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Castleton cast: from left, standing: Max Bojarzin with Mooshie the cat, Josh Blakely, Madison Pace, Nikki Carr, Katelyn Crane, Laiken Starreveld, Jesse Copeland and Devin Partridge. Seated, Jacob Lansley, Patrick Kerr and Emily Bode.

Stellar cast results in stellar performance at Castleton P.S.

Castleton Public School's presentation of *The Diary of Anne Frank* on Thursday May 15th at Castleton United Church was a wonderful experience. Led by director/teacher Emily Bode, the cast performed an inspiring rendition of Anne Frank's (Laiken Starreveld) observations of living with seven other people for over two years in the attic of her father's (Jesse Copeland) business before being discovered by the Nazis during World War II.

Cast members delivered their best resulting in a smooth and moving performance.

Supporting members of the cast were: Nikki Carr as Mrs. Frank, Katelyne Crane

as Margot Frank, Josh Blakely as Mr. Van Daan, Madison Pace as Mrs. Van Daan, Max Bojarzin as Peter Van Daan, Patrick Kerr as Mr. Dussel, Devin Partridge as Mr. Kraler, and providing some much needed moments of levity, Jacob Lansley as Ms. Miep Giles.

Much thanks and appreciation goes to the behind-the-scenes players: Emily Bode and Kelly Johnson for set building, Amber Partridge for lighting, Joe McLean, Michelle Adams and Castleton United Church.

The hard work and dedication displayed by the cast and crew through the last couple of months certainly paid off.

— Submitted article

Announcements

Deaths

WYN, Elena - Peacefully at Northumberland Hills Hospital in Cobourg on May 23rd, 2008. Predeceased by her dear son Peter and her husband Michail. Faithfully remembered by her friends, Valerie her homemaker, Paula and Mike, Jess and Jennifer, Cicely, Tass, Alice, Anne and Pieter, and John. A Funeral service for Elena will be held at **MACCOUNBREY FUNERAL HOME**, 11 King St. W., in Cobourg, on Wednesday, May 28th at 2 pm. Interment to follow for Elena and Michail in Salem Cemetery. Visitation to be held at the funeral home for one hour prior to the service, from 1 to 2 pm. Those wishing may make a memorial donation by cheque to the Northumberland Hills Hospital Foundation. Condolences received at www.MacCoubrey.com

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OLIVER, Mildred "Jean" - Peacefully at Kingston General Hospital on Monday, May 26th, 2008 in her 76th year. Beloved wife of Douglas Oliver. Loving mother of Sandra Grass (John), Donna Lawson, Gary Oliver (Sandy), Denis Oliver and the late Donnie Oliver. Dear grandmother of Christopher, Sherri (Luke), Douglas, Donald, Martin (Mary), Timothy (Sarah), Blair and Katie. Sister of Donna Fox (Tom). Friends are invited to call at the Eden United Church, Dundonald on Thursday, May 29th from 1 - 2 p.m., followed by a funeral service at 2 p.m. Interment in Shiloah Cemetery. If desired donations may be made to Eden United Church or Canadian Diabetes Association. Condolences received at www.MacCoubrey.com

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Deaths

WHITING, Frederick Thomas - Peacefully at the Northumberland Hills Hospital, Cobourg on May 21st, 2008 in his 75th year. Husband of Donna Whiting. Dear father of Colin Whiting (Sophia), Hannah Balcolm (Donny), Christine Whiting, Heather Whiting, Janet Kitchenham, Becky Rooney (Shane), Donna Spencer (Don), Cathy Whiting (Dan Wakelin), Sophie McLeod (Rob Boomhour) and Maggie Hole (Kent). Fred will also be missed by his many grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren. Fondly remembered by his brothers and sisters: Darren (John), Victor (Sheila), Dennis (Jill), Vivien and Barry (Debbie) and his sisters-in-law: Moira and Bridget. Predeceased by his brothers Terry, Lenny and Ronny and his sister-in-law Julie. Friends were invited to a gathering in the Club Room at the Colborne Legion on Saturday, May 24th from 2 - 5 p.m. to celebrate Fred's life. Those wishing may make donations to the Lung Association through the **MACCOUNBREY FUNERAL HOME**, 11 King St. W., Cobourg (905-355-2829). Condolences received at www.MacCoubrey.com

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Keeping the tractor trailer driver in our thoughts

To the Editor:

MARTHA WEBER LALO ROEAS
 MAY 30/08
 driver of the tractor trailer involved in the collision.

The tragic road accident that claimed the lives of three vibrant, bright, and beautiful young women is being felt not just in Colborne and Baltimore, but in communities all across this province.

Unless having experienced the sudden death of a family member under such devastating circumstances, it is impossible to imagine the depth of grief and the enormous sense of loss the families and friends of these three women are feeling, and my deepest sympathy goes out to all of them. My thoughts are also with the

Although he is not mentioned in news articles and his injuries were not life-threatening, we must realize that he, too, is a victim. With no chance to avoid the collision this man must be living through a hell most of us will never comprehend.

I want to tell him he is in my thoughts, and I know his grieving will also be deep and lasting.

Nothing will wipe the images from his memory, and no words can ease his heart.

Gael Moore, Cobourg