



It's that time

of the year again

Each winter Penetanguishene's Historic Naval and Military Establishments faces the major task of hiring a sizeable staff of summer students (as shown in the above photo of last year's contingent) who will work as colourful guides and interpreters. The bulk of the hiring is now completed for the coming season and with a sizeable number of students coming from outside Huronia, they are in need of summer accommodations. If you have a place you would be willing to rent, with or without board, from May 1 to Labour Day, please contact Huronia Historical Parks at 526-7838.

Photo by Odesse

Summer students

Huronia-home away from home for interpreters...

Huronia Historical Parks received over 500 applications this winter from students interested in working as summer interpreters and guides at the Historic Naval and Military Establishments at Penetanguishene and Sainte-Marie among the Hurons at Midland.

The staff of 90

university and college students have now been hired for the coming season following an extensive recruitment drive.

Two employees from each site blitzed 15 colleges and universities around Ontario in a two week campaign in search of top notch interpreters and guides who will play an in-

tegral role in bringing history alive at Sainte-Marie and the Establishments this summer.

Session

Frank Milligan at the Establishments and Sainte-Marie's Sharon Armstrong are responsible for developing the students into first class in-

terpreters in an exhaustive two week orientation session beginning in early May.

"You just can't underestimate how important these students are to both sites for giving our visitors a colourful and accurate impression of two exciting periods in Canadian history," commented Milligan.

Half of last summer's staff are expected back this season and just under one-third of the students are from Huronia making this area the greatest single source of student employees.

However, there are still a sizeable number of students coming from outside Huronia and one major problem is finding temporary accommodations for them.

"We are appealing to residents in the Midland-Penetanguishene area to contact us if they know of accommodations that could be rented out to our students from the

first part of May to Labour Day," said Armstrong.

Fee

"Our students are also eager to accept offers of room and board from residents in

either of the two towns and of course are more than willing to pay a reasonable fee," added Milligan.

Huronia Historical Parks will handle the assimilation of information and will act

as liaison for the students and landlords.

Anyone who has accommodations for rent is asked to contact Kathy Voorzanger by calling Huronia Historical Parks at 526-7838.

Cash stolen from Bavarian House

An investigation is underway into the theft of the cash register of the Bavarian House restaurant some time Saturday or Sunday.

Midland OPP report that a person or persons forced a window to gain entry to the rural restaurant and that the person or persons took

the cash register.

The \$600 of estimated lost cash is the lesser part of the \$1,600 total estimated loss, the larger part being the value of the cash register.

Midland OPP are also looking for a snowmobile stolen from a cottage utility shed on

March 19

— Protection against tetanus, polio, red measles, German measles and mumps is available at a clinic to be held in the Midland Health Unit office, 578 King Street, (rear entrance of the Department of Transport building) between 1:30 p.m. and 6 p.m. on Thurs., March 19. For more information, telephone 526-9325.

Baxter Lake, Georgian Bay Township, between Feb. 1 and March 15.

The OPP was informed Sunday of the theft of the snow vehicle, the property of David Heathfield of Burlington, Ontario.

Cases of break and enter led the list of occurrences investigated by the Midland OPP between March 9 and March 16. There were two fewer cases of theft, six. Eleven charges were laid under the Liquor Licence Act. Seven drivers were charged with driving while impaired.

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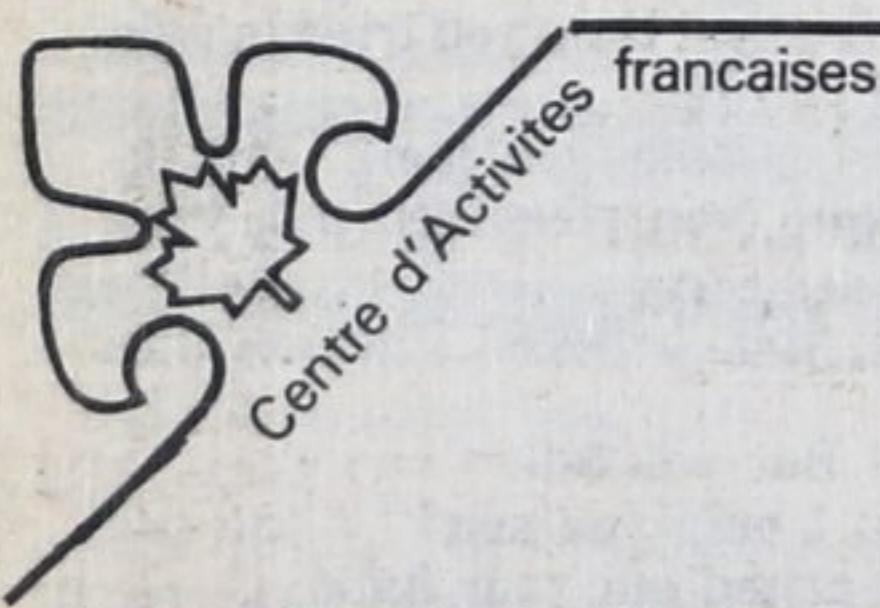
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February patrollers

School safety patrollers for the month of February in Penetanguishene were: Jana Zyllich, Corpus Christi, left; Terri Anne Price, Burkevale,

centre, and Sandra Marion, St. Joseph, right. Behind is Constable Arthur Lizotte, who recently gave the three patrollers their prizes.



Profitez-en rigodon

francophones de la region. La soiree se terminera par un vin et fromage.

La nuit sur l'étang

Les grenouilles sont là! Les grenouilles fêtent! A la Nuit sur l'étang - une nuit de musique francophone, surtout franco-ontarienne par des artistes connus dans leur milieu, des artistes de la relève.

QUAND: Vendredi le 3 avril à 20h00.

OU: A l'Université Laurentienne, Sudbury.

COMMENT: Par autobus.

COMBIEN: Entrée au spectacle: \$5.00 / étudiant, \$7.00 / adulte.

COMBIEN: Transport: le coût est à déterminer dépendant du conducteur d'autobus. Nous sommes à faire les démarches nécessaires - les résultats seront connus aujourd'hui, vous n'avez qu'à téléphoner au 549-3116 et demander à parler à Chantal ou Ghisele. L'hébergement se fait à l'Université, apportez vos sacs de couchage.

Café Chantant

Le lendemain de la Nuit sur l'étang, donc samedi le 4 avril à 20h00 à la Salle Paroissiale de Lafontaine, le Centre d'activités françaises présentera un Café chantant. À date,

Mme. Linda Desroches (Denis) a accepté de s'y produire.

Nous avons contacté plusieurs autres artistes de la région et attendons leur réponse avec espoir.

Octroi du secrétariat d'état

Le Centre d'activités françaises est recipiendaire d'un octroi de \$13,000 du Secrétariat d'Etat à Ottawa, pour compléter le projet spécial "Centre culturel - reflet de sa communauté".

Ce projet a débuté par un sondage auprès des différents groupes francophones de la région, incluant les écoles, afin de prendre conscience des désirs et des attentes de nos gens, jeunes de 3 à 90 ans et plus, face aux activités artistiques et culturelles que le Centre d'activités françaises est en mesure d'offrir.

Cet octroi aidera à defrayer le salaire de la coordonnatrice à la programmation et les frais de la programmation que nous avions prévu pour l'année dernière. D'autres questionnaires doivent être distribués aux parents et groupes francophones de la région - lorsque les résultats seront compilés, le personnel du Centre sera en mesure de

mettre sur pied une programmation qui saura mieux répondre aux besoins et désirs de la communauté francophone.

Calendrier d'activités à venir

Samedi 21 mars à 20h00 au Centre d'activités françaises: "RIGODON", Samedi 28 mars à la cabane à sucre de Paul Desroches à Lafontaine: fête d'un groupe du Centre francophone de Toronto. Les gens de Penetanguishene et Lafontaine et région y sont invités. Toute la journée.

Vendredi 3 avril à 20h00 à l'Université Laurentienne à Sudbury: La Nuit sur l'étang.

Samedi 4 avril à 20h00 à la Salle Paroissiale de Lafontaine: Café Chantant.

Vendredi 24 avril à la Salle Paroissiale de Lafontaine: groupe professionnel.

Samedi 9 mai à la Salle Paroissiale de Lafontaine: pièce de théâtre "La Mesure Humaine" par la Corvée et la Vieille 17 (vous vous souvenez sûrement de Jean-Marc Dalpé dans "Les Murs de nos Villages" et "Protégera nos foyers et ...")

Samedi 9 mai au Centre d'activités françaises à 21h00: "On s'fête" en collaboration avec le club Richelieu.

Vous avez votre mot à dire
Le Centre d'activités françaises veut répondre à vos désirs et à vos attentes - nous sommes là pour vous servir.

Mardi le 31 à la réunion annuelle du Centre d'activités françaises, venez donner votre façon de penser et élire des personnes compétentes au Conseil d'administration du Centre. Cette réunion est pour tous les