

Penetanguishene **1882 - 1982**

by Diane Greenfield

Busy schedule this weekend!
This weekend has a very busy schedule of events for visitors to Penetanguishene.

May 20 - 24 is officially called Reunion Weekend and the theme is come and remember the good times.

Beginning tomorrow the Local History Fair will begin at the High Poyntz Mall. The competition is sponsored by the Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee and the Naval and Military Establishments.

Entries from local schools will be set up for public viewing as well as for class visits. The competition is an excellent means of becoming more familiar with the heritage of the town.

Learn why St. Ann's has only one tower completed or who has been important in the early history of the town. Be sure to visit this display and meet some of the trophy and medallion winners.

Friday the 21st will see two important ceremonies on the town dock. The Chamber of Commerce will have a dedication ceremony for the trees pledged for Centennial Park. A brief ceremony with the signing of a document for a time capsule will begin at 1:30 p.m. Following this ceremony the Town of Penetanguishene will officially open the Chamber's new office on the town dock. Dignitaries, guests and the general public are warmly invited to these ceremonies.

Saturday is the final day in the Centennial Beard and Mustache Competition. Judging is Saturday afternoon and the winners will be announced that night at the gala Centennial Forest Ball.

This is a costumed event but of course all are welcome with or without centennial attire. The dance tickets at \$10 per couple are available at the door and from Chalet Sports, Dock Lunch or Bryant's Jewellers. The dance at the Legion begins at 8 p.m. with music complements of the Phantom Four. Don't miss a fun filled weekend Centennial is for everyone.

NOTICE: There will be an important centennial meeting May 20 at 7:30 in the Council Chambers at the town office. Come and help finalize the plans for the last week of Centennial.

Parts drained **new rejuvenation technique**

Tiny Marsh is getting a face lift. The west compartment of the Marsh is being drained and will remain in this drawdown stage until the early fall of 1982.

Draining is a management technique used to rejuvenate the Marsh.

Oxygen is allowed to penetrate the muck layer of the Marsh bottom which speeds up the decomposition of the accumulated plant material. Through this decomposition, important nutrients are released and proper acid levels are maintained.

When the water is taken off, extensive mud flats are created. They're not too appealing to ducks but shorebirds find them irresistible.

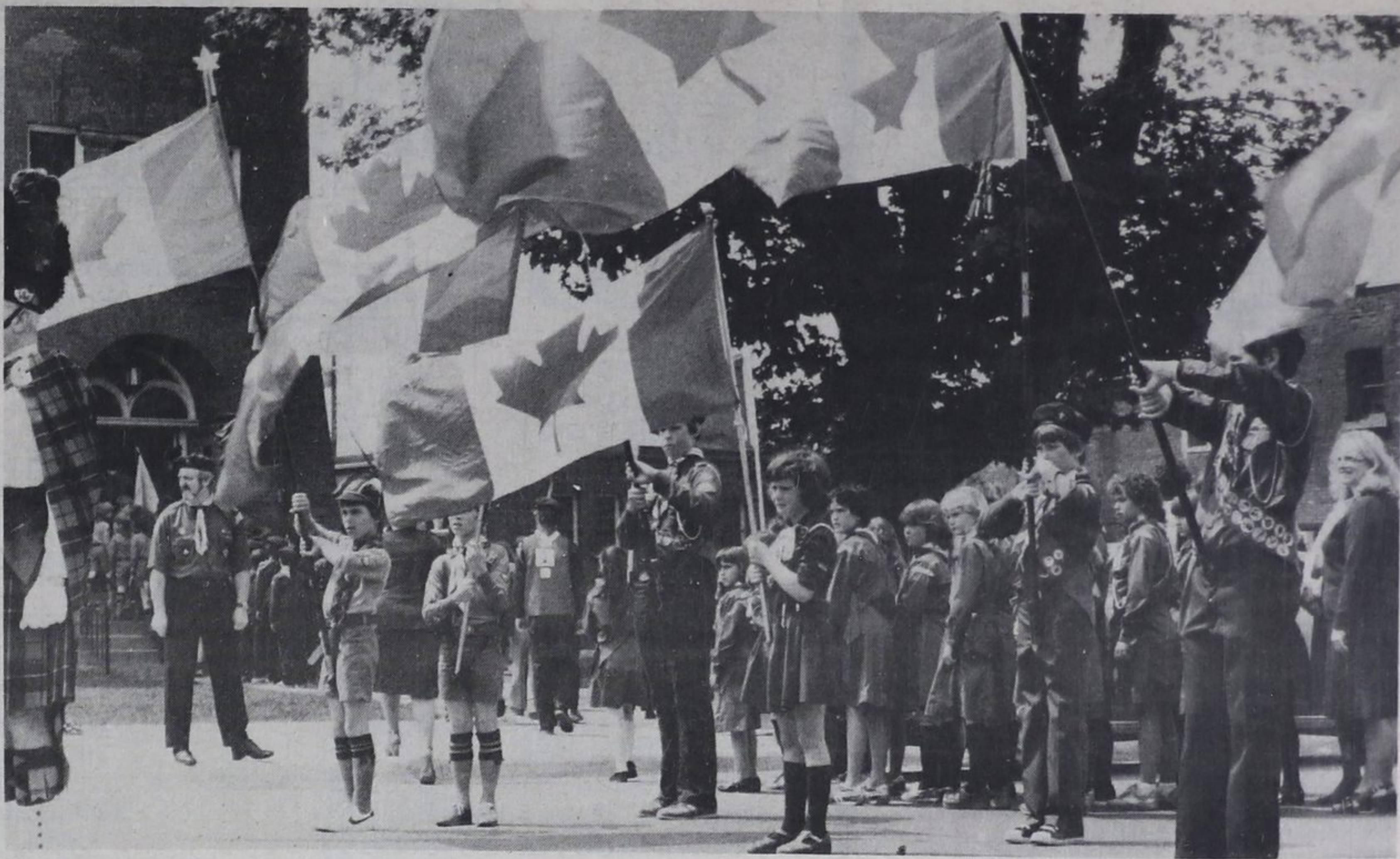
A large influx of shorebirds is expected through May and early June, providing an excellent opportunity to see a wide variety of sandpipers and plovers.

ST. ANN'S SCHOOL
43 Lorne St., Penetang, Ont.

549-8900
General Registration

Mon., Wed., Fri. weekly,
9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Principal,
Don Deschambault



Did themselves proud

Cubs, Scouts, Guides, Brownies, etc took St. Paul's Church. Midland Legion Pipes and Drums led off the colourful parade. parade from the town docks in Midland to

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You have set a fine example for the youth of Ontario.



Shown with Ontario's Lieutenant Governor John B. Aird are the 1981 winners of Ontario Junior Citizen of the Year awards: Front row left to right, Amber Anderson, Parry Sound; Andre Beaulieu, Smooth Rock Falls; Steven Rollason, Ilderton; Trevor Hehn, Pembroke; Jo-Anne Emerson, Parry Sound; Linda Angus, Kingston;

Julie Lemieux, Smooth Rock Falls; Omer Belisle, Nipigon. Second row, Roy Martell, Pickering; Mr. Aird; Rodney Barkley, Williamsburg; Kelly Kirkham, Elmira; Angus Warner, Hamilton; and Sean Hovington, Pickering. They were honored for community work, heroism and working to overcome physical limitations.



Nominations for 1982 Junior Citizen awards are now being accepted. Nomination forms are available at this newspaper and all elementary and secondary schools.

Deadline is December 1, 1982

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