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HASTINGS, ON – A TRENT HILLS COMMUNITY

# The Hub

*News to float your boat!*

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## What's New

The Cigarette Butt Recycling Unit Campaign has come to a close and the Hastings Revitalization Association was fortunate to be able to order 15 units. Those units should be in our hands any day and will be distributed to participating business for installation. YAY for a cleaner downtown Hastings! Thank you to those who partnered with the HRA and helped to fund the program. Your commitment to the community of Hastings is admirable and together we WILL make a difference!

## Where to Go

SUBMITTED BY DIANNE SMITH

We have all heard of the famous quote "...if you build they will come..." and so they have come from all over Trent Hills to play at the new Hastings Mini Putt. Some players come from Campbellford and some from Madoc. We entertained a young family from Lindsay who brought their three year old out to play as we have small plastic clubs for younger kids. A mini putt is the perfect way to introduce kids to the game of golf without the pressure of being on a big course. Our congratulations go to seven year-old Gracie who finished the 18<sup>th</sup> hole with a hole in one (a 14-foot putt up hill). But my favourite players are two senior ladies from Havelock who regularly come out to laugh more than they putt. They are the living proof that no matter your age or skill that mini putt is for everyone that wants to have fun.

Many thanks to our sponsors who made this mini putt possible: Squaw Cap Mountain Construction; Campbellford Tim Hortons; Batavia Homes; Dave Butcher Carpets; Trout Creek Acres and Twin Cedars Cottages. A special thanks goes to the land owner, Tom Taylor, who allowed us to use the space vacated by the Municipality after the bridge opened. We are now open on weekends and Sundays are half price. Hope to see everyone out this fall.

## Save the Date

**September 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> - Noon to 4 pm:** Hastings' 1st Annual Medieval Festival – Hastings Ball Park – \$6/adult \$3/child under 10 – music, vendors, battles, fencing, and more!

**September 6<sup>th</sup> - 10 am:** Back to School Party @ the Early Years Centre – Hastings Civic Centre – Call Angie @ (705) 696-1353 for more information.

**September 2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> - 9 am to 11 am:** FREE Hastings Field House Visits with the Early Years Centre – please provide own transportation.

**Every Friday - 5 pm:** Weekly Meat Draw – Hastings Legion Branch 106 – 10 Front Street – call the Branch for more information: (705) 696-2363

**September 11<sup>th</sup> - 2 pm to 6 pm:** Open Music Jam – Hastings Legion – Bring your instrument or singing voice and join in ... or sit, have a drink, and listen to great music!

**September 14<sup>th</sup> - 10 am:** Early Years Centre Field Trip to Cricklewood Apple Orchard in Brighton. Call Angie @ (705) 696-1353 for more information.

**September 24<sup>th</sup> - 11 am to 5 pm:** BBQ and Fun Day for families with autism – Lindsey Villages, 74 Concession 11 East – visit [www.lindseyvillages.com](http://www.lindseyvillages.com) or call 1-855-448-6333 for more information.

**September 30<sup>th</sup> - 9 pm to 2 am:** Karaoke with John – Hastings Legion – \$3 cover

**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 13<sup>th</sup> of each month.

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The winner of last month's  
Piscus Pete draw was

**Harry Aslin**

who received a gift certificate to

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A huge thank you to all of the wonderful people who spent part or all of their waterfront festival weekend volunteering!

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**Thank you!**

*The Waterfront Festival  
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## In Remembrance

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## Quiz Me!

1. How long is the Trans-Canada Highway?
2. What's so special about Little Manitou Lake in Saskatchewan?
3. Where is the world's largest natural skating rink?
4. Where is Canada's oldest roadway located?
5. Which province is home to a 99-ton metal lobster?

## Words of Wisdom

"A country is only as strong as its agriculture. No race can prosper till it learns there is as much dignity in tilling a field as there is in writing a poem."

- Washington

## Just Kiddin'

What do you call a man with a seagull on his head? *Cliff.*

What did the teddy bear say after dinner? *"I'm stuffed."*

What kind of car does Yogi the Bear drive? *A Furrari.*

Why don't cats like online shopping? *They prefer a cat-alogue.*

## History 101

Mr. Fred Crate came to the village in 1933 as a manager of Margles Clothing store. He operated on both sides of Front Street. In 1939, Fred enlisted for the war services and remained till after the end of the war (1945). He then became postmaster for many years before he retired. He was also clerk of the village, had a good interest in the village and was a member of the Canadian Legion. He had three daughters and also two sons.

- Taken from "Birth of a Village" by Wilfred Lynch published in 1984 and re-released in 2013 (buy your copy at The Water Lily)

Fred's son, Robert, is currently serving a second term as Hastings Ward Rep., on the Municipal Council, and also holds the title of Deputy Mayor. He is also President of the Hastings Legion. Fred's granddaughter, Kira, is also actively involved in the community of Trent Hills as an employee and volunteer. The Hastings Legion hosts a Fred Crate memorial euchre tournament each winter and an annual darts tournament proudly carries the name of his wife, Helen.

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PRYOSE \_\_\_\_\_  
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RUTYKE TURLVUE \_\_\_\_\_  
RETGA NORDHE WOL \_\_\_\_\_

Bonus: Unscramble the bolded letters from the previous words

## Canadian, Eh?!

The tiny community of Churchill, Manitoba sits atop a polar bear migration route and each year residents play host to hundreds of the bears during the months of October and November. During the summer months the same community welcomes thousands of beluga whales! Sounds like the place to be for big beautiful animal watching!

The province of Ontario provides snowmobile enthusiasts with over 30,000 km (over 18,000 miles) of interconnected and regularly groomed trails. That's a lot of ground to cover!

The Yukon is almost the same size as the State of California. The Canadian territory is home to 37,400 people - California has a whopping 38,000,000 residents! There are more people living in the State of California than in the entire Country of Canada!

## Quiz Me!

ANSWERS

1. 8030 km (4990 miles) from Victoria to St. John's. 2. The water has a high saline content which allows swimmers to float effortlessly. 3. Ottawa - part of the Rideau Canal. 4. It travels from Quebec City to Montreal. 5. New Brunswick.

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