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PUSH-IN CEREMONY: Shelburne firefighters marked a new pumper truck being put into service with a small ceremony outside the fire hall last Thursday (Jan. 6). Firefighters pushed the new fire red truck back into the hall as part of a traditional "push-in" ceremony, which dates back to when fire trucks were wagons pulled by horses. The new pumper is a replacement for the fire department's old 1999 pumper.

New fire truck put into service locally

Written By Paula Brown
Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

Don't be alarmed, Shelburne & District Fire Department has put a new fire truck into service.

Fire Chief Ralph Snyder and volunteer firefighters for the local department held a small outdoor ceremony last Thursday (Jan. 6) to officially mark the new truck being put into service.

From outside the fire hall, firefighters teamed up to push the new truck back into the station as part of a "push-in" ceremony. Chief Snyder explained the ceremony is a long standing tradition that honours the days when firefighters had to actually push their trucks back into the station after a call because they were wagons pulled by horses.

The new truck will be replacing the local fire department's old 1999 pumper. Initially the fire department was approved to purchase a rescue truck, but due to various delays such as the shortage in vehicle chips and delivery dates pushed to 2024, the department chose to replace the pumper instead.

"This truck has a very loud siren, which is very nice when we're running car accidents on highway 10, 24 and 89."

— Fire Chief Ralph Snyder

"This truck was coming off the line pre-built in red, so we negotiated and they gave us a pretty good deal to buy it," said Snyder.

The total cost for the new truck is about \$588,000, which is about \$130,000 over the price of a rescue truck, but is at least \$75,000 cheaper than what a pumper coming through custom order would cost.

Residents will likely notice the different look to the new pumper truck, which is fire red amongst the fleet of yellow trucks that Shelburne has been using for many years.

Snyder told the Free Press that the decision to keep the prebuilt truck red was related to cost savings.

"It was going to cost us over \$20,000 to get a yellow truck," said Snyder. "I can buy a lot of equipment that will save lives and

protect property for \$20,000, and the color of the fire truck will never save a life."

Colour aside, Snyder noted the features the updated truck has that will help firefighters at the department further aid the community.

"This truck has a very loud siren, which is very nice when we're running car accidents on highway 10, 24 and 89. People will hear us coming and it's got a very nice light package on it," said Snyder. "We ordered some very specific nozzles for rural firefighting too so that we can draft water easier than what we could in the past."

With the new pumper truck now here and in service, the oldest truck the Shelburne Fire Department has running is its 2004 rescue.

"We try to replace them every 15 to 20 years; our frontline trucks 15 years, but they go to a backup truck for another 5 years," said Snyder.

Shelburne & District Fire Department's fleet of vehicles continues to include two pumpers, a rescue, a ladder, and a 300-gallon tanker truck as well as an SUV and pickup truck.

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Headwaters hospital pauses non-emergent procedures

Written By Paula Brown
Local Journalism Initiative Reporter



Headwaters Hospital had once again paused all non-emergent surgeries and procedures as well as all non-urgent diagnostic imaging and ambulatory clinical activity.

The local hospital issued a public notice on Jan. 7 from president and CEO, Kim Delahunt, chief of staff and vice president of medical affairs, Dr. Peter Cino, and chief of surgery, Dr. Grace Wang, noting the measures are in response to the province's directive, effective Jan. 5.

"This direction from the provincial government is in response to the dramatic increase in COVID-19 cases due to the highly transmissible Omicron variant," they wrote in the public notice.

The pause, they said, is to preserve the hospital's bed capacity and health human resources.

"It is our priority to ensure we have appropriate staffing levels so that we can continue to provide the best care possible for our community."

While non-emergent surgeries, procedures, and diagnostic imaging has paused,

the hospital said emergent and urgent surgeries such as cancer care will continue. Urgent Ambulatory Care Clinics including fracture and plastic clinics, dialysis, oncology, and urgent stress testing will also remain open while telemedicine, diabetes, and infusions operate at a reduced capacity for urgent cases only.

Headwaters Hospital's emergency department will remain open 24/7 to see patients requiring urgent care. All other clinics will be closed.

Patients who have upcoming surgeries and appointments that will be postponed will be contacted by their specialist's office or a member of Headwater's registration team.

"Thank you to the dedicated team of professionals at Headwaters for once again rising to the challenges of this pandemic," said Delahunt, Cino, and Wang. "Please make sure you are taking full precautions to protect yourself as we navigate this next wave."

Local COVID-19 cases this week

Jan. 10 (Monday)
WDG Region: 640 (New cases),
2318 (Active cases), 635 (Newly Resolved)
Dufferin County: 116 (New cases),
444 (Active cases), 95 (Newly Resolved)

Dufferin County: 17 (New cases),
390 (Active cases), 91 (Newly Resolved)

Jan. 11 (Tuesday)
WDG Region: 76 (New cases),
1990 (Active cases), 403 (Newly Resolved)

Jan. 12 (Wednesday)
WDG Region: 186 (New cases),
1691 (Active cases), 485 (Newly Resolved)
Dufferin County: 58 (New cases),
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Support services in Dufferin get funding boost

Written By **Paula Brown**
Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

The Ontario government has invested funding for upgrades and repairs for two Dufferin County community support services.

Announced in late December, Family Transition Place (FTP) and Kerry's Place have both received funding totalling a \$139,000 investment to help with necessary building repairs and renovations.

"These two agencies play a key role in delivering services to those who need them, and I am proud that we are making the necessary investments to enable their important work," said Dufferin-Caledon MPP Sylvia Jones. "By funding these repairs, we are taking the pressure off service providers so they can focus on supporting residents in Dufferin-Caledon who rely on them."

As part of the provincial investment, Family Transition Place has received \$22,500 in funding while Kerry's Place has received funding of \$116,700.

"Kerry's Place is delighted to receive an investment for our supported housing infrastructure," said Sue Coke, president and CEO at Kerry's Place Autism Services. "We know that access to housing has been quite difficult for those with autism spectrum disorder (ASD), and recognize the importance that the Ministry has placed on such critical supports. We know that a home provides a sense of belonging and can become a place of independence for people we support. Improvements to our housing infrastructure is essential to provide great quality support and care."

A senior staff member at Family Transition Place also commented on the much-needed boost in funding from the provincial govern-



ment that their organization received.

"We at FTP are really pleased to receive this investment in our shelter," said Norah Kennedy, FTP executive director. "We have worked hard, throughout the pandemic, to ensure that women and children living here are kept safe and healthy. This funding supports us in maintaining our facility's high standards, and in ensuring that all areas of the building, including decks and outdoor spaces, are safe and accessible for everyone."

The Ontario government, through the annual Partner Facility Renewal program, is investing a total of \$18.5 million in 198 community agencies. The funding will be used by the organizations for upgrades and repairs such as roofing, windows, security systems, and fire alarms, electrical, mechanical, HVAC, and plumbing systems.

Local long-term care homes see outbreaks of COVID-19

Written By **Paula Brown**
Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

Outbreaks of COVID-19 have been declared at Shelburne's two long term care homes.

According to Wellington-Dufferin-Guelph (WDG) Public Health outbreaks were declared on Dec. 31 at Dufferin Oaks, located at 151 Centre Street, and Shelburne Long Term Care Home and Retirement Community, located at 200 Robert Street.

Southbridge Care Homes, who operates Shelburne Long Term Care Home and Retirement Community, reported in their daily COVID-19 home status updates that 11 residents and four staff members tested positive for COVID-19.

Southbridge Care Homes said the residents and staff members that tested positive are fully vaccinated and that the staff members are currently isolating at home.

Dufferin Oaks released a public notice on Dec. 31 identifying the outbreak was declared on the third floor of the residence. At the time of the initial outbreak no residents were affected.

Jennifer Power, director of care at Dufferin Oaks, told the Free Press in an email that one resident had tested positive for COVID-19 at the home following the outbreak, but has since resolved. She noted that three other residents were tested and

found to be negative through a PCR test.

While the number of positive cases have remained low in Dufferin Oak's resident's population since the outbreak, large community spread of the virus has affected the homes staff.

Power said that a total of 15 staff members have been affected.

As a result of the outbreak, Dufferin Oaks has implemented health measures on visitation and access to the home including allowing only one essential caregiver per resident to visit at a time, and asking the visits be limited once per day.

"We implement all safety measures as required by Public Health and we continue to have daily discussion with Public Health pertaining to our outbreak," said Power.

The outbreaks of COVID-19 at the two long-term care homes in Shelburne are among a number of those that have been declared by Wellington-Dufferin-Guelph Public Health within the last month. As of Jan. 11, WDG Public Health has declared outbreaks at 21 long term care homes in the region.

The public health region has also seen a steady rise in COVID-19 cases, with the onset of the highly contagious omicron variant. WDG Public Health reported 1,500 active cases of COVID-19 in the region on Wednesday with over 300 of those in Dufferin County and 60 in the Town of Shelburne.

Community Grant Program applications open for 2022

Written By **Paula Brown**
Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

Applications have opened for Dufferin County's 2022 Community Grant Program.

To begin the round of grant funding, the county announced a new online application form, which launched on Dec. 23, and sees one form used to apply for any of the grant request categories.

The Community Grant program was created in 2018 through an agreement between the County of Dufferin and Headwaters Communities in Action (HCIA), and looks to support not-for-profit or charitable organizations to complete projects or provide programming that benefits residents in Dufferin County.

The grant consists of three funding categories – community grant up to \$1,000, food for thought grant up to \$3,000, and community grant over \$1,000.

Recipients of the grants are chosen by a team organized by HCIA, who review the applications and ensure they meet the

County's strategic priorities for each year.

Strategic priorities the County notes have been identified for 2022 include; climate action; cultural enhancement; diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives; economic development; and youth and seniors services.

The Food For Thought grant program supports organizations in providing direct food services to Dufferin resident and the County allocates \$10,000 annually towards the grants.

The grants have a number of mandatory requirements for applicants to be eligible for funding which can be found on the Dufferin County website.

Applications for the Community Grant program will remain open until Feb. 4, with notifications to be sent out following approval by County Council no sooner than their April 14 meeting.

Questions regarding the application and process can be directed to Headwaters Communities In Action at action@headwaterscommunities.org.

Town Pharmacy employee shares his experience and impact of COVID-19

Written By **Paula Brown**
Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

For more than a decade, Shan Lekhi has been familiar with the role of a pharmacist, watching his father work in the field and later open his own pharmacy in the Shelburne community. Now, Lekhi is following in his father's footsteps joining the family business.

Lekhi officially joined the team of staff at Shelburne Town Pharmacy, located at 712 Main Street, as a pharmacy assistant in November.

Speaking with the Free Press, Lekhi said his goal in becoming a pharmacist has always been to work alongside his dad and to help his family.

"I'm proud and very blessed to be able to work with my family," said Lekhi. "It's been such as great thing, and made me feel like I could really help out in some way."

A recent university graduate, Lekhi began his studies in pharmaceuticals in 2016 at the

University of Wolverhampton in England, where he spent the next four years working to obtain a Masters of Pharmacy degree. Finishing his schooling in England in 2020, Lekhi spent most of 2021 working towards his credentials to practice in Canada and officially graduated this past October.

While the daily work for a pharmacy assistant might include filling prescriptions for customers and working on the dispensary side, for Lekhi starting his career at the pharmacy during the time of COVID-19 has meant his role has been focused on providing vaccine shots for the community.

"I pretty much just give COVID shots all day and stay away from the dispensary side; I'm kind of the main person that does them," Lekhi explained.

Despite the different focus, Lekhi said, "I'm able to really make a difference in the community just because of the amount of COVID shots we do."

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Nova Scotia calling

A friend of mine recently sold her house and headed off to the east coast to enjoy the freezing temperatures and hefty amount of snow in Nova Scotia.

As far as I can tell, she's living a free-wheeling nomadic type of life style fuelled by the good amount of cash she received when selling her Ontario house for well over a common sense price someone should be paying for a place to live.

She got the idea of heading east a few years ago when she went to Nova Scotia for a vacation.

She was looking at a large Victorian style house with an ocean view that was listed for \$250,000. At the time the locals told her they thought it was crazy that a house would be up for sale at that price.

The average home price in the area at the time was closer to \$150,000.

They could hardly believe it when she told them that same house in Southern Ontario would easily sell for over \$1 million.

Another friend of mine just retired. Guess where he's heading? Yes, the east coast.

Off to New Brunswick where they purchased

a home with a lot of ocean front property. "Living the dream," he calls it.

For the first time in Canadian history, there is a reverse migration going on.

It has always been typical for many east coasters to leave their province and head to Ontario.

If you remember the movie, "Goin' Down the Road," it was a very realistic portrayal of two guys from Cape Breton who see Ontario as the land of opportunity.

Over the past two years, there are more moving vans heading east than west.

People see the lower cost of living and lower housing prices as a huge bonus and hope to see their money stretch a little farther.

Several towns are reporting a huge increase in population as more people are buying property in the area.

Moving from the coast to Ontario these days will probably be a shock for someone who wants to establish themselves in Ontario – especially in the GTA.

Rents for a typical apartment are going through the roof and have reached a level where you will be spending more of your earn-

ings on a place to live than you should be.

The general rule has always been that your housing costs be about 30 per cent of your gross income.

That used to be a reasonable figure. However, for lower income people, that monthly rent now takes a big chunk out of their pay cheque. So much so, that there is little left at the end of the month.

If you want to arrive in Ontario and buy an actual house, you better show up with a lot of money in your bank account, especially if you are a first time buyer.

With average prices now in the \$800,000 to \$900,000 bracket, it's only the fact that interest rates are so low that allows many people to get into the market. A blip on the radar that sends interest rates up, even by one percentage point, would spell disaster for thousands of people across the province.

No one seems to be able to explain how some people are bidding on properties and submitting offers way over the asking price. Where are they getting the funding to pay for a property that is appraised at \$400,000 less than the offer, just so they can buy a house?

Southern Ontario is now reaching a point where the cost of living is just getting too high for the typical resident.

I know I wouldn't want to be forced to spend so much money on a house that the mortgage payments leave nothing at the end of the month. I know a lot of people that haven't been to a restaurant or a movie in years because there's nothing left after their mortgage payment is sucked out of the bank account every month.

There's a lot of talk about building 'affordable housing.' Unfortunately, affordable housing means cheaply built, small townhouses jammed onto a street with barely enough room to park a bicycle, let alone a car.

You should be able to get much more than that for the several hundred thousand dollars it will cost to get into affordable housing.

The migration east is apparently going to continue as more and more people now see it as a land of opportunity.

Just make sure you budget for a snow blower – you're going to need it.

BRIAN LOCKHART
FROM THE SECOND ROW



Kazakhstan: a quarrel among thieves

Two questions about recent events in Kazakhstan. First, was last week's slaughterhouse battle between "20,000 bandits" and the regime's police in Almaty, the country's biggest city, really just a quarrel among thieves? And second, why did Russian troops get involved?

Kazakhstan is a kleptocracy: "a state where corrupt politicians enrich themselves secretly through kickbacks, bribes, and special favors, or simply direct state funds to themselves and their associates. They often export much of their profits to foreign nations." (Wikipedia definition)

A special Chatham House report last month found that the family and associates of Nursultan Nazarbayev, Communist ruler of Soviet Kazakhstan and then president of independent Kazakhstan for 35 years, bought 34 properties in London and southern England for \$720 million in just the four years 1998-2002.

Everybody in Kazakhstan knows they are ruled by thieves. The Russians who were doing well stayed after independence and the rest left. Kazakhs who are doing well don't mind the thieves-in-office either – but most Kazakhs aren't doing very well.

They aren't all dirt poor – the protests this time were initially about a doubling in the price of fuel for cars – but a recent

KPMG report says that 162 people own half the country's wealth. Nobody likes that sort of thing.

So the peaceful protests that began on 2 January quickly spread to every corner of the country – and then things went crazy in Almaty. On Wednesday, 5 January, well-organised groups of people unknown to the protesters joined the crowds and began attacking official buildings.

Equally strange is the fact that on that same Wednesday the police left key buildings in Almaty unprotected. The presidential palace was burned, the airport was seized, people were killed – but were they the right people?

President Kassym-Jomart Tokayev sounded convinced of it. "Abroad there are calls for talks for a peaceful resolution," he said on television "What idiocy! What kind of negotiation can you have with criminals? We are dealing with armed and well-prepared bandits, both local and foreign, who should be destroyed. We must kill them."

Tokayev was as good as his word. The shooting was over by Friday, and police and troops certainly did kill a lot of people. On 9 January they announced 164 killed and over 8,000 arrested, including "a substantial number of foreign nationals." But there were a couple of loose ends in the script.

On the same Wednesday that the violence started, President Tokayev dismissed retired President-almost-for-life Nazarbayev from his remaining job as head of the State Council.

Nazarbayev resigned the presidency three years ago because of his age (he is 81), but everybody assumed he was really still in charge, and still grooming his daughter Dariga for the job. (The protesters shouted "Old man, go!") Then suddenly Tokayev asks for help from Russia's President Vladimir Putin – and Nazarbayev is completely out of the government.

2,000 Russian troops fly in within a day. They don't shoot any civilians, but once they are on the ground Tokayev orders the arrest of the country's former intelligence chief, Karim Massimov, on suspicion of treason. Massimov was Nazarbayev's closest adviser. Would Tokayev have dared to arrest him before the Russians arrived?

I can't help joining up the dots, and it looks like a coup to me. Maybe a failed coup attempt in which Nazarbayeva's people were trying to take power back from an over-mighty Toakyev who wanted to be the real boss, not just a place-holder for Dariga Nazarbayeva. Or maybe a move by Tokayev himself to sideline the Old Man and his ambitious daughter.

Tokayev admitted himself on Monday that the protests were really a coup attempt, but he didn't say who was behind it. My guess is that he was. That he didn't actually start the protests, but that he saw an opportunity in them.

He needed Russian support to move against the Old Man, and he needed an excuse to invite the Russians in, so he sent his thugs in to turn the protests violent and create that excuse.

Or maybe nothing of the sort happened, and this is just another mundane tale of the rich and powerful crushing the little people. I'm allowed one conspiracy theory a year, and I'm getting it in early.

Either way, I know what Russia's motive was. Most people forget that the Soviet Union was just one more European colonial empire. The only differences were that it was a land empire, and that it decolonised a generation after the others.

Putin grew up in that empire, he still mourns its demise, and he'll take any chance he gets to restore Russia's dominant influence there. There's no coherent strategy here. Putin is tough and he can be nasty, but he's really a romantic, not a would-be world conqueror.

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Dufferin OPP investigating homicide of local 65-year-old

Dufferin OPP have confirmed a death deemed “suspicious” in Shelburne over the weekend is a homicide.

Officers from Dufferin OPP were called to a home on Main Street early Saturday (Jan. 8) afternoon to check on the well-being of an individual, and discovered the deceased person inside.

Debra Neale, a 65-year-old resident of Shelburne, was identified as the victim.

An initial press release from Dufferin OPP on Jan. 9 deemed the death as “suspicious”. In an update, police said a post-mortem examination was conducted on Jan. 10 by the Ontario Forensic Pathology Service in Toronto, and was officially ruled a homicide.

The investigation is continuing under the direction of the OPP Criminal Investigation Branch (CIB), with assistance

from OPP Forensic Identification Services (FIS), and in conjunction with the Office of the Chief Coroner for Ontario and the Ontario Forensic Pathology Service.

Police are asking anyone who has any information to contact Dufferin OPP at 1-888-310-1122. Anonymous tips can be made by calling Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477).



Charges laid for 19 people following reports of gunshots in Melancton

The New Year started with a bang in Melancton Township.

Dufferin OPP charged 17 people and seized eight firearms after responding to reports of gunshots on Jan. 1.

When officers arrived on the scene they heard the sound of gunshots coming from a large field on County Road 17.

Dufferin OPP Officers entered the Melancton property and located several people.

As a result of the investigation, 17 people have been charged with a total of 28 firearm related offences.

These offences include careless use of a firearm, weapon, prohibited device of ammunition, possession of a firearm at an unauthorized place, breach of firearms regulation – store firearm of restricted weapon, unauthorized possession of firearm, knowledge of unauthorized possession of Firearm, and occupant of motor vehicle knowing there is a prohibited or restricted weapon.

After the incident, Dufferin OPP said one person was outstanding to be arrested and charged accordingly, in a press release.

Last Friday (Jan. 8), Dufferin OPP Street Crimes Unit received judicial authorization to execute a search warrant at a home in Brampton. As a result of the warrant, two people were charged and three firearms seized.

Amandeep SINGH, 25-year-old from Bramp-

ton has been charged with:

- Careless Use of a Firearm
- Careless Storage of a Firearm
- Unauthorized Possession of a Firearm
- Knowledge of Unauthorized Possession of a Firearm
- Possession of a restricted Weapon Obtained

by Commission of an Offence

- Trafficking Firearms
 - Transfer Firearm without Authority
- Jagmohan SINGH, 30-year-old from Brampton has been charged with:
- Careless Storage of a Firearm
 - Trafficking Firearms

- Transfer Firearm without Authority
- Fail to Report Lost or Stolen Firearm

The accused are scheduled to appear before the Ontario Court of Justice in Orangeville, at a later date in March, 2021, to answer to the charges. None of the charges have been proven in court.

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- 24. Finch
- 26. It has a foot
- 28. Baseball call
- 30. Navigators
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- 36. Powdery mineral
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- 40. Steal, as livestock
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- 67. Praise
- 69. Chef's smock
- 70. Vexed
- 71. Work for nine
- 72. Bugs
- 73. Double reed
- 74. Broil
- 75. Admire
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- 81. Command to oxen
- 83. Two-piece piece

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- 16. Pull along
- 17. Round vegetable
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- 20. Sickly
- 21. Pick up the ___
- 22. To boot
- 23. Doze, with "off"
- 24. Unaccompanied flight
- 25. Cook's garnish
- 27. Overweight
- 29. Makeshift bed
- 32. Pina colada liquor
- 33. Larry, Curly, and Moe
- 35. Instruction

- 39. Going astray
- 41. Growing out
- 42. Hill dweller
- 44. React to a glare
- 45. Trade for cash
- 46. Gathering
- 48. Boar's tooth
- 49. Large, flightless bird
- 52. Skid
- 53. Prairie tale?
- 55. Formerly, formerly
- 56. Blame
- 58. Every
- 59. Theater
- 61. Imprison
- 62. Paragraph part
- 64. Electric sign
- 65. Forever and a day
- 66. Joint
- 68. Dye for wood
- 72. Nose part

- 76. Dec. 25
- 78. Paid player
- 79. Assist in mischief
- 80. Sharp turn
- 82. Dress finely
- 83. Grain husk
- 84. Hockey score
- 85. Squeeze
- 86. Unmatched
- 87. Habitual course
- 88. Drought-ridden
- 89. Once called
- 90. Went in front
- 91. Dill

DOWN

- 1. Office writer, for short
- 2. Barbecue choice
- 3. Undermine
- 4. Took first prize
- 5. Meat stew

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Town Pharmacy employee shares his experience and impact of COVID-19

Shelburne Town Pharmacy was opened in August of 2013 by local pharmacist Sanjay Lekhi, who is also Shan's father.

Returning to a community and role he familiarized himself with for many years before, Lekhi said he feels comfortable to be working in Shelburne.

"It hasn't really been much of a change for me, this is what I've been doing and it feels normal and comfortable," he noted.

Looking ahead to the future of Shelburne Town Pharmacy, Lekhi said he looks forward to helping residents in the community.

"I feel like I'm making a big difference in the community and I really enjoy the thought of that," he told the Free Press.

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SHELBURNE SPORTS

Ski hills open across the province, including Mansfield

Written By Brian Lockhart

The recent restrictions imposed by the provincial government may have closed indoor arenas and recreational facilities but many outdoor sports are still permitted.

Ski resorts in Ontario are open and operating for the season.

Last year, ski resorts were placed on the restricted activities list, forcing them to put a stop to all operations. This happened right at peak season for Ontario winter resorts.

The Ontario Ski Association lobbied the provincial government in a bid to allow the resorts to open, however they missed most of the season.

The resorts took a huge financial hit because of the shut-down.

This year, ski hills were not placed under any operating restrictions under the new provincial shut-down rules.

However, there are still plenty of minor restrictions when it comes to hitting the slopes.

Most notably, you must book lift tickets

and rental equipment online before you show up at the resort for a day on the slopes. There are also rules in place regarding who can go on a chairlift together.

Face coverings are required for all visitors.

There are also restrictions on indoor facilities like restaurants, so if you decide to go for the day, be prepared to spend all your time outdoors. You most likely will not have an opportunity to step indoors and warm up.

The ski season has gotten off to a slow start this year. A lack of snowfall means many of resorts are operating only some of their runs. Other runs are closed.

As of Jan. 8, the Mansfield Ski Club reported eight of 17 trails open. There was extensive snow making taking place on some of the hills as the colder temperatures means snow machines can start operating.

Mansfield is a private club but opens to the public on some days, and will be allowing public access beginning in February.

There are 59 ski resorts listed on the OSA website that feature both downhill and Nordic (cross-country) style skiing.



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BUSY SKI HILLS: With indoor recreational and sporting activities put on hold during the current provincial restrictions, there is still some activities in the great outdoors you can enjoy. The hills at the Mansfield Ski Club were very busy over the Jan. 7-9 weekend as people took advantage of the winter weather, while having fun and getting some exercise.

Hockey in 'pause' mode during current provincial restrictions

Written By Brian Lockhart

With current provincial restrictions shutting down hockey arenas across the province, the current buzz-word in hockey circles is that the season is 'paused.'

Pretty much every league across the province is using that word in hopes that their seasons will get back on track in a couple of weeks.

The restrictions on arenas will remain in place until at least Jan. 27, and possibly longer if the provincial government decides the current lockdown needs to be extended.

Locally, hockey leagues seem to be pretty optimistic that their season will be able to continue at the end of January and finish their schedules.

The pause in hockey may mean that leagues will extend their season to make up for the missing games.

Shelburne Minor Hockey issued a statement: "Unfortunately, this means SMHA must pause all hockey activities through this three-week period."

Adding, "the OHF and OMHA are pausing all in-person programming, games, practices, on-ice and off-ice training, etc., in its entirety beginning January 5, 2022, at 12:01 a.m. until 12:01 a.m. on January 27, 2022, unless restrictions are eased by the Ontario

Government prior to the set date."

In the Senior leagues, the Shelburne Muskies are just past the half-way mark in their season.

They are also sitting it out and waiting to see what happens.

The Western Ontario Athletic Association (WOAA) Senior Hockey League issued a statement saying: "Provincial restrictions have forced the season to be put on hold temporarily. Due to arenas being closed for three weeks, the WOAA Sr. Hockey League season was obligated to shut down for the duration of the closure. It is hoped and anticipated that this measure will be short term in nature and the season will be able to be completed."

If the restrictions are lifted as currently scheduled, hockey leagues should be able to get back on track and finish the season. This could mean extending the schedule to include the games that were missed before going into playoff mode.

If restrictions are further imposed, leagues may have to adjust their schedule or in a worst-case scenario, cancel the rest of the season depending on how much longer restrictions are in place.

Currently there is an optimistic view that the season is just 'paused' for now and will continue at the end of the month.



MAKING SNOW: The ski season got off to a late start this season when a lack of natural snow and milder temperatures delayed the opening of many resorts. Now that the colder weather has arrived, resorts are going into high gear to make all their runs available. The hills at the Mansfield Ski Club get the full treatment from several snow making machines on the hills.

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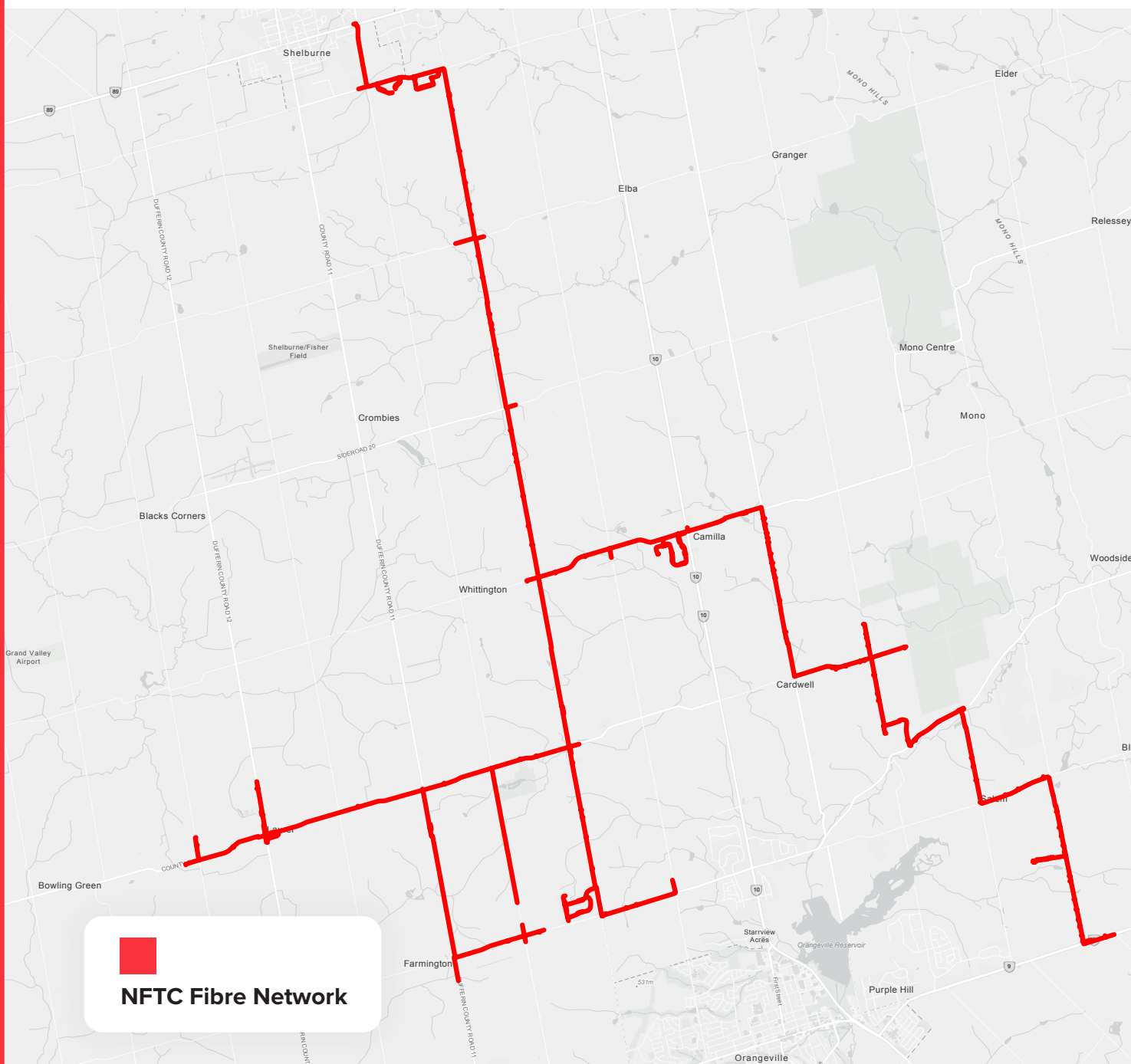
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Rosemary grew up in Simcoe, Ontario and attended Queen's University where she earned a BA and a BEd. A shared balcony in the Science 44 Co-op in Kingston introduced her to Hugh Molesworth and led to marriage in 1975. She taught high school art for a year in Orillia but returned to Kingston to supply teach, join the Kingston Potters' Guild and find her vocation. A Diploma in Ceramics from the Sheridan School of Crafts and Design was followed by a two year position at the Harbourfront Studios as well as valuable experience working for potter Bob Kavanagh.

Hugh and Rosemary moved to Shelburne in 1983 and she opened a studio but another move to the country allowed for much better facilities and space to practice and refine her art and move through a variety of styles and forms, often inspired by her travels. Recognition and appreciation grew steadily and countless art shows, several awards and inclusion in galleries such as The Guild Shop, The Gardiner Museum and the McMichael Gallery attest to her abilities.

Rosemary was instrumental in the organization and success of 'Quintessential', an annual showcase of the work of 5 women artists from the Dufferin area and produced a yearly "Sale at Home" that was eagerly anticipated by many for the art and its party atmosphere. She served on committees that focused on showcasing the work of local artists and was a long term member of a writing group that produced "Voices" which highlighted work by each writer.

An enthusiastic reader, Rosemary was a strong supporter of the local Library and worked there for several years as a part time employee.

Hugh and Rose loved living in the house they built near Shelburne, enjoyed watching the fallow farmland they bought become a forest through planting and care and experienced the joys of sharing it with the wildlife that found a home there. They traveled extensively, enjoying especially the round the world trip of 6 months they took in 1995 as well as trips to Europe and across Canada. The friends they made around the world and the many that they embraced at home will miss her enthusiasm, hospitality and warmth.

The family would like to express their gratitude to the staff and volunteers of Matthews House for their extraordinary care and compassion.

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