

Vince Moreau attends ceremony

Adult Rehabilitation Centre opens in Midland

Standing ovations were the order of the day at the opening ceremonies of the new Adult Rehabilitation Centre on Olive Street last Friday.

Anne Parker, secretary of the Huronia Association for the Mentally Retarded and chairman of the Building Committee, Joyce Hamelin a member of the building committee and director of the Adult Rehabilitation Centre, and Evelyn Banks, past president of Huronia Association for the Mentally Retarded, all received standing ovations and flowers in appreciation of the work they have done.

Claude Buck, president of the Huronia Association for the Mentally Retarded, in a speech to the 142 people who attended opening

day, said ARC used to be called a "sheltered workshop." But today, with forward thinking, "highly skilled staff, a new concept of education, the facilities and fine equipment," the program is "aimed at providing the handicapped with all the skills they can assimilate so they can take a place in the community."

Looking over the new facilities from his place on the podium, Buck said "what a long way we have come in 14 years."

Mayor Lynn, speaking on behalf of the town, congratulated "all those who have had anything to do with promoting and helping the association and achieving the results you are here today to enjoy."

The Mayor of Penetanguishene, Vince Moreau was also on hand to give thanks to everyone who made the new ARC building possible and to bring greetings from Penetanguishene.

Dr. P.B. Rynard, M.P. for Simcoe North, spoke on behalf of the federal government and congratulated Midland and area people on the fine, new facilities.

The key to the building and the plaque commemorating the opening were handed over by Anne Parker. Anne reminded the crowd that it had been five years since they first started talking about the building.

The guest speaker was Peter Capps, executive director of the Mental

Retardation Community Program Division. Capps said that only 87 per cent of the people that needed the type of service ARC gives, were getting it. He said the Minister of Community and Social services was pleased but not satisfied. He urged all those concerned with ARC to "continue your good work."

Following the thanks and congratulations the people attending the opening ceremonies were invited to walk around the building and view the new facilities. The large workshop and the classroom were the more

impressive rooms. The new building also has enough space to teach life skills classes. The old building that ARC inhabited before was too

small to adequately teach this class. After the tours through the building, wine, sandwiches and dessert were served for all attending.



It's a start!

Martin Lalonde president of PenGlen Corporation and Vic Valentine, a sign maker in Penetanguishene, admire the new sign that is to go up on the land where

Place Concorde is to be built. Place Concorde is to be an educational, cultural and recreational facility for Tiny Township. Staff photo

At the Midland 'Y'

'Enjoying your pre-schooler' next week

"Enjoying your pre-schooler," a course designed for the parents of young children, begins next Monday, October 24. The cost of the program, which is to be held at the Midland YMCA every Monday at 9:30 a.m., is \$2.00, and

registrations are being taken through the Contact Centre in Midland.

The objective of the course is to teach parents of toddlers how better to appreciate and get along with their children.

The course will include eight sessions, all dealing

with different aspects of enjoying pre-school children.

The first session will attempt to help mothers and children be comfortable together. It will introduce parents to the program.

The second session will

deal with enjoying the child, and his or her natural curiosity.

In the third and fourth sessions, parents will learn what to expect from their children in terms of language development. They deal with how the child's ability to get along

with and play with other children changes with age, and discusses how the child's language is dependent on his age. His ability in using the language is affected by how his parents talk to him, and this too will be discussed.

The final four sessions deal with praise and encouragement of small children, and how they can best be used to influence the behaviour of the toddler. The influence of parents on children will be discussed, and parents will learn what they can expect of their child at different ages. The controversial area of punishment will also be discussed.

Two of the members of the inter agency committee putting on the course, Jan Popple and Alan MacLeod, said the course will be limited to 20 people, and said they hoped it would be full. They said they hope the program will run continuously once it gets started, with another course beginning next year.

Centre d'activités françaises



télé: 549-8594 Penetanguishene

Gardiennes Françaises: Nous avons encore des ouvertures dans les trois garderies. Si vous désirez inscrire votre enfant ou vous connaissez quelqu'un qui a un enfant de 3 ou 4 ans désirant l'envoyer à la garderie, veuillez nous contacter au Centre d'activités françaises numéro 549-8594.

Réunion mensuel: La réunion mensuel du Centre d'activités françaises sera le 20 octobre. Bienvenue à tous.

Disque o-centre: Nous avons parmi notre sélection de disques français un livre disque Disneyland pour les enfants qui comprend un livre de 24 pages en couleurs et un disque 33 T longue durée. Le disque comporte de texte du livre, lu mot à mot par le résitant et la musique ayant trait au conte.

D'ici une semaine vous pourrez obtenir un disque de

longue durée 33 T pour les enfants de 3 à 10 ans composé de 60 chansons et comptines choisies par Mme Joan Northcott, vice-présidente du Centre d'activités françaises. Voix et musique de Madeleine Dubeau. Avec ce disque vous recevrez aussi un livret des paroles. C'est un cadeau idéal pour votre enfant et... petits enfants!!!

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L'ACFO vous informe

Nos écoles sont-elles nos écoles?

La loi scolaire ontarienne actuelle reconnaît aux francophones le droit à des écoles de langue française mais ces memes francophones n'ont pas le droit d'administrer ces écoles. Renseignons-nous sur le système scolaire homogene de langue française avec M. Gerard Levesque le 20 octobre, 22h00, à l'émission Pile et face de TV Ontario.

Can FBDB help you?

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(Assessment Commissioner's List)

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A person may apply to the Clerk of the municipality concerned to have his name included in the list or to have the information contained therein corrected if it is in error.

Every person applying for an alteration of school support as shown on

the list shall sign an application in the prescribed form in which all the information shall be sufficiently filled in, either by the applicant personally or by the Clerk at the applicant's request.

The right of your child to attend the elementary school of your choice without payment of a fee is dependent on your school support.

All persons who are entitled to direct taxes for school support purposes are hereby called upon to examine the list and to take immediate proceedings to correct any errors or omissions therein.

THE LAST DAY FOR FILING COMPLAINTS IS NOVEMBER 10th, 1977.

MUNICIPALITY	PHONE	PLACE
Town of Penetanguishene Y.A. Gagne, Clerk	549-7453	10 Robert St. W.
Town of Midland W.A. Hack, Clerk	526-5471	575 Dominion Ave.
Township of Tiny G.L. Maurice, Clerk	526-4204	Perkinstfield, Ont.
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