

## Local News

### Warkworth woman missing

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Ms. Barnoski is described as approximately 5'4", 150 pounds, medium build, fair to medium complexion, wavy medium-length dyed red hair. She has a tattoo of a tiger playing with a butterfly on her left ankle. She was last seen wearing a camouflage coat and jeans.

Ms. Barnoski is known to have friends and family in the Durham Region. Investigators are continuing to contact and interview those who know her, OPP said Monday. She is not known to have been in contact with anyone since the evening of May 27.

Police are asking for the public's assistance in

locating Ms. Barnoski and identifying anyone who may have been with her on the evening of May 27. In particular, police are interested in hearing from members of the public who may have seen anyone hitchhiking or walking on County Road 25 the night of May 27.

This investigation is ongoing and under the direction of Detective Inspector Dave Quigley of the Criminal Investigation Branch.

Anyone with information related this investigation is encouraged to contact the Campellford detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police at 1-705-653-3300 or anonymously to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477).



PHOTO BY BOB OWEN

Melissa and Wilbert Charles are hosting the 2nd annual Caribbana in Colborne at the Keeler Centre – and they're promising a night of fun.

## Caribbana returns to Colborne June 21

It's time to show your true colours – put on those fancy clothes and head down to the Keeler Centre for the 2nd annual Caribbana in Colborne June 21.

For those who came to last year's inaugural event, event organizers Wilbert and Melissa Charles promise this year will be even better.

Colour is the key, Mr. Charles advises; dress loudly for the evening of fun and games.

Banquets and Special Events Coordinator Donna Rusaw has promised to dress up the Rotary Room, taking everyone to the Caribbean where they will eat Caribbean food, dance to the beat of reggae, Latin, calypso and soca – even take in a light show.

There will be a limbo contest, door prizes and costume prizes, and don't be surprised to hear the talented singer to lend his voice to a couple of numbers. Mr. Charles has his hand in almost every aspect of the evening.

Last year, Ms. Charles

provided some recipes for the catered event. Guests enjoyed salsas, Jamaican patties, traditional fish cakes, rum punch and other goodies.

Mr. Charles is going to head into the kitchen with his chef's hat to help her this year and promises even more happy surprises for the Caribbana gang. In the Caribbean, they don't eat by halves – it's all the way for your appetite, Ms. Charles says.

Response at last year's first effort was so positive, the couple decided to repeat. This year, the money made from the \$20 admission will go to the kids at the Cramahe Summer Camp. The Charles hope the windfall will be used to provide them with some extras.

Tickets are available by calling Donna Rusaw at the Keeler Centre (905 355-2846), Melissa or Wilbert Charles at 905 355-3012, or by dropping in to Downey's Pharmacy in Colborne.

— BOB OWEN

## School board looks at four site options

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The other, on Jakobi Road, was ruled unacceptable due to its proximity to a closed landfill site.

The Forget property lies in a band of land determined to be undesirable by the school siting committee March 3. There will soon be gravel trucks using that section of County Road 25 to carry aggregate from the new Shelter Valley pit.

The other two options under consideration by the board are the Castleton Public School property and a piece of land owned by Peter Williams on Purdy Road and Parliament Street.

The Williams lands are designated Colborne Periphery Area, which permits community facilities such as a school. They are zoned Rural 42A. A school is not permitted in this zone, so if a school were to be built, then it would have to be rezoned by Cramahe Township. The parcel in which the Williams property is located has reached its maximum number of permitted consents. Cramahe Council would have to override township restrictions to allow another severance.

No selling prices have been made public on the two greenfields sites. If one is chosen the price will become public information.

There has been a growing

concern by South Cramahe families about locating in Castleton.

All three proposed sites would use wells and septic systems. The nearest sewers to the Williams land are on King Street. The nearest water supply is the line to the industrial park further west on Purdy Street, or south on Parliament St.

Under planning guidelines, only land currently zoned Rural qualifies as a greenfield site. Its use must be changed in the township's Official Plan. It would have to be severed, and rezoned. Water must be tested, a septic review done and soil tests completed – all by the end of the year.

Ms. Summersides assured the audience in March all that could be done if everyone cooperated and expedited the process.

The board's Resources Committee will hear submissions and discuss a background report and discussion paper in a meeting at the board office on June 4.

Sherry Summersides, Associate Director Kawartha Pine Ridge District Board of Education, will present for information the dialogue and details the amalgamation committee had regarding the location of the new school. As well there will be input from senior administration of the board laid out in the discussion

paper.

Resource Committee will not make a final decision on June 4, but the members will discuss the options which are now available. Ms. Summersides has discussed with the members of this committee that this would be a good place to have a detailed discussion about a future location to get them thinking about all of the information and so they don't have to try to synthesize it all in one evening on June 19.

If there are any questions on June 4, the associate director can take them away and have responses ready for the June 19 public school board meeting so that trustees can make a final decision that night regarding the new school being funded with \$4.8-million in provincial grants.

The director stated several times March 3 that work must begin this fall in order to satisfy provincial requirements for the \$4.8-million in grants to build the school by 2009. This statement appears to be in conflict with one made by a spokesperson in MPP Lou Rinaldi's office Apr. 29 which said there was no time limit on the provincial funding available.

Both the existing Castleton Public and South Cramahe Public Schools are slated for closure. A new school would house students from those two schools.