

# LOCAL NEWS



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## LONG SERVICE

Members of Cramahe Township's Fire Department were acknowledged for long service at last week's meeting of Cramahe Council. Front, from left: Allen Houston (10 years), Shawn Kober (10 years), Dan Marshman (10 years). Back: Jim Magee (25 years), Tom Chapman (25 years), Barry Holdam (15 years), Chief Brad Barnoski, Mayor Lee Dekeyser. Absent: Larry Dadson.

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## New trustees join library board

September is the start of another school year, the beginning of the new season, autumn and the introduction of applefest activities. For the Alnwick-Haldimand Library Board it has been the time to welcome two new trustees. Barb Harnden from the Shelter Valley/Grafton area and Graham Stratford from Cherry Hill Road in the Grafton area were introduced to the Library Board at the September board meeting.

Libraries of the township are also undergoing changes. On a trail basis for 2005, each of the branches has added extra hours to better serve their patrons.

The Bette Le Barr Branch in Grafton with its supervisor, Sandra Wood and her assistant Ronna McKeown are ready for its patrons, old and new, Tuesdays 1 to 5:30 p.m., Thursdays 6 to 8:30 p.m., and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Their additional hours may be provided by evening hours on Wednesdays.

Library supervisor Melissa Charles and the Library Board are pleased to welcome the new assistant supervisor, Tricia Tinkl, at the Centreton Branch. This branch is open Wednesdays 6 to 8

p.m., Thursdays 2 to 6 p.m. and Saturdays 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Extra hours may be provided by extending their hours on Wednesdays.

Roseneath Branch supervisor Elaine Skinner and her assistant Christine Lush are pleased to announce the donation of three copies of the book, *With Love From Grandma*, by Aureen Richardson, a local author. Ms. Richardson grew up in Roseneath and has lived and taught in the Roseneath and Warkworth area. She is currently residing in the Community Nursing Home in Warkworth. The Roseneath Branch hours are Wednesdays 1 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m., Saturdays 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Extra hours being considered may be on Tuesday evenings. If you have any questions about the service at the branch nearest you, stop by and have a chat with its supervisor.

### Upcoming Events

October 17 to 23: Ontario Library Week. Readers, get out and vote for your favourite book through the public library website or through the ballot boxes at each branch.

