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## New project unveiled on National Indigenous People's Day

Cynthia Dow

NEW RICHMOND: - The three Mi'gmaq communities of Gesgapegiag, Gespeg and Listuguj celebrated National Indigenous People's Day on June 21 by unveiling a new project, Peigwaptmeg. Sponsored by the tribal council which unites the three communities, the Mi'gmawei Mawiomi, the project aims to erect signs indicating the aboriginal name of important places in the long history of the Mi'gmag people of the Gaspé.

"We are asserting our inherent rights over our territory that is much larger than the federal reserves. We will introduce our place-names all over the territory, and people will know they are on Mi'gmaq territory," explained the Executive Director of the Mi'gmawei Mawiomi, Tanya Barnaby. She led the ceremony held at Duthie's Point where a sign bearing the original name of the Point, Nesue'g, was unveiled by two Gesgapegiag elders. Similar ceremonies were held near Listuguj and Gespeg at the same time on the day of the summer solstice.

At Duthie's Point, Elders Ramona and Pn'nal (Bernard) Jerome, their daughter Darlene, Luc Martin and youth Lucas Laliberté participated in the ceremony of the five directions and a water ceremony to bless the location of the sign. Pn'nal explained the ceremony of the five directions in which a woman uses the sacred pipe to give thanks for various aspects of life.

Darlene explained that the water she used was from the Cascapedia River, along with a smooth river stone that had likely been in the water for the thousands of years that the Mi'gmaq have lived on the land.

The new sign was unveiled by Lyman Larocque, left and Pn'nal Jerome, right. It is located near the Willett House at the Duthie Point site. Amélia Boudreau and her Dad Xavier (Gizzy) Burnsed enjoyed celebrating National Indigenous Peoples Day at Duthie Point. Dressed in her jingle regalia, Dayna Larocque shows off her many items for sale at the Wegjwapniag School Pow-wow. The children present were invited to plant seeds at the base of the sign.

"This rock has been tumbling along the river a long time. It has watched the medicines, such as sweetgrass, bloom. The water allows this medicine to grow. Memories of our ancestors are woven in with the sweetgrass, just as the old ways live within us."

Gesgapegiag Councillor

John Martin thanked those who led the ceremony in their own language, and then explained in English how this was a "bittersweet moment. Those of us from Gesgapegiag know that we lived on this side at one time and it was

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# thplace of Panada!

- Diane Skinner Flowers

On July 1, 2018, Canada will officially be 151 years old! Happy Birthday to us, the greatest country in the world! To celebrate, test your knowledge about the Birthplace of Canada. Some historians say that it is the Gaspé Peninsula!

#### WARNING: THIS IS A QUIZ THAT WILL LIKELY REQUIRE SOME RESEARCH.

- 1. Which indigenous group lived here centuries before the arrival of the Europeans?
- Which Europeans arrived here as early as the 11th century?
- 3. In 1534 an explorer from France landed near Gaspé Bay. He claimed the land for the King of France. Who was he?
- 4. Channel Islanders began to settle here in approximately what year?
- 5. In 1758 the British attacked French settlements on the Gaspé. What was the British commanding officer's name?
- The Acadians seeking a new life came to the Gaspé in approximately 1760. They slowly moved eastward on the Gaspé to settle mainly in three towns. Name the towns.
- 7. The last naval battle in North America between England and France occurred where?
- 8. In what year did the Gaspé Peninsula officially become part of Quebec?
- 9. Charles Robin arrived here in 1767. What is he famous for?
- 10. Who is a Loyalist?

- 11. Name the three main farming communities they established?
- 12. The first Gaspesian post office was founded in what town?
- 13. In what year was there a terrible famine on the Gaspé Coast?
- 14. In the 1820s and 1840s two groups of settlers came from Great Britain. Name the countries they came from.
- 15. The railway from Matapedia to Gaspé was originally completed in what year?
- 16. Highway 132 which goes around the Peninsula was completed in approximately what year?
- 18. The mining of copper ore began in 1955 in what town?
- 19. In 1970 Forillon National Park was created. What controversy came out of that decision?
- 20. Another expropriation was that of L'Ile-Bonaventure-et-du-Rocher-Percé in 1985. That island is now one of the world's largest \_\_\_

Really tough bonus question: Who was the first elected member of the House of Commons of Canada representing the Gaspé from 1867 – 1874 and then 1878 -1887?





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### Junex joins Alberta-based firm and becomes Cuda

Geneviève Gélinas

GASPÉ: – Calgary-based Cuda Energy and Quebecbased Junex are merging to create Cuda Oil and Gas Inc. The new company will develop oil projects in Wyoming as the Junex projects in Quebec take time to evolve.

Junex and Cuda Energy made the announcement on June 11. "We are confident that our partnership with Cuda will provide strong cash flow from high quality oil and gas assets in Wyoming and Alberta, creating value for shareholders while awaiting on impactful development in Quebec," said Junex president and chief executive officer, Jean-Yves Lavoie, through a press release.

The press release mentions "a strategic business combination." The new company will be led by the existing management team of Cuda, with their five officers. Only one manager of Junex, Mathieu Lavoie, will join the team as vice-president of Quebec operations.

The board of Cuda Oil and Gas will be comprised of seven members, five from Cuda and two from Junex.

Junex owns 53% of the Galt property, located 20 kilometres west of Gaspé. In September 2016, Junex applied for a lease to produce oil. Quebec's Department of Energy and Natural Resources hasn't answered yet about the possible delivery

of that lease.

Junex wants to produce the oil of one of its five wells, the Galt No. 4 horizontal well, which produced 17,798 barrels over 221 days of testing in 2015 and 2016.

Jean-Yves Lavoie, who founded Junex in 1999, returned as president and chief executive officer in March

"My board was afraid of running out of funding. They asked me for a restructuring plan. We don't produce anything but we have a pretty large team. Since 2010-2012, we've not been able to refuel (in share capital) on the external market," explains Mr. Lavoie.

"In Galt, we have good assets that we want to capitalize on, but we have a way to go. We realized that we would have trouble if we didn't reduce the risk by developing better known basins," he adds.

Mr. Lavoie hopes the Wyoming project brings money to the Cuda Oil and Gas cash reserve by drilling to produce light oil.

#### Galt No. 6 drilling license is expired

Junex had obtained a license to drill one more well, Galt No. 6, but since last August, the company suspended its drilling operations for four months on the Galt property while consulting with the Native community.

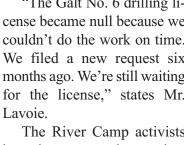
"The Galt No. 6 drilling license became null because we couldn't do the work on time. We filed a new request six months ago. We're still waiting for the license," states Mr.

The River Camp activists have been protesting against the Galt project since last summer. They have a few tents at the intersection of Route 198 and the forest road leading to Galt. "It's part of the social acceptance issue," says Mr. Lavoie, who doesn't want to comment more but admits that the activists are "not in the way."

Junex detains exploration permits covering one million gross acres of land prospective for Utica shale gas in the St. Lawrence Lowlands. In the regulation draft presented by the Quebec Government on June 6, it is proposed to forbid fracturing in shale. (Fracturing is a method used to extract the gas disseminated in shale.)

Spec asked Mr. Lavoie if this regulation, once adopted, could put an end to the Junex and Cuda projects in the Lowlands. "We're people interested in techniques, in facts. I'll wait until the regulation is published Quebec Official in the Gazette."

Junex and its partners have invested \$32 million in the Galt project. They plan to invest an additional amount of \$14 million for two more drillings.



# Police report

The preliminary hearing of Jérémie-Viktor Lagacé, 24, from Saint-André-de-Restigouche, charged with the August 22, 2017, first degree murder of French tourist Fabrice Durand, was held at the New Carlisle courthouse on June 19. Quebec Court Judge Janick Poirier, heard three witnesses: the medical examiner, a ballistic expert and a civilian. Following the hearing the judge ordered the accused to stand trial as charged and also ordered a publication band on all the evidence heard at the hearing.

On September 13, a Superior Court judge could determine the trial date of the accused or postpone the matter to the next Superior Court term.

On August 22, 2017, the victim and his girlfriend Ludivine Marcoux were hiking on the Chute à Picot trail in Saint-André-de-Restigouche when the victim was shot in the head. Ms. Marcoux ran to the nearest house for help. The couple had met the accused at the entrance to the trail.

Jean Roy, 18, from Bonaventure, charged since mid-May with offering an indignity to human remains at the Caplan cemetery vault, will return to court in New Carlisle on September 11 for the orientation and declaration pertaining to his case. On June 20, his attorney, Bruno Gabriel Vargas, requested that postponement in order to discuss the case with Florence Frappier-Routhier, the crown prosecutor assigned to the file. Jean Roy was released on bail on May 25.

Three other people were charged with offering an indignity to human remains, break and enter and mischief in that case. Two of them were minors. The fourth person is an adult, Jérémie Bugeaud-Ferlatte, 25, who will return to court on August 13. He was released on bail on May 24.

One of the minors has already entered a plea of guilty on June 1. He is an adult now and is remanded in custody until his return to court on July 20. A pre-sentence report will be presented to the court on that date.

The criminal acts were committed at the Caplan cemetery between April 28 and May 6, 2018.

The number of crimes against persons increased slightly in 2017 in the Lower Saint Lawrence, the Gaspé Peninsula and the Magdalen Islands regions. The average of such crimes over the last three years was 2,514 files, and increased to 2,603 cases last year. These numbers appear in the Sûreté du Québec annual report but there is no regional breakdown available that singles out the Gaspé Peninsula.

"We are talking about cases like assault, assault causing bodily harm and threats. It is a slight increase of 3.5%. We don't see any particular reason for the increase," says Sgt. Claude Doiron, spokesperson for the Sûreté du Québec, who states that no murders were committed in two of the regions in 2017.

The number of drug-related files also increased, and went from an average of 693 per year during the last three years to 734 in 2017, a increase of 5.9%. "It is attributable to hard work. We have to remind people that despite the new legislation regarding the decriminalization of cannabis, effective October 17, we will keep enforcing the law until then. Whoever is arrested carrying a quantity of illegal drugs will be prosecuted," points out Sgt. Doiron.

Sûreté du Québec cold case investigations led to the 2016 trial of Johanne Johnson, found guilty of the 1998 murder of James Dubé in Grand River, and the 2017 trial of Réal Savoie, found guilty of the 1996 murder of Sonia Raymond in Maria.

Sgt. Doiron says there is nothing new for now regarding the unresolved murders of Linda Condo from Gesgapegiag, and Will Langlois of Port Daniel. "These cases are still active. We think that someone, somewhere, can still come up with details that would allow our investigations to progress." Ms. Condo was shot in Miguasha in October 1988 and Mr. Langlois disappeared on February 5, 1998. He was then the prime witness in a murder case.



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### **Editorial** page



#### Commentary Gilles Gagné

### **National Indigenous Peoples Day has better** than ever coverage

National Indigenous Peoples Day, formerly known as National Aboriginal Day, is making the headlines this year. This might be a sign that the attention Natives are receiving is coming from the right direction.

Several radio stations, French and English, aired a lot of music composed by Native singers and musicians. The topics covered in the news put a lot of emphasis on Native issues, dominantly presented for a change, by Aboriginal stakeholders and analysists. A higher number of television stations, newspapers and online sites also covered Native issues.

More Non-Natives than ever joined the activities surrounding National Indigenous Peoples Day, demonstrating the true meaning of the word "shar-

2018 could represent a turning point in the relations between Non-Natives and Natives. Despite a better awareness of the Aboriginal presence in a country that was originally theirs, the upcoming task remains humungous, if there is to be fairness in opportunities in Canada and Quebec because of generations of feet dragging, contempt, indifference and ignorance in the files pertaining to the

In no particular order, there are several important issues that must be tackled. We have to include Natives in our history books, have a better sharing of natural resources and provide basic services to the Aboriginal communities, such as drinkable water.

We must also improve the funding of the educational system for Natives, and promote traditional languages still spoken in the community. It is a shame that the allocation of funds to protect those languages is a recent phenomenon. When a language dies, original ways to look at the society and solve that society's problems die too.

The redeployment of natural resources is one task that has to be accelerated. In this regard, the Mi'gmaq example could be used in many other parts of the country.

The Marshall decision in 1999 conferred an access to commercial fisheries to the Natives of Canada, based on an Atlantic Canada example. Al-

most 20 years after that Supreme Court decision, their presence in fisheries isn't being questioned. The fishery is in good state and hasn't collapsed.

In the Gaspé Peninsula, the involvement of the Listuguj, Gesgapegiag and Gespeg communities in the Mesgi'g Ugju's'n big wind farm represents a success that can be repeated elsewhere. Much has been learned from that project.

As in many other files, we cannot rely on our governments to lead the parade. The leadership has to come from the civil society. Canada's Prime Minister Justin Trudeau fulfilled his promise by establishing the National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls but other important files, such as the availability of drinkable water in many Native communities, are progressing way too slowly.

In Quebec, Health Minister Gaétan Barrette delivered a longtime request made by Indigenous parents living up north and modified the government's ambulance aircraft to make room for a parent when a child is transferred to a hospital. However, he ruined that positive move by expressing prejudice regarding the possible intoxicated state of those parents during hospital transfer flights.

The politicians still have a lot to learn about Native issues and they will have to be pushed if we want them to deliver better measures bearing faster results.



Guest Commentary Cynthia **Dow** 

#### "T" is for Trump... and Trauma

It's been heartbreaking to watch and hear about the thousands of Mexican children torn from their parents and incarcerated in unspeakable conditions just south of the border. Who would have dreamed that this could happen in present-day America?

Living under the Trump administration has sadly taught us that anything seems to be possible notwithstanding that the US was among 56 countries that adopted the Universal Declaration of Human Rights in 1948.

The news only gets worse. Not only were these children abruptly torn from family life, it would appear that it may take a long time to reunite them with their parents. Bureaucracy being what it is, and with at least three American government departments being involved, apparently there will be many hoops to jump through before the families are brought back together again.

It doesn't bear thinking about, taking a young child from his or her parents and crowding them together in an institutional setting where they don't know the language, don't understand why they are there, and don't recognize any of the adults caring for them.

As I sit here writing this on National Indigenous Peoples Day, I cannot help but be reminded of the fiasco of the residential schools. I guess we here in Canada cannot point fingers at the Americans, as our government and churches did exactly the same thing to generations of Indigenous children.

Between 1870 and 1996 when the last residential school closed, it was government policy to take Indigenous children out of their communities and keep them in institutional settings where they were not allowed to speak their language, wear their Indigenous clothing, even cohabit with their siblings of a different gender. By the 1930s about 75% of aboriginal children, some as young as four, had been taken away from their families. In total, about 150,000 went through the residential school system.

Imagine their first days at these schools, not knowing why they were taken so suddenly from their homes, not understanding the language used by the adults charged with their care, and not recognizing the food, the furniture, the institutional setting.

Of course, some of those children were harmed by more than the separation from normal family life. Many of the children were abused physically, mentally and/or sexually. Obviously, such abuse leads to significant psychological suffering, and at such a young age can impact development and how genes manifest.

Studies have shown the immense harm trauma does to children. The younger you are when the trauma is visited upon you, the longer it can take to heal - if you ever get the chance. Because that healing often requires years of specialized health care for the damage wreaked upon your physical, mental and spiritual health. It's not always available to those who need it most.

It is evident from recent studies that those Indigenous Canadians who went through the residential school system are at a much higher risk for poor health and well-being throughout their lives.

As we know from our own experience of treating children like prisoners, Trump's cruel approach to illegal immigration is planting the seeds for generations of heartbreak and misery, even after the families are reunited. Children torn from their parents in this way often end up blaming their parents for the forced division, even though it was hardly their fault, and this can also cause life-long wounds that are incredibly hard to heal.

I am privileged to know an Algonquin Elder who was taken from her parents by the RCMP in the 1950s. Her parents had tried to prevent her being taken away, but to no avail. At seven, and with not a word of English or French, she was basically ripped from her parents' arms and taken by the police to the residential school which served her com-

Only one thing kept her going through the six years she spent at the school: As she hugged him for the last time before being taken away, her father had whispered in her ear, "Never forget where you came from." Although her father is now gone, that whisper comforts her to this day.

I hope the Mexican children have such whispers to comfort them as they wait to see their parents



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### Nouvelle cement terminal nearly ready

Gilles Gagné

NOUVELLE: – The new cement transshipment terminal of the Gaspésie Railway Society in Nouvelle is almost ready to function. The tracks are installed but two important tasks remain to be done: the spreading of some ballast and levelling work to make the track bed as flat as possible.

That terminal becomes compulsory because of the traffic increase experienced by McInnis Cement and considering Transports Québec's inability to upgrade or replace the two railway bridges of Cascapedia-St-Jules over the last three years. Those bridges create a bottleneck due to their limited capacity to support a stream of heavily loaded cement cars.

"We are waiting on the contractor to come back and finish the job. The terminal



The Nouvelle transshipment terminal should be up and running before the end of June. The contractor is KLN.

should be completed before the end of June. We are installing a second track for the loading of rocks and ballast, and also to park our machinery. We will slowly move the operations currently located near the Nouvelle station to this spot," explains Luc Lévesque, director general of

the Gaspésie Railway Society.

The Gaspésie Railway Society is the operator of freight trains on the region's line. Quebec's Department of Transport has owned the Matapedia to Gaspé line since March 2015 but upon that acquisition put in a dormant state (the part east of Caplan).

Cement McInnis' transportation needs are increasing rapidly but Transport Quebec is slow in repairing the line east of Caplan and has yet to launch a call for tender process for the replacement of the two Cascapedia-St-Jules bridges. Current operating rules force the Gaspésie Railway Society to circulate on those two bridges while alternating a loaded cement car with an empty car.

That measure is necessary to reduce the concentration of weight on the bridges but it requires lengthy shunting in New Richmond, where the cars are loaded, and in Nouvelle, where the empty cars are removed from the train. The problematic bridges are located between the two terminals.

The new Nouvelle terminal will allow the Gaspésie Railway Society to end that costly shunting and load 56 tonnes of cement in New Richmond, pass on the two bridges without empty cars, and complete the loads at the Nouvelle terminal with a load of 39 tonnes. The cost of the terminal is paid by Transport Ouebec.

While the New Richmond transshipment terminal is equipped with a silo, the Nouvelle facility will operate with a pumping system.

The replacement of the two Cascapedia-St-Jules bridges will likely take two more years.

### Forillon artifacts to be returned to Gaspé

Geneviève Gélinas

GASPÉ: – An expansion to Musée de la Gaspésie is underway to house artifacts from the properties expropriated to form Forillion Park. The nearly 6000 item collection is currently being stored in Quebec City.

The Museum has entered into an agreement in principle with Parks Canada who recently approved the museum's expansion plans.

In 2012, Parks Canada announced they were planning to relocate the items to the Ottawa area which sparked a public outcry on the Gaspé Peninsula. Since that time, the Musée de la Gaspésie has been in discussions with the federal agency to evaluate the repatriating of them. Parks Canada's requirement was that the artifacts be kept in optimal conditions.

"It will be a real thing of pride to be able to have the Forillon objects here and not in Quebec City. This was a significant event (the expro-



Photo: G. Gélina

The director general of the Musée de la Gaspésie, Nathalie Spooner, recently announced that artifacts from Forillon will be returned to the region within the next two to three years.

priation) in the history of the Gaspésie. We have a big project to complete before that happens," says director general of the Musée de la Gaspésie, Nathalie Spooner.

The museum will expand its surface area by 557 square metres over two floors, or 40% of the existing area. The new space will include a reserve for artifacts which will

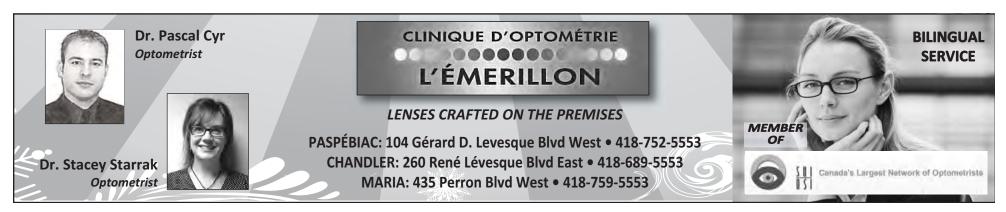
be partially visible to the public.

"We would like to be able to store objects on the same level as the showrooms. There could ideally be a large glass corridor leading visitors to the warehouse where they would be able to observe the objects," says Ms. Spooner. In addition, a multifunctional purpose room will be situated on the ground floor.

The museum is aiming for 2021 as a deadline for the repatriation of the artifacts.

The construction work will amount to "a few million dollars," says Spooner, who refuses to confirm the amount in order to protect the bidding process. She hopes to finance the expansion in part through a subscription campaign as well as with both federal and provincial assistance.

Half of the 6000 artifacts belonged to the 225 families that were expropriated in 1970, when Forillon Park was created, and the vast majority of houses and outbuildings were destroyed. The museum acquired the second half of the artifacts in the 1980s. The collection includes furniture and tools.





The brand new La Grave boardwalk.

Photo: A. Bonn

### Assessment of the feasibility of a new hospital in Maria

Maria Hospital.

Gilles Gagné

MARIA: - The management of the Gaspé Peninsula Health and Social Service Centre will assess over the next several months the feasibility of replacing the Maria hospital with a new building. The mandate was given to the present director general of the organization by the board of directors.

The matter was discussed at the last board meeting on June 13. The present director general of the Health and Social Service Centre, Chantal Duguay, and the technical department of the organization will take care of the mandate.

"We are at a very early stage. The first two steps are the analysis of the project and the phases to carry out before landing the project. The management must take the proposal of the board and determine what has to happen to reach completion," explains Geneviève Cloutier, spokesperson for the Gaspé Peninsula Health and Social Service Centre.

The current process remains far from approval at the Quebec Department of Health and Social Services.

The replacement of the Maria hospital is not the affair of only one board member, specifies Ms. Cloutier. "It was part of a general discussion and everybody rallied behind that point. It is not the type of project that can materialize by snapping our fingers. It will take years but I can't tell how many years," adds Geneviève Cloutier.

The Maria hospital is the oldest hospital in the Gaspé Peninsula. The main building was erected in 1954. Other wings

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Photo: G. Gagné



Arianne Aubert Bonn

PERCÉ: - The Percé boardwalk has been inaugurated under the name of Promenade de la Grave. The ceremony took place on June 21.

It is a \$20 million project that is finishing up in Percé. The previous boardwalk was destroyed by a storm in December 2016, 18 months ago. The new structure is in place and the beach is protected through reloading sediments.

The municipal park now bears the name of the Loups-Marins Park and houses the Pavillon des Grandes Marées which will be used by the Nautical Club of Percé and Avolo Plein Air. The modern boardwalk is equipped with several rest and sightseeing areas, children's playground, an outdoor action of tides and storms.

Several provincial government ministries have participated in the \$16 million investment. The federal government allotted \$3 million to the project and the town of Percé, \$1.1 million.

For Mayor Cathy Poirier, seeing the realization of such a project in 18 months is an achievement in terms of consultation and collaboration between the town, the Public Safety Department and the various levels of government.

Member of the National Assembly for Gaspé, Gaétan Lelièvre, also mentions the exceptional collaboration on this

The minister responsible for the region, Pierre Moreau, said we are witnessing "the rebirth of the heart of Percé, the place where people like to gather."

Jean d'Amour, was also on hand and he said that he would be back in the next few days to formalize an agreement with the federal government regarding the property transfer of the wharf by the provincial government.

He did not reveal details but he said he had an agreement and wanted to come back to the users and the community and then go ahead with plans and specifications.

"We want something like the boardwalk, which is a success in every way. I do not want any unfinished work or half-project," he says, adding that both the provincial and the federal government are open to invest some extra money to make the Percé wharf a satisfactory infrastructure.





### Miss World Canada 2018: Gaspé in the running

Jeanie **LeLacheur** 

GASPÉ: - For the first time ever, the Gaspé Coast has a contender in the Miss World Canada pageant. Twentyyear-old Olivia Rehel, a student at the Gaspé Cegep, entered the contest on a spur of the moment decision after seeing it on a social media page. A short half-hour later she had her first communication and was asked to send more details with a second photo. Less than a week later, she had been selected as one of 40 contestants out of 100 applicants.

The Missworldcanada.net website states: "As the Official Preliminary to Miss World® we offer an experience like no other. It is a once in a lifetime opportunity to learn, to grow, to challenge yourself, engage with your community, and advocate for an important cause. It is your chance to make a meaningful difference in the lives of children both here in Canada and around the world.

Priya Madaan, winner of the Miss Canada 2014, said being crowned Miss Canada was a proud accomplishment for her. "It focuses on crowning a positive female role model who is charismatic, intelligent and passionate for a cause dear to her heart," said Madaan.

For Olivia the opportunity



Olivia Rehel.

Photo: courtesy of Olivia Rehel

is exciting and intense, and it has been non-stop since her first trip to Montreal where she bought high heels and needed to learn to walk in them, fast. During that first trip to Montreal she also trained for the runway walks and an interview.

"Like a job interview," Olivia says, "they asked me about my role model growing up, (who was the surfer Bethany Hamilton who lost her arm to a shark and went on to surf professionally) and about education, interests and passions."

When questioned about the bathing suit component of the pageant, she explains simply that this is not a beauty contest and the bathing suit runway walk is a means to assess selfconfidence which is a necessary quality in pageant contestants: conduct, poise, ambition, drive and leadership.

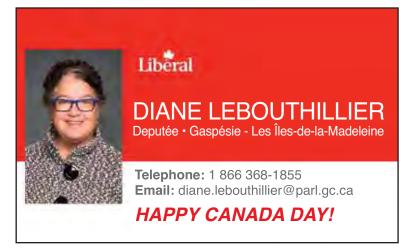
Contestants are also expected to choose a charity to support and represent and Olivia chose the Montreal Children's Hospital as it was where she had been hospitalized and she wanted to "give back."

As for the talent aspect, Olivia decided to go with trapeze. It's certainly out of the ordinary but after 6 years of lessons at the *Cirque du Soleil* school, she's hoping it's that originality that will win her the Nationals which will be held in Toronto in July.

It's also an expensive road that leads to Miss World Canada 2018 and Olivia must donate \$400 to the Make a Wish Foundation and the initial payments to take part are more than \$2,000. However, she and her family believe it's worth the hard work and sacrifice. She has several local sponsors including Excavation Roberston Touzel, LM Windpower Blades (Canada) Inc., Egide Dupuis et Fils Inc., Derosiers Auto, Ivan & Garry McKoy Inc., and Simpson Automobiles.

Olivia who was homeschooled for a large part of her primary and secondary education is now a successful Cegep student with high ideals and big dreams. As a younger girl she participated in Operation Shoebox for 12 years alongside her mom and church family, and took part in two humanitarian trips. She is passionate about dance and is also looking forward to a Bachelor of Science at UPEI.

This is an exciting opportunity for a local girl and for a community to offer its support. Local businesses are invited to become sponsors and if you'd like more information about the Miss World Canada 2018 pageant and Olivia's journey, please visit her facebook page at Olivia-Miss Gaspesie World 2018, email at missgaspesieworld2018@gmail.com or call at 418-368-3003.



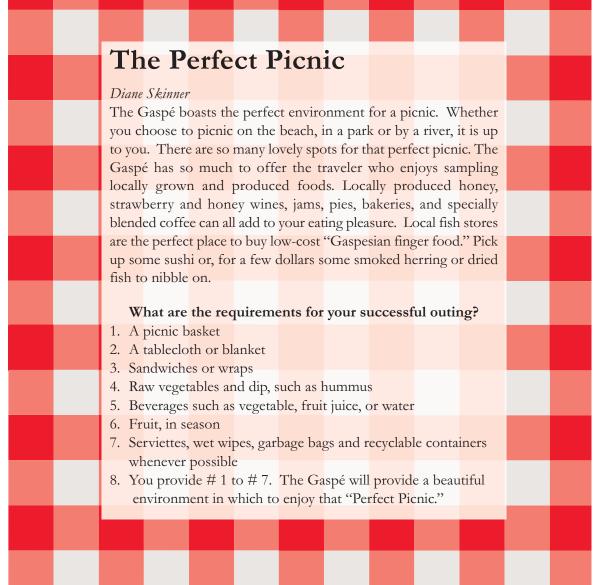




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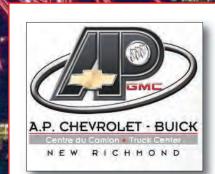
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### CAQ candidate Hélène Desaulniers counting on her organizational skills

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BONAVENTURE: – The Coalition avenir Québec candidate in the riding of Bonaventure, Hélène Desaulniers, will experience her first real political involvement during the next electoral campaign but she is counting on her organizational skills and versatility to get elected on October 1.

Ms. Desaulniers was born in Quebec City but spent most of her childhood and all of her adolescence life in Sept-Îles before attending Université Laval, where she received a bachelor degree in business administration, with a specialization in management. She later followed courses in zootherapy, social work and psychotherapy.

"It is my first attempt in politics but my mother would say that I am a first-class organizer. I have the capacity to take a file and lead it until completion. I was finding a lot of my thoughts in the CAQ program and I would have voted for that party," she says

Ms. Desaulniers moved to Paspébiac a year ago. Her husband had moved there previously. She and their two children followed. She is managing the Port Daniel day care, a job requiring 25 hours a week, and she spends her Thursdays at the Maria hospital, offering zootherapy services, mostly to children.

She now represents a party that has bad-mouthed wind energy on several occasions over the last years, and her leader, François Legault, has also criticized the use of public money in the McInnis Cement project.

"There is an erroneous perception about our stand. We are not against wind energy. We are proud to see that there are (annual) spinoffs of \$25M in the region. We are saying that the Port Cartier windfarm project doesn't show big advantages for Quebecers. The tariffs are high and we are experiencing an energy surplus in Quebec until 2026," she says.

Regarding the cement plant, she concedes that the stand of CAQ was stern but clear. "Was there a better way to use public funds? We think so but it (the plant) is there and we will work with it. We will not close it. We want more transparency in the management (of McInnis Cement) and we think there is a way to reduce its emissions, to make it environmentally better," adds Hélène Desaulniers.

In transportation, she expresses her intention to make the region more accessible by plane and bus.

The Coalition avenir Québec had no formal organization in Bonaventure until recently. "We have volunteers. It was hard to put up an organization without a candidate. We are in the process of creating an association for the party," she concludes.

#### **HOSPITAL:**

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were added over the years, as the needs increased. There are between 70 and 75 beds in the hospital, divided in three services, physical health, psychiatry and geriatrics. There is an emergency department, a number of medicine specialties, a surgery department, radiology and medical imagery and a wing for services like physiotherapy, occupational therapy and so on.

The Chandler hospital was built in 1974-1975, while the Sainte-Anne-des-Monts hospital was inaugurated in 1972. The Hôtel-Dieu hospital in Gaspé was built between 1969 and 1972.

Geneviève Cloutier points out that the cost is also far from determined. "We are talking in terms of tens of millions of dollars. By comparison, the expansion of the emergency department in Gaspé, currently underway, will cost \$21 million."

Did politics play a role in the timing of the intention expressed to replace the Maria hospital, given that an electoral campaign is about to start in Quebec and in the region?

"I cannot comment on the political side of the file but electoral campaign or not, all the board members agree on one point, the Maria hospital must be rejuvenated, and it will likely be a new hospital," says Ms. Cloutier.

Repairing a building that includes a section built 64 years ago could hold odd surprises, cost-wise, especially if it is a hospital, she indicates.

Maria will remain the town receiving the new building. "The current premise would be large enough to greet the new building. It might not look like it but it is apparently the case," concludes Geneviève Cloutier.

### Chandler diversifies tourist activities



CHANDLER - The town of Chandler is launching its tourist season by highlighting the presence of a wide variety of new attractions and businesses.

The time when the city was trying to recover after the closure of its main economic force, the paper mill, is over. The place can now be considered as a full-fledged tourist destination with established attractions and an abundant development, enough to retain guests for a few days.

In 2018, tourists will enjoy several new businesses. A small area of Commercial Street is now home to four businesses that are ready to welcome both tourists and locals. They are putting up their terrace on the street to enjoy the unlimited view of the sea, where only a few years ago, a field of ruins filled the land-scape.

Croque-Mitaine, Mich Café, Péché Malté and the Resto-Boutique chez Nadia have or will be located on Commercial Street. "At the tourist office, we were very often asked for that type of business, so we will be proud to inform people," says Marie-Claude Prévost, who heads that office.

### Other additions in 2018

In the Newport area, the 1855 resto-pub opens its doors, and the beach of Les Beaux-Sables will now be



Photo: A. Bonn

Business people unveiled the new design of Chandler's tourist attractions.

monitored and equipped with a restroom. The brand new Beaux-Sables festival will take place from August 10 to

In Pabos-Mills, Nova Lumina and Bourg de Pabos have merged to combine their strengths for future development. The third beach will be monitored. In the Pabos area, the Seigneurie outdoor centre will hold soccer pool activities.

The Plein Bedon canteen has just opened and at the Pabos Bank beach, the rental of nautical equipment and a food truck held by the Vorace team will be open to the public. Vorace Plein Air will offer outdoor equipment rental at various locations in Chandler, notably at the train station. It will be possible to rent paddle

boards, kayaks, fat bikes, paddle boats and motorcycles or participate in quad rides.

Mayor Louisette Langlois is proud to call her town a recreational tourist destination. She says that it was necessary to believe and put a lot of effort in to tourism today. As a result Chandler is a must-see in the tour of Gaspésie.

### A new image

At the June 21 launch of the tourist season, Chandler's new promotional image and its slogan were unveiled. The main attractions of the place (the sea, the beaches, the bridge,) are visible through binoculars, reflecting the variety of locations to explore.



### COMMISSION SCOLAIRE EASTERN SHORES EASTERN SHORES SCHOOL BOARD

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 392 of the Education Act, PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of Commissioners of Eastern Shores School Board intends to amend at the meeting of July 20, 2018 the following By-Law:

#### By-Law No. 8:

With a view to setting the time, date, and place of the Council of Commissioners and Executive Committee meetings for the 2018-2019 school year.

A draft of the By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary General of Eastern Shores School Board, situated at 40 Mountsorrel Street, New Carlisle, Quebec.

Given at New Carlisle, Quebec, this 20th day of June 2018.

Margaret-Ann Cooke Interim Secretary General

#### **AVIS PUBLIC**

Conformément à l'article 392 de la Loi sur l'instruction publique, avis public est donné par la présente que la Commission scolaire Eastern Shores, prévoit amender, lors de la séance du conseil des commissaires du 20 juillet 2018, les règlements suivants :

#### Règlement no. 8 :

Règlement sur l'heure, la date et les lieux des réunions du Conseil des commissaires et du Comité exécutif et du pour l'année scolaire 2018-2018.

Une copie de ces règlements est disponible au bureau de la secrétaire générale de la Commission scolaire sise au 40, rue Mountsorrel, New Carlisle, Québec.

Donné à New Carlisle, Québec de 20e jour de juin 2018.

Margaret-Ann Cooke Secrétaire générale par intérim

#### UNVEILING: spect."

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70% swampland. People need to understand the history of this land. For thousands of years our ancestors were here, arriving after the last glacier. Now we are on a journey back to reclaiming our territory, reclaiming our culture, reclaiming our language."

"It is important that settlers recognize this. We don't want to take anything away from anyone else, we just want to reclaim our place here and have it respected and recognized. We do this with re-

After Luc Martin sang the Mi'gmaq honour song, Pn'nal was invited to tell the aboriginal story of the Point. He explained how the Mi'gmaq people moved upriver in the winter to hunt and trap, but came to the mouth of the river in the summer, just like a holiday, to spear eels and salmon, "to enjoy the abundance we see around us."

"Today is a day of many good memories of co-existence, when we put aside our ignorance and differences and open our minds. We can show the rest of the world that we

can survive side by side. Our culture is coming back to life. Our language and our spiritual ways were almost erased but they lived on in our hearts and our spirits. In the past, the pipe ceremony was outlawed. Today you witnessed a very ancient ceremony... through the strength of our ancestors we do what we know is good for us."

He ended by inviting those present to visit Gesgapegiag. "We would be more than happy to tell you our history." Two of those present to witness the event were New Richmond Mayor Éric Dubé and Councillor Geneviève Braconnier who sits on the board of the Duthie Point site. "This is really what happened in history," Mr Dubé said, referring to the removal of the Mi'gmaq from the land. "We should take that into account. It's important to our future to live together with respect."

Councillor Braconnier agreed. "It is very important to acknowledge the aboriginal history all over our territory. In fact, we are searching for a Mi'gmaq board member as here at Duthie Point we want to tell the story of all the people on this piece of land."

Pn'nal and Lyman Larocque unveiled the sign which explains what Nesue'g means, "It's broken down." The sign indicates "Established since time immemorial." Then the children present were asked to plant seeds for the future under the sign.

Similar signs were unveiled near Listuguj and Gespeg at the same time.

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#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

#### MINOR EXEMPTION FROM URBANISM BY-LAWS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Town Council, at a regular meeting that will be held on Monday, July 16, 2018, at 8 pm, will consider the request for a minor exemption from the zoning By-Law 1156-11, presented by Mr. Henri Tremblay for a property situated at 690, boulevard de York Sud.

The nature and consequences of this exemption are the following:

- the nature of the minor exemption is to reduce by 1.07 m the minimal distance required of 1.5 m from the lateral line required by the article 8.8.1 by the zoning By-Law 1156-11.
- the minor exemption will have for consequence to regularize the implantation of an isolated shed located at 0.43 m of the left lateral line.

During this meeting, the Town Council will hear the interested wishing to be heard on that request.

Given at Gaspé, June 27, 2018.

Isabelle Vézina, Director of legal services and town clerk



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The nature and consequences of this exemption are the following:

- the nature of the minor exemption is to increase by 1.5 m the permit height for a private isolated garage in accordance to the maximal height of 6.5 m actually required by the article 8.8.2.2 of the zoning By-Law 1156-11.
- the minor exemption will have for consequence to permit the construction of a private isolated garage with a height of

During this meeting, the Town Council will hear the interested wishing to be heard on that request.

Given at Gaspé, June 27, 2018.

Isabelle Vézina,

Director of legal services and town clerk



#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

To the qualified voters entitled to have their name entered on the referendum list of the municipality.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, Town clerk of « Ville de Gaspé »,

THAT at a regular meeting held June 18, 2018, the Town council has adopted the following By-Law:

1365-18: DÉCRÉTANT DES DÉPENSES EN IMMOBILISATIONS (ACQUISITION DE VÉHICULES) ET UN EMPRUNT DE 1 050 000 \$

THAT the qualified voters entitled to have their name entered on the referendum list of the municipality on the date of June 18, 2018, if it concerns natural or legal persons satisfying the requirements of the Act respecting elections and referendums in municipalities may demand that By-Law be submitted to a referendum poll according to the same law. The persons qualified to vote on the By-Law in question will have access to a register open for that purpose from nine (9) hours to nineteen (19) hours on July 4 and 5, 2018, a the town clerk's office, at the town hall in order to enter their names, addresses and occupations together with their signature.

CONDITIONS TO BE A QUALIFIED VOTER ENTITLED TO HAVE HIS NAME ENTERED ON THE REFERENDUM LIST OF THE MUNICIPALITY:

A person who, on June 18, 2018, is not disqualified from voting according to article 524 of the Act respecting elections and referendums in municipalities and meets the following requirements:

- a natural person domiciled in the municipality and, for at least six months, in Québec and
- is of full age and a Canadian citizen, and not under curatorship.

The nonresident sole owner of an immoveable or nonresident sole occupant of a business place situated in the municipality who is not disqualified from voting and meets the following requirements:

- is the owner of an immoveable or sole occupant of a business place situated in the municipality for at least 12 months;
- in the case of a natural person, be of full age and Canadian citizen and not under curatorship.

The nonresident undivided co-owners and nonresident co-occupants of a business place situated in the municipality not disqualified from voting and meet the following requirements:

- is the undivided co-owner of an immoveable or co-occupant of a business place situated in the municipality for at least 12 months;
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#### Legal person:

have designated by resolution among its members, directors or employees, a person who, on June 18, 2018, and at voting time, is of full age and Canadian citizen, is not under curatorship and is not disqualified to vote.

THAT the persons qualified to vote on the By-Law in question must establish their identity to the responsible person for the register, by presenting, among others: a health-insurance card issued by the Québec Health Insurance Board, a driver's permit issued by the Québec Automobile Insurance Society, a Canadian passport, an identity card of the Canadian armed forces, and a certificate of Indian status.

THAT the number of applications needed in order that a referendum poll be held for this By-Law is 1211 and failing this number, the concerned By-Law will be deemed approved by the qualified voters.

THAT the qualified voters may examine this By-Law at the office of the undersigned from 8 h 15 am till 12 h and from 1 h till 4 h 30 pm from Monday till Thursday, and from 8 h 15 am till 12 h on Friday, and during registration hours.

THAT the result of this registration procedure will be announced on July 5, 2018, at 7 pm, at the office of the undersigned, 25, rue de l'Hôtel-de-Ville in Gaspé.

GIVEN at Gaspé, June 27, 2018.

Isabelle Vézina, Director of Legal Services and town clerk





### In Memory



#### FOURNIER: Flora (Mullin)

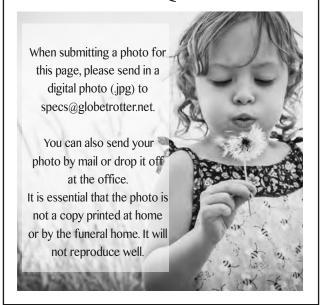
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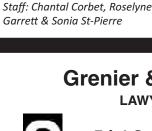


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Tuesday, July 17: We will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the death of Father Watier at 7 p.m. at the Shrine of Pointe-Navarre.

#### **WAKEHAM:**

#### **Wakeham ACW Advance Notice**

Wakeham ACW will be holding their annual summer sale and afternoon tea on Saturday, **July 7,** beginning at 2 p.m. at the York River Community Hall. There will be a bake table, handicraft table, white elephant table and mystery parcels. Afternoon tea will be served for \$5.

#### YORK:

#### **York River Seniors**

July 1: Canada Day celebrations at O'Hara's Point.

July 8: Annual picnic (Rain date: July 15) at Fort Peninsula starting at 11 a.m. Bring your lunch and favourite outdoor game.

**July 27:** Annual seniors' day (Pioneer Days) at Fort Haldimand Camp. All members of the Greater Gaspé community (50+) are welcome to attend. There will be a lunch, music and bingo. Registration begins at 11 a.m.

July 28: Fiddling Gala at O'Hara's Point.

September 3: Annual Corn Boil. For further informationplease contact Alfred Cassidy 418-368-2011 or Albert Patterson 418-368-2752.

#### YORK:

#### **York ACW Advance Notice**

York ACW will be holding its summer sale and afternoon tea on **Saturday**, **July 14**, beginning at 2 p.m. at the York River Community Hall. There will be baked goods, handicrafts, and a white elephant table. Afternoon tea will be served for \$5.

#### **DOUGLASTOWN: Douglas Community** Centre

Registrations are open for the Douglastown summer day camp. For more info: campjourdouglas@gmail.com, message us on the facebook page, or come to the reception at the Douglas Community Centre.

Thursday, July 5: Board

games starting at 7 p.m. Come and play your favourite games.

#### **BARACHOIS:**

#### **Barachois Rec. Centre**

We invite you to join our walking club, "Making Strides," on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings beginning at 9 a.m., leaving from the Barachois Recreation Centre. Followed by tea/coffee social.

The Barachois Recreation Centre will be holding 18+ money bingos at 7 p.m. on July 6 and July 20. Bilingual. Over \$600 in cash prizes.

#### **BARACHOIS:**

#### **Legion Branch 261**

**Every Monday**: The Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 261, will be having a bingo at 7 p.m. at the Legion.

#### **CORNER OF THE BEACH: Christmas in July**

Corner of the Beach Cultural Museum (former Anglican Chuch) will be holding Christmas in July with Rev. Douglas Johnson on Sunday, July 8, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. followed by a social hour at the Mabe summer home (across the road). Freewill offering in aid of the Corner of the Beach historical society

#### **CORNER OF THE BEACH: Beach Party**

Festival de la Plage, CCBM will be holding their annual beach party on Sunday, July 8, starting at 10 a.m. There will be inflatable games, face painting, treasure hunt and music. Lobster dinner, lobster rolls, etc, will also be for sale.

#### **PORT DANIEL:**

#### **Strawberry Social**

The Marcil Women's Institute will be holding its annual strawberry social on Friday, July **27,** from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the Three Star Golden Age Club at 177 Route 132, Port Daniel West. Entrance \$7. Children under 6 free. Door prizes, bake table, sales table, 50/50. For more information call 418-752-8152.

#### **PORT DANIEL:**

#### **Fundraisers for St. James Anglican Church**

June 30: Canada Day Entertainment Evening

July: 28: Annual Bazaar

#### **PORT DANIEL:**

#### **Three Star Golden Age Club**

The following events will be held at the Three Star Golden Age Club in Port Daniel.

Saturday, July 7: 500 card party at 7 p.m. \$5 per person.

Saturday, July 28: Military Whist at 8 p.m. \$5 per person.

#### **SHIGAWAKE:**

#### **Shigawake Fairgrounds**

Live Music every Thursday in the Trough at the Shigawake Fairgrounds from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. \$5 entry.

Thursday, July 5: Music will be provided by Kevin and Pierre.

Saturday, July 14: Dance with Nash Stanley at the Shigawake Fairgrounds barn, starting at 6 p.m. More info to follow.

#### **SHIGAWAKE:**

#### Shigawake **Community Center Country Hoedown**

The following event will be held at the Shigawake Community Center.

Saturday, July 7: Country Hoedown with live music, D.J. and light lunch. Starting at 8 p.m. \$12 per person. Dress up in your best country outfit.

#### **SHIGAWAKE:**

#### St. Paul's ACW

St. Paul's ACW will be holding a tea, bake and craft sale at the Shigawake Community Center (across from the Anglican Church) on Thursday, July **12,** from 12 noon to 2 p.m. Adults \$7, children 6 and under free. Door prizes. 50/50. Come out and enjoy an afternoon with family and friends.

#### **HOPE TOWN:**

#### **Hope Town Community Center**

The following activities will be held at the Hope Town Community Center.

Friday, June 29: Gift bingo starting at 7:30 p.m. organized by the Hope Town Sports and Recreation Club.

Saturday, July 14: Military Whist.

#### **HOPE TOWN:**

#### **Hope Baptist Church Service**

Hope Baptist Church welcomes you. Sunday School for all ages at 9:45 a.m. and Corporate Worship at 11 a.m. on Sundays. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study at 7 p.m. on Wednes-Young Peoples for days. grades 7-11 at 7 p.m. on Fridays. 305 Route 132 West, Hope Town, 418-752-5838.

#### **NEW CARLISLE: Local Market**

New Carlisle Local Market will start its season on **July 14** and run each Saturday from 9 a.m. until 1:30 p.m until September 22 (garlic festival.) If you have a local product to sell contact us on our facebook page or call Carol at 418-752-8555 or Sandi at 581-233-0658. Come on out to the New Carlisle market. Buy local. Support local.

#### **NEW CARLISLE:**

#### **Royal Canadian Legion Senior Games Night**

New Carlisle legion is hosting wise and wonderful game nights for seniors 55 years and older. Everyone welcome. Keep these dates available, July 31, August 28, September 25, October 23 and November 27. Free for all. Light lunch served.

#### **NEW CARLISLE:**

#### **Harvest Supper** St. Andrews' Anglican Church

will be holding its annual harvest supper on Saturday, Oc**tober 20.** More details to follow.

#### **NEW CARLISLE:**

#### **Bible Chapel Services**

Sunday: Breaking of Bread for Believers - 9:30 a.m.; Sunday night service - 7 p.m.; Wednesday: Bible study and prayer - 7 p.m. "You Must Be Born Again."

#### **NEW RICHMOND:**

#### **Bethel Bible Chapel**

Summer Conference with guest speaker Francois Frechette from the 14-18 July, beginning on Saturday at 7 p.m. Welcome to all. Come to hear the gospel of life. Everything is free. All messages translated. For information: Raymond Ricard 418-392-6039, raysureanchor@gmail.com, Bethel Bible Chapel 418-392-6798.

#### **NEW RICHMOND:**

#### Flea Market

New summer clothing has arrived, \$1 each. Good, hot meal at noon. Free. Donations accepted. We also give away hundreds of items every week. To donate or obtain furniture please call 418-392-5161. Open on Friday and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 248 Perron Blvd, New Rich-

#### **CASCAPEDIA-ST-JULES: Book Room**

Please note that the book room is now closed for the summer months. For more information, please contact Kathleen Paquet at 418-392-4896.

#### **CASCAPEDIA-ST-JULES: 50+ Club**

**Every Thursday**: Dame de Pique at 1 p.m. \$5 per person. Friday, June 29: Jam Session for all musicians and spectators. Doors open at 7 p.m.

Music begins at 7:30 p.m. Free admission. Canteen service on site.

Sunday, July 8: Barbeque from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Price is \$10 children 12 years and younger and \$12 adults, hotdogs, hamburgers, chicken and salads will be served.

#### **CASCAPEDIA-ST-JULES: Exhibit Opening**

The Cascapedia River Museum invites you to attend the exhibit entitiled Caught on the Fly. This exhibit will present excerpts from salmon log books from the various camps of the Cascapedia Club, dating from 1888 to 1973. This exhibit will be in place until July 23.

#### **CASCAPEDIA-ST-JULES: Royal Canadian Legion** Br. 172

The Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 172, meets monthly every third **Saturday** at the Legion located at 55 Gallagher St. Please be advised that the Legion will remain open during the summer on **Saturday** and **Sunday**. Doors open at 1 p.m. Bring your friends and family for conversation and celebrations. For further information contact please sharoncdavid@gmail.com

Sunday, July 22: Afternoon of music, followed by a cold plate supper at the Community Centre. Cost is \$12 per person for both events. Bar service is available. Music begins at 1:30 p.m. Supper at 4 p.m.

#### **ROTARY CLUB WINNERS**

The winners for the week of June 17 are: Jean-Yves Lalande, Paul Paquet, Loring Campbell, Jean-Pierre Cyr, Rodrique Leblanc, Mivil Cyr, Gilbert Bujold.

#### **UNITED CHURCH**

Sunday, July 1 No Service

#### **ANGLIGAN CHURCH OF**

**CANADA** 

#### Sunday, July 1 **New Carlisle**

9 a.m. Holy Baptism **Hope Town** 

10 a.m. Morning Prayer Shigawake 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist

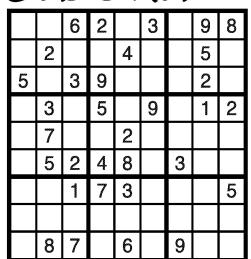
**Port Daniel** 10 a.m. Morning Prayer

#### **PARISH OF GASPÉ** Sunday, July 1

**Camp Fort Haldimand** 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist

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### SUDOKU



#### Fun By The Numbers

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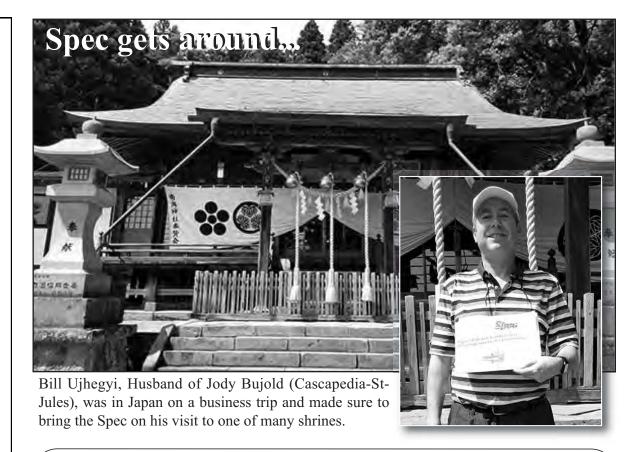
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### Why do we SAY...

**By Gary Briand** 

A short item for this week. A friend asked me to explain **afterward**. The word comes from Old English. The Saxons called the stern of a boat the **aft**. In the language of old Saxons, **ward** was their word for in the direction of. Thus their word **aftward** meant toward the rear of a ship or behind. Around 1650, the Saxon word **aftward** changed in English spelling to **afterward** and took on the meaning behind in time, later on or simply later.

This type of change in a language is known as semantic transmission.



ARIES – Mar 21/Apr 20

Opportunity is knocking, Aries. You must tune in and listen to it this week. Stay passionate in your endeavors, but exercise a little cautioun as well.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, honesty may be the best policy, but you may have to temper how much information you reveal at one time. Be a little stingy around sensitive people.

GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21

Gemini, this week may be off to a bumpy start, but you are perfectly capable of turning things around in a hurry. Just don't race too far ahead without a plan.

CANCER – Jun 22/Jul 22

Cancer, you are heading in the right direction, but you may have to finetune the destination this week. Your intended romantic target may not be the perfect fit.

LEO – Jul 23/Aug 23

Planning and project management seemingly takes over your life, Leo. Just when you think there is no time for fun, an exciting opportunity falls in your lap.



VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, your creative muse has come calling and you can't resist her siren's song. Dabble in any artistic or craftsy project you can get your hands on in the next few days.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

People often see you as even-keeled, Libra. But tempers may flare this week if you don't get your way. Others should watch when you're fired up. SCORPIO – Oct 24/Nov 22

Scorpio, cater your plan and speech to the audience receiving it. You can gain more support if your message is well-received. Figure out new ways to communicate.

SAGITTARIUS – Nov 23/Dec 21 You do not have an argumentative nature, Sagittarius. So when you're bothered, it is probably for a good reason. Don't come out ready for a fight; instead, focus on mediating.

CAPRICORN – Dec 22/Jan 20
Capricorn, your energy is all over the map, so it may be best to schedule any

major meetings or presentations for another time when you are more up to the task.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, it may seem like you're feeling extreme highs or lows. Soon things will settle down. Enjoy some well-deserved escapism for the time being.

PISCES – Feb 19/Mar 20

This week you will have the ideal blend of patience and passion, which has people lining up to be on your team, Pisces.

FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS

JUNE 24

Lionel Messi, Athlete (31) JUNE 25

Angela Kinsey, Actress (46) JUNE 26

Derek Jeter, Athlete (44)

JUNE 27

JUNE 27
J.J. Abrams, Director (52)

JUNE 28

Elon Musk, Entrepreneur (47) JUNE 29

Camila Mendes, Actress (24)

JUNE 30

Cole Swindell, Singer (35)



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### Rallye BDC: An action packed weekend

#### Marshall Billingsley

NEW RICHMOND: - The annual motorsport performance Rallye Baie-des-Chaleurs will take place during the weekend of June 29 to July 1 in New Richmond. The roster this year includes 42 different teams; consisting of a co-pilot and driver, from a handful of nationalities including Canada, United States, Mexico and Spain.

Participants will race down a dirt track in the woods at aggressive speed; reaching speeds of 110km/h and higher! Teams do not participate for monetary awards, but for the recognition, feelings of pride and sense of

achievement. It is surely an entertaining event for spectators and teams alike!

If you are planning to attend, be prepared for an action-packed weekend. The event kicks of on Friday at the town hall, where there will be an exposition of the cars, face painting and inflatable games for children. On all days at spectating locations, there will be a bar and canteen service available.A shakedown with all the rally teams and cars will take place at Subaru New Richmond at 5:30 p.m. as well.

On Saturday, the first departure will begin at noon and spectators can watch from Eoleville in Caplan. It is recommended to arrive earlier than noon to ensure a good spot to watch from! As well, animation and music from DJ Noize will be presented at Camp Brulé at 6 p.m.

On Sunday, the first departure of the day will begin at 10 a.m. and spectators can set up at Saut du Rang 5 in New Richmond. The prize and award ceremony will take place at 4 p.m. at the New Richmond town hall.

The rally itself is organized by a committee of 17 different members, all in charge of different aspects of the rally's overall creation and organization. Aspects include responsibilities such as such as marketing and sponsorship, security, road and control, technical inspection and so on. Spectators are drawn to entertainment and amusement that the event promotes. This is a prime event especially for car enthusiasts, but anyone is welcome to attend.!

Trophies, usually plastic, are awarded to the winners but are insignificant compared to the emotions the drivers and co-pilots feel from participating in this race.

For more information, please check out the event's facebook page Rallye Baiedes-Chaleurs or their website: http://rallyebdc.com/en/



The Leblanc rally team car.

Photo: facebook

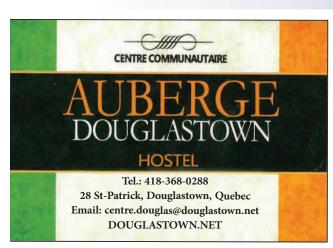
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