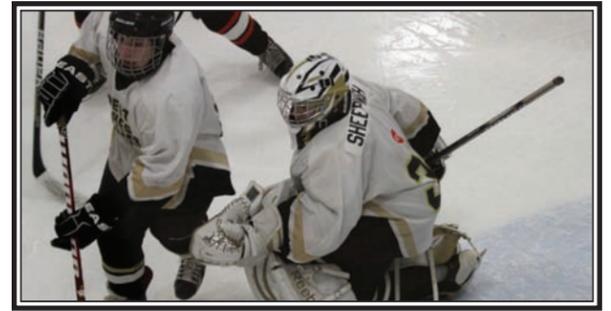




Cobra's #11- Justin McNutt is surrounded by Sackville Flyers players as team-mate #14 Trenton Ferdinand comes to his aid.



The opening face-off of the first game of the Peter Kohler Annual Friendship Tournament



Cobra's goalie Tyler Sheepwash gets some assistance out front of the net from a team-mate.

I Heard it at the Company Store

By Wendy Cox

Do you know what I heard..... I heard the local coffee club entertained one morning recently. A reporter from the Chronicle came to have coffee with them and discuss the importance of small community stores. He was well entertained by the boys and got some great stories, some of which could not be passed along in the paper.

Sad news for our community this week. We have lost our little school. The Bass River Elementary School will be closing as of June 30th. The students will be going to WCCS in September. This is a sad day for many who fought to keep the school open. The school is 100 years old this year.

More sad news this month, Bass River has lost an icon, Sir Martin Starritt. No longer will we see the little green lawn tractor parked at the store and the giant hearted man with one of his unique hats on, visiting with friends and strangers on the liars bench or in his office down the road. He will be missed by all who new him.

The local maple syrup producers are busy gathering sap. Glad to hear that Gordon Lewis is feeling better and is able to enjoy this. We are also happy to hear that Carl Elliott is out of hospital and recuperating at Bill and Natalie's. Sorry to hear Allan Power is in hospital, we hope he gets home soon to enjoy his beautiful flower gardens he so lovingly tends to each spring.

Some of the neighbors of Birchhill got together recently at the McLellan residence to welcome the many newcomers on the street. We certainly know how to welcome them in up here on the hill. Hope they all still decide to stay.

How many more snow storms do we have to have till we actually see spring? I know of the robin storm and I know of the smelt storm but Roger tells me there is a frog storm to deal with too. We all just want spring to arrive. Enough with all the storms, we just want to go out and play in the mud.

Remember you heard it at the company store.....have a safe and Happy Easter.

March Break at the Masstown Lighthouse



Alan and Joanne Griffon were enjoying spending some March Break time with their grandchildren Baillie and Kori Griffon at the Masstown "Catch of the Bay" Lighthouse. Little Kori thought the lighthouse had grown since she visited in the summer time! (Harrington Photo)



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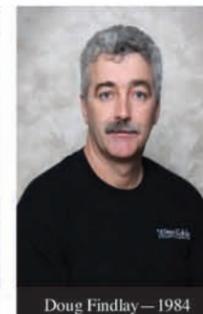
Years of Service

Congratulations to Jeff McLean and Stanley Weatherby on achieving 25 years of outstanding service.

Thank you for your hard work and dedication.



Past 25 Years of Service Milestone Employees:



Congratulations are also extended to Carolyn Smith on her retirement after 31 years of service. Thank you Carolyn!