

# Supporting our local Heroes

Thank you to all our frontline and essential service workers for your daily sacrifices and dedication to our safety and well-being. Let us all do our part by practicing social distancing.

## Dragon Flies bring hope and support to patients at Ross Memorial



**KIM COULTER**, Communications Specialist, Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation

**KAWARTHA LAKES:** When dragon flies gather together, it's a wondrous sight. Such was the case on August 19th when several members of the Dragon Flies Breast Cancer Survivor Group met to present a special gift, a \$10,000 donation, to the Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation.

"The Dragon Flies' commitment to advancing local patients' diagnosis and treatment of breast cancer has helped the Ross Memorial Hospital to acquire the best diagnostic technology, giving local patients their best

chance to beat breast cancer" said Erin Coons, RMH Foundation CEO. "Thanks to their efforts, the Ross Memorial is an Accredited Breast Assessment Centre with a High Risk Breast Screening program, affiliated with Cancer Care Ontario."

Since the Dragon Flies' first gift in 2004, the team has contributed \$390,328.72 to the Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation.

Thanks to donors' support, the Ross Memorial Hospital's breast health services now include Tomosynthesis (3D imaging that helps to pinpoint the exact size and location of breast lesions) and stereotactic biopsies. Ross Memorial is the first site in

Ontario to use the SmartCurve Breast Stabilization System, which features curved paddles and processing algorithms to ensure a more comfortable experience for our patients.

Over the years, the Dragon Flies' generous support has ensured the hospital could acquire vital diagnostic technology, as it has developed, including digital mammography, a sentinel node machine, a mammoviewer, breast imaging software and a biopsy console for the MRI, and an ultrasound machine. Their tireless efforts and passionate support of breast health services ensure exceptional care for our patients every day.

THE HOME TEAM

Independent

GROCERIES • FRESH PRODUCE • BAKERY

Sun. to Sat.  
7am - 10pm

1893 Scugog St. Port Perry  
905-985-9772

Raddicalthinking.com



**Agricultural Life**  
See pages 9-16



**Spotlight on Business** See page 16



**Heroes at Heart**  
See page 23

**independent**  
Meal planning advice pc.ca  
1893 Scugog St.  
Port Perry



## Local MP Erin O'Toole wins Conservative leadership

**COLLEEN GREEN** The Standard

**DURHAM:** Our own MP Erin O'Toole has been elected the new leader of the Conservative Party of Canada and Leader of Her Majesty's Official Opposition.

The results were delayed a day, due to a mail sorting machine having ripped thousands of ballots. The damaged ballots needed to be thoroughly checked before counting. The results finally came in at 1 a.m., on Monday, August 24th.

"To the millions of Canadians who are still up: Good morning, I'm Erin O'Toole," he stated in his victory speech. "You're going to be seeing me a lot."

Erin O'Toole defeated Peter MacKay in Quebec. Mr. MacKay had strong numbers in

Atlantic Canada and Ontario, however Erin O'Toole won over Alberta and Quebec. The two were fairly well matched in the other provinces. The ballot system used eliminates the last-place candidate, and their second choice votes are then redistributed until one candidate passes the 50 percent mark. Once Derek Sloan and Leslyn Lewis were eliminated as possible party leader from the ballot, Mr. O'Toole picked up most of the down-ballots.

"Today you have given me a clear mission: To unite our party, to champion our conservative principles, to show Canadians what we know so well: that Justin Trudeau and his team are failing our great country," shared Erin O'Toole. "We must continue to point out Liberal failings and corruption, but

we must also show Canadians our vision for a stronger, prosperous, and more united Canada."

Mr. O'Toole held a news conference, on Tuesday, August 25th, announcing his new senior staff. He appointed Tausha Michaud Chief of Staff to the Leader of the Official Opposition. Fred DeLorey was appointed the National Campaign Manager position. Alupa Clarke was appointed the office of Senior Advisor to the Leader and Janet Fryday Dorey was nominated Executive Director, Conservative Party of Canada. Ms. Dorey's nomination, has yet to be ratified by the National Council of the Conservative Party of Canada.

*Continued on page 8.*

**CHUCK\* WILLES**  
905-432-4108



**Chuck & Kellie's**



**KELLIE\*\* RENAUD**  
905-449-0518

**PICK OF THE WEEK**

**COLDWELL BANKER**

**RMR REAL ESTATE BROKERAGE**  
INDEPENDENTLY OWNED & OPERATED  
1894 Scugog Street, Port Perry Plaza 905-985-9777



### This property is **COMING SOON** 546 Victoria St, Port Perry

Quality built 2 bedroom, 2 bathroom brick bungalow with double car garage, located in Quiet desirable neighbourhood close to downtown and amenities. Convenient enclosed front porch and spacious entry. Nice size living and dining rooms. Bright eat-in kitchen with walkout to backyard, kitchen overlooks cozy family room with fireplace. Large master with walk-in closet and 3 piece en-suite. Main floor laundry with garage access.

**Contact Kellie for more info 905-449-0518.**

## Fore Scugog Youth Initiatives Grant Program – Funding submissions from Scugog Youth Groups are now being received visit [scugog.ca](http://scugog.ca) for details.

### 2020 Meeting Schedule, Proclamations and Appointments

**For all Council & Committee Schedules please visit [scugog.ca](http://scugog.ca) for our calendar, minutes and agendas.**

• Monday, September 14 at 1:30 pm – General Purpose & Administration Committee Meeting. This meeting will be livestreamed on the Township of Scugog YouTube channel. Note there is no in-person access to Council / Committee meetings.

Comments/ questions regarding agenda items can be directed to the department (contact us on [scugog.ca](http://scugog.ca)), or to our general email: [mail@scugog.ca](mailto:mail@scugog.ca) or call 905-985-7346.

### Proclamations

• Hunger Action Month – September 2020

### Public Notices

#### Regional Cycling Plan – Pop Up Event in Scugog on Saturday, August 29

Durham residents are invited to provide input on the Regional Cycling Plan (RCP) update and offer suggestions about how to improve cycling in the region. Residents can provide feedback through an online survey or by attending a local pop-up event.

Regional Cycling Plan Pop-up Event (Scugog) Saturday, August 29, 2020 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. At the Port Perry Lakefront Farmers' Market (121 Water Street, Palmer Park, Port Perry).

To complete the online survey, visit [durham.ca/RCP2020](http://durham.ca/RCP2020) until September 11, 2020. The updated plan will promote healthy, active living and will benefit everyone in our communities by helping to reduce traffic, improve local air quality and make travel safer for those who can't drive, especially children.

#### Residents invited to provide input on the 2021-2040 Long-term Waste Management Plan

From August 19 until September 30, Durham Region residents will have the opportunity to provide feedback on the 2021-2040 Long-term Waste Management Plan by visiting the virtual public engagement website at [DurhamWasteOpenHouse.ca](http://DurhamWasteOpenHouse.ca).

#### Fore Scugog Youth Initiatives Grant Program

Submissions are now being accepted from Scugog Youth Organizations to receive funds from the 2019 Annual Fore Scugog Charity Golf Tournament. Visit [scugog.ca](http://scugog.ca) for details or contact [lfifton@scugog.ca](mailto:lfifton@scugog.ca). Submission date has been extended until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, September 25, 2020.

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

#### Scugog Volunteer Firefighter Recruitment

The Township has opportunities for Volunteer Firefighters at the Caesarea and Port Perry Fire Stations. Applications will be accepted until Tuesday, September 8, 2020 and can be emailed to [fire@scugog.ca](mailto:fire@scugog.ca).

Potential candidates can visit [scugog.ca/VFrecruitment](http://scugog.ca/VFrecruitment) for details and the application. To find out more about the requirements and answers to questions please forward inquiries to [fire@scugog.ca](mailto:fire@scugog.ca).

### Employment Opportunities

#### Regular & Spare Crossing Guards

The Township of Scugog is hiring regular and spare School Crossing Guards for the 2020/2021 school year. Applications are available on the Township website [www.scugog.ca/employment](http://www.scugog.ca/employment) or at our Municipal Office (181 Perry St., Port Perry).

### Covid-19 Municipal Update

#### Stage 3 Reopening of Municipal Facilities and Modified Programs

Scugog moved to Stage 3 re-opening on Friday, July 24, beginning with the opening of 13 of 14 playgrounds and outdoor fitness equipment. The Township of Scugog continues to take a cautious approach to reopening its amenities and services to protect staff and public health.

The Palmer Park playground will remain closed until after Labour Day. This has been carefully reviewed by Scugog's Emergency Control Group and it was decided that due to the high number of users in Palmer Park and the challenge to maintain physical distance while on the playground, the playground structure will remain closed at this time.

- Residents and users are reminded that all playground and fitness equipment within the Township will not be sanitized.
- Public washroom buildings will also remain closed and portable washrooms will remain available.

Residents are encouraged to continue to follow public health officials recommendations; stay home if you are sick or experiencing any symptoms of COVID-19, maintain physical distance of 2 metres (6 feet) from others, not from your household or social circle, avoid touching surfaces, and disinfect hands with sanitizer before and after the use of any playground or fitness equipment, as per the provincial guidelines.

Individuals using these amenities are required to maintain a physical distance of at least two metres (six feet) unless they are members of the same household. The provincial orders continue to maintain that gatherings or events with 50 people (indoors), 100 people (outdoors) or more people are not permitted.

We know that residents are eager to access all Township amenities and facilities. Reopening plans for other facilities including community halls, recreation and event bookings as well as special events, modified and virtual program options will be phased in. Private recreation groups and clubs will be asked to submit a return to play or return to use health and safety plan so consistent safety measures can be put in place. Specific information regarding each facility reopening and what you can expect will be released in the coming weeks.

The Scugog Memorial Public Library is open, please visit their website for information regarding their services and hours at [scugoglibrary.ca](http://scugoglibrary.ca).

If you have additional questions or concerns during the openings of our facilities during stage 3, please call the Township Municipal office at 905-985-7346 or email: [mail@scugog.ca](mailto:mail@scugog.ca). All the latest information on reopening and safety protocols will be posted and shared through [Scugog.ca/covid19](http://Scugog.ca/covid19) and on our social media channels on Twitter @TwpofScugog and on Facebook @TownshipOfScugog.

**For Township news and updates please visit [Scugog.ca](http://Scugog.ca), like us on [Facebook.com/@TownshipofScugog](https://www.facebook.com/TownshipofScugog) or follow [@TwpofScugog](https://twitter.com/TwpofScugog)**

## The Township of Uxbridge is seeking revitalization of their downtown core

**COURTNEY McCLURE** The Standard

**UXBRIDGE:** “Uxbridge has an opportunity to reflect on our past, respect it, and, also, create our future,” said Judy Risebrough, referring to Uxbridge’s Downtown Revitalization Project.

Judy Risebrough, a resident of Uxbridge, was hired by the township to spearhead the project, in February of this year. She is also the project manager for the Downtown Revitalization Committee. She added, she will also be working with the Chief Administrative Officer for the Township of Uxbridge, Kristi Honey. Mayor Barton and two other unnamed members of council are also involved with the revitalization project.

The lower Brock Street area has been recognized throughout the township to be susceptible to flooding. With the culvert construction in that area, a large part of that area will be less likely to flood. She added, when the culvert is finished being built, it will create opportunities Uxbridge can explore, developing the town’s downtown core for its current, future residents and visitors.

“What the project is going to do is look at: ‘What does Uxbridge need to do to create a downtown that will improve the economic, the social, and the physical well-being of the downtown area,’” said Ms. Risebrough.

The Downtown Revitalization Project had to be slated for a later month, because of the Covid-19 pandemic. Ms. Risebrough said it has been difficult involving the community because of the pandemics multiple reopening stages.

“The government of Ontario will match the expenditures of the township,

up to one-hundred thousand dollars,” explained Ms. Risebrough. “So, it’s a fifty-fifty match with the township.”

The Region of Durham and the Uxbridge Business Improvement Association (BIA) are also offering financial support for the project while it is ongoing. According to Ms. Risebrough, the Region of Durham is offering up to fifteen-thousand dollars and the BIA is offering up to fifteen-hundred dollars in line of financial support toward the Uxbridge Downtown Revitalization Project.

“It’s a partnership,” added Ms. Risebrough, referring to the region’s and BIA’s support of the project.

The Uxbridge Downtown Revitalization Committee is following the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs’ Downtown Revitalization Program. The program set by the provincial government has four stages of planning. The Uxbridge Revitalization Project is implementing the first three. Once all three stages of the project are completed, it will bring the Uxbridge Downtown Revitalization Committee to the point where they have developed a strategic plan and an action plan.

Having those two plans developed will allow the Township of Uxbridge to move into stage four of the revitalization project. The fourth stage is to follow through with the downtown revitalization using community feedback.

Although she cannot say for certain, Ms. Risebrough estimated, the first component of the project is planned to be completed by December of next year.

<p><b>Mobile/Trailer for sale</b></p> <p><b>\$110,000</b></p>  <p><b>Catherine Ayotte</b> SALES REPRESENTATIVE</p>	<p><b>Commercial/Residential High Profile Property</b></p> <p><b>\$949,900</b></p>  <p><b>Ralph Fairman</b> SALES REPRESENTATIVE</p>	<p><b>Sold Brick Bungalow in Little Britain</b></p> <p><b>\$619,900</b></p>  <p><b>Ralph Fairman</b> SALES REPRESENTATIVE</p>
<p>Amazing 3 bdrm mobile home on a great lot at Goreski's Landing. Marina, pool, parks, sandy beach &amp; fishing. This waterfront community is 5 minutes to Great Blue Heron Casino &amp; just 10 mins to Port Perry. 3 seasons. Full size bathroom. Laminate throughout. Approx lot size: 45x80 feet. Call <b>CATHERINE AYOTTE</b> for details. E4875334</p>	<p>High Profile Location With Ample Parking, Zoned C4-35 Providing Many Uses Plus Zoned For Veterinary Office, Large &amp; Small Animals. 5,000 sq. ft. Two (2) Additional Units Rented One Residential. 3 Bathrooms. Gas Forced Air Closed. Basement. Call <b>RALPH FAIRMAN</b> for details. E4856239</p>	<p>Backs onto farmland. 3 storage sheds, enclosed sunroom, new shingles 2018, eavestrough 2018, garage door 2019, well &amp; sump pump 2020, new electrical breaker panel 2019, plum a/c 2019, 2 gas fireplaces, covered front porch, great family room. Extras included: all elfs, all window coverings, gazebo on patio. Call <b>RALPH FAIRMAN</b> for details. X4859089</p>
<p><b>COLDWELL BANKER</b></p> <p><b>RMR REAL ESTATE BROKERAGE</b> INDEPENDENTLY OWNED &amp; OPERATED 1894 Scugog Street, Port Perry Plaza 905-985-9777</p>		



Municipal Offices: 181 Perry St., PO Box 780, Port Perry ON L9L 1A7  
Phone: 905-985-7346 Fax: 905-985-9914 E-mail: [mail@scugog.ca](mailto:mail@scugog.ca)  
Website: [www.scugog.ca](http://www.scugog.ca)  
Facebook: Township of Scugog Twitter: @Twpofscugog  
Hours of Operation: Mon. to Fri. 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.,  
After Hours Township Road Issues: 905-434-2173

Get The Standard on the GO!

## Brock council not ready yet to lift state of emergency

**DAN CEARNS**, Local Journalism Initiative Reporter, for The Standard

**BROCK:** The Township of Brock is taking a cautious approach regarding when to lift their state of emergency.

After seeing correspondence from resident Judi Forbes asking for the township to lift the municipal state of emergency, the issue was discussed by members of Brock council, at a meeting on Monday, August 10th.

“There’s a lot of consideration there, and it’s not something we want to do just in a one-off discussion, or in a rash decision,” Mayor Debbie Bath-Hadden said, in regards to lifting the state of emergency. “The Region of Durham is not in a place where they are anticipating lifting their state of emergency yet, and I think we need to take direction from our director of health, which is Dr. [Robert] Kyle. At Regional council last week, Dr. Kyle made it quite clear we’re not out of this yet, and we are going to anticipate that all of the programs that we have put into place will stay in place for quite some time. You all need to get used to wearing a mask, because [the requirement of] wearing a mask is not going away. It is here for the long haul, at least until the end of the year.”

Mayor Bath-Hadden also cautioned councillors about the repercussions of lifting the state of emergency.

“If you are considering lifting the state of emergency, everything we have put into play today disappears,” she said, using the example of the resident only policy at the Beaverton Harbour as an example.

The Mayor asked councillors to give the control group until after the Labour Day weekend to lift the local emergency state.

“Give us the rest of the month of August to work with our other municipalities, but not only that, [the idea] is, our residents would like to continue to enjoy the resident only policy that we have down at the Beaverton Harbour until at least after Labour Day,” Mayor Bath-Hadden implored.

Acting CAO Ralph Walton stated, it would be best for all Durham

municipalities to lift their states of emergency at the same time “to avoid confusion.”

Fire Chief Rick Harrison agreed it is too soon right now to “terminate the state of emergency,” referencing, Ontario has only been in stage 3 of the provincial reopening plan for a short amount of time.

But Ward 1 Councillor Michael Jubb was concerned about the level of say council has on emergency decisions.

“We’re now into month 5. Where that concerns me is, as elected officials we do not have the decision making powers that I feel we should at this time,” he said.

Mayor Bath-Hadden suggested councillors could be shown reports from the emergency control group and provide their feedback.

Councillor Jubb questioned if council could take over on emergency decisions rather than them being made by the control group.

Mr. Walton explained the decisions made by the emergency control group have been mostly on “operational” issues.

Chief Harrison explained how the control group could continue to operate, while also providing council the ability to make some emergency related decisions.

“Bigger type decisions that don’t need to be done quickly can certainly come back to council with a recommendation from the control group,” he said.

Ward 2 Councillor Claire Doble opined she would like council to be involved with decisions on “things that are having a budgetary impact.”

Councillor Jubb used the examples of arena and beach re-openings as things he would like council to be able to make decisions on.

Regional Councillor Ted Smith said he is fine with keeping the local state of emergency in place at this time, saying he hasn’t “had any serious dispute with any of the decisions that have been made” by the municipality’s control group.

Mayor Bath-Hadden declared a state of emergency in Brock Township on Tuesday, March 24th.

## Reopening schools safely matters to everyone

**That’s why** the government of Ontario has worked with health officials, school boards and educators to develop a comprehensive plan to keep kids and staff safe.

- **Physical distancing** measures will be implemented such as desk separation, signs, floor markings and one-way hallways.
- **Face coverings** will be required for staff and students in Grades 4-12.
- **Hand hygiene** will be enabled with hand sanitizer and hand washing.
- **More nurses** will be in schools.
- **School cleaning** will be enhanced.



**Enjoy Your Summer! At Home**

Play Sports with Family	Bake Something New
BBQ	Hopscotch
Camp in the backyard	Make Home Improvements
Go swimming	Video Games
Run through the Sprinkler	Virtual Summer Camp
Play Music	Picnic in the Backyard
Workout	



Visit [ontario.ca/ReopeningSchools](https://ontario.ca/ReopeningSchools)  
Paid for by the Government of Ontario

Ontario 

# SHORELINES

## EPSOM & UTICA by Faye Ashton

The community sends sincere sympathy to Donna and Ed Eckhardt and Family on the passing of Donna's mother Laverne Porter on Sunday, August 16th, at Hanover, Ontario. A visitation was held on Thursday, and a service to celebrate Laverne's life was held on Friday. Her family here and friends in Hanover will miss this loving mother, grandmother, and Great grandmother.

A piece of information I missed back in May: Congratulations to North Durham Warriors Atom AA team on being named OMHA Co-Champions. Team members from the area are Cayne Goulet (Utica defenceman), Walker Phoenix (Greenbank, Goalie), and Levi Scott (Epsom, centreman). Coaches shared the news that they were being awarded the coveted "Red Hats" as co-champions. Gary Roberts NHL legend was part of the coaching unit for these young players.

Congratulations to Naomi Bristow and Nicholas Wilcox on their Marriage this weekend. Naomi has shared her singing talent several times in neighbouring communities, and she is so special.

Happy birthday to Nancy Skelding, now residing at Roseglen Village Retirement Home, Port Hope. Nancy was so active in our community and I know we all want to wish her the best birthday ever. Birthday and Anniversary wishes to all in our community for the month of August.

The "For Sale" sign finally went up at Epsom School right at the time the school boards are looking for more space for children. This school has formed and educated the lives of so many people in this and surrounding communities. It's sad that a significant part of our heritage in Epsom is for sale.

Thank you to Greenbank-Seagrave and minister Stephanie for sharing their Sunday message with the Epsom-Utica congregation.

Congratulations to Durham M.P Erin O'Toole who received the most votes in the Conservative leadership race to become Conservative leader...What a monumental job he is undertaking.



## SEAGRAVE by Barb Martyn

Change is inevitable. It can come like a tidal wave, or creep along in many forms. It can entail difficult choices, new opportunities, or appear in the changing of the seasons. Currently, we are experiencing changes in the season, shorter daylight hours, early mornings that are slightly darker, air which smells like autumn, crickets stridulating (chirping), squirrels scurrying around collecting nuts, geese flying in formation and monarch butterflies preparing for their migration to the South. It can take up to 2 months for them to complete their journey. In addition, our lifestyle has changed. Change is not easy to accept. "Change, like sunshine, can be a friend or foe, a blessing or a curse, a dawn or dusk" - William Arthur Ward.

Kudos to Rick McAskill! Rick witnessed a snapping turtle laying her eggs in early June, on River St. across from the old Seagrave Store, and he cordoned the area off to protect the 4 nests. On Saturday, he discovered 2 baby hatchlings (baby turtles) on the roadside. He carefully picked them up wearing gloves, and placed them into the Nonquon River. There may be more hatchlings, so beware when walking or driving in that area, as they are very small.

Happy 52nd wedding anniversary to Edie and Bill Jansen on August 24th, also happy anniversary wishes to Mandy and Lloyd Short on August 30th. Best wishes to Jean and Ross Short who celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary on August 26th.

August 23rd was the 12th Sunday after Pentecost. The Scripture reading was Exodus 1:8 - 2:10, about the birth of Moses. You can view the virtual services at the website: [seagrave-church.com](http://seagrave-church.com) or on YouTube at this web address: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wy8mrz0taZs&feature=youtu.be>. If you wish a personal prayer, grocery or medication pick-up, a visit remotely or virtually, contact Minister Stephanie at [gspastoralcharge@gmail.com](mailto:gspastoralcharge@gmail.com), or text or call 905-718-8086.

The Seagrave and Greenbank outdoor food banks remain open every day. Take what you need, give what you can.

If you wish to support the Seagrave Church, cheques can be mailed to Carol Coleman at 151 River St., Seagrave, Ont. L0C 1G0. For further options contact Carol at 905-985-4628 or [cc.coleman@sympatico.ca](mailto:cc.coleman@sympatico.ca). If you wish to support the Greenbank Church contact Wilma Smith at 1-705-357-2427 or email: [greenbankuc@gmail.com](mailto:greenbankuc@gmail.com).

Saturday, August 29th, is Play Music On the Porch Day Worldwide, between 10 a.m. and 10 p.m.

Greenbank Lions Club is collecting tabs from cans. Contact Don at 905-985-3595 for arrangements.

If you have news for this column contact Jean at 905-985-9921 or email this address: [grammiejean2010@hotmail.com](mailto:grammiejean2010@hotmail.com).

# YES WE INSTALL



**Book now for next summer  
Fiberglass in ground pools**

**[dolphinfiberglasspoolscanada.com](http://dolphinfiberglasspoolscanada.com) • [www.lathampool.com](http://www.lathampool.com)**

**RDS**  
Quality Cleaning Products  
705-340-3718

Visit us at our Pool Supply Store 449 KENT ST. W., LINDSAY By the LCBO store.

OPEN Monday to Friday 9 am to 5 pm, Saturday & Sunday 9 am-4 pm

**ZEPHYR & SANDFORD** by Pat Asling

First some good news! Dorothy Baker is feeling much better and as of Thursday has moved into Butternut Manor. She has a corner unit, Rm 109, and can be contacted at: 905-852-6777-2-109. It was so great to have a chat with her a week or so ago and she was definitely looking forward to the move. She will be 95 this November!

Also, Ross Risebrough is home again after almost 2 months in Uxbridge Hospital. He commended the nurses and all staff for their wonderful care. He underwent a lot of physiotherapy while there and is much more mobile than previously, but very happy to be home again. I am sure his family is glad he is back, even though they had been able to see him for the last few weeks.

The bad news is that our dear Evelyn (Ross) Cox-Meek passed away on Sunday morning, very suddenly, although she had been in the hospital with pneumonia, and sent back to Butternut in quarantine. This is very sad as she was such a lovely person and always so active. She never stopped complaining that she couldn't do the work she used to do; now I know exactly how she felt. Her husband, Bob, was also a patient in the hospital but for other medical problems.

Long time Uxbridge residents may recall the Sanderson family who lived just outside town on the corner farm, 7th and Brookdale Rd. Bill Sanderson has not lived here for awhile but has many friends. Lately he has spent a number of weeks in the hospital and just now was diagnosed as having leukemia. As yet, no treatment has been detailed but he will soon know. Please keep him in your thoughts and prayers.

Now a correction! I had a visit one day from Bill Barton, whom I hadn't seen for some time. During the course of the conversation the subject of the farm across the road, which belonged to his family, and now the Smiths, he told me

that his parents Wally and Mary had purchased the farm from his grandparents Barton, not his mother's parents, the Widdifields (The Widdifields are in my family line somewhere). It's always good to get history straight.

Both Garry and Yvonne Harrison had cataract surgery in July, but have recovered with only a slight setback. Of course, they also had a big anniversary and birthdays too. Not to mention their daughter Michelle had a birthday last week as well. Under other circumstances, she and her mother would have been somewhere exotic on a trip, as usually happens.

A special lady had a special birthday last week. Ona Hackner was 90! Ona still lives in her farmhouse with her granddaughter Stephany. Her nephew Derek Hackner had some great photos on facebook of Ona as a girl, with her future sister-in-law Ilah (also 90), her husband Bruce etc. You would not mistake her.

Gary and Jen Selwyn-Edwards celebrated their 24th anniversary. How they had time for that I don't know as Jen is a full time nurse at South Lake and they always have a house full of rescued cats and kittens that need attention. They even at times rescue birds of prey that are somehow trapped.

Former Zephyr residents and forever supporters, Don and Shirley Hewlett celebrated their 65th anniversary. Congratulations to a wonderful couple who have had a great life together!

Happy birthday to our wonderful musician, Melinda Delorme, who both sings and plays beautifully. I hope you caught some of her short musical events on facebook awhile back. It was wonderful and uplifting! Right now, she and other teachers are puzzling over what is going to happen when the school year finally gets started. The plans change often so nobody really knows and it is frustrating and worrying, to say the least.

**PONTYPOOL** by Coralee MacDonald

It has been a hard time for everyone and with school starting soon children and parents maybe getting a little anxious. Please remember to be there for everyone during these tough times. It will take a lot of getting used to, but we can do it.

Bethany Park is now working on a new basketball court. Way to go, Bethany Community! I can't wait to see all the new things at the park.

Pontypool has a new speed sign on John Street by the fire hall that gives you

thumbs up or says slow down. There have been a lot of speeders on John Street. Let's hope this helps to slow people down.

There will be a Yard Sale at 537 Drum Road, from Friday, August 28th to Sunday, August 30th. Lots of stuff to check out.

Manvers Skating Club is now open for registration.

*Stay safe and healthy.*

**You've got to be kidding!****BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS**

by Jonathan van Bilsen



There is nothing like waking up and sitting down to a scrumptious plate of bacon and eggs with some toast and a good helping of home fries. Failing that, a delicious assortment of huge, fluffy pancakes, lathered all over with butter and dripping in maple syrup, is a very tasty treat. Breakfast is a tradition I can't do without, and one of the reasons I'm glad I live in this country. Not everyone in the world has similar tastes.

Take Japan for instance. Breakfast on the Asian island consists of a selection of small plates, each with a few bites of salmon or mackerel, pickled vegetables and rice or a small bowl of miso soup. There's also tamagoyaki, a slightly sweet rolled omelette made from thin layers of egg in a rectangular pan that gives it its signature shape.

If you lived in Singapore you would wake up to kaya toast, an unassuming-looking toasted sandwich; spread with flavourful kaya, a sweet jam made with coconut milk, eggs, and sometimes pandan leaf, for vibrant green colour and flavour.

Tunisia certainly has a different twist. Lablabi is a spiced chickpea soup, savoured at breakfast. Chickpeas and harissa paste are the two constants in virtually every lablabi recipe, and quite often it is thickened with pieces of stale crusty bread. Sometimes it is brightened by a squeeze of a lemon, made creamy with yogurt or topped with olives.

Breakfast in Jamaica is also their national dish. Ackee, a delicately sweet pear-shaped fruit, is sautéed with salt cod, tomatoes, garlic, chillies and onion in a breakfast scramble that

brings together sweet, salty and spicy for a one-of-a-kind island taste. Yummy!

The Russians certainly know how to enjoy breakfast. Caviar is spread across dark, sweet rye bread, known simply as black bread, sometimes with a smear of butter as well. Most importantly, a pot of black tea is a fixture on every breakfast table.

Taiwan takes breakfast to new levels. Dòu jī ng is a fresh soy milk specialty, typically made by street vendors and restaurants, served every morning for their customers. Most people prefer it hot in winter and cold in the summer. It is a refreshing contrast to the chewy scallion pancakes, dumplings and dough fritters, also part of the usual Taiwanese breakfast. Dip your fritters in the soy milk for an extra treat.

My personal favourite comes from my memories as a young boy in the Netherlands. My mother would fry a slab of bacon and we would dip slices of bread in the grease; the bacon would then be wrapped and put away again. Next, she would slice blood pudding and fry it with pieces of apple; while we cut up my uncle's homemade head cheese, and put it between two slices of thick, brown bread. It just doesn't get any better.

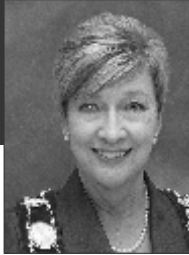
*Jonathan van Bilsen is a television host, award winning photographer, published author, columnist and keynote speaker. Watch his show, 'Jonathan van Bilsen's photosNtravel', on Rogers TV, the Standard Website or YouTube.*



**I love breakfast... anywhere**

**Donate to your  
local Foodbank**

## MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR Mayor Bobbie Drew, Township of Scugog



We continue to operate under a state of emergency in the Township of Scugog in response to the COVID-19 Pandemic. Our community entered stage 3 of the provincial reopening plan on July 23rd, and we are all adjusting to this stage.

In August, the North Durham COVID Assessment Centre opened, and is temporarily located at the Prince Albert Hall, 19 Jeffrey Street, Port Perry. The North Durham COVID Assessment Centre is a partnership with doctors and nurses from Uxbridge and Lakeridge Health. If you would like to be tested for COVID-19, please visit northdurhamcovid.com to book a free appointment.

As our community continues to move forward in stage 3, it has been nice to see local businesses open and people visiting the shops and spending time at the many area restaurants and patios. With the openings, problems have been identified regarding physical distances along Queen Street. In response, the Queen Street Pedestrian Project was brought forward in an effort to enhance physical distancing along the Queen Street corridor on weekends. This was a collaborative effort between the Township and the Downtown Port Perry BIA.

The Township developed a plan at the request of the BIA for the Queen Street Pedestrian Project, and work continued in early July refining the concept that addressed the needs of the BIA, tenants and the community. After the four week pilot, it has been decided to not continue this project and the street will now be open on weekends. There were several factors that influenced this decision including; the COVID-19 numbers remain-

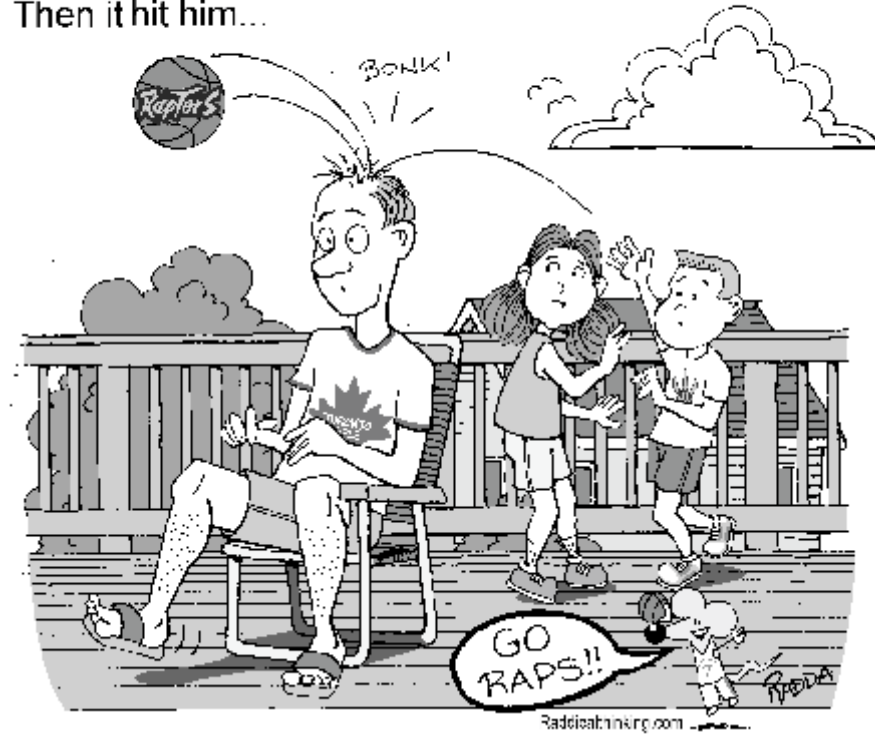
ing low in our Region, the mandatory mask order to enter all businesses and the BIA Board's decision to discontinue this project. This initiative was one of many innovative ideas implemented to address the priority of health and safety of our residents.

Thank you to the Township of Scugog staff and to the BIA for their efforts to collaborate during an already difficult time for businesses. Special thanks goes to Birgitta MacLeod, Chair of the BIA for her leadership during this project. The road to recovery is challenging and working together is key.

We have received a lot of feedback regarding the Queen Street Pedestrian Project and I would like to highlight how members of the public can interact with the Township on this and other projects. For the pedestrian project, comments may be posted at my.scugog.ca/queenstreet. This is our online community engagement site, allowing residents to share their ideas and opinions on municipal projects, at my.scugog.ca. For all Township news and updates, I encourage you to subscribe to Scugog.ca/news, or follow us on Facebook.com/TownshipofScugog or on Twitter @TwpofScugog.

Supporting local is being embraced by many during the pandemic. I would like to congratulate the Port Perry Farmers Market as they have had a tremendous turnout every Saturday, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. There is an excellent array of fresh and unique products, and many of you agree. Thank you for supporting our local market and businesses.

Two weeks after yet another Maple Leafs post-season failure, Stan has been struggling to find something that might help him to get over the disappointment. Then it hit him...



## The Caped Cearnader

DAN CEARNS @dancearnsy



## House Shows

It's interesting to me how the types of television shows you like change as you get older.

When I was a child, I never really had too much of an interest in home renovation shows. My parents would have them on occasionally, but I often felt they were a little boring, and the pace of them was too slow. So I never really paid too much attention to them.

But in the last few years, I've started to get a lot more interested in those types of shows. In my downtime, I've often found myself watching HGTV shows like Love it or List it (both the original and Vancouver versions), Backyard Builds, Home Town, and Good Bones. I've also, on occasion, watched some of Mike Holmes' shows.

Maybe I've become more interested recently because, as a 26 year-old, I can relate a bit more to the dream of owning a family home or having the perfect first house. Or maybe, after a busy workday, they serve as something relaxing to watch, as they don't have the same pace as an action or adventure show.

I think part of it is because I like to see the creativity displayed, both in coming up with the renovation plans and navigating issues that come up during a

renovation like water damage, structural fixes to compensate for removing a load-bearing wall, and having to relocate things like HVAC systems, while still staying on budget. I like to see the comparison between what the house looked like beforehand, and what it looks like post renovation.

Over time, you also learn a lot about the stars of the shows, the contractors and the designers. What they like to incorporate into their works, a bit about their lives, what their limitations are and about what is important to them.

Myself, honestly, I've never been the handiest person when it comes to knowing how to fix things or build things. My skills are mostly in the written and photographic arts. But I think these shows have shown me what to expect when you are going through a renovation of your home, and the need to have a contingency fund in order to be able to adapt to problems found during a renovation project.

Who knows, maybe one day I'll be able to apply a solution I learned from one of these shows to fix a household item or issue.



Photo Credit: DAN CEARNS The Standard

## THE STANDARD



The Standard publishes 15,000+ newspapers weekly in North Durham and the Kawarthas.

Publisher ..... Colleen Green  
Editor ..... Todd Green  
Reporter/Photographer ..... Dan Cearns  
Columnists ..... Jonathan van Bilsen  
..... Lauren Walker, Tina Y. Gerber,  
..... Geoff Carpentier  
Sales Manager ..... James Craig

To contact our circulation department e-mail office-standard@powergate.ca

**MISSION STATEMENT:** The Standard will endeavour to inform, educate and entertain our readership through multiple media platforms in ways that add to the identity and pride of the communities we serve. Our goal is to make a difference in the lives of our readership and merchants by reporting on history in the making of our communities and their people. The Standard is committed to the belief that a strong community newspaper is essential to a strong community.

**EDITORIAL POLICY:** Opinions expressed by columnists, contributors and in letters to the editor are not necessarily those of the Standard. Letters must be signed and the telephone number (which will not be published) included. Requests that a name be withheld will be honoured only if there is a compelling reason to do so. The Standard reserves the right to edit or refuse to publish any unsolicited material.

**ADVERTISING POLICY:** The Standard reserves the right to refuse any advertisement. The Standard is not liable for slight changes of typographical errors that do not lessen the value of the advertisement nor are they liable for other errors and omissions to advertisements in the subsequent issues, or any refunds of monies paid for the advertisement. Standard prices and distribution can be subject to change and are valid for 30 days from time of quote.

# I remember Ross James, long-time Uxbridge resident who died August 17, 2020 in his 87th



**GERRY NOBLE**  
Special to The Standard

I was stopped at the red-light, inspecting the signs of the town's progress, all around. Nearby, the first house he built still guards the edge of the road, surrounded now by progress instead of hay fields. Time paved over a life that was. My eyes welled up, surprising me. I had passed his house many times before but today was different.

Yesterday Ross died. Memories crowded. I pictured the paths beaten from years of eager feet and hundreds of trips across the farm fields connecting our rural homes so many years ago, like arteries carrying the lifeblood of a shared childhood. I did not have a brother, so Wayne and Larry were surrogates. Thrown together by fortunate coincidence in a rural neighbourhood that was a young boys paradise, we did everything together.

Ross was Wayne and Larry's dad. He owned a trucking business and was always busy. Marie was their mother, the prettiest mom of all my friends. Able to tame the truculence of young boys while responding to the needs of an industrious young entrepreneur, Maire was the perfect complement to Ross. I remember Ross as a decent dad when it came to dishing discipline to Wayne, Larry and I

who were always testing his boundaries. He was patient with us as he helped us learn to ride Wayne's "new" bicycle. He was forgiving, despite our noise during important Sunday afternoon "nap" time. He built our confidence, letting us steer his boat on Scugog and his skidoo in the back field. Cajoled by Wayne we hid in the garage and watched his dad display grace and empathy to an employee he had to terminate.

As I reflect, using the long lens of experience, Ross was like a second dad to me at that stage in early life when character develops – and he was a fine example to emulate. He was hard working, loving, fair, tolerant, successful and he set clear boundaries. I have not seen Ross for thirty years, but I can still hear his laugh. It was a laugh that absorbed his eyes and welcomed all within range to join in. It was a laugh revealing a confident man, happy in life.

Ross and Marie's first home endures as evidence to the quality of their work and a testament of a rural life long forgotten. It is now an office of some trade, welcoming and disgorging clients through doors that once swung with the screams of young boys intent on their next adventure. His carefully manicured lawn that was host to numerous birthday parties and summer camp-outs now suffocates under layers of asphalt. The arteries connecting our rural

community, long ago paved over by progress, echo memories of a cherished childhood.

The passing of Ross summons a signpost: a time to remember a simpler time; and a time to celebrate a man who was decent; who lived a full life, with a positive influence in those who were privileged to be near him. I am fortunate to have many memories of those formative years in my life that include Ross and Marie, Wayne and Larry. My regret is that I was not able to hear that laugh once again before it too gave way to time.

Gerry Noble now lives in Sunderland



**Emmanuel Community Church**  
Join us for  
Worship & The Word -  
a family-friendly service every  
Sunday at 10 A.M.

Children's Programs - 10 & under

- Youth - Grades 4-7
- Winesaple at 11pm
- Midweek Bible Studies
- Small Groups
- Men's & Women's Programs
- Special Events

1680 Reach Street  
905-985-4441 | office@emmanuelcc.ca

[www.emmanuelcc.ca](http://www.emmanuelcc.ca)

**VICTORY CHRISTIAN CENTRE**

593 Alma St., Port Perry  
Ontario 905-955-1346  
Rev. John Benschop  
vccpp@portperrycc.ca  
[www.victorychristiancentre.org](http://www.victorychristiancentre.org)

Come experience to have a God encounter  
**Join us Sunday Mornings at**  
10 a.m. Prayer  
10:30 a.m. Celebration Service  
**SOMETHING FOR ALL AGES**

**ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
319 Queen Street, Port Perry  
905-985-3191  
[www.stjohnsperry.com](http://www.stjohnsperry.com)  
Interim Moderator  
Rev. Terry Ingram  
**SUNDAY, August 30th**  
Service at 10 a.m.  
All are warmly welcome

**ANGLICAN CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION**

*Incumbent -*  
*The Rev. Canon Ruthanne*  
office@ascensionportperry.com  
www.ascensionportperry.com  
Children are always welcome.

All Services  
**CANCELLED**  
until further Notice  
Check Website  
For more information

**PORT PERRY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
A GROWING CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

2210 Hwy. 7A (at Island Rd.)  
905-985-8681  
office@portperrybaptist.ca  
Rev. Jim Clemens, Sr. Pastor  
Josh Bryant, Assistant Pastor

Live Worship on our YouTube Channel  
**Sundays at 10:30 a.m.**  
Contact the church for details.

**In-Person Worship**  
**Sundays at 10:30 a.m.**

For in-person worship, registration is required. Contact the office for registration details.

**SCUGOG ISLAND UNITED CHURCH**  
19100 Island Road, Port Perry  
Rev. Ned Wells  
905-985-4094  
**SUNDAY, August 30th**  
10 a.m. Morning Service

**Greenbank and Seagrave United Churches**

Minister: Stephanie Richmond  
905-718-8086  
ssutchrichmond@gmail.com  
www.greenbankchurch.com  
www.seagrave-church.com

Our Sunday Church Services have been suspended indefinitely.

Please join us for our online Worship Services by visiting our websites.

Stay Home,  
Stay Safe, God Bless

**NEW SONG CHURCH**

Anglican Network in Canada  
The Rev. Creighton Friedrich, Rector  
14460 Simcoe St., Port Perry  
Phone: (905) 982-2064  
www.newsongportperry.ca  
Facebook and Instagram:  
@newsongportperry

All are welcome to join us for online worship on Sundays at 10am

Email newsongadmin@powergate.ca for the link

**The Lord bless you and keep you!**

**Services subject to change. Please contact your local church for details.**

**SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**

70 Toronto St. North, Uxbridge  
Father Joseph Rodrigues  
Mass - Saturday 5 p.m.  
Sunday 9 and 11 a.m.  
Confessions Saturday 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.  
For Mass through the week call office 905-852-6944

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
1710 Scugog Street, Port Perry  
Father Marco Testa

**MASS**

**SATURDAY - 5 p.m.**  
**SUNDAY - 9 a.m. and 11 a.m.**

**CONFESSION**  
**SATURDAY - 4-5 p.m.**  
**SUNDAY - 30 minutes before 9 a.m. Mass - 30 minutes before 11 a.m. Mass**

For Mass through the week call the Parish at 905-985-7071

**Family Worship Centre**

15 Medd Rd. • 905-852-7054  
[www.uxbridgefamilyworship.ca](http://www.uxbridgefamilyworship.ca)

10am Sunday School - *Healing University*  
Andrew Wommack's video series  
11am Worship Service  
*Engage The Supernatural*

**Hope Church**  
To Know & Show the Love of Jesus  
Sunday Worship: 10:00am  
with Pastor Bernhard

Programs available for all ages

Available on Sundays:  
Nursery Program - up to 2  
Sunday School and  
**Watch us on our Youtube Channel by searching for hopechurchportperry where you will find our services posted online.**

14480 Old Simcoe Road, Port Perry  
905-985-9307 [www.hope4portperry.com](http://www.hope4portperry.com)

**Port Perry and Prince Albert United Churches**

Please visit our website for worship on-line  
[www.portperryunited.com](http://www.portperryunited.com)

**Stay Well**  
**Stay Connected**  
**You Are Loved**

Need a minister?  
Elaine & Don are available at 905-985-2801  
or office@portperryunited.com



## Queen Street pilot project completed

**DAN CEARNS**, Local Journalism Initiative Reporter, for The Standard

**SCUGOG:** After a four week run, Scugog Township and the Port Perry BIA have announced the end of a pilot project.

For the last four weeks, in order to improve social distancing shopping space, the two organizations have been closing Queen Street from Perry to Water Street, to vehicles, creating a temporary sidewalk extension east of John Street, on weekends as a pilot project.

“Due to the numbers staying relatively low for Scugog and Durham Region [because of COVID-19], a review of the business survey and the decision of the BIA Board to discontinue the project, the Queen Street Pedestrian Pilot will not continue at this time,” read a Scugog Township press release.

Scugog Mayor Bobbie Drew provided a statement on the pilot project.

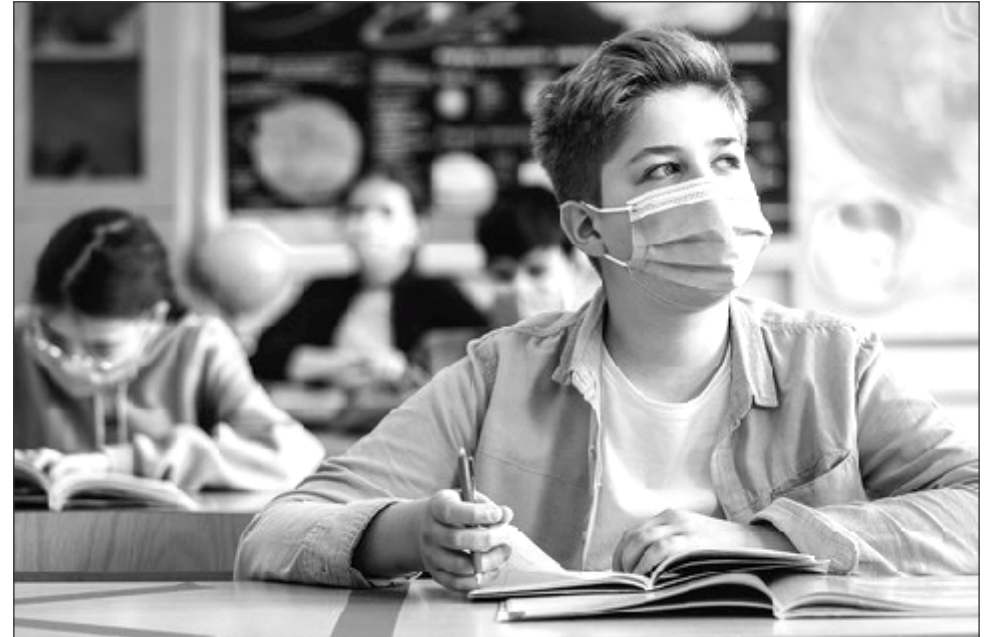
“Thank you, to the residents for their patience and due diligence throughout this long road of COVID-19. I am so very proud of our Emergency Control Team and all the staff who worked throughout

this pandemic to serve our community. This initiative was one of many innovative ideas that were implemented to address the priority of health and safety of our residents. Thank you, to the BIA for their efforts to collaborate during an already difficult time for businesses. The road to recovery is challenging and working together is key,” she wrote.

Despite the change, Mayor Drew is reminding people this pandemic is not over. “Please stay diligent with your daily efforts. When you go out to shop, remember to maintain your physical distance, wear your mask when going inside a public or commercial space, carry and use hand sanitizer regularly,” the Mayor’s statement read.

This past weekend, the township reopened Queen Street entirely to vehicles. “The additional accessible parking spaces, temporarily added for the closure, will be removed. The portable washrooms will remain on Perry Street for the time being. Portable washrooms are also available near the marina and Palmer Park,” read the Scugog press release.

## DDSB to stagger start to elementary school year



**DAN CEARNS**, Local Journalism Initiative Reporter, for The Standard

**NORTH DURHAM:** The Durham District School Board (DDSB) is opting to go with a staggered start, to the elementary school year in September, for those attending in class.

“The Ministry [of education] has informed us that staggered starts will be allowed for the first two weeks of school, for students attending in-person. As a result, we will be implementing a staggered start for elementary in-person students for two weeks, instead of one week, as outlined in our update yesterday. We believe that this will help provide flexibility for families and help ease the transition of your child returning to school, along with learning the health and safety protocols that we will have in place,” read a statement from DDSB acting education director Norah Marsh, released on Wednesday, August 19th.

Her statement explained, school principals will contact parents next week

with more information on how this staggered start will happen.

“At that time, you will have an opportunity to let the school principal know if your child(ren) require any special accommodations for the first two weeks of school. We kindly ask that you wait for your principal to outline 'next steps', as their focus this week continues to be on re-timetabling and staffing the school,” Ms. Marsh’s statement read.

At a press conference on Friday, August 14th, Ontario education minister Stephen Lecce indicated the Ontario government will allow staggered starts to the school year.

“If they want to do Kindergarten and Grade 1 on day 1 and then the Grades 2 and 3s the next day, sort of build that up to Friday, that is fair, and of course we understand the principle behind it, which is to minimize contact to maintain the integrity of these cohorts as they get into class. So that flexibility is being provided, and it is also being bolstered by additional investment,” Minister Lecce said.

## Local MP Erin O’Toole wins Conservative leadership

*Continued from page 1.*

Ms. Michaud is a long-time political veteran with over 10 years of experience working in municipal, provincial, and federal governments. She formerly served as Senior Advisor to Mr. O’Toole when he was Canada’s Minister of Veteran Affairs.

Mr. DeLorey most recently served as National Campaign Manager for the Erin O’Toole Leadership Campaign. In addition, Mr. DeLorey previously served as Ontario Premier Doug Ford’s Director of Field Operations, as former Prime Minister Stephen Harper’s Director of Political operations, and as national spokesperson for the Conservative Party’s majority winning 2011 election campaign. His appointment takes immediate effect.

Alupa Clarke is a former Conservative MP for Beauport-Limoilou (2015-2019) and was Erin O’Toole’s leadership Campaign Chair in Québec. Before being elected for the first time in 2015, Mr. Clarke served in our Canadian armed forces in the ranks of the 6th Field Artillery Regiment, based in Lévis, Québec.

Fryday Dorey is the former president of the Nova Scotia Progressive Conservative Party and has chaired provincial election campaigns and managed countless campaigns across Canada. She is the current Atlantic Organizer for the Conservative Party of Canada. Congratulations Erin O’Toole, on your new role as Leader of the Conservative Party of Canada and Leader of Her Majesty’s Official Opposition.

# Don't believe everything you see.



Is this a credible **S**ource?

Is the **P**erspective biased?

Are **O**ther sources reporting the same story?

Is the story **T**imely?

**You can SPOT and stop fake news online by asking four simple questions.**

HOW TO  
**SPOT**  
FAKE NEWS ONLINE

[www.spotfakenews.ca](http://www.spotfakenews.ca)



August 2020

THE STANDARD

ISSUE 8

## Ontario government making more agricultural societies eligible for funds



MPP Laurie Scott, far left, and Ontario Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Ernie Hardeman, in the white face mask, where at the Lindsay exhibition site to an announcement regarding funding for agricultural societies.

**DAN CEARNS**, Local Journalism Initiative Reporter, for The Standard

**KAWARTHA LAKES:** With many local agricultural fairs having been forced to cancel their 2020 operations or turning to virtual events due to COVID-19, the province of Ontario is easing funding eligibility rules for agricultural societies.

On Thursday, August 20th, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Ernie Hardeman and MPP Laurie Scott were at the Lindsay exhibition site to announce a temporary change to eligibility rules for agricultural society funding, meant to offset losses from the inability for these organizations to hold events.

"While our government is following through on its plan to get Ontario back on track, we have to ensure we support institutions like the Lindsay fair that have a deep and rich history in this province," Minister Hardeman said.

The minister then explained the province is temporarily removing the requirement for agricultural societies to operate fall fairs in order to be eligible, just for this year.

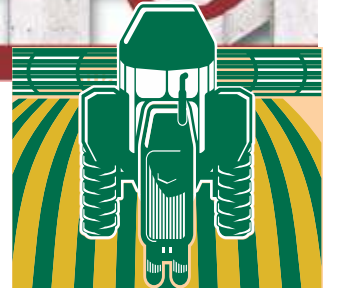
"For this year, our government will amend the rules that [usually] require agricultural societies to operate their fall fairs in order to receive provincial grants. By changing the rule for this year, we were able to provide nearly \$1 million in funding that agriculture and horticulture societies would otherwise have been unable to receive [during] this COVID virus. This funding will help relieve some of the burdens some organizations experienced from cancelling their fairs," Minister Hardeman explained.

Lindsay exhibition general manager Harry Stoddart talked about the importance of this funding and this announcement.

"This announcement is helpful in starting to address the devastating impact that COVID-19 has had on our income

statements," he said. "We're projecting a revenue shortfall for this facility of just about \$1 million between the loss in revenue from the Lindsay Exhibition, and the various events that have been cancelled and will continue to be cancelled in the fall. We've worked hard to react to that. We've trimmed almost \$800,000 out of our budget through staff layoffs and reducing as many costs as we can. But, we are still facing a cash-flow shortfall on the year at about \$200,000."

MPP Scott explained the importance of assisting these organizations. "This year, as we all deal with the unprecedented and enormous challenges brought about by COVID-19, Ontario's agricultural and horticultural organizations have felt the strain from cancelled fairs, events and activities. These organizations play a hugely important role in making rural Ontario what it is, and teaching Ontarians about farming, agriculture and the rural way of life."



### IN THIS ISSUE!



The Virtual LEX kicks off August 17th.....10

Rural Economic Development program will provide \$3.3 million in cost-shared funding.....11

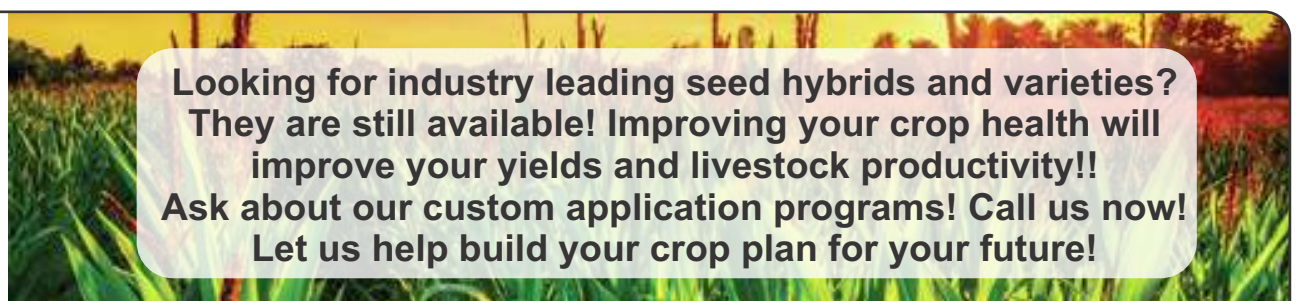


Cereals Canada Board of Directors Announces New CEO.....12

Corteva Agriscience collaborates with Canadian Agricultural Safety Association....13

Residents invited to provide input on the 2021-2040 Long-term Waste Management Plan .....14

Maintenance key to functioning farms.....15



Looking for industry leading seed hybrids and varieties? They are still available! Improving your crop health will improve your yields and livestock productivity!! Ask about our custom application programs! Call us now! Let us help build your crop plan for your future!

Sunderland Co-operative Oakwood Ag Center Call: WAYNE BLACK CCA-ON or BRIAN COLVILLE CCA-ON at 705-953-9660  
Sunderland Co-operative Sunderland Location Call: DAVE ANDERSON at 705-357-3491




**KEVIN BARKER**  
*Auctions*

Specializing in Farm, Construction, Machinery & Equipment, Vehicles, Real Estate, Liquidation, Estate, Consignment Sales & Auctions of all types for more than 3 decades!

For information on our upcoming Timed Online Auctions please visit:  
[www.kevinbarkerauctions.com](http://www.kevinbarkerauctions.com)

We also sell new Western Style Panels & Feeders!  
Sales Sold & Managed by: **Kevin Barker Auctions Ltd.**  
T: 705-328-1478 C: 705-878-2947



**EXPERT**  
MORTGAGE

**We can offer qualified farmers...**  
Up to 80% of FULL farm value  
Up to 40 year amortization  
Operating lines of credit

**AGRICULTURAL LOANS**

Most banks underwrite loans using standard commercial lending guidelines that don't make any sense for farms.

Talk to us if you'd like to...  
Buy more land or newer equipment  
Repair or construct new buildings  
Refinance your existing debts  
Buy quota



**RON ASHMORE**  
Kawartha Lakes & All Ontario  
Mortgage Agent Lic# 13002241  
Expert Mortgage Broker Lic# 12079

705-934-2223 • 888-934-2521 Toll Free/Fax  
[ron.ashmore@expertmortgagebroker.com](mailto:ron.ashmore@expertmortgagebroker.com)  
[www.ronashmore.com](http://www.ronashmore.com) • @ronashmore1

## The VIRTUAL LEX Kicks Off August 17th

**HARRY STODDART,**  
General Manager,  
Lindsay Agricultural  
Society

**KAWARTHA LAKES:**  
On August 17<sup>th</sup> the Virtual LEX kicked off their festivities with a chance to win a 2021 Ride-All-Day Midway Passes, Swiss Fudge and more, in the "Little Scavengers' Hunt" and the "Little Bit Bigger Scavengers' Hunt." They are virtual, COVID-19 safe, scavenger hunts for ages 5 and under, and 6 to 12. To participate visit <https://virtual.lindsayex.com/prize-books/> for all the details. Next up will be the Community Scavenger Hunt for everyone else, starting August 24th.

Prize Books for the Virtual LEX are available for most departments on the LEX website; virtually every department will have competitive classes. Find out how to enter your favourite classes by visiting the following site,



Pre-Covid 19 Lindsay Exhibition.  
The Standard stock photo.

<https://virtual.lindsayex.com/prize-books/>. New for 2020 will be "Community's Choice" classes in each department, where the class winner will be selected on social media by the community. So be sure to watch for your favourite competitors and classes and give them the votes they need to come out on top.

"We've worked all summer to reimagine the LEX in a virtual world," stated Harry Stoddart, GM of the LEX, in announcing the kick-off. "We've tried to recreate the various aspects of the LEX in a manner that allows for social distancing but still lets people have some fun interactive experiences. Visit <https://virtual.lindsayex.com/> regularly to watch for new details and new content."

The LEX feeds on Instagram and Facebook will feature virtual farm tours, as local farms do a "takeover" one day each week. As well, the "Taste of the LEX" online store is open to order Swiss Fudge, caramel corn, cotton candy, DooDoo the Clown's Animal Balloon Kits, and more. Order before Labour Day and pick up your goodies starting September 21st – the traditional week of the LEX.

You won't be able to come to the LEX to see the animals so the Virtual LEX is bringing the animals to you, virtually. Use the LEX Instagram augmented reality filters to put animated, life-like, 3-d farm animals in your backyard, living room, or anywhere else you think they might be happy: although the LEX takes no

responsibility for what happens when your mom or partner sees video of a horse or sheep in your bedroom.

"We've spread the activity from 5 days over 8 weeks to give people an opportunity to experience more aspects of the LEX," said Len Dawson, President of the Lindsay Agricultural Society. "The team has worked hard to ensure we have fresh, engaging content from now until the end of September."

Remember, August 21st is the last day to order your LEX social distancing t-shirts!

The Lindsay Agricultural Society (LAS) is a federally registered charity and governed by a volunteer board of directors. The LAS was established to improve agricultural knowledge within the community and create opportunities for dialogue between the agricultural community and the residents of the Kawartha Lakes. The mission of the LAS is "To showcase the vibrant agricultural industry in the Kawartha Lakes while enriching the life of the community through the Lindsay Exhibition, events, entertainment, and volunteerism."

The Lindsay Exhibition (LEX) is the annual agricultural fair hosted by the Lindsay Agricultural Society with the help of over 300 volunteers. Attendance averages over 45,000 visitors. The LEX Grounds, located at the south end of Angeline St., are owned by the Lindsay Agricultural Society. The LEX Grounds host over 40 events each year in addition to the Lindsay Exhibition, drawing over 100,000 visitors annually. 2020 would have been the 166th Lindsay Exhibition, and 2020 represents the first time in its history that a traditional LEX has not been held.

For more information contact Harry Stoddart, General Manager, Lindsay Agricultural Society, at [harry@lindsayex.com](mailto:harry@lindsayex.com)



**GT GREEN TRACTORS**


**ROOTED IN OUR COMMUNITIES**

Green Tractors proudly supports Ontario Agriculture: it's heritage, history and future.

<b>BRAMPTON</b> 905.846.2511	<b>EARLTON</b> 705.563.2134	<b>HALTON</b> 905.878.2121	<b>KINGSTON</b> 613.541.9312	<b>NOBLETON</b> 905.859.0581	<b>OMEMEE</b> 705.798.2427	<b>PORT PERRY</b> 905.985.9701
---------------------------------	--------------------------------	-------------------------------	---------------------------------	---------------------------------	-------------------------------	-----------------------------------

**HONDA** Power Equipment | **STIHL** | **JOHN DEERE** | **LEMKEN** | **JAY-LOR**

[GreenTractors.ca](http://GreenTractors.ca)



Receiving corn, wheat & soybeans

**REESOR**  
SEED AND GRAIN

2749 Hwy 35 South  
Lindsay (only 1km south of Hwy 7)  
**705-878-9797**  
[www.reesorseedandgrain.com](http://www.reesorseedandgrain.com)

# Rural Economic Development program will provide \$3.3 million in cost-shared funding

**WILLOW BEACH:** The Ontario government is committing \$3.3 million in cost-share funding to 58 projects, through the updated Rural Economic Development Program (RED), to help rural and Indigenous communities diversify their economies, retain skilled workers, invest in local infrastructure and create jobs.

Ernie Hardeman, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs joined Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Transportation and Francophone Affairs and MPP for York-Simcoe in Willow Beach, to announce the first recipient from the program.

"Supporting local jobs and removing barriers to investment and economic growth in rural communities is more important than ever," said Minister Hardeman. "As the economy reopens, our investments in the Rural Economic Development program will have a very real impact for communities across rural Ontario."

One local project that will receive funding through the RED program is the Ontario Water Centre. An investment of \$150,000 will help support their Young Agripreneurs Program (YAP) which provides hands-on experience to young



people interested in pursuing careers in regenerative agriculture.

This initiative is one of 58 successful projects receiving funding, from the first intake of the updated RED program. Project applications to the RED program were subjected to a streamlined process, starting last year, to reduce the burden for applicants.

"Through today's investment, our government is creating jobs and driving economic growth, at a time when needed most in rural Ontario,"

said MPP Mulroney. "By investing in today's youth and career development, through great local organizations like the Ontario Water Centre, we're ensuring young people can stay and work in their own communities."

Supporting renewal, growth and economic recovery in rural and Indigenous communities is part of the government's plan to get every region of Ontario back on track, so they can create jobs, opportunity and prosperity for everyone.

**Smalley's Produce Ltd.**  
 Growers and shippers of fresh potatoes  
 Michael Smalley, Farm/Sales Manager  
 Cell: 905-955-0424 Bus: 905-473-5450  
 Email: ontspud@aol.com  
 Serving the food service industry since 1946

**Jackson**  
 Water Conditioning Limited

*Sales \* Service \* Rentals*

**RESIDENTIAL  
 COMMERCIAL  
 AGRICULTURAL  
 COTTAGE**

*Service to All Makes*  
 Certified Backflow Prevention  
 and Cross Connection

[www.jacksonwater.ca](http://www.jacksonwater.ca)  
 1-800-721-4921 • 705-439-2589  
 jacksonwater@xplornet.com

**CONNECT WITH  
 YOUR  
 SMI BROKER**

*FOR ALL YOUR INSURANCE NEEDS*

**STEWART MORRISON  
 INSURANCE**

**FARM | HOME | AUTO | BUSINESS**

STEWARTMORRISON.CA  
 705.324.6681 | 1.800.811.5841

**SEAWAY** 905-683-1397

**Water Supply • Vac Service  
Waste Management • Septic Service**

Residential and Commercial  
Water Tank & Waste Bin Rentals

M.O.E. License • 7 Days a Week

dennissws@bellnet.ca

**Call today for a quote!  
905.683.1397**



**ST. LAWRENCE GRAINS &  
FARM SUPPLY LTD.**



**Receiving wheat, soybeans and  
corn at St. Lawrence Grains  
Elevator in Stouffville**

**Receiving corn, wet or dry at  
Drain Bros Elevator in Havelock  
Fertilizer and Input Sales**

**Office: 905-640-2260  
tracie@slgrainsfs.ca**

**Cereals Canada Board of Directors  
Announces New CEO**



**BRENNA MAHONEY**, Director of Communications and Stakeholder Relations, Cereals Canada

**WINNIPEG:** Cereals Canada announce, on August 17th, the appointment of its senior leadership team. Effective August 17th, Dean Dias will lead the organization as Chief Executive Officer, with Cam Dahl serving as Chief Strategy Officer.

The organization, which represents provincial producer commissions, grain companies, processors, exporters, and life science companies, cited the leadership and dedication to the grain industry of both [Mr.] Dias and [Mr.] Dahl as contributing factors to their appointments.

“We are pleased to announce Dean Dias as CEO of Cereals Canada,” said Todd Hames, Chair of the Board of Cereals Canada. “As CEO, Dean will bring a wealth of experience and energy to our new organization. His passion for

agriculture, combined with his leadership and strategic vision will be a driving force behind the success of our newly merged organization.”

[Mr.] Dias has served Cigi in various roles over the past decade, most recently as Director of Value Chain Relations and Interim CEO. “There is no better industry to serve than Canadian agriculture,” stated [Mr.] Dias. “I am humbled by the trust and responsibility the Board has placed in me, and I look forward to working alongside Cam and our dedicated staff as we seek to cement Canada’s reputation as a world leader in cereals.”

Cam Dahl has accepted the role of Chief Strategy Officer, which will be focused on driving policy, government relations, and market access. “Mr. Dahl played an instrumental role in the creation of Cereals Canada and is a highly respected leader in the Canadian agriculture industry. His support for the newly merged organization, in this role, will be pivotal to our

continued development and success” stated [Mr.] Dias.

At the direction of the Board, Cereals Canada will now be focusing on developing a new strategic plan and completing a branding review, engaging with members, staff, and the industry at large. Key components of this vision will be centered around communications, policy, market development and support, research and innovation.

The selection process for this role was managed by HR resolve, and the Executive of the Cereals Canada Board. The Board thanks HR resolve for its services throughout the process.

“At the end of the day, this new organization is all about returning value back to our members,” said [Mr.] Hames. “With this leadership team in place, we are confident that Cereals Canada can hit the ground running as we seek to grow our industry and maximize Canada’s global presence.”



**Kubota**



**ROSS DOBLE INC.**

Serving you since 1945  
#100 HWY.7&12  
Sunderland, Ont. L0C1H0  
705-357-3123  
www.rossdobleinc.com

*75th Anniversary*

*Proudly serving you for 75 years,  
thank you from our family to yours  
Ross Doble Inc.*



## Corteva Agriscience collaborates with Canadian Agricultural Safety Association



Canadian Agricultural Safety Association/Community Wire

The Canadian Agricultural Safety Association (CASA) is pleased to announce a collaboration with Corteva Agriscience Canada, to equip rural fire departments with the training and equipment needed for grain entrapment rescues.

CASA's grain safety program, BeGrainSafe, is designed to save lives and is generously supported by sponsors like Corteva. This support has helped to build the BeGrainSafe mobile demonstration unit, develop BeGrainSafe resources, raise awareness on grain hazards, and train firefighters on grain entrapment rescue and now supply these fire departments with much needed rescue equipment.

Corteva's support will purchase a GSI RES-Q-TUBE and a Haul-ALL pencil auger, for eligible rural fire departments that have taken part in BeGrainSafe training. The grain rescue tube and portable auger are essential in rescuing a person trapped in grain. When used in combination, the grain rescue tube creates a barrier between the victim and the grain while the auger helps rescuers quickly move the grain away from the potential victim.

"Having a grain rescue tube and a portable auger available to fire departments, trained in grain extrication, greatly increases the

probability of a victim surviving a grain entrapment," says Robert Gobeil, CASA's Agricultural Health and Safety Specialist. "Thanks to Corteva Agriscience Canada, life-saving equipment will be in the hands of those who need it."

Handling grain is an everyday occurrence in the agriculture industry, meaning unexpected grain incidents can happen at any moment," says Kris Allen, Communications Leader, at Corteva Agriscience Canada. "We're proud to work with CASA on this important initiative that equips rural fire departments with the tools they need to keep Canadian growers and their families safe.

For more information about BeGrainSafe, including firefighter training, please visit [casa-acsa.ca/grain](http://casa-acsa.ca/grain) or Contact CASA at 877-452-2272 or [info@casa-acsa.ca](mailto:info@casa-acsa.ca).

### About CASA

The Canadian Agricultural Safety Association is a national, non-profit organization dedicated to improving the health and safety of farmers, their families and agricultural workers. CASA is funded in part through the Canadian Agricultural Partnership, a federal, provincial and territorial initiative, and receives additional support from the agricultural and corporate sectors. For more information, visit [www.casa-acsa.ca](http://www.casa-acsa.ca), find us on Facebook or LinkedIn or follow us on Twitter @planfarmsafety.



next generation  
tax planning  
family goals  
retirement plan

Tell us about your [ farm ].

ownership  
opportunities  
development  
severance

Connect with us at [ [wardlegal.ca/tell-us](http://wardlegal.ca/tell-us) ].  
Solutions are a conversation away.

84 Kent Street West | Lindsay, Ontario | 705.324.9273 | [info@wardlegal.ca](mailto:info@wardlegal.ca)



**BIO-AG.COM**  
**1.800.368.5278**



**Find out why seaweed should always  
be included in your cow's diet!**

## H.H. Goode & Son

(1987) Ltd.

Grains • Feeds • Seeds • Pet Foods

**John Taylor | 905-852-3355**

Fax 905-852-3356, Corner of  
Brock St. W. & Victoria Dr. Uxbridge, Ontario



**MCGUIRE FENCING LIMITED**  
FARM FENCING SPECIALISTS  
• INSTALLATION • REPAIR • PAINTING  
POLE • FARM • BOARD • RAIL  
• EQUESTRIAN TRACK • CHAIN LINK • ELECTRIC  
WWW.MCGUIREFENCING.COM 705 435 2770  
RR1 EGBERT ONTARIO L0L1N0

## Residents invited to provide input on the 2021-2040 Long-term Waste Management Plan

**DURHAM:** From August 19th until September 30th, Durham Region residents will have the opportunity to provide feedback on the 2021-2040 Long-term Waste Management Plan, by visiting the virtual public engagement website, at [DurhamWasteOpenHouse.ca](http://DurhamWasteOpenHouse.ca). A Long-term Waste Management Plan, or Waste Plan for short, is a roadmap describing the Region's vision and objectives for waste management over the next 20 years. As part of the comprehensive consultation process, residents will be able to visit the engagement website, to learn about potential goals and strategies for the new Waste Plan by reviewing slides of information.

Residents are encouraged to provide input by completing an online survey. The feedback collected will then be used to develop the framework for a draft Waste Plan and a draft Five-Year Action Plan. Consultation on the draft of the Waste Plan and Five-Year Action Plan will be held in 2021, before the new Waste Plan is finalized in 2022.

The Waste Plan will develop innovative ways to use waste as a resource in a circular economy, while demonstrating leadership in sustainability and addressing the climate crisis. Examples of innovative ways to use waste as a resource include Anaerobic Digestion, to generate renewable energy from food waste, and innovative reuse options for ash generated at the Durham York Energy Centre (DYEC).

Durham developed its first Waste Plan in 1999 and it covered the period of 2000-2020. Under the first Waste Plan, the Region expanded the Green Bin, Blue Box and Hazardous Waste programs, and introduced electronics, textiles and porcelain recycling, increasing its waste diversion rate from 30 per cent to 63 per cent, and developed the made-in-Durham waste disposal

solution in the DYEC.

To learn more about Durham's Waste Plan, visit [durham.ca/WastePlan](http://durham.ca/WastePlan). Or, check out the engagement website to provide feedback at [DurhamWasteOpenHouse.ca](http://DurhamWasteOpenHouse.ca).

"We want to thank our community for taking the time to provide their input on our new Waste Plan. We know that the feedback we receive will help us shape the plan to ensure our waste management services continue to be innovative, sustainable and cost effective, while addressing the needs of our growing and diverse community," said Gioseph Anello, Director of Waste Management, The Regional Municipality of Durham.



**CANARASKA  
GRAIN**

*We are Proudly Canadian,  
Family Owned & Operated Since 1980*

- Easy Access from Hwy 35 and Hwy 401
- Fast unloading through dedicated corn and soybean receiving pits
- New online grain marketing and grain portfolio management platform connected by Grain Discovery



**4566 Kellogg Road, Port Hope ON L1A 3V7**

**1-800-520-2242**

**www.ganaraskagrains.com**



@GanaraskaGrain

## Maintenance key to functioning farms



The family automobile is not the only piece of equipment that requires routine upkeep to ensure it is operating properly.

Life on a farm can come to a screeching halt if farm equipment is not properly maintained. Farmers invest hundreds of thousands of dollars on agricultural equipment, such as tractors, tillers, hoppers, and dozers. Adhering to maintenance schedules can prevent breakdowns and decrease the need for potentially costly emergency repairs.

proper levels. Check and replace filters as needed. Tires need to be properly inflated, and inspect the battery for corrosion or other signs that it may need to be replaced. Check belts for cracks. Tour the exterior of the equipment looking at signals and lights to ensure they are in proper working order. Hardware should be tightened and any missing pieces replaced.

Heavy farm equipment needs motor oil, hydraulic oil and filters changed

more frequently than automobiles. Such equipment also may need more frequent lubrication of chains and cables. Always check and inspect equipment prior to jobs requiring heavy and extended usage.

### Expect some welding

Have a knowledgeable welder on call to make repairs as needed, or develop your skills to a point where you feel comfortable making your own spot repairs. The

experts at Miller, producers of welding equipment, say cleaning the surface area and removing any paint, oil or corrosion from the metal area that needs repairing can make for smooth, durable welds. Multi-process welding generators and accessories can ensure the right welds for repairs in the field or in the shop.

Maintenance on farm equipment helps keep operations running along and protects expensive investments.

### Keep it clean

Cleaning the surface of equipment can go a long way toward keeping it operating smoothly. Use a pressure washer to remove caked-on mud and other debris. Titan iron suppliers recommend quickly washing equipment after usage so that substances do not have the chance to harden.

### Learn the equipment

Over time, it is possible to employ your senses of sight, sound and even smell to determine if equipment is working properly. Familiarize yourself with the owner's manual so you can troubleshoot minor problems. Any unusual sounds, odors or responses from the gear should be noted.

### Routine maintenance checks

Routinely inspect hoses, fittings, and seals to ensure they are in good working condition. Be sure fluids, such as coolant and oil, are at the



**Rotary Drilling, Pumps, Sales & Service**

Workplace of Eric Ferguson  
Canadian Plowing Champion & Driller

**905-640-4369 1-877 WILSONS**  
**www.wilsonwaterwells.com**



**AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIAL BUILDINGS**

Shops, Storage Buildings, Dairy Barns, Poultry Barns, Horse Barns, Concrete Walls & Floors, Manure Storage, Bunker Silos

*Serving The Farm Community For 60 Years!*



Peterborough  
**705-743-2511**



"Your Agricultural Specialists"

Sales, service and installation of natural gas and propane appliances for residential, commercial and agricultural settings.

**705-308-4414**  
thompsonenergyservices@outlook.com

## VOSBRAE

**Farm Equipment Ltd.**

Hydraulic hose bearing, belts and general repairs



**705-357-3042**  
**vosbrae@gmail.com**

## Experienced Legal Advice for your Agriculture Needs



Heather Richardson

**STAPLES & SWAIN**

PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION

*Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries*



Angus McNeil



Farmers - Thank you for feeding, growing and investing in our community

**Farm Partnership Agreements**  
**Business Succession Planning**  
**Wills & Power of Attorney**  
**Incorporation**  
**Shareholder Agreements**  
**Residential & Farm Purchases, Sales and Refinancing**  
**Contract Preparation & Review**

10 William Street South, Lindsay  
(705) 324-6222 • [www.staplesswain.com](http://www.staplesswain.com)  
*Dedicated To Excellence Since 1959*



## NEVER ENOUGH WOOL



This store offers an exciting assortment of wool, needles, notions, and patterns

Tues. - Sat.  
10am - 4pm



**26 Water St., Port Perry**  
**905-985-0030**

# SPOTLIGHT on BUSINESS

## Lindsay's Bob Mark New Holland dealership plans to expand

**DAN CEARNS** The Standard

**KAWARTHA LAKES:** The Lindsay Bob Mark New Holland dealership has expansion plans.

"We purchased a piece of property right down the road from our current Lindsay store. It's less than a mile away, and there's about 12 or 13 acres there. So a lot more room," owner Darryl Buttar told The Standard. "We're planning on building a new store, and there's lots of extra room for possibilities to happen in the future. There could be other businesses that we may try to attract to come in on the property as well."

Bob Mark New Holland is a farm and construction equipment supplier.

Mr. Buttar expanded on the types of businesses they may want to attract in the future.

"Nothing is firm or specific at this point in time. I guess we would like to see stuff that is tied to the agricultural industry," he said.

The expansion is currently going through the City of Kawartha Lakes' zoning bylaw change process, and was discussed at a planning advisory committee meeting in July.

In that agenda, the property is described as being "on the north side of Little Britain Road, south of Highway 7, and part way between Angeline Street South to the east and Bridle Road to the west."

"The owner is proposing to relocate an existing farm implement dealership (Bob Mark New Holland) to the southeast portion of the property, as an existing permitted use. The applicant is applying, on behalf of the owner, to re-designate and rezone the property, to permit highway commercial uses appropriate for the site, in addition to the existing established abattoir and permitted farm implement sales and supply establishment use. The farm implement sales and supply establishment use is permitted in both the



**Darryl Buttar and Andy Svetec**

current and proposed zone categories. The current proposed development consists of four free-standing buildings, each developed on private services," read the report included in that meeting's agenda.

Mr. Buttar explained why they've decided to go through an expansion.

"We are maxed out, at our current property, for room, both inside and out. We need more space. It's time to get into something that is bigger, both inside and out. We're still probably a couple years away from actually getting to the building process. But it's definitely in the plans," he stated.

The business is currently based at 2197 Little Britain Road.

## SILVER LIGHTS

Senior Services



Helping seniors live their lives on their terms

All of our most popular services for **only \$30/hr**

Visit [www.silverlightsseniorservices.com](http://www.silverlightsseniorservices.com)  
To learn more or call (705) 308-1940

# IND/GENESIS

personal chef | IN: @indigenesispersonalchef  
705-308-6104 | indigenesisaol.ca

Home? Me too.

What are you having for dinner?

I'm ordering a fresh made pre-colonial meal from Indigenesispersonalchef. You too?



For a limited time only, Chef Tamara Green is augmenting her personal chef services to better suit your current needs. You can order restaurant quality meals at [www.tamaragreen.wixsite.com/indigenesispersonalchef](http://www.tamaragreen.wixsite.com/indigenesispersonalchef). Your order will be scheduled, made fresh and delivered hot and ready. Treat yourself to the original flavours of Canadian native foods with no-contact delivery.

# Support Your Local Fair

## Support Local Agricultural



**Contact your local agricultural society to find out how.**  
**Port Perry Agricultural Society at [secretaryppfair@powergate.ca](mailto:secretaryppfair@powergate.ca)**  
**Blackstock Agricultural Society at [secretarybas@outlook.com](mailto:secretarybas@outlook.com)**  
**Uxbridge Agricultural Society at [secretary@uxbridgefair.ca](mailto:secretary@uxbridgefair.ca)**  
**Sunderland Agricultural Society at [sunderlandfallfair@gmail.com](mailto:sunderlandfallfair@gmail.com)**  
**Beaverton Agricultural Society at [fun@beavertonfallfair.ca](mailto:fun@beavertonfallfair.ca)**  
**Fenelon Falls Agricultural Society at [fenelonfair@gmail.com](mailto:fenelonfair@gmail.com)**  
**Bobcaygeon Agricultural Society at [bobcaygeonfair@gmail.com](mailto:bobcaygeonfair@gmail.com)**  
**Lindsay Agricultural Society at [info@lindsayex.com](mailto:info@lindsayex.com)**



# CLASSIFIEDS

### HELP WANTED

**WANTED ANTIQUES**  
 Older furniture, advertising signs & crates, any gold, silver or costume jewellery, wrist & pocket watches, old coins, any sterling silver, old glassware & china, decoys, old guns, military medals & weapons, art, photographs, & paintings etc.  
**ANYTHING OLD...**  
**BOB CARRUTH**  
**705-887-1672 • 705-886-0243**



### HELP WANTED

**SA Cawker Public School**  
 Is looking for reliable **LUNCHROOM SUPERVISORS.** This is a paid position. If you are interested in working with students one hour per day, We are flexible and can accommodate 1/5 days per week. Please contact **Al Savage at 905-985-4491.**

### HELP WANTED



**EXTRA  
EXTRA  
EXTRA  
EXTRA**

### AT REST

**PORT PERRY CEMETERY MONUMENTS**  
 The 'BEST QUALITY' Value and Service  
**Home Appointments or visit our SHOWROOM**  
 14 Edinborough Ave., Port Perry  
 www.portperrymonuments.com  
**905-985-5754 • 1-866-455-1855**

### FOR RENT

**Reach Industrial Park** - 24 ft. by 40 ft. 10 ft overhead door. Available September 1, 2019. Call: (905) 985-3333, and ask for Sherry.

### AT REST

**Port Perry's only locally owned and operated Funeral Home since 1846**

**WAGG Funeral HOME**  
*Peace • Comfort • Family*

**MYLES G. O'RIORDAN**  
 Funeral Director/Owner

**MARK K. FLETCHER**  
 Funeral Director/Prearrangement Counsellor

**216 QUEEN ST., PORT PERRY 905-985-2171**  
**www.waggfuneralhome.com**

**Earn extra CASH delivering THE STANDARD**

**ROUTES AVAILABLE IN**  
 Blackstock, Uxbridge, Scugog Island, Oakwood, Manilla, Lindsay, Nestleton, Janetville, Caesarea and Ponty Pool.

**Contact The Standard Circulation Department to reserve your route!**

**905-985-6985**  
 circulation@thestandardnewspaper.ca



**Get The Standard on the GO!**

Local news, sports, classifieds entertainment and events updated on our site weekly!

[www.thestandardnewspaper.ca](http://www.thestandardnewspaper.ca)

# COMMUNITY SERVICES

## CONCRETE WORK

### MARETECK CONCRETE SOLUTIONS

30 Years Experience  
Fully Insured

All Concrete Work Done by Bob  
Patterned/Stamped Parging  
Exposed Aggregate Restoration  
Regular Sealing

**905-818-1370**  
Email: miljure69@gmail.com

## CONSTRUCTION

### LDR CONTRACTING

Kitchens • Bathrooms  
All Interior and Exterior Renovations  
Custom Woodworking  
Hardwood Flooring and Ceramic tiles

**Rick Mappin**  
Over 30 years experience  
Res: 905-985-3673  
Cell: 905-259-1318  
Fax: 905-985-4281

## CONTRACTING

**RUSS WRAY**  
GENERAL CONTRACTING  
SPECIALIZING IN: DRYWALL,  
SERVICES, ADDITIONS, DECKS,  
BASEMENT SUITES, RENOVATIONS  
cell: 905-242-6784  
russwraycontracting@hotmail.ca

FREE ESTIMATES  
OVER 25 YEARS EXPERIENCE  
QUALITY GUARANTEED

## E.D.S. CONSTRUCTION

Excavating & Septic

- Wet Foundation Repair
- Trenching • KOI Ponds
- Stump Removal • Decks
- Fences • Pole Barns
- Land Clearing • Landscaping

**C: 905-922-5020**

## DRYWALL

### Mark's DRYWALL SERVICES

Quality Service - Durham Region and Beyond

**905-439-2521**  
marksdrywall@live.com

Mark Shaw

## ELECTRICAL

### B&R ELECTRIC

- Service Changes • Rewiring
- New Wiring • Alterations

**Tel: 905-985-8667**

## GARAGE DOORS

### OVERHEAD DOORS

- Residential • Commercial
- Sales • Service
- Installation • Electric Door Operators & Accessories

**905-410-3667 • 905-985-3224**  
Warren Geer

## GLASS & TRIM

### PORT PERRY auto glass & trim Ltd.

- Windshield replacement
- Upholstery • Boat tops
- Stone chip repair
- Window tinting
- Car detailing

**AUTO • BOAT • HOUSEHOLD**  
**905-985-8507 | 1575 Hwy 7A Port Perry**

## HEATING

### North Port Heating

#### Sales, Service & Cleaning

- Furnace
  - Chimney
  - Oil Tank Installation
- Fully Licenced & Insured

**KEVIN PUCKRIN**  
**905-410-2636**  
**705-357-2636**

## STORAGE

### ALL PORT SELF STORAGE

GREAT FOR CARS  
BOATS • RVs • ETC.

53 assorted unit; 4-1/2'x6-1/2';  
6-1/2'x12'; 10'x20';  
21'x31'; 10 ft. ceilings;  
Security Lighting

1511 Reach St., Port Perry  
(main office 1575 Hwy. 7A)  
**905-985-6184**  
or after 5 p.m. 905-718-2929

## Shop Local

## HEATING/AIR CONDITIONING & DUCT WORK

### RG MECHANICAL

HEATING | AIR CONDITIONING | DUCT WORK

Natural Gas is coming to Scugog Island. Call for your **FREE QUOTE**  
FREE over the phone quotes for Central Air Conditioning  
For all your Residential & Commercial HVAC Applications  
**ralph2761@hotmail.com 905-985-5650**

## MASONRY

### BOLAND MASONRY LTD.

Brick • Block • Stonework • Chimneys  
Interlocking Retaining Walls  
Fireplaces & Stucco Work

Small Jobs Welcome **JOHN 905.640.8321**

## PAINTING

### PRESTIGE PAINTING

Serving Durham & Surrounding Areas.

Interior & Exterior

- \* Reasonable Rates
- \* 20 Years Experience

CALL OR EMAIL KEN FOR YOUR FREE ESTIMATE  
**905-244-1276 • kciinc@hotmail.com**

## PORTABLE WASHROOMS

### CLASSY POTTIES TO GO

Classy & Beautiful Air  
Conditioned  
Mobile Restroom

Flush, Toilets, Lighting,  
Vanities, Running Water

**905-985-9374**

[www.classypottiestogo.com](http://www.classypottiestogo.com)

## RENOVATIONS

### ADAM CRUMB CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATIONS

SPECIALIZING IN

Interior & Exterior, Renovations,  
Additions, Decks, Steel & Asphalt  
Roofing, Siding, Soffit & Fascia,  
Garages & Barn Repair

FREE ESTIMATES

Adam Crumb, Owner Operator • Oakwood • 705-928-1053  
adam.crumb@hotmail.com • Fully insured & WSIB covered

### PG CONTRACTING

"Invest in your future today"

#### COMPLETE KITCHEN & BATHROOMS

- Finishing Carpentry • Custom Tile Setting •
- Quality Workmanship Guaranteed •
- Free Quotes • Fully Insured. Will sub-contract

**905-260-9291**

## ADVERTISE

Reserve your  
community services  
ad space by calling  
**905-985-6985**  
or email  
[office-standard@powergate.ca](mailto:office-standard@powergate.ca)

## SIDING

**A**  
since 1969

### Allen's Siding Products Limited

Sales and Installation of:  
Windows, Doors, Siding, Troughs,  
Additions, Railings, Awnings,  
Decks, Sunrooms

... for a free estimate call Rob or Mike

178 Reach Industrial Park Rd. Port Perry

**905-985-3333**

[www.allensiding.ca](http://www.allensiding.ca)

## WATER PROOFING

**Sprayed FOUNDATION WATERPROOFING**  
By MARTYN MINI HOE  
**905-986-0550 / 905-718-6375**  
[www.sprayedfoundationwaterproofing.ca](http://www.sprayedfoundationwaterproofing.ca)

## WINDOWS

### A. Oppers Ltd.

Providing Quality Products & Workmanship for over 50 years  
**WINDOWS - DOORS**  
**RAILINGS - SIDING**

Showroom: 193 North St. Port Perry 905-985-4910  
Visit our Website @ [www.oppers.ca](http://www.oppers.ca)

### BUDGET BLINDS

Style and service for every budget.

Shutter, Shades, Blinds,  
Draperies & more!

FREE In-Home Consultation

**JOE GIBSON - Scugog**  
**905.213.2583**

[jcgibson@budgetblinds.com](mailto:jcgibson@budgetblinds.com)

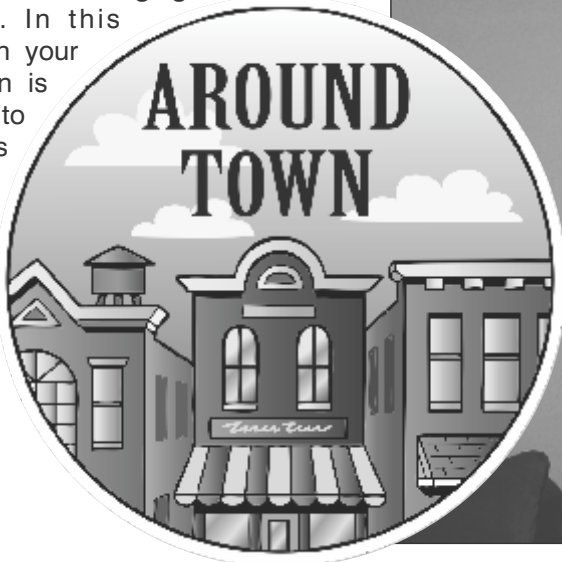
**PETER WARTHA - Uxbridge**  
**905-487-8363**

[pbwartha@budgetblinds.com](mailto:pbwartha@budgetblinds.com)

[www.budgetblinds.com](http://www.budgetblinds.com)

**• WINDOWS • DOORS • SIDING •**  
**Sales & Installation**  
**905-985-6665**  
[ike@windowstore.ca](mailto:ike@windowstore.ca)  
**WINDOW STORE**  
**905-985-6665**  
182 Northport Rd.,  
Unit 7, Port Perry

Lions Clubs of Blackstock, Greenbank and Port Perry are working together on a free Scugog 'Message in a Bottle' program. Kits can be picked up food banks, drug stores and the Scugog municipal office. In this program a vial with your medical information is placed in your fridge to help first responders and green 'Lions Emergency' stickers are placed on your front door and on the fridge door. For more information, phone 905-985-3723.  
**DAN CEARNS**  
 The Standard



# PUZZLES

# Types of Bears

				7	6	4	5
			1				3
		7	9				1
6	1						5
4		9	2	7			
			6				
	5			1	8		
9		4	8				

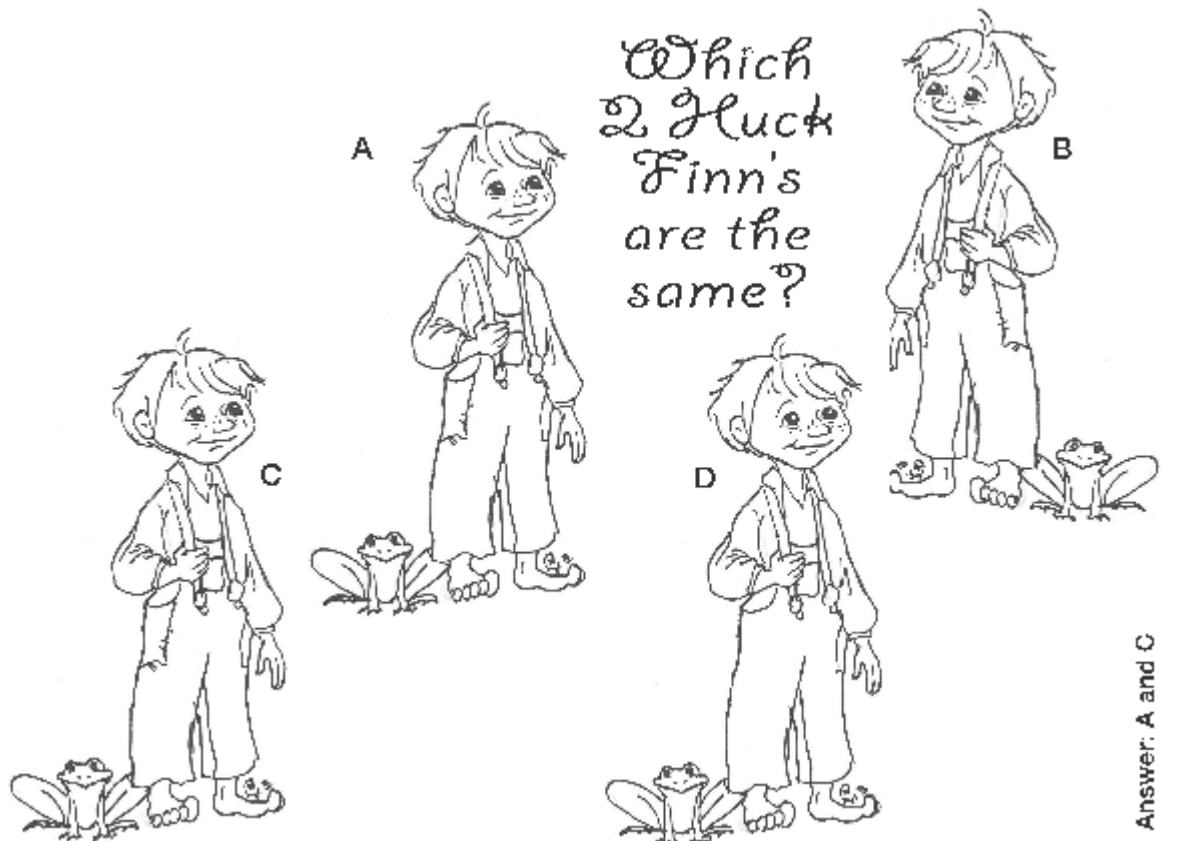
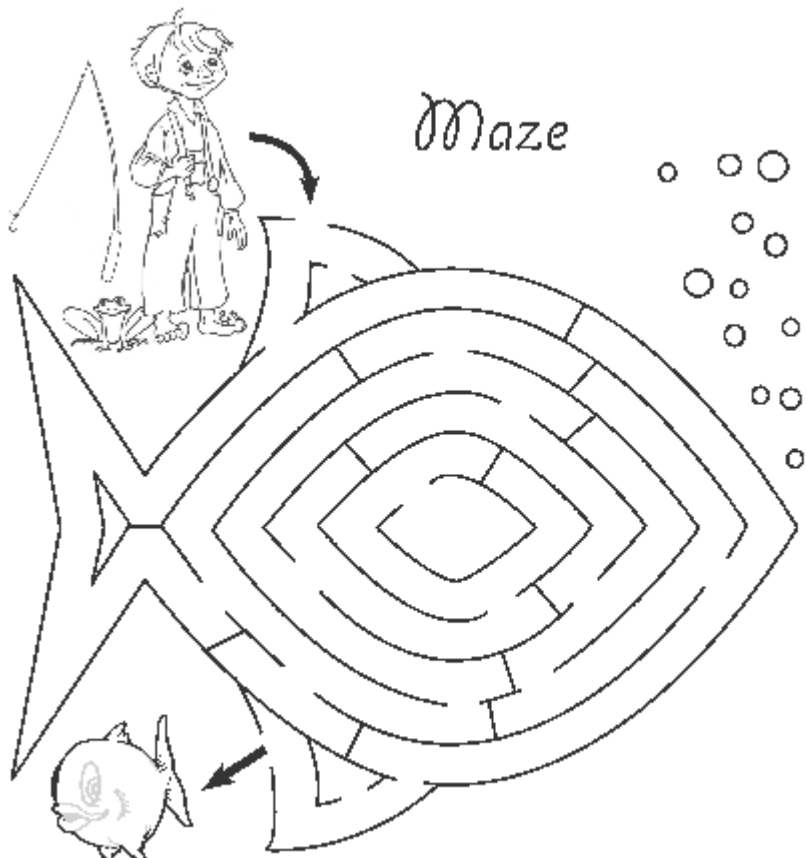
## Sudoku

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in: Each of the nine vertical columns, Each of the nine horizontal rows and Each of the nine 3 x 3 boxes. Remember no number can occur more than once in any row; column or box.

Level: Intermediate

N	E	L	A	K	Y	L	Z	Z	I	R	G	O	N
D	U	N	P	N	S	I	R	K	R	O	C	C	O
E	R	I	B	E	R	G	M	A	N	S	M	S	M
L	S	E	P	M	N	L	I	D	N	Y	A	L	A
C	E	A	T	L	A	S	S	O	T	K	R	O	N
A	A	E	P	B	D	C	S	A	L	O	A	T	N
T	D	B	P	N	K	C	A	L	B	D	L	H	I
C	N	K	E	R	M	O	D	E	S	S	O	R	C
E	A	I	I	K	O	D	I	A	K	U	P	K	D
P	P	R	M	C	S	I	R	I	K	L	N	C	N
S	S	Y	R	I	A	N	B	R	A	E	U	L	B
E	Y	O	R	A	E	O	A	L	P	S	Z	O	N
T	A	D	O	A	G	A	A	D	A	N	L	K	B
B	I	N	N	A	I	R	E	B	I	S	D	I	L

- Polar
- Kodiak
- Grizzly
- Bergman's
- Cinnamon
- Black
- Atlas
- Siberian
- Blue
- Gobi
- Panda
- Sun
- Sloth
- Spectacled
- Kermode
- Syrian



Answer: A and C

# This Old **NEWSPAPER**?! Reader Contest

**WE CHALLENGE YOU TO RECYCLE NEWSPAPERS INTO SOMETHING NEW**

Send submissions via email to The Standard Newspaper at office-standard@powergate.ca. Entries will also be submitted to the Ontario Community Newspapers Association for consideration in a provincial contest.

**Rules:**

- 1 Participants must repurpose newspaper into something creative and/or functional (anything goes - ballgown, basket, lampshade) and submit it to The Standard Newspaper. Contact the Standard office if you need additional newsprint.

*Note: While a piece created 100% of newspaper is ideal, we recognize that other materials may be necessary for framework and stability. Therefore, a piece MUST consist of at least 70% recycled newspaper. Of course, it must also be appropriate for the public to admire.*

- 2 In addition to a brief description about the participant's creation, a series of photos or videos taken during the construction process must also be submitted.

**Categories Include:**

- Open
- Junior under 12
- Family

The Standard News,  
182 North Port Rd., Unit 10,  
Port Perry  
905-985-6985



**\$1000**  
PROVINCIAL PRIZE



**PUBLIC VIRTUAL  
GALLERY SHOWCASE**

Isla Williams, a 12-year-old Standard Newspaper carrier in Uxbridge used leftover newspapers to design a custom dress



**LeafFilter™**  
GUTTER PROTECTION

**CLOG-FREE GUTTERS OR YOUR MONEY BACK GUARANTEED!**

BEFORE LeafFilter  
AFTER LeafFilter

**15% OFF**  
YOUR ENTIRE LEAFILTER PURCHASE\*  
Exclusive Offer - Redeem By Phone Today!

ADDITIONALLY

**10% OFF SENIOR & MILITARY DISCOUNTS**

HomeStars

PLUS!

**THE FIRST 50 CALLERS WILL RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL 5% OFF\*\***  
YOUR ENTIRE INSTALL!  
\*\*Offer valid at estimate only

**FINANCING THAT FITS YOUR BUDGET!**  
\*Subject to credit approval. Call for details.

CALL US TODAY FOR A FREE ESTIMATE  
**1-877-378-1359**

**Promo Code: 285**  
Mon-Thurs: 8am-11pm, Fri-Sat: 8am-5pm, Sun: 2pm-8pm EST

\*For those who qualify. One coupon per household. No obligation estimate valid for 1 year.



**One solution for oxygen at home, away, and for travel**

Introducing the **INOGEN ONE**  
It's oxygen therapy on your terms

No more tanks to refill. No more deliveries.  
No more hassles with travel. The INOGEN ONE portable oxygen concentrator is designed to provide unparalleled freedom for oxygen therapy users. It's small, lightweight, clinically proven for stationary and portable use, during the day and at night, and can **go virtually anywhere — even on most airlines.**

Inogen accepts Medicare and many private insurances!

**Reclaim Your Freedom And Independence NOW!**

**inogen**

Call Inogen Today To Request Your **FREE** Info Kit

**1-877-593-1129**

USA  
Assembled & Assembled in USA  
EPA Rating A+

© 2020 Inogen, Inc. All rights reserved. MKT-P0108



**Four bag limit for garbage returns September 8**

Garbage bag limits were temporary extended on March 27 from four (4) to six (6) bags to ease the impact of COVID-19 on residents working and schooling from home.

Starting September 8, residents can place up to four (4) bags at the curb every other week. Bags over the limit will require a garbage bag tag. For garbage bag tag information and locations, visit [durham.ca/waste](http://durham.ca/waste).

Never forget your garbage day again! Download the "Durham Region Waste" App. Available on both Apple and Android. If you require this information in an accessible format, please contact 1-800-667-5671.

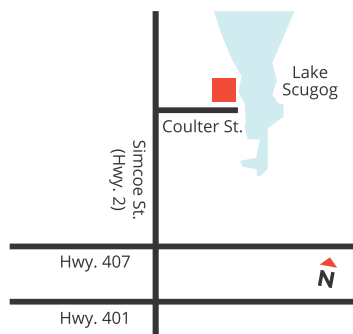




## COURTS OF CANTERBURY PORT PERRY

# NEW 42' BUNGALOW DESIGNS COMING SOON

Following the overwhelming success of Phase 1, a new phase of 50' lots and brand new 42' designs are coming soon! Set amidst mature, people-friendly streetscapes — just steps from the shores and waterfront trails of Lake Scugog and historic downtown Port Perry — these bungalow and bungalow-loft designs boast modern, open-concept spaces with every convenience close at hand. Winner of 3 DRHBA\* Awards for design and construction excellence, this adult-lifestyle community offers a private 'resident-only' clubhouse complete with outdoor pool, and has become Port Perry's address of choice for active adults looking to enjoy a freer, easier lifestyle.



### BUNGALOW & BUNGALOW-LOFTS ON 42' & 50' LOTS FROM THE MID \$700'S

**Sales Centre and Model Home:**

52 Coulter Street, Port Perry, ON L9L 1N7

**Hours:** Mon-Wed 11am-6pm • Sat & Sun 11am-5pm

**REGISTER TODAY FOR THE NEW RELEASE!**  
905-982-2649 | [COURTSOFCANTERBURY.COM](http://COURTSOFCANTERBURY.COM)