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## Progress in Game Preserve projects

By Jim Prince

A gathering set for last Thursday was the public's opportunity to see what's in store to make this community a more visible entrance to the Chapleau Crown Game Preserve.

Invited to the public meeting were local officials and Algoma-Manitoulin MPP Mike Brown, as well as consultants on the project for the Chapleau Regional Development Corporation, (CRDC) which has been working on plans for the development of the Game Preserve as a major tourist attraction.

Brown's partici-

pation confirmed the contribution of approximately \$235 thousand by the Northern Ontario Heritage Fund. Other funding for the total Game Preserve project includes approximately \$150 thousand from FedNor and \$115 thousand from the Township of Chapleau. The local saw mills also contributed to the project.

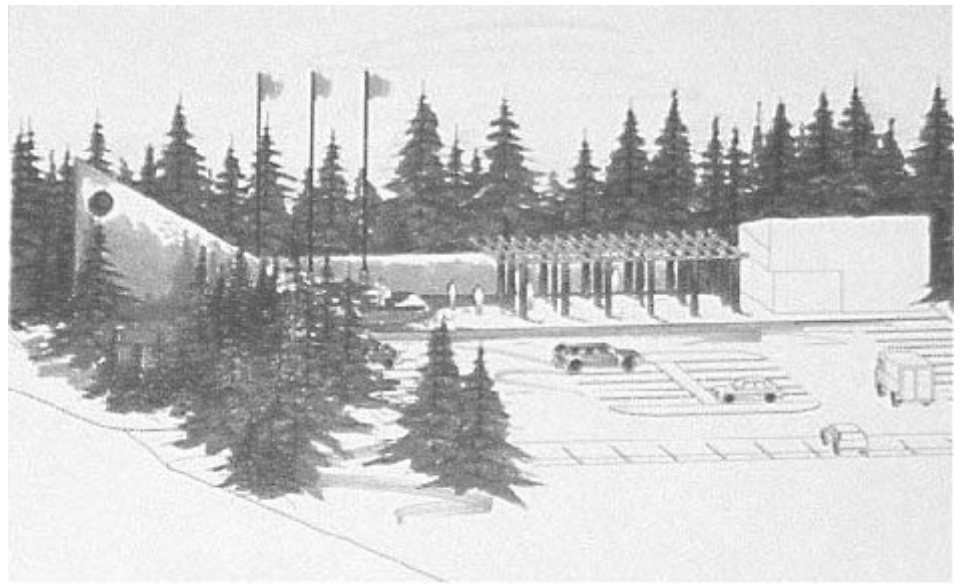
Much of the interest last Thursday was centered on the design of the entrance structure, to act also as a welcoming center with washroom facilities and information on the Preserve.

A massive, 40

foot tall concrete structure is planned as the physical entrance to the Game Preserve, which was established by the province in 1925 at the urging of Chapleau resident William McLeod as a means to encourage the beaver population in the province. With no hunting allowed, the Game Preserve has become a rich habitat for many species including bear and moose.

"In 1999 our township began the pursuit to develop the potential of this game preserve to attract world travellers who would enter this land through the community of Chapleau at the gateway to the largest game preserve in the world," said Chapleau mayor Earle J. Freeborn in remarks prepared for Thursday's event.

"This identification has put Chapleau in the forefront as an eco-tourism



Above, the adopted design for the proposed new gateway to the Chapleau Crown Game Preserve. Monumental in size, the gateway will feature the attributes of the Game Preserve, as well as showcase some of this community's history and cultural heritage. Under the direction of the CRDC, this project is set to be completed by the end of 2005.

destination."

The plans for the Preserve, developed by the CRDC includes wildlife viewing stations and other centers of interest.

Already underway is a pilot project for a wildlife viewing station developed by Four Seasons' Guiding of Chapleau. Also, it is the intention to partner with First Nations

communities for additional tourism and tourism education services.

Chapleau has, for many years, billed itself as the entrance to the Game Preserve, and apart from a few highway signs over the years, and a declaration on Township letterhead, the plans unveiled last Thursday provide for the first

physical evidence of this.

"We have something in our own back yard which is marketable," stated Richard Bignucolo, chairman of the CRDC. "The opportunities are great," he said, adding "we have only scratched the surface."



## Fight for regular air service not over

By Jim Prince

Chapleau is not yet ready to give up on finding someone to provide a scheduled air service.

That was the consensus of a discussion during last Monday's regular meeting of the Township Council. The community, along with several others in the region, have been left without a service for some time, and it now appears the latest company to propose a service is no longer

interested.

The municipalities involved in the consortium for an air service include Chapleau, Wawa, White River and Manitowadge.

A meeting of the Mayors and Reeves Group which represents those communities was told nothing has been heard from Niigani Air, a company based in Thunder Bay which had previously expressed an interest in setting up an air service linking



them to the south.

In a report to Chapleau Township Council last Monday evening, deputy mayor Bud Swanson, who attended the last meeting of the Mayors

and Reeves Group said it has sent a letter of inquiry to Niigani Air, but received no reply after three months. "We took that to mean they are not interested," reported deputy

mayor Swanson. It was reported the company had been unable to secure government financial assistance. It was also suggested the municipalities subsidize the airline, however deputy mayor Swanson pointed out the company had initially stated it would operate the service without a subsidy.

Although the other municipalities indicated little interest in keeping the issue on the Mayors and Reeves Group agenda, Mayor

Earle J. Freeborn indicated at the council meeting he wanted it back on.

In an interview following the council meeting, Deputy mayor Swanson said he felt an air service linking the region's communities is necessary. "We've got to keep the airports alive," he stated.

"Economic development depends on an air service to some extent," he concluded. The mayors and reeves group meets monthly.



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**SITE TOUR**  
A site tour has been scheduled for Friday, October 22, 2004 at 1:30 p.m. at the Chapleau General Hospital. Meeting will start in the boardroom. There will be a walk around of the areas at the Hospital and Medical Building. If unable to attend planned site visit, special arrangements can be made to do a tour before the scheduled date. To arrange, call Maintenance at 864-3069.

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There comes a time of leaving childish things behind. NOW is that time: if you are caught you will be charged.

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*Harry Ketterer*

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## One welcome sign for service clubs proposed

By Jim Prince

A request by one organization has prompted the township council to investigate a single highway sign indicating service clubs in the community.

The matter was discussed at last week's regular meeting and was prompted by a request from Masonic Lodge which wants permission to erect a sign on the highway entrance into town. The metal sign would measure 28 inches by 23 inches and be similar to others

in about 400 communities in Ontario.

While considering the request, the council supported the proposal by Mayor Earle J. Freeborn to invite all service groups and organization in Chapleau to discuss the idea of a single sign on which logos and information could be affixed.

Councillor Andre Byham said he liked this idea and a resolution by deputy mayor Swanson and councillor Richard Bignucolo supported the proposal as well.



New column : for the green thumb

## Gardening from the ground up Mulch Ado About Nothing

Mulching can be a complicated business, because the word "mulch" is used for different things that we put on a garden for different reasons. To simplify matters, winter mulch can be divided into two categories: mulch to be left on, and mulch to be taken off.

There are three main reasons for applying mulch to a garden: to stop weeds from growing, to nourish the plants, and to provide insulation from winter cold. The main purpose of a winter mulch is to provide insulation, though if it is left on the garden through the spring and summer, it can also feed the plants and discourage weeds. A mulch that is to be taken off the garden in spring is used only for winter protection.

Not all plants need to be mulched for the winter. Plants in raised garden beds are more

prone to being frozen, and will benefit from some extra care. Plants that are exposed to winter winds are also good candidates for mulching. Trees and shrubs that have just been planted this year should definitely be mulched, as should any plant rated to climate zone 4 (check the tags on your perennials for the zone rating or minimum temperature). If a tree or shrub has been heavily pruned this fall, it is a good idea to use a mulch around it that can be left on for the summer.

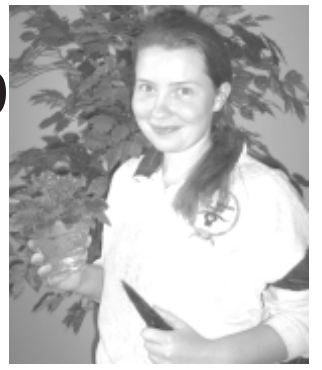
If you intend to leave winter mulch on the garden in the spring, the best materials to use as mulch are manure, compost, or a mixture of both. These will break down into the soil over the summer and provide nutrients for the plants. Use well composted material; it should be black and crumbly. Manure that is too fresh will promote rather than

inhibit growth of weeds.

Because manure and compost are rich in nitrogen and other nutrients, if they are put on the garden too early in autumn they can cause the plants to produce new growth, which is prone to frost damage. It is best to wait until there have been a couple of good heavy frosts before mulching.

For plants that prefer acid soil, such as Hydrangeas, Rhododendrons, and Azaleas, use pine needles as a mulch to be left on. The pine needles will lower the PH balance of the soil as they break down.

If you plan to remove the mulch from the garden in the spring, you can use sawdust, shavings, straw, leaves, or any such insulating material. Leaves and wood shavings can be difficult to remove, but if you put newspaper down first, then pile the mulch on top, you can easily lift



it all off in the spring. All of these materials should be removed once the snow has melted.

Whether it is to be left on or taken off, and regardless of the materials used, the method of applying winter mulch is always the same. It should cover the area of ground where the plants' roots are. For trees and shrubs, the ring of mulch should be about as wide as the spread of the branches. Clear the mulch away from around the stems to avoid stem rot. Mulch carefully around Irises; they don't like having their rhizomes (thick roots near the soil surface) covered. Heap the mulch on to a depth of at least four inches to keep your plants well insulated against the winter cold.

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# Winter pays brief visit



We thought this was one for your scrapbook or the fridge as a reminder that although it's been a warm autumn there's no denying it really is time to install storm windows, put in the winter wood or that other fun stuff we all need to do. Remember folks, this is the week-end to give thanks for all of life's good things and a bountiful harvest.



## October activities at CHAPLEAU HIGH SCHOOL

Tuesday, October 5 - World Teacher's Day  
Recognition of all those making a contribution in education for both youth and adults

Wednesday, October 6 - College Information Day  
Various colleges will be visiting CHS. Parents are invited to attend. Ottawa University 10:15  
Early Dismissal - Classes dismissed at 12:20 p.m.

Thursday, October 7 - ECSN at Chapleau  
Girls' Basketball & Boys' Volleyball

Friday, October 8 - Presentation by the Responsible Gambling Council to the student body.

Monday, October 11 - Thanksgiving  
Everyone at CHS wishes you a special Thanksgiving with family and friends.

Wednesday, October 13 - Chapleau at Hornepayne  
Girls' Basketball & Boys' Volleyball

Thursday, October 14 - Northern College Trip for Grades 11's and 12's

Monday, October 18 - Cambrian College 12:30

Tuesday, October 19 - Chapleau at ECSN  
Girls' Basketball & Boys' Volleyball

Wednesday, October 20  
-University Information Program 9:00  
Parents are invited to attend.  
-Cross Country Thunder Bay

Friday, October 22 - Cambrian College 9:00

Monday, October 25 - Trillium at Chapleau  
Girls' Basketball & Boys' Volleyball  
-Northern College 10:15

Wednesday/Thursday, October 27 & 28 - Provincial Literacy Tests

Friday/Saturday, November 19 & 20 - Dinner Theater  
CHS students present "West of Pecos"  
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## NOTICE

Notice under Section 34(12) and (13) of the Planning Act of a public meeting to be held for the purpose of informing the public of an application to amend to the Township's Zoning By-Law. All residents of the Township of Chapleau take notice that the Council of the Township of Chapleau will be holding a public meeting on the 8th day of November 2004, at 7:30 p.m. in the Civic Centre to inform the public of the application being considered. It is as follows:

### Purpose and Effect

The purpose of the application is to amend the zoning by-law to rezone the lands described below from Residential Two to Town Centre Commercial. The effect will be to permit the subject property to be used for all permitted uses under Section 6.1, of the Zoning By-law.

### Property Subject to this Amendment

Lot 48, Plan 4, 20 Beech Street E (Former property of Mr. Charles Law).

If a person or public body that files an appeal of a decision of the Township of Chapleau in respect of the proposed Zoning By-law does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the Township of Chapleau before the proposed Zoning By-law is adopted, the Ontario Municipal Board may dismiss all or part of the appeal.

Detailed mapping and the draft by-law may be reviewed at the CAO's office, Civic Centre, 20 Pine Street, during regular office hours. For further information, please contact the undersigned.

Dated at Chapleau this 10th day of October, 2004.

Mr. A. Pellow  
C.A.O./A.M.C.T.  
864-1330

## Avis

Avis est donné en vertu des articles 34(12) et (13) de la Loi sur l'urbanisme, qu'il y aura une audience publique pour étudier une demande en vue d'amender le règlement de zonage.

Prière de noter que l'assemblée aura lieu le 8 novembre 2004 à 19h30 au Centre Civique. Les précisions sur la demande sont les suivantes:

### Modalités de l'amendement

Amender le règlement global de zonage en vue de reclasser le terrain cité ci-bas de Résidentiel à Centre-ville commercial, afin de permettre que la propriété soit utilisée aux fins désignées selon le chapitre 6,1 du règlement de zonage.

### Propriété faisant l'objet de cette demande

Lot 48, plan 4, 20, rue Beech Est ( ancienne propriété de M. Charles Law).

Toute personne ou organisme publique désirant porter en appel la décision de la Municipalité de Chapleau en cette affaire, doit le faire de vive voix au cours de l'audience à cet effet, ou en écrit en envoyant sa soumission à la Municipalité de Chapleau avant que le règlement ne soit adopté, sinon l'appel risque d'être rejeté en partie ou dans sa totalité par la Commission municipale de l'Ontario.

On peut examiner la carte détaillée ainsi que le texte du règlement relatifs à cette demande en s'adressant au bureau du greffier du Centre civique au 20, rue Pine. Pour de plus amples renseignements à ce sujet, veuillez contacter le soussigné.

Daté a Chapleau ce 10 octobre 2004.

Allan Pellow  
Greffier/administrateur municipal  
864-1330

# Fire prevention message loud and clear



Justin Black is now the proud wearer of fire fighters helmet one of dozens which were handed out by volunteer firefighter Kevin Gherbaz.

Pictured on right is 7 year old Karl Cuthbert who has just knocked down a target during a skills test which was a part of the Fire Prevention Week activities at the fire hall



With the fire trucks fanned out in the community with their sirens wailing in a modern version of the pied piper, hundreds of children and many of their parents were drawn to the fire hall as the Chapleau Fire Department put on its annual display in

conjunction with Fire Prevention week. Jim Apsey, the brigade's fire prevention officer and organizer of the event, said it was another success with more than 300 participants. Further proof the message is going home is the

increasingly high number of homes found to have fire alarms and a planned fire escape which are both noted when the firemen carry out their annual home inspections. It's mandatory for homes to be equipped with alarms.



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Richard Fournier

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## NO, NO, NOT THE BUSH!

### Chapter one

The argument started right under the head of the whale skeleton. It was loud, too, so that many of the Science North visitors turned to stare. Overhead the huge linked vertebrae of the whale were suspended above the ramp. The skeleton soared up in a curve from the main floor, ending in the huge arch of its jaws near the high ceiling. Beneath it was a pair of twelve-year-olds with angry eyes and flushed cheeks. The girl was pulling on the boy's T-shirt and pointing back at one of the corridors. The boy yanked himself free and stomped down the ramp.

Under the tail of the whale, on the main floor, two men watched. They looked at each other, embarrassed, their faces almost mirror images, for these men were brothers. "Well, Jack, who started it *this* time?", murmured the dark one. "My Julie or your Marc?"

"Dunno," replied his red-haired, bearded brother, "But Marc has been really touchy all week. Think I should get on his case about it?"

"Maybe he's just nervy about tonight- " began Rob, but he was interrupted by the arrival of the two young people. They were silent now, with sullen faces. "Good timing, folks," Rob said. "We'll have just enough time to change at the hotel." He led the way to the parking lot. It was a tense, chilly ride with Marc and his cousin Julie in the back seat, staring out opposite windows.

As he navigated the Sudbury traffic, Jack tried to lighten the atmosphere by asking, "Rob, are you all set for the press conference?"

"Well...yes," said Rob hesitantly, "But I worry about blanking out in front of all those reporters. I can imagine the headlines. 'Toronto inventor makes mining technology breakthrough.

Gives completely incoherent explanation of own invention.' You know I always hated public speaking!"

"That's okay Rob," soothed his brother. "You don't want to explain too much. Think of all those industrial spies hovering around to steal your secret!" Both men laughed.

Back at the hotel, the two families prepared for the press conference to be held in the large ballroom. Jack had asked Julie to get dressed up. "It's your uncle's special night," he'd said. Julie came out of the bathroom, her brown hair shining, wearing jeans with rhinestone trim and a red "Roots" sweatshirt.

"This is dressed up enough," she announced. Her father rolled his eyes and sighed.

"Good enough, I guess," said Jack. "Say, honey, what's the trouble between you and Marc?" Julie's answer tumbled out.

"Aw, Dad, he's a nerd trying to look like a rapper. Such a city kid, all astonished to see a log truck go by, 'Hey Wow! How many wheels has that got?' and he bosses me, and he thinks people from up here are all stupid because we have't got Starbucks or Chapters, and every time I try to talk to Uncle Rob he interrupts!" As Julie paused to breathe her father dropped a quiet question into the air. "Could you be jealous?"

Julie didn't answer but her face slowly turned bright pink. "I know you and your uncle enjoyed doing things together in the past. Remember how he let you use his tools to build the raft? And the collection of ore sample you worked on together? Those were good times. Then he got married and there was less time for you. Do you think that might be part of the trouble?"

"I don't know. Probably not," mumbled Julie. She picked up the remote and began flipping channels.

In the room across the hall, Marc laced his shoes while Rob concentrated on knotting his tie. Still staring in the mirror, Rob asked "Is there any special reason why you and Julie

are always bickering these days?"

"You mean Miss Know-it-all? Who nearly made us late today? She was so busy showing off her knowledge this morning she stepped off the curb right in front of a bus! I had to yank her back and the bus driver nearly had a heart attack! Don't they have any traffic lights up in Chapleau?"

"Yes, just one, without a 'walk-don't walk' feature. Don't be so hard on her! She hasn't spent much time in cities and probably gets distracted by all the..."

"No way!" interrupted Marc. "She's just too wrapped up in her own smartness to see what's in front of her!"

A knock at the door startled them both. "It's time!" called Jack's voice. Marc opened the door. "Well, this is it!" murmured Rob and he led the group out to meet the press.

The ballroom was crowded with reporters, microphones, lights, cameras; all attention focussed on a large shrouded object at one end of the room. Rob attracted a dozen reporters like a magnet picking up pins as he strode toward the draped equipment. Cameras began flashing as somebody introduced Rob. The room was uncomfortably hot. The June weather had warmed up suddenly and the hotel's air conditioner hadn't caught up. Marc wished he hadn't worn his thick grey hoodie. He edged toward a corner where an exit door stood open to admit a breeze. Julie drifted after him. Rob was addressing the crowd.

"...and the advantage of this technology," he was saying as he pulled the drapery to reveal his shining invention, "is that, instead of telling us where a highly concentrated mineral deposit *might* be, it identifies a precise location."

"Psst!" hissed someone, tapping Marc's shoulder. Marc turned and saw a man holding a large fuzzy mike and a woman with a video camera on her shoulder. "Are you the son of the inventor?" asked the woman. "His stepson," answered Marc cautiously. "Why?"

"Well, great!" exclaimed the woman, smiling broadly. "We represent YTV and we want to ask you a few questions about yourself and your -uh-step-dad, and his work. What's it like to live with a brilliant inventor, how will being rich and famous affect him-things like that. Would you say he's like an absent-minded professor?"

"Oh, no! He's very down-to-earth!" interrupted Julie, pushing in front of Marc. "He's my uncle and I know him very well!" The man and woman looked at each other and grinned. "Even better," said the man as he fiddled with his microphone. "Why don't both of you step this way and we'll do a little interview? It's rather noisy in there."

He gestured toward a white van parked close to the exit. Julie was walking toward it already, while the woman was complimenting her on her red shirt.

"It will look great on camera, especially if you stand right next to the van." She looked through her camera lens. "Now you, young man, come and stand beside her." She waved a hand to direct Marc.

He hesitated. Something wasn't right. The couple looked too old to be YTV interviewers. There was no logo on the truck, or on the camera. "Wait a minute," he said, reaching for Julie's arm, "We can't give interviews without clearing it with our folks." But as he attempted to lead Julie away, the van door shot open. Two men reached out and swiftly clamped their hands over the mouths of Julie and Marc, whipped them off their feet and into the van.

Instantly the door slid shut and a very loud stereo was switched on. Its whumping bass beat drowned the sounds of the struggle taking place inside. Within seconds both youngsters were on the floor, tied hand and foot, duct tape over their mouths.

Tears in her eyes, Julie thought "We've been kidnapped! But who gets kidnapped in Sudbury?"

Marc's only thought was "Well, this really sucks!"

...TO BE CONTINUED

## Formation Plus

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Power Point (débutant) (10 hrs)  
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Isabelle Tremblay 50\$

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## Snowmobile club executive named

By Jim Prince

Thanks to small group of dedicated individuals, the Chapleau Arctic Watershed Snomobile Club has an executive to operate the club for another year.

Acclaimed to return to office for another year as president is Roger Perreault. Kathleen Johnston will serve as vice president. Glenda MacLean holds the position of secretary while the treasurer is Tanya Keech.

Named as club directors are Raymond Bouchard, Adam Alexander, Ryan Bignucolo and Real Fortin.

There are some vacancies remaining and anyone wishing to fill the positions should contact Perreault.

The club's annual meeting, which was held last week set out some projects to work

on during the early part of the year including bridge repairs and plans for a number of fundraiser.

These include the drag races on the river which have been popular in the past and another successful venture, the annual Jail-a-thon.

The meeting received some encouraging news which could provide some relief to the ever increasing costs of insurance.

The Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs has obtained a new general liability policy that provides it with more manageable trail liability income coverage to protect its volunteers, club, trails and landowners. The Federation says this will effectively end the roller coaster ride of sky-rocketing costs over the past three years and will allow it

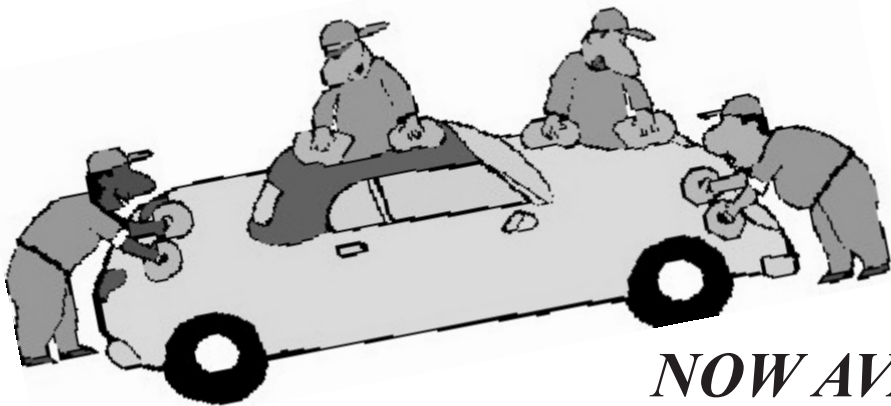


to better control its own destiny delivering much needed stability to Ontario's industry.

Located at the centre of key Northern Ontario Trails, Chapleau is a major player in the industry.

Several motels and other segments of the tourist industry here, including restaurants and gas stations have benefited from the annual influx of winter tourists,

The local club is responsible for over 500 kilometers of groomed trails which play a vital role in the provincial network.



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