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This week's column will be some information and a special request for help.

First for the information! Do you know about the Huronia Fitness Project?

This project was made possible by a Summer Youth Employment grant from the Federal Ministry of Employment and Immigration and sponsored by the Township of Tiny.

The group of young people that are conducting the program are from the Fitness Instructors Course of George Brown College, Toronto.

The project will be holding workshops in all the surrounding communities throughout the summer. The testing will provide assessments on body fat, blood pressure, heart attack risk, grip strength flexibility, strength and endurance and also they will give individuals private consultation.

The program will get underway this month and will be in Lafontaine's Community Centre, June 23 to 25 and at L'Ecole des Saints Martyrs Canadiens, Perkinsfield June 25-27.

In July they will be at the Waverley Rink, on the 4 and 5 Huronia Mall 7-11, Wyebridge Community Centre 14-16, Wyevale Park 18-19, Midland YMCA 21-23 and the Midland Arena 28-Aug. 1.

August will see them at the Elmvale Community Centre 5-8, Penetanguishene Arena 11-15 and at The Place, Balm Beach for their final session on the 19 and 20 of August. For further information call Darrell Cuny at 526-4204 or Contact at 526-9333.

Now for the request!
The Good Parenting Association has sponsored a group of students to run and coordinate the "Young Years Play Centres."

These play Centres will be held in the various communities throughout the area during the summer months. The hours, dates, days and locations will be published at a later date but right now this ambitious young group is gathering together their materials they will need to work with the "small fry" of each individual community.

What they need are many of the everyday things each of us toss out on trash day. Just to name a few: bits of wool or string, egg cartons, toilet paper rolls, paper towel rolls, pieces of cloth, plastic jars or containers, old crayons, pieces of styrofoam and any old toys.

So please think of the "Young Years Play Centre" before you throw anything out and call us at Contact: 526-9333 and we will see that it is picked up or if you are out driving just drop in at Contact in the Civic Centre at 605 Yonge St.

Not only will the very young and the not so very young thank you but Contact will also thank you because we try in our own way to support the many worthwhile projects of the community because each program that has some positive effect in our lives and community and this is truly a much needed program; so do save your egg cartons, wool and bits of string and call us at Contact real soon.

Happiness is helping others to help themselves.
Mary M. Gibson
Administrator

Obituary

Mike Asselin, a Tiny Twp. legend

A legend in his own time is how Michael Asselin of Perkinsfield was described on occasion.

"Mike" as he was known to his friends died last Wednesday, June 18, 1980 in his 97th year.

Born and raised in Perkinsfield where he lived all his life, the late "Mike" Asselin died at St. Andrew's Centennial Manor in Midland where he had been residing following a short stay in hospital.

Best known from the days he was clerk of Tiny and later its reeve, "Mike" Asselin was one of those rare self-made people who gave of himself to his family, friends and the people he served over the decades.

The son of the late Thomas and the late Exilda (Dault) Asselin, "Mike" married the former Victoire Desroches on June 20, 1905 in Lafontaine. She predeceased him some years ago.

He loved to putter around his garden, he enjoyed bowling and good fiddle music.

Most of all he enjoyed telling stories of North Simcoe and the Perkinsfield-Lafontaine area as it was just before and after the turn of the century.

Funeral services were held for the late "Mike" Asselin on June 21, 1980 at St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church in Perkinsfield which is located almost across from his home.

Father V. Laurin and Rt. Rev. A. Belanger officiated at the service and later at St. Patrick's Cemetery.

He is survived by sons Albert and Eugene of Penetanguishene and Venard of Perkinsfield.

He is also survived by daughters: Albertine (Mrs. Edmund Dubeau), Germaine (Mrs. Jack Donabie), Blanche (Mrs. Albert Morin), Simone (Mrs. Colvey) all of Perkin-

sfield, Vivette (Mrs. Garnet Drinkle) of Midland, Irene (Mrs. Bert Duquette) of Perkinsfield.

He was predeceased by sons Marcel and Remi; daughters Clara Robillard, Lillian and Therese Asselin; brothers Joseph and John Asselin and sister Josephine Moreau.

He is survived by sisters Mrs. Marie Marchildon of Lafontaine and Sister M. Medard of Toronto. As well 37 grandchildren, 86 great grandchildren and 21 great, great grandchildren survive the late Mike Asselin.

Pallbearers at Saturday's funeral mass were all grandsons: Lawrence, Jules, Maurice and Donald

Asselin, John Donabie and Jules Duquette.

A number of flags in the Perkinsfield area were lowered to half-

mast out of respect for the popular political figure who in a lifetime served his fellow human beings well.

All considering it was quiet for OPP

Members of the Midland detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police had a relatively quiet week in the period ending June 23.

Police investigated 183 general occurrences. Seventeen reports of theft, six of break and enter, eight of wilful damage, one of assault and nine other incidents falling under

other sections of the criminal code were investigated.

Nine charges were laid under the Liquor Licence Act, seven drivers were charged with being impaired, two persons were charged with possession of narcotics. Three persons were charged with being in violation of

compulsory automobile insurance legislation ation.

The OPP are continuing an investigation into the theft between June 17 and 18 of approximately \$400 worth of tools and liquor from a garage on Con. 1., Old Survey, Wyebridge belonging to Orvil Adamson.

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grade 12. The bursary donated by the Credit Union is presented by Mrs. Rita Smith.