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Hawks will grow from narrow loss

DARREN LUM

Staff Reporter

With hands on heads, shirt collars held by teeth, hands slapping on outstretched arms, and calls for a foul, Red Hawks players and head coach Paul Longo exhibited their disbelief at a lack of foul call on the eventual final possession play of 43-42 loss to the undefeated Wildcats of I.E. Weldon on Thursday, Jan. 16 in Haliburton.

The commotion was directed at the official closest to the play because of what the Hawks believed was a foul committed against Camden Marra, who scored on a circus shot, made after a missed three-pointer.

"It is what it is. It's basketball. You got to try and fight for everything, you know. It looked like a little bit of a foul on the last play of the game here, but I'm really impressed we were able to put a shot up," Longo said. "We designed a play for a three-point shot for Holden [Dupret-Smith]. Camden did a hell of a job getting in there to get that board and got that shot up and can't believe it went in, but it looked like a foul, but I'm not going to get upset."

The close loss hurts, but Longo believes the team will learn from the experience.

"I'm so proud these guys. Weldon [came in] 6-0 in our league right now and we gave them everything they can handle today. I thought we were the better team overall. I think we missed some easy layups and easy shots in the first half that could have been the difference. I'm really, really proud of our effort. Every single guy gave everything they have on both ends of the floor. To hold a team like Weldon to 43 points is pretty good, really good. I love our tenacity and our fight. We fight for everything. We don't give up on a play, even if we make a mistake. We come back and correct it. We just don't give up on anything. That's just the character of these guys. All 14 of them," he said.

The Hawks are 3-3 in league play as of Monday morning, Jan. 20. Longo points out the Hawks were dominated by the Wildcats earlier in the season, losing by 20 on Dec. 10 in Lindsay. He said this game shows how far the team has progressed in the past two months.

The Hawks were missing "big man" Joe Boice at the five and Mike Stephen.

Coming into the game, the team was on a roll, winning two league games in a row, beating the Titans of St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary 64-46 and then the Brock Bulldogs 52-38.

The potential for success is looking good after this close game with the Wildcats.

"If we can take a good AAA [school] team to a one possession game like that then we should be able to use that as motivation in our A [school] games," he said.

The Hawks defence is relentless and easily translated into a dozen turnovers in each half.

Longo wondered aloud if the team could have won the game, if they could

have converted just one of these turnovers into two points.

Longo loved his entire team's effort, but made a point of acknowledging Ethan Glecoff, Ryan Mee, Carson Phillips and Brenden Newhook.

A tournament in Bracebridge at the end of the upcoming exams will be used as a tuneup for February.

The team has two league games left and one day of interlock action, which includes two games.

The Hawks are currently the No. 1 A seed in Kawartha West with a 3-3 as of Monday, Jan. 20. There are four league games left in the season.

There is a belief that resides with the team when it comes to success.

Longo said his team is never intimidated despite the majority of the team being in Grade 11. There is a long term goal for this young team.

"We have a goal. Our goal in Grade 12 [next year] is to try and get an OFSAA berth for A [schools]. So we're trying," he said.

Longo gave credit to the Weldon player who sank the three-pointer to tie the game 37-37 with 5:45 left in the game. Up to that point, both teams were struggling to score.

The rest of the game came down to which team could execute and turnover the ball less.

"Great game. Two, I thought, evenly matched teams and, you know, the basketball gods went the other way and that's OK," he said.

Red Hawks post player Ethan Glecoff collides with an I.E. Weldon defender who draws the charge during Kawartha High School Basketball League action on Thursday, Jan. 16 in Haliburton. The Red Hawks lost 43-42, but pushed the undefeated Wildcats on the Hawks' final possession, which led to two points scored by Marra from a miss (and what Hawks thought could have been an and-one scoring opportunity to tie the game). /DARREN LUM Staff



Red Hawks guard Camden Marra leaps to the net, as a Wildcats of I.E. Weldon defender looks for the block.



Red Hawks guard Camden Marra gets tangled with a Wildcats of I.E. Weldon defender.

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And they're off!

Racers competed in the Ontario Snowboard Speed Series ski cross and snowboard cross at Sir Sam's Ski/Ride on the weekend. The event was the first of a five-race series with two races at Sir Sam's.

More than 90 racers from Ontario competed, bringing their family members to the Highlands.

Left, racers power around a bend on Jan. 19. The three-day event included practice on Friday and races on Saturday and Sunday. Sir Sam's has been hosting races as part of this series for nearly 10 years. /TIM TOFFLEMIRE Special to the Echo

Hawks prioritize development

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Staff Reporter

Two dominant victories, one against the visiting Brock Bulldogs and the other against the Titans of St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary were just a byproduct of the development of the senior Red Hawks girls' volleyball team, said their coach Steve Smith.

The Hawks beat the Bulldogs 2-0 (25-22 and 25-20) and then beat the Titans 2-0 (25-17 and 25-14).

The exhibition home wins on Monday, Jan. 13 at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School provided Hawks supporters plenty to cheer for and gave the players confidence, but for Smith this time of the season with exhibition matches is about learning, developing and working to meet the team's potential for a deep run into the playoffs, which begin in February.

"Wins will help their confidence, but, as I said before, losses actually help with their development as well because then they don't think they can win every time they go out. I want them to have that attitude when they get on the court that they can win whatever, or whoever they play," he said. "Today, they're going in the right direction."

The team demonstrated the ability to raise their level of play, stringing together several deep, low and hard serves, and employing an effective attack even when the initial return of serve pass is not cleanly taken. Against the Bulldogs and Titans it was apparent their level of play was superior.

Although the win and loss record on the day isn't that important, the score does provide quantified information for evaluation. Smith said the close match with the Bulldogs was partly owed to being at home.

"The first match I think they were just nervous with being at home, or whatnot. We had a little talk about that. I tried to get them to settle down and just play their style of volleyball, which they did. That's the volleyball that I know of right there," he said, referring to com-

posed play, strong serving and passing with precision.

Smith said the team is trending in the right direction during their exhibition matches before the Kawartha qualifier.

"Every match, every point I see some improvement," he said.

The team includes Alexis Mills, Alyssa Bogardis, Ania Smolen, Emma Casey, Gillian Rosik, Haley Boylan, Jordyn Nichols, Rebecca Archibald, Ruthie Parker and Skye Lambshead.

The captains of the senior team are Emma Casey and Rebecca Archibald. The coaching staff for the seniors includes Michelle Backus.

Junior Hawks win and split matches

One court over, separated by a space for warm-ups, the juniors were also playing concurrently.

They won 2-0 (25-13 and 25-14) against Brock to open their afternoon, but tied the Titans 1-1 (25-11 and 22-25) to finish the day.

Coach Dan Gimon said he was happy about the team's overall performance.

However the lone loss was attributed to a loss of mental focus and the team will move on and improve from what he called a "terrible" last set, which saw a loss of 10 points to serving errors mainly.

Gimon said he knows the team can be better.

It's the mental part that, again, we will work on," he said. "We have to get those serves over."

His message to the team was simple:

"It's up to you guys. I can tell you what to do, but once you're out there you guys have to perform," he said.

Red Hawks senior player Rebecca Archibald watches her hit elude the block of Brock Bulldogs defenders during Kawartha High School League action on Monday, Jan. 13 at the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School. The Hawks beat the Bulldogs 2-0 (25-22 and 25-20) and then finished the day of exhibition play undefeated, beating the Titans of St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary School 2-0 (25-17 and 25-14)./DARREN LUM Staff



Drive for victory falls short

Red Hawks junior player Nick Phippen drives the ball into the key against a I.E. Weldon Wildcats defender during Kawartha High School Basketball League action on Thursday, Jan. 16 in Haliburton. The Hawks lost the game 49-37, but had a standout game from Jackson Wilson, who finished with 17 points to lead the team. /DARREN LUM Staff

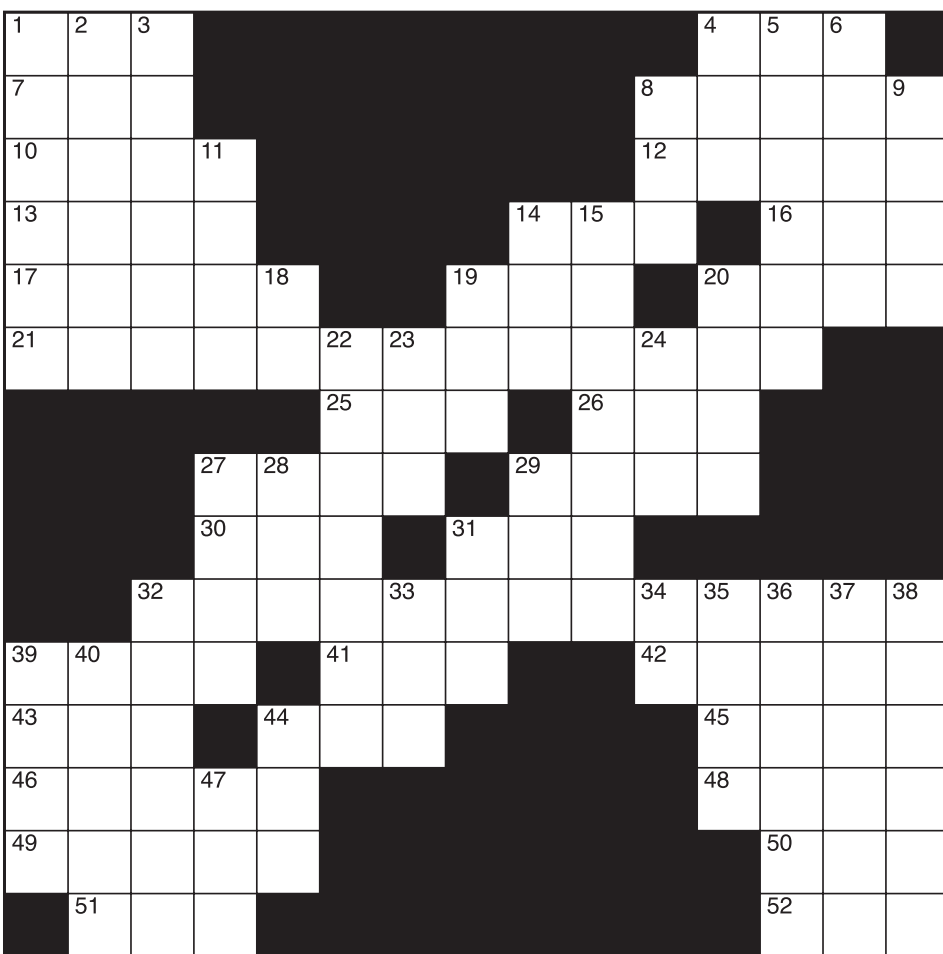
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- 1. Expression of disgust
- 4. A place to unwind
- 7. A type of cooking range
- 8. Grasp tightly
- 10. Sea eagles
- 12. Carb dish
- 13. Late-night host
- 14. Revolutions per minute
- 16. Indicates odd or erroneous
- 17. FDR's military chief of staff
- 19. Swiss river
- 20. Norwegian district and river
- 21. A form of motivation
- 25. Car mechanics group
- 26. Once a must-have home theater accessory
- 27. Broken branch
- 29. Apple and pumpkin are two
- 30. Skeletal muscle
- 31. Small Eurasian deer
- 32. Tight-lipped fellow
- 39. Comes after a cut
- 41. A place one lives
- 42. Cognizant of

CLUES DOWN

- 43. Albanian monetary unit
- 44. Carrot's partner
- 45. Famed garden
- 46. Chilean seaport
- 48. Days (Spanish)
- 49. Sudden anxiety
- 50. 100 square meters
- 51. A type of beer
- 52. French/Belgian river
- 1. Spanish dish
- 2. Concurs
- 3. ___ and her sisters
- 4. Patti Hearst's captors
- 5. Used to refer to cited works
- 6. A state of excited movement
- 8. Advertising term (abbr.)
- 9. Nocturnal S. American rodent
- 11. New York art district
- 14. Bravo! Bravo! Bravo!
- 15. Pre-release viewing
- 18. Northwestern Canadian territory (abbr.)
- 19. Consumed
- 20. Falters

CLUES ACROSS

- 22. Radioactive form of an element
- 23. Catch a wrongdoer
- 24. Breeze through
- 27. Thick piece of something
- 28. Yellowish-brown color
- 29. "The Raven" poet
- 31. Rural free delivery (abbr.)
- 32. Creating
- 33. Supervises flying
- 34. Northwestern state
- 35. Was obligated to repay
- 36. Diverging in lines from a common center
- 37. Bleak
- 38. We all have them
- 39. Hit with the palm of one's hand
- 40. Sea that's part of the western Pacific
- 44. Political action committee
- 47. Famed Spanish soldier
- El ___

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**COUNTY OF HALIBURTON
LAND DIVISION COMMITTEE
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONSENT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 53(5)(a) of the Planning Act and Section 3, O.Reg. 197/96, as amended, that the following Applications for Consent have been submitted to the Haliburton County Land Division Committee, the consent granting authority in these matters.

AND FURTHER THAT at its meeting to be held **Monday, February 10th, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Administration Building, County of Haliburton Office, 11 Newcastle Street, Minden, Ontario, this Application for Consent will be heard by the Land Division Committee:

- 1. File No. H-023/19
Applicant: Robert Lee
Location of the Property: Pt Lot 5, Concession 11 & 12, Geographic Township of Guilford
Nature of the Application: Lot Addition

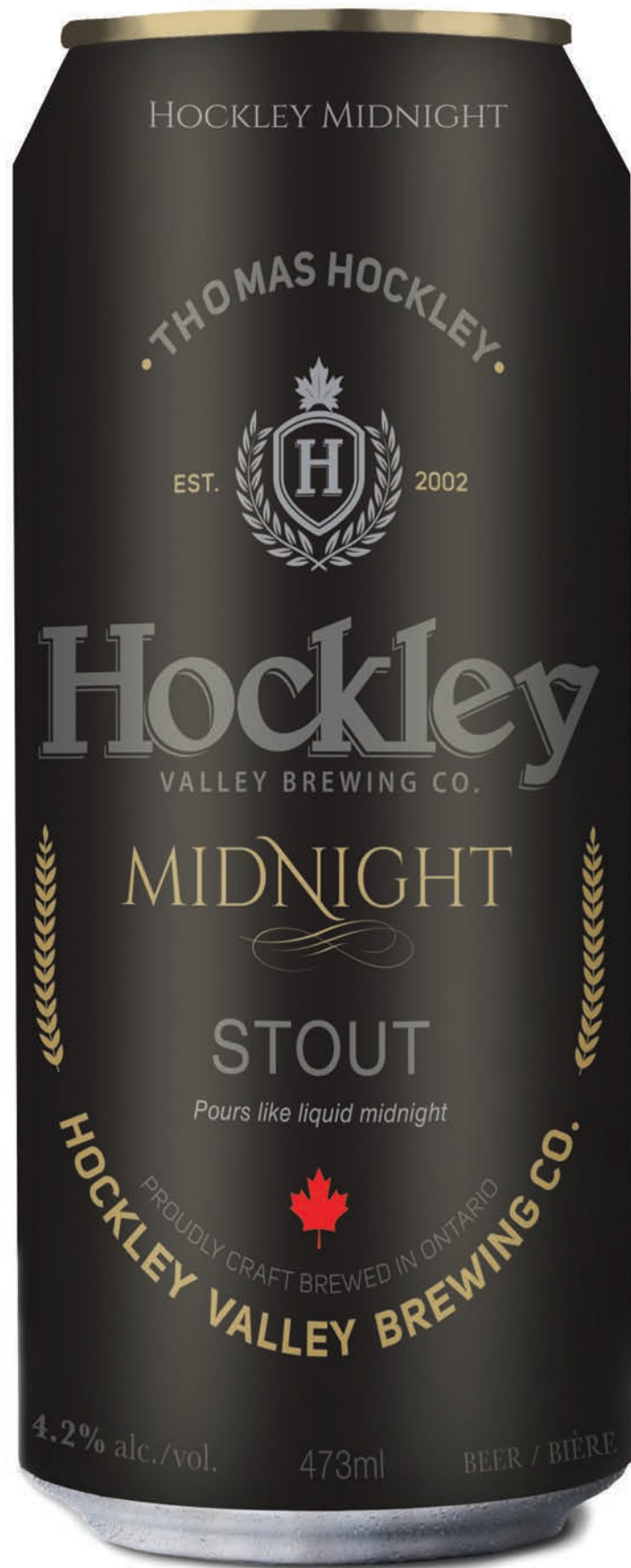
Additional information regarding any of the above-noted applications is available for public inspection at the Land Division Office by appointment during regular business hours, Monday to Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

If a person or public body that files an appeal of a decision of the Land Division Committee in respect of the proposed consent does not make written submissions to the Land Division Committee before it gives or refuses to give a provisional consent, the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal may dismiss the appeal.

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Land Division Committee in respect of the proposed consent, you must make a written request to the undersigned.

Dated at the Township of Minden Hills this 21st day of January, 2020.

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When: Saturday, Feb. 1, 2 to 5 p.m.
Where: Minden Legion
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When: Monday, Feb. 3 at 7 p.m.
Where: HCSA Clubhouse, 171 Mallard Road in Haliburton's Industrial Park.
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When: Tuesday, Feb. 4
Where: The Dominion Hotel, Dining Room, Minden
Time: Social and Registration 6:30 p.m., meeting 7 p.m.
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Red Hawks forward Braeden Robinson moves the puck, staying ahead of Cobourg Collegiate Institute Wolves defender Wyatt Groves during Kawartha High School Hockey League action on Wednesday, Jan. 16 at the A.J. LaRue Arena in Haliburton. The Hawks lost 3-1 to the Wolves. Hawks rookie forward Will Craftchick scored his first goal of the season in the loss. /DARREN LUM Staff

Home loss for Hawks against Wolves

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Staff Reporter

A pair of posts, a dollop of bad luck and six more minutes of penalties than their opponents for the Red Hawks hockey team was the recipe for a 3-1 loss to the visiting Wolves on Wednesday, Jan. 15 in Haliburton.

Hawks coach Jason Morissette said he liked how his team played overall, but delivered a post-game message to stay out of the penalty box, particularly for major infractions.

"You got to stay disciplined," he said. "Taking those four-minute penalties. There were a few there."

Early on, the teams played four-on-four, which favoured the quick skating Wolves, Longo said.

"It's hard to score when you're not five-on-five and you're not getting the powerplays, right? We did not get a powerplay goal. Our goal was [scored] on a five-on-five so again ... it's choices that they have to make. And again if your team is not as skilled as the other team through the lineup then you know you have to play the system you're taught because the system ... if you got a team that is skating or has more skaters than you do you play the system to keep you in the game and it gives you more chances," he said.

Despite the loss, Morissette said the team has likely earned enough wins to have assured itself a Kawartha League playoff spot.

No. 1 goalie for the Hawks Carson Sisson was tagged

with the loss.

The Hawks had four defencemen play in this game, including rookie Ty Mills, who Morissette credited with a solid game, as evidence of his development.

The lone goal in the loss came from rookie Will Craftchick, who has played three games this season and was out of the lineup the first four because of a concussion suffered with another team in another league.

The Grade 10 student said scoring his first of his high school career and first of the season was awesome.

"It was more the other guys working than me. I ended up in the right spot and I just got rewarded, I guess. It's amazing," he said.

The team has been competitive this season, particularly against the top teams and this game was an example of that.

"It's a learning experience for them, but again that game could quite easily have been 3-2, even 3-3. Even in the second [Braeden] Robinson hits a post. If that goes in we're going to the third [down] 3-2," he said. "Our main offensive guys [who are Robinson, Lucas Haedicke and Desi Davies] they had opportunities. They played well. The puck just didn't go post and in. It went post and out."

Hawks notes:

A game before this loss the Hawks shut out the Knights of Norwood 7-0 while on the road.

Rookie goalie Darian Maddock earned the shutout, his first of the season. Braeden Robinson tallied three goals to earn the hat-trick.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Council, at their January 28th, 2020 meeting, will be considering the following fee changes:

- By-law No. 2014-30 – Building Permit By-law – Schedule A to the By-law is being amended to include a Building Permit Administration Fee and a change to the Septic Evaluation Fee.
- DYMO Bus Rates are being increased effective April 1, 2020. Current rates have been in place since 2015.

Further information on these fee changes will be available on the website.

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Coronavirus ends Hawks' dreams of OFSAA gold

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Staff Reporter

It was supposed to have been an opportunity to live out a dream, battling at the provincial championship and finishing on the podium for the Red Hawks boys' curling team.

The team made up of skip, Jacob Dobson; vice, Liam Little; second, Corin Gervais; and lead, Owen Nicholls, earned their Ontario Federation of School Athletic Associations berths with a COSSA title win on Monday, March 9 in Stirling, Ont.

Instead, the Hawks' season is over after OFSAA announced the cancellation of the all-provincial curling championships on Friday, March 13 as a precaution against the spread of the coronavirus.

The recent increase of cases and deaths in Canada and around the world prompted historic decisions such as border restrictions and recommendations to limit groups to less than 50 people in the province.

The team's veterans Jacob Dobson and Liam Little were understanding and acknowledge the serious nature of the situation.

"We are all disappointed by the decision to cancel OFSAA but we also understand why they made that decision. We were quite happy with the way we performed this season, winning our third straight Kawartha title and our second COSSA title as well as being the OSC [Ontario School Curling championships] regional champions and the OSC provincial champions. The Red Hawks curling program still has that last box to check off for OFSAA champions and we will just have to wait another year for that," Dobson wrote in a text message.

Before the cancellation, Little said winning OFSAA would have meant more to him and to the school due to its greater exposure. The team finished fifth at the all-provincials last year.

The graduating senior dreamt of being on the OFSAA podium for himself and his team, but also for the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.

"Ya, for sure, it's always disappointing to get news like this, but you also have to keep in mind the health and safety of the athletes and that's for sure the [most important]. We as a team have accomplished so much this season on and off the ice and that's something that can never be taken away from us. Even though this was my last season and it didn't end the way I was hoping, I'm still going to look back on this team and remember the great things we did and not what we missed," he wrote in a text.

Less than two weeks ago, the athletic and public event landscape was a very different place with many events expected to go ahead. There are now cancellations in every sector of society, including concerts, plays and municipal meetings.

These are efforts to reduce interactions and practise "social distancing," which is a term for maintaining space between people, encouraged by public health officials to stop or slow down the spread of a highly contagious disease.

This season for the Hawks may be without an OFSAA trip, but it wasn't without exclamation marks.

The COSSA title was a repeat performance for Dob-



The Red Hawks senior boys' curling team, from left, Owen Nicholls, Corin Gervais, Liam Little and Jacob Dobson are proud of their season, having repeated as COSSA champions on March 9 in Stirling, Ont. The team had aspirations to finish on the podium at the all-provincials, but had their dreams derailed by the recent announcement that the OFSAA championship would be cancelled as a precaution against the spread of the coronavirus. /Photo submitted by Darrell Dobson

son, Little and Gervais, and the first for Nicholls, who joined the team this year.

The Hawks' COSSA repeat didn't come without challenge.

To qualify for OFSAA, the Hawks beat Eastside 6-5, St. Peter Catholic Secondary School 11-2 and then East Northumberland 7-1 (opponents conceded after five ends) in the final earlier this month. The final game's score belies the Hawks effort to beat their opponent, who entered with a 2-0 record in the tournament.

Hawks skip Dobson said the close score in the first game was indicative of the team's comfort levels.

"The 6-5 game was a little bit more challenging in the sense it was our first game in a new club with different ice and rocks and we just weren't quite as comfortable as we hoped we would," he wrote in a text. "But in general the final game was by far the toughest with constant pressure being put on by ENSS throughout. In that game we were up three going into the last end and on my last shot all we had to do was remove one rock from play. The score was as close as it is because the rock I threw rolled a few inches too far but we were ahead throughout the entire game," he said.

This year's repeat win came after a heartbreaking loss for Dobson and Little, who came up a few centimetres short of COSSA gold three years ago. The pair had to settle for a silver medal that year before taking gold last year and again this year.

Nicholls was proud about earning the berth to OFSAA.

"It means a lot to make it to OFSAA especially on my

first year. It definitely wasn't easy but I'm very proud of myself for making it and it makes me feel like a better curler!" he said, a day before the championship cancellation.

Curling is about more than just technical skills, Little said.

This team's success this season is owed to its chemistry.

"The two new guys just gelled in with the team right from the get-go. We all just bonded. Had really good chemistry from the start and I think that was a huge bonus for our team, knowing the other teams may have complications. Knowing that we had the chemistry already right from get-go definitely a huge advantage in the game of curling in Gore and going into OFSAA will be," he said. "We all have the same goals. We're all on the same page. Having each other's backs. Knowing we have that is a really, really good thing."

The one golden provincial lining for the Red Hawks this season is the 2020 OSC championship title.

Little said taking the OSC title (formerly Gore) was an amazing achievement.

It came as a surprise to the Hawks and is something the team can always have.

"Winning Gore was definitely an amazing thing. We went in expecting to do well, but we never really expected to win the whole entire thing. We kind of got into a groove and won some games straight through and pulled it off in the final ... our team played really, really well," he said.

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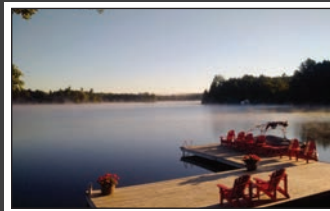
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- Open concept with 3 bedrooms, 1 bath
- Conveniently located on a quiet road between Haliburton & Minden

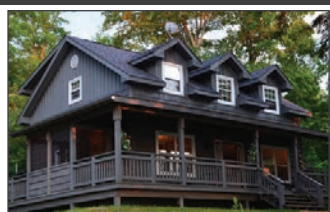


David Lee*
286-2138 x 27

SOLD

South Lake \$149,000

- Beautiful waterfront lot!
- 118 feet frontage, level,
- Driveway in, hydro at line.
- Area of nicer homes & cottages.



Brandon Nimigon*
457-2128 x 27

Kashagawigamog Lake \$55,000

- 4 season cottage with fractional ownership
- Open Concept, 3 bedrooms, quiet end of the road
- On our premier 5 lake chain, Boat into Haliburton



Karen Nimigon**
457-6505

Highway 35 \$185,000

- 78 acres with large frontage on Hwy 35
- In a designated Service and Business Area!

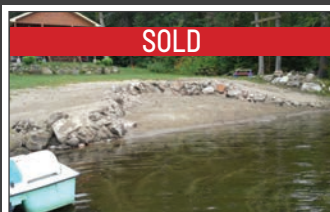


Kirsten Rae*
286-2138 x 30

NEW LISTING

Industrial Park Rd \$1,350,000

- 12,000 sq ft of mixed use industrial and commercial space
- Sitting on a private 6.75 acre lot in Haliburton
- Unlimited possibilities with this building!



Darlene Reil*
447-2055

SOLD

Hudson Lake \$389,000

- Neat & tidy 3-bedroom cottage,
- Fully equipped, even paddle boat & canoe

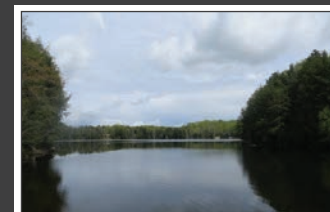


Christine Sharp*
286-2138 x59

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- Waterfront Cottages (Year-round & Seasonal)
- In-town Residential Homes



Greg Stamp*
457-2128 x 28

West Lake \$265,300

- 356' of frontage with on West Lake & with gentle path to the waterfront
- Utilities at the lot line, driveway installed on a year round municipally maintained road



Melanie Vigrass*
286-2138 x 32

NEW LISTING

Minden Executive Home \$549,000

- Bungalow w/finished walk-out lower level
- 4 Bdrms, 2.5 baths, Cathedral Ceilings
- On Beaver Creek, 2 acres,
- Det'd Dbl Garage & Det'd Insulated, Heated Shop



Lindsay Wilkinson*
286-2138 x 25

Cameron Lake \$750,000

- 1-year old construction, shows like a model
- 3 bedroom, 2 baths, plus room to grow
- relax at this quiet motor restricted lake



Andrea Wilson**
457-2128 x 25

Haliburton Lake \$899,000

- 3-bedroom 2.5 bath modern lakefront home
- Spectacular view, deep water off the dock
- Renovated Boathouse, 2 double car garages
- 1280 Sq Ft garage/shop with high ceilings



Drew Bishop**
Kristin Bishop**
457-2128 x23

Boshkung Lake \$1,195,000

- 4,000-total sq ft cottage, 5 bedrooms, 3.5 baths
- Awe-inspiring views, & complete privacy on 1.66 acres & 250+ feet of deep, clean shoreline on 3 lake chain

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Silver medals for Red Wolves a shining example of pride

DARREN LUM

Staff Reporter

The Red Wolves Special Olympic five-pin bowling team captured silver at the Special Olympics National Winter Games held from Feb. 25 to 29 in Thunder Bay.

Coached by Rick West, the team was ecstatic at the second place.

West said their faces beamed when they learned of their medal win during the presentation on the last day.

"It was so cool. They just raised their hands in the air," he said.

The team of Marianne Stammers, Casey Heley, Andrew Bourgeois, Lucas Anderson and Kim Buie were successful because of hard work, West said.

"They worked really hard. I was really proud of them. They worked really hard," he said.

He credits The Fast Lane bowling alley owner Mary Douglas for providing a free venue for practice any time they wanted.

"She gave us the key and let us go whenever we wanted," he said.

The team practised three days a week for close to three months to prepare.

West also credited the support of the community, the County of Haliburton, the municipalities of Dysart et al and Minden Hills and the Royal Canadian Legion of Minden for providing financial assistance to send the athletes to Thunder Bay to compete.

Although the team didn't bowl as well as they normally can during the three days of competition which included nine games, West said the team rallied to end on a high note, scoring 719 points, missing first place by only 13 pins at the conclusion of the total pin format competition.



Coach Rick West, left, stands with the silver medal winning Red Wolves Special Olympic five-pin bowling team of Marianne Stammers, Andrew Bourgeois, Casey Heley, Kim Buie and Lucas Anderson. The team earned a podium finish with a strong performance to their three days of competition at the Special Olympics National Winter Games held from Feb. 25 to 29 in Thunder Bay. / Submitted by Rick West

Officially it was for Ontario, but in their hearts they were competing for the Haliburton Highlands.

This is the second consecutive national trip for the Red Wolves.

It might be a second set of five bowlers, but the national berth speaks to the calibre of bowlers in the Highlands and it's owed to dedication and practice.

"We're pretty fortunate. We only have 38 bowlers and now 10 of them have gone to a nationals from little Haliburton. Nobody realizes how amazing that

is. That's pretty special. It's normally the bigger teams from Barrie, Toronto. You know they have more athletes to choose from. They have more coaches."

The team also had individual success. Silver medals were won by Stammers, Bourgeois and Buie, who finished second by one pin.

West said the event was very closely contested and said Heley was only 56 pins off of the top finisher after three days.

The coach said coming from a small community added a little more pride to

the achievement for the athletes, as their achievement helped to raise awareness of the Haliburton County community.

"They are pretty proud to be from Haliburton. It's funny. Nobody knows where Haliburton is," he said.

The silver medal and the experience of competing at nationals will stay with him and the team for a long time.

"Everybody had a great time. It will be something that they will remember for a long time," he said.



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**NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETING
TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION
TO PURCHASE AN ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD
MUNICIPALITY OF DYSART ET AL**

DATE: March 24, 2020
TIME: Any person who wishes to address Council should contact the Planning Department for a delegation time.
LOCATION: Council Chambers, Municipal Office, 135 Maple Ave., Haliburton, Ontario.
APPLICATIONS:
The Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al has, by resolution, declared the following parcels of land to be surplus.

Applicant: Hagerty, Kelterborn, Jones, Marinescu
Location: 2741, 2777 Boice Bradley Drive – Redstone Lake.
- Between Concessions 12 and 13 in Lots 28 and 29 and part of the original shore road allowance in front of Lot 28, Concession 12 and part of the original shore road allowance in front of the original allowance for road between Concessions 12, 13 on a plan of survey, prepared by Greg Bishop Surveying and Consulting Ltd. dated July 21, 2015 and a preliminary plan prepared by C.T. Strongman Surveying Ltd. dated October 30, 2019.

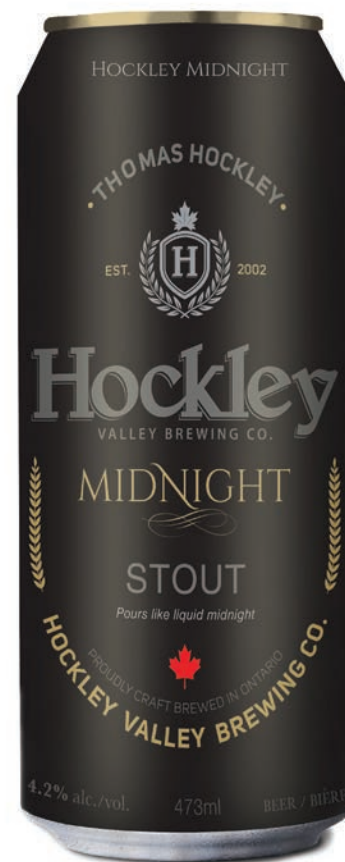
NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al proposes to consider and if deemed appropriate enact at its meeting as noted above, a by-law to close, stop-up and convey the portion of road allowance described above.

BEFORE PASSING the said by-law, the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al shall at its meeting to be held as noted above, hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be affected by the said by-law.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION is available for review from the Planning Department at the Municipal Office during regular offices hours (8:30 am. to 4:30 pm. Monday to Friday).

DATED at the Township of Dysart, this 12th day of March, 2020.

Jeff Iles,
Director of Planning and Land Information



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Badminton season in question

Above, Red Hawks badminton hopeful Grace Kim returns a shot during a workout on Wednesday, March 11 at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School. With recent measures to counteract the spread of the coronavirus, secondary schools and elementary schools are closed until April 6, leaving the season in doubt. /DARREN LUM Staff

Above left, Red Hawks badminton player Bence Suranyi returns a shot during a workout.

Left, Red Hawks senior coach Jason Morissette, left, helps Jonas Moghini.



CHANGES TO THE SEPTIC REINSPECTION PROGRAM IN DYSART ET AL



Dysart et al is making changes to the septic re-inspection program. Following a two year pilot program in the Kennisis Lake Area (Area #1), Dysart et al is introducing changes that they believe will better protect our lake health by addressing potential issues throughout the Municipality in a timely fashion.

With the changes, Dysart et al will still have the most comprehensive septic re-inspection system around as lake health is a priority of Council.

Dysart et al is working on a long term solution to deal with septage waste and hope to make this a reality in the near future, but in the meantime, we still dispose of septage in open fields.

What is changing?

- Elimination of Mandatory Pump Out
- A Private Contractor will be retained by Municipality who will make appointments for inspections.
- We are aligning our program requirement with neighbouring municipalities

Why are we changing our program?

- Based on the results of Area #1, the mandatory pump out was not deemed necessary to determine proper operation of the septic system and provided no additional environmental protection towards our lakes. In contrast, the pump outs contributed towards unnecessary field spreading of septage that would have had no environmental impact if left in the tank to be treated as intended.
- Desire to reduce our greenhouse gas emissions by reducing the number of unnecessary trips with pumper trucks up and down cottage roads.
- Inspectors will do flow through tests and sludge/scum measures that better indicate the health of the overall system including the bed.
- Desire to ensure we get through the entire system in a reasonable amount of time as this will minimize damage to our overall lake health and allow an ongoing system of re-inspection in the future. The revised program will see a complete review of all of our lakes within a seven year window rather than 13.

When will tanks be pumped under the new program?

- Tanks will be pumped if sludge/scum composition and quantity indicate that it is necessary.
- Tanks will be pumped if there is no septic record on file
- Tanks will be pumped if there are visible defects or effluent levels are low within the tank indicating a potential leak

Numbers Speak

- Total inspected to date = 794
- Minor issues resolved on site = approx. 60
- Major issues that included undersized systems due to extra bedrooms, etc. and failures = approx.140
- Systems working or with minor issues that were pumped needlessly = approx. 650 (average tank size 3000L = 1.9 million litres of septage spread on open fields.



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING PROPOSED ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAW 2005-120 OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF DYSART ET AL

- **DATE:** Monday, April 6th, 2020
- **TIME:** 3:30 pm
- **LOCATION:** Council Chambers in the Municipal Office
135 Maple Ave., Haliburton, Ontario

Application:

Lands of Lee.

- **Purpose and Effect:** The proposed amendment will rezone the lands from *Waterfront Residential Type 6L (WR6L)*, *Environmental Protection (EP)*, and *Open Space (OS) Zones to Waterfront Residential Type 3L (WR3L)*, *Rural Type 1L (RU1L)*, *Environmental Protection (EP)* and *Open Space (OS) Zones*.
- **Location:** Part of Lot 5, Concession 11 & 12, Geographic Township of Guilford.
- The Zoning By-law amendment application is a condition of application for consent H-023/19.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: about this application, including a copy of the draft by-law, is available by contacting the Planning and Land Information Department during regular office hours (8:30 am to 4:30 pm), Monday to Friday.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS MATTER INCLUDING INFORMATION ABOUT APPEAL RIGHTS: Contact the Planning and Land Information Department during regular office hours, Monday to Friday.

Dated at the Township of Dysart, this 17th day of March, 2020.

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Haliburton boy needs votes in design contest

DARREN LUM

Staff Reporter

Nine-year-old Kip Kelly of Haliburton had just come home from ice fishing with

Crossword brought to you by

his father last Thursday when he learned from his mother that his original design was chosen as one of the top 10 finalists for the 2021 Jackrabbit Toque Design Contest, run by Nordiq Canada.

The young Nordic skier couldn't say

what inspired his design of a chicken on Nordic skis, double poling, but appreciated the good news and said, "It was awesome."

Kip entered the contest last year, but this is his first time making the top 10.

The contest had more than 100 entries and was open to children between the ages five and nine who are enrolled in the Nordiq Canada Jackrabbit or Bunnyrabbit programs.

Kip said his background in art includes lessons from Rose Pearson, Carole Finn, and time with his mother, Isabel.

His father Rob was happy for his son and provided this comment about the chicken image: "I think it's fun. Skiing is fun and so are chickens. Everyone should

ski. Even chickens."

To win, Kip needs your votes.

Only Nordiq Canada members are eligible to vote. One vote can be cast from an electronic device.

Voting is open until noon (MST) on March 18. Use the Survey Monkey link: www.surveymonkey.com/r/XQ2ZY2Q.

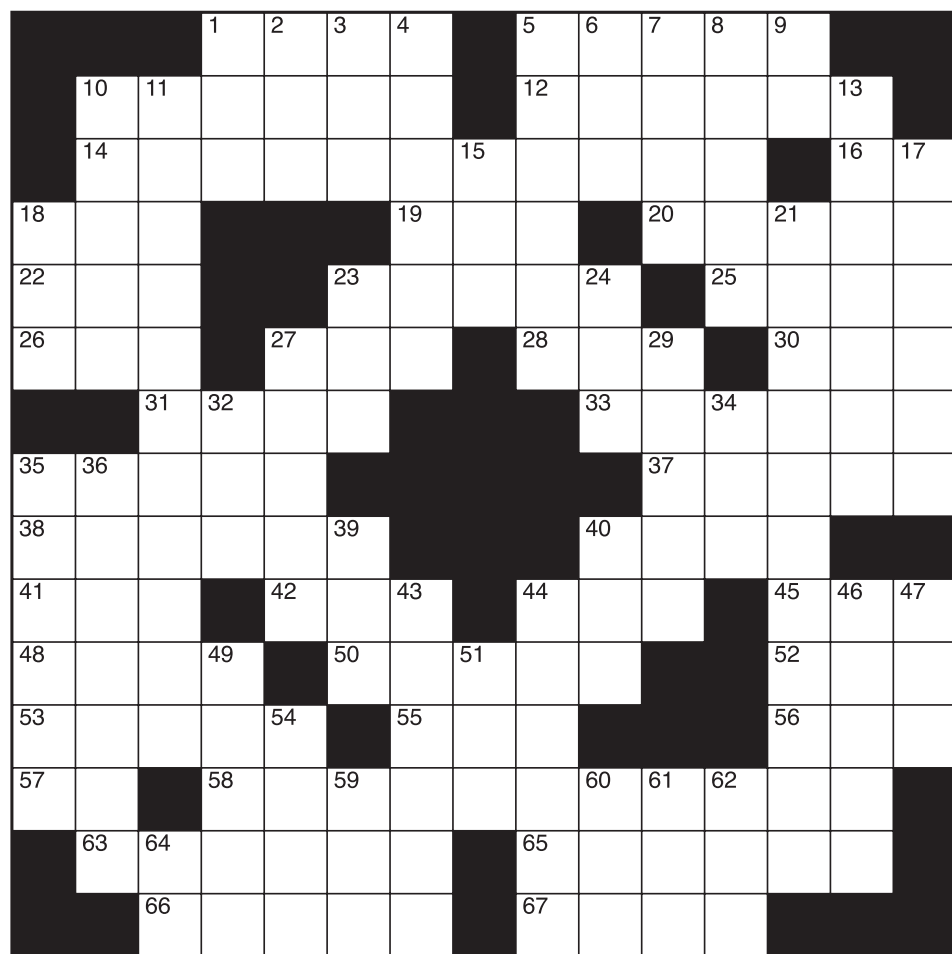
The winner of the contest will be posted on Nordiq Canada's Facebook page and website.

The possibility of winning and having his image on some 10,500 toques, which will go to Jackrabbit and Bunnyrabbit skiers, brought about more smiles from Kip who said "it would be awesome," adding: "I'd love it."

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CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Currency of Guinea
- 5. Avert something bad
- 10. Sounds
- 12. Immediate dangers
- 14. Legendary Tar Heels coach
- 16. Californium
- 18. Work standards government dept. (abbr.)
- 19. Coastal Scottish town
- 20. Triangular lower back bones
- 22. Trouble
- 23. A way to smile
- 25. Something that is not what it seems
- 26. Of she
- 27. Temporary living quarters
- 28. Bag-like structure in a plant or animal
- 30. Indicates near
- 31. Spiritual leader
- 33. Soup dish
- 35. Philippine island
- 37. No longer fashionable
- 38. Peaks
- 40. Alabama football team
- 41. ___ King Cole
- 42. Digital audiotape
- 44. Open trough
- 45. The woman

- 48. Cools down
- 50. Turkic language
- 52. Body part
- 53. Pulse steadily
- 55. Embedded computer hardware company
- 56. Indicates shape
- 57. Thou (plural)
- 58. Odd and remarkable
- 63. An evening party
- 65. National capital of Zambia
- 66. Tantalizes
- 67. Dark brown or black

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Not naturally outgoing
- 2. Exclamation of pain
- 3. Polynesian garland of flowers
- 4. Surrounded by water
- 5. Church towers
- 6. Hot beverage
- 7. Body parts
- 8. Travel documents
- 9. Railway
- 10. Gradually wear away
- 11. Measuring instrument
- 13. Minor dust-ups
- 15. Strongly alkaline solution
- 17. Extreme scarcity of food

- 18. Dash
- 21. Philly culinary specialty
- 23. Popular lager __ Adams
- 24. Snitch
- 27. Trimmed
- 29. Greek god of desire
- 32. Take to the limit
- 34. Cool!
- 35. Sound mental health group
- 36. Native American
- 39. Test for high schoolers
- 40. Rocky peak
- 43. Preferences
- 44. Bother
- 46. Call attention to (slang)
- 47. Snake-like fish
- 49. Bulgarian capital
- 51. Don't know when yet
- 54. Italian Seaport
- 59. Brooklyn hoopster
- 60. Where to bathe
- 61. Equal, prefix
- 62. Beverage container
- 64. Denotes openness

Answers on page 20



Nine-year-old Kip Kelly needs votes to win the 2021 Jackrabbit Toque Design Contest. If Kip wins, his image will be on some 10,500 toques given to Jackrabbit and Bunnyrabbit Nordic skiers. Only Nordiq Canada members are eligible to vote. /DARREN LUM Staff

Hunter Hamilton's dream to skate with NHLers on hold

DARREN LUM

Staff Reporter

Hunter Hamilton has been receiving supportive messages from friends and family following the postponement of his opportunity to skate with NHLers. Public health measures to prevent the spread of the coronavirus led to a decision to suspend the NHL season.

All professional and amateur sports organizations in North America, which include the NHL, NBA, MLB, MLS and CFL, and high school, university and college competitions have suspended operations.

Hamilton and his family were expecting to attend the Toronto Maple Leafs and Nashville Predators hockey game in Toronto last Thursday, as part of winning the Scotiabank Skater contest.

The eight-year-old's mother Cheryl Hamilton wrote in a Facebook message she learned about the bad news from James Salvian of Partnership Marketing Intern, Global Partnerships.

"He said that it's being postponed two weeks and then will re-evaluate. He wasn't really sure of all the details honestly. I also asked the chances of Hunter getting to do it again and he said he would keep me informed as he wasn't sure of this yet either," she wrote.



For the lassies

Curlers Candy Robinson, left, and Aggie Tose sweep during the Highland Lassie bonspiel held on Saturday, March 7 at the Haliburton Curling Club. The winners of the ladies invitational event was the Lewis rink, made up of skip Kim Lewis, vice, Cindy Campbell, second, Robinson and lead, Tose. The team was surprised at the win since Robinson hadn't curled for three years and Tose for four years. The event featured 16 teams, who were led in a grand march by piper Fraser MacDonald. / DARREN LUM Staff



Curler Norma Kennedy raises her arm in celebration after a teammate made a throw.



Haliburton Highlanders Pipes and Drums bagpiper Fraser MacDonald scans the crowd of curlers after finishing his performance leading the group of competitors in a mass march during the Highland Lassie bonspiel.

INSPECTION

Inspection of Approved 2020-2021 Annual Work Schedule Bancroft-Minden Forest

The **Bancroft District Office** of the Ontario **Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNR)** has reviewed and approved the April 1, 2020 – March 31, 2021 Annual Work Schedule (AWS) for the **Bancroft-Minden Forest**.

Availability

The AWS will be available for public inspection for a fifteen day period at the Bancroft Minden Forest Company Inc. (BMFCI) Office and the Ontario government website at ontario.ca/forestplans, beginning **March 17, 2020** and available for viewing throughout the one-year duration of the AWS.

Scheduled Forest Management Operations

The AWS describes forest management activities such as road construction, maintenance and decommissioning, forestry aggregate pits, harvest, site preparation, tree planting and tending that are scheduled to occur during the year.

Tree Planting and Fuelwood

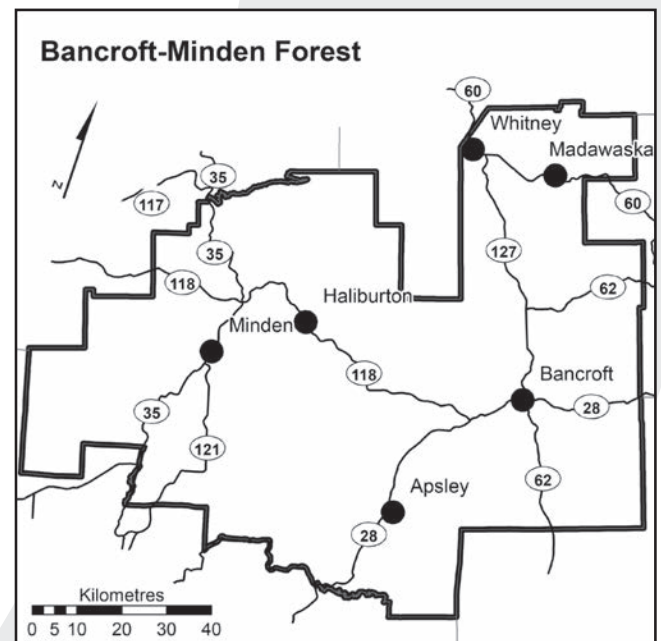
BMFCI is responsible for tree planting on the Bancroft-Minden Forest. Please contact Svetlana Zeran, General Manager, at 613-332-6890 for information regarding tree planting job opportunities.

For information on the locations and licence requirements for obtaining fuelwood for personal use, please contact the MNR Bancroft District Office, Glenn McLean at 613-332-3940, ext. 211. For commercial fuelwood opportunities, please contact BMFCI at 613-332-6890.

More Information

For more information on the AWS or to arrange an appointment with MNR staff to discuss the AWS or to request an AWS operations summary map, please contact:

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