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# Subway has grand opening



Terry Beckerton, owner of the Subway restaurant along with manager Crystal Rose Bouchard and Denise Fortin performed the ribbon cutting ceremony on the occasion of the Subway grand opening held on Saturday September 29th, 2012. Long lines of customers were observed throughout the day as they took advantage of a two for one Grand Opening special. The aroma of freshly baking bread certainly made the wait worthwhile. Congratulations to Terry and his team of sandwich artists for having faith in our community.

### Rotary Book Drive for the Elliot Lake Library

The public library in Elliot Lake was housed in the mall which collapsed this summer. As a result, residents of Elliot Lake are currently without access to books and resources that we tend to take for granted. The library is now in new temporary quarters, but the shelves are bare.

Local Rotary Clubs, including the Rotary Club of Chapleau are working together to help restock the shelves of Elliot Lake's public library. To help us help our neighbours, Rotarians and volunteers will be conducting a book drive Sunday October 21st from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. If you would like to donate to our book drive but are not home, you can bring them to the Chapleau Public Library. There will also be a donation box at the

Formation Plus booth at the Fall Fair.

Hard cover or soft cover books, fiction and non fiction, French and English books are welcome, provided they are in good condition.

#### **Break And Enter To Cottage**

On September 30, 2012 the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Superior East Chapleau Detachment were advised of a break and enter to a cottage on Chapleau River. The break in occurred sometime between August 20 and September 30, 2012. The locks on the doors had been smashed to gain entry into building. items stolen are estimated to be \$2500 and include a KIPOR Cont'd on P.6

#### **RELAY FOR I LIFE 2013 Theme Contest** sponsored by RBC

By Gisele Barlow

fter much deliberation the Relay For Life committee would

#### **Long Term Forecast**

Friday High

Saturday High 2 Low -1

Sunday High 6 Low -3

Monday High 6 Low 0

Tuesday High 8 Low -1

Wednesday High 7 Low 0

like to announce that the next Relay for Life will take place on Friday June 14th 2013. This year will be the sixth year for the annual event and no one can be prouder of its success than the Relay for Life committee. Each year the committee chooses a theme on which to plan events and activities around. This year we are asking the community to choose the

theme. Beginning Tuesday October 9th and ending Thursday November 9th at 4:00 p.m. a contest will be held to find the theme for Relay 2013. Entry is easy and free. On a piece of paper or email message write the date, your name, telephone number and email address, next along with as much detail as you can about why your theme

should be the next Relay for life theme. This contest is open to the entire community. Entries can be dropped off to Rosane Connelly at Canada's Brokerlink or can be emailed to giselebarlow@yahoo. The winner will be awarded free registration for a team of ten for the 2013 write your theme idea event sponsored by RBC. This prize cannot be exchanged for cash value.

winner will be chosen by the committee and based upon content, detail and feasibility. The author of the successful theme will be contacted via the contact information provided on the entry. In the event that the winning entry is duplicated, the entry with the most detail will be chosen, if they are equal in detail the entry handed in first will be chosen.

Chapleau, we have seen the amazing imaginations of our community before and we are excited to see what wonderful ideas will come forth for this contest. As always, anyone wishing to become a part of the committee is urged to contact Gisele Barlow, Relay For Life Chairperson at giselebarlow@yahoo. com.

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### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Editor Chapleau **Express** 

Mr. Editor;

Thank you for the opportunity to share with your readers a letter that I have sent to the Mayor and Council. The letter will advise all who attended the CHS 90th Reunion that the event was not only an organizational success and that it was a financial success as well.

I have been contacted by many of the CHS alumina who attended the 90th Reunion wondering if the event was a financial success.

Thank you once again for allowing me this opportunity to bring this information to all those who attended the Reunion.

Sincerely,

Earle J. Freeborn CHS 90th Reunion committee member

Corporation of the Township of Chapleau P.O. Box 129 Chapleau, ON P0M 1K0

Mayor and Council;

I write this letter to express my personal appreciation for your support of the Chapleau High School 90th Reunion Event. Without your support and guidance this successful Reunion would not have taken place. The local business community benefitted financially from the influx of CHS alumni as over 1000 guests were registered for this event.

In the past the 60th and 75th CHS Reunions were supported by the Chapleau Board of Education, and now with the Regional School Board centered in Sault Ste. Marie this support was not available from the Algoma District School Board. The Reunion committee members committed to make this Reunion a success and worked diligently for 18 months planning and organizing all of the aspects of this event and should receive a "thank you" from everyone who attended the Reunion.

The Township's treasurer has now made available the final breakdown of expenses versus revenue from the Reunion and it is clear that the CHS 90th Reunion final financial statement shows a surplus. As in the past any surplus dollars generated from the CHS Reunions were used to support CHS graduates in the form of bursaries.

It is our hope that the Council will donate this surplus to the CHS bursary account which Mr. Les Jones and Mrs. Robert Fortin (Margaret Rose) are the signatories to this account.

Mr. Jones was the treasurer of the 75th CHS Reunion and the 90th CHS Reunion. My appreciation goes out to him as well as all of the members of the organizing committee, those who donated funds and the volunteers who gave so many personal hours working together to make this event the success that it was.

In closing, I look forward to your decision to donate the surplus dollars generated from the CHS 90th Reunion to the CHS bursary account. Sincerely. Earle J. Freeborn CHS 90th Reunion committee member

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# Township withdraws support for Chapleau Seniors and medical services

By James Cranney, Grove is a not-for-**Board Chair, SSCHS** 

Township of Chapleau has given notice to Chapleau Health Services (SSCHS) that it is eliminating its longstanding municipal tax rebate on the community's Cedar Grove Facility and the Community Medical Dental Clinic. Cedar

profit apartment building providing low income housing to senior citizens. Last year SSCHS also introduced an Aging at Home support program via funding from the North East Local Health Integration Network (NE-LHIN) to assist seniors to stay independent in their homes. Back in 2001 SSCHS requested financial support from the township for these two community programs in order to make them financially stable. At that time the township provided its support via the annual rebate of municipal taxes.

This recent decision now means

the Cedar Grove operating costs. Cedar explained that the Senior's Apartment building complex will see an approximately \$50,000 increase in annual expenses and the Medical Clinic will see a \$18,000 jump in expenses. Both facilities currently operate at a break even and have no additional revenue sources to offset this increase in

Grove would require a 23% increase in rental rates in order to fund this increased expense. In a letter from James Cranney, SSCHS, Board Chair, historical information on both the Cedar Grove and Medical Clinic facilities was provided to the Mayor and Coun-The letter

Cedar Grove facility was previously owned by Chapleau Senior Services Incorporated and operated as a nursing home. During this time the operations suffered significant losses that accumulated to over \$2.4 million between the time periods of 1981 to Cont'd on P.5

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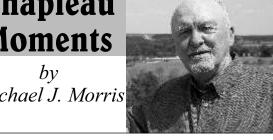
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# Plus ça change, plus c'est la même chose:

## Northern Ontario continues to take the hits

### Chapleau **Moments**

Michael J. Morris



When Reeve B.W. "Bubs" Zufelt was interviewed by The Globe and Mail in June 1950 about Chapleau having the Trans Canada Highway, it was an occasion for great celebration in the community.

Reeve Zufelt, who in the interests of full disclosure was my "Uncle Bubs", told Don Delaplante, a Globe and Mail reporter that it looked like "half the world is going to come driving down our Main Street."

The Chapleau Post ran a banner headline "WE GOT IT" and schools were closed for the day to mark the occasion. The reeve had his picture taken pointing towards Schreiber in the general direction of where the highway would go from Chapleau.

Well, some 62 years later, we are all aware that the Trans Canada Highway never came through Chapleau, even though in 1951, Welland S. Gemmell, an Ontario cabinet minister, assured 2200 citizens at the official opening of the Chapleau Memorial Arena that it would.

Imagine the disappointment when the Trans Canada took another route despite promise after promise by senior levels of

government.

Such is the nature of politics, and for Chapleau and other communities in Northern Ontario, it seems plus ça change, plus c'est la même chose.

Never mind losing the Trans Canada Highway, successive Chapleau councils have tried to get the Sultan/Ramsey Road completed to no avail.

However, let me get to the point of this column. I have very seldom written about current issues affecting Chapleau simply because I am writing from afar and am not really aware of what's really happening on the local scene.

But, this past week, after receiving emails and Facebook messages, about a government decision to close provincial parks, the end of the Ontario Northland train between Toronto and a Grey Cup train that is bypassing Chapleau and Northern Ontario, enough is enough folks.

The Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources announced that overnight camping at 10 Northern Ontario parks, including Shoals and Ivanhoe near Chapleau as part of its budget slashing process. Michael Gravelle, the Natural Resources

minister said, "The decisions we're making are necessary to modernize our business, make the ministry sustainable, and help the government balance the budget,"

Gravelle added: "I'm confident that we will be more efficient and better organized to focus on what matters most to the people who rely on the ministry's programs and services."

According to a ministry news release, the changes will result in the elimination of 28 full-time and 102 seasonal positions, saving the Ontario government \$6.1 million a year and future capital costs of \$4.4 million.

Referring specifically to Shoals. the ministry news release said, "The Shoals Provincial Park near Chapleau had fewer than 5,000 visits last year, and Ontario Parks recovered only 30 cents on each dollar it invested in the park."

Withthe closure of the parks, as part of its "streamlining and automating processes", whatever that means in terms people can understand, the government plans to focus on 104 parks primarily located in Southern Ontario.

Gravelle says he believes the ministry will be able to focus on "what matters most" to people. Well, Minister, may I suggest you begin by making decisions that include consultation with the citizens directly affected in the communities who rely on the parks in many ways, instead of a mathematical model of usage and cost recovery created by bureaucrats at Queens Park.

There is no mention in the news release that other options were consid-

On September 28, Jennifer Wells a feature writer with the Toronto Star, was aboard the Northlander, the Ontario Northland Transportation Commisssion historic train -- operating for more than 100 years -on its last run from Cochrane to Toronto. Although not directly connected to Chapleau, the Northlander has been used by its citizens over the years. it has been cancelled by the Ontario government.

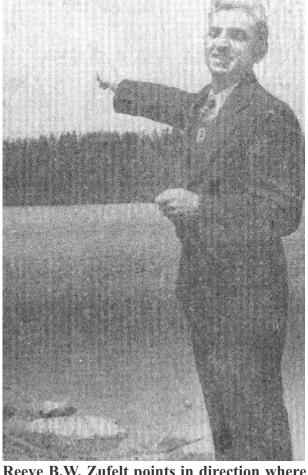
One passenger on the Northlander told Wells, "The fight isn't over.... The divide between the north and south is now greater than it's ever been".

I imagine the passenger spoke for the majority of Northern Ontario citizens.

Meanwhile, an email arrived from Ian Macdonald, telling me about the train marking the 100th anniversary of the Grey Cup. I was unaware of the train's existence but after reading his email I, like him, was angered.

Here is part of Ian's email:

"Please note that Northern Ontario has been totally ignored!!!! If I still lived there I would be raising proper Hell. (Ian now lives in



Reeve B.W. Zufelt points in direction where Trans Canada Highway is to go from Chapleau.

Winnipeg, but attended Chapleau Public and Chapleau High schools)

"Those of us of our generation can recall the trains stopping in Chapleau and other CPR divisional points en route to the Grey Cup in Toronto. The rail trip across Northern Ontario was an important aspect of the Grey Cup festival as we know it today. ask any Calgary fan from that era.

The schedule is: http://www.grey cuptour.ca/

"This is truly an insult to Northern Ontario and displays a total lack of understanding on the part of the CFL of how the Grey Cup Festival was email is mj.morris@ launched and the communities and

people who played an important role.

"P\*\*\*\* off..... I remain, Ian"

Maybe it's time for every mayor in Northern Ontario from the Manitoba border to Thunder Bay, to Hearst, Cochrane, Timmins and on to North Bay, and along Highway 17 to Sault Ste Marie, and to Sudbury, and of course Chapleau, to hop on buses and head to Toronto united in a common cause to get a better deal for Northern Ontario. Maybe let the CFL know Northern Ontario exists.

Like my friend Ian, who says he is ever the radical, even though we are now 70ish, my live.ca, Please feel free to be in touch.





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« L e 2 5 septembre 1975, le drapeau francoontarien a été hissé pour la toute première fois. Cet après-midi, dans notre belle communauté de

Chapleau, nous assistons à la levée du drapeau grâce à la détermination des membres de l'AFEC. Ce drapeau est notre flambeau et représente nos racines, notre héritage culturel et notre

identité.



De plus, cette année, il s'agit du

centième anniversaire du Règlement

17. Une loi qui interdisait

l'enseignement en français dans les

écoles de l'Ontario. Heureusement,

des gens ont lutté pour abolir cette loi

insensée et ont combattu pour les

droits des Franco-Ontariens et Franco-

Ontariennes. Nous en avons fait du

ontarien, vous avez un symbole de

votre passé, votre présent, et votre

avenir en français et vous pouvez en

être fiers. Cependant, il ne faut pas

prendre ce que vous avez pour acquis,

car plusieurs personnes ont été obligées de lutter et de foncer pour que

les droits des Franco-Ontariens soient

reconnus. C'est donc à vous de

poursuivre ce que d'autres ont

commencé il y a plusieurs années.

L'identité franco-ontarienne ne doit pas

disparaître et c'est le rôle de toutes les

Grâce au drapeau franco-

chemin depuis.

#### CERCLE DE LECTURE ET COURS DE DANSE

Nous vivons dans une petite communauté, mais les occasions de faire profiter vos enfants de diverses activités sont très présentes. Je suis un professeur à la retraite, mais je ne peux m'empêcher d'avoir le développement social des enfants à cœur. J'ai donc mis sur pied un programme de lecture et d'aide aux devoirs après l'école pour les jeunes ainsi qu'une diversité d'activités autre que les jeux vidéos.

Pour la modique somme de 300\$ (3.10\$/hr), votre enfant recoit 3 heures chaque semaine d'aide avec ses devoirs et sa lecture par une personne qualifiée. Pourquoi ne pas augmenter les chances de votre enfant à un bon résultat académique?

Plusieurs d'entre vous ont inscrit vos enfants au cours de danse et je vous en remercie. Cependant, il reste plusieurs places de disponibles pour les 7 ans et plus. La session des 7 ans a lieu les mardis de 16 h 30 à 17 h 30. Le coût d'inscription est de 200\$. N'oubliez pas que la danse est une activité cardiovasculaire, mais avant tout très amusante.

Vous êtes indécis, je vous invite à visiter Au grenier de Pierrot. Vous y trouverez un endroit propre et sécuritaire. Je suis toujours à votre disposition pour de l'information supplémentaire et pour une visite. N'hésitez pas de m'appeler (Sylvie L. Rousseau) au 705.221.4184.

#### ACTIVITÉS À VENIR...

#### octobre

1-??: Média Bingo (Centre culturel Louis-Hémon)

Jour de l'Action de grâce

Dîner Subway commence (Sacré-Coeur) 10:

Dîner commun au gymnase (Sacré-Coeur) 12:

Atelier « Réseau social: au sujet de Facebook » de 12 h - 13 h (PARO) 16:

Dépistage dentaire (Sacré-Coeur) 18:

23: Atelier: « Réseau social: Pinterest » de 12 h – 13 h (PARO)

26: Présentation sur la sécurité des autobus (Sacré-Coeur)

30: Atelier « LinkedIn, le réseau social des professionnelles » 12 h – 13 h (PARO)

Ralliement succès à 13h30 au gymnase + Journée costumée (Sacré-Coeur)

3 nov: Spectacle de magie - Fredo à 19 h 30 (Centre culturel Louis-Hémon) 6 nov: Atelier « Réseau social: au sujet de Twitter » de 12 h – 13 h (PARO)

#### PRIX PARTENAIRE 2012

L'Assemblée générale annuelle de la Commission de la formation du nord-est a eu lieu à Timmins le jeudi 27 septembre. C'est alors que, FormationPLUS ainsi que le Chapleau Learning Centre se sont mérité l'un des quinze « Prix partenaire 2012 ». Le thème de la soirée était « travailler ensemble », alors Julie Joncas, directrice de la CFNE, a cru bon de remettre une statuette en cristal sous forme de poignée de main, symbole du partenariat. La CFNE dessert une bonne partie du nord-est de la province.



#### VISITE DE GILBERT LÉVESQUE À CHAPLEAU

Au début de septembre, M. Gilbert Lévesque, coordonnateur montréalais des commémorations Louis-Hémon, était de passage à Chapleau afin de rencontrer le comité organisateur du Centenaire du décès de Louis Hémon. Bien que sa visite fut de courte durée. il a tout de même tenu à rencontrer les gens de la communauté en offrant une conférence sur Louis Hémon. Suite à la conférence, il a remis au Centre culturel deux œuvres en porcelaine provenant de Brest. La rencontre avec le comité fut très productive et plusieurs nouvelles idées furent soulevées. Avant

de reprendre le chemin du retour, Monsieur Lévesque se rendit au cimetière pour se recueillir à la tombe de Louis Hémon et aussi d'y déposer de la terre en provenance de Montréal, première ville d'adoption de l'auteur à son arrivée au Canada.

Je termine mon article en partageant avec vous l'impression de Gilbert Lévesque de sa visite à Chapleau (voir à droite).

> par Diane Jean Centre culturel Louis-Hémon



Chère Diane,

Plus de quinze jours après mon passage à Chapleau, je vous reviens par le présent courrier, pour vous redire, comme je le fis au téléphone, toute la joie qui fut mienne de m'y rendre une seconde fois en trente ans, de faire votre connaissance, et celle du maire et de son épouse, du curé fort sympathique et de toutes les autres personnes croisées lors de mon passage. J'ai beaucoup aimé Chapleau et ses parcs, l'esthétique et la propreté de la ville : un pur bonheur pour la vue.



# Township withdraws support for Chapleau Seniors and medical services

1993 – the township was required to subsidize these losses. Since this was not sustainable, a tripartite committee, made up of the township, Chapleau General Hospital and provincial government was formed to come up with a new solution otherwise the Ministry was going to shut down the nursing home. The solution

agency, Services de santé de Chapleau Health Services (SSCHS), created to govern and operate hospital, nursing home and community services, consolidating 2 0 0 1 S S C H S services and staff to make it affordable. Cedar Grove was then set up to operate as a low income senior's apartment building. The new corporation, SSCHS, was intended

was one multi-service to eliminate the receives no funding to expense of operating cost overruns to the township vs. become a source of taxation income.

> It was also explained that back in requested a contribution towards the operational expenses of the Medical Dental Clinic facility, as assistance in attracting and retaining physician services. SSCHS

physician services provided in hospital. In many communities it is the municipality that takes the lead in recruiting and retaining physicians to work in the community. It is regarded as a form of economic development for the community to have physician family practices, and

provide for commu-

nity physician clinic

facilities, only for

simply a health issue. Prior to SSCHS owing the community

not dismissed as

Medical Dental facility it was owned by the township and therefore unlikely to be subject to municipal taxes.

Similar to the Township of Chapleau, Chapleau General Hospital continues to be in a severe deficit situation. Ministry of Health and Long-term Care funding is permitted to be diverted to subsidize a senior's rental complex or a medical dental clinic. This substantial increase in operat-

ing costs as a result of the taxes jeopardizes the future of both of these community services. It is the feeling of the SSCHS Board that both the hospital and the township have an ethical and economical obligation to our community. With the elimination of the tax rebate the township of Chapleau will not be contributing anything to Cedar Grove, the Medical Dental Clinic or physician recruitment and retention for our community.

#### Charges laid in break and enter on Lansdowne St.

n September 2, 2012 the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Superior East Chapleau Detachment responded to a break and enter to an apartment on Lansdowne Street. Several windows were broken to gain entry into the home. Items taken include 3 firearms,

alcohol and jewellery. The firearms include a 410 shotgun, a 20 gauge shotgun and a 308 calibre rifle.

On September 29, 2012 OPP South Porcupine arrested 22 vear old Jesse WHITE of Brunswick House First Nation. The accused was charged with the following Criminal Code

offences; Break and Enter; Mischief Under \$5,000; Breach of Probation and Trafficking in Stolen Goods

The items reported stolen were recovered in this matter. The accused has been held for a bail hearing in Timmins on today's date.

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# Kebsquashesing Golf Club Championship



Men's champion Mitch Plourde



For the second year in a row a mother and son club champions.



Senior Men's champion Billy Scheer

The Kebsquasheshing Club Championship was held on September 8th and 9th, 2012. Mitch Plourde took the Men's Championship with the Women's Championship going to Joanne Plourde. For a second year in a row a mother and son winning each of the two main events. The Senior Men's event was taken by long time golfer, Billy Scheer.

The golfing season has come to an end after another successful year, thanks to all volunteers and mem-



Women's champion Joanne Plourde

bers who make it worthwhile year after

Congratulations to all the winners and thanks to all the volunteers.

The winner of the Barbecue Donated by Collins Home Hardware was Marianne Leach.

The Annual Meeting will be held October 9, 2012 at the club house.



## News from the Chapleau Regional Development Corporation

By the CRDC Board of Directors

For the past ten years, the Chapleau Regional Development Corporation (CRDC) has been delivering the Community Access Program (CAP) funded by Industry Canada. The program brought computer and Internet technologies to many

#### **Break And Enter** To Cottage Cont'd from P.1

1000w generator, a Poulin chainsaw and a 1997 Mariner 8hp outboard motor. Anyone with any information is asked to call the OPP at 1-888-310-1122 or Crime Stoppers.

"If you have any information regarding any criminal activity, call 705-942-7867 or 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS); submit an e-tip from The Crime Stopper's website www.saultcrimestopp ers.com or send a text to keyword SSM to the short code number 274637.

libraries and commu- munity Access Pronity centres in rural and remote settings across Canada. For the CRDC, the Com-

gram funding enabled them to distribute funds to 52 sites across Northern Ontario,

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which included sites. funding for the Chapleau Public Library and Chapleau Cree First Nation. Although the program has now come to an end, Industry Canada is committed to continue to fund youth internships at former

community access

The Chapleau Regional Development Corporation is now looking into other opportunities to leverage funding for projects of economic development of Chapleau and region. Watch for further

ration in the months to come.

Members of the CRDC board of directors are: Michel Sylvestre, Richard Bignucolo, Lucy Bignucolo, Richard Korpela, Les Jones, Karen Petersen, Roxanne Lynne, news from the Corpo- Tanya Kessler

### Various Clubs for Youth

We live in a small community however there are multiple occasions for your children to benefit from diverse activities that are present. I am a retired teacher but I cannot help but having the social development of children at heart. Therefore, I took the opportunity to start an after school reading and homework club for francophone children where we also do numerous other activities other then video games.

For a modest \$300 per year, children receive 3 hours per week of help with homework and reading from a qualified individual. Why not take advantage of the service and increase the chances of your child achieving high academic standings?

I also offer dance classes. I wish to thank the many children who have already signed up for them. However, there are many places remaining in the 7 and up age group. These sessions take place on Tuesdays from 4:30 to 5:30 and sign up fees are 200\$.

If you find yourself undecided, you are invited to visit "Au grenier de Pierrot" where you will find a clear and safe environment. I am always available to provide additional information and to provide a tour of the facilities. Do not hesitate to contact me (Sylvie L. Rousseau) at 705.221.4184.

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### THE LOCAL MARKET PLACE

CHADWIC HOME, FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE Offers shelter, emotional support, and information for women and their children who are in crisis situations. We have a Toll Free Crisis Line which is staffed 24 hours a day. We can arrange for free transportation to the Centre for women who live in the Algoma/Chapleau area. We also offer support to women who live in the communities of Chapleau, White River, Dubreuilville, and Hornepayne through our Outreach Program. Our Outreach Worker travels to those communities to meet with women who need emotional support as well as information about their rights and options. If you need to speak with the Outreach Worker when she is in your community, you can call the Centre at any time to set up an appointment. You do not need to be a resident of the Centre in order to use our services. If you need someone to talk to or if you just need someone to listen, call our Toll Free Crisis line at 1-800-461-2242 or you can drop in at the Centre. We are here for you.

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# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### **Ivanhoe Provincial Park**

Today it was announced that Ivanhoe Provincial Park will be closing to overnight camping, this beautiful park will go from an Operating Park to a non Operating Park. We have been seasonal campers at Ivanhoe for several The years. mismanagement of this park by Ontario Parks has contributed directly to it's demise. Ontario Parks limit

seasonal sites to 25% of a park which works well for parks that are on major highways or close to higher residential areas and therefore get a lot of overnight campers. Ivanhoe always has a full complement of seasonal campers but not as many overnight campers as some of the larger parks due to it's location, something as simple as increasing the percentage of seasonal sites at Ivanhoe would have the number of increased the revenue

making Ivanhoe profitable. Ontario Parks has closed this park without even trying to look at ways to increase the revenue. We (several Ivanhoe campers) have written letters to MPP Gravelle, the Minister of Natural Resources, who then forwarded the letters to Bradley Fauteax, Managing Director for Ontario Parks who then sent them on to Ross Hart who is the Northeast Ontario Parks Zone Manager. None of these people

who are paid to represent Ontario Parks and are in positions to make a difference and fight for our beautiful Northern Park took the initiative to do so therefore letting down the people of the Northeast Region. This is a very sad day for Northern Ontario, we need people that are willing to get up and fight for Northern Ontario. It doesn't make business sense to close a Provincial Park rather than look for ways to make it viable.

Linda Halt 136 Legion Drive South Porcupine

### **Chapleau Metis Council**

#### **DETOUR GOLD HARVEST** DINNER

Wednesday October 17th 5:30 PM **ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION** 

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of Chapleau? Do you like riding your ATV in the beautiful Fall weather brushing and clearing trails? Do you like meeting new

people and feeling like part of a team?

Then why not consider finding out more about the Chapleau Arctic Watershed Snowmobile Club. We are a welcoming, fun group of individuals who works together to make our local trails the best they can be! We would love to meet you and see what

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aspect of our Club Room at 7 pm .Reinterests you!

annual General Meetid

Please come out to our Annual General Meeting Tues Oct 16th at the Aux Trois Moulins Motel Conference

freshments will be served! Call Roger or Kathleen at 705 864-1313 or visit our website www.chap eausnowmobilers.net. See you there!

# **October Happenings**

# **Chapleau High School**

CHARACTER ATTRIBUTE: Citizenship

Wednesday, October 3 College Information Program – 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Parents of College bound students are encouraged to

Thursday, October 4 Volunteer Fair - Period 4

Friday, October 5 World Teachers Day

Thanksgiving Day - No school for students and staff Monday, October 8

CHS students and staff wish everyone an enjoyable

Thanksgiving with family and friends.

Parents' Night 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Friday, October 12 Lakehead University Presentation at 9:00 a.m. Parents of University bound students are encouraged to

Tuesday, October 16

Monday, October 15 Responsible Gambling Presentation, Period 4

Parents are encouraged to attend

Wednesday, October 17 Academic Awards Assembly, Period 2

University Information Program – 10:15 – 11:20 a.m. Thursday, October 18

Parents of University bound students are encouraged to

Friday, October 19 Sault College Presentation, Period 4

Parents of College bound students are encouraged to

Grand Opening begins at 12:00 p.m. **Tuesday, October 23** 

Algoma University Presentation, Period 2 Thursday, October 25 Parents of University bound students are encouraged to

Wednesday, October 31 MADD Presentation, Period 1

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