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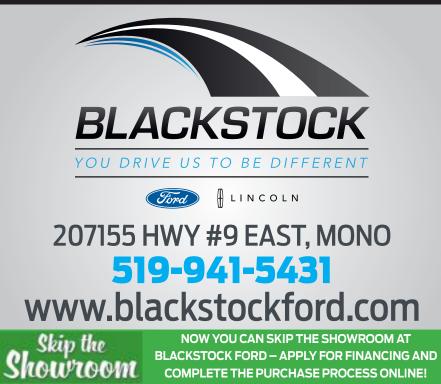
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Help needed for local tree planting initiatives

Written By Paula Brown Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

The Nottawasaga Valley Conservation Authority (NVCA) is calling out for volunteers to help with tree planting initiatives larger strategic initiative and not just a ation or you just want a healthy river that set to take place in the coming weeks.

staff will be hosting an event to plant native trees and shrubs along the banks of the Pine River on Airport Rd, near Mansfield and Creemore. Volunteers will be given an orientation and tutorial on tree planting before helping to plant around that moving downstream, towards Airport ing event in partnership with the Mono 150 native trees and shrubs.

seedlings with bare roots so we don't have cover along the river. to dig a huge hole and place a potted tree," explained Laura Wensink, river restokid friendly if anyone wants to come with everyone is welcome."

Authority has been running a river resto- little bit." ration project for the last five years known as the Nottawasaga River Restoration Pro- River, NVCA expects to see improved habitat rest of the river for generations to come," gram, which looks to improve water qual- for native fish, reduction in erosion on stream said Wensink.

banks from erosion. A key component of will improve overall water quality. NVCA's large river restoration project has been their tree planting initiatives.

"The tree planting is part of a much standalone," said Fred Dobbs, NVCA's your kids can play in, the habitat resto-On May 1, from 9 a.m. until noon, NVCA manager of Stewardship. "It's an inte- ration work sort of addresses both priorgral part of these larger river habitat and ities," said Dobbs. water quality improvement projects we're working on."

Last year, the NVCA conducted a temperature study on the Pine River and found Authority will also be hosting a tree plant-Rd, the rate of warming was much higher Headwaters Streams Committee on May "The trees that we're planting are little and this, in part, is due to the lack of tree 15 in the Hockley.

"It's in great shape down to almost Airport Rd, but when you drive by Airport site at www.nvca.on.ca. The conservation ration technician for NVCA. "This is really Rd, you see a landscape that's been pretty modified by human beings in the past their family, youth group or another com- including older agricultural property," munity group. We encourage individuals, said Dobbs. "We're trying to do tree plantfamilies and community groups to come – ing right at those critical transition zones where really healthy, cold, high qual-The Nottawasaga Valley Conservation ity trout stream starts to get impacted a weather appropriate clothes, sunscreen, bug

Through restoring tree cover along the Pine

ity, native fish habitat and stabilize stream banks, and a reduction in algae growth which

"There's so much good that trees can do there," said Wensink.

"Whether you're into fisheries and recre-

More than 20 species of trees and shrubs will be planted during the May 1 event.

The Nottawasaga Valley Conservation

Registration is required prior to the events and can be done by visiting the NVCA webauthority is aiming to have around 30 to 40 volunteers per site, and is open to students looking to get their volunteer hours.

The event will take place rain or shine. Volunteers are encouraged to wear rubber boots or closed toed shoes as well as bring spray, water, a lunch, and work gloves.

"Let's plant some trees that will benefit the







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Masking requirements to remain indefinitely at Headwaters

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masking requirements will remain indefi- nizations in this situation; we are all competnitely says the hospital's CEO and president, ing for highly skilled employees," said Dela-Kim Delahunt.

notice on April 14, addressing their decision to take a "cautious" approach in the mised and that we can continue to provide coming months as the provincial govern- excellent care." ment plans to lift mask mandates in all health care settings.

"Headwaters' continues to 'ride the wave' of [the] pandemic surge by putting patient's says they intend to continue with their cursafety first," said Delahunt. "As COVID-19 rent guidance. cases in the community continue to rise the latest estimates show anywhere from indefinitely, the local hospital is also keeping 100,000-200,000 cases per day in Ontario, COVID-19 guidelines related to vaccination, based on wastewater and testing data - Headwaters remains vigilant but challenged."

According to Delahunt, the hospital's most to this is the safest course of action for our significant challenge is related to staffing.

In the April 14 notice, the hospital reported more than 30 staff off work due to commu- to monitor the situation and will update their nity acquired COVID-19. There are also a policies as needed over time.

number of job vacancies the hospital is waiting to fill.

"Recruitment is challenging because Head-Headwaters Health Care Centre (HHCC) waters is only one of many health care orgahunt. "This puts extra strain on remaining Headwaters Hospital released a public staff and requires us to carefully plan schedules to ensure patient care is never compro-

> Despite the provincial government announcing that masking mandates in health care settings will lift on April 27, Headwaters

> On top of masking requirements remaining screening, and PPE.

"We believe taking a cautious approach patients and all of us," said Delahunt.

She also noted the hospital will continue



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MANDATORY MASKS: Mandatory masking will reamin in place at Headwaters Hospital indefinitely, according to the hospital's CEO and president Kim Delahunt.

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Shelburne Town Council is calling on res- nomination of the award," said Benotto. idents to submit their nominations for the 2022 Ontario Senior of the Year Award.

"If any of us on council have any se- municipality in time to be presented in nior we think should have an award, we June for Seniors Month. should bring forward the nomination," said Coun. Walter Benotto. "But, it's also of the Year Award, a nominee must be at out there for the public. If there's anyone least 65 years of age, a resident of Ontario, out in the public who thinks there's a se- a living person who has made their comnior that deserves the Senior of the Year munity a better place to live, and nominat-Award nomination, they should bring it ed by a municipality in Ontario. forward to Town Hall."

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County releases first annual Climate Action Report Card

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April is Earth Month and to mark to occasion, Dufferin County has released the firstever annual Climate Action Report Card.

The report card was released by the County on April 14, and provides a progress update on the implementation of the Dufferin Climate Action Plan.

plan was really what we heard from the COVID-19 as well as with staffing." community," said Sara Wicks, manager of climate and energy. "It's a bit of a check- first year the report card has been published be focusing on initiatives connected to buildtion to see how far we've actually come. County is in the plan. Climate action can be a little bit invisible along the way.

developed by the County's Climate and that probably is a better question five Energy Division, publicly known as Climate years from now when we do an updated Action in Dufferin, and was officially adopted inventory," said Wicks. by Council in March of 2021. It's the County's first comprehensive strategy to achieve net- Dufferin in 2021 was transportation, which zero greenhouse gas emissions (GHGs) by according to the report makes up almost 2050, and build resilience to the impacts of half of emission in Dufferin County. A key climate change.

Using six focus areas, the Dufferin Climate Action Plan outlined 34 primary actions charging stations. and 99 sub actions for the County to take to achieve greenhouse gas neutrality and com- up a huge percentage of our car ownermunity resilience.

each action and highlighted key initiatives munity and say 'we're an EV ready comfrom 2021.

While the report card showed a select few actions that had been deemed "completed" Dufferin targeted in 2021 included compleor considered "ongoing", majority of the tion of a feasibility study for a community actions fell within the categories of "delayed" or "future plans".

Speaking with the Free Press, Wicks said in partnership with Wellington County, 3,200 many of the projects listed as future actions tonnes of organics composted through Duf-



to what was promised in there because the next year, and added they faced delays with launch of the Climate Hub and Climate Sto-

Wicks also noted that with it being the

"One year is not a lot of time and this last impressed with how much we were actu-The Dufferin Climate Action Plan was ally able to get out the door and I think

> A priority focus for Climate Action in initiative in addressing transportation emission was the instillation of 24 electric vehicle

"Although electric vehicles don't make ship, yet, it was a really great opportunity The report card identified the status of for us to show some leadership in the community'," said Wicks.

> Other key initiatives Climate Action in deep energy retrofit financing program, activation of the Experimental Acres Farm pilot

Signs approved for local cannabis store

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able to advertise their dispensary to poten- some restrictions?" said Town Planner, tial customers.

During their meeting on April 11, Shelburne Town Council approved a sign vari- is a little bit more signage proposed here ance application from Golden Tree Can- than the bylaw is contemplating for this nabis to have three signs connected to kind of property. Namely, I would suggest their business.

people. The cannabis retail store is situated uct the business is selling." on the south side of the building with both access from the exterior and the gym.

also be placed on the same building side. directional sign." The directional sign was pitched to be locatdirection to the entrance. While both the "Green Tree Cannabis" were raised by town staff regarding the size half the size and half the height. of the directional sign located on the opposite side of retail stores entrance.

"The question is, is that more advertising signage than is reasonably appropriate for this property? Is it keeping with A local retail cannabis stores will now be the intent of the bylaw or should there be Steve Wever. "From our analysis, what we've determined is that in our view there that the directional sign that is proposed Located at 735 Industrial Road, Green on the north elevation of the building is Tree Cannabis, is housed in the same build- larger than what we would normally coning as local gym, Trainer Games Fitness, sider a directional sign. The largest part and is also owned and operated by the same of that sign is not the arrow it's the prod-

Council also shared similar concerns regarding the size of the directional sign.

In the application to Town Council, Green "I'm a firm believer that we should give Tree Cannabis requested to have two signs our businesses every opportunity to sucas well as directional sign for their busi- ceed certainly within the scope of what is ness. The owner's proposed a sign with the allowable and I would agree with you," said business' name "Green Tree Cannabis" to Deputy Mayor Steve Anderson. "I'm glad replace an existing one for the gym on the what is being recommended is subject to south facing side of the building towards conditions because when I was looking at Main Street East, and a cannabis logo sign the sign, I was thinking it's pretty large for a "It's not going to take more than one or ed on the north side of the building with the two trips past it to know that's where the intent to point people travelling from that cannabis store is," said Coun. Lynda Buffet. "I don't think you need that big of a sign." It was recommended by the town planner and logo sign were permitted, concerns that the directional sign be reduced to about Council approved the sign variance on the basis of the town planner's recommendation.

"It's really about keeping us accountable were not scheduled begin until this year and ferin Waste's Green Bin program, and the local level," said Wicks. ries of Dufferin project.

> For 2022 Climate Action in Dufferin will Action in Dufferin's, Climate Hub. GHG emission at 29 per cent.

"So many residents in Dufferin County to people so it's really marking our journey year has been about building things. I'm have independent fuels, whether that's propane or furnace oil, and there's such a huge be found on the Dufferin County website at opportunity there to do some fuel switching www.dufferincounty.ca.

and around efficacy in everybody's houses."

Wicks also noted that they'll be working on further incorporating local residents into initiatives to help with community resiliency from climate change.

"One of the biggest things that people need to understand is that within their municipalities they have indirect control of about 50 per cent of emissions, so there's quire a bit that can be done at the

Residents can find out ways to take action against climate change through Climate

"It breaks down whole sections on taking point for ourselves and a point of celebra- it's too early to determine how on track the ings, which is the county's second biggest action and there are very simple things that can be done in there and how to level them up over time."

The full Climate Action Report Card can



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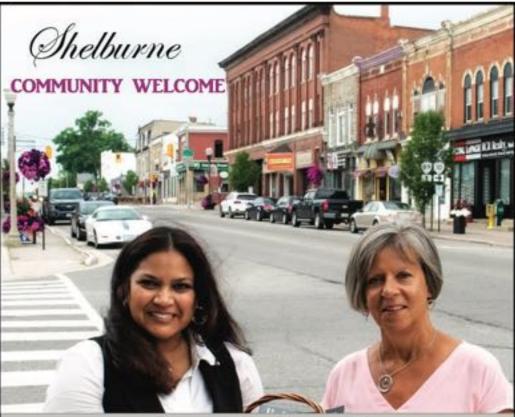
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How did he know that? Well, Britain has been accusing Russia of committing a genocide in Ukraine, and since that can't be true – Russians never behave badly, even in wartime – the evil Brits must be creating a pretext for launching a nuclear strike.

"It's the perfect option," Soloviev explained. The Americans don't want to do it themselves, because they might be hit in retaliation by Russian nukes. It's the British who will be

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ordered to use their tactical nuclear weapons in Ukraine, and suffer the Russian retaliation if necessary. (Everybody knows that the UK is an American-controlled colony.) Maybe it's just the standard propaganda

Maybe it's just the standard propaganda nonsense. After all, it would sound perfectly plausible to anybody who gets all their information from Russian mass media. But Vladimir Putin's regime has the weird but deeply ingrained habit, whenever it is preparing to commit some dastardly deed, of accusing the other side of doing it, or planning to do it, first.

It's like a boxer who always telegraphs his punches: it doesn't make any practical sense, but maybe it makes sense psychologically. At any rate, it definitely got my attention, and I'll bet it did the same in strategic circles in a number of Western capitals.

Maybe it was just idle speculation to fill talkshow time, or maybe it was an attempt to discredit the many reports of crimes committed by Russian troops in Ukraine – but maybe it was an opening bid to justify and normalise the eventual use of Russian tactical nuclear weapons against Ukrainian forces.

I am inclined to give more weight to the former two possibilities, simply because forward planning has not been the hallmark of Russian military behaviour in this war. But here's what the people charged with contingency planning would be telling Putin right now if there is anybody home in the strategic foresight department of the Russian armed forces.

The big Russian offensive starting this week in eastern Ukraine could capture enough territory for Putin to freeze the situation and declare a victory, but it would take many weeks and involve further huge casualties. And it might

at bay, not a decision to commit national suicide (including personal extinction for Putin).

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Russia does have some very tiny 'tacti-

cal' nuclear weapons – one kiloton or less. Nobody else bothers to make them that small, but then nobody else's army still reflexively sees nuclear weapons, regardless of formal deterrence doctrines, as just a bigger kind of artillery.

Use one in an airburst over a small Ukrainian town or even a Ukrainian military position, and you'll kill just a few thousand people, including even the fallout victims. And maybe – just maybe – that will frighten the Ukrainians and NATO into giving Putin a face-saving partial victory.

So if it comes to that – I'm not predicting that it will, but it could – what should NATO do? The answer, almost certainly, is: DO NOTHING NUCLEAR.



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not succeed, even after all that.

To admit defeat against a much smaller opponent like Ukraine after deliberately starting the war would put the Putin regime at mortal risk, so what are the Great Leader's best remaining options? There is only one, actually. Escalate.

This is what Putin always does when he's in trouble, and the only escalation that could change the course of events at that point would be nuclear. Just tiny nukes, of course: this would be a bluff to squeeze some concessions out of the Ukrainians and hold NATO Condemn the Russian first use of nuclear weapons, of course, and watch the entire world join the chorus. Ukraine should continue military operations as if it didn't happen, except that at this point it could ask NATO forces again to provide air support within its borders and NATO should agree. And everybody hopes for the best.

What's the alternative? Get into a tit-for-tat tactical nuclear war on Ukrainian soil? Nuke Moscow? Don't be stupid.



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How did he know that? Well, Britain has been accusing Russia of committing a genocide in Ukraine, and since that can't be true – Russians never behave badly, even in wartime – the evil Brits must be creating a pretext for launching a nuclear strike.

"It's the perfect option," Soloviev explained. The Americans don't want to do it themselves, because they might be hit in retaliation by Russian nukes. It's the British who will be

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ordered to use their tactical nuclear weapons in Ukraine, and suffer the Russian retaliation if necessary. (Everybody knows that the UK is an American-controlled colony.) Maybe it's just the standard propaganda

Maybe it's just the standard propaganda nonsense. After all, it would sound perfectly plausible to anybody who gets all their information from Russian mass media. But Vladimir Putin's regime has the weird but deeply ingrained habit, whenever it is preparing to commit some dastardly deed, of accusing the other side of doing it, or planning to do it, first.

It's like a boxer who always telegraphs his punches: it doesn't make any practical sense, but maybe it makes sense psychologically. At any rate, it definitely got my attention, and I'll bet it did the same in strategic circles in a number of Western capitals.

Maybe it was just idle speculation to fill talkshow time, or maybe it was an attempt to discredit the many reports of crimes committed by Russian troops in Ukraine – but maybe it was an opening bid to justify and normalise the eventual use of Russian tactical nuclear weapons against Ukrainian forces.

I am inclined to give more weight to the former two possibilities, simply because forward planning has not been the hallmark of Russian military behaviour in this war. But here's what the people charged with contingency planning would be telling Putin right now if there is anybody home in the strategic foresight department of the Russian armed forces.

The big Russian offensive starting this week in eastern Ukraine could capture enough territory for Putin to freeze the situation and declare a victory, but it would take many weeks and involve further huge casualties. And it might not succeed, even after all that. To admit defeat against a much smaller opponent like Ukraine after deliberately starting the war would put the Putin regime at mortal risk, so what are the Great Leader's best remaining options? There is only one, actually. Escalate. This is what Putin always does when he's in trouble, and the only escalation that could change the course of events at that point would be nuclear. Just tiny nukes, of course: this would be a bluff to squeeze some concessions out of the Ukrainians and hold NATO

at bay, not a decision to commit national suicide (including personal extinction for Putin).

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Russia does have some very tiny 'tacti-

cal' nuclear weapons – one kiloton or less. Nobody else bothers to make them that small, but then nobody else's army still reflexively sees nuclear weapons, regardless of formal deterrence doctrines, as just a bigger kind of artillery.

Use one in an airburst over a small Ukrainian town or even a Ukrainian military position, and you'll kill just a few thousand people, including even the fallout victims. And maybe – just maybe – that will frighten the Ukrainians and NATO into giving Putin a face-saving partial victory.

So if it comes to that – I'm not predicting that it will, but it could – what should NATO do? The answer, almost certainly, is: DO NOTHING NUCLEAR. Condemn the Russian first use of nuclear weapons, of course, and watch the entire world join the chorus. Ukraine should continue military operations as if it didn't happen, except that at this point it could ask NATO forces again to provide air support within its borders and NATO should agree. And everybody hopes for the best. What's the alternative? Get into a tit-for-tat tactical nuclear war on Ukrainian soil? Nuke Moscow? Don't be stupid.



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Dufferin OPP investigating recent stabbing incident

with other emergency services person- ous, but non-life-threatening injuries.

The Dufferin Detachment of the Ontario at a residence on McCarthy Street in the been charged with Aggravated Assault and is On April 18, 2022, at approximately cers arrested one person and the other the identity of the victim. 3:20 a.m., Dufferin OPP officers, along was transported to the hospital with seri-

nel, responded to a report of a stabbing A 21-year-old male from Orangeville has public safety.

lated incident and that there is no threat to www.ontariocrimestoppers.ca.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone Provincial Police (OPP) is currently investi- Town of Orangeville. Officers located two in custody awaiting a bail hearing. The name with information regarding this incident gating a stabbing at an Orangeville residence. injured people inside the residence. Offi- of the accused will not be released to protect is asked to contact Dufferin OPP at 1-888-310-1122 or Crime Stoppers to remain Dufferin OPP is advising that this is an iso- anonymous at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS) or

Three arrests made for impaired driving in north Dufferin County

Members of the Dufferin Detachment of leave countless people heartbroken. the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) worked three separate incidents.

a.m., a Dufferin OPP officer was conducting ty, please contact the OPP at 1-888-310-1122 patrol on Highway 10 in Melancthon Town- or Crime Stoppers to remain anonymous ship when they noticed a vehicle travelling at 1-800-822-8477 (TIPS) or www.ontariocat a high rate of speed. The officer conduct- rimestoppers.ca ed a traffic stop which led into an impaired operation investigation.

As a result of the investigation, John HEATHCOTE, 38-year-old, from Orangeville has been charged with:

• Operation while impaired - alcohol and drugs • Speeding

• Have care or control of a vehicle with Cannabis readily available

• Obstruct plate

On April 16, 2022, at approximately 7:00 p.m., a Dufferin OPP officer conducted a traffic stop on Main Street East in the Town of Shelburne. That traffic stop led to an impaired operation investigation.

As a result of the investigation, Sumit SHARMA, 27-year-old, from Shelburne has been charged with:

• Operation while impaired - blood alcohol concentration (80 plus)

On April 17, 2022, at approximately 7:00 p.m., Dufferin OPP received a traffic complaint on Highway 9 in the Town of Mono. A Dufferin OPP officer found the vehicle and driver in the Town of Orangeville and was led into an impaired operation investigation.

As a result of the investigation, Bhupinder SINGH. 52-vear-old. from Orangeville

The Dufferin OPP is committed to public very hard this Easter weekend keeping Duf- safety, delivering proactive and innovative ferin County roads safe. Officers charged policing in partnership with our commuthree drivers with impaired operation in nities. Officers value your contribution to building safe communities. If you have in-On April 15, 2022, at approximately 7:45 formation about suspected unlawful activi-



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- 10.Promise

11."Animal House" letter

has been charged with:

• Operation while impaired - blood alcohol concentration (80 plus)

• Operation while impaired - alcohol and drugs

The accused are scheduled to appear before the Ontario Court of Justice in Orangeville, in June of 2022, to answer to the charges. The accused driver's licences were suspended for 90 days and their vehicles impounded for seven days.

The Dufferin OPP reminds motorists to plan ahead when consuming alcohol or drugs. Use a designated driver, cab, rideshare, public transit or stay overnight. Any amount of alcohol or drugs can impair your ability to make sound judgements. One bad decision could destroy or end your life, destroy or end the life of another person and





Hunting in the Dufferin County Forest

All users of the Dufferin County Forest are hereby advised that April 25-May 31 is the spring shotgun/archery season for wild turkey in 2022. Wild turkey hunting may occur only from ½ hour before sunrise to 7:00 p.m. During this time there will be a number of hunters using the Dufferin County Forest properties. Please use caution in the forest and wear bright-coloured clothing. There is no hunting allowed at any time in the Inere is no hunting allowed at any time in the following tracts: north portion of Amaranth, Hockley, Leening, Levitt, Little, Main, Mono, Thomson, and River Road. Suspected violations of the Fish & Wildlife Conservation Act should be reported to the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry at 877-847-7667 (877-TIPS-MNR). Other inquiries should be directed to the County Forest Manager at 877-941-7787 Manager at 877-941-7787.



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Compass Run for Food returning with in-person event

Written By Sam Odrowski

After a couple years without an in-person event, the Compass Run for Food is returning to Compass Community Church in Mono on June 11, with the goal of raising \$75,000.

There's also a virtual run option for individuals who are still hesitant to meet in-person due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The virtual run allows participants to choose their own starting line and run either individually or with their team at their own pace throughout the month of June.

Online registration is open now at a small fee and everyone who registers gets a free t-shirt at raceroster.com/events/2022/57018/ compass-run-for-food

All of the money generated through the fundraiser goes towards supporting food \$65,000 was raised.

gather again for the run.

"This is the first time in a couple of years

Date:

Time:

Location:

Hazardous waste

Electronic waste

Limitations

hazardous & electronic

8am-3pm

(Beside Arena)

Saturday, April 30, 2022

60 Main St. N, Grand Valley

Residents will be required to unload their own items.

clocks, microwaves, toasters, and small appliances.

Additional events are being planned for the remainder of the year. Check our website for updates. Visit dufferincounty.ca/waste for updates and a full listing of acceptable materials and

limitations. For Residents of Dufferin County, including Amaranth, East Garafraxa, Grand Valley, Melancthon, Mono, Mulmur, Orangeville and Shelburne.

includes automotive containers, cleaning products, fluorescent lights,

batteries, paints, pesticides, pharmaceuticals, syringes, and much more.

includes audio equipment, cameras, computers, home entertainment

No waste from industrial, commercial, or institutional sources. No white

goods/large appliances (including any appliances with freon). No garbage,

or recycling. No unidentified/unknown materials. No drums of materials.

equipment, phones, and household electronic items, including lamps, alarm

CONTRIBUTED PHOTO

RUNNING FOR A CAUSE: Last year participants of the Compass Run for Food were able to reach banks and food programs in Shelburne, their fundraising goal of \$65,000. This year, organizers of the annual event have their sights set on Orangeville, and Grand Valley. Last year raising \$75,000. All the money raised supports local food banks and programs.

he remarked.

"When people show up its usually high

Compass Run for Food in-person, 8 a.m. is per mile, and that's what I think is the most when kit pick-up starts at the church and important thing." opening ceremonies begin at 9 a.m.

run will start at 9:15 a.m., while the 5 km run/ programs throughout Dufferin County. walk/school challenge will start at 9:30 a.m.

"From first-time runners to families and school groups, everyone is invited and nesses who sponsor the event and racers encouraged to take part! Not only will you who raise money. feel a sense of accomplishment after finishin the knowledge that 100 per cent of your the community, which is really humbling," registration fee will be donated to support he remarked. local food security initiatives that help feed our community in Dufferin County," a recent donation, but you can also raise funds press release from Compass Run stated.

banks and nutrition programs in Dufferin which is always fantastic." County, such as; the Orangeville Food Bank, Shepherd's Cupboard (Shelburne food bank), team. Some local schools have developed Grand Valley Food Bank and breakfast pro- teams so far. grams throughout Dufferin County elemenfor free in the Kid's Fun Run."

With the event supporting not-for-profits the Compass Run visit: raceroster.com/ in the local community, Marshall said most events/2022/57018/compass-run-for-food

people who participate feel good about giving back.

"People are happy to know that all the money that's being raised is going to help others in need. It could be them or it could be their neighbours or their family," he remarked.

Marshall also noted the rising price of fuel and food that's putting increased pressure on social services such as food banks.

Each year the Compass Run has grown in size, attracting more participants and sponsors, and raising more money, despite being held virtually in 2020 and 2021.

Meanwhile, one of the fun parts about the Compass Run for Food is its low-pressure environment, according to Marshall.

"The fun thing about this event is, it's not a marathon, so most people aren't coming, trying to set their best time. A lot of people who show up are of various ages and abilities, and some of them are running it, some of them are jogging it, and some of them are walking it," he noted.

"We've had people do their personal bests, For those participating in the 9th Annual and people who've just had a lot of smiles

Since the race's inception in 2014, approx-The 0.5 km walk for kids and the 10.5 km imately \$315,000 has been raised for food

> Marshall said the Compass Run for Food organizers would like to thank all the busi-

"It's people who are taking money out ing the course, but you'll also be content of their wallets, who are willing to help

"When you sign up, you can make a through your social media, which allows "All of the money raised will go to food us to reach another level of fundraising,

You can fundraise by yourself or with a

As of press time, Grand Valley Public tary schools. Families with young children School was in first place out of the particiwill also be in for a treat, as all under 10's run pating teams with a fundraising total of \$495.

To register or find out more about

Flato invites public to a meeting on its MZO plans for housing in Dundalk

Written By Staff

The come-and-go style of last week's public meeting on Flato's plans for housing in Dundalk, left some wondering to whom they should ask their questions.

But with numerous Flato staff there – including its planner, people from its PR firm and the company president - there were





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Notice of Schedule 'C' Municipal Class Environmental **Assessment - Public Information Center No. 3**

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Increased Capacity of the Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP)



One of the event organizers, David Mar- where we've been able to host the event energy, the music's going, people are kind of shall noted his excitement for being able to in-person again, which we're all thrilled for," starting to get stretched."

THE STUDY

The Town of Shelburne is conducting a Schedule "C" Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA) to increase water treatment capacity as current WPCP capacity cannot meet the Town's long-term needs.

THE PROCESS

This project is being planned as a Schedule C project under the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment.

PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTER #3

We are offering the opportunity to learn about studies completed to date and to provide feedback, electronically through Zoom video conferencing.

> 6:30 p.m. -7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 5th, 2022 **Zoom Video Conference**

Please contact the Clerk at jwilloughby@shelburne.ca to register no later than 12:00 p.m. on Friday, April 29, 2022. To ensure your questions, comments or concerns are addressed during the public meeting, please submit them in advance by email by 12:00 p.m. April 29, 2022. A live stream of the meeting on the Town's YouTube channel will be made available at:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCsar-MwF8CXrgPbe2EVxh-w.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Further information can also be obtained from the Town's consultant for this project:

Ian Callum, M.Sc., PMP S. Burnett & Associates Limited 210 Broadway, Unit 203 Orangeville, ON L9W 5G4 T: 519-941-2949 ext. 240





Information will be collected in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. Except for personal information, all comments will become part of the public record.

This Notice first issued April 21, 2022 in the Shelburne Free Press.

plenty of people available to help.

The room was set up with displays of the maps of the sections that have been zoned through a recent provincial order known as an MZO.

Also in attendance were some Southgate staff and members of council. A representative of the organizers said that about 50 people were there.

Flato president Shakir Rehmatullah said he was pleased to meet three owners of Flato houses who told him how they enjoy life in Dundalk.

He said the company was there because we would continue working with the com- student came with a list of questions. munity and working with our stakeholders."

for when the building would be in place.

The planning consultant, Kory Chisholm still hasn't been completely built out yet.

There is the second phase of Carriage House on Glenelg being built.

zoning in place, he said that they will have Grounds Café. a shorter de-velopment timeline than the lands east of Hwy. 10, which will have to go bers now from the area, and said he is through multiple ap-provals even after the opening to hire more, or to provide an inannexation process is complete.

Visitor to the meeting, Teri Cobean said that she has been in Southgate about five years.

infrastructure and services will go," she said. housing market. Several people had questions about how



167 Centre St, Shelburne Pastor; Rev. Gord Horsley

Come and be Blessed



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PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT MEETING: The public could view maps of the areas adjoining Dundalk that now have zoning in place due to the recent Minister's Zoning Orders. Flato Developments staff and consultants were present at the meeting last Wednesday to answer questions. Pictured are from left: Flato president Shakir Rehmatullah, Southgate Coun. Jim Frew, Mayor John Woodbury, Deputy Mayor Brian Milne and Coun. Barb Dobreen.

of its promise during the MZO process "that including Clark Acheson. The high school

Mr. Rehmatullah said that the company The developer did not have a timetable has seen good interest in the plaza that will be part of Edgewood Greens.

The developer is also pleased with the inof MHBC commented that the first appli- terest in the adult lifestyle apartment buildcations for Edgewood Greens, the original ing. That was a first for his company and subdivision were started in 2015-16, and it was developed in response to requests from Southgate Town-ship.

The company president stressed his support of the local community - pointing out Because the MZO lands now have the the re-freshments purchased from Common

> Mr. Rehmatullah has a few staff memternship opportunity.

He said the company is exploring different types of units to address needs "It's just booming and I'm curious how the for those who are being priced out of the

Mayor John Woodbury said that at the much affordable housing there would be, recent Good Roads convention, Southgate was able to make a delegation to the MTO about one of his own priorities - another entrance into Dundalk from Hwy. 10. The mayor asked that Flato include the entrance in its MZO application to im-prove emergency vehicle access or aid evacuation in case of fire or disaster.

> However, it's the MTO that needs to make those decisions, and Mayor Woodbury said that he was pleased with the way that the conversation went.

> "This isn't something we want today," he said. "But we'd like to know what the approach is and... whether other studies are needed."

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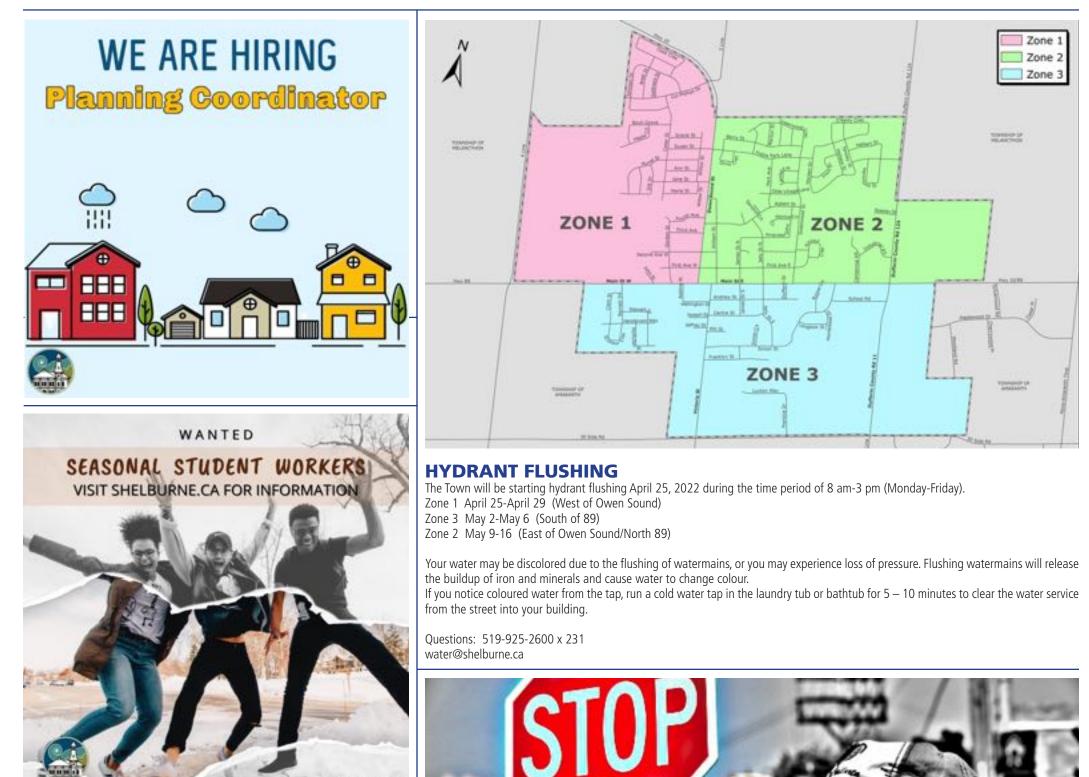




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COUNCIL 2022 DATES

April 25 • May 9 & 30 • June 13 & 27 • July 11 & 25 • August 29 • September 12 & 26 • October 3 & 17 • December 5 • Meetings commence at 6:30 pm





PUBLIC WORKS: SPRING UPDATES

As we transition out of Winter Maintenance, Public Works staff begin preparing roads, sidewalks and parks for the Summer months.

Maintenance efforts underway at this time of year are repairing potholes and damaged grass, sweeping streets and sidewalks, collecting debris and garbage, and setting up parks and sports fields.

More information can be found on our website on the Public Works page.

Should you have questions and concerns, please report these to jkaske@ shelburne.ca, 519-925-2600 ext.261 or report online by completing the Report a Compliment or Concern form.



Notice of Nomination Period for Interested Candidates

Are you thinking of running for office in the next municipal election?

The nomination period for candidates begins on May 2, 2022 and ends on Nomination Day, August 19, 2022. Nomination forms may be filed in person by the candidate or by their agent during normal office hours. On Nomination Day, nominations forms may only be filed between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

The 2022 Municipal and School Board Election will take place on **October 24, 2022**. The deadline to file the required Nomination Forms for the offices of Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Councillor and School Board Member is Nomination Day, August 19, 2022.

For more information, please contact your local municipal office at:

MONO MORA Orangeville

Township of Amaranth: **amaranth.ca** Township of East Garafraxa: **eastgarafraxa.ca** Town of Grand Valley: **townofgrandvalley.ca** Township of Melancthon: **melancthontownship.ca** Town of Mono: **townofmono.com** Township of Mulmur: **mulmur.ca** Town of Orangeville: **elections.orangeville.ca** Town of Shelburne: **shelburne.ca**





TOWN TREES

The Town of Shelburne provides a range of services related to Town street trees, including planting, pruning and removal of street trees, and trees in parks and open spaces. Preservation and protection of trees are an important consideration in our municipal operations.

INVASIVE SPECIES

The most notable diseases, pests and invasive species to Shelburne trees are the Asian long-horned beetle, Dutch elm disease, Emerald Ash Borer, Lymantria dispar dispar (LDD, formerly known as the gypsy moth), and Maple gall mites.

The Ontario Ministry of Northern Development, Mines, Natural Resources and Forestry (NDMNRF) has predicted high LDD populations this year leading to moderate to severe defoliation. Learn more about LDD moths, other invasive species and what can be done to protect your property on the Government of Ontario's website. Sightings of invasive pests can be reported to the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry or Ontario Invading Species.

Please be aware, that the responsibility of maintaining and treating privately owned trees will be the homeowner's responsibility. Monitor your trees and intervene if needed. Early action is key to maintaining the health of your tree.

If you are concerned with the health of a street or park tree, please report these to jkaske@shelburne.ca, 519-925-2600 ext.261 or report online by completing the Report a Compliment or Concern form. More information and resources can be found our website's Trees Page.



CDRC

Registration is open for the CDRC Summer Day Camp ONLINE! For more information on dates, themes and prices, visit the link below: https://www.shelburne. ca/.../exp.../summerday-camps.aspx...

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We have made every attempt to make all our documents accessible. Please contact us if you require assistance and we will make every attempt to provide this information in an alternate format.

SHELBURNE SPORTS



For coverage of any local sports events please contact me and I'll be there!



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Starring Leisa Way & the Wayward Wind Band

APRIL 27 - MAY 15



Outlaws still looking to fill roster for summer football

Written By Brian Lockhart

The Orangeville Outlaws Football Club are still looking for players for the 2022 summer season.

There are positions open on the Bantam team for players born 2008 – 2009.

This is full on tackle football and Outlaws teams have already moved to outdoor practice at the Orangeville Fairgrounds.

Shelburne residents are eligible to play on Orangeville teams. The region has seen many players from the area and points further north that have played with the Outlaws and had a successful career.

The Club is now part of the Ontario Summer Football League which covers most of the football centres in Ontario.

You don't have to be experienced to play. Coaches will show you the positions and help you learn the game.

Equipment is provided for players however you will need to have your own cleats to play.

The Outlaws have changed home fields this season.

They will now play home games at Humberview field in Bolton which has a brand-new turf field.

The Club is also running their flag football 2010 to 2015.

The flag program has turned out to be very nized for last year. popular. It was started in 2020 after the pandemic shut down regular league football for



BRIAN LOCKHART PHOTO

SHELBURNE PLAYERS WANTED: The Orangeville Outlaws Bantam team go through some drills during practice at the Orangeville Fairgrounds. The Outlaws are still looking for players for the 2022 summer season as well as the flag football program for younger players.

the season.

Outlaws executive wanted to keep play- cer or football cleats to participate. ers active so they put together a late season program this summer for players born from house league program for flag football. It the field at Westside Secondary School proved to be so popular it was again orga- in Orangeville.

> Flag football is run in a house league format. book page for more information. The entry fee includes shorts, a shirt and

mouth guard. Players must have their own soc-

Flag football games will take place on

You can visit the Orangeville Outlaws Face-

Stayner claims Junior C North Carruthers Division title

Written By Brian Lockhart

The Stayner Siskins have claimed the North Carruthers Division title of the Provincial Junior Hockey League after eliminating the another goal to make it a 4-2 game. Schomberg Cougars in a four-game sweep.

Both teams had a solid year with the Siskins finishing in the top spot in the league several points ahead of second place.

Schomberg, Alliston, and Orillia all finwas going to be a tough battle in the playoffs.

The Alliston Hornets were eliminated in the semi-finals after losing 4-3 to the Siskins past weekend with the final games taking in their best-of-seven series.

The Cougars knocked out the Orillia Terriers in their semi-final series.

The battle for the division championship got underway on April 7, with Stayner squeezing out a 4-3 win in overtime to take Game One.

The Siskins were leading 3-0 at the mid- the provincial Schmalz Cup championship way mark in the second period.

Schomberg closed the gap with a pair of goals, but Stayner again opened it up with will take place on a team's home ice.

Both teams scored a single point in final University of Guelph on May 15. period.

series and claim the Division championship.

Stayner will now go on to play the winner extend the regular season. ished the season one point apart meaning it of the North Pollock Division to vie for the North Conference Championship.

place on Sunday, April 17.

The winner of the Conference will go to with the best-of-seven regular format.

tournament.

The first two rounds of the tournament

The final game will get underway at the

The PJHL decided to switch to a tourna-The Siskins won the game 5-3 to end the ment style championship this year after the January shut-down caused the league to

It was decided it was not practical to continue with a best-of-seven championship The PJHL wrapped up Division titles this series due to the late season finish.

> If next season continues as normal, the Schmalz Cup championship will resume

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Game Two of the series on April 9, saw the Siskins take a 2-0 lead with a 6-3 win.

It was another close game when the teams met for the third in the series. Stayer managed to open the lead to three games with a 3-2 win.

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(Jordan) Blacklock (Steve), Bradley Jordan, Bill Townsend (Trina), Gordon Townsend (Arielle), Andrew Townsend, Patrick Townsend (Ashley) and Sirena Fields and nine great-grandchildren: Kenai Giannini, Colby Jordan, Kelsey and Olivia Ball, Nyiah and Faith Blacklock, Brianna Dupont Jordan, Jacob (Jake) and Elizabeth (Lily) Townsend.

Visitation was held at the Jack & Thompson Funeral Home on Monday April 18, 2022 from 1-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. with Masonic and Eastern Star services beginning at 6:30 p.m. A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. at Monticello United Church, 401247 County Road 15, Grand Valley. Space is limited at this event, to attend the funeral service, please RSVP on the funeral home website. Burial at Monticello Cemetery. As expressions of sympathy, donations may be made to Monticello United Church Memorial Fund, Headwaters Health Care Foundation or a charity of your choice. Online condolences may be placed at www.jackandthompsonfuneralhome.com **Masks are recommended at all events**

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