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Summer event series coming to Jack Downing Park, featuring live music, entertainment, and local vendors

Written By Paula Brown
Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

The Town of Shelburne will kick off summer weekends with a fun new park event for residents and visitors.

The Town of Shelburne will host "Six Fridays in the Park" at Jack Downing Park from June 16 to Sept. 1. The special event will include a diverse line-up of music, children's entertainment and community activities.

"We want to make sure that we're offering the community something that is unique and that will help bring the community together. It's important to have areas where people can meet other people because it helps with isolation," said Carol Maitland, economic development officer for the Town of Shelburne. "We want it to be successful and to be a template to use moving forward into the future."

The idea for the 'Six Fridays in the Park' event came out of the Town of Shelburne's Community Improvement Plan (CIP), which identified 12 moves to improve the community. Number eight of the 'big moves' was redesigning Jack Downing Park to become



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SUMMER EVENT SERIES: The Town of Shelburne is celebrating summer weekends in the community with a new event series called "Six Fridays in the Park," which will be held in Jack Downing Park.

the community's 'living room.'

In 2022, the town converted the park into a space that could host a wide range of community-based outdoor programming and activities.

"One of the big purposes of it is to drive visitors and the community to the downtown core and to help support our local businesses. The other is to build community, it's important to offer these sorts of event within the town so people don't have to leave," Maitland told the Free Press. "We're also trying to start to build a bit of a tourism industry."

Each Friday event will feature a different musical line-up, children's entertainment and community activity to help create a memorable experience for residents and visitors.

The event will also offer a limited number of free booths to businesses to 'share their wares' with the community.

The first of the 'Six Fridays in the Park' will include music by the Jay Kipps Band, a downtown business scavenger hunt, business vendors, and caricatures.

The community is invited to spend the evening in the park between 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. and participate in free, family-friendly activities and entertainment.

The dates for the 'Six Fridays in the Park' are June 16 (opening day), June 23, July 7, July 14, Aug. 4, and Sept. 1 (final day).

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Concert honouring Gordon Lightfoot coming to Fiddle Park

Written By **Paula Brown**
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The songs of legendary Canadian singer/songwriter Gordon Lightfoot have been heard across the country for more than five decades and will continue to be heard in the Shelburne community this coming summer.

Leisa Way and her Wayward Band will bring their "Early Morning Rain" concert to Fiddle Park in Shelburne on August 13 at 7:30 p.m.

"It's a joy to be in our hometown area, so that the hometown crowds can come see the concert. We love coming here, the audiences are always so warm and friendly. We look forward to every show, but to be in Shelburne will be special," said Way.

Written, produced, and performed by Leisa Way herself, 'Early Morning Rain' celebrates Gordon Lightfoot's legendary career through a comprehensive tour of his life and music told through stories and performance.

"Musical storytelling is how I define my concerts. We sing the songs of these wonderful artists and tell the stories behind the songs," explained Way. "The audience

learns something that perhaps they hadn't known about the artist through these wonderful stories that we link the songs together with."

Way and her band originally debuted the 'Early Morning Rain' concert in February 2020, with a three-week sold-out run at Theatre Orangeville. Their plan was to tour the concert in 26 theatres throughout 2020, but those plans were delayed as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Reworking the concert for reopening, Way chose to delve deeper into her own personal reasons for producing 'Early Morning Rain,' specifically speaking about her dad, who died in 1999 and was a Gordon Lightfoot fan.

"My dad couldn't carry a tune in a bucket, but when he was in his workshop he'd sing Gordon Lightfoot," said Way.

She also recalled a memory of driving to her family's camp in Northern Ontario and her dad slipping an 8-track tape into the stereo of his truck, where she'd stand between the seats and sing to Lightfoot's songs.

"It was something I wanted to do for myself, to honour my father by singing and presenting a concert he would love so

much," said Way.

Way and her band reopened 'Early Morning Rain' on stage at the Orillia Opera House, in Lightfoot's hometown of Orillia, on May 6. The concert was held just days after news broke of Lightfoot's death at Sunnybrook Hospital in Toronto at the age of 84.

"It was overwhelming and powerful in many ways. We were more nervous than we've ever been because we knew the responsibility of giving Gord's fans a great send off for him," said Way.

Way also addressed how Lightfoot's death has changed the concert.

"We feel even more of a responsibility to deliver the best concert we can musically, to honor him – we carry that with us," said Way. "I hope that our concert will be a healing event for folks who come see us."

Audience members will have an opportunity to hear some of Lightfoot's greatest hits and fan favourites, including "Sundown," "If You Could Read My Mind," and "Early Morning Rain" – the title song of the concert.

Some other songs that Way noted as looking forward to performing include; "Black Day in July," which will be performed by new band member Brant Garrett; "Home From the Forest," where the band moves closer to allow the audience a look at the instruments; and "Whispers of the North," the inspiration

for the concert's set design.

"You'll hear a lot of your favourites," said Way. "He wrote over 400 songs so we'll try to get as many as we can in, in the two-hour time we have together."

The summer concert will mark the third performance that Way and her band have done with the Rotary Club of Shelburne as a fundraiser for the local chapter. In 2021, Way brought her show "Rhinstone Cowgirl, A Tribute to Dolly Parton" to the community, and last year her smash hit concert "Rock n' Roll is Here to Stay" kicked off the 2022 Heritage Music Festival.

"We're happy to have Leisa back again. Her shows are always highly entertaining and draw an enthusiastic crowd. To be able to celebrate the songs of a true legendary Canadian, Gordon Lightfoot, it's something that can't be missed," said Shelburne Rotary co-president Bobbi Ferguson.

The Rotary Club of Shelburne will use the funds raised through the event to help with food insecurity initiatives, specifically those geared toward youth and seniors.

Tickets for 'Early Morning Rain' are now available for purchase and range from \$15 to \$65. Tickets can be purchased through the link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/early-morning-rain-celebrating-the-legend-of-gordon-lightfoot-tickets-630193835727>.

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New date set for inquest into death of Terry Baker

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A new date has been set for an inquest into the 2016 death of Terry Baker, an inmate who was serving a life sentence for her role in the torture and murder of an Orangeville teen.

Dr. Karen Schiff, regional supervising coroner for the west region, announced on Monday (May 15) that a motion hearing related to the pending inquest into the death of Terry Baker had been scheduled for May 23.

The coroner's inquest into Baker's death was originally set to begin in early April, with the inquest spanning two weeks and hearing from approximately 12 witnesses. A week before the coroner's inquest was set to begin, the Ministry of the Solicitor General announced that after hearing submission from the parties, the presiding officer had ruled the inquest be postponed.

Baker, who pleaded guilty to her part in the 2002 murder of 16-year-old Robbie McLennan, died at St. Mary's General Hospital in Kitchener on July 6, 2016. She was transferred there

from the Grand Valley Institution for Women after being found unresponsive in her cell.

In 2017, a coroner's inquest to examine the events surrounding Baker's death was announced by the then-regional supervising coroner for inquests, Dr. David Eden.

An inquest into Baker's death is mandatory under the Coroners Act.

Dr. Eden will serve as the presiding officer for the inquest and the motion hearing. Sidney McLean and Kristin Smith will be inquest counsel. The motion hearing will begin at 1 p.m. on May 23, with parties making their submissions remotely.

Baker, who was 16 years old at the time of McLennan's murder in 2002, was convicted of first-degree murder in 2006 and handed a life sentence. Baker's then 20-year-old boyfriend, William Bronson Penasse, also pleaded guilty to first-degree murder in 2005 and was sentenced to life in prison without eligibility for parole until 2030. Another 16-year-old – never identified under the Youth Criminal Justice Act – was convicted of second-degree murder and sentenced to 18 months.

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Erasing Canada's history

The Trudeau government recently unveiled its new Canadian passport. Ministers Fraser and Gould proudly proclaimed it includes improved security features and new artwork to better reflect Canada. The addition of this new artwork meant the removal of key moments and people in our shared Canadian history. For example, the Vimy Ridge Memorial, which represents a defining moment in Canadian history that saw our country emerge as a unified nation, has been removed from the new Canadian passport. The Royal Canadian Legion rightfully spoke out against the change, saying the very freedom the Canadian passport gives us to travel around the world is due to the sacrifices

made by those who served Canada. Canadian hero and humanitarian, Terry Fox, who embarked on a run across Canada to raise awareness and funds for cancer research, has been removed from the new Canadian passport. Nellie McClung, one of Canada's most respected and well-known suffragists, an activist for women's rights, has also been removed. It's baffling these iconic images would be removed from the Canadian passport. It's even more baffling the Trudeau government would dedicate this much time and energy on changing graphics when there are so many other pressing priorities for Canadians. We know an undertaking like this doesn't happen overnight. It's a

process that's been in the works for some time now. It means when Canadians were struggling to have their passport applications processed so they could finally travel again, this is what the Trudeau government was focused on. Instead of working on the immigration backlog of 1,000,000 applications, they were spending their time on "new artwork" for their new Canadian passport. Minister Fraser himself has admitted during their consultation process that, "no feedback we received that people found our history offensive." Sadly, this recent example of the Trudeau government losing the plot so terribly isn't surprising at this point. It's exactly what Canadians have come to expect under the

leadership of Justin Trudeau. After becoming Canada's Prime Minister in 2015, Justin Trudeau said Canada was a "post-national state." Canadians are asking themselves if the recent removal of Canada's history (and symbols of our shared Canadian values) from the Canadian passport, confirms that he views Canada as no longer being a nation? Canadians are proud of our more than 150 years history as a nation. There's absolutely no need to erase it. Justin Trudeau and his Liberal government need a reality check and fast.

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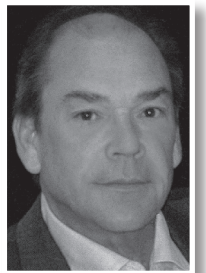
I have never understood the practice of quoting famous people and reprinting the words as if one person's phrase is so profound we should all live by it. Wouldn't you rather make up your own profound saying or pass on some wisdom from your own grandfather? Lately, I have been getting a lot of these on my Facebook feed. For some reason, there's a recent trend of quoting famous actors. Half the time the quote isn't even really attributed to the actor, there's just a photo and a quote underneath. Tom Cruise is known as being a pretty nice guy and a well-known actor, but I'm not sure he's known as a profound thinker. Yet, the other day there's a photo of Tom with a quote underneath. Actor Morgan Freeman pops up with quotes quite often as well. He's a likable person known for his smooth vocal delivery but does being born with a great voice qualify a person as a noted intellectual? Quoting a famous politician is about as phony as you can get. The famous quotes from well-known political figures aren't their words of wisdom - they are the words of some back-room writer or team of writers who have spent days, maybe weeks, or sometimes longer, working on a speech for the politician to deliver at some notable occasion. JFK's famous "ask not what your country can do for you" speech is quoted quite often. However, he didn't think that up - his team of speech writers thought it up. He just had the opportunity to say it in public.

With all that being said, I did find a quote on my Facebook page the other day that really did ring a bell of sanity and common sense that can be applied to modern society - even though it was written over 150 years ago. Ralph Waldo Emerson was an American essayist, lecturer, and philosopher who became a notable figure in his own time, and his reputation continues 141 years after his death. Emerson is widely quoted. His words are in his own hand, written in his journals and essays. The Emerson quote is: "Let me never fall into the vulgar mistake of dreaming that I am persecuted whenever I am contradicted." Our society has fallen into a trap described in this quote. It is a trap fueled by media, special interest groups, and organizations with an agenda to promote ideologies of their own design. There seems to be a 'one way' means of thinking among many groups, where discussion, contradictions, other opinions, and even facts are not allowed or considered. Being open-minded has become wrong in many groups and organizations. It has become a 'we are right' situation, no matter what other input or information is available. I saw a group in the U.S. whose way of dealing with other opinions was to scream as loud as they could every time another person spoke. Instead of dealing with a contrary opinion with intelligent dialogue, they reduced themselves to looking like

idiots rather than considering another opinion. The national and international media is largely responsible for this one-sided push of opinion. The recent coronation of King Charles was obviously a big news story earlier this month. As I followed the news feeds about this historic occasion, I noticed a trend. There were more stories about groups, people, and organizations against the monarchy than about the coronation itself. This included stories from the U.K. as well as other Commonwealth countries. One story focused on a group that opposed the monarchy and planned to disrupt the event. The story went into great detail about why the monarchy should be abolished. It didn't take much searching to find out

that this group was less than 20 people holding cheap cardboard signs, yet the story overshadowed the actual coronation story by the same media outlet. A person with a different opinion doesn't mean they are wrong. More likely, it means the person who thinks they are absolutely right hasn't considered all the information and is too closed-minded to accept other options as valid. Emerson was saying you should never consider yourself right all the time. If you do, you will miss out on some great opportunities. As far as other great quotes, I always liked: "A computer once beat me at chess, but it was no match for me at kickboxing." You gotta love Emo Phillips.

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Vehicle stolen from Berry Street driveway over weekend

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

Dufferin Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) is investigating the theft of a vehicle from a residence in Shelburne over the weekend.

Dufferin OPP received a call for service at a residence on Berry Street in Shelburne on May 13 at approximately 5:50 a.m. regarding

a vehicle theft. Police say it is believed the theft occurred sometime between 9:30 p.m. on May 12 and 5:50 a.m. on May 13.

The vehicle, a 2017 blue Infiniti 250 sedan with the licence plate CEWY 382, was stolen from the driveway of the residence.

Police said the investigation is continuing.

Anyone with information or video surveillance footage concerning the auto theft in Shelburne is asked to contact the Dufferin OPP Detachment at 519-942-1711 or 1-888-310-1122.

Information can also be provided anonymously by contacting Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or submitting a tip at www.ontariocrimestoppers.ca.

To help educate residents on crime prevention strategies to minimize victimization, Dufferin OPP has shared some auto theft crime prevention tips, including:

- Ensure vehicle keys are kept well away from doors and windows
- Use a signal-blocking pouch/box to block the key fob from transmitting its code to the vehicle
- Turn off the keyless fob wireless signal at night (refer to car manual)
- Use a steering wheel lock or car alarm, which could add a delay or be a deterrent for thieves
- Consider a secondary audible car alarm
- Park in the garage if possible

- Insert a car tracker
- Dufferin OPP is also raising public awareness about personal identification theft from unsecured vehicles such as licences, insurance, vehicle ownerships, passports, mobile devices or laptops. Tips to avoid victimization include:
- Never leave a running vehicle unattended
 - Lock vehicle doors
 - Roll up windows
 - Keep valuables out of sight
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Weapons and drugs seized at R.I.D.E stop

Written By **Paula Brown**
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A R.I.D.E checkpoint conducted by Dufferin OPP in Shelburne last week led officers to

charge a driver with a number of weapons and drug-related offences.

Officers from the Dufferin Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) detachment were conducting a R.I.D.E program spot check shortly before 11:30 p.m. on May 11 in the area of Owen Sound Street and Main Street in Shelburne. Officers were led into a drug-related investigation upon stopping the driver, which resulted in a man being charged with numerous offences.

The 32-year-old Owen Sound resident was charged with possession of a weapon for a dangerous purpose, carrying a concealed weapon,

possession of a prohibited or restricted weapon at an unauthorized place, possession of a Schedule 1 substance – methamphetamine, and driving while under suspension.

The accused is scheduled to appear at the Ontario Court of Justice in Orangeville in June to answer to the charges. These charges have not been proven in court.

Dufferin OPP said they will continue to conduct R.I.D.E program spot checks on a daily basis, as drivers impaired by alcohol or drugs continue to pose a threat to Ontario roads.

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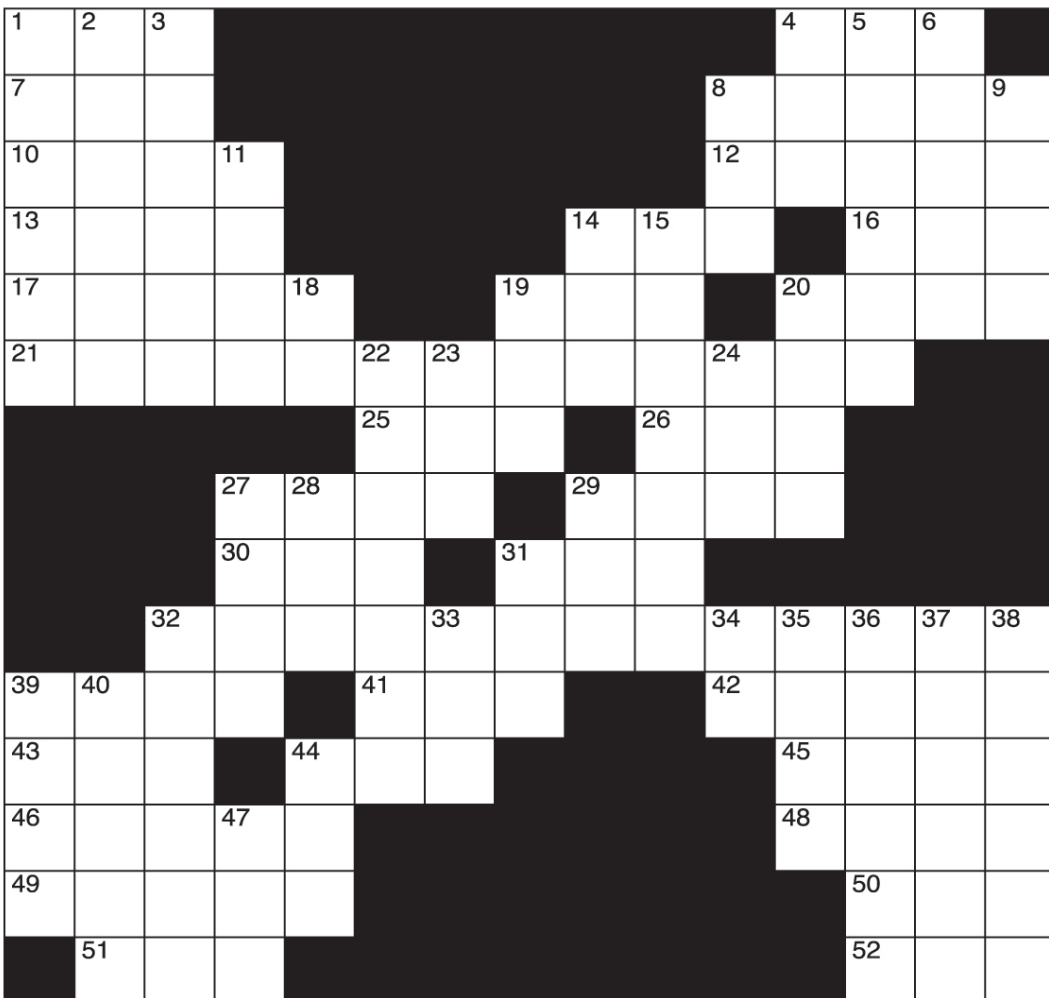
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Community donates over \$20,000 and new roof to family battling brain cancer

Written By Sam Odrowski

The community has rallied together to support a father of three young children in Grand Valley, recently diagnosed with late-stage brain cancer.

George Raynard is unable to work as he undergoes chemotherapy, and since he's the sole provider for his family, a GoFundMe was started to help cover the cost of food and his mortgage. The online fundraiser has already raised over \$20,000 since it was created on April 30 with donations coming in from private donors, community groups, and local businesses.

George Raynard's sister Helen Cox started the fundraiser with her brother Thomas and mother Dawn Raynard.

Cox said George and his wife Ashley have been overwhelmed by the support they've received through the GoFundMe over the last two and a half weeks, and they are incredibly grateful.

"George is so overwhelmed. He's said 'I just cannot believe that all these people are taking an interest in my family and trying to help us when I don't even know them,'" said Cox. "It's been incredible."

Since George was diagnosed with a brain tumour five years ago, the financial burden of being unable to work consistently and now having to stop entirely has become unmanageable.

"At first George was really just trying to do it on his own, and he is the sole provider for his family, so he was trying to work through this. Even when he was having seizures, and in and out of the hospital and, he just kept going to work, and he was just so focused on that," said Cox.

But with George unable to work and not as physically strong due to brain cancer, some home maintenance fell behind. His roof was leaking, but on May 11, All Pro Roofing agreed to replace it at no cost to the family.

All Pro Roofing owner Jamie Bates said with May being Brain Cancer Awareness Month and a local family needing a new roof, he felt compelled to use his resources to make it happen.

"Out of all people, we understand how important a roof over your head is," Bates noted. "With the considerable challenges the family is going through, we thought it was the right thing to do."



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COMMUNITY SUPPORT OVERWHELMS FAMILY: The Raynard family – George, Ashley and their three daughters Arya, Violet and Lilah – are incredibly grateful to the many people who have donated to the GoFundMe page set up on their behalf while George battles brain cancer. The online fundraiser raised \$21,741 as of press time.

Gibson Building Supplies provided All Pro Roofing with some of the materials for the roof free of charge, and Green For Life (GFL) donated a disposal bin for the project, while the Circle K in Grand Valley brought refreshments and pizza to workers replacing the roof.

"It's very important for the community to come together and do things like this," said Bates.

A new roof for George's family would have cost almost \$10,000 if they had to pay for it outright.

"If we can save that expense, then the family can contribute that money elsewhere, where it's more important," Bates explained.

Cox said George and his family have been blown away by the community's support. The Grand Valley Lions Club dropped off money, the Grand Valley Minor Soccer Club waived registration fees for George's daughters, Clover Farms in Grand Valley collected donations, and Project Linus donated hand-made quilts.

Project Linus recently established a chapter in Dufferin County, and its members make quilts by hand and donate them to children undergoing crisis or difficult situations.

George was first diagnosed with a brain tumour in November of 2018 when his wife was four months pregnant with his youngest daughter, and he had an unexpected seizure at home.

The ambulance rushed him to the hospital, and after brain scans, the doctors said they wouldn't know if the tumour was dangerous unless they did an operation that required cutting into his skull. The doctors also mentioned they likely wouldn't be able to remove the entire tumour if they did operate, and additional treatment would be needed.

After careful consideration, the family and doctors decided it would be best to wait and monitor the tumour, as George's wife would soon be giving birth and in need of support.

However, he suffered a seizure that caused two dislocated shoulders, making George unable to work for six months.

During that time, the family spent most of their savings as they had no income.

In July 2022, George had another seizure, and an MRI showed his brain tumour was changing. Doctors said it was time to do surgery to remove it and determine what was happening.

The family hoped the outcome of the surgery would be that the tumour was benign, but, unfortunately, this wasn't the case. After surgeons cut into his skull, resulting in 44 staples, they determined the tumour was cancerous, and they could not remove it entirely.

The Raynard family learned the tumour is Grade 3 Oligodendroglioma, which has low survival and high reinfection rates.

Six weeks of aggressive chemotherapy started in March of this year and has now switched to once a month.

George is receiving an MRI brain scan this weekend to see if the chemotherapy is working and determine his next steps.

Right now, George is weak and sick from the chemotherapy but maintains a positive attitude as he undergoes treatment, said Cox.

"He's just spending the time with his daughters and spending every minute that he can with them, making memories," Cox explained. "That's really what he's been doing for the past five years. He feels like he's been living on borrowed time, so he tries to make sure that every minute, every day, he does something special with them."

The family has spent lots of time together camping, fishing and hiking to create memories over the past five years.

George and his family live a minimalist lifestyle, focusing on nature and the environment.

"They're not a wasteful family. Every dollar they get is literally going to food and shelter, maybe going camping. That's all they do," said Cox, who stressed the family's appreciation for all the support they've received.

"We just want to make sure that everybody in the community knows how thankful they are, how grateful he and Ashley are."

To support George financially, visit the GoFundMe page at gofund.me/eb87c657.

**Notice of Public Information Centre #2:
Schedule 'C' Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study
Dufferin County Road 109/ 2nd Line Realignment, Dufferin County**

THE STUDY
Dufferin County retained WSP Canada Inc. to undertake the Schedule 'C' Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) Study to consider potential solutions to realign Dufferin County Road 109 and 2nd Line (Amaranth). 2nd Line is proposed to be realigned as the fourth leg of the Dufferin County Road 109 and Dufferin County Road 3 intersection. This realignment could precipitate a domino effect of impacting other intersections, namely Dufferin County Road 3 and Dufferin County Road 23, which is less than 100m south of the Dufferin County Road 109 and Dufferin County Road 3 intersection. The project will look to better understand the broader traffic impacts of the realignment and to confirm the best solution(s) for the study area.

THE PROCESS
This MCEA Process is following the planning and design process for Schedule 'C' projects as described in the MCEA Document (October 2000 as amended in 2007, 2011, 2015, and 2023), which is an approved process under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act. As part of this process, two public events are planned in the study. The first of the public events was held in December 2022 and the second event is presented in this Notice. Once the study is complete, an Environmental Study Report (ESR) will be prepared and filed for a 30-day comment period. A Notice of Completion will be published in local newspapers and sent to the project mailing list to advise the public of the ESR comment period.

PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE #2
Public Information Centre (PIC) #2 is being held to provide an overview of the Study, summary of feedback from PIC #1, present the evaluation of alternatives and the preferred alternative, along with preliminary environmental impacts and proposed mitigation strategies and next steps.

You are invited to attend and provide input at PIC #2.
Date: June 6, 2023
Location: Front foyer of the Alder Street Community Center – 275 Alder St, Orangeville, ON L9W 5H6
Parking will be available within the Community Center parking lot
Time: 3:00PM to 7:00PM
The display materials will be shared online following the PIC.

GET INVOLVED
As the study progresses, the County will engage residents, stakeholders and businesses as part of any decisions that contribute towards shaping the Dufferin County Road 109/ 2nd Line Realignment and the Project Team's decision-making process.
You are encouraged to visit www.dufferincounty.ca/MCEA, where project information including study notices, background information, study updates, and the ESR will be made available as the study progresses. You can also submit comments and questions to the Project Team on the website.

Your input is welcome at any time during the study. If you wish to have your name added to the project mailing list or have any comments, questions, or concerns about the study, please contact one of the following Project Team members:

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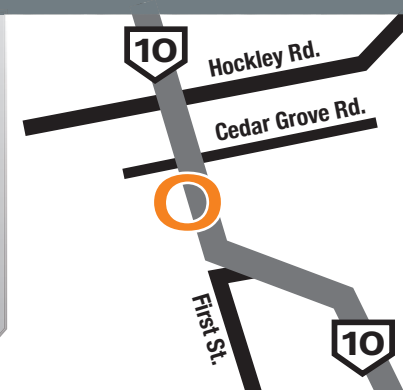


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SHELBURNE SPORTS

Mansfield Senior Cubs win home opener against Orillia

Written By Brian Lockhart

The Mansfield Senior Cubs had a winning game in their home opener against the Orillia Majors at Mansfield Park on Sunday, May 14.

It was a fast-paced game with few errors. Devon Caldwell started off on the mound for the Cubs in the 2:00 p.m. game.

The Cubs took an early lead in the first inning when Tyler Greer hit the game's first run.

That was followed by a hit from Devon Caldwell to left field, bringing in two more Mansfield runs.

Orillia got on the scoreboard with a single in the third inning.

The fourth was a big inning for the Cubs, starting with a ground-rule double from Brad Pendleton when he hit deep to left field, and the ball bounced over the fence.

Tyler Greer had a huge hit that brought in two runs and gave Mansfield a two-run lead.

Caldwell had the big hit of the game when he placed the ball over the left field fence for a three-run home run to give the Cubs an 8-1 lead.

Bryan Hannon brought a run in on a hit in the fifth inning. That was the final run of the game, and the Cubs left the field with a 9-1 in their home opener.

"It was a close game to start off, but we kept at it," said coach Emerson Pendleton after the game.

"We had really good at-bats – we worked the counts well. We swung at strikes and put the ball in play and it worked out to our advantage."

He added, "Our pitchers did a good job of keeping the contact weak, and our defence made the plays that were in front of him. We played our first game last week in Creemore and that was kind of our spring training game to get things tuned up, and we showed the improvement today. We have juniors with us plus a couple of new guys. The rest is the full squad of regulars. We've got guys that are committed and passionate to play – it's nice to show up at the park when you've got that."

The Senior Cubs will be back on their home diamond in Mansfield on Wednesday, May 24, to host a game against the Clarksburg Blues.

The first pitch is scheduled for 6:30 p.m.



BRIAN LOCKHART PHOTO

RUNNING THE BASES: The Mansfield Cubs host the Orillia Majors during their home opener at Mansfield Community Park on Sunday, May 14. They played a good game and left the field with a 9-1 win. The North Dufferin Baseball League season is now underway with a full schedule of games.

Shelburne Cricket Club kicks off new season

Written By Brian Lockhart

The Shelburne Cricket Club (SCC) launched the 2023 season with an opening ceremony and player draft held at the Centre Dufferin Recreation Complex on Saturday, May 14.

Four men's teams and two women's teams were represented at the event.

The new championship trophy for the upcoming season was unveiled, as well as new team uniforms.

"This is the SCC 2023 opening ceremony, for our T25 house league and T15 women's series," explained club president Ahsen Siddiqui. "Today will deliver the main objectives of the SCC – why we are building this club, a little bit about our background, and what is the objective of the 2023 season. SCC is creating openness on mental health, secondly youth inclusion and women's inclusion as well as healthy living. Our first house league match will take place on May 20. The women's league will start on June 11."

The advent of the women's league has turned out to be very popular, as many local women have signed up and want to play the sport.

"We're already at the field supporting the men's team," Ahsan explained of what so many women told him why they want to play, not just watch the sport. "We have full teams of 11 each. We also have an offer from an outside woman's league to come to Shelburne to play against us."

Team captains handed out hats and uniforms to players during the opening event. SCC has tried to balance the teams in terms of skill to create a competitive atmosphere on the field.

"It's sort of a draft," Ahsen explained. "The captain will call the team out and hand out the uniforms. It's sort of a meet and greet, to meet your team. Uniforms are important in cricket."



BRIAN LOCKHART PHOTO

OPENING CEREMONY: The Shelburne Cricket Club held an opening ceremony to kick off the 2023 season at the Centre Dufferin Recreation Complex on Saturday, May 14. The new championship trophy was unveiled by league executives and team captains at the ceremony.

The SCC is all about displaying best behavior and cricket is all about discipline – that's why uniforms are so important. You need to look professional when you are playing. It's all about presentation in cricket."

The club is working hard to build up the organization and ensure everything runs smoothly.

"This year we are trying to get the next level, and improve on what was missing from last year," said Anang Ramavat, senior tournament manager. "We want to get our setup on the field more organized, getting our cameras doing more live-streaming as well as more commentators."

Anang also acts as an arbitrator for any issues during a game and is the first point of contact if any problems arise.

"We try to balance out the teams," Anang explained. "We had some players from the previous season and took into consideration their performance in the season. We spread them out. We do have newer players so they were distributed evenly among the teams."

The club is currently playing their games at KTH Park in Shelburne.

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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

LUCA FOLADORE

As a member of the Centre Dufferin District High School Track and Field team, Luca Foladore has found his place throwing the javelin, and is already ranked as a top competitor in the District.

"I thought it would be fun," Luca said. "I'm already a baseball player so I'm pretty good at throwing. It was a lot of practice. We have a teacher, Miss Rankin, who's really good at it – she taught me all the form and I just practiced a lot. There's a lot of technique."

TEAM: CDDHS TRACK AND FIELD

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When he's not on the track, Luca stays active playing hockey with the Shelburne Wolves, baseball with the Collingwood Jays, and enjoys mountain biking and rock climbing.



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BIG DEBUT: Type here The cast from LP Stage Productions' latest play "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" were all dressed up in costume for the opening night of the show on May 12.

Joseph and the Technicolour Dreamcoat comes to Grace Tipling Hall

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

LP Stage Productions brings to life a vividly bright and colourful performance for the local community with their latest stage

production, "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat."

The non-profit theatre company opened their two-week production of Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat at Grace Tipling Hall in Shelburne on May 12.

"It's such a good family show. It's entertaining, it's funny, but it also has its sad moments with ups and downs," said Alison Port, director and co-founder of LP Stage Productions. "It's inspirational to those who have dreams, and believe in those dreams – that they can actually come true."

The Tim Rice and Andrew Lloyd Webber comedic musical follows the biblical story of Joseph, the favourite of Jacob's twelve sons, and his journey to Egypt after being sold into servitude by his jealous siblings. The magical musical is full of catchy songs in a variety of styles, dance numbers, and guest appearances.

"Joseph is a brother who gets shunned early on, and people that maybe feel like they don't fit in can relate to that. But, in the end she gets powerful and is in a better spot," said Chris Warzin, who plays the role of Joseph in the musical.

"My very first theatrical production that I was a part of was Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, as a dancer," said Unique De Krijger, who plays the role of Narrator. "The story of Joseph is genuinely one of my favourite stories because it's so hopeful and inspiring."

LP Stage Productions has tried a number of times in the past to showcase the musical

as one of the two shows they put on annually. But Port said the production has been notoriously difficult to organize due to the number of cast members needed to put it on.

This showcasing of Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat will mark LP Stage Productions' first production of the comedic musical. The play has over 40 cast members, from youth to adults, and will see the works of Noni Thomas as music director and Kristen Gamache as choreographer.

One specific part of the local production Port said audience members can look forward to is at the end of the musical when the entire cast comes together.

"When we all sing together at the end, it's this epic build-up from the mega mix and into 'Any Dream Will Do,'" said Port. "You get Joseph singing by himself, and then the narrator, and from there it just builds and I think that's probably my favourite part."

LP Stage Productions' showcasing of Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat is on a limited-time run, with final shows scheduled for the evening of May 19, May 20 and a matinee on May 21.

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