

# Port Hope librarian packing up her books for Clarington

## Patti Enright heads west

The overwhelming support of both the library board and library staff has made her nine-year tenure much easier, says the Port Hope chief librarian.

Last week, The Port Hope Library Board announced Patricia Enright will be leaving to take a new position as library director with the Clarington Public Library.

Ms. Enright, who begins her new job Feb. 8, says she is looking forward to the challenge and added responsibility of overseeing the four Clarington branches and the additional staff that comes with it.

"Bowmanville is building a new facility, and I will enjoy being involved in another building project," says Ms. Enright.

The Clarington area is currently experiencing phenomenal growth, she adds, and she is excited to develop services to serve the larger community.

While the newly-renovated and expanded Port Hope



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After nine years in Port Hope, Patti Enright is leaving the Port Hope Public Library for Clarington in February. She is Clarington's new library director.

Library is definitely a highlight in her stint as chief librarian, she is also pleased with programs initiated during her stay.

"Services like the Literacy Program and adding to the local history collection

have hopefully made the library more of a focus within the community," she concluded.

### TANNER, FRANCES MARIE

At Peterborough Regional Health Centre, Hospital Drive on Monday, January 21, 2002, Marie Tanner (nee Keeler) in her 85th year. Beloved wife of the late Raymond Clifford Tanner. Loving mother of John Raymond Tanner and his wife Veronika. Dear grandmother of Jordan. Sister of Lillian Parker of Toronto, Marjorie Galley of Peterborough and John Keeler of Port Hope. Friends will be received at the Constock Funeral Home, 356 Rutledge Street from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Thursday. Service to be held in the chapel on Friday, January 25th at 10:30 a.m. with the Reverend Bradley Weeks officiating. In memory of Marie, donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or the Hospital for Sick Children would be appreciated by the family.

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McMURRAY, LLOYD

At the Trenton Memorial Hospital on Sunday, January 20, 2002 in his 87th year, Lloyd McMurray, beloved husband of the late Thelma. Dear father of Joe McMurray (Stephanie) of Ormeau and Joan Anne and her husband, Jim Smiley of Lindsay. Dear grandfather of Christopher McMurray (Rebecca), Erin Sonagra (Jay), Stephen Smiley (Judy) and Bethany. Great-grandfather of Jordan and Shannon McMurray and Zoe Sonagra. Brother of Ted and Doris and predeceased by Velma, Cora, Marjorie, Helen, Madeline, Ruth and Douglas. Funeral Service will be held at the MacCoubrey Funeral Home, 11 King St.W., Colborne on Wednesday, January 23, 2002 at 2pm, Spring Inlet Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Wednesday from noon till 2pm. Those wishing may make memorial donations by cheque to the Parkinson Society, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation or charity of choice.

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Ralph & Wendy Stibb of Coldsprings, announce with great pleasure, the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Brooke Mackenzie to Kevin Truller, son of Terence & Margaret Chute of Stratton. Wedding to take place, June 29, 2002 in Coldsprings

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## Sports Club debates skateboard park

By BOB OWEN  
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A proposal to create a skateboard park in Castleton created extensive debate at the Castleton Sports Club's Annual General meeting on January 15.

Close to 20 members and supporters were on hand as the club hashed out the concept.

The idea came forward as part of the group's discussion about projects for the upcoming year.

Various suggestions were put on the table, including a nature path on undeveloped land the club owns, and improvements to the shelter at the Sports Fields.

Those in favour of a skateboard park cited the lack of one in the area and the need to provide the skateboarders with someplace other than the Castleton Town Hall steps to develop their skills.

Others worried about vandalism and alcohol. The Sports Fields have been subject to vandalism. Vehicles have driven on the field and the canteen has been damaged. The Sports Fields are difficult to police due to their location away from Spring Street.

Proponents of the project suggested that a "park" could be located on land the club owns which is nearer the road. Skateboarders could be enlisted as part of the group to construct the park. It would include a cement pad and various structures which would be used as ramps and jumps.

Most of those present agreed that if the kids were involved the members would be willing to look at having a park.

A joint committee has been formed with Castleton Colborne Optimists. They will study the question of how they can have a skateboard park without vandalism to existing property and facilities.

No time line was set for a report from the committee which was struck at the meeting.