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EASTER EGG HUNT

March 31st

Hunt begins at 12:30 SHARP
Soccer Field – Elgin Street

To make a donation of money or chocolate please call Andrea at 705-957-3214

FREE EVENT

McGillicafey's PUB & EATERY

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TRENT HILLS' NEWEST
ENTERTAINMENT VENUE



Looking for volunteers to plan and work at the August 2018 Hastings Waterfront Festival.

Email info@hastingsvillage.ca to register and learn more about being a part of the action!

• *It feels good to do good things* •

HASTINGS, ON – A TRENT HILLS COMMUNITY

The Hub

News to float your boat!

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Save the Date

EVERY MONDAY • 9:30 to 10:30 am: Exercise Class (low-med. intensity) \$4/person • Field House
Everyone welcome!

EVERY WEDNESDAY • 12 noon: Meals on Wheels
call Community Care at (705) 696-3891

EVERY FRIDAY • 5:30 pm: Meat Draw
Hastings Legion • call (705) 696-2363 for info.

March 2nd • 9 am: Let's Get Physical (an EarlyOn program) • Field House

March 3rd • 9 am: Business Show & Tell & Sell
Civic Centre • (see ad)

March 7th • 7 pm: Historical Society Meeting
Civic Centre • Everyone welcome!

March 16th • 9 to 11 am: St. Patrick's Day Celebration (an EarlyON event) • Live music • Wear green!

March 17th • 10 am: Helen Crate Memorial Darts \$40/team (doubles extra) • Registration at 10, play at 11 am
Hastings Legion • call (705) 696-2363 for more info

March 22nd • 10 am: Early Learning with Andrea (an EarlyOn program) • Civic Centre

March 30th • 9 pm: Karaoke \$3/person • Hastings Legion

March 31st • 12:30 pm: Easter Egg Hunt
Field House • free event

Words of Wisdom

A good friend is like a four leaf clover – hard to find and lucky to have.

– Irish Proverb

Quiz Me!

1. What is the name of the schooner on our dime?
2. Who was the first Canadian to walk in space?
3. What year did we stop making \$2 bills?
4. How many time zones are there in Canada?
5. What cartoon bear was based on a Canadian black bear?

Just Kiddin'

- Q. What do you call a bunny transformer?
A. Hop-timus Prime
- Q. Why did the easter egg hide?
A. He was a little chicken
- Q. What kind of music does the Easter bunny like?
A. Hip-Hop

FINISH PISCES PETE



Spot "Piscus Pete" hidden in this edition and email your answer to be entered to win a \$25 gift certificate! Contest closes on the 13th of each month.

info@hastingsvillage.ca

The winner of last month's Piscus Pete draw was

Troy Weston

who received a gift certificate to **McGillicafey's Pub & Eatery**

Congratulations!

Hastings Revitalization ASSOCIATION

MEETING • MARCH 8TH
7:00 PM AT THE CIVIC CENTRE

Join the HRA to volunteer and make a difference in our community!

Help Wanted

Volunteer Position

The Hastings Revitalization Association is looking for someone to sell ad space in The Hub.

Must be outgoing and assertive, have an interest in sales, and provide own transportation.

Hours vary, depending on your schedule.

Email info@hastingsvillage.ca for more information

1ST ANNUAL Hastings Business Show & Tell & Sell

MARCH 3RD • 9 AM TO 8 PM
HASTINGS CIVIC CENTRE

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History 101

SUBMITTED BY JIM COVENEY

Let's all go to the Hastings Fair!

Whoops! We are about 118 years too late. I had heard that it existed and found records of it in documents provided by the late Ray Oliver. The fair operated from about 1885 to 1900. Bad weather including heavy rain frequently challenged it. Another age-old Hastings challenge was the fact that Hastings' surrounding area is in another county, or in a township that the taxes and school support went to other adjoining towns.

The fairgrounds property is now owned by Mike Davis, located on Victoria Street just on the north end of town. Mount Carmel Cemetery is directly east of it. The owner had considered making a golf course out of the property, and when the grass is trimmed you can see the land formation of the old horse race track. In the years following the fair closing, Drover Dick Walsh used the race track to train his Standardbred race horses.

St. Patrick's Word Search

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

SAINT
GREEN
PATRICK

GOLD
LUCKY
MARCH
MAGIC

RAINBOW
IRISH
CLOVER

Canadian, Eh?!

Alexander Graham Bell's wife and mother were both deaf, and they influenced Bell's work to a great extent. Also, his father, brother, and grandfather were interested in elocution and speech.

Scottish-born Bell came to Canada when he was only twenty-three. His interest in the study of the human voice led him to learn the Mohawk language, and to translate its unwritten vocabulary into Visible Speech symbols. Years later, Bell conducted research on speech and hearing, which eventually led to experimentation with hearing devices and with electricity and sound. The most famous of those experiments led to the first patent on the telephone, filed in 1876*.

Source: Now You Know Canada, Doug Lennox. Pg. 58

*The telephone was first patented on March 7th, 1876 and the first phone call took place on March 10th, 1876.

Animal Crackers

Cats and horses are very sensitive to black widow venom but sheep and rabbits seem to be immune.

A giraffe has the same number of bones in their neck as we have in our neck, and they can use their tongue to clean their ears!

It's hard to sneak up on a frog – they can see in all directions at once!

Quiz Me!

ANSWERS

1. Bluenose. 2. Chris Hadfield. 3. 1996.
4. Six. 5. Winnie the Pooh.

Interested in advertising, have an announcement, want an event mentioned? Drop us a line at info@hastingsvillage.ca or mail information to: P.O. Box 213, Hastings, ON K0L1Y0

All necessary information and payment is due no later than the 10th of each month. Special rates apply for non-profit and announcements (birthdays, graduations, weddings etc.).



BOX PROGRAM

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