

Lower Onslow Community Centre Notes

By Ann Fiddes

The last two weeks at the Lower Onslow Community Centre have been very busy. We now have card parties every Monday night at 7 and every Thursday night at 6:30 we have Open Mic. The Open Mic has been a great success with 15+ music makers showing up to entertain the crowd. 4H met at the

Centre for the first time, we had a very successful Kids Clothing and Toy sale, and the hall was rented on two occasions for private functions. Lower Onslow Play School had a fun day which was well attended in spite of the not so great weather. A Hallowe'en Party for children ages 5-12 is planned for October 23rd, 3-5 p.m. Pre



Morgan Moore has quite a corn pitching arm. She was enjoying a morning of fun and games at the Lower Onslow Community Centre to help raise funds for the Lower Onslow Preschool. (Harrington Photo)



Assistant Lower Onslow Preschool teacher Claire Shepherd (right) helps Hazel MacKay and her grandchildren Jay and Ty Shreve make a decorated pumpkin to take home at the Fun Day on October 2nd. (Harrington Photo)



Dr. Jennifer MacKay was busy lending a hand helping three and a half year old Kenzie Hill and four year old Hudson Lynds with their craft project. A Fun Day was held on Oct. 2nd to help raise funds for the Lower Onslow Preschool. (Harrington Photo)

registration is required by calling Tara at 896-0072.

The hope of the Board of Directors is that the Centre will be used every day of the week and become the hub of the community.

The Board of Directors meet the first Monday of every month at 7 p.m. We always welcome new members and new ideas, new input is needed to keep the centre functioning. If you have any ideas, contact any member of the Board of Directors. Contact Ethel at 897-4553 for information on hall rental.

Happy Hallowe'en everyone, don't let the spooks and goblins frighten you.

Great Village Historical Society Notes

By Linda Shears

The regular monthly meetings of the Historical Society resumed on October 6 after a summer recess. It was decided to give a gift of four copies of "The History of Great Village" to the Colchester Museum and Archives in appreciation of the fascinating museum tour given to us in June. Arthur Chisholm related some stories from "Women of Colchester County" and "Men of Colchester County".

Richard Akerman discussed an interesting project which he has been working on with the assistance of Logan Spencer, Arthur Chisholm, Meredith Layton and Robert Layton. Using the

map created by Duncan D. Currie, published in 1889, which displays a detailed map of Truro with sketches of the area businesses and homes, Richard is working with the small corner insert which depicts Great Village in 1889.

Unlike the Ambrose Church maps, created about 1870, which showed houses as small black rectangles, the Currie map shows small, detailed sketches of each home and business. Using old letters,

newspapers, legal documents, and the memories of area residents, Richard is attempting to put a name on each of the buildings shown on the Currie map of Great Village. The end product will be a fascinating addition to our collection of historical data.

The next meeting is on Wednesday, November 3, at 1:00 PM at the Legion Hall to work on the updated history. New members are always welcome.

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October 11, 2010

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| • Monday | Closed |
| • Tuesday | 1:00PM - 5:00PM |
| • Wednesday | Closed |
| • Thursday | 1:00PM - 5:00PM |
| • Friday | 1:00PM - 5:00PM |

These changes are intended to maximize the normal transactional patterns of our members as well as to minimize the operating deficit of the Bass River branch. In today's economic climate, all businesses are challenged with assessing their operational efficiencies including the Board and Management of Community Credit Union. Unfortunately, the Bass River branch has consistently operated at a deficit due to the nature of financial services our members maintain at the branch. As there has been little improvement in our operating deficit over the past number of years, we have had no alternative but to amend our business hours.

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