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First time Invitational
Competitors Ellie Mae Claridge,
Ava Cloutier and Gabrielle
Ayotte had a great day!
Bringing home a little hardware
for the club from the North Bay
Sunshine Classic!
Extreme North Gymnastics had
39 competitive athletes compete
ranging in age from 5 to 16
years. Many medals were won,
personal best made and one heck
of a good time.

Congratulations Athletes!

Onaping Falls Community Action Network

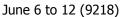
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Next meeting June 13th at 6pm This is **ELECTION NIGHT**

If you are wishing to join the Executive to our C.A.N. please attend!

Onaping Community Centre entrance at end by RIO Theatre.





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Major improvements to Highway 69 in Northern Ontario to support safer and more efficient travels

Greater Sudbury, Ontario, May 21, 2019 ~ Investing in transportation infrastructure is critical to connecting communities, helping our businesses compete, and creating a strong economy and middle class.

Today, Marc Serré, MP for Nickel Belt and Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Rural Economic Development, the Honourable Bernadette Jordan, and Paul Lefebvre, MP for Sudbury and Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Natural Resources, the Honourable Amarjeet Sohi, announced funding for two major projects providing important upgrades to Highway 69.

The first project involves twinning and realigning an 11-kilometre stretch of road from north of Highway 559 to just south of Shebeshekong Road. Work also involves constructing a new interchange at Woods Road, building new service roads to improve access for local drivers, and installing 14 culverts and 22 kilometres of fencing to protect wildlife.

The second project involves expanding a 19.3-km section of the highway to a four-lane, divided highway, including new twin bridges over Still River, Key River and Straight Lake. The project work also includes building new interchanges at Bekanon Road and at Highway 522.

These upgrades will improve safety and efficiency along this key route, boost trade, and support economic prosperity for the region by accommodating a greater number of commercial and passenger vehicles.

The Government of Canada is investing over \$169.2 million for this project through the New Building Canada Fund – National Regional Projects.

Ouotes

"These vital improvements to Highway 69 will make it easier for businesses to get their products to customers, reduce pollution, and allow local residents to spend less time in traffic and more time with their families. Projects like this improve the daily lives of Northern Ontarians now and lay the foundation for a bright and prosperous future."

-Marc Serré, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Rural Economic Development, the Honourable Bernadette Jordan

ONAPING FALLS PASTORAL CHARGE

Larchwood Memorial, Dowling & St. John's, Levack
Schedule of Services for June
Larchwood Memorial 9:30 a.m.
St. John's 11:00 a.m.

June 16th Joint Pentecost Service at St. John's at 10:00 a.m. With Communion. Lunch to follow

June 23rd at St. John's STRAWBERRY SOCIAL at 12:15 p.m Yummy Strawberry Shortcake Eat in or To Go.

Schedule of Summer Services

Wednesdays – July 10, 17, 24, 31 – at Larchwood Memorial at 7:00 p.m. (St. John's is closed for Services in July)

Sundays – August 4, 11, 18, 25- at St. John's at 10:a.m. (Larchwood Memorial is closed for Services in August)



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SEWING CLASSES with LEONA

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A moment with Melinda

'Each new bud in Spring is a promise of a new beginning'



Healthy Living with Danika

by Danika Lavoie-Rochette

For many, June signals the start of their favourite season. Summer can bring many things: days on the beach, camping weekends or weeks of holidays, and for others, it's a time their long awaited hobbies or passions can once again come to fruition. One that is very popular during this time of year, is gardening. There are so many healthy reasons to embark down the route of tending to your own fruits and vegetables.

First, it minimizes our carbon footprint, as it permits us to obtain our produce merely a few feet away from our homes. Second, the fruits and vegetables we yield are healthier than their store bought counter parts. You can pick them at their peak ripeness, which means they will have the ultimate amount of vitamins and nutrients. You also have the advantage of knowing exactly what you put in your soil and how they were cared for, without the use of harsh chemicals and pesticides. Home gardens are also great for the environment and especially for our beloved endangered friends that are crucial for a thriving environment, the bees.

If a full garden seems a little intimidating, try a few potted plants of tomatoes, peppers or lettuce to start. Looking for something even easier? Why not start off with a few herbs? Most of them, such as parsley and thyme, are incredibly low maintenance. They are also perfect to give a fresh pop to your culinary endeavours. Gardening is an incredibly rewarding hobby and I highly encourage you all to give it a try!

Wishing you all a wonderful, safe summer!

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Onaping Library will begin summer hours on June 2nd.
All hours remain the same except they will be CLOSED on SATURDAYS.

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at the Onaping Library.



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City of Greater Sudbury Councillor ~ Ward 3

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Onaping Falls News

June 2019



June 22nd at the Dowling Leisure Centre From 11:30am to 3pm

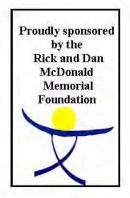
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Once you have completed the course you will have a chance to win 1 of 6 BRAND NEW BIKES!

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FREE to all kids who can ride a bike! Any parent is welcome to join! All part of our 5th ANNUAL









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



June 3rd, 10th and 17th ONAPING FALLS LION'S CHARITY B 18 N 58

6:30pm - WARM UPS

7pm - REGUALAR

Dowling Lion's Den

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Must be 18yrs of age to play

Come on out to the **BIKE RODEO**

June 22nd at the Dowling Leisure Centre from

11:30am to 3pm





Finish the obstacle course located in the Open Air Rink for your chance to

WIN 1 of 6 bikes

graciously donated to us by the Rick and Dan McDonald Memorial

Foundation.

PLEASE NOTE THAT JUNE 17th will be our last BINGO for the SUMMER. We return to BINGO nights the first Monday in September 2019.

The Learning Curve by Kyleen Gray

Crash Course: Reading Report Cards Effectively

With June right around the corner, inevitable report card season looms for students, teachers and parents. There are **four key components** parents and guardians need to pay attention to that should **all be weighed equally** when judging a student's performance throughout the school year.

Attendance

There is a significant and direct correlation between student attendance and their academic achievement. If students are missing more than 5 days a semester, it will inevitably impact their achievement in school - especially if they aren't catching up on missed work. These missed days still need to be taken into consideration when looking at a student's overall achievement for the school year.

Learning Skills

In Ontario, students receive learning skill evaluations (N = needs improvement; S = satisfactory; G= good; E = excellent) that align with student success: responsibility, organization, independent work, collaborative work, initiative and self-regulation. Like student grades, these learning skills are tracked by teachers throughout the school year and reflect a great deal of information about student learning. Reading student grades through the lens of learning skills is important in rendering a clear picture of student learning.

Comments

What teachers cannot communicate via letter/numeric grades and learning skill evaluations, they try to encapsulate in their comment. Unfortunately, in recent years teachers have been prescribed the comment format for their students (positive, negative, next step) by the Ministry of Education, so generating a personalized message can be challenging. Nevertheless, in the comment section the last couple sentences should be the focus of reading - they will often explain what the student needs to work on to improve or advance their learning over the summer months.

Letter/Numeric Grades

Although often deemed the most 'important' part of the report card, in actuality letter (or numeric grades in secondary school) are only part of the big picture of student learning. Since the Ministry of Education has now banned elementary teachers from reporting modified grade achievements as well as giving elementary students 'failing' grades, in reality sometimes they aren't at all reflective of the students actual achievement. Once students enter secondary school, numeric grades become more reflective of actual student learning since there are fewer 'social safety nets' and students can fail courses.











KINDergarten Kindness ninjas are about!



These Larchwood students hosted a hot dog day and a toy drive to provide items below in the photo to NEO kids.

They also donated items to the SPCA and some non slip socks for the residents of Finlandia.

The Ninjas are always coming up with new projects to help out our community!



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



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Kids Korner by Arianna Thibodeau

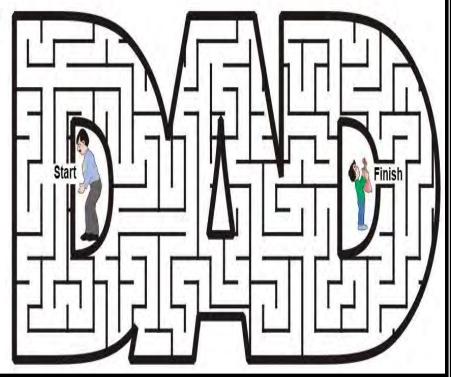
Centre

What did the baby corn say to the Mommy corn?

Where's Pop corn!

What did the Daddy spider say to the **Baby spider?**

> You spend too much time on the web!





Onaping Falls Nordics Ski Club had a very successful season this year with increased memberships and day skiers. A great deal of appreciation and thanks go to our many sponsors.

Of particular focus is our gratitude to Glencore and its employees for a very generous donation of \$30,000. This donation enabled our Jackrabbit program to have new equipment for all the children without their own. We also increased our adult rental equipment allowing families to come out and enjoy the great outdoors, sometimes for the first time. Family Day was a greater success due to the greater variety of skis, boots and poles for all ages.



Beyond the equipment, Glencore allowed us to purchase major equipment including a Ginzu and roller which helped in improving the methods used in maintaining the quality of the trails.

We look forward to next season and having the local communities enjoy the outdoor adventure that cross country skiing provides.

Pictured above from left to right Chuck Miller, Treasurer, Wayne Chabot, President, Jack Rabbit Program Lead, Willy Kohl and Iyo Grenon, Glencore Senior Communications Specialist





Onaping Falls News June 2019

Come on out and watch!



Come out and watch our **TIMBITS** play soccer at the Dowling Soccer Fields behind the Leisure Centre!

Every Monday thru Thursday evening from 6pm to 7:30 you can catch a glimpse of our future All Stars!

Bring your lawn chair!

Maybe a little bug spray and enjoy these young athletes as they play hard with this fun sport.

The season runs until the end of

The season runs until the end of June so don't miss out!

\$UPPORT YOUR LOCAL \$PORT\$ TEAM\$

Come out and watch our
Onaping Falls Slo Pitch League

This years mixed league boasts 20 teams!

Games are every Monday thru Thursday nights in both
Levack and Dowling ball fields.

Games start at 6:30 and 8:00 each night

Find your favourite team and cheer them on for the season!





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

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Branch 503 Elections ~ 2019 to 2021

Congratulations to John Getchell MB ~ Re-elected President of Branch 503 for a 3rd term, Victoria Brookes 1rd Vice President, Jeff Dane 2rd Vice President, Sharon Getchell Secretary, Kathy Moggy Treasurer, and Wayne Dane Past President, and Executives Melanie Moggy, Joanne Martel, Karen Luttrell, Joce Desrochers and Ramona Halldorson.

We send our Thanks and Appreciation to Comrade Wayne Dane for conducting the election process, and to Comrade Sharleen Sissons 1st Deputy Zone H-3 Commander for performing the Installation Ceremonies.



Comrade Sharleen Sissons installs John Getchell MB for his 3rd term as our Branch 503 President.



Comrade Wayne Dane installed as Past President by Sharleen Sissons, escorted by Sgt at Arms Jeff Dane



Re-elected Officers: Kathy Moggy Treasurer, John Getchell MB President and Sharon Getchell Secretary



Comrade Sharleen Sissons, 1st Deputy Zone H-3 Commander with Branch 503 Officers and Executives John Getchell MB, Wayne Dane, Victoria Brookes, Jeff Dane, Sharon Getchell, Kathy Moggy, Melanie Moggy, Joanne Martel, Karen Luttrell and Ramona Halldorson.



We also Congratulate our Membership Chair Melanie Moggy who was presented with the 2018 Early Bird Award in recognition of attaining 65% or more Membership Renewals. The award was presented by President John Getchell MB, escorted by Sgt At Arms Jeff Dane.



Onaping Falls Branch 503 opened in 1949

As we enter our 70th Anniversary year, we will continue to Honour our Veterans and Serve our communities.





Weekly Events at Branch 503

 Wednesday
 7:00 pm
 FUN Darts ~ in the Club Room

 Thursday
 7:00 pm
 Euchre − Upstairs in the Hall

Saturday 3:00 pm Porquetta Bingo ~ in the Club Room

Club Room Hours: Monday to Friday ~ 4:00 pm to closing Saturday ~ 1:00 pm to closing Sunday ~ 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm

~ Visit our Facebook Page ~ "Onaping Falls Branch 503" ~







Everyone is Welcome to Join in No Partner is required for any of our Weekly Event:





50 LB BAGS ~ only \$12 10 LB BAGS ~ only \$6

Call John at 705-507-4334 and Pick up at the Legion!

Onaping Falls Branch 503 is pleased to Welcome our newest Executive Committee Member ~ Joce Desrochers.

Joce has been volunteering his time and expertise at our special events and helping out in many other ways at our Legion. We appreciate his commitment and look forward to his hands-on approach on our Executive Committee!





Congratulations to Haley
Martin from Levack Public
School! ON Monday May 6th
Br 503 Youth Ed Chair
Ramona Halldorson presented
her with the Zone H3 Poster &
Literary Certificate and
Bronze Medal for her stunning
B&W poster entered in the
Remembrance Poster &
Literary Contest. Haley came
in 1st place at Branch Level,
and 3rd at Zone.





INFO 705.983.4297 garyjm@sympatico.ca

HIGH LIGHTS

FRIDAY JUNE 7

- Safety Demonstrations
- Two Live Bands
- Fireworks



SATURDAY JUNE 8

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SATURDAY NIGHT Sound EXPLOSION

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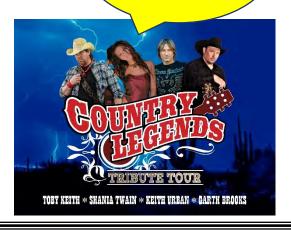
Country Legends

(Shania, Garth, Keith, Zac)

Buckeye Boys Reunion

Open Road featuring Onaping's own

Jon Giroux





I **JUST** discovered my age group! I am a **Seenager** (senior teenager).

I have everything that I wanted as a teenager, only 55-60 years later. I don't have to go to school or work. I get an allowance every month. I have my own pad. I don't have a curfew. I have a driver's license and my own car.

I have ID that gets me into bars and the wine store. I like the wine store best. The people I hang around with are not scared of getting pregnant, they aren't scared of anything, they have been blessed to live this long, why be scared? And I don't have acne. Life is Good!

Also, you will feel much more intelligent after reading this, if you are a **Seenager**. Brains of older people are slow because they know so much. People do not decline mentally with age; it just takes them longer to recall facts because they have more information in their brains. Scientists believe this also makes you hard of hearing as it puts pressure on your inner ear.

Also, older people often go to another room to get something and when they get there, they stand there wondering what they came for. It is **NOT** a memory problem; it is nature's way of making older people do more exercise.

SO THERE!

I have more friends I should send this to, but right now I can't remember their names. So please forward this to your friends; they may be my friends, too.

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 - Brunches Start July 7
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 - Summer long Cornhole Tournament
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Thank You from the MacDonalds

We celebrated our 50th Anniversary at St. Bartholomew's Church.

It was supposed to be a renewal of our vows at the church and then home for a family BBQ. We were both humbled and surprised when we were told to go downstairs and were greeted by a hall full of friends and relatives.

Thanks so much for making our 50th Anniversary such a wonderful event to remember. There were relatives and friends from Cape Breton, Chatham Ont., Elliot Lake, Red Lake, Sudbury, Manitoulin Island, Pembroke, Lively and of course, Onaping Falls.

Thanks to all of you and a very special thanks to our amazing children and their spouses for once again planning such a wonderful surprise.

Thanks also to everyone who gave gifts, well wishes and cards. They were all very much appreciated!

Love you all, Joe & Childa



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Music Jam will continue all summer Next open Jam June 20, 2019

Call Jim Howe 705-966-0137

Men's Pool will continue Tuesday Evening at 6:30 call Roger 705-966-2619

Ladies Pool Thursday evening call Carol 705-929-5251.

Bocce - Call Mike 705-926-2767,

Horse shoe (we need a Convenor)

All Cards will continue through the summer as usual Call Nevaida 705-966-0137

No Bingo till Fall.

No meetings till September 26, 2019. Annual Election meeting October 31st. 2019.

Have a great Summer from your executive:

Treasurer Jim Howe, Secretary Darlene Gray, 1st. Vice Roger Gauvreau, 2nd Vice Lorne Sauder, Board ~ Larry Puro, Brian Clance, Bev Rouleau, Sharon Leblanc & Sandy Smith.

President Nevaida 705-966-0137

Bookings& Bar Call- Linda Dusick 705-966-2044.

SUMMER BBQ Season Closing Party

June 22nd from 12:30pm to 6pm

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Sunday, June 16th





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Kid's Attractions 11 am to 3 pm

57 ft Inflatable Obstacle Classic Car Show Science North "NEW" Game On Express Kid's Art Show Face painting by "Face It" Dowling Fire Department

Dunk tank Vendors Northern Exotics Henna tattoos



Carnival games & prizes Bike Rodeo - Chance to win a NEW BIKE BBQ hosted by Onaping Falls Legion 🥍



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