

Diabetic Assoc. forms area branch



To leave St. Theresa's

It was announced at Wednesday night's RC board meeting in Barrie that Sister Zita O'Grady, principal of St. Theresa's High School in Midland for the past eight years will be leaving the school August 31 to take a year off from teaching to attend the School of Theology in Toronto. Prior to coming

to Midland, Sister Zita had taught school at O'Gorman High School in Timmins for 17 years.

Sister Zita was raised in Eganville. It was also announced this week that Cecile Dubeau, principal of Ste. Croix School at Lafontaine would be leaving her post later this year.

A steering committee was established in April 1980 to form a chapter of the Canadian Diabetes Association in the Midland-Penetanguishene area.

Several meetings were held during the past year, hosting many interesting and well known speakers. The response at these meetings was quite favourable indicating enough interest to form a branch of the Canadian Diabetes Association.

The purpose of forming a branch is mainly to bring service and education to the diabetic in the area.

With the branch, it is hoped to locate all diabetics in the area and advise them of the benefits of membership in the Canadian Diabetes Association.

The branch also wants to foster a close liaison with the medical profession, dietitians, nurses and other health workers in the area.

Research

Another challenge is to support fund raising for medical research, camps, additional programs or other projects of concern to Diabetics.

This year, March was designated as Diabetes Month. Local liquor and brewery outlets allowed to have coin boxes for research for the month of March.

The annual funding function of the Canadian Diabetes Association is not confined to one month. The fact is, funds are raised and funnelled into vital research programs and into health and nutritional education channels on a year round basis. This non-stop effort will be especially evident

during 1981, the 60th anniversary of the discovery of insulin by Canadian doctors, Banting and Best.

Before insulin, which the Canadian doctors shared freely with a grateful international scientific community, a diagnosis of diabetes was a literal death sentence for millions and millions of people in all parts of the world.

For example, diabetic children rarely survived more than two years after diagnosis, without insulin, discovered in Canada in 1921, the same situation would prevail today.

Insulin However, it is important to note that insulin is not a cure for diabetes. It works to control the effects of diabetes and can be administered in just one way by needle. Not all of Canada's one million

diabetics require insulin. Some cope through proper diet, oral medication (not insulin) and weight control programs. Others need these control methods plus insulin.

The biggest challenge facing the Canadian Diabetes Association now is to generate funds required to investigate new and better ways to treat diabetes, better ways than daily injections of insulin.

Such investigations are underway now in various parts of Canada.

For more information please contact Mrs. Frances Moreau, President of the newly formed Midland-Penetanguishene and District Branch at Box 766, Penetanguishene, Ontario, or phone 549-7442.

Elected officials are to be busy

Monday will be a busy day for members of Midland council who plan to meet for a day-long caucus meeting and then attend a regular council meeting at town hall starting at 7:30 p.m.

Students reach North-South solution

Carolyn Maurice and Marjory Hammond, two local high school students with the help of 98 other students their age, decided earlier this month at Queen's University how to close the gap between the world's poor countries and rich countries.

The two senior history students from Ecole Secondaire Penetanguishene Secondary School were part of a four day mock United Nations assembly that Queen's University has been hosting for 25 years.

The 100 students from schools across Ontario decided between May 7 and 10 that tariffs should be reduced and that more economic aid should be given by the rich countries to the poor countries.

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Hearing Tests set for Midland and Area

Modern electronic hearing tests will be given free in honor of "Better Hearing & Speech Month" being celebrated nationally during May.

Location - I.O.O.F. Temple
Date - Tues., May 26th
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