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# FIVE DOCUMENTARIES PART OF THE NEW HERITAGE CENTRE

# TOWN WIDE YARD SALE

Treasure seekers should mark June 6 on their calendars as the Bayfield and Area Chamber of Commerce (BACC) is promoting the first ever Town Wide Yard Sale and Village Side Walk Sale on that date.

Residents in the community are encouraged to hold a yard sale at their home on that date and local merchants will be offering up some side walk sales that day as well.

Community groups are also joining in the fun for bargain hunters to help raise funds for important area causes. One such group is Bayfield Guiding and the Camp Klahanie Friends Association. They will be hosting a yard sale in support of Bayfield Guiding and Camp Klahanie that weekend at 16 Keith Crescent.

Judy Keightley, representing the Bayfield Historical Society, spoke to the crowd gathered for the official opening of the Bayfield Archives and Heritage Centre. She shared how the five documentaries, that were created to enhance the visitor experience, came to be. An Open House to showcase the documentaries was held on the afternoon of May18. (Photos by Melody Falconer-Pounder)

Members of the Penhale family enter the Archives and Heritage Centre to view the five documentaries created to enhance the visitor experience. The Penhale carriage legacy was a topic of one of the documentaries.

The new Bayfield Historical Society Archives and Heritage Centre had its official opening on May 18th after two years of planning and organizing the old public library into an Archives Room at the back, and creating the Heritage Centre at the front of the building.

There are five short documentaries for the public to view which capture the essence of people from the village of Bayfield whom have shaped the history and left their mark on the community.

The first documentary showcases the life of Maud Stirling a World War I nurse from Bayfield who was awarded the Red Cross for bravery. Her great, great niece, Carol Simons is interviewed in the documentary. The second documentary highlights the early pioneer farmers who settled just outside Bayfield. Bill Dowson is interviewed in this documentary. The third documentary has Christine Ferguson interviewed for the Bayfield Boats story.

The fourth documentary is the Helen McCleod story and was the first of the historical society's films put together by Dave Gillians. The last of the five documentaries features members of the Penhale family, Carol, Rick and Wendy, and tells the story of Penhale Carriages.

All of the above documentaries, other than the Helen McCleod, were produced, edited and directed by Laura Gruer Keightley.

Are you hosting a yard sale on June 6? Share the location details and times with the Bayfield Breeze! We will publish a list of locations in our June 3rd issue. Please submit by Sunday, May 31 at 4 p.m. to be included.

## DRAMA CAMP

Children aged five to 14 years with an interest in the Dramatic Arts will be excited to learn that Judy Keightley's Drama Camp will be returning to the Bayfield Town Hall this summer.

It will be held a month later than usual from Aug. 3-7. Children can enrol in a program of mime, improvisation, voice control, dance and many more aspects of acting. A healthy snack will be served each day and the program will run from 9:30 a.m. to noon. The camp is limited to 24 participants.

For more information and to register call Keightley at 519 565-4515 or email judykeightley@hotmail.com.

## BLUEWATER NEWS

The Municipality of Bluewater recently developed a Stormwater Servicing Master Plan for the Bayfield settlement area. The first project identified through the Master Plan was the reconstruction of historic Main Street, including upgraded stormwater drainage and streetscape.

The plan provided recommendations for a stormwater servicing strategy that will be implemented in phases within the established areas of Bayfield, as well as recommending best practices and strategies for addressing stormwater servicing within future development areas of the community.

A public information session is planned to present details on the Master Plan and the proposed Main Street design on June 10.

Representatives of the municipality and the Project Engineers will be in attendance at the session to be held at the Bayfield Community Centre from 7-8:30 p.m. The presentation will be made at 7:30 p.m.

## SEAFORTH BAND

The Seaforth and District All-Girls Marching Band is looking for girls that would like to do something fun and exciting this summer all the while making new friends and being a leader.

Girls between the ages of 10-14 (ages flexible) are needed in several local parades to lead the band with the flags and banner.

Please call Charlie Kalbfleisch at 519 565-2244 for more information.

Deputy Mayor of Bluewater Jim Fergusson spoke to the generous crowd that gathered for the official unveiling of the Bayfield Archives and Hertitage Centre on the afternoon of May 18 while BHS representative, Judy Keightley looked on.

The Heritage Centre is open on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 1-4 p.m. and is located beside the Bayfield Public Library on Main Street North.

# BLUE FLAG TO FLY OVER BAYFIELD MARINA FOR SEVENTH TIME

Environmental Defence announced the Canadian recipients of the prestigious Blue Flag awards today. The Blue Flag is an exclusive international eco-label awarded to beaches and marinas meeting high environmental standards. More than 4,000 beaches and marinas in 39 countries have succeeded in attaining this coveted certification worldwide.

The Municipality of Bluewater is a proud recipient of the Blue Flag award at the Bluewater Marina in Bayfield for the seventh time.

“The marina operators Ron and Pat Reder continue to demonstrate their commitment to the Blue Flag Program’s goals. The municipality is extremely fortunate to have a partner that shares its environmental values,” said Mayor Tyler Hessel.

The Pioneer Park Association as part owner and the Municipality of Bluewater are new partners in the stewardship of the Bayfield Main Beach.

“The Park is committed to the vitality of the beach as an amenityfor the entire community. Pioneer Park strongly supports attaining good water quality that is drinkable, swimmable and fishable,” said President Brad McLellan.

The Blue Flag award is administered in Canada by Environmental Defence and is managed internationally by the Foundation or Environmental Excellence (FEE). Beaches and marinas complete a rigorous review process involving Environmental Defence, a Canadian Jury and an International Jury to receive a Blue Flag.

A Flag Raising Ceremony will be hosted at Bayfield Main Beach and Bluewater Marina in Bayfield on June 19. Residents and visitors are invited to join the municipality and Pioneer Park Association at 3 p.m.

Environmental Defence is the Canadian Operator of the Blue Flag Program and can be found at blueflag.ca.

# BEACH CLEANED WITHOUT USE OF GROOMING MACHINES THIS YEAR

# CHAP

Community Connections Outreach Services from Zurich is hosting blood pressure monitoring and measurement as part of the Cardiovascular Health Awareness Program (CHAP) in Bayfield.

The goal of CHAP is to promote cardiovascular health in the local community and to raise awareness about the importance of blood pressure monitoring.

Trained volunteers will help participants measure their blood pressure and complete a heart and stroke risk profile. A copy of these results will be given to the participant and, with their permission, sent to their family physician if they are participating in the program.

The sessions run from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., on the third Thursday of every month, at Pharmasave Michael's Pharmacy.

To learn more please call local CHAP Coordinator, Heidi Klopp at 519 236-4373 Ext. 632.

# BRVTA

People may not be aware but there is a provincial private members bill, Bill 103 known as the Great Lakes Shoreline Right of Passage Act 2012, to make right of access to waterfront universal on the Great Lakes? It is currently stalled after first reading and the MPP has since retired but this may be something of interest to residents along the lakeshore and the inspiration behind the next hike by the Bayfield River Valley Trail Association (BRVTA).

People are invited to join the BRVTA at Clan Gregor Square in Bayfield on May 28 at 9 a.m. as members host a walk along a most precious resource, our beaches, and enjoy the shoreline of the largest body of fresh water in the world. With the recent rise of the water levels on Lake Huron and other lakes it should be a great opportunity to see first-hand the effects of erosion and the placement of manmade structures that attempt to preserve the shoreline.

This will be considered a level three hike and will take approximately 1-1.5 hours. Some of the beach accesses have stairs and others are just dirt paths. Please wear suitable clothing and hiking shoes for walking the beach, as well as sunscreen.

The hike leaders will be Gary Mayell, 519 565-5662 and Roberta Stemp 519 565-2777.

# TOUCH THE TRUCK

Kids will get a chance to get up close to trucks they often see but rarely get to touch at the seventh annual “Touch the Truck” event on June 20.

Nice weather on May 17 brought folks out to the Bayfield Beach. The winter storms produced a more "rocky" beach this year. Pamela Scharfe, chair of the LHCC advises this is part of normal lake coastal processes and is being experienced at other locations this year. She noted that people may see summer storms removing the rocks back to the lakebed. (Photo by Melody Falconer-Pounder)

Another Blue Flag Award for Bayfield Main Beach! Pioneer Park and the Municipality of Bluewater are proud to receive this prestigious award once again. The park and the municipality will operate the beach in partnership in 2015 through the Bluewater Beach Management Committee.

The Health Unit will commence water testing at the end of May. The Huron County Health Unit has a video demonstrating the process from collection to analysis. It can be found at huronhealthunit.ca. Results are posted when received from the lab on the website, on the Beach Information Board at the beach, on the blueflag.ca website and a QR code is on the health unit sign at the beach.

This year the beach was cleaned according to best practices produced by the Blue Flag Program and the Lake Huron Coastal Centre (LHCC). Beach grooming by raking the entire beach by machine is not recommended. This practice makes the beach more vulnerable to wind erosion. Shore ecology and habitat can be affected negatively. For these reasons, the beach was cleaned manually by picking up the large debris from the fall and winter storms and removing debris that washed up. Machine use was limited to transporting these materials off the beach.

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"This new (cleaning) process is a change but since it will ultimately improve the beach we hope you will support this more natural approach. The Beach Committee will continue to monitor the beach conditions throughout the summer," said Arlene Parker, planning co-ordinator for the Municipality of Bluewater.

# NEW VERSION OF SAILOR TO RETURN TO ORIGINAL LOCATION

A new version of the Main Street Sailor will soon find his way back to his favored former location.

Last August, when he became a ward of the Bayfield Historical Society (BHS) and was removed from Main Street for major surgery, it looked as if some of him could be recovered but that was not to be.

A new Balm-of-Gilead Linden tree was found and donated by David Loerchner, of DL Creations, and the trunk was mounted at Loerchner's busy woodworks on Hwy. 21. Since then, the tree trunk has been transformed into a slimmer and taller version of the original because the trunk had been freshly cut, it had to cure during the carving process and left for awhile to stabilize.

What child doesn't dream about getting behind the steering wheel of a fire truck, an ambulance, a road grader or a dump truck? Their wildest dreams will come true when they get up close to the real rigs at this popular event!

They will find the big vehicles, rain or shine, from 9 a.m. until noon at Lavis Park, located on Hwy. 8 in Holmesville.

Children, and the young at heart, will be able to see, touch and learn about the mighty machines, farm equipment and emergency vehicles at this family friendly event. Admission is free, but participants are asked to bring a non-perishable food item and help fill a loader bucket for the Salvation Army in Clinton.

There's nothing like a big hunk of metal to attract a little child like a magnet. Road graders, tractors, dump trucks and many more vehicles will be available for children to explore while parents learn how to incorporate more literacy activities into all of their child's interests.

A pedal tractor course, bale maze, a large gravel play area and a chance to build or paint a letter are just a few of the many activities organized by Huron County Children's Services staff for this special family literacy event.

Please find us on www.huroncounty.ca or the Huron Ontario Early Years Facebook page.

Lavis Contracting Co. Ltd., County of Huron, and the Municipality of Central Huron are the sponsors of this event.

For more information call Huron County Children's Services at 519 482-8505 or toll-free 1-888-371-5718.

# GREEN CONE FUNDRAISER

The Bayfield River Valley Trail Association (BRVTA) is selling the Green Cone Digester, a nifty alternative to composting, while cutting back on garbage, saving the landfill as well as on garbage tags.

The cost of the Green Cone, including Kitchen Caddy and Accelerator Powder is $100 including HST. Anyone who places an order before May 31 can pick their Green Cone up in Bayfield on June 26 in Clan Gregor Square between 3-7 p.m.

Orders can be made on-line through the BRVTA website: bayfieldtrails.com/events or ordered manually by downloading the order form from the website. These forms can then be mailed along with a cheque to the Bayfield River Valley Trail Association, P.O. Box 531, Bayfield, ON, N0M 1G0.

A sample Green Cone is displayed in the entrance of the Bayfield Library, where order forms are available as well. Contact Helen Varekamp 519 565-5442 or

In the last few weeks, he was to be refreshed and preservative-drenched, but this spring's cold nighttime temperatures postponed the plan.

Melissa Silva, on whose property the old sailor rested, has agreed to host the new version at the old location on Main Street, by popular demand. One of the most photographed characters in Bayfield, he will soon be anchored and painted in his familiar colors for all to admire as he supervises Main Street traffic.

The contest to name him is still ongoing. For a contribution of $25 or more to his restoration supporters can get an opportunity to suggest a suitable name to last for the next few decades. The BHS and the Bayfield Breeze will offer an opportunity for the community to vote on his new nickname from the names suggested.

An unveiling ceremony will reveal his new moniker in the coming weeks.
Contributions can be made at the Bayfield Archives next to the library, 20 Main St. N., (519 440-6206) on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 1-4 p.m. Donations can also be made at DL Creations.

Due to the nature of the Linden tree he was carved from this new version of the Main Street Sailor is a taller, thinner version. (Photo by John Pounder)

# BAYFIELD TREE PROJECT AND GUIDING PARTNER FOR PLANTING

The Bayfield Tree Project (BTP) committee has been busy making plans for their spring planting in the village. In addition to the 305 trees already in the ground the committee is pleased to report that several trees will be planted this spring. This will be followed by ongoing plantings in autumn and spring over the following years, until their goal to "re-tree" the village is complete.

Thanks to the generosity of village residents and grant support, including from the Municipality of Bluewater, the BTP is able to continue to tree the municipal properties along the roadsides and in the small green spaces within the village limits. This year the BTP are pleased to partner with the members of Bayfield Guiding who successfully applied for a tree-planting grant through TD Friends of the Environment Foundation as part of a program offered by Girl Guides of Canada (GGC).

If anyone has trees planted near their property, please remember to begin watering as soon as possible, especially those trees that are now in their second or third year.

Residents may also have noticed that committee members were busy pruning trees last autumn assuring that the trees will be properly shaped as they continue to grow.

People can assist the BTP to keep this important project moving ahead by donating to the cause. All amounts over $20 will receive a tax receipt. Please make cheques out to ABCA. Foundation (Bayfield Tree Project) and send to PO Box 164, Bayfield, ON, N0M 1G0.

# YOUNG VOICES FEATURED AS PART OF FESTIVAL SINGERS CABARET

When people hear the phrase "The Next Generation", Star Trek and a future civilization inevitably come to mind. Well, the future is now as the Blyth Festival Singers host their "Next Generation" Cabaret Concert and Silent Auction on May 30.

Margaret McBride 519 565-4067 for further information.

# HURON CENTENNIAL

Huron Centennial School supporters are working to raise funds for new playground equipment at the school near Brucefield. On June 6, they will be hosting a fundraising barbecue at Bayfield Foodland from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

# READINGS IN THE COUNTY SERIES

Huron County is set to celebrate the short story form in the landscape that inspired Nobel Laureate Alice Munro. The Alice Munro Festival of the Short Story, from June 4-7, will present readings, book signings, presentations, and masterclasses with some of Canada's most respected authors and literary figures, culminating in the Jubilee Gala at which the Adult and Youth Short Story Competition Awards will be presented.

Writers and readers alike have the opportunity to partake in writing masterclasses and facilitated discussions with celebrated Canadian authors.

The Alice Munro Festival of the Short Story reaches across Huron County with the "Readings in the County" series: June 4 at the Clinton Town Hall with Heather O'Neill, and June 7 at the Bayfield Town Hall with Lisa Moore, Caroline Adderson, and Merilyn Simonds. "Readings in the County" are free events, although guests must confirm their attendance through the box office.

The Festival's Short Story Contest has been in existence since 2003, and in 2014 drew over 250 entries in the Adult and Youth categories from across Canada and the USA; finalists were from Ontario, BC, PEI, New York, and South Korea. Lisa Moore (Adult) and Andrew Kaufman (Youth), will be judging the short story contest finalists this year. The 2015 awards will be presented at the Jubilee Gala at the Wingham Knights of Columbus Centre on June 6. The event features a keynote presentation by Lisa Moore and a homemade local buffet dinner.

The Township of North Huron, Huron County Libraries and Cultural Services, Municipalities of Morris Turnberry and Central Huron and Employment Ontario are generous supports of the festival.

Full masterclass and event descriptions, schedules, and ticket prices are available at alicemunrofestival.ca or by calling the Blyth Festival box office at 1-877-862-5984 or 519 523-9300.

# KNIT 1-2-3

The Blyth Festival Singers have "beamed up" a half dozen fresh voices for the show - the "next generation" of young musicians from Huron and PerthCounty. Four of these young vocalists won trophies in the recent Kiwanis Music Festival held in Stratford. All of them not only took first place in at least one class of competition but all are also multiple ribbon winners, finishing in the top three of each class. They are certainly a force to be reckoned with!

The "Next Generation" vocalists ages 11 to 18 years will be performing solos and duets from their Movie, Popular and Musical Theatre repertoire and joining the choir for a number or two.

Ava Hill, of Exeter, is eleven years old and attends Exeter Elementary School. Ava's love for performing began at seven years of age with Highland Dance. She has been taking singing lessons for two years and has enjoyed performing in the Mitchell and Stratford festivals both years. Ava was a first place winner in the Movie Solo twelve and under category at this year's Stratford Kiwanis Music Festival.

Sam McEwan is in Grade 11 at South Huron District High School where he thoroughly enjoys taking part in the music, drama and sports programs. He plays trumpet in the Senior Band, Jazz Band and Jazz Combo. His acting credits include Cinderella (SCP) Grease (SHDHS), A Christmas Carol (PCP), Seussical (SCP), and Camelot (Stratford Festival). At this year's Stratford Kiwanis Music Festival, Sam was a trophy winner in Classical Voice, Musical Theatre and Speech and Drama. He is thrilled to be representing the Stratford
Kiwanis Music Festival at Provincials 2015, in both Musical Theatre and Speech and Drama.

Zander Neilsen, of Stratford, began singing in the St. Mary's Children's Choir at age four. Now 11, he continues to sing, and most recently performed the lead role in the school musical at Bedford Public School. He also studies piano and is a competitive figure skater. In the past two years he has received five trophies and four scholarships in Classical Voice and Musical Theatre from the Stratford Kiwanis Music Festival. You could say he was born performing since his mom gave an Opera and Musical Theatre recital three months before he was born!

Isla Romano, of Tavistock, is a 12 year old alumna of the St Mary's Children's Choir and an avid singer/dancer. Along with voice training, she attends multiple dance classes. For three consecutive years, she has won trophies for Classical Voice or Musical Theatre at the Stratford Kiwanis Music Festival.

Also taking part in the show is Benjamin Hearn, a Grade 12 student from Central Huron Secondary School, and Carly Schelken, 18, of Seaforth.

The Blyth Festival Singers themselves will be performing a light-hearted and popular repertoire to bring their season to a close in true celebratory fashion. And the audience will be in for a special treat. The cornerstone piece of the concert is the new medley arrangement by Ed Lojeski of the popular musical "Les Miserables." Solos, duets and small group performances of popular tunes by the choir will round out this fabulous program.

"The Next Generation" will be performed at the Varna Complex on Mill Road west of Varna. Doors open at 6 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. and the concert, and gala silent auction to follow. Adult tickets are only $25 for dinner and a show and children 6-12 only pay $12. Tickets are available through any Blyth Festival Singer or through the Blyth Festival for the Arts at 519 523-9300 or www.blythfestival.com. This popular Dinner Cabaret is certain to be a sell out once again, so be certain to get tickets early.

# NEWSLETTER CELEBRATES CLEAN WATER AND CLEAN BEACHES

“World Wide Knit in Public Day” is the largest knitting event in the world, and Bayfield's Knit 1-2-3 has registered to be part in the event.

On June 13 from 10 a.m. to noon some members will be showing off their stitches and answering any question passersby may have outside the library on Bayfield Main Street North and all are invited to come and meet the group and say "Hello". They are bound to spin a good yarn!

# SAFE HARBOUR RUN

Hundreds of people will descend on Bayfield on the morning of June 21 for the annual Safe Harbour Run that raises funds for the Huron Women’s Shelter.

Registration and awards: Bayfield Community Centre and Arena - 5 Jane St. Race day registration and race number pickup is held at the Bayfield Arena starting at 7:30 a.m. Awards are also handed out at the arena following the run.

There are four runs held all starting and finishing at Clan Gregor Square. The Kiddy Trot kicks off the day at 8:50 a.m. followed by a 2 KM at 9 a.m., a 10 KM at 9:30 a.m. and a 5 KM at 9:40 a.m.

# BACP

The Bayfield Arena Community Partners will host their second annual Slap Shot Golf Classic on May 30 at the Bluewater Golf Course.

For $200 teams can enjoy nine holes of golf and a hot lunch. The shotgun start begins at 10 a.m. Single players are welcome to register.

For more information or to register call Bill Whetstone at 519 955-0682.

# OPTIMISTS

The members of the Bayfield Optimist Club, together with sponsor Nahuel Painting, are pleased to announce a new location for their 10th annual golf tournament. For the first time participants will get to try their swing at the Bayview Golf and Country Club in St. Joseph.

The tournament format will be a four-person scramble with a shotgun start. It will be held on June 6 with a tee off time of 11 a.m. Registration begins at 10 a.m.

The cost is $80 per player. This includes 18 holes of golf, a cart, prizes and contests as well as a chicken dinner with all the trimmings and dessert from Pineridge Barbecue Co., of Hensall.

All proceeds from the tournament will support children and youth projects in the community.

Tim Cumming, past chair of the Healthy Lake Huron: Clean Water, Clean Beaches communications committee, holds the new Healthy Lake Huron newsletter for 2015. The newsletter was released in online and print formats recently. The publication shares some of the work that has been done and is being done by community groups along Lake Huron's southeast shore, an area stretching from Sarnia to Tobermory. The newsletter also provides ways community groups and individuals can help to protect and improve water quality in Lake Huron. (Submitted photo)

Healthy Lake Huron: Clean Water, Clean Beaches has announced the release of the 2015 newsletter highlighting some of the work underway to protect and improve water quality along Lake Huron's southeast shore. The southeast shore is a largely rural area stretching from Sarnia to Tobermory.

This year, the partnership is conducting an online survey to find out what you think of the newsletter. People who respond to the survey before July 1 have a chance to win a stainless steel reusable water bottle. The survey and newsletter are available online at healthylakehuron.ca. Simply click 'Summer 2015 Newsletter' on the home page to read the newsletter and then take the survey. Previous newsletters can be found under the 'Publications' tab at the top of the home page. Print copies of the newsletter are also available at most local municipal offices or you may contact your local conservation authority.

Healthy Lake Huron: Clean Water, Clean Beaches is a partnership of federal and provincial ministries, local government, local public health and conservation agencies, landowners and residents, and community groups. It is the former Lake Huron Southeast Shores Initiative. The Healthy Lake Huron partnership has published an annual newsletter since 2008.

"People who live near Lake Huron, people who visit the lake, and people who drink water that comes from the lake, all benefit from clean water and clean beaches," said Tim Cumming, past chair of the Healthy Lake Huron Communications Committee. "The Healthy Lake Huron: Clean Water, Clean Beaches partnership is an example of many groups working together with a common goal. The newsletter offers people practical ways to help protect and improve Lake Huron water quality."

The newsletter also shares how many volunteers, landowners, communities, as well as many government and non-government agencies are working together to make this happen.

"The Lake Huron Southeast Shores Initiative started because people told governments that more had to be done for Lake Huron," he said. "The newsletter is one of the ways local property owners and residents can find out about the work that is being done in response to that call and how to get involved."

The content of the newsletter is available as individual articles. Simply visit healthylakehuron.ca and click on the "What's New" tab to find the articles as HTML links. Click on 'Publications' and '2015 Summer Newsletter' for a PDF version of the newsletter.

The 2015 newsletter includes articles about volunteers planting wetland vegetation, shrubs and trees at the Forest sewage lagoons; and the work of communities to protect Great Lakes watersheds, including Pine River, Garvey Creek-Glenn Drain, Lambton Shores, Main Bayfield and Bayfield North. Other highlights include recovery of the Piping Plover, an endangered bird species; plastic pollution in Lake Huron; the work of community members volunteering as citizen scientists; work to protect soil health during the 2015 International Year of Soils; the importance

To register call Jane Gillman at 519 482-7478 or Jay Fisher at 591 482-5557.

## KIDS IN THE KITCHEN

Summer is just around the corner, and so is the "Kids in the Kitchen" traveling summer day camp. Across Huron County, six United Churches will host the program, which teaches children ages 8-12 years basic cooking skills through a morning of preparing fun-filled, healthy recipes. But there's more to this weeklong program than just cooking and eating: thoughtful discussions about where our food comes from, what is really "healthy" food, games, stories and more. The last day will feature a Master Chef cooking challenge for all participants, which will be shared with the parents over lunch.

Additionally, the traveling day camp is offering another program for older youth, ages 10-15 years, called "MasterChef: The Ultimate Diet." More advanced cooking skills will be introduced and the themes and discussions will focus on critical thinking and exploration of current "diet" trends such as Paleo and Veganism. To accommodate potential summer jobs, this program will be held in the evening at two church sites – one at Blyth United and the other at Lakeshore United in Goderich.

Both of these half-day programs ask for a $20 donation for the week to help cover grocery costs. Registration is advised and participants are encouraged to contact the church nearest them to attend.

Kids in the Kitchen, Traveling Summer Day Camp will run in the following churches: July 6-10, Blyth United Church, 519-523-4224; July 13-17, Grand Bend United Church, 519 238-2402; July 20-24, Clinton United Church, 519 482-9553; July 27-31, St. Andrew's United Church, Bayfield, 519 565-2854; Aug. 4-7, Brucefield Community United Church, 519 233-7225; and Aug. 10-14, Lakeshore United Church, Goderich, 519 524-2103.

For more information call Kathy Douglas at 519 523-4380 or one of the numbers listed above.

## PIONEER PARK

Friday, July 10th is the date for the 68th Annual Pioneer Park Rummage Sale.
After more than two thirds of a century, it has become a deeply entrenched tradition. It is as much a part of the summer as the park is a part of the community.

The rummage sale allows the public to participate in the perpetuation of the park's health and vitality. The funds collected from the Rummage Sale will be used for the ongoing needs and upgrades to the many park projects. Once again this event will be held at the Bayfield Arena from 7-9 p.m. with the "outside" sale beginning at 6:30 p.m.

of cover crops; and the tenth year of projects by Huron County residents with support of the Huron County Clean Water Project. Still other articles share a new and local way to fight carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gases; a safe swimming checklist; a climate change board game; a Lake Huron photo essay; and more.

“The range of articles in the newsletter tells me that the community is building a foundation of work to protect and improve Lake Huron,” said Cumming. “The newsletter offers some of the work that has been done, some of the work that is being done, and some of the work that needs to be done.”

# JUNE 7 WILL BE A DAY FOR THE DOGS

Neighborhood canines are preparing to take part in the 30th annual Bayfield Lions' Walk for Dog Guides on June 7. (Photo by Jack Pal)

Every year we are all given an opportunity to be a part of helping to change the lives of many people across Canada by being a participant in the Purina Walk for Dog Guides.

The 30th annual Purina Walk for Dog Guides will take place on the morning of June 7, hosted once again by the Bayfield Lions’ Club, starting at 9 a.m. from a new location, Clan Gregor Square

The Lions Foundation of Canada’s mission is to assist Canadians with a medical or physical disability by providing them Dog Guides at no personal costs. It can cost upwards of $20,000 to train a pup to become a service dog.

“This is the 30th anniversary of the walk and the Bayfield Lions have been there from the beginning. On a per capita basis our community walk has been one of the most financially successful in Canada “ said Bayfield Lion Jack Pal, Chair of the annual Dog Guide Walk. “This year, however, we are really ramping up our activities and making it an exciting Dog Day to which everyone is invited. We are going to make it our most successful Walk for Dog Guide ever!”

The morning will start off, after registration in Clan Gregor Square at 8:30 a.m. with an approximately 5 KM gentle walk along a major part of the Heritage Trail in downtown Bayfield. This is where the similarity with past years ends.

After the walk, all the participants and the general public are invited back to Clan Gregor to be part of the Lions Dog Day Gala. Keynote speaker will be Larry Wainwright, a senior Lion and former member of the Bayfield Lions. Wainwright, who is blind, will bring with him his Canine Vision Dog Guide and talk about the history of the program and his own experience with it.

The public is vital to the success of this endeavor. Organizers are asking members of the community to donate whatever they can. During spring-cleaning of homes, garages and trailers think of the rummage sale. Large and small items will be accepted. But please note that clothing, shoes, magazines, textbooks, televisions, large appliances, building materials, mattresses or soiled or broken items will not be accepted. All baby items as well as electrical and sports equipment must be CSA approved.

This year there will not be a large item pick-up. A “drop-off” location is available and can be accessed by calling Art at 519 565-2783. In addition, donations can be brought to the arena on July 9th starting at 11 a.m.

Another part of the sale will be the Silent Auction with an array of wonderful selections donated by community members and local business. Bidding will be held during the sale hours. This year, Carl Humphries is looking after the auction.

Please call Humphries at 519 671-4795 or 519 433-4794 or email him at carl.humphries@hotmail.com to arrange for the pick up of any items generously donated.

The Pioneer Park Committee appreciates the donations from the public and the assistance of the many volunteers who make this yearly event possible.

# ONE CARE

One Care offers many fun exercise and socializing opportunities in Bayfield. There is something happening almost every day! There is a schedule on the arena door and the bulletin board by the library and more information available inside the library. Call 519 565-2202 for more information or to receive monthly information via the Wave to Wellness email. They can also be found on Facebook at Bayfield W2W; Fitness and Leisure. Urban pole walking is also a popular part of the One Care program in the village. They too now have a Facebook page and residents can learn more about their activities at Bayfield Urban Poling.

# DINING FOR SENIORS

Bayfield Dining for Seniors meets every Thursday for lunch at noon in the Bayfield Community Centre.

Chef Peggy Cunningham is looking forward to once again providing patrons with her amazing home cooked meals.

New diners are always welcome but Bayfield Dining for Seniors is not just about the meal, it offers a social gathering that promotes fellowship and friendly conversation. The meal is provided for a nominal fee of $8.

"We will also have just about everything else you can imagine that involves dogs, to keep this exciting," said Pal. "There will be representation from the London Police K9 unit, the St. John's Ambulance Therapy Dog program and the OSPCA Rescue Dog program. In addition there will be a presentation on the importance of dog grooming and a dog agility demonstration. A well known local veterinarian will talk about various aspects of dog health. All this will be accompanied by musical entertainment and the whole event will be emceed by a well-known local personality. In other words something for everyone and it's all free."

Refreshments will also be available. Everyone is encouraged to come out and enjoy the activities and donate generously to this very worthwhile cause.

Pledge forms are available from most retail establishments in Bayfield and any Lion member. Those who wish can also donate online by going to: www.purinawalkfordogguides.com. Please contact Pal at 519 565-5340 for more information.

Anyone interested in joining for lunch is asked to please contact Dianne Argyle at 519 565-2800.

Volunteers are a necessary component to assist with both meal preparation and table service. Anyone interested in volunteering should please contact Bud Robinson at 519 565-5322.

# LINING UP FOR THE MOST IMPORTANT MEAL OF THE DAY

One of the busiest mornings on record was reported by the members of the Bayfield Lions' Club when they hosted their annual Victoria Day Weekend Breakfast on May 17 at the Bayfield Arena. (Photo by Melody Falconer-Pounder)

# REMEMBER ME?

There are countless photographs of people in the Bayfield Historical Society's Archives collection, but sadly their names were never recorded. In this section we will showcase an image with the hopes that one of our subscribers might be able to identify the individual(s) in the photo. Please email your information to the Editor's attention at the address listed near the bottom of the page in "Submissions" or you can email the archivist directly at bayarchives@tcc.on.ca or click on the image and make a comment on Flickr. You can view the entire Collection of Remember Me Photos: Volume 2 on Flickr as well.

# ISSUE 305

Editor's Note: We are now adding the archive's code to the information supplied with the photographs so that if anyone would like to learn more from the Bayfield Archives about certain pictures they can use the code to make the process easier.

This week, people at a garden party are featured. Does anyone remember them? (Archives Code: PB13 33a)

**In Issue 305,** in recognition of Mother's Day an image of a woman and child taken in 1957. Notes with the photo state they are Mrs. Outerbridge and Peter at the rectory. (Archives Code: PB13 32a)

## ISSUE 306

*Make your comments...click on any image and it will take you to Flickr.*

**In Issue 306, f**olks pictured in a garden bright with color. Does anyone remember them? Records indicate two of the people in the photo are Canon Paull and Lucy Woods Diehl. (Archives Code: PB13 32a)

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## BAYFIELD GUIDING

# SPARKS AND BROWNIES TRAVEL DOWN YELLOW FISH ROAD

Members of the 1st Bayfield Sparks, Brownies, Guides and Pathfinders took part in "The Yellow Fish Road" Storm Drain Marking Program along Bayfield Main Street North on May 20. They were led by Denise Iszcuk, conservation educator with Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority (holding yellow fish).

Pathfinders Ashley Whelan and Bailie Dayman review the records of yellow fish markings with Denise Iszcuk, conservation educator with ABCA.

**PHOTOS AND STORY BY MELODY FALCONER-POUNDER**

The fourth time was the charm for members of Bayfield Guiding as after a year of trying they were finally able to participate in “The Yellow Fish Road” Storm Drain Marking Program on the evening of May 20.

The girls first learned about the program in the spring of 2014 when they enjoyed a meeting learning ways to keep the water in their neighboring rivers, streams and lake healthy. The plan was to follow that session with a night of painting yellow fish on or near the village storm drains. But it poured down rain…and the next week it did the same…so the meeting was rescheduled until the following year on Earth Day Apr. 22 and instead of rain, snow cancelled the meeting.

So when last Wednesday night proved to be sunny, dry and warm the girls took advantage and marked 21 storm drains with the yellow fish and handed out more than three dozen fish-shaped door hangers providing information about the program to neighbors and businesses located near the drains. Denise Kszcuk, conservation educator with Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority (ABCA), guided the girls through the program.

By painting the little yellow fish symbols beside the drains the girls hope to remind people that storm sewer water is not treated by sewage treatment plants but flows directly into rivers, streams and lakes. The fish act as a reminder that people should never pour hazardous household products, pesticides, motor oil or chemicals down these drains as such pollutants can harm not only people’s health but wildlife, aquatic life and fish.

For information on this area’s household hazardous waste program please call 1-800-265-9799.

“The Yellow Fish Road” Program is a national conservation education initiative created by Trout Unlimited Canada. It was started in 1991.

In addition to marking the storm drains along Clan Gregor Square and Main Street North the girls hung information door tags on the doors of neighboring homes and businesses to inform people about the program.

Having fun while performing an environmental good turn were Sophie and Alexis Harney and Mikayla Andrew.

Painting yellow fish was serious work with girls sharing the roles of traffic guards, pavement sweepers, stencil

1st Bayfield Spark Natalia Ferguson rolls a yellow fish on a storm drain using a stencil.

1st Bayfield Spark Sophie Harney smooths out the paint to make a perfect yellow fish.

holders, information deliverers, record keepers and painters.

1st Bayfield Brownie, Olivia Sonke exhibits fine technique when it comes to yellow fish painting.

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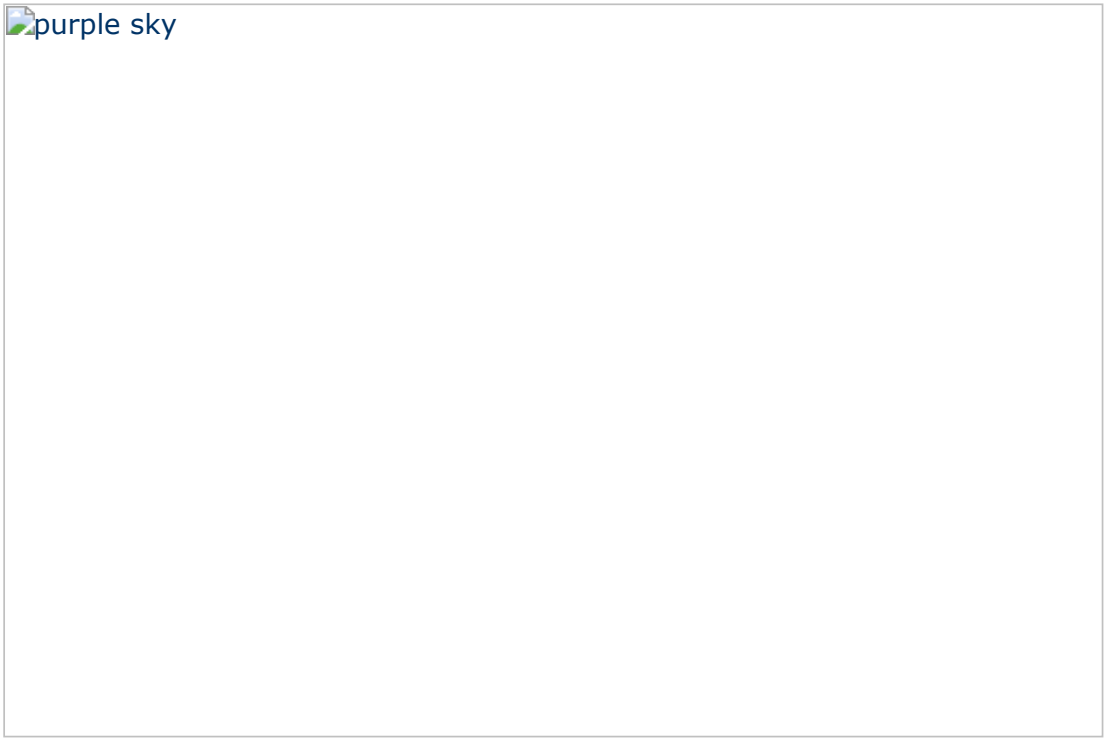


Purple Sky... *by Jane Seifried*

Email your photo in Jpeg format to bayfield.breeze@villageofbayfield.com with the subject line Subscriber Photo of the Week. or...Upload your photo to Flickr.

I am looking for the Bayfield that is a delight to the eye – please share photos with a touch of whimsy, beauty, humor or a sense of fun. If you are to include people in your photos be sure to have their permission to publish their picture on-line and also send in their names and where they are from. And don't forget to tell me who took the photo for proper credit to be issued

Melody Falconer-Pounder

# SUBMISSIONS

We moved in January and when I was purging, sorting and packing I had in the back of my mind that this year's big fundraiser for the Camp Klahanie Friends Association and Bayfield Guiding could be a yard sale sometime in the spring. So you can imagine my excitement when the Bayfield and Area Chamber of Commerce announced plans to promote the first ever town wide yard sale on June 6.

Now a little over a week away our membership is busy collecting items to go in the sale. And I am hoping folks will drop around to 16 Keith Crescent to check out all the treasures. I also hope everyone remembers when shopping that the money raised will go to two great causes – the girls of Bayfield Guiding and their favorite place to camp – Klahanie – a Goderich Lions Club Camp.

Some amazing things are happening at the camp as ground will be broken soon on both a comfort station and two bunkhouses – but big projects like these always need more funding – so we hope the community will help us to do our part with our June 6th fundraiser.

And, of course, I think the more yard sales the merrier folks will be! Look for a list of all the great yard sales being held in the community in the next issue. About a dozen folks have sent me their info already; don't forget to include sale times with your location info. You have until Sunday at 4 p.m. to register for inclusion in the June 3rd issue. – Melody

P.S. The Bayfield Breeze now has its own dedicated Facebook Page. If you are a Facebook member why not "Like" us at https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bayfield-Breeze/206183479424800

*Ideas and contributions to the Bayfield Breeze are always welcome.*
*Deadlines for submissions are Sundays at 4 p.m.*

Please email me at bayfield.breeze@villageofbayfield.com or call 519-525-3830.

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