

Local resident going in Songwriters contest

Dennis Chartrand of Penetanguishene is the only local musician to advance to the finals of the Songwriters Contest held recently with taping sessions at MacLean Hunter Cable Television.

Chartrand qualified for one of the top 10

finalists positions with his song, "Pour Mon Petit Gars" which translates to "For My Little Boy".

He is the vice-principal at LeCaron High School in Lafontaine and he wrote the song at Christmas time when his little boy,

Alain was five months old.

Chartrand just found out about his qualifying Monday morning even though the top 10 were picked a week ago today.

He will be going to Blue Mountain July 12 for the final competition

when he will compete against the other finalists for top honours.

Prizes in the competition are \$600 for first prize, \$300 for second prize, \$150 for third prize and \$50 for the next seven competitors.

Doing the judging will be representatives of several recording companies so the songwriters get exposure and could possibly end up getting a recording contract.

Altogether there were 70 entrants in the contest, 26 from this area with other local writers finishing in good position.

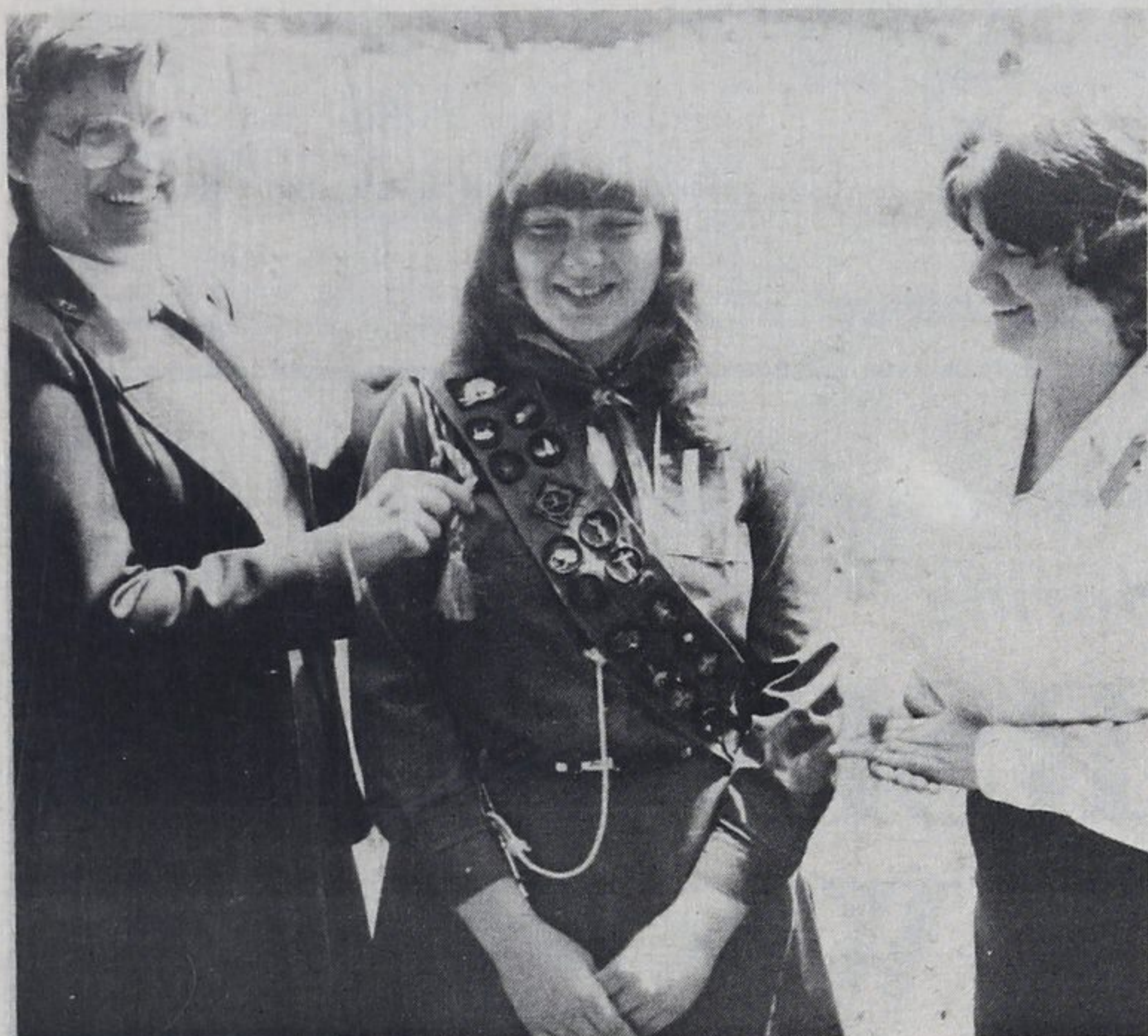
Should it rain July 12, the songwriters' contest will go July 19.



Book sale a success

4th Midland Cub and Scouts Ladies Auxiliary staged a successful book sale at Zellers on Saturday with proceeds to go towards sending local Scouts to a Jamboree in Calgary next

month. That's Donna Gruber behind a table of books while son Robert Gruber browses through a couple of "classics".



Big honour for Amy

The First Wyevale Girl Guide Company celebrated its first ever cord ceremony recently with Amy Johnstone, center as the guest of honour. Johnstone received her All-Round Cord, an accomplishment that usually

takes three years. She was awarded her cord after only two years. She is seen here being presented her cord by Nora McLernon, commissioner, left and Carol Amos, guide in charge, right.



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To honour Canada, Our beloved country, deeply enriched by the contribution of many cultures, fatherland to all Canadians;

To honour this country, home of over 23,000,000 people, proud of their heritage and the freedom they enjoy;

To honour this land of peace and prosperity, this promised land of untold resources;

To honour this land which is ours, of which we all are proud, I hereby proclaim the week of June 25th to July 1st, a week of celebration to honour Canada's 114th birthday.

Thus, I invite the citizens of the Village of Victoria Harbour to celebrate it by striving to know our country better, by flying our flag, by participating in CANADA WEEK and by promoting Canadian unity.

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