

Body of missing Acton boater found

The body of a boater missing for nearly a month has been found in a South Bruce Peninsula, Ont., river.

Provincial police say family members searching the Sauble River for Nathan French, 31, of Acton, found his body Saturday afternoon after the water levels receded. French was found a short distance from his family cottage near Park Head.

He was last seen heading out onto the river in a small dingy on Oct. 24.

Police say a coroner at the scene believes he drowned. Investigators do not believe his death was the result of foul play.

French loved the river, and throughout his



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life spent countless hours canoeing, fishing and enjoying nature there.

He is survived by his parents Wayne and Ruth French, sister Amy (Rob) Coull, brother Aaron, grandparents Reg and Catherine French, and his girlfriend Katie Lougheed. He is pre-deceased by his grandparents Harvey and Marjorie Kirkwood.

A celebration of French's life will be held at the J.S Jones & Son Funeral Home, 11582 Trafalgar Rd., Saturday, Nov. 30 from 10 a.m. until the time of the memorial service in the chapel at 11 a.m.

Board marks anti-bullying week

The week of November 18-22 has been designated Bullying Awareness and Prevention Week and the Halton District School Board has numerous activities and initiatives planned during the week to encourage and promote respect for everyone.

The Halton District School Board and Halton Regional Police Services introduced the 2013 Give Respect Get Respect Movement at James. W. Hill Public School in Oakville Monday.

"We are firmly committed to ensuring all students and staff members can learn and work in

a safe, inclusive environment, and have worked together with staff, student and parents to implement safe and inclusive school strategies," says David Euale, Director of Education for the Halton District School Board.

Events and activities at schools include:

- Acton High School students and staff members will distribute "Compliment-Grams" as a way to send a positive message to someone they want to know better, contributing to a positive climate for working and learning.

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Public Notice

Halton Region 2014 Budget and Business Plan

The proposed 2014 Budget and Business Plan for Halton Region, including the Regional property tax levy, water and wastewater rates, waste management, and user fees and charges will be considered at the following meetings:

Tuesday, November 26 – 9:30 a.m.	Health & Social Services Cttee.
Wednesday, November 27 – 9:30 a.m.	Planning & Public Works Cttee.
Thursday, November 28 – 9:30 a.m.	Administration & Finance Cttee.
Monday, December 9 – 9:30 a.m.	Budget Review Cttee.
Wednesday, December 11 – 9:30 a.m.	Regional Council

All of the above meetings will be held at the Halton Regional Centre located at 1151 Bronte Road in Oakville.

The 2014 Budget and Business Plan is available for viewing or downloading on Halton's website at www.halton.ca/budget and can be obtained free of charge from or viewed at the Office of the Regional Clerk at the Halton Regional Centre, Monday to Friday, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Halton residents are invited to provide input on the proposed 2014 Budget and Business Plan. If you wish to register as a delegate to address one of the Committees noted above, please contact the Office of the Regional Clerk and Council Services at 905-825-6000 ext. 7405. You may also provide input or comments on Halton's website at www.halton.ca/budget.

Notice of Front-ending Agreement Under the *Development Charges Act, 1997*

TAKE NOTICE THAT on the 13th day of November, 2013, The Regional Municipality of Halton entered into a front-ending agreement (the "Agreement") with a number of landowners in the Region.

AND TAKE NOTICE THAT any owner of land within the Region may make an objection to the Agreement by filing with the Clerk of The Regional Municipality of Halton on or before 4:30 p.m. on December 23, 2013, at the address shown below, or by email to the email address shown below, a notice of objection setting out the objection to the Agreement and the reasons supporting the objection.

The Agreement provides funding for the construction of works for the benefit of development within the whole of the Region. The water and wastewater and roads projects that constitute the works are set out in Schedule "C" to the Agreement.

Any owner of land within the Region developing its land for residential purposes will be required to make payments beginning January 1, 2017 pursuant to the Agreement. This payment is estimated at approximately \$10,000 per single detached equivalent unit, which includes an annual interest rate of 6% compounded semi-annually.

The Agreement is available for review in the Office of the Regional Clerk during regular office hours, Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or electronically at the following Regional web site quick-link: www.halton.ca/front-end

Dated at The Regional Municipality of Halton this 13th day of November, 2013.

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Enhanced community emergency notification service launched

On November 1, Halton Region rolled out an enhanced emergency notification service. The Region now has access to an improved database, enabling us to reach more than 95 per cent of Halton residents with traditional land line telephone service, in the event of an emergency. As one of the first Canadian municipalities to have access to Bell Canada's 9-1-1 data for use in emergency situations, Halton Region continues to be a leader in delivering community emergency notification services. Learn more at www.halton.ca/beprepared. You can also follow Emergency Preparedness on Twitter @BPreparedHalton for emergency updates and preparedness tips.



Gary Carr
Regional Chair

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