



Ida Murray recently won a specialty fondant cake made by Melanie Sprague and Felicia MacKinnon in a recent fundraising draw for the Wentworth Community C@Psite & Library. With Ida is C@Psite employee Jordan Sprague. (Felicia MacKinnon Photo)

Debert Legion Notes

Branch 106 along with Branch 72 will be heading to the Camp Hill complex to treat our veterans to a BBQ on Saturday, Oct. 13th.

If anyone is interested in coming along and helping out, please give Sharon Kyle a call at 641-2026, she needs to know the number going so she can order the appropriate size bus. Thank you.

Over the past month or so the Branch hosted a benefit supper and dance for two families who needed some financial support to help defray medical costs, etc for their respective families. The outpouring of goodies for these two benefits was just fantastic. To all the people and businesses who donated merchandise and food dishes for the two benefits, thank you very much.

To all the people who worked in the kitchen and all the people who worked the floor, thank you very much for your help. The two families were/are very grateful for the financial help.

Well crib players, the summer vacation is over and the Crib League has fired up for

another season. Wednesday Night is Crib Night with a start time of 7:30PM and as in past years there will be a break for the Christmas holiday season with a delicious turkey supper with all the trimmings. The League will peg its final point in late May and/or early June with a Surf and Turf Banquet.

So all you crib players out there get your partner and drop in on Wednesday night at 7:30PM and have some fun and a good laugh or two.

The Dart League will also be gearing up shortly; their first meeting is set for Friday (Sept. 21st) past. The meeting did not fit my deadline date. So for now word of mouth will have to do. We will have more in the next edition of the Journal.

Happy Birthday wishes for September are passed along to Marcia Eastcott, Tina Cooke and Donnie Totten.

Happy Anniversary wishes for September are passed along to Wendy and Dave Totten, Debbie and Darrell Cock, Paula and Bill Wood, Diane and Carmen Milner.

Thieves Vandalize Londonderry Community Centre

By Sally Richard

Just when you think everything is going well something always seems to challenge the comfort zone. On Labour Day week end the Community Centre was broken into. The thieves stole all the essential small appliances used in the preparation of fund raisers such as hunters breakfasts, dinners and celebrations. This is so discouraging as it is the second time for this to happen. That same week end several cottages at Sutherland's Lake were broken into. There could be a connection. However, it is quite a loss for our small group of volunteers to handle. It will require hours of work to replace the needed equipment and damage caused by the entry.

On a more pleasant note, we would like to congratulate Brent

Garnhum, Glenholme, for being chosen to play at the Nova Scotia Tattoo in Halifax this summer. Brent is an army cadet with 2928 in Truro and is a lead tenor drum major. The United States Marine Band recognized Brent's talent and invited him to play with their band for a performance. What an honour! After spending six weeks at Camp Argo, NB, Brent is now back in school. He is the son of proud parents Tammy and Danny Garnhum and grandson of Shirley and the late Everett Ryan.

Work on the playground is progressing but is time consuming. County personnel walked the area recently and approved of the site between the ball field and the community centre. It is an exciting project as the equipment is so unique. When com-

pleted next summer, it will be a first of its kind in the area. Card parties started on September 17 by popular request. Hunters breakfasts are scheduled again during the upcoming deer hunting season beginning on Saturday, October 27. Zumba will continue on Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm.

Our condolences to Darrell Works and Rosalee Griffin and families on the passing of their brother. Best wishes to Ruth Casey, Londonderry Station and Cliff Lane of Highland Village, who are patients in the Truro hospital. Louie Johnson is slowly making progress after his serious heart attack but has had a few trips to outpatients. Glen Fields is feeling much better and is looking forward to the card parties. Ivan (Pete) Johnson has moved to Elks Lodge in

Brookfield. He will be missed in our community.

Kudos to Larissa Johnson, daughter of Glen and Andrea. Larissa celebrated her 8th birthday with a party for her friends at the Community Centre. Instead of receiving gifts for herself, she requested donations to the SPCA. She received \$175.00 cash along with food and toys which she delivered to the SPCA. Well done, Larissa.

Our monthly meetings are held on the first Sunday of each month at 7 pm. New members are badly needed to help keep our facility open for community events and general use. Please feel welcome to attend.

Card parties are on Monday nights at 7 pm. A light lunch is served. Contact Amanda Langille for hall rental inquiries at 668-2300.

Five Islands Lighthouse to Celebrate 100TH in 2013

By Ruth Thompson & Brenda Moore

The Five Islands UCW held their first fall meeting on September 10. Worship and program was themed around "aprons". Everyone wore an apron and had a tale to tell about it. October's meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. on the 15th with a Hallowe'en theme and members will attend in costume.

Five Islanders agree the summer was great and ended

sooner than wished. It's always great to see the summer people arrive and sad to say goodbye until another year. Travellers from many places visited our small community and were welcomed by smiling faces and warm wishes for safe travel as they departed. The Peniel Church received a thank you card from a brother and sister who were given permission to stay on site for a couple evenings. Thanks goes to Dennis

Carson for going out of his way to make their stay more comfortable.

Lighthouse days was a success and next year, it will be celebrating its 100th birthday. The Lighthouse Society has done a great job at the site and are continuing with more projects. Also in Five Islands a group of volunteers are working hard to have a concrete floor laid for the outdoor rink. Last year community volunteers undertook a mammoth

job to make improvements to the site. A concrete floor will enable greater usage of the facility.

New windows were installed at the Bazaar and the ladies continued to work hard throughout the summer. A great variety of items were made and sold.

Economy Get Together Club will hold their first fall meeting on the 19th. Planning for the annual October supper will be high on the agenda.

Out And About With Ken

By Ken Kennedy

Here we are again after a two month absence.

We left home the first week of August and took a leisurely drive up through the US Northern States to Newmarket, Ont., to see our 9-year-old twins and their parents(!). We had Mapquest maps, CAA maps, and GPS and still got lost a few times. Michael was in football and basketball and Sarah was in softball and basketball so we spent a lot of time on the field and/or the gym.

Since we have returned we have been on-the-go with our nursing home ministry and/or our music ministry. Olivia is now 16 months old goes like the wind. When we are busy, Barbara Terry comes up to baby-sit and goes home dead-tired many's an evening. Our house is like a cyclone hit it.

We took a trip down to Parrsboro last weekend to check on our chaplains Catherine and Dora. Catherine is ministering to the SCCC Care Centre and Dora will be going up to Highcrest in Springhill. After we left Catherine's, we

motored up the #2 to Springhill and was pleased to find the highway had been recently upgraded, so it was a good drive. When we drove by the Five Islands fire hall we noticed some people laying down a hard-surface floor to the outdoor rink. Some kids, and adults, will enjoy the hockey games and skating on it this winter.

We have had some bad rain storms lately. I imagine there will be more flooding in Truro tonight. When I drove by Park Street a little while ago the work crews were blocking of the low-lying streets and awaiting the high tide at around 7:00 pm.

Velma and I are involved with the Angel Hearts Chapel as well but the owners, Andrew and Kimberly King are becoming discouraged by the vandalism occurring there

at night. Pranksters have stolen some solar lights and messed up the lettering on the outdoor sign, so now you know why there isn't any messages on the sign lately. These are the young people who we would like to preach to some evening!

As I am past the editor's deadline, I had better keep this short. If you know of anything that I could report on in this column, please let me know.





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