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Murder of well known resident shocks community

18-year-old son charged

By Terry Fleurie
With notes from Gerald Tracey

Eganville -- The wider Eganville community continues to mourn the shocking and tragic loss of a young woman who impacted many lives through her work at the local daycare facility, as well as her other community involvement.

Police officers responded to a 911 call at a residence on Maple Street around 9 p.m. Wednesday, January 25 where they found the resident of the home deceased. She was identified as Lisa Sharpe (Gagnon), a well-known and long-time staff member of the Ketcha Star Daycare Centre and a part-time receptionist in the office of chiropractor, Dr. Kathleen Doran.

One person was taken into custody just before noon on Friday when police officers apprehended a suspect on Highway 60, about three kms west of Eganville near the Hwy. 41 intersection.

Trey Gagnon, Ms. Sharpe's 18-year-old son from Laurentian Valley Township, was arrested and charged with second-degree murder.

The investigation by the Renfrew County Crime Unit of the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP), under the direction of the OPP Criminal Investigation Branch, is ongoing. It is being assisted by the OPP Forensic Identification Unit and is being conducted in conjunction with the Office of the Chief Coroner for Ontario and the Ontario Forensic Pathology Services.

The OPP issued a statement notifying members of the Eganville

community they could expect to see a continued police presence in the area as the investigation continues into this week.

Statement From Daycare
Ms. Sharpe's death was a shock to the wider Eganville community where she was very well known through her involvement at the daycare facility, with the local minor hockey association and other activities.

The staff and board of directors of Ketcha Star Daycare issued a statement in the aftermath of the tragedy.

"We have lost not only a co-worker, but also a friend and beautiful soul. Lisa had a heart of gold and would light up the room with her contagious smile. She was not only a friend, but also a mother, a daughter, an aunt and a sister.

"Lisa was an early childhood educator for 25 years and touched the lives of so many children, families, staff and the entire community as a whole. She also worked as a receptionist and interacted with so many others.

"Lisa certainly carried the weight of the world on her shoulders and despite these struggles she was able to be strong in front of the people and young children who were with her daily. Lisa was such an advocate for mental health and well-being. She worked tirelessly and exhausted every avenue to get her family the help they needed.

"At this time we are asking for your patience as we work through our grief and remember Lisa. We



Lisa Sharpe

appreciate the overwhelming support from our community.

"In honour of Lisa, we will continue to strive to carry on Lisa's mission of advocating for mental health supports and to hopefully make change so that the system doesn't fail another family."

Wednesday Girl Is Gone
"Our Wednesday Girl is gone. And we are devastated," Dr. Doran said.

"Lisa worked at Dr. Doran's chiropractic clinic in Eganville since 2019. A bright spot in the middle of the week, Lisa was jokingly and lovingly referred to as our 'Wednesday Girl'.

"And while we worked closely with her over these past four years, we were privileged to become true friends.

"In the workplace, Lisa consistently demonstrated care and compassion for our patients. Lisa had a strong work ethic. She set high standards for herself both at work and beyond. Lisa was a joy to work with. She was a conscientious, hard worker who would always strive for excellence. "Lisa will be sadly missed by all who came in contact with her.

"As we come to terms with the realization of recent events, we struggle to express our emotions -- our overwhelming sense of loss, our grief and our anger at the loss of our lovely co-worker and friend. And while that is a challenge, we reflect on Lisa -- everyone who met her loved her. Loved the beautiful soul she was. Loved the kind, gentle, calm and sweet person she was.

"Beyond this, Lisa was always a strong advocate for mental health -- always showing courage and perseverance in her struggles to get her family the help they needed. Lisa faced life's challenges with grace. She demonstrated a Mother's Love, striving for the services that were so desperately needed and not forthcoming.

"My final memory of Lisa is us giggling together after work last Wednesday. We'd both forgotten our mittens -- not a good thing to do in a snow storm -- brushing all the snow off our cars. I waved goodbye to her, never imagining it would be my last time together with my dear friend and co-worker.

"In Lisa's memory -- follow Lisa's example. Show love, understanding, compassion and kindness. Be a strong advocate for the mental health support services so desperately

needed by so many. Be courageous. Don't give up. Persevere. BE LISA."

Friendship Started At Daycare
Kim Schruder of Eganville was a longtime co-worker who knew Ms. Sharpe for about 20 years.

Their relationship started through their careers at Ketcha Star and evolved into a friendship that continued until her death. Mrs. Schruder was hired in the mid-1990s and Ms. Sharpe joined the staff shortly afterwards.

"I worked 20 years at the daycare and 12 as supervisor," she explained. "Lisa was already on staff and it was Lisa who succeeded me as supervisor.

"She was head teacher, so she was in line to take my position when I left," she added.

Mrs. Schruder left Ketcha Star in July 2013 and Ms. Sharpe assumed the role in August 2013, holding the position until November 2014 when she chose to step down and return to working with the children.

"It's sad; it's heartbreaking," Mrs. Schruder said of the tragedy. "I still can't believe she's gone."

Mrs. Schruder said she and the other members of the staff, the children and families were blessed to have Ms. Sharpe on staff.

"She was calm, she was kind, she was caring, patient," she said. "She was a true, gentle soul.

"She was a true gem and had a heart of gold," she continued. "She always wanted the best for every little person she was with. She had a smile that would light up the room."

She noted Ms. Sharpe was well-loved and liked by the staff, the

community and any families that were clients in the facility.

"It didn't matter what was going on in her life," she said. "It was always about the person she was talking to. She was a big part of Ketcha Star and was loved by the staff and parents."

Ms. Sharpe worked primarily with preschoolers, alongside Debbie Resmer.

The work relationship developed into a great friendship which Mrs. Schruder was happy to say continued after she left Ketcha Star.

"Two weeks ago, I just went to a 50th birthday party with her and I'm so glad I had that time," she remarked.

Her two sons, Dawson and Denver, attended the daycare and they lovingly referred to Ms. Sharpe as 'Lisa G'.

"She helped raise them and was always a special part of their lives. Denver was actually the ring-bearer in her wedding."

Mrs. Schruder said her friend loved the outdoors, walks, birds and flowers.

"Especially daisies, they were her favourites, and her favourite birds were cardinals," she recalled.

Mrs. Schruder said she was notified of the tragedy through a friend, who asked her to call her ASAP Thursday morning.

"I did reach out to some of Lisa's really good friends that morning before work because I felt they needed to know," she said.

"I was devastated. I thought she can't be gone," she added. "It was like 'no', this couldn't have happened."

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There was a heavy police presence outside the Maple Street residence Thursday following the discovery of the body of well-known Eganville resident, Lisa Sharpe, on Wednesday evening. Police responded to a 911 call at the residence around 9 p.m. and found Ms. Sharpe deceased. She touched many lives through her full-time position at Ketcha-Star Daycare and part-time at Dr. Kathleen Doran's office.

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Longtime friends and co-workers Kim Schruder, standing, and Lisa Sharpe, are seen in this photo taken in July 2013, when Ms. Sharpe was appointed to the supervisor's position at Ketcha-Star Daycare after Mrs. Schruder's retirement from the role. Mrs. Schruder said her late friend had a heart of gold, a smile that would light up any room, who always wanted the best for every little person she encountered at work.

Murder shocks community

From Front Considered Her A Close Friend

Kelly Reinert not only worked with and for Ms. Sharpe but was also a close friend for the last two decades. They first met when she enrolled her son, Morgan, in daycare when he was three.

"She was just an amazing person, and I continued my relationship with her outside of work as well," she added. "We met several times and as I graduated my ECE program, I became an employee of Ketcha Star and worked under Lisa, who was the director at that time"

Ms. Reinert described Ms. Sharpe as an amazing, patient and caring person to work for.

"Just to be a part of her life was a treat," she said. "When Morgan walked in Kim (Schruder) and Lisa were the first to greet him every

day and he always had a little bit of separation anxiety, so a big hug from Lisa made a big difference. She was Miss Lisa always."

When Ms. Reinert had to leave Ketcha Star after her cancer diagnosis, Ms. Sharpe would regularly send messages to see how she was doing.

"She was a massive support during that time just checking in with me once in a while," she said. "She was just someone you could spend time with."

Hearts on Helmets

The U13 Eganville Eagles hosted a tournament at the Eganville Community Centre on Sunday and Ms. Sharpe was remembered by the Eganville and District Minor Hockey Association (EDMHA). Members of the Eagles had a heart-shaped sticker on their helmets with the initials "LS

"and the number "55" which is her second son, Leo Gagnon's jersey number with the U18 Eagles.

A statement by the EDMHA read: "With the recent tragedy here in our hometown, we felt it was important to show Eganville's own Lisa Sharpe some recognition.

"Lisa was a staple in our community and at one point a part of many of the EDMHA players' lives -- whether she cared for them at our local childcare facility or seeing her bright smile around the arena.

"Let's take it up on ourselves to support mental health the way Lisa would have wanted."

Ms. Sharpe is survived by her parents, Terry and Donna Sharpe of Pembroke; husband Dan Gagnon and sons, Trey and Leo, sister Christy Sharpe Dufour and brother, Brent.



The U13 Eganville Eagles wore this sticker on their helmets during Sunday's tournament in Eganville remembering Lisa Sharpe who died tragically last Wednesday evening at her home in Eganville. The number "55" is the number of her son Leo's jersey with the U18 Eagles' house team #2.

RLPOA updates KHR council on projects and concerns

By Terry Fleurie
Staff Writer

Killaloe – The president of the Round Lake Property Owner's Association (RLPOA) recently met with Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards (KHR) Township council to provide some insight into the association and bring forward concerns going forward.

Rob Norris explained at the January 17 council meeting he was bringing a number of items to council to share information, adding council has indicated it wants to work with various stakeholders. He said he had no direct dialogue with the new council as a whole but had spoken to some of the councillors.

"I thought it was important that we begin dialogue and just begin working on a relationship," he stated.

The RLPOA's region extends from Round Lake, down Tramore Road, to the Tramore dam where the Golden Lake Property Owner's Association's (GLPOA) jurisdiction begins.

"We work co-operatively with them," he noted.

He said the RLPOA is a volunteer group that works for the betterment of the community. He introduced several members of the executive who had accompanied him.

"We have probably over 30 volunteers that work in the community, so we're a big group and we are committed to work with everyone," he said.

He referred to an earlier presentation that night by Sean Cameron of Renfrew Power Generation (RPG) regarding the Bonnechere River Water Management Plan (BRWMP), noting both the RLPOA and GLPOA have been supportive of that amendment.

He said Mayor Dave Mayville had expressed his support of that action, adding he hoped council would be supportive of what he was bringing forward that evening. He noted a lot of his presentation related to work done with the previous council and mayor (Janice Tiedje).

"In 2021, Steve and I met with Stanley Pecoskie (former councillor) down at the ramp at Round Lake Centre to look at what has been done there," he explained, in regards to possibly having additional dock and improvements to the ramp there.

He said that was one example of a project the RLPOA has worked on in partnership with council, noting some of the initiatives take years to get to completion.

"That's why I'm bringing it back to council, because some of this hasn't been done yet and you're going to be headed into a financial committee meeting and the mayor talked about starting to look at budgets. So, we want to bring these kinds of things that have been in the works so that they don't get sort of, left behind and not seen as something that has been in the works quite a while.

"We're hopeful you will continue to support that," he re-iterated.

He said the RLPOA works a lot on networking, explaining the association has had talks with Jason Mask, the superintendent at Bonnechere Provincial Park, with respect to what is happening sometimes due to different water levels.

"People are having a hard time tracking to go into the Bonnechere River at the Bonnechere Provincial Park, so Jason is wanting to work with us on putting markers along the river to identify how deep it gets."

He stressed the projects they un-

dertake benefit far more people than just their members on the lake.

Fish Stocking

Mr. Norris said he was pleased to see council recently sent a letter to the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry regarding the stocking of Round Lake. He shared how back in 2012 he had appeared before council when the MNRF was talking about possibly stocking the lake. The RLPOA was interested in helping and they sought council support as well.

"They (MNRF) were going to go three years and put 15,000 trout in and we went four or five years and we put 40,000 in by working together," he noted proudly.

Mayor Mayville noted how council has now been asked to provide a letter of support for the stocking of Golden Lake, adding the group was disappointed to hear KHR had already put a request in for Round Lake, when it perhaps could have been done jointly.

"That's the kind of thing we need to collectively work on," Mr. Norris remarked.

He specifically addressed members of the economic development committee, advising them the RLPOA had published a directory of businesses throughout the township.

He noted the sport of Pickle Ball was formally launched in the municipality last year, with council working with RLPOA member Cathy Fisher.

"It's another indication of it migrating from an idea in Round Lake and it ended up with courts in Killaloe."

He thanked Mr. Neff for his assistance in getting the program launched, adding a grant application was submitted to pave the surface at the outdoor rink in Round Lake, which would allow for basketball and pickle ball courts.

"We're hopeful we will continue to have him work on those kinds of initiatives. It doesn't always have to be municipal tax dollars directly to make that work," he pointed out. "I think our group is also willing to work with council on improving that kind of structure."

He said other members of the RLPOA have worked with Ms. Fisher on the program, adding it is likely one of the fastest growing sports around.

Road Safety

Mr. Norris suggested safety could be enhanced by council instituting a by-law creating Community Safety Zones where people caught speeding are subject to double the regular fine. He said it's an issue across the township, recalling how previous councils had addressed suggestions for a crosswalk in the Village of Killaloe.

"I guess the other important part that goes way back is the widening of the shoulder on 58 (County Road 58) from Bonnechere up".

He recalled how then and current Councillor Brian Pecoskie met with then County of Renfrew engineer Steve Boland in 2014 about the economic impact of active transportation and the need to widen the shoulders for pedestrians and cyclists to be active safely.

"One of the things Steve said at that point was maybe we should be working on our part and the county would deal with theirs," he recalled. "And at that point, Red Rock/Foy was still gravel."

"So that has been completed now and in 2016, we came back to council to ask them to look at writing a

letter to the county to ask what their plan was for that resurfacing," he added. "And at that time, we also had some conversations with Yak (MPP John Yakabuski) and the transportation committee at the county, which he said governs the widening of roads.

"It's a pretty important part for the community and our community around the lake."

He noted the RLPOA has helped contribute to the parking situation on the Foy Corridor near the intersection with County Road 58.

Works Superintendent Dean Holly and staff have helped widen the area and it's working, he said. People park there and take their snowmobile to go on a trail. We see people who have driven from Pembroke or Petawawa stop there and take their bikes off and go for a ride.

"So, that whole active transportation part is important," he added.

Mr. Norris said he has talked to Mr. Neff about signage and stops around the township that will promote active transportation.

"You could have them in Round Lake and Killaloe and people could park their cars there and go on rides," he said.

Wants Crosswalks

Coun. Pecoskie asked Mayor Mayville if the re-surfacing on the road had been discussed at county council, and he said it had not.

Mayor Mayville added he has questioned at the county how much money is being spent on active transportation, noting, "we have two freeways here" that start at Killaloe and run to Red Rock Road.

"They're speedways and I've got numerous examples of people almost being blown off the road while walking on the shoulders. That's the spin I'm going at right now.

"I've asked for pedestrian crosswalks, just like in Barry's Bay they have," he added. "Those are called anomalies, that's what I was told. I said I would like to be an anomaly and I'd like two or three in our town."

He described the road from Brudenell into Killaloe as a "runway", adding he'd like a crosswalk at the first curve entering Killaloe from Brudenell, at Station Park and at Killaloe Public School.

Coun. Pecoskie said he believed when he and Mr. Norris met with Mr. Boland, he gave a date of 2025 for the road widening. He suggested the mayor needed to take that up at county council to ensure it is followed through on.

"We've got to make sure they have that in the plan before they start paving and then it's too late," he urged.

Responsible For Defibrillators

Mr. Norris reminded council it was RLPOA member Dr. Rob Duggan who came to council in 2016 to launch the public access AED defibrillator program with a \$7,000 pledge. He said today the township has contributed \$4,000 and the County's Paramedic Chief, Mike Nolan, and paramedic commander have been very supportive also. He said there are 12 boxes in existence with a 13th to come soon. He also acknowledged the support of KHR Fire Chief Bob Gareau in the deployment of the units.

"Having 13 in our community is just amazing," Councillor Ted Browne commented.

Mr. Norris encouraged council to continue to bring the RLPOA's concerns forth to county council.

He concluded by township staff and thanked them for the co-operation they provide.



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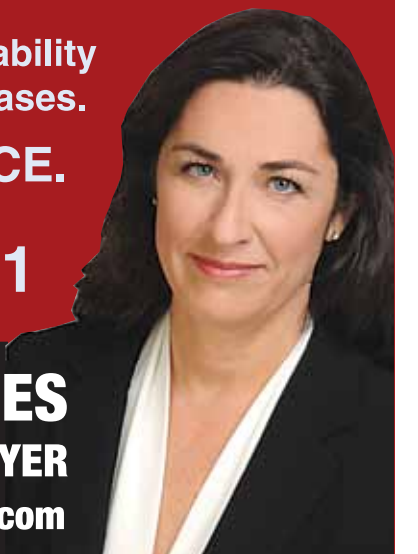
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News of daughter's death was shocking, but not surprising

By Gerald Tracey
News Editor

Pembroke – As a former officer for almost 35 years, retiring as a detective sergeant, Terry Sharpe thought he had seen it all, but nothing could prepare him for the shock he and his wife, Donna, got early Thursday morning, January 26 when two uniformed Ontario Provincial Police officers stood outside his Isabella Street residence to inform them of their daughter's murder the previous night.

It was about 2:15 a.m. when he answered the door, and he knew they weren't there to tell him he had won the lottery.

"When you see tears in their eyes, you know something terrible is wrong," he recalled.

After they broke the news, his answer to them was: "Guys, I am shocked, but I am not surprised."

Lisa Sharpe was murdered Wednesday night, January 25th in her Maple Street home in Eganville. Police responded to the residence after receiving a 911 call at about 9 p.m. They immediately began searching for the suspect, Ms. Sharpe's 18-year-old son, Trey, but it wasn't until the following day OPP officers arrested him shortly before noon driving on Highway 60, about three kms west of Eganville.

"I knew something was going to happen with Trey. I knew it," Mr. Sharpe told the *Leader*, adding his grandson had been troubled since birth.

Diagnosed with Asperger syndrome, a neurodevelopmental condition now considered part of the autism spectrum disorder, Trey had a history of interactions with the police and doing poorly in school. He had been to many psychiatrists and therapists without any success and often different psychiatrists would diagnose him with something different.

"They tried to get him help for years and years," he said. "He was on medication, but he never received what I consider good help. We know what the system's like. It's overwhelmed, but the last couple of years, he's gotten worse."

Lisa was separated from her husband, Dan Gagnon, but it was an amicable split and they were active parents to their two boys, Trey and his younger brother, Leo.

Trey was arrested by police shortly before Christmas and ended up in the Ottawa Hospital's General Campus on a Form 1 authorizing him to be committed for treatment because he posed a risk to himself or others.

Mr. Sharpe said Lisa was relieved and felt her son would finally get the help he needed and the medication to help him change.

But a day or two later, Trey was released from hospital and sent back to Pembroke in a taxi cab.

"Lisa stayed one night with us after he was arrested prior to Christmas and I said, 'Lisa, maybe you should stay longer.' She told me, 'No dad, I've got to go home. I'm not taking him back'. And, lo and behold, around Christmas time, she felt sorry for him I guess and took him back in."

Mr. Sharpe said the family always knew there was something wrong with Trey. Yet, at the same time, he said he had a brilliant mind.

"About two years ago I went to take a load of stuff to the dump for Lisa and there was an old rocking chair," he recalled. "I threw the chair in the back of my truck and I said to Trey jokingly, 'I bet George Washington sat in that rocking chair'. He knew who he was. He knew the dates he was president (of the US) and then he starts rhyming off other presidents and the dates they were in office. It absolutely blew my mind. And he was a medical dictionary."

Carol and the late Wayne Camp-

bell ran Camp Hila near Westmeath for many years. It was a camp that attracted children with strong interests in the sciences.

When Trey was about seven Mr. Sharpe talked to Mr. Campbell about how troubled his grandson was.

"He told me if he had him and he was teaching him one on one he could focus his attention and put him on a direct path," he recalled. "He said Trey could be a physicist or a scientist, but he needs the right focus."

Mr. Sharpe said Trey hated authority.

"He told me one time talking about work, 'Grampa, I could never work for anybody because if I did something wrong I could not take the criticism from them if they were mad at me. If I ever do work, I would have to be my own boss of my own little business. It's the only way I could function'."

He said Trey's condition worsened over the last year and there were several incidents that occurred that Lisa would not tell them about.

"I would find out about them and Lisa would ask me how I found out," he said. "I guess she didn't want to bother us. That's the only thing I could see."

"She just didn't want to bother us and put us through the heartache she was going through. How that girl lived like that all those years, my God, and go home to that night after night."

Mental health problems are overwhelming and are affecting more individuals and families, he said. Although he doesn't have the answer, he feels it is important to invest more money into mental health services and also try to encourage more people to become psychiatrists.

"I just don't know," he said. "We hear about this week after week. Is it ever going to change? I haven't got an answer for that."

When asked if he had any advice to share with others living a similar nightmare, Mr. Sharpe said he's not sure what he could tell anyone who asks him.

"Seek a psychiatrist, seek mental health services, but it isn't working," he said.

"I don't know what message I could send to the public. What do I tell them? Where do I tell them to go? I guess the one thing is if you fear violence, I mean, man you've got to let people know. You've got to let the police know so that if there is a 911 call, they get there."

"And don't keep it to yourself. Share it with your family. Don't carry the whole burden. Lisa carried

the burden."

The Sharpes have been overwhelmed with support from hundreds of people, including many retired Toronto police officers he worked with when he joined the force at age 19 and spent five years before transferring to the OPP.

"The support from everybody has been fantastic," he said last Thursday. "But all of this is going to hit home big time next week."

The Sharpes had bumper stickers made up in memory of their daughter and they were available at Ketcha Star Daycare where she worked for the past 25 years.

This tragedy will change the lives of many people forever and the

Sharpes are mourning the loss of a dearly loved daughter who was killed by their grandson. It is a lot of tragedy for one family to deal with.

"I keep waking up and saying, 'was this a nightmare I had last night?' Unfortunately, it's not," he said.

As a police officer, he has seen numerous tragedies, but the death of his daughter was not something he was expecting when the police came to his door in the middle of the night.

"I never ever thought I'd be living it myself. I've done a lot of (death) notifications in my career, but I never thought they would be coming here."



A memorial was established at the driveway entrance to the residence of the late Lisa Sharpe following her tragic death on Wednesday night, January 25. Ms. Sharpe was a long-time Early Childhood Educator at Ketcha Star Daycare in Eganville.

Friend of murder victim was inspired to follow same career

By Terry Fleurie
Staff Writer

Pikwakanagan -- A longtime friend of an Eganville woman who was murdered on January 25 said it was her late friend who inspired her to pursue a career in Early Childhood Education (ECE).

Emily Peters-Woolley first met Lisa Sharpe while a student at Opeongo High School.

"I've known Lisa for almost 15 years," she told the *Leader* on Monday. "Our relationship started when I did my first high school co-op at Ketcha-Star Daycare."

"As a caregiver, she was super kind, caring and patient," she added. "She loved everyone and made all the children feel safe and welcome."

Ms. Peters-Woolley was so impressed by the way Ms. Sharpe conducted herself in the role, she pursued a career in ECE as well, and enrolled at Algonquin College in Ottawa.

"Absolutely," she replied when asked if it was Ms. Sharpe who inspired her to pursue the career. "She talked to me about the pros and cons and what I could do after I got my ECE."

"And if I had any questions, I'd go to her and she'd help me."

When she graduated from college, Ms. Sharpe, who was then supervisor at Ketcha-Star, hired her in a support role and the two worked together for about two years.

"She was a totally great leader for the staff," she recalled. "She was supportive if there was an issue. She was an amazing person in all aspects."

Their work relationship quickly blossomed into a deep friendship where the two spent lots of time together outside of work.

"She was a part of both of our weddings too. We had two because of COVID. She was one of my best friends and this is so unfortunate."

Most recently, she was the daycare teacher for Ms. Peters-Woolley's daughter, Gabriella.

"Gabriella just loved her so much. And Lisa came over and spent time with the girls ... they're really going to miss her."

Ms. Peters-Woolley said Ms. Sharpe often shared the troubles she was having with her son, Trey, who was arrested and charged with his mother's murder.

"She discussed the issues she was having with him quite often," she said. "I actually worked with him specifically one summer during camp at the arena in Eganville."

"He definitely had behavioural issues and I was the resource for that summer," she continued. "She fought so hard to get Trey help. He got admitted to Ottawa and was supposed to stay there for a couple of days, but he was released the next



Emily Peters-Woolley and the late Lisa Sharpe were very close friends. Ms. Sharpe, left, is seen here at Ms. Peters-Woolley's wedding, along with Gabriella Peters, who she taught at Ketcha Star.

day. It doesn't make sense."

She said Ms. Sharpe had shared how she feared for her life recently.

"I got a call Thursday morning. I just think it's crazy because I saw her that Wednesday afternoon. I stayed after my appointment (at Dr. Kathleen Doran's office where Ms. Sharpe was a receptionist) and we had a good chat and she was coming over on the weekend."

"When I was leaving she said 'Love you, see you on the weekend'," she added. "When I got the call, it was total disbelief, and it still is."

Ms. Peters-Woolley said she wants to continue to lobby on Ms. Sharpe's behalf for the tremendous need to improve mental health support and so she is making "mental health awareness earrings" with half the proceeds going to the Renfrew County Youth Wellness Hub.

"This should have never happened. Mental health was obviously

not taken seriously. If she had more help and the proper resources, this never would not have happened."



Emily Peters-Woolley has designed these earrings in honour of Lisa Sharpe as a fundraiser for the Renfrew County Youth Wellness Hub.

Babies of 2022

Be sure to include your child or grandchild in this special keepsake!

DEADLINE EXTENDED TO FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

The Eganville Leader is once again planning a special full colour birth announcement feature of babies born in 2022 for the issue of **February 15, 2023.**

INFORMATION FOR ADVERTISEMENT:

1. Colour photo should be of child only.
2. Child's name
3. Birthdate
4. Parent's names
5. Town/City where child resides

\$60
\$53.10 + HST

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