines and contact with families from "back home" were influencing and shaping the dining habits of Ontarians. Many were familiar with the tastes and styles of larger cities, therefore they were not merely classless when they arrived to carve out a new life. They were a community determined to recreate customs and habits of the old world. A fair amount of early Island settlers came from urban settings and they brought some traditions with them and during this demanding lifestyle they discovered that not all traditions transferred to the wilds of Ontario. The ritual of taking afternoon tea and a light snack grew in popularity in the last half of the 19th century, its widespread popularity and consumption was made possible through a gradual decrease in prices, and prior to that it was mostly enjoyed by the upper class or people living in urban centres. It was a way to chat with friends and catch up on gossip. Afternoon tea was virtually unheard of in backwoods settlements. Pioneer women simply did not have the leisure time. They felt it impractical to travel great distances for a cup of tea. Tea and coffee in the backwoods were usually considered a luxury and difficult to obtain. It was because of these reasons that bees became a more social custom for pioneers. October and November were very busy months in the backwoods. Food for the winter had to be harvested and stored in the cellar, candles had to be made and animals that couldn't be fed throughout the winter had to be slaughtered and the meat smoked or salted to preserve it. Sometimes these tasks were too big for the family so a neighbourhood bee was held to get work done. Everyone looked forward to getting together to pare apples, husk corn and guilt. It was not just because the task was being completed but it was a get together for all ages to socialize before the long winter.

More on pioneer harvest in the next moment.

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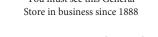












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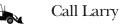
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Sudoku - solution on page 11

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THANK YOU

St. Boniface church extends a huge thank-you to our incredible community of volunteers who came out to the Legion Tuesday morning to join the legendary Perogie Squad! What a fantastic time—we rolled, stuffed, and packaged 100 +/- dozen perogies together. You truly put the "U" in volunteers!

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