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THE CENTRE DUFFERIN DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL ROYALS senior basketball team host the Wolverines from Wellington Heights Secondary School on Monday, December 4. The Royals left the court with a 70-21 win and have moved into first place in the District 4 standings. For the full story, see Page 8

## Shelburne Council seeks service costing from OPP

Written By **PETER RICHARDSON**

Faced with the inevitability of having to find a new home for the Shelburne Police Services, a move that, at present, will require an outlay of between \$5.5 million and 6.4 million dollars and which would raise the police budget by some 20 percent and taxes by 6 percent, Council voted Monday night to request a costing, from the OPP.

The divisive and controversial motion, which saw council split five votes to two in passing the measure, was proposed by Councillor Wade Mills in the spirit of allowing Council to make a fully, informed decision, regarding the future of policing in Shelburne.

No one, including Councillor Mills, was suggesting that we have a problem with the present community force, however when faced with such a huge and negatively impactful capital project, it is only prudent that Council know what all the options are be-

fore they commit to increasing the burden on the tax payers by such a singularly, high amount.

As expected, numerous arguments were put forward, both in favour of and against the motion. Councillor Mills, in presenting his motion, emphasized strongly that this was not the beginning of the end of the current policing arrangement. Receiving a costing from the OPP simply gives Council more facts and options.

The OPP could easily determine that regardless of who polices the Town, a new accommodation will have to be built to house the force. Most councillors and the mayor, agreed that if this was the case, there would not likely be a reason for the Town to utilize the OPP's services.

Council has both a fiscal and a moral responsibility to spend resident's tax dollars as judiciously and prudently as they can and this motion is simply providing Council with further relevant information with which to

accomplish that responsibility. Whether or not the Town chooses to go forward with the OPP as their force is a totally separate issue from this motion. The motion is a fact finding tool and in no way implies an intention to disband or change, in any manner, the current Shelburne Police Department.

As the Town grows, and it is certainly and steadily doing that, with a projected population increase to 14,000 residents now accepted, the costs of providing services increases exponentially. Those costs, cannot be ignored, neither can they be diminished by wishful thinking.

The majority of those increases are inextricably bound to issues of public safety, in other words, Fire and Police. In searching for options, to address the new building need, it was also noted, that the current Fire Hall, built in 1922, will soon have outlived it's usefulness, as it is rapidly becoming too small for the size of the Town.

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## FEATURE RECIPE

# Peppermint Eggnog

Makes 5 medium cups of eggnog.

**INGREDIENTS**

- 8 Large eggs
- 4 cups of heavy whipping cream
- 2 cups of whole milk
- 1 cup of sugar
- 1 teaspoon of freshly ground nutmeg
- ½ teaspoon vanilla
- 3/14 cup of peppermint schnapps

**DIRECTIONS**

In a large saucepan, combine the eggs, 1 cup of cream, 1 cup of milk and sugar. Cook and stir over medium heat until thick enough to coat the back of spoon ( 160 degrees).

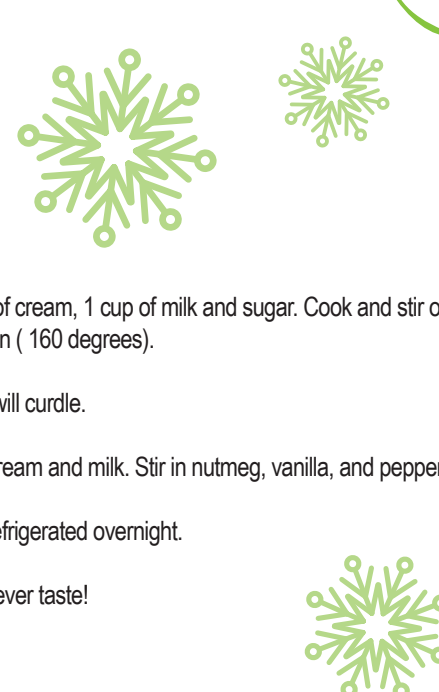

Do not boil, but stir constantly, otherwise eggs will curdle.

Pour into a large bowl and add the remaining cream and milk. Stir in nutmeg, vanilla, and peppermint schnapps.

Cover and refrigerate immediately. Best if left refrigerated overnight.

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# DCMA to close its doors during renovations

Written By MIKE PICKFORD

Dufferin County Museum & Archives (DCMA) will close its doors to the public later this month as staff prepares for the facility's first major renovation since its opening in 1994.

Covering most of the local museum's second floor, the \$150,000 project will pave the way for a "state of the art" permanent exhibit highlighting DCMA's crown jewel – Corn Flower glassware. To be located on the mezzanine overlooking the main level of the museum, the exhibit will be the "biggest and best" collection of Corn Flower glassware anywhere in the world. All of the costs will be paid for through a Canada 150 Infrastructure grant.

The facility will close its doors on Dec. 18 and is hoping to re-open sometime in the spring. This will mark the first time the museum has been closed for a prolonged period since its opening.

DCMA General Manager Darrell Keenie noted this was "probably the biggest thing to happen to the museum" since its opening. Discussing the planned upgrades, he says he can't wait to see the brand new Corn Flower exhibit upon its opening next year.

"Corn Flower truly is a national success story in Canada... And their founder was born and raised right here in Dufferin County," Mr. Keenie told the Free Press. "While the story of the company may have taken place elsewhere, it has its roots right here in the community so we claim it as our own."

Since it started collecting Corn Flower glassware in 1999, DCMA has amassed the largest public collection in the world, boasting over 2,500 individual pieces. Since the company ceased producing its trademark glass in the 1980s, Corn Flower is today considered one of the most highly sought collectible antique franchises in Canada.

Founded by W.J. Hughes in 1914, Corn Flower, known and recognized for its popular floral patterns, grew from very humble beginnings. Starting up in the basement of his Toronto home, Mr. Hughes had confidence in his work, confidence that saw him become one of the province's premiere glass stylists. His legacy was carried on by his daughter Lois and her husband, Pete Kaysar, who ran the company successfully up until the 1980s.

Now, DCMA Curator Sarah Robinson has been tasked with doing justice to one of the region's biggest success stories. Working on the exhibit since January, Ms. Robinson is confident that this collection will blow the community away upon its opening.

"This will be an aesthetically beautiful exhibit, it truly will be a state of the art spreading befitting of the Corn Flower name," Ms. Robinson said. "The story of Corn Flower itself tugs at the heartstrings a little bit, because W.J. came from such humble beginnings. His mother passed away when he was young and he was raised by his father alongside his siblings, so there wasn't a lot of money."

She added, "He knew he had to make something of himself, so went down to Toronto, started working for a glass manufacturer down there and took that concept and really turned it into his own product. I think that's what is very charming about the story. He was this small-town, Dufferin County farm boy who went down to the big city and made something of himself. This exhibit, I hope, is going to capture that perfectly and will tell the complete story of

this great, great company."

While the bulk of the Canada 150 funds has been set aside for the Corn Flower exhibit, Mr. Keenie noted money will be spent elsewhere, too, in an attempt to "freshen things up" at DCMA.

"Once we started to see the calibre, quality and beauty this Corn Flower exhibit will bring, we went back and started to take stock of the entire visitor experience, from the very moment people turn onto our driveway," Mr. Keenie said. "We're going to be out in the grounds, putting up signs for all of our features around the site. We'll be freshening things up on the inside too – it's an exciting time for everyone with ties to DCMA."

In what she called a "sneak peek", Ms. Robinson noted the money had also allowed her to pursue a new exhibit she hopes to roll out later in 2018 focusing on prohibition in Dufferin County.

"That's going to be a really big deal and we're so excited about that. We'll be doing that in partnership with Central Counties Tourism," Ms. Robinson said. "There's a lot of history here in Dufferin County with bootleggers, so taking a look at that era ... It's going to be a lot of fun."

All in all, construction is expected to take approximately six months. Mr. Keenie hopes to have the facility and, more importantly, the new Corn Flower exhibit open to the public by the time DCMA hosts its annual Corn Flower Festival in June.

For the time being, the museum still has a couple more events before it shuts down on Dec. 18. The extremely popular Holiday Treasures craft show and sale runs until Dec. 17, while Christmas Concert in the Church, taking place in the historic Corbetton Church, is pencilled in for Dec. 16, running from 2 to 4 p.m.

"These are two long-standing festive events we've run here at the museum for a really long time, so we're excited to be able to host these before we close," Ms. Robinson noted.

Other annual events, such as DCMA's Family Day festivities will continue, just not at the museum's grounds. The Family Day skate with Aaron Downey will be hosted at the Centre Dufferin District Recreation Complex on Feb. 19. Mr. Keenie pointed out that DCMA's archivist will be out in the community on a weekly basis, making stops at libraries in Orangeville, Shelburne and Grand Valley, while different educational programs will also continue out in the community. Staff will still be around for calls requesting information.

In summarizing, Ms. Robinson says she sees this renovation as an opportunity for the museum to refresh and renew in the hopes of attracting even more people through its doors in the future.

"In my opinion, this museum is beautiful, has always been beautiful and I think anyone in the community that has visited our site will agree with that," Ms. Robinson said. "Anyone who comes through our front doors, if they haven't been here before, are shocked and surprised by what we have. So, I think for a museum that I didn't think could get any more beautiful, any more stunning or any more impressive, we're taking things to the next level. I'm excited to share that with the community. This is going to be an incredibly impressive facility upon our reopening."

For more information on Dufferin County Museum & Archives, visit [dufferinmuseum.com](http://dufferinmuseum.com).



PHOTO: MIKE PICKFORD

DUFFERIN COUNTY MUSEUM & ARCHIVES is shutting down for renovations on Dec. 18. The local facility is making use of a \$150,000 Canada 150 Infrastructure grant to put together a permanent exhibit highlighting its impressive Corn Flower glassware collection.

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Ottawa Journal

Written By DAVID TILSON

On November 10, 2017, the current Liberal Government released the details on the taxation of marijuana. Their taxation plan would add an excise tax of \$1 per gram or 10 per cent of the final retail price, whichever is higher, with the revenues to be divided equally between Ottawa and the provinces. GST will also be applied to sales and the current government committed to consulting on the plan until December 07, 2017. While the current Liberal government has shared its plan to tax marijuana, there are still many unanswered questions surrounding the quick legalization of it, which raises many understandable concerns for Canadians.

We, the Conservative Official Opposition, oppose the legislation to legalize marijuana in Canada. Since the current Liberal government announced its plan to legalize marijuana, we've raised and expressed very serious concerns, ranging from: the current proliferation of illegal, unregulated marijuana dispensaries; the public safety issue of people driving and operating heavy equipment while high; ensuring that marijuana is going to be kept out of the hands of children; addressing Canada's international obligations regarding the legality of marijuana; to name a few.

Instead of focusing on how many tax dollars he can squeeze out of his policy, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau needs to stop and listen instead to scientists, doctors, and law enforcement officials; all of whom say this plan is being rushed through without proper planning or consideration for the negative consequences of such complicated legislation. Most concerning is that Prime Minister Trudeau's bill does not keep marijuana out of the hands of

children, eliminate organized crime, or address issues with impaired driving. The result of the Prime Minister's mismanagement is that provinces and municipalities will be forced to pay the massive upfront costs of implementing this ill-conceived plan.

In addition to the concerns we've raised as the Official Opposition, other groups have raised concerns with respect to the current Liberal government's plan to legalize marijuana. Dr. Laurent Marcoux from the Canadian Medical Association stated, "We still want to set the age at 21, and maybe 25, because the damage done to the brain will be permanent," at the Standing Committee on Health, on September 11, 2017. OPP Deputy Commissioner Rick Barnum, Investigations and Organized Crime, stated during his Health Committee testimony, "...if legislation is ready to go in July 2018, policing will not be ready to go August 1; it's impossible. The damage that can be done between the time of new legislation and police officers being ready to enforce the law in six months or a year make it very hard for us to ever regain that foothold." However, the Liberals have now used their majority to pass the bill in the House of Commons and send it to the Senate over Conservative objections and despite concerns raised by other groups.

The current Liberal government has chosen to focus their efforts on the amount of tax revenue that can be generated through the taxation of marijuana instead of addressing the very serious and (very real) concerns their problematic and complex legislation raises. It is yet another example of the current government failing Canadians and acting impulsively for political points. Canadians deserve better from their government.

Shelburne Legion News

Written By LESA PEAT

December is finally here. Lots of Christmas activities at the branch, beginning with Santa and Mrs. Claus coming for breakfast on December 10th. They will be arriving at 10am - 12pm to hand out goodies to the children and take pictures with everyone. Breakfast is served from 9am - 12pm. We offer "The Hungry Man" for \$10, Westerns and of course a regular good old fashioned breakfast with either bacon or sausage, home fries, baked beans, eggs, toast and juice for the low price of \$7 each for adults or \$4 for children. December 15th Santa and Mrs. Claus will be back for Red Friday Wing Night. We will be introducing "Eastern Storm" as our entertainment that night. The band and I will be discussing a possible Newfie Night to be held

after the winter months. The Ladies Auxiliary will be having their monthly luncheon on December 21st with Pulled Pork on the menu. Lunch begins at 11:30am - 1:00pm. Please come join us on December 24th for a Appetizer Pot Luck we will be running on holiday hours between Christmas and New Years. December 29th Wasted Measures will be Entertaining for the last Red Friday Wing Night of the Year. We do not have a New Year's Eve party planned, instead come join me on January 1st for President's Levy from 1pm - 6pm. Shelburne Legion is a little different than most branches. On January 1st we like to stay in our PJs. So ask Santa for some new PJ's this year and join in on the fun. Happy Birthday to all the Comrades born in December, there are quite a few of you. Drive Safe and Stay Warm everyone.



Shelburne Library News

Events

Food for Fines

Throughout the month of December, bring in a food or toy donation in lieu of your fines. This is a great way to start the New Year off fine-free. Make sure you let the staff at the desk know you brought in a donation so we can remove the fines from your account!

Meet & Greet with Coun. Steve Anderson Sunday December 10th from 12pm-2:30pm. Councillor Steve Anderson will be at YOUR Library this Sunday for a meet & greet. Learn about Steve's goals for the community, and bring your questions for the Q&A period.

Children's Programs:

Books and Babies play group runs from 10:00am - 10:45am every Tuesday morning! Stop by for coffee, snacks and there will also be some cute crafts available to create with your baby! (ages birth-2)

On Wednesdays, Mac the therapy dog will be visiting once again! He will be available for 15-minute reading sessions that need to be booked in advance at the circulation desk upstairs in the library.

LEGO Club also takes place on Wednesday afternoons! We have recently purchased TWO BRAND NEW Snap Circuit kits! Lego Club members and parents have been loving experimenting with different circuits and exploring all that can be done with these kits! This club is a drop in club - no advanced sign up needed.

On Friday mornings at 10:30am, it's Story Time! During Story Time this month we are talking about snow, the holidays, and many other festive topics. Stop by to create fun crafts and decorations and to explore all of the other exciting sensory activities that are available each week!

On Sundays it's Tabletop Game day! This group is ages 10+ and runs from 1-4pm!

Teen Scene:

This week our Teen Advisory Board (TAB) is working hard to plan an event for Teens on December 21st, so stay tuned for those details! We are also looking forward to our Ugly Xmas Sweater Party on Thursday, December 7th (6:00-7:00pm) where

Teens will bring their own sweater and decorate it to make it ugly! Our 3rd Annual YA Gingerbread House Decorating Competition takes place Thursday, December 14th (6:00-7:00pm) where Teens are given a set of criteria against which their house is judged by the public. Voting takes place the following week, and the winner will be awarded a prize at the TAB-hosted event on the 21st!

All of these events require registration, so drop by the desk, phone 519-925-2168, or email jnoble@shelburnelibrary.ca to register!

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- Crime scene by Jonathan Kellerman & Jesse Kellerman
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- Beneath Copper Falls by Colleen Coble
- City of lies by Victoria Thompson
- A Christmas return by Anne Perry
- Girl waits with gun by Amy Stewart
- The right time by Danielle Steel
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- Mind game by Iris Johansen

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# Trials, troubles, delays and complications

I'll go ahead and state the obvious: life is full of hardship, delays, troubles and complications. Everything from little annoyances, like the person cutting you off on your way to work or losing your keys though you KNOW that you put them on the key rack, to big life altering stuff like losing your job or the death of someone close to you. All of these issues are a direct or indirect result of sin. Not always in the sense of a punishment but because all troubles, all frustrations, all hardships trace their beginnings to the fall of man recorded in Genesis.

These situations bring to mind all sorts of questions:

How does God use these situations? Why does He allow them?

Trials, troubles, delays and complications can be used to give more glory to God and increase our faith in Him. In Mark 5:21-43 we read the story of Jairus. Jairus was a local leader, the head of the synagogue. Though we're not told of his opinion of Jesus, if he was anything like other religious leaders of his day, he didn't hold a high opinion of Jesus. But Jairus was desperate. He was in a seemingly hopeless situation. His daughter was dying and despite the resources that were likely at his disposal, nothing seemed to be helping. Jesus was his last hope. He approached Jesus, pleading fervently with him to come and heal her. Jesus went with him but along the way an old sick woman touched Jesus' robe and was instantly healed from the constant bleeding that she'd had for 12 years. Despite what was to Jairus the most important thing in the world, Jesus stopped and addressed the old, poor lady. Jesus told her that it was her faith in Him that healed her. Just as he finished, men arrived explaining that there was no

point in continuing on - Jairus' daughter was dead. I can not even imagine the emotions that must have swept over Jairus. Sadness, despair - anger. Anger that Jesus hadn't hurried. Anger that the old, unclean woman had stopped them. Jesus, however, simply said 'Don't be afraid. Just have faith' and carried on to Jairus' home. To the amazement (and initially laughter) of everyone there, Jesus said 'Why all the weeping? She is simply sleeping!' and with that he commanded the dead girl to rise. She got up, instantly well!

God is not limited by our hopeless situations! In fact, in hopeless situations we have the priceless opportunity to give more glory to God and also to see our faith increased in Him.

We can trust God throughout the tough situations because we see that God redeems and uses the bad. The hopeless situation of the old woman was used by Jesus to teach her and the crowd about simple faith in Him. Jairus' hopeless situation showed the incredible power of God. Not only can we have faith, but we can have joy! Philippians 4:4 says that we are to rejoice in the Lord always. Not sometimes, not most of the time. Always. Romans 8:28 says: "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who[a] have been called according to his purpose." Do we believe it? Those verses are often quoted but when hopeless and hard situations arise in your life - do your actions show complete trust in the truths of those verses?

Jesus could have instantly healed both Jairus' daughter and the old woman. But he didn't. He chose not to. By doing what he did, Jesus brought more glory to His name and the name of His father. It's what He was all about, and what we should be all about

as well. I Peter 4:11 "If anyone speaks, they should do so as one who speaks the very words of God. If anyone serves, they should do so with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen."

Hopeless situations are an incredible opportunity to show off God! When we simply can't solve a problem ourselves yet we trust in him, it is obvious where the hope came from. II Corinthians 4:7 says, "But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us."

God is more concerned with your faith

and growth in him than your temporal comfort. So should you! Instead of taking every bad day, bad conversation, hopeless situation, even life altering crises and stewing in self-pity or anger, imagine thinking to yourself 'wow, this is an opportunity to show God off to the world, to let His light shine through these cracks in my life!' It's your choice. Are you willing to take hardship and turn it around for His glory and to grow in your faith?

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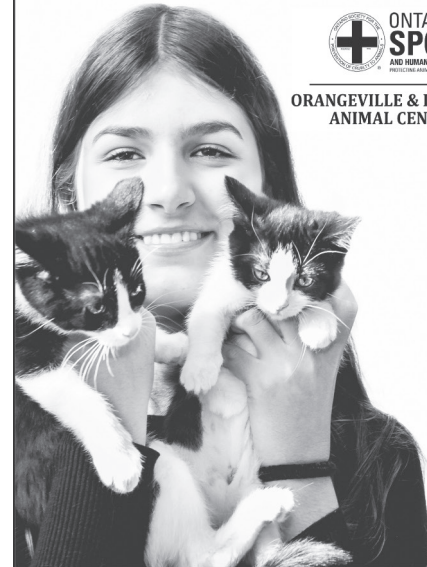
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6. Piece of silverware
10. Sculpture or dance
13. Rub to a shine
15. Chore-doer's trip
17. Pigeon's comment
18. Slow, in music
19. Scant
20. Monkey suit
21. Letter after ess
22. Insignia
24. Elk
26. Pastoral poem
28. Supplied
29. Emulate Nancy Kerrigan
32. Brunch, e.g.
35. Pigment
36. Analyze grammatically
37. Bullets
38. Pen fluid

39. Decline
40. Male offspring
42. Over
44. Intense rage
47. Warm fabric
49. Easily embarrassed
51. Nobleman
53. Bikini part
54. Repeated sound
55. "Brave \_\_\_\_ World"
57. Buck's mate
58. Map abbrs.
60. Seed covering
62. Residence
64. Not specific
66. Baby's father
67. Radio receiver
68. Grave
69. Void
71. Oppressively hot
73. Outline

75. Cobra's cousin
78. Shakespearean fuss
79. Simpleton
81. Cochise, e.g.
84. Ostrichlike bird
85. Make slick
86. Lendl's game
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88. Lights out
89. Expert

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1. Petty dispute
2. Secret writing
3. Wings
4. Playing marble
5. Fraternity letter
6. Provided at no cost
7. Not written
8. Scrap
9. Discerned

10. Busy
11. Carpenter's tool
12. Poison
14. Devout
15. Logo
16. "Puff the Magic \_\_\_\_"
23. Annual reference book
25. Little finger
26. That thing's
27. Poor grades
29. Pour forth
30. Barbecue selection
31. Vine frame
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41. Fat
43. Indoor ray deliverer
45. Dangerous gas
46. Rust
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59. Throughout the time of
61. Think
63. Purchase
64. Black magic
65. Overseas
68. Imprint
70. Soil additive
72. Earth
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74. Boo
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# Shelburne Council seeks service costing from Ontario Provincial Police

This prompted Deputy Mayor Dunlop to question if perhaps combining the two services in one building might offer advantages. Rather than having to build two, use-specific buildings, perhaps one could be used to accommodate both needs. Although, this would certainly be a consideration, worthy of thought, it would most certainly be drastically more expensive at the outset and would require a long term amortization to see a return on the capital invested.

Mr. Dunlop also opined that, perhaps a second look at the costing estimates for the new police accommodations might yield some savings, but, in discussions with this reporter, he noted that due to the very specific and Provincially mandated regulations for a police building and the fact that Council had already received two, almost identical estimates, from two firms that specialize in designing police accommodations, that this possibility was marginal at best.

Councillor Randy Chambers, a strong sup-

porter of the existing force, made a strong personal argument in support of the motion, based solely on the fact that, as a financial advisor, he recognized both the need for and the merit in Council having all the facts and options at their disposal.

Though he felt that, in a vote to replace the current force with the OPP, he would likely vote against the move. He felt that he could not, in good conscience, propose such a massive expenditure and probable tax increase without being availed of all the facts.

Councillor Chambers did, however, propose a motion that Council reassign a portion, \$191,000, of the General Capital Reserves, to a new Police Accommodation Reserve, thus assuring that Council had funding available for whatever would be required as this process evolves.

Both dissenting councillors, Walter Benotto and Deputy Mayor Dunlop also were in favour of looking to a Dufferin wide police force, such as existed in Simcoe County,

to the East. It was revealed that, in private conversations, Orangeville Mayor Jeremy Williams had expressed interest in combining the Shelburne and Orangeville forces to police both towns and perhaps Amaranth as well.

Walter noted, that currently, Melancthon, was exploring using the Shelburne force to also police them. Such a force, would encompass much of Dufferin County and could be expanded to cover the entire area.

This option would not, in this reporter's opinion, be something that could be accomplished expeditiously enough to solve Council's present dilemma, but would certainly be an interesting logistical undertaking. As the Province is about to reveal a newly overhauled Police Services Act, possibly by year's end, formation of said force might face new and perhaps daunting regulations.

In his preamble, to the motion, Councillor Mills had suggested that a decision, or the options for making a decision, could possibly be included on the ballot, as a plebiscite, in the upcoming November 2018 elections. Although this could be possible, Town Clerk Jennifer Willoughby noted that such a move would have to be approved by March 1st, 2018 and that the question had to be a simple yes or no vote.

Mayor Bennington professed to suffering a week of sleepless nights, contemplating the consequences of the motion and his responsibilities as mayor of all the people. He was again, adamant in his assertion that this was a move to gather facts regarding the need for and costs of a new police accommodation and had nothing to do with any real, or perceived, dissatisfaction with the current police force.

Several members of the Police Services Board and the Chief were in attendance for the meeting. The mayor went on to express his concerns with Council being able and equipped to make an informed decision based upon all the available and possible options. Although a member of the Police Services Board and a vocal supporter of the community police force, Bennington is nonetheless obligated, with Council, to provide residents with the best fiscal governance possible.

In the end, with all Councillors having had their say and voiced their opinions on the motion, a recorded vote saw the measure passed by a wide margin. The matter will now be referred to the Minister and, in accordance with the new regulations governing OPP costings, the process will begin immediately, with the matter of accommodations being the first consideration. What this means for Shelburne, is that the Town

will know as quickly as within three months what the OPP will require in accommodations.

It is expected, that they would be able to run the policing regimen out of the current Primrose Detachment, with perhaps officers being stationed in the existing police station as well. The contentious issue of the jail cells would be moot, as the cells in Primrose would be utilized instead. Depending upon how Council wishes to proceed, the entire costing process could be completed within 12 to 18 months.

### Shelburne CAO

In other business, Council heard a delegation from Nigel Bellchamber, the consultant handling the search for a permanent CAO, regarding the progress to date. Nigel noted that with the closing of the application period, there were presently 37 qualified candidates awaiting the next phase of the process. He explained that Council must now form a Recruitment Committee, which would reduce that number to 8 and then, in second interviews, 4 potential candidates for the position.

The committee, to consist of the mayor and Councillors Benotto and Chambers, will meet today (Dec. 7) to conduct the first round of discussions and select the shortlist of 8 applicants. They will then meet again, the week of December 11th to hold the first interviews and again the week of, December 18th to further reduce that to four.

After the second round of interviews, the serious work begins, with more complex negotiations, reference verifying and the eventual choosing of a new CAO and the signing of an employment agreement with that individual. Following that, the new CAO could be expected to be in place within a month.

Council was informed that, with the high quality and number of candidates, they should expect to pay a premium to the right candidate, which would likely include 4-6 weeks annual vacation in addition to a six figure salary. Considering that a CAO could expect to work upwards of 60 hours a week, these expectations were by no means out of the ordinary.

### Service Awards

Finally, the Mayor was very pleased to present two awards for dedicated and long service to two Town employees, Patti Hossie, for 15 years Service and acting CAO Carole Sweeney, who has been with the town for 25 years. Both ladies had obviously begun their careers at very young ages and were very pleased to be recognized for their dedication and hard work.

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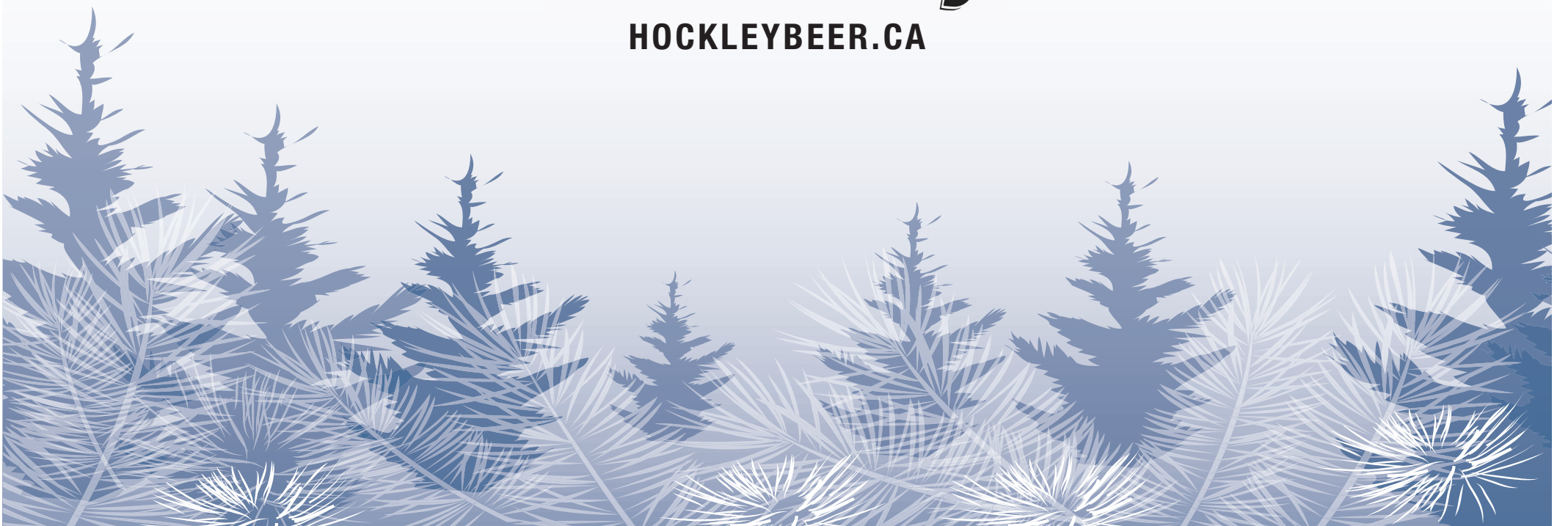
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# SHELBURNE SPORTS

## Royals' senior basketball team take early lead in District

Written By **BRIAN LOCKHART**

The Centre Dufferin District High School Royals senior boys basketball team have taken an early lead in the District 4 standings after their second win of the season.

On Monday, December 4, the Royals hosted the Wolverines from Wellington Heights Secondary school.

The Royals took an early lead and kept up the pressure for the full four quarters going ahead by 27 points in the third quarter.

Entering the final quarters the Royals were leading 52-25.

They put up a solid defence keeping the Wellington squad pinned at single basket for the the quarter while scoring 17 more points to win the game 70-27.

"It was a fun game. We were playing defensively good - we were executing in our zone," said Royals forward Mark Taylor. "We were moving the ball pretty well. The team is working out really well. We've known each other for a long time since playing in

grade nine and grade ten. I believe we can go to CWOSSA."

It was the squad's second win of the season. They opened things up on November 27, with a win over Norwell District Secondary School.

After Monday's game they moved into first place in the standings based on 'points for' and 'points against.'

So far the Royals have record 140 points while allowing only 38 against.

Westside Secondary School in Orangeville

also has two wins but slots in to second place in the standings.

The Royals will meet up with Westside in their next game in Orangeville on December 11.

They will return to their home court at CDDHS on Wednesday, December 13, when they will host Emmanuel Christian High School.

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Shelburne Wolves Midget LL1 team member Jayden Rooyakkers has been on the ice since he started playing hockey at the Tyke level.

"I like the intensity. I like playing with my friends and we have some good chemistry out there and communicated with each other on the ice," Jayden said of why he likes the sport. "I make more friends every year when I play hockey."

When he's not on the ice Jayden plays several sports including ball hockey during the summer.

He said he hopes to compete at the collegiate level.

Name: JAYDEN ROOYAKKERS  
Team: SHELBURNE WOLVES MIDGET LL1  
Position: RIGHT WING



PHOTO: BRIAN LOCKHART

THE CENTRE DUFFERIN DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL ROYALS senior basketball team host the Wolverines from Wellington Heights Secondary School on Monday, December 4. The Royals left the court with a 70-21 win and have moved into first place in the District 4 standings.

## Rivalry heats up Jr. C loop

Written By **BRIAN LOCKHART**

It was a battle for top dog status Sunday (Dec. 3) night in Alliston when the Stayner Siskins came to visit the Hornets at the New Tecumseth Recreation Centre.

The two clubs have had a real rival going since the Hornets knocked the Siskins out in the Division championship last season.

The Siskins entered the playoffs as the number one team but came up short when the second seed Hornets won the championship in four games.

Again this season the Siskins are in first place and arrived in Alliston as an undefeated team.

The two teams had already met twice this season with Stayner coming out on top in both games.

The Sunday night match-up went the same way with the Siskins leaving the ice with a 6-2 win to maintain their undefeated record for the season.

The Hornets opened the scoring on a powerplay eight seconds into the first period.

Stayner tied it up then got the go ahead goal five minutes later.

By the end of the second frame the Siskins were ahead 4-1.

The third period saw the Alliston squad get a single and Stayner notching two more for the win.

"I think there's a couple of little things we are doing. Sometimes we get down on our-



PHOTO: BRIAN LOCKHART

THE ALLISTON HORNETS host the Stayner Siskins on Sunday, December 3, in Alliston. The two top teams in the Junior C PJHL met for the third time this season with the Siskins winning 6-2 to maintain their undefeated record.

selfes a little too early," said Hornets forward Ben Beausaert. "I think we outplayed them in the first. We've got to push back a little harder and I think we can win the next two games we have against them in the the next two weeks."

It was the fifth loss for the Alliston team this season - they are still in second place and ten points ahead of the Caledon Golden Hawks.

Stayner and Alliston will have to more battles on the ice before the end of the year.

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# 'Oakley and Duffy' give the gift of companionship

Written By MARNI WALSH

Dufferin Oaks long term care facility for Alzheimer's and dementia has received an early Christmas present from an anonymous donation. Two interactive Hasbro pets, one cat and one dog, were donated by a Shelburne couple for residents to enjoy as companions throughout the year.

Angie Matthews, Program and Support Services Manager says, "The couple who donated are quite familiar with Dufferin Oaks, our residents and programs and thought that the pets would be a nice addition. The pets are currently living on our home areas where residents have Alzheimer's and other dementias. The reaction from the residents has been absolutely wonderful, so positive; lots of smiles, laughs, and reminiscing. There have been some happy tears as well."

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Ms. Matthews says, "The benefits we are already seeing are contentment, happiness and purpose. One of our residents, who, for the most part is non verbal, has blossomed with both pets. She has been speaking to them saying, "Nice kitty, good boy and my puppy."

Both pets are used by individual patients and in a group setting where they are shared amongst residents. "It has been really nice to see the interaction of residents with each other when the pets are out," says Angie Matthews.

"The cat is affectionately known as Oakley and the dog is named Duffy," after Dufferin Oaks.

Ms. Matthews says, for those wishing to give this Christmas, "more donations would certainly be welcomed as we could reach more residents." The pets and prices can be seen and purchased at <https://joyforall.hasbro.com/en-us>.

The "Christmas Mail Mission" and "Santa to a Senior" programs at Dufferin Oaks continue to need support. The Santa to a senior program ensures that each resident has a gift to open on Christmas morning. If you would like to help, please bring gifts to the front office before December 15.

Some suggestions include lotions, neck-

laces, ladies' scarves, small boxes of chocolates, candies, cookies, pyjamas, shirts, cardigans, socks, slippers, and blankets. The program is also happy to accept monetary donations and medium Christmas gift bags. For more information please speak with Angie Matthews (519) 925-2140 ext 5242.

Last year, 958 Christmas cards were received by the residents on second floor from

all over the world through the "Christmas Mail Mission." This year, the staff at Dufferin Oaks hopes to get over 1000 cards and to share with all the residents. Angie Matthews says, "Pictures of your family or beloved pets and cheerful messages are welcome too." Mail a card to: Christmas Mail Mission "The Good Stuff" Dufferin Oaks, 151 Centre St. Shelburne, Ontario L9V 3R7.



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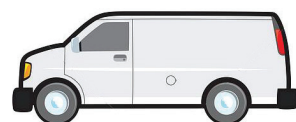
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# Serving the community one meal at a time

Written By MARNI WALSH

"We aim to help people by offering the simple things that we can - fill bellies, treat sweet teeth, and make people smile," says Troupe-Adore and now Soup Haus founder Sohayla Smith of Shelburne. Starting last month, Soup Haus in coordination with Trinity United Church opened the doors to serve the community as a free restaurant every Tuesday night.

"I feel that Soup Haus fills a broad-spectrum need," says Ms. Smith. "Absolutely everyone needs something - sometimes it's company, sometimes it's a nice warm meal, sometimes it's a distraction, respect, kindness, a night off, a good conversation, or something to do. Sometimes, we all feel like we don't have enough to give - but there is always more than enough to give - it's what you choose to give, and how you choose to give it that makes ideas like Soup Haus work."

Ms. Smith believes Trinity United Church shares Soup Haus' vision of giving and bringing people together. "They made it possible to offer a sit down supper in their lower gallery, which is the perfect little nook. I am very happy that Troupe-Adore can provide a service like this for our community. We've had so much volunteer support and donations of all sorts."

Reverend Candice Bist, the Minister at Trinity United Church, calls Soup Haus "a marvellous ministry of love." She says, "The opening adventure was simply a marvel."

There were about eight guests the first night, but the concept is catching on and growing quickly. "Currently, we are equipped to seat and serve 20 at a time," says Ms. Smith, but they hope to increase that to thirty.

Soup Haus also features a Giving Table. "A place where we bring what we have for the community to take home to enjoy," she says. "Some



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SOHAYLA SMITH (second from the left) and the Troupe-Adore volunteers at the opening of Soup Haus at Trinity United Church. Soup Haus is a free community restaurant that welcomes guests between 6 pm and 8 pm every Tuesday evening in the lower gallery of Trinity United Church, 200 Owen Sound Street in Shelburne.

weeks it is breads and cakes, others it is jams and pickles."

Guests can reserve their seats on their website: [souphaus.ca](http://souphaus.ca), or by phone 519-217-2151, or Facebook [www.facebook.com/souphaus](http://www.facebook.com/souphaus). Reservations help the group to organize the meal and prepare food for the Giving Table, but walk-ins are always welcome.

Anyone wanting to make a financial donation towards food costs can do so on the website, or as Ms. Smith requests, "discreetly in person so other guests don't feel uncomfortable or obligated in any way." Soup Haus also accepts non-perishable donations like flour, sugar, chocolate chips, sunflower oil, fresh produce, and

contributions of mason jars and smaller jam jars for pickling and preserves.

Sohayla Smith says, "Soup Haus brings people together who - on an average day - might not dine at the same table. It makes friends out of strangers, teaches youth volunteers about giving, serving, and work ethic, while also giving them a social opportunity in a very positive way... they're learning, and making new friends, while doing something amazing in this community."

Guests are welcome at Soup Haus between 6 pm and 8pm every Tuesday evening in the lower gallery of Trinity United Church, 200 Owen Sound Street in Shelburne. The last seating is around 7:30pm.

# Councillor meet & greet this weekend

Written By MIKE PICKFORD

Shelburne's newest Councillor, Steve Anderson, will be holding a community meet and greet this Sunday at the community library.

It has been a busy few months for Shelburne's newest politician. Officially sworn into the position back on Oct. 16, Mr. Anderson has spent a considerable amount of time meeting with residents and cluing up on local issues.

This weekend he is giving locals another chance to get to know their newest representative. He will be at the Shelburne Library, located at 201 Owen Sound Street, from noon until 4 p.m.

"It's important for me to hold sessions like this, be accessible to people," Mr. Anderson said. "As Councillors, we're not elected to sit in our respective offices. We need to get out there, socialize, mingle and listen to the needs of our residents, because they're the people we represent."

Steve is looking forward to hearing about any issues local residents may have, while he says he will provide updates on a new Council initiative promoting diversity in the community, and on the municipality's transit plan.

With a few weeks as a municipal representative now under his belt, Steve says he has thoroughly enjoyed the experience thus far.

"It's been a great few months. There seems to be real excitement in the community. I'm looking to foster that excitement," Mr. Anderson said. "As a community, if we work together, we can help to make shelburne stronger together."

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## Shelburne Santa Claus Parade



PHOTOS DEB FREEMAN

THE 2017 SHELBURNE SANTA CLAUS PARADE ripped through town this past Saturday (Dec. 2), with dozens of floats making their way downtown to spread the Christmas cheer. Starting at 5 p.m. the parade included several local businesses as well as a special visit from Santa himself! All in all, it was another successful year. Hundreds of locals lined the streets, in spite of the bitter weather. Christmas is here, Shelburne!

# Roy's Service Centre wins prestigious NAPA award

Written By JASEN OBERMEYER

Shelburne's Roy's Service Centre has won NAPA AUTOPRO'S gold club member award of excellence.

The award judges all the NAPA AUTOPRO shops in the province, with Roy's Service coming second overall.

"We were not actually trying to set a goal to achieve that, we were just doing what we thought was the best practice," says Mike Hinbest, the shop's owner. "We fix cars properly the first time."

He says they are judged in several categories, including maintaining a professional image inside and outside the shop, cleanliness, professionalism, procedures, taking of customers both in-person and on the phone, and the quality of reporting, along with purchasing, warranty, quality of repairs, and number of people requesting roadside assis-

tance.

"Ranking you to deliver the very best client experience, that's the most important to them," Mr. Hinbest emphasized.

He says the award is for both himself and staff, but mainly his employees. "At the end of the day, I steer the ship, but they're the ones who do that work, every single day."

He added he tries to set an example for others, by focusing on client experience, taking care of the customer first. "We don't want to fix one car, unless we're doing it the perfect way every time."

The number one shop is located in Kingston; meaning Roy's Service is first in Dufferin County, something Mr. Hinbest is very proud of, capping off the centre's 35th anniversary. "For me, it just blew us away, we're a shop in a small town, and we're successful cause we're doing it right."

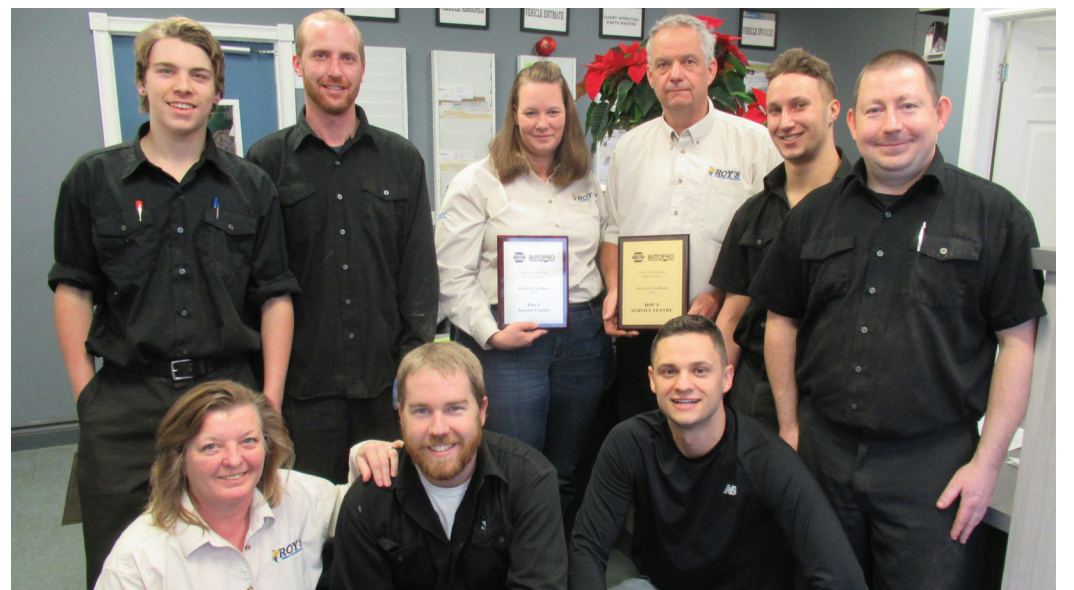


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MIKE HINBEST (BOTTOM RIGHT) with the employees of Roy's Service Centre, holding NAPA AUTOPRO'S gold club member award for excellence.

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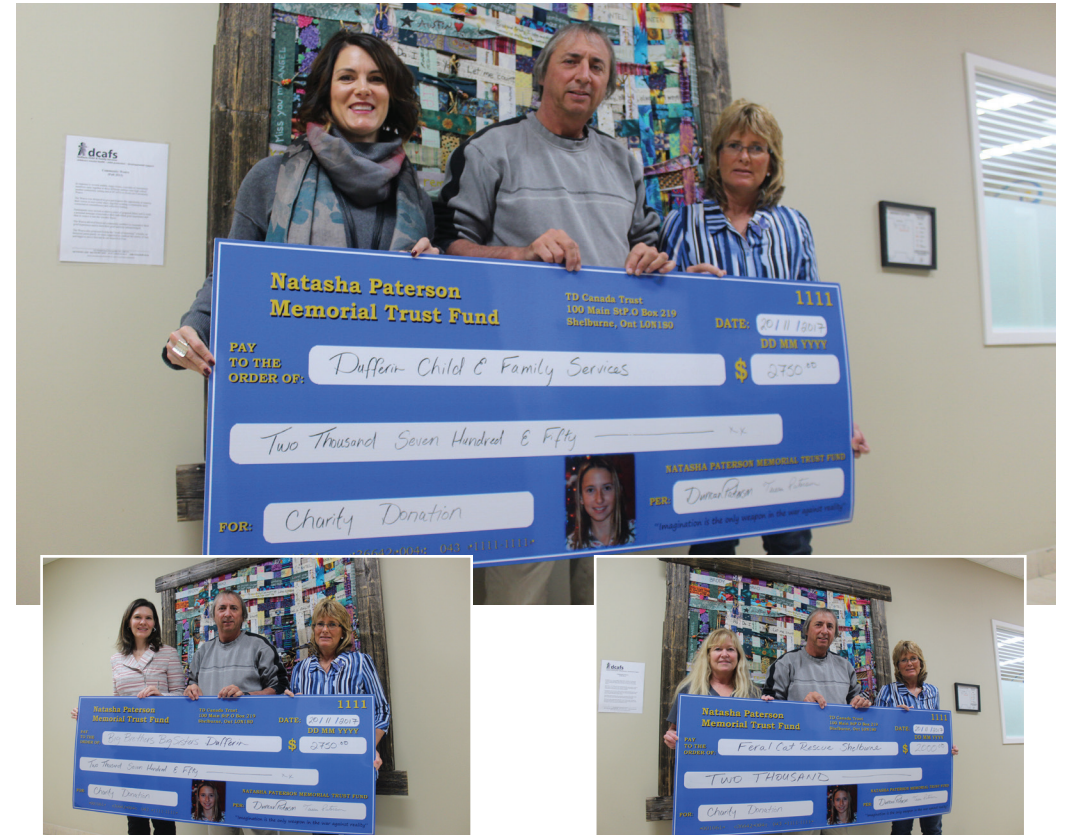
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