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## February 1st, 2nd and 3rd, 2019

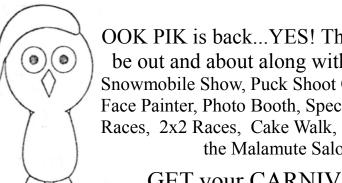


The Onaping Falls News volunteers were on holidays! Thank you for your patience with the late release of Januarys edition.

Some of our regular articles will be back in February and we will also have some new highlights!

Keep your eyes open for our February issue

If you would like to contribute or have something to share please feel free to call 705-662-9095 and let us know!



OOK PIK is back...YES! The original OOKPIK will be out and about along with Bonhomme Carnival! Snowmobile Show, Puck Shoot Out, Bounce Houses, Face Painter, Photo Booth, Specialty Bingo, Snow Shoe Races, 2x2 Races, Cake Walk, Pancake Breakfast and the Malamute Saloon!

GET your CARNIVAL Button for \$5

#### Friday February 1st ~ Opening Ceremonies **Dowling Leisure Centre 6pm**

Saturday February 2nd ~ Onaping Curling Club, Onaping Community Centre and the Russell Beaudry Open Air Rink

Saturday February 2nd ~ **Join us at the Malamute Saloon** Dowling Leisure Centre 8pm \$10 entry

Music by 'OUTSIDER' Sunday February 3rd ~ Dowling Leisure Centre

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#### **Nickel Belt Outstanding Citizens have been announced!**

Every year 20 Nickel Belt— Greater Sudbury residents are selected to highlight their outstanding contribution to our community. On December 18th, 2018 the following Onaping Falls Residents were selected to receive this honourable award.

Congratulations to Emily Getchell of Onaping and Carmen Portelance of Dowling. Both of these women have been strong and respected community members who have given many years their time to help in community events.







# 1,2,3,FORE!

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Men's night Hole in One contest jackpot is growing!

\*some restrictions apply

Men's Night—Tuesday Evenings Sr. Ladies—Wednesday Mornings

Sr. Men's—Thursday Mornings Thirsty Nighters—Open to all Thursday Evenings

Couple's Night—Friday Evenings Many more Special Events!



#### Our Huskies have been busy so far this season.

**Thank you** to the community support with all of the OFMHA Team fundraisers and business donations.

All divisions have a sound of tournaments already complete.



All divisions have a couple of tournaments already complete.

# Onaping Falls Minor Hockey Association





The Novice Huskies (above) have done 2 local tournaments so far. The Rayside Tournament they were finalists and in Coniston they were

## Tournament Champs! CONGRATULATIONS!

One more tournament this winter! First time in Kirkland Lake. Good Luck!

Good job Onaping Falls Peewee Huskies. On December 18th they volunteered at Falls Food . Learning about our local food bank, how it works and what our volunteers do every month at the food bank. Thank you to the Food Bank volunteers for all their hard work.

The Peewee Huskies (Below) have competed in the Rayside Tournament and were finalists. They also competed in the Steel Blades Tournament in the Sault They played hard but lost in the semi final game. This team has 2 more tournaments this winter. Sturgeon Falls in January and Coldwater in February. Good Luck!



O.F.M.H.A. News ~ The Atom Huskies competed in the Coniston tournament as well. They played hard but did not move on to the finals. They have the Sturgeon Falls tournament in January and another tournament in the Sault in February. **LET'S GO HUSKIES**!

The Bantam Huskies also competed in the Rayside Tournament and have the Coniston Tournament to look forward to!

**GOOD LUCK!** 



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at the LEVACK ARENA Friday Nights from 7pm to 8pm

#### **EVERYONE WELCOME**

FREE Program runs until March 31st, 2019



# **Gerry Montpellier**

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#### **Onaping Falls Branch 503** 1 St James, Onaping, ON 705-966-2387

Legion

Email: Branch503@eastlink.ca





#### Happy New Year from the Executives and Staff at Onaping Falls Branch 503

On behalf of Branch 503, I extend a heartfelt Thank You to all our Members, our Ladies' Auxiliary, and our Patrons for a busy and successful 2018. With your support we were able to contribute to many Veteran and community needs, our local youth and sport programs, and to do much needed building upgrades. Our Branch looks forward to serving our Veterans and our community in 2019!

Sincerely, John Getchell M.B. ~ President



**BRANCH 503 LEGION** 



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OR

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#### **BOOK YOUR SPECIAL EVENT at Onaping Falls Branch 503**

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#### Weekly Events at Branch 503

7:00 pm Mixed Pool ~ in the Club Room ~ \$5.00 Monday Tuesday 7:00 pm Bean Bags ~ in the Club Room ~ \$5.00 7:00 pm Dart League ~ - in the Club Room ~ \$7.00 Thursday Join the League or Spare In Thursday Euchre - Upstairs in the Hall ~ \$10.00 7:30 pm 3:00 pm Porquetta Bingo ~ in the Club Room ~ \$15.00 Saturday

Monday to Friday ~ 4:00 pm to closing Club Room Hours: Saturday ~ 1:00 pm to closing

Sunday ~ 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm

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#### Johnny CASH night in Onaping Friday April 12, 2019

Canada's most critically acclaimed tribute to Johnny Cash! The Ring Of Fire: A Johnny Cash Experience It doesn't get any better than cheap beers, a friendly atmosphere, dancing with friends and 2 hours of Johnny Cash greatest hits!

The band is currently on tour to specifically support Royal Canadian Legion Halls. The young generation of today need to know the importance of our Legions and the community benefits they offer to our Veterans & their families. Every year 11 Branches close their doors forever due to lack of funding and support. That is 11 doors that close on our Canadian Military Veterans. Our mission is to prevent that from happening.

Tickets available ONLINE - www,experiencecash.com or in person at the Legion Hall. \$20 ea. in advance or \$25 ea. at the door.

Sound System, Lighting & Stage Production is fully sponsored by expert island. www.expertisland.com



#### Join The Royal Canadian Legion Onaping Falls Branch 503 Annual Membership is Only \$50

Every Member makes a difference in the lives of Veterans, their families, our youth, and our communities! Branch 503 donates thousands of dollars each year for specialized medical equipment, youth organizations, local activities, sports teams and individuals in need of assistance.

> Pick up a Membership Form at the Legion or Contact us at 705-966-2387

#### ~ THANK YOU for Supporting Branch 503 ~

Members participating in 2019 Legion Activities must have Dues Paid by December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018.



## WE ARE HERE TO HELP!

Our Community Office Team is available to help residents of Nickel Belt in areas such as:

- Birth Certificates and Certificates of Marriage
- Commissioner of Oath Stamp
- Congratulatory Messages (Birthdays, Anniversaries, Special Accomplishments)
- Family Responsibility Office
- Health Services (Home Care, Ontario Drug Benefit, Travel Grants)
- Ministry of Transportation (Licensing, Medical Review)
- Social Services

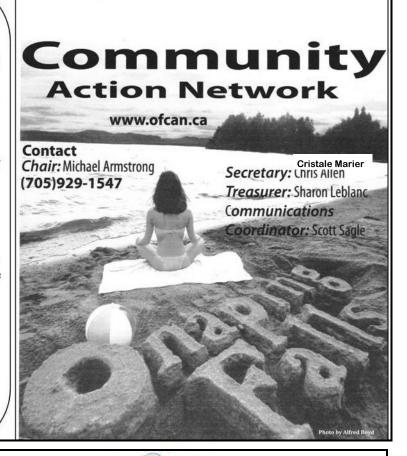
# Volunteers Needed

The Onaping Falls Community Action Network (O.F.C.A.N.) in conjunction with the Greater City of Sudbury are considering the following new projects for Levack and/or Onaping and/or Dowling:

- ~ Community Gardens (edible or floral)
- ~ Community Bike Path (s)
- ~ Dog Park (s)
- ~ Greater Sudbury Community Centre User fee Cost Parity
- ~ Basic Computer Skills Training
- ~ Community Park benches
- ~ Seniors Rapport (Fall avoidance seminars, etc)
- ~ Community garage Sale
- ~ Community Beautification Committee

If any of these projects appeal to you and you would look to assist in making them happen in your community please contact Michael Armstrong at 705-966-2767 or email us a onapingfallscan@gmail.com.

If you have another project in mind that could help improve our community please contact us and we can help make it happen. We can provide liaison with appropriate city officials, help arrange release of city resources and can help arrange funding but without volunteers, projects will be shelved until resources become available.



Why don't you give Elsa a balloon?

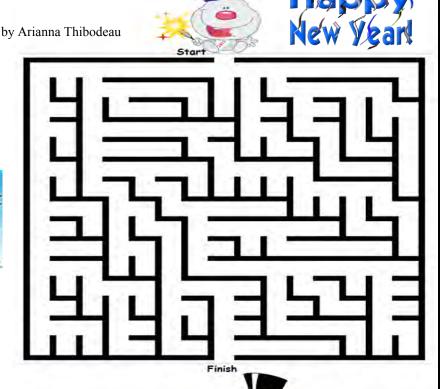
Cuz she will Let It Go!



What do Snowmen like to do on the weekend?



CHILL OUT!





# Moments That Matter

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## Golden Age Club

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#### Monday:

CRIBBAGE - 1:00 pm- Open POOL- 1:pm Call -Harvey 705-855-4223 **YOGA**with Jana 6:pm free to members non members \$5.00 Contact Melinda 705-966 2379

#### **Tuesday:**

**CARDSPay me & 31**- 12:30 pm - Open POOL 1:pm Open

#### **Wednesday:**

**LINE DANCING - 10:am** 

Contact- Lillian Xilon 705-855-9255

**Euchre** 1:00 pm -Open

#### Thursday:

CARDS 1:00 pm - Open

POOL 1:pm- 6 Ball Snooker (new to Club)

POOL 6:30 pm Ladies Pool

#### Friday:

**OPEN MUSIC JAM** -Every third Friday Contact Jim 705-966-0137

**POOL – OPEN** 7:pm

Contact - Larry 705-966-3932

Friday Bowling White Water Lanes- please

Contact Gene -705-966-2251

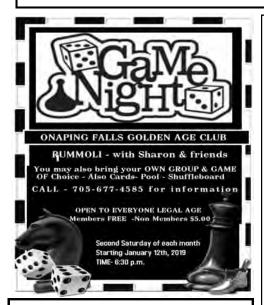
#### Saturday

**GAMES NIGHT** – Second Saturday of the month. open- Call Sharon 705-966-2260

#### **Sunday**

POOL Ladies Open Pool night 6:30 pm Free to members . Non members \$3.00

January 19th Tickets on sale now! \$10 advance—\$12 at the door Live music with Joe Campbell and Walter 'Beaver' Sarazin Costume prizes! Lots of fun...come on out!



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#### THANK YOU!

The Knights of Columbus Council #11565 would like to thank everyone who sold and purchased early bird tickets, volunteered, donated or participated in our 4th Annual Turkey Raffle. It was our most successful and well attended raffle to date! Special thanks to the following people and

Joe MacDonald

Claude Landry

Maryann Darraugh

Germain Belanger

Isabel Mihajic

community groups: Catholic Parishes of Onaping Falls & Cartier Church Bulletin, Catholic Parishes of Onaping Falls & Cartier Social Planning Committee, Cartier Community News, Joey Campbell, Robbie Campbell & Walter Sarazin, Onaping Falls Golden Age Club, Onaping Falls News, Roger's Value Mart & the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 503. Our success would not have been possible without your continued support. We look forward to the next one. Here is a list if the winners!

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Kelly Norad Lynn Larouche Mathew Deslauriers David Belec Terry Allair Jerry Dempsey Samantha McIntosh Al Wilkins K.J. Rogerson Carrie Morin Berry Elaine Spicer Gerard Mainville S. Dawson E. Dawson Mark Mooney Edna Rapski Ken Foreshew Pat Kaulbach

Carmen Portelance Marcel Portelance Kevin Whynott Lorne Kuchma Walker Coe Keith Landry Chris McIntosh Troy Tessier Robert Campbell (2) Camille Gaudreau Yolande Riopel Megan Tremblay Steph Jacques John Cole

Rob Tuomi Dale Kohan Ethel Maisonneuve Knights of Columbus (4) Clyde Weslake Sharon Leblanc Bobbie-Jo Oakes Joe Campbell H. Dawson Cathy Lingen Darren Tegel Cliff Dusick Lenna Nagy Dario Venturi Joan Beers Rachelle Regis Cathy Harting Tanya Patry

# A moment with Melinda

'Let's strive to make this new year the best ever... with Kindness, Understanding and Grace.



# The Onaping Falls Leos are preparing

Blessing Bags for the Homeless. Your donation of the following items would be greatly appreciated!

Things we need

Tooth Paste Tooth Brush

Mini Shampoo

Mints, gum, candy Hair brush

Hand warmers

Socks, Mitts, Hats

Water bottles

Wet Wipes

Deodorant

Chapstick

Blanket

Please contact Shannon Findlay at 705-920-1840 or email at shannonfindlay8@gmail.com

You can also drop off items at the following locations

- Dowling Lions Den every Monday night or Tuesday Afternoon.
- .Dowling Leisure Centre
- Levack Mini Mart or call Shannon for pickup
  - Items will be collected during the month of January and Blessing Bags will be delivered in February

"It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving." - Mother Theresa



#### Onaping Falls Lions Club

27 Sturgeon Street, Dowling, Ontario 705-855-1765



#### ONAPING FALLS LIONS



#### **MONDAY JANUARY 21st 2019**

The Onaping Falls Lions Charity Bingo is asking the communities of Onaping Falls and surrounding areas to come out to the bingo and help suport

# THE ONAPING FALLS NORDICS SKI CLUB

Lets help the Ski Club keep the trails open and the beauty of Onaping Falls available for Generations to come!

6:30pm - WARM UPS 7pm - REGULARS Dowling Lions Den 27 Sturgeon St

Must be 18 years of age to play

## Onaping Falls Lions Club

# HOBO SUPPER

Saturday January 12th 2019

Dowling Lions Den

27 Sturgeon St.

\* Tickets: \$10.00

\* Cash Bar

\* Cocktails @ 5pm

\* Supper @ 6pm

Come dressed the Part. Prizes for the best costume.

Come out and enjoy an evening of Fun, Friendship and Laughter! Only 60 tickets available so call

Carmen Portelance @ 705 562 9067 and get your ticket.

# LADIES AFTERNOON TEA



Sunday January 20th

1pm - 4pm

Dowling Lion's Den

27 Sturgeon St

limited tickets available



\$5.00 each



call Carmen Portelance
@ 705 562 9067

Come out and meet and support some of our Local Business Ladies

Theme for 2019 Cavalcade of Colors

'Snow Capped Trees'

1st place \$200

2nd place \$100

3rd place \$75

The forms with rules will be available online in January to download from onapingfallslions.webs.com and photos can be dropped off at the Dowling IDA, on main st in Dowling

Good Luck

# Learn, Play, Greate Storytin

**Onaping Library** January 24th @ 6:30 pm Ages 4 to 12



#### **Onaping Library** Hours

Monday 10am to 2pm Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 3pm to 8pm Saturday 10m to 2pm

at the Onaping Library January 14th and January 28th



10:30am **EVERYONE WELCOME** 

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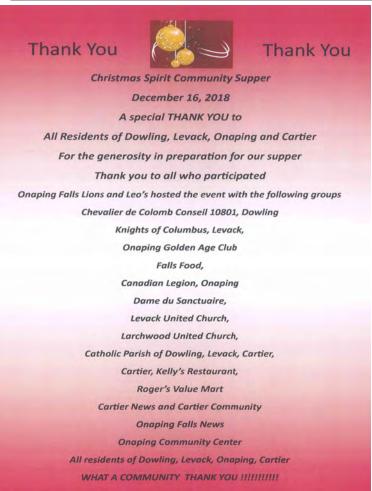
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#### **Healthy Living with Danika**

By Danika Lavoie-Rochette

January is here and with it comes the added pressure to stick to our New Year Resolutions. We are all familiar with the routine; you set goals for yourself and within weeks, we begin to beat ourselves up for not following through. One of the most important aspects of keeping a New Year Resolution, is writing down your objectives. This helps to holdy ourself accountable for what you'd like to accomplish. Secondly, be realistic. If you are striving towards healthier habits; commence slowly. It is so easy to tell ourselves we will start working out five times a week, cut out all sweets, read plenty of new books, etc. But, what we fail to acknowledge, is the fact that we haven't been taking part in any of these habits over the past few months, and expect ourselves to turn over a very heavy leaf in the New Year. The best way for us to actually accomplish these goals? Baby steps. Set your bar low and work your way up. Aim for where you'd like to be months after your start date; that way, you can implement small monthly changes in order to obtain alifestyle you're happy with.

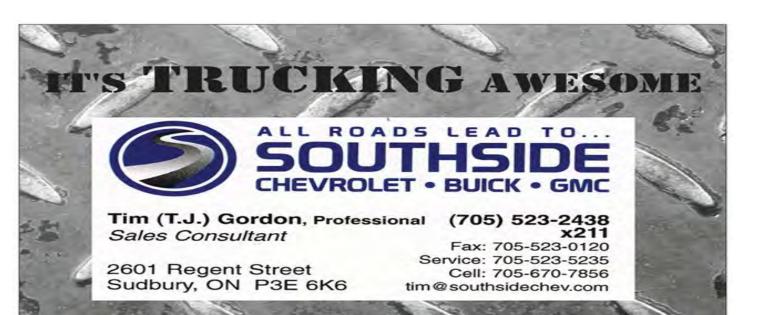
I'm wishing ou all a year full of health and happiness! Danika





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## SCHOOL NEWS will be back next month!!









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# **Community Heart & Soul**

A little bit about somebody...

# **Clarence (Clancy) Vowels**

When you look up community service in the dictionary, you should find a picture of Clarence Vowels. From the curling club, to the hockey clubs, to the Levack ski hill, to scouts, and St. John's United, many have benefitted from Clarence's commitment, generosity and skill.

Clarence Vowels grew up in Parry Sound, where as a youngster he enjoyed hockey and baseball. Clarence attended Victory Public School and Parry Sound High School. It was here at high school that Clarence met the love of his life Bernice. Clarence went on to attend Haileybury Mining school after graduating high school. He and Bernice married and moved to Levack in 1960. Since then has taken a leadership role in athletics and other community organizations in Onaping Falls for decades.

Winter living in Onaping Falls has been enriched by having Clarence as an active member in our community. While a curling club member for 40 years, he served in various capacities of the club executive for 35 years. First, as Vice president for 6 years and later, President for 9 years. Clarence started working with hockey teams in 1970.

He worked as a manager and coach developing the skills of many of our young players. Clarence coached a variety of levels in hockey, from road teams to the High School team to a few years with the Jr. B Miners. Clarence fondly remembers many talented teams. In particular he had most fun coaching the High school team who played their hearts out every game. "The challenges of any coach or manager is to motivate the players, that is the hard part, so you have to make it fun and interesting." One former player describes him as, "Competitive- he wanted to win, but he was fair and positive with everyone." His ability to maintain order while motivating his players led him to be a well-liked and respected coach. Additionally, Clarence helped maintain the Ski Hill in Levack for many years. In warmer months he could be found on the baseball diamond, with the Little League. His service to the community was not limited to athletics. He has been a long time active member of St. John's United Church, and in earlier years helped out with the Scouts.



Recently, Clarence's athletic abilities were recognized as he was inducted into the Bobby Orr Hall of Fame. He was a member of the first Jr. Team from Parry Sound who won the All Ontario. Today he and Bernice continue to make their home in Levack. Both remain actively involved in recreational activities at the pool and the Golden Age Club. It should be noted that, Clarence's many

contributions to our community would not have been possible without Bernice's support. They have celebrated 58 years of wedded bliss, and in doing so have provided wonderful role models for younger generations. They are proud parents of Deanna, Stephen and Penny, and prouder grandparents of Emma and Ben.

As we head into a New Year, perhaps we could reflect on the dedication Mr. Vowels has

had to community service. May we all find some inspiration in his generosity. Imagine the community we could have if we all took a small step towards improving upon, what earlier generations have built.