



Perhaps the Masstown Market needs to add a "fly-thru" window to future expansions. A small helicopter landed in the back yard recently, for a noon time stop over. (Harrington Photo)

Onslow Belmont Notes

By Debbie Weatherby

Seems funny now that deer season is just around the corner have been seeing lots of them out in the fields and also on peoples lawns. They sure have a sense of when it is safe to be out in the open and when not to be don't they? Christmas will be 2 months away on the 25th guys and just seems like it was here!! I hear Walmart is offering lay-away for Christmas which is good but maybe not, doesn't give a person a whole lot of time to pay for your gifts though does it?

We need to remember our veterans next month on the 11th and take a moment of silence and remember why we are still here. To all those veterans who have left us and to those who are still here a very heartfelt THANK YOU.

Hurrah, the bridges are finally fixed, was a bit funny actually cause after I had sent this in they had them done so didn't need to complain.

Services are held every Sunday at the Trinity United Church in Onslow at 10:00 a.m. with Sunday School at the same time. There is card

playing of 45's every Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m. with lunch and prizes provided. Everyone is welcome to come out for an enjoyable evening.

Belmont Baptist church services are held every Sunday at 11:00 a.m. Prayer meeting is held Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m.

Condolences go out to Wladyslaw "Laddie" Golemiac of Belmont and the families on the loss of his wife Phyllis Marguerite Golemiac on Sept. 29, 2011.

Congratulations to Amber Elizabeth, daughter of Rick and Cindy Derrick and Cynthis Burgess of Beaverbrook and Joshua Thorne, son of Peter and Kelly Thorne of Onslow on their wedding which took place on October 8, 2011.

Happy Halloween to all the kids out there and please be safe.

Just a short sentence to those who vandalized our camp a few days ago you have NOT been Forgotten so don't get to comfortable.

You can reach me at 662-2425. Until next time take care.

Great Village & Area Notes

By Florence Adams

The Isabelle Pope UCW of St James United Church met at the home of Meredith Layton on October 12th with six members present. The worship, "Thanksgiving" was again taken from the book, "There Is a Season". It was led by Eileen Eaton, assisted by Lois Bray, Meredith Layton and Carrie McCully. The program was mostly a report of the summer's work. A tasty lunch was enjoyed by all after the meeting.

Wheels to Meals continues to be sponsored by the Legion and held at the Legion Hall on October 4th and 18th. The future is still uncertain (at the time of writing).

Carrie and Vernon McCully had family home for Thanksgiving, children Kathy, Kevin, grandchildren - Ethan, Duncan, Luke, Maria and Megan. Again this year the McCully Pumpkins Patch is a great attraction to visitors.

Robert and Natalie Adams spent the weekend of 14-17 October in Toronto visiting family. The concert of the Trinitians, a choir of fifty members from New Glasgow

who played at St James church on October 16th was well attended and enjoyed by all. Sponsored by the Cobequid Branch #12, Royal Canadian Legion it had everything - solos, audience participation, as well as group singing.

Kathy and Tim Legge, with daughter, Ethan and son, Duncan spent two weeks early in October visiting with Kathy's parents, Carrie And Vernon McCully.

It seems like the weather is slowing down the fall colours. There is still a lot of green, and it seems like fall foliage is lasting about two or three weeks longer than normal.

The immigrant workers are still busy in the fields around here. Without them, local farmers would be in a difficult position and probably not able to continue with operations their current size. I was speaking with Laura, my friend last evening and we were discussing how nice it would be for the three of us to get together. Here is her email address: arielmermaid77@hotmail.com

Bass River Notes

By Joyce Starratt

Hi, everybody. I'm writing on a dark day. I'm not fond of dark dull days. But we have to take the bitter from the sweet. Right?

I missed hearing the Sunday Concert by the Trinitarians from New Glasgow. I was ready to go, but the wind was quite strong and it had started to rain. I don't like driving in the rain, and I was alone, so I didn't go as the concert was in Great Village.

Sorry, I missed it as they are a great choir. Dot and Arnold Williams are members.

On October 4th to 6th I went on the Happy Wanderers Leaf Tour to Cape Breton. My sister, Barb, encouraged me to go. Hazel Taggart, Eva Smith, Joan Thompson were on the trip too.

We were picked up at the Big Top Restaurant. It was a cool and dark day. Our first stop was Judique for lunch. We were entertained by a Ceilidh fiddler, Mike Hall, piano, Allan Dewar. It was great music.

After lunch we went on to Iona, where we spent the next two nights with music every evening. A storm had

developed overnight, so our trip to Baddeck was delayed. The power was off too. When the storm had subsided we ventured on to Baddeck.

Thursday, we went to Louisburg. Some of us stayed in a building below the Fortress. There was quite a hill to climb. After lunch, we stopped at Rita's Tea Room, which was out last stop before Truro. Tommy (T) was waiting to drive us back home. In spite of the weather, we had an enjoyable trip.

There seems to be a number of people in Bass River, who are not enjoying their usual good health. I don't know all the names, and at the risk of missing someone, I'll just wish everyone a rapid recovery. Because I was a way for a few days, there's not much news to report.

Be talking to you next month.

Economy & Five Islands News

By Ruth Thompson

The Stewards of Economy United Church had a very successful yard sale on October 1st. There was lots of different things to buy. Coffee, Tea and Muffins were also ready to be purchased.

The Economy U.C.W are busy preparing for the Pot Luck supper on October 29th at the Economy Recreation Centre. This is our first Potluck. We have decided to go this way this year instead of the usual Turkey Supper. Hopefully everyone will come out and support us. There will be a variety of Good dishes to try.

In Five Islands on October 22 at the fire hall, there was a Corn Beef and Cabbage supper. It was delicious and all those who attended had a great time

and a fantastic meal. Please take advantage of the Christian Book Club. There is lots to chose from.

Fall is upon us and we should take a minute or two to check on things that need to be put away for the season. Leaves taken from gutters and away from any storm drain. Smoke detectors should be checked as well.

Things on going in Economy and Five Islands are Bingo Economy Thursday night and Friday night in Five Islands. The Zumba class at the Rec centre is going well. There are about 20+ people attending.

This is all for now. AGAIN If any one has news PLEASE forward to me at Foxy40@east-link.ca or call 668-2022.

All news will be printed.

MacCaull Villa Notes

By Hazel Hill

Allen Rouliston who had been a patient in Colchester Regional Hospital for several weeks has now returned home. Phyllis Rushton is a patient in Truro. Phyllis, we all hope you'll be better soon.

Lydia Fisher, who has been a resident of MacCaull Villa for 25 years, is now living in Glen Haven Manor in New Glasgow, due to ill health. We wish you well, Lydia, and what you to know we all miss you.

Ruth Thompson, who is now a resident of the villa, has organized a social time, having a games night, and has been looking after getting the Hallowe'en treats for the little people, who

come "Trick or Treating" on Hallowe'en night.

Bernice Kaulback had Thanksgiving Dinner on Monday with bud and Linda Morrison. Visiting Bernice from Calgary was her daughter, Inez, who came for a few days to spend with her family. While here, Inez attended the wedding of her grand-daughter, Jessica Deveau to Christopher Thompson at Lr Debert on Saturday, October 1st.

Visitors with me were: October 3rd, Joan Mitchell, Dartmouth; Mary Bryant, Smithers, BC; Ellen Layton and her daughter, Susan, Halifax. I also has a nice afternoon visit from Carrie McCully, Great Village.

UCW Fall Rally held in Debert

By Chris Urquhart

The Truro Presbyterial UCW held their Fall Rally on October 18th at Debert United, Debert. It was a beautiful day for travelling and 77 ladies attended this rally! Program included the CD on the hurricane damage and restoration of Camp Berwick, "Time With Harry" - Harry Bentham's new chauffer business, and a presentation on senior addictions and their causes and solutions.

President Barbara Burley kept us all in line, even making us do some "exercises" to limber us up! All in all it was a wonderful day and many of us came home not only with books, napkins etc. from the book display but Harry's new

CD - "All Keyed Up For Christmas"!

Church services for the month of November, which will all be at 10am with Sunday School are rotating between our three Churches. Services and who is preaching will be as follows: Oct. 30 - Rev. Gary MacDougall in Masstown; Nov. 6 (Remembrance Sunday) Lay Minister Heather MacLean in Debert; Nov. 13th Rev. Betty Darby at Erskine United in Glenholme; Nov. 20th Rev. Allen Darby in Masstown; and Nov. 27th Rev. Carman Burns in Debert.

We welcome you to all of our Church services and encourage you to bring your children to Sunday School.

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