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Members of the 14 Wing Greenwood women's hockey team defend against CFB Gagetown during the February 12 semi-finals.
Sergeant C. Elson, CFB Gagetown photographer

Small pond, big champs

Sara Keddy,
Managing editor

Greenwood gals know how to make a splash – and it wasn't by falling through the ice of Roulston Lake in Plaster Rock, New Brunswick.

Members of the 14 Wing women's hockey team entered – and won - the World Championship of Pond Hockey February 9 to 12. They also won a lot of attention in their Air Force jerseys and camouflage snow pants.

"It was a blast," said Master Corporal Karen Lindsay, 14 Air Maintenance Squadron, the

goalie here on home ice with not much to do in front of a six-inch high net on one of the tournament's 20 outdoor rinks.

"We got lots of support for our trip, we represented the Air Force, we're so popular when we get there – everyone knows who we are."

This was Lindsay's third year in the pond hockey tournament. She was joined by second-year players Captain Dawn MacAuley, 413 Squadron; Corporal Lindsay Williams, Wing Administration; Captain Heather Smith, Maritime Proving and Evaluation Unit; and civilian Pamela Pachal. There were 12 women's teams entered, including four military teams.

Pond hockey follows different rules, uses a smaller rink and shorter net, and there are no goalies. Lindsay says it was the "most fun" hockey – not like when they play in the Canadian Forces' events. Greenwood's base team won Atlantic regionals February 3 in Halifax, and is now



Heather Smith, left, and Dawn MacAuley take their turn hoisting the World Pond Hockey Championship trophy.

B. Smith, World Pond Hockey

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Pond hockey...

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looking at nationals in Borden March 3 to 9.

"We have a really strong team, good players," Lindsay says. "It's a different kind of pressure.

"The pond hockey was skating around and having fun, we had fans waving flags, there were 80-year-old guys watching who saw our jerseys and came up to us, saying they'd served in the Air Force, they'd been in Greenwood."

By far the highlight, she says, was a Friday visit to a local school, where the 14 Wing girls played ball hockey with the students, passed out Air Force tokens and answered all kinds of questions – from what is their favourite colour to what they do

for a job.

"When the teachers were asking the kids who they normally thought of as being in the Forces, the kids would say 'boys,'" Lindsay says. "When they see us, and hear that we're pilots, aircraft mechanics and engineers – and hockey players, that's just great for us."

The pond hockey win guarantees Greenwood a spot in the limited 120 entries set for next year's tournament. Lindsay says, when women's teams started attending four years ago, there was only a handful. This year, there were 12, with four military entries all containing past players from Greenwood that have gone on to encourage their new post-

ings to send a team. One girl last year flew in from Comox to play with Greenwood; another left Greenwood last year and came back to Plaster Rock with a new Ottawa team.

"We've made so many friends with people all across the country and into the United States – we were driving, and one of the girls got a Facebook message from guys in New York, saying 'We're on our way!' We're at the point people look for us to be there."

In an email congratulations to 14 Wing Greenwood Commander Colonel Jim Irvine, 3 Area Support Group Commander Colonel Paul Rutherford at CFB Galetown said he met with all five military teams (there was



Dawn MacCauley, left; Karen Lindsay, Lindsay Williams, Heather Smith say the highlight of their Plaster Rock visit – besides winning the pond hockey championship – was meeting with and playing floor hockey with the first and second graders from Donald Fraser Elementary School.

Submitted

one men's team) playing in the tournament when he visited

Plaster Rock.

"It was a remarkable 'connect with Canadians' opportunity... A very worthwhile event."

Greenwood Raiders win regionals

The 14 Wing Greenwood Raiders women's hockey team headed to Shearwater to take part in the Atlantic Region Women's Hockey Championships January 30.

With a couple of new faces and many returning players the ladies headed into the tournament with high hopes and lots of determination. After competing in the base intersection league for the previous few months, the team was looking strong and competitive.

After a rough start against the Halifax Mariners, the Raiders were down 3-0 after the second period. The ladies buckled down and scored three unanswered

goals to tie the game. The Raiders then met the Galetown Warriors and, playing extremely well, still had a hard time putting the puck in the net. Game two also finished 2-2.

Days' two and three games were different stories. The Raiders defeated Galetown 2-1 for their first win, and game four against Halifax finished 3-1 in their favour.

Greenwood was in first place going into the finals against the four time regional and two time national champions, the Halifax Mariners - a team that had defeated Greenwood every year since 2008. The Raiders wanted this game more than any other.

At the end of the first period, the Mariners managed to score with four seconds left. The Raiders tied it up in the second, and took a few minutes into the third to get another goal on the board.

After that, there was no stopping them. Greenwood managed to dethrone the champs 6-2, a well-deserved win for a team that has been working hard together for months.

Captain Heather Smith, a new addition, finished the tournament as the Raiders' leading scorer, and was named tournament MVP.

The Raiders head to CFB Borden to represent the Atlantic Region at nationals March 3 to 9.



The Greenwood Raiders, Atlantic Regional hockey champs.

Private K. McCord, Formation Imaging Services, CFB Halifax



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Branch birthday a big deal

2nd Lieutenant Gillian Kelland, Wing Replenishment Squadron

February 1 marked the 44th anniversary of the Canadian Forces Logistics Branch.

The branch formed in 1968, with the Canadian Forces Reorganization Act, and is comprised of a variety of strains. Officers are employed in at least one of the following competencies: transportation, supply, finance, human resource management, postal, ammunition, or food services. Non-commissioned mem-

bers may serve in resource management support, cook, postal, supply, ammunition, traffic and mobile support equipment operator.

14 Wing Greenwood celebrated this birthday with a cake cutting ceremony attended by branch members and guests at the Annapolis Mess. Speeches were given by the wing Logistics and Engineering officer, Lieutenant Colonel Letourneau, Wing Administration Officer Lieutenant Colonel Heber Gillam and Wing Commander Colonel Jim Irvine.

Wing logisticians are a critical enabler of daily operations. Consisting of approximately 650 full- and part-time military and civilian personnel in five squadrons and three sections, Wing Logistics and Engineering employs more than half the civilian personnel on the base.

Logisticians have kept true to their motto, "Servitium Nulli Secundus" ("Service Second to None"). This phrase is inscribed on the Logistics cap badge, with interlocking links representing the strength and support logisticians employ.

Lieutenant-Colonel Heber Gillam, 14 Wing Administration Officer, left; Wing Commander Colonel James Irvine and Lieutenant-Colonel Ghislain Létourneau, 14 Wing Logistics and Engineering commanding officer cut the Logistics Branch's birthday cake at a party February 1 in the Ad Astra Lounge of the Annapolis Mess.

Corporal G. Cormier, 14 AMS Wing Imaging



44 ans de services impeccables

Sous-lieutenant Gillian Kelland Escadron d'Approvisionnement

Le 1^{er} février a marqué le 44^e anniversaire de la Branche Logistique des Forces canadiennes.

La Branche fut formée en 1968 en conjonction avec l'Acte de réorganisation des Forces canadiennes (FC). Ayant une variété de spécialisations, les membres faisant parties de la branche consistent de plusieurs métiers pour offrir des services essentiels aux opérations. Les officiers de logistique peuvent

se lancer dans un des domaines suivants; transport, approvisionnement, finances, ressources humaines, services postaux, munitions ou services alimentaires. Dans le cas des sous-officiers, ils ont l'opportunité de servir les FC dans un des sept métiers de la Branche Logistique; commis de soutien à la gestion des ressources, commis des postes, conducteur/conductrice de matériel mobile de soutien, cuisinier/cuisinière, technicien/technicienne des mouvements, technicien/technicienne en approvisionnement

ou technicien/technicienne en munitions.

La 14^e Escadre de Greenwood a célébré cet anniversaire en rassemblant les membres de la Branche pour le découpage de gâteau au Mess Annapolis. L'Officier de Génie et de la Logistique de l'Escadre, LCol Ghislain Létourneau, l'Officier de l'Administration de l'Escadre, LCol Heber Gillam ainsi que le Commandant de l'Escadre, Col Jim Irvine, ont offert des dis-

cours lors de cette cérémonie.

Les logisticiens de l'escadre font partie d'une organisation essentielle aux opérations journalières. Divisé en cinq escadrons et trois sections, la Branche Logistique est composée d'environ 650 employés civils et membres militaire travaillant à temps-plein et à temps-partiel. La Branche de la Logistique et du Génie de l'Escadre emploie plus de la moitié de la somme des employés civils de l'escadre.

Les logisticiens restent toujours fidèles à la devise de la Branche: «Servitium Nulli Secundus», ce qui signifie «Service à nul autre pareil». Cette devise en latin est inscrite sur l'insigne de coiffure de

la Branche Logistique, et au centre se retrouve des mailons de chaînes enclenchés qui représente la force et le support employé par les logisticiens ici au Canada ainsi qu'en opérations.

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Sara Keddy,
Managing editor

“Private Doyle—step forward,” requested Greenwood Air Reserve Flight Commander Major Richard LeBlanc.

“How do you like the sound

of that?”

“Weird!” responded Chelsea Doyle, the newest recruit to the flight, sworn in at 14 Wing headquarters February 10.

“I’m sure recruit school will take care of that,” joked LeBlanc. Doyle and Private Renée Bra-

niff joined the Reserves during the ceremony, in front of a small group of family and Wing Chief Warrant Officer Jim Jardine. The flight has seen a small flurry of activity on the recruitment front since the new year.

He told Doyle and Braniff the oath made today “places demands on you not found in civilian life.

“You’re not joining a club; the Canadian Forces is a unique opportunity and a commitment to Canadian society.

“And recruit training? I laugh, because we’ve all gone through that and know what you’re going to encounter!”

Doyle comes from a military family: mom Warrant Officer Cheryl Doyle works in the Air Reserve Flight’s orderly room, dad Corporal Barry Doyle is with Wing



Major Richard LeBlanc, 14 Air Reserve Flight, with Warrant Officer Cheryl Doyle, Corporal Jonathon Doyle, Private (Recruit) Chelsea Doyle, Corporal Barry Doyle and Master Warrant Officer John Arsenault.

Corporal G.Cormier, 14 AMS Wing Imaging



14 Air Reserve Flight Major Richard LeBlanc swears in Renée Braniff, a new Reserve recruit.

Construction & Engineering and brother Corporal Jonathan Doyle is a member of 413 Squadron. They’ve been in Greenwood for 14 years, but Doyle says the military life was not, initially, for her.

“Out of high school, I did two years of university and then decided to join the Reserves – it seemed like the right option. I’m

excited, and a little bit nervous. It’s getting the journey started.” Doyle will work as a resource management support clerk with 405 Squadron.

Braniff arrived in Greenwood last July, when her husband, Private Jaden Braniff was posted to Wing Telecommunications & Information Services. Braniff worked at a university while the couple lived in British Columbia;

then Jaden joined the Forces.

“I never thought of it, but we looked at this as a couple,” Braniff says of her joining the Reserves here in Greenwood. “It works.”

Braniff starts her duties as a resource management support clerk with 14 Air Maintenance Squadron, but is already looking down the road to becoming a logistics officer.



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Sergeant C Hosford



Captain Marshall is presented with the Eagle of the Quarter for January-March 2012 from Lieutenant-Colonel J Major, Commanding Officer 405 Squadron and Chief Warrant Officer Houston.

Sergeant C Hosford



Mr. Marc Britney receiving 'The Government of Canada Award' for 10 Years of Service from Lieutenant Colonel Heber Gillam, Wing Administration Officer and Master Warrant Officer John Arsenault, 14 Wing Air Reserve Flight Employment and Training Officer.

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This inspirational event is fun and fulfilling; the strength and support of participants help in the mission to eliminate cancer. The 12-hour

walk starts with the survivors' victory lap, a celebration of those who have fought and survived. There is also a luminary ceremony held at dusk to remember loved ones who have lost the battle.

This is an opportunity for you to get involved. Information sessions will be held February 23, 7 p.m., at the Kingston fire hall; and February 24, 1 p.m., at the Annapolis Mess Back Bar.

14 Wing Greenwood is a proud supporter of Relay for Life. Last year, 17 teams were from the wing. Come out to an information session to get details on how to register your team, and how to be involved

in this worthwhile event June 8 in Middleton.

For more details, contact the event OPI, Lieutenant Frank Hachez, 765-1494 ext 5573, or Second Lieutenant Jerrica Stone, 765-1494 ext 5239.

Relais pour la vie 2012 – soyez des nôtres

Le Relais pour la vie de la Société canadienne du cancer est beaucoup plus qu'une campagne de collecte de fonds. C'est l'occasion unique de se retrouver entre parents et amis afin de célébrer les survivants du cancer, de rendre

hommage à ceux qui ont perdu leur combat et de lutter dans l'espoir d'éliminer à jamais cette terrible maladie.

Le Relais est un événement à la fois agréable et gratifiant, et votre participation contribue positivement à notre mission

d'éradiquer le cancer. Soyez des nôtres lors de cette nuit bien spéciale qui réunit, pendant 12 heures, des gens ayant à cœur de vaincre le cancer.

Saisissez l'opportunité d'être des nôtres et marcher pour la cause. Des sessions

d'informations se tiendront à 19h00, le 23 février, au Poste de pompier de Kingston et à 13h00, le 24 février, au "Back Bar" du Mess Annapolis.

La 14^e Escadre est fière de supporter le Relais pour la vie. L'an dernier, 17 équipes

provenant de l'Escadre participèrent à l'événement. Si vous désirez faire partie de l'événement, déplacez-vous à l'une des sessions d'informations et découvrez comment enregistrer votre équipe dans cette aventure hors du com-

mun qui se tiendra le 8 juin à Middleton.

Si vous désirez avoir plus de détails, vous pouvez contacter le BPI, Lt Frank Hachez au numéro suivant: 765-1494 ext 5573, ou la Slt Jerrica Stone au 765-1494 ext 5239.

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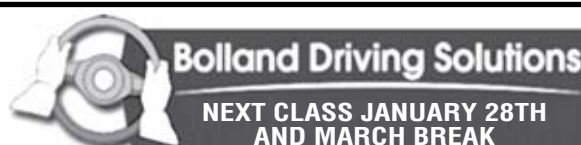


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Say hello to Bye Bye Birdie on West Kings stage

Good old-fashioned fun comes to the stage at West Kings District High School Feb. 22 to 25, when students present the 1960's hit musical Bye Bye Birdie.

The show, which created several musical theatre classics including Put on a Happy Face, A Lot of Livin' to Do and Kids; tells the story of a rock and roll star about to inducted into the army. Music and laughter follows when his managers plan one last publicity stunt that thrusts the big city star into small town life.

Bye Bye Birdie is one of the most beloved - and now the most produced - musical of all time. Director Hal Jessome says that is probably because its themes are universal.

The West Kings production offers a lively and hilarious take on the gap that exists between parents and teenagers - regardless of their generation. When it comes to the relationship between parents and their teenagers, "the more things change, the more they stay the same,"



Darragh Jessome and Jessy Gervais are ready for their leading roles as the musical's love-interests, Rose and Albert.

says Jessome of the misunderstandings between the two, especially when it comes to the influence and popularity of entertainers.

Jessy Gervais and Darragh Jessome, both of whom have musical interests going back many years, were cast in the lead roles of Albert and Rose. They are enjoying the experience of being involved in a full scale musical production, especially one that has "such

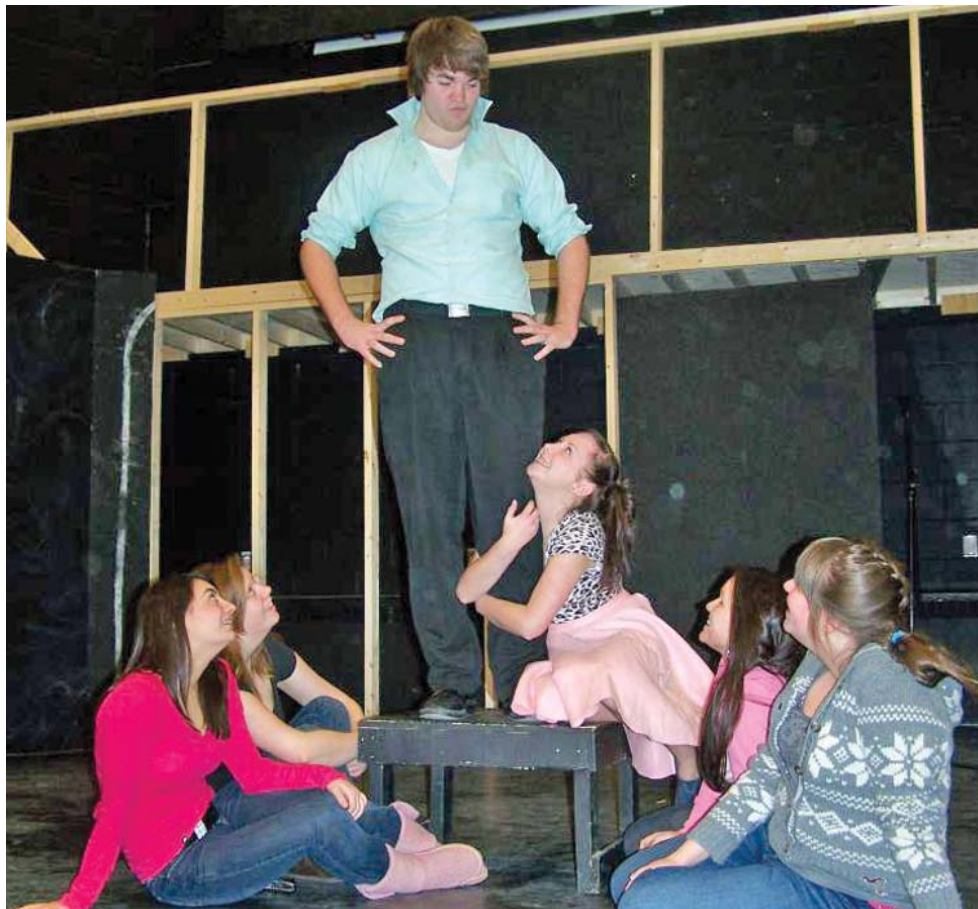
great music," says Gervais.

A veteran of West Kings' student productions, beginning with Alice in Wonderland in 2009, Darragh particularly appreciates Birdie's focus on kids.

"This show is really funny and very relatable for teenagers," she says.

Rounding out the lead performers are Cooper Kelly, who tackles the rock and roll persona of Conrad Birdie, the much swooned-over singer whose arrival in the sleepy town of Sweet Apple, Ohio, causes a stir among young and old alike; Brandon Green and Emily While are teenagers Hugo and Kim, whose relationship is tested with the arrival of the singing star.

The show opens Feb. 22 and runs nightly in West Kings' recently-renovated AV Room at 7:30 p.m. until the final performance Feb. 25. A 2 p.m. Saturday matinee is also scheduled. Tickets may be reserved by calling the school office at 847-4440, or purchased at the door.



Cooper Kelly, rock star Conrad Birdie in West Kings High School's upcoming musical production of Bye Bye Birdie, is shown surrounded by his teenaged fans during a recent rehearsal. From left are castmates Brianna Northcutt, Molly Thompson, Taylor Wallace, Sarah Karasz and Reagan Lonergan. The play is on stage at West Kings Feb. 22 to 25.

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Come and find out why food

security is more important now than ever before, how to use root cellars for sustainable, long-term food storage and how storing can save you money over the winter months. There are many easy, inexpensive and cool ways

to store root crops, winter squash and other produce. Clouthier offers experience with simple root cellar ideas you can put into practice immediately.

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Cookies calling

Valentine volunteers were keeping the details of who would be getting cookies from secret admirers close to their heart February 13, as they spent the day wrapping 300 dozen sweet treats to be delivered February 14. The 14 Wing Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre fundraiser for the centre's programs was playing Cupid, delivering the cookie-grams from Middleton to Aylesford, and to Camp Aldershop personnel from Berwick to New Minas. Kasandra Roy, left, and Ann Marie Chalifoux were pretty in pink themselves for the day's work.

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Make a March break plan

In less than a month, it will be March break.

If you're looking for a great way to spend your week off with friends, then the 14 Wing Greenwood Community Centre's March break day camp program is your answer.

The centre will offer a week long program for anyone between the ages of six and 12 March 12 to 16. Each day will include different themed activities for the children, from 9 a.m. and to 3 p.m.

Before care is available from 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m. and after care from 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. The camp cost is \$75 for a non Rec Card holder and \$65 for a Rec Card holder. Before and after care is an additional \$10, per service, for the whole week (or \$5 per service, per day). These prices do not include tax.

Register from home at <http://bk.cfpsa.com/greenwoodpub/index.asp>, starting at 8 a.m. February 29 (Rec card holders only). If

you would like to register online, contact the centre at 765-1494 ext. 5341 to set up your account and password. On-site registration will be in the centre's main office, starting at 9 a.m. March 5.

More information will be available in the coming weeks about activities planned by recreation youth worker Megan LeMoine. If you have any questions, call Eric at the 14 Wing Community Centre, 765-1494 ext. 5337.

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Youth Happenings

Megan LeMoine,
Recreation youth worker

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information, please call Megan, 765-8165, at the 14 Wing Community Centre.

Here's what's happening this week.

Boys' Club

Feb. 20, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Boys ages nine to 12, meet at the Greenwood Bowl-

ing Centre to bowl a couple strings, and then play Bbngo bowling. Cost \$3.

Teen Council

Feb. 21, 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Teens, come to the centre to discuss upcoming events, fundraising and volunteer opportunities.

Teen Games Night

Feb. 21, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Bring your favourite games to games night.

Active Chicks

Feb. 22, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Girls, tonight we'll play your favourite games in the gym: tennis, soccer or seek and hide.

Teen Activity

Feb. 23, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Teens, bring your sleds to the centre where we can go sledding, and then warm up with hot-chocolate and cookies.

Pancake Night

Pre-Teen: 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Teen- 8 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
It's pancake night! We'll make homemade pancakes and have our favourite toppings: chocolate chips, strawberries, bananas and whipped topping! Please pre-register.

Pre-teen bingo and pizza party




March 2, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Pre-teens, wear your lucky socks to bingo night, win a cool prize and have pizza, too. Let us know of any allergies. Pre-register, cost is \$4.



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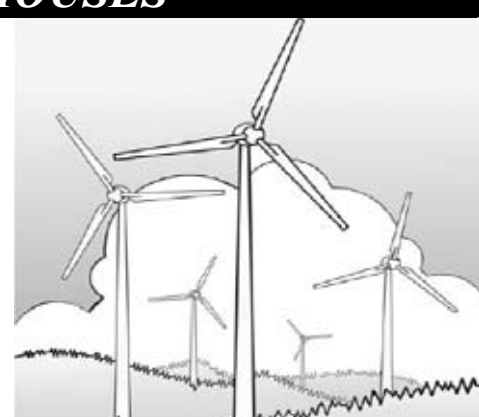
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<p>WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2012 White Rock Community Centre 1542 White Rock Road Storm Date: Monday, March 5, 2012 at the same time and location</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 2012 South Berwick Community Centre 4727 Highway 1 Storm Date: Wednesday, March 14, 2012 at the same time and location</p>
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For background information and a link to our online survey please visit: www.county.kings.ns.ca → "Popular links" → "Wind Turbines"

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Outdoor winter fun in Middleton

Take the Roof off Winter and the town of Middleton will be co-hosting a free day of snowshoeing and geocaching February 25, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., at the Middleton Rotary Raceway Park (storm date is February 26).

Please join us for a geocaching event designed to

get people out in the winter-time. Instructions and demonstrations will be available so people can learn about geocaching. There will be some demonstration caches placed around Rotary Park for people to try their hand at caching, but still be close enough to "base camp" to get help if it

is necessary. There will be some permanent geocaches placed along the Rails to Trails on both sides of the park. We have a limited number of free GPS units available for people to sign out, if they do not have their own. We will have

free snowshoes available for people to sign out to see if they like snowshoeing. Free hot chocolate and refreshments will be available, and lots of great prizes can be won.

Come and join us for a great afternoon of winter fun.

De l'amusement dehors à Middleton

L'organisation « Take the Roof off Winter » et la ville de Middleton organiseront ensemble une activité gratuite de raquette et de géocachette le samedi 25 février à 14 h à 16 h, parc Rotary Raceway, à Middleton (en cas de mauvais temps, l'activité sera reportée au 26 février).

Joignez-vous à nous pour une partie de géocachette destinée à inciter les gens à sortir profiter des joies de l'hiver. Des instructions seront données et des démonstrations seront faites à l'intention des participants pour les familiariser avec la géocachette. Certaines caches seront placées, à titre de démonstration, dans le parc Rotary, pour que les participants fassent leurs

premières armes, mais assez près tout de même de la « base » pour qu'ils puissent obtenir de l'aide au besoin. Certaines géocaches permanentes seront placées le long du sentier de la voie ferrée, des deux côtés du parc. Nous mettrons à la disposition des participants des raquettes qu'ils pourront emprunter pour essayer cette activité. Nous avons également quelques appareils GPS que nous mettrons à la disposition des participants qui n'en ont pas. Nous distribuerons gratuitement du chocolat chaud et des prix intéressants seront tirés au sort.

Venez avec nous passer un après-midi agréable au grand air.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre



Coordinator of Employment and Education Services

Full-Time Position

The Coordinator is responsible for the employment, education, and personal development needs of military families. The Coordinator's primary tasks are assessment/assistance with individuals seeking employment or career path direction; and, to offer personal development workshops.

The Coordinator is responsible for developing, coordinating, & delivering personal development programming to improve military families' personal skills and quality of life, as well as assist families with integration into their new community.

Probationary Period: 6 months
Responsible to: Executive Director

Qualifications Required: Education:

- Undergraduate degree in Social Sciences, Employment Counselling, &/or Education.

Experience:

- Five years experience in program development, management, & administration.
- Minimum of two years experience in the Career Development field is a must.
- Experience in group facilitation and training, as well as one-on-one assessment.
- Advanced ability to work independently and as part of an interdisciplinary team.

Other:

- **Ideal candidate is bilingual.**
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills.
- Excellent organizational skills.
- Sensitivity and tact in dealing with people.
- Emphatic understanding of the employment difficulty faced by civilian spouses of military members.
- Clear understanding of the Community Development process.
- Knowledge of Adult Education principles.
- Working knowledge of community resources in the catchment area.
- Awareness of Risk Management practices.
- Belief in the principle of volunteerism.
- Knowledge of Microsoft Office programs.

37.5 hours per week (occasional evening & weekend hours are required. Flexibility is a must.)

Must complete a Child Abuse Registry Check, Criminal Record Check, and Enhanced Reliability Check.

Eligible candidates should submit by fax, mail, or email a cover letter and resume clearly outlining their ability to fulfill all position requirements **on or before 4:00 pm on Thursday, February 23, 2012** to:

Margaret Reid
Executive Director
email: home@greenwoodmfrcc.ca
(MS Word or PDF format)
Subject line: resume – E&E
fax: (902) 765-1747

Greenwood Military Family Resource Centre
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Applications can also be dropped off at the GMFRC Front Desk. The GMFRC is located in the AVM Morfee Centre, School Road, in Greenwood.

Only candidates selected for further consideration will be contacted.

The Greenwood MFRC is committed to employment equity. You can read more about the GMFRC at: www.familyforce.ca

POSSIBILITÉ D'EMPLOI Centre de ressources pour les familles de militaires de Greenwood (CRFMG)



Coordonnateur/coordonnatrice des services d'aide à l'emploi et à l'éducation

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Il ou elle doit élaborer et présenter des activités sur le développement personnel et en assurer la coordination, dans le but d'améliorer les compétences personnelles et la qualité de vie des familles militaires et de les aider à s'intégrer dans leur nouveau milieu.

Période de probation : 6 mois

Superviseur immédiat/superviseure immédiate : Directrice exécutive

QUALIFICATIONS OBLIGATOIRES

Études

- Baccalauréat en sciences sociales, counseling en matière d'emploi et/ou en éducation.

Expérience

- Expérience (cinq ans) en planification, gestion et administration de programmes.
- Expérience (au moins deux ans) dans le domaine du perfectionnement professionnel est obligatoire.
- Expérience en animation de groupes, en présentation d'activités de formation et dans la réalisation d'évaluations individuelles.
- Grande capacité de travailler de manière autonome et au sein d'une équipe multidisciplinaire.

Autres

- Le candidat/La candidate idéal est bilingue.
- Excellentes habiletés en communication orale et écrite.
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Il est aussi possible de venir porter sa demande en personne à la réception du Centre, qui se trouve dans le Centre AVM Morfee, School Road, à Greenwood.

Veillez prendre note que nous communiquerons uniquement avec les candidats, candidates retenus pour l'étape suivante du processus de sélection.

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Tuesdays & Thursdays, there will be older adult fitness classes at the Kingston Legion, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Cost \$2/ visit or \$20 until program ends. Call 765-2800 or email recreation@kingston-novascotia.ca.

Meeting

February 21, the Nova Scotia Citizens' Health Care Network will hold a public town hall on the 2014 Health Accord at the Berwick Fire Hall, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. The accord is a negotiated agreement between the provincial, territorial and federal governments on funding for public health care into the future. The federal government has announced it will unilaterally reduce funding for public health care after 2017. These events are free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. The non-partisan Nova Scotia Citizens' Health Care Network's goal is to stop the privatization of the public health care system, ensure high levels of care and

create a forum for people and communities to discuss issues in health care.

Shrove Tuesday supper

February 21, All Saints' A.C.W. holds its annual Shrove Tuesday supper, All Saints' church hall, Pleasant Street, Kingston. 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Ham, baked beans, scalloped potatoes, pancakes and gingerbread. Cost \$10, family rates available. There will be take out.

Shrove Tuesday supper

February 21, Hardwood Lake Girl Guide Camp, Kings County, hosts a Shrove Tuesday ham, pancake and baked bean supper at the Waterville fire hall, 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Freewill offering supports our campsite. All welcome. Find the camp on Facebook!

West Kings musical

February 22 to 25, good old-fashioned fun comes to the stage at West Kings District High School, when students present the 1960's hit musical Bye Bye Birdie. The show, which created several musical theatre classics,

including Put on a Happy Face, A Lot of Livin' to Do, and Kids, tells the story of a rock and roll star, a la Elvis Presley, about to inducted into the army. Music and laughter follows when his managers plan one last publicity stunt that takes the star to the small town of Sweet Apple, Ohio. Nightly at 7:30 p.m.; 2 p.m. matinee Saturday. Tickets in advance at 847-4440, or at the door.

Relay For Life open house

February 23, 7 p.m. at the Kingston fire hall, join the fight against cancer! Find out how you can get involved in the Canadian Cancer Society's annual Relay For Life. Get a team together, volunteer or take part in our Survivors Victory Lap.

VPI meeting

February 23, the Greenwood 14 Wing VPI will hold its monthly meeting at the VPI Centre. Fit Plan at 1500 hrs, E/O for the meeting at 1530 hrs, U/S at 1535 hrs, Serviceable at 1545 hrs, with T/O planned for 1600 hrs. PLE TBD.

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Cours de gardiens avertis

Le 25 février L'Association francophone de la Vallée, en partenariat avec Ambulance St-Jean, donne l'opportunité à vos enfants de suivre un cours de gardiens avertis en français. Ce cours fournit des renseignements sur les soins de nourrissons, les bambins et les enfants plus âgés. Les sujets traités lors de cette formation comprennent le secourisme de base, la prévention des blessures et les responsabilités d'un(e) gardien(ne) avertis. Quand : de 9h00 à 16h00 incluant 1 heure de repas et 2 pauses (lunch à apporter). Où : Centre communautaire de Greenwood, 6 chemin Bedford (à côté de l'école Rose-des-Vents). Coût : 40,00 \$/ personne. Pour qui: Les jeunes de 11 ans et plus. Nous avons besoin d'un minimum de 15 jeunes pour que l'activité prenne place, alors s.v.p. contactez l'AFV au 765-1078 pour inscrire vos enfants.

Praise service

February 26, 7 p.m, there will be a praise service at Kingston Baptist Church, Main St., Kingston. Special music guest will be Janice Roscoe. There will be a fellowship time afterwards with refreshments. All are welcome.

Concert

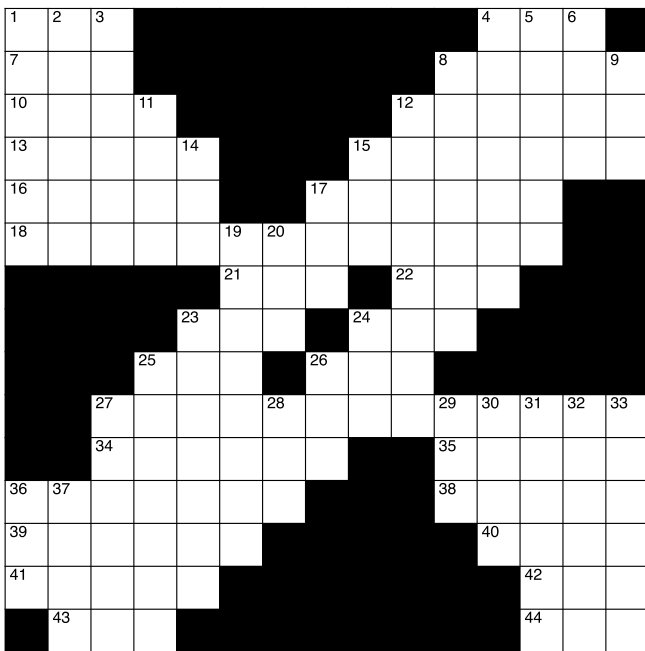
February 26, 2:30 p.m., the Annapolis Valley Honour Choir presents its annual "Sweets for the Sweet" Fundraising Concert at the Kentville fire hall. The audience will be treated to an afternoon of delicious homemade desserts, coffee and tea, while the choir entertains. In celebration of Black History Month, the afternoon will include music dedicated to Martin Luther King Jr., and will feature some members of the choir who will share their talents with spoken word and artistic solo performances. Tickets are \$12 at the door, or at Pharmasave locations in Kingston and Wolfville.

Luncheon

February 28, the Middleton Fireflies host a luncheon, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Middleton fire hall. Menu: Turkey vegetable

metro crossword

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ACROSS

- 1. Nuclear Stress Test
- 4. A small amount
- 7. Comedian Jack P____
- 8. Beat with a rod
- 10. Bono's ex wife
- 12. Steal cattle
- 13. Tribe in Myanmar
- 15. In a crisp way
- 16. 04473 ME
- 17. One that takes a captive
- 18. The Dutchess of York
- 21. Zodiacal lion
- 22. Actor Affleck
- 23. ___ de sac
- 24. Pioneer journalist Nellie
- 25. 22nd Greek letter
- 26. I.M. ___, architect
- 27. "Hangover" star
- 34. Lofty bird habitats
- 35. Devoid of intelligence

- 36. Divided into parts
- 38. Seasons of 40 weekdays
- 39. Breezily
- 40. Indian dress
- 41. _____ the elder
- 42. Furious
- 43. Distress signal
- 44. Nonhuman primate

DOWN

- 1. Tortillas, cheese & salsa
- 2. A vast desert in N Africa
- 3. Earth quiver
- 4. Double-reed instrument
- 5. Doctor in training
- 6. Make known
- 8. Female bow
- 9. "Partridge" star Susan
- 11. Leopard frog genus
- 12. Representative government
- 14. Japanese classical theater
- 15. Price label
- 17. ___-Magnon: 1st humans
- 19. Property of flowing easily
- 20. Snake-like fish
- 23. With great caution
- 24. Ottoman Empire governor
- 25. Changelings
- 26. Foot (Latin)
- 27. Quarter of a Spanish-speaking country
- 28. Side sheltered from the wind
- 29. Lubricate
- 30. Digits
- 31. Famous canal
- 32. Ensnare
- 33. Live in
- 36. Oversimplified ideas
- 37. Afflicts

~ Card of Thanks ~

The family of the late Nancy Ann Pye of Kingston NS, would like to express our gratitude to the local community for the support received during the last few difficult weeks. The many personalized cards, words of comfort, on-line tributes, food donations, gift cards and offers of assistance, have helped ease our passage into this new phase of life.

Special thanks to Father Tim Nelligan and the Middleton Funeral Home for their compassion and understanding of our wishes for the memorial service. Thanks also for the help received from the groups, local businesses, therapists, caregivers, 14 Wing personnel, the staff at AVRSB, especially those at Lawrencetown Education Center and West Kings District High School. The overwhelming support we have received is a reflection of the love many felt for Nancy. While cancer has taken her life, her spirit lives on in all those whose lives she touched.

Simon, Emily and Cameron Pye

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Supper
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available; no deliveries.
Root cellar workshop
March 1, Annapolis Valley Green Community presents "The Return of Home Root Cellars" at the West Kings library, 7 p.m., with root cellar enthusiast Pierre Clouthier. Come and find out why food security is important, how to use root cellars and how storing can save you money. Freewill donation at the door, all welcome.
Your Way to Wellness
March 1, Your Way to Wellness begins. Do you have a chronic

(on-going) health condition (diabetes, arthritis, high blood pressure, heart disease, COPD...)? Do you want to take control of managing your symptoms? Your Way to Wellness (YW2W) is a self-management program for people living with a chronic health condition. It is designed to help participants manage symptoms and gain the confidence needed to cope with on-going health conditions. The program is six weekly 2.5 hour sessions at the Kingston Legion auditorium, 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. from March 1. The program is free, registration required through Pat (Lithgow) Rose, (902)538-1315, plithgow@avdha.nshealth.ca, https://yourway2wellness.gov.ns.ca. Co-sponsored by Nova Scotia Health & Wellness and Annapolis Valley Health.



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sudoku

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				3	1			
	6						2	
		9						8

Level: Beginner

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4					5			
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ACROSS

- Nuptials
- Food of the gods
- Shreak in joy
- Bunch of flowers

DOWN

- Has on one's body
- Things owed
- Made bright by stars
- Perceive with the eyes

Answers:
Across
1. weddings 4. ambrosia 6. squeal 7. bouquet
Down
1. wears 2. debts 3. startle 5. see

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horoscopes

February 19 - February 25

ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

Aries, expect others to gravitate toward you this week. Your decisions will carry extra weight and others will look to you for guidance and support.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, you're thinking of creative ways to pass some time, but relaxation might be the best solution. Use the down time to recharge your batteries.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21

Gemini, hold your tongue to avoid stepping on other people's toes this week. Reserve your comments for when people ask for them, and you'll be happy you did so.

CANCER - June 22/July 22

Cancer, mixing business with pleasure could prove disastrous. Better think again before you take this route in the next few days. Romantic ties may break if you let them.

LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23

Leo, it may be time for a complete makeover. You've earned the right to some indulgence, so treat yourself to a mini-vacation and some pampering.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, you're very good at marching to the beat of a different drummer. But sometimes it can be to your advantage to fall in line with the pack if it serves your best interest.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

Not every day can be an exciting day, Libra. If you make the most of what you're working with, you can make boring moments a little more enjoyable, especially with friends.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

Scorpio, expect to tackle work projects with renewed vigour this week. That extra hop in your step will enable you to get everything done without breaking a sweat.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, speak your mind when others ask your advice. Don't be afraid to share your opinions, even if those opinions are bound to ruffle some feathers.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Capricorn, this week provides the perfect opportunity to reconnect with old friends. Use some unforeseen downtime to do just that and enjoy the much-needed respite.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, others prove especially grateful of your efforts this week. Be gracious when accepting praise and spread some of your own as well. Wednesday proves to be fun.

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

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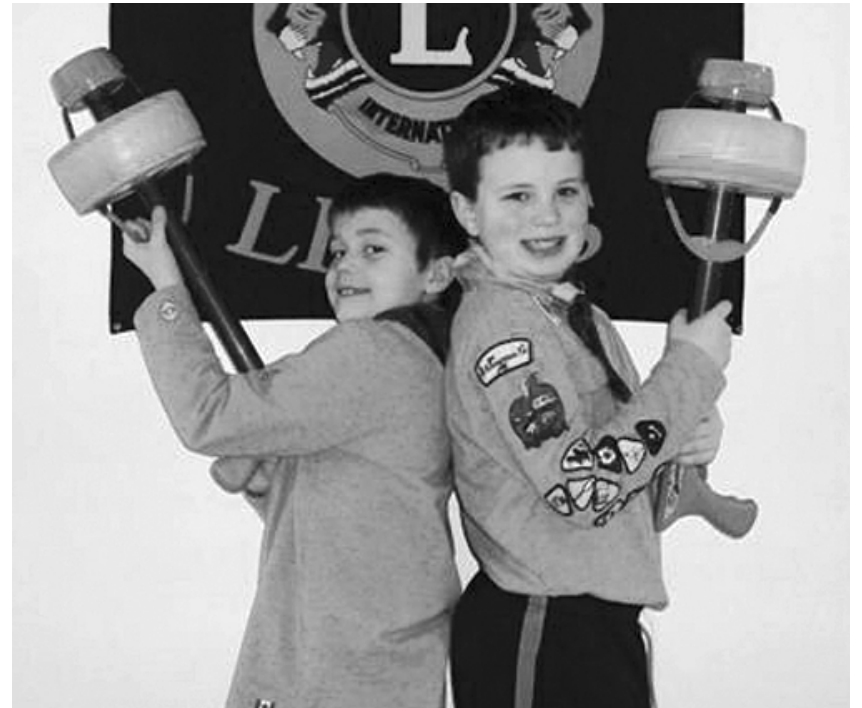
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Two of Kingston Scouts' top fundraisers were Pat Estey, right, the most successful; and Chase Johnston. Missing is Malachi Neufeld, second. Estey and Johnston each won one of the most sought after prizes for top sales, the Zyclone launcher. Submitted

Scouting ready!

The 1st Kingston Scout Group celebrated a successful fall popcorn campaign with the awarding of the prizes February 7 at the Lions' hall.

The popcorn campaign is a national effort to raise operating funds for all Scout Canada organizations. All members and leaders of the 1st Kingston Scout Group are appreciative of the funds raised in our community. Apple Day, Popcorn and other fundraising greatly assist in our program development.

This is a very busy time of year for the Scout organization. Beavers, Cubs and Scouts are preparing their wooden racing cars for the Kings Area play downs, scheduled for the Greenwood Mall February 25. Provision of the wooden car kits is one example of what popcorn funding provides to Scout Canada participants. Other benefits of the campaign are provision of project material, camping equipment and badges.

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sudoku solution

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CF volleyball championships coming to 14 Wing

The 2012 Canadian Forces male and female volleyball championships will be held at 14 Wing, April 21 to 25 at the Fitness and Sports Centre. Teams from the Pacific, Prairie, Ontario, Quebec and Atlantic regions will compete for the titles.

With the vast majority of CF nationals hosted at CFB Borden after major infrastructure replacement and upgrades in Borden in the late 1990s for that purpose, it is rare to see a CF national

at another location. A heavy training schedule, placing a high demand on quarters, has allowed flexibility to host certain nationals on bases across the nation offering great facilities with senior leadership and PSP staff that really want to host.

With this hosting comes a requirement for volunteers to act in various positions, including team hosts (10), lines people, scorers, timers and various other duties, along with PSP staff, in pursuit of

a successful event. Should you wish to volunteer, please contact the 14 Wing sports coordinator, Graham White, 765-1494 ext 5753 or graham.white2@forces.gc.ca so we can get the appropriate requests to your supervisors in support of hosting the event.

Keep looking in The Aurora and on the 14 Wing Canadian Forces Community Gateway website for updates as the winning regional teams and details of the championship become available.



Championnat national de volleyball des FC, à la 14^e Escadre

L'édition 2012 du championnat de volleyball masculin et féminin des Forces canadiennes se déroulera à la 14^e Escadre, du 21 au 25 avril, au centre de sport et de conditionnement physique. Des équipes du Pacifique, des Prairies, de l'Ontario, du Québec et de l'Atlantique se disputeront les titres très convoités de la discipline.

Étant donné que la grande majorité des championnats nationaux des FC se déroulent à la BFC Borden, depuis le remplacement et la rénovation de ses infrastructures à cet effet vers la fin des années 1990, il est rare que des compétitions nationales des FC aient lieu dans d'autres

bases. En raison du calendrier d'entraînement très chargé et de la demande d'installations d'hébergement très forte qui en découle, on a pu envisager de tenir certaines compétitions nationales ailleurs au pays, dans des escadres ou des bases possédant d'excellentes installations, et dont les hauts dirigeants et le personnel du PSP sont très motivés.

En raison de la tenue de ce championnat, nous aurons besoin de bénévoles pour occuper diverses fonctions : hôtes d'équipes (10), juges de ligne, marqueurs, chronomètres, entre autres, pour seconder le personnel du PSP et assurer la réussite de

la compétition. Les intéressés sont priés de communiquer avec le coordonnateur des sports de la 14^e Escadre, Graham White, par téléphone au 5753 ou par courriel à graham.white2@forces.gc.ca. Nous ferons parvenir aux superviseurs respectifs les demandes nécessaires à leur mise en disponibilité pour la tenue du championnat.

Ne manquez pas de consulter régulièrement Aurora et le portail communautaire des FC pour la 14^e Escadre pour vous tenir au courant des dernières nouvelles et des résultats des compétitions au fur et à mesure qu'ils seront connus.

Outdoor play

January 21, a team representing several units at 14 Wing Greenwood participated in a charity outdoor ball hockey tournament at the Muir Murray Winery in Wolfville. It was a very cold day, but that did not curb the spirits of any of the players. Everyone had a great time playing with local teams from the Valley. Greenwood players included corporals Adam Somers, Danny Major, Craig Fitzgerald and Ryan Dyer; master corporals Todd Lunn and Justin MacLean; and Sergeant Ken Grosset.



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NOTICE TO RESIDENTS

PERSONAL TAX EXEMPTION 2012/2013
The Council of the Municipality of the County of Kings directs, by policy, that an exemption be granted for the taxation year 2012/2013 pursuant to Section 69 of the Municipal Government Act, in an amount not exceeding \$155.00; upon property owned and occupied by a person who is a resident of the Municipality of Kings, and;

Whose total gross income from all sources for the year 2011, excluding any allowance paid pursuant to the War Veterans Allowance Act (Canada) or pension paid pursuant to the Pension Act (Canada), but including the income of all members of the same family residing in the same household, is less than **\$30,000** gross income, and;

Where property is jointly owned, only one tax exemption shall be allowed and the sharing in such exemption shall be on the basis of ownership in such joint property.

Applications for such tax exemption will be received at the Municipality prior to December 31, 2012.

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Request for Qualifications FIN12-2

Financial Services Filing Solution
The Municipality of the County of Kings, Financial Services is seeking to identify interested and qualified contractors to design and construct a file storage system inside the basement storage area at the Municipality office in Kentville, Nova Scotia.

Specifications may be viewed and picked up beginning February 13, 2012 at the Municipal Complex, located at 87 Cornwallis Street, Kentville NS. Office hours are Monday to Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Specific inquiries may be directed to Kim Durling, Manager of Finance, by phoning (902) 690-6136 or email: kdurling@county.kings.ns.ca

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GREENWOOD BOWLING CENTRE

Hockey Day in Canada, Valley style

The Western Valley Novice Advance Spartans team took to the ice February 11 and 12, hosting their very first first tournament.

In the form befitting a true "Hockey Day in Canada," the Middleton rink came alive with non-stop action from the Spartans and their guests from Yarmouth, Chester and Clare. Despite worsening weather conditions outside, the heat was high on the ice as these eight-year-olds entertained their fans with non-stop, end-to-end action. Heart stopping saves from Parker Lambert

and Mac Sawler in nets, along with intense offensive tactics by Megan Woodworth, Sam Fancey, Mackenzie Connors, Cam Pellerine, Courtney Boone, Ryan Revels-Scholte, Kinzee Veinot and Gavin Best combined with stellar defensive play from Darian Oliver, Carson Peters, Keelan Buckler, Ryan Bishop and Cory Johnson saw the Spartans emerge successful over the two-day event.

The Western Valley Spartans, next home game is at the Berwick Apple Dome February 25 against Chester.



The Western Valley Spartans are, from left, front row, Kinzee Veinot; Mac Sawler, Sam Fancey, Carson Peters, Cam Pellerine, Parker Lambert, Keelan Buckler. Across the back are Courtney Boone, Mackenzie Connors, Ryan Revels-Scholte, Megan Woodworth, Ryan Bishop, Darian Oliver, Cory Johnson, Gavin Best. Coaches are, from left, Mike Bishop, Jane Woodworth and Clarke Oliver.

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Greenwood men looking for Atlantic bball title

The 14 Wing Greenwood Fitness & Sports Centre hosts the 2012 Canadian Forces Atlantic Region men's basketball tournament February 20 to 23.

Four teams are entered, representing Gagetown, Halifax, Greenwood and Shearwater. Last year's winner, CFB Halifax, went on to win the national championship.

February 20, the tournament coaches meet at 1 p.m.

Court action gets underway February 21 at 8:15 a.m. with opening ceremonies, and the first game is set for 9 a.m., when Gagetown versus Halifax. Following games are at 10:30

a.m., Greenwood versus Shearwater; 1:30 p.m. Greenwood versus Gagetown and 6:30 p.m., Shearwater versus Halifax.

February 22, Halifax meets Greenwood at 9 a.m. and Gagetown plays Shearwater at 10:30 a.m. At 6:30 p.m., the third and second place teams through the round robin meet to see who will advance to meet the first place team in the championship game, to be played at 10 a.m. February 23. Medals will be presented during closing ceremonies following the final, at approximately 11:20 a.m.

Spectators are welcome throughout the event.

Medical curlers on ice

The 45th annual Atlantic Regional Medspiel will be hosted in Greenwood March 2 to 4 by 26/27 Canadian Forces Health Services Centre.

Approximately 80 to 128 curlers will compete, and Regular, Reserves and retired

medical and dental personnel and their spouses are invited to attend.

The first rock will be thrown March 2 at 6 p.m., with the final game wrapping up by 3 p.m. March 4, followed by closing ceremonies and prizes.

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Voici l'occasion idéale d'apprendre comment la fréquentation d'un centre de la petite enfance, du programme *Grandir en Français* du CSAP, d'une école élémentaire ou secondaire du CSAP, d'une institution postsecondaire, telle que l'Université Sainte-Anne, ou d'un cours d'alphabétisation pour adultes peut bénéficier à votre enfant et à vous sur les plans social, culturel et économique!

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