

Meet tomorrow to discuss 'long-term solution'

Members of the North Simcoe Waste Management Association are meeting tomorrow night in Midland to discuss a long-term solution to the operation of the Pauze Landfill Site near Perkinsfield.

The meeting is to be attended by Michel Picher, the man appointed by the Ontario government to mediate in the long-running controversy over the operation of the site.

The site is contaminated with liquid industrial wastes deposited at the dump which serves north Simcoe municipalities. In July, the government permitted the Pauze site to remain open until 1987, with monitoring by the Ministry of the Environment and a ratepayers' group. NSWMA is also to discuss implementation of a garbage recycling system. Part of the mediated settlement calls for a "long term solution" to deal with environmental damage caused by the depositing of industrial wastes at the site.

A secretary of Picher's office in Toronto informed the Citizen on Monday that the meeting, scheduled for 7 p.m. at the Highland Motel on Highway 12, is open to the press and NSWMA participants.



Poppy Day

Penetanguishene Mayor Ron Bellisle carries Remembrance Day wreath to the cenotaph on Main Street on behalf of the

Town of Penetanguishene. It was one of the many wreaths placed during ceremonies on Sunday.

Players' There Goes The Bride

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The opening of the Huronia Players' regular season is drawing near, and with less than two weeks to go, things are getting busy. The cast of *There Goes The Bride* is furiously getting those last few lines down pat, amidst costume fittings and set building. Most of the rehearsals are on a bare stage. It can be a little disconcerting to

get used to actually using a door, rather than miming it.

Our gala opening will be held on the first performance night, Nov. 23. Coffee and dessert will be served from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Curtain time is at 8 p.m. This is a good chance to meet your favourite actors, directors, and back stage crew.

Speaking of our little

group, we've got a few interesting people in our midst. You've heard all about the fabulous cast, a couple of weeks ago, but what about that unappreciated group backstage?

Joining us from Toronto is Paul Renwick, our stage manager. He's a member of Katimavik, as is our props man, Paul Bennett, from London, Ont.

Katimavik is a Canadian group for young people. In this program, the members spend three months living and working in different communities in Canada. The program lasts for nine months, and after their three months in Midland are over, they'll be off to Quebec, and then British Columbia. Paul Renwick is working at St. Andrews Manor in Midland, and Paul

Bennett is at Lafontaine En Ski.

It's always nice to have a fresh viewpoint and new ideas introduced to the group, and new members are always welcome, not only for onstage, but also for backstage. So don't be shy, if you'd like to become a member, come on out.

Performances begin with the gala opening on Nov. 23, and continue on Nov. 24, 30 and Dec. 1.

Federal-provincial rental construction program to see light of day in Midland

Governments of Canada and Ontario yesterday issued a proposal call for the construction of moderate-cost family rental housing in Midland.

Hon. Bill McKnight, minister responsible for Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation and Hon. Claude Bennett, Ontario minister of municipal affairs and housing, say they're giving local developers the opportunity to submit proposals for the construction and management of 33 market rental units under the Canada Ontario Rental Supply Plan.

The two ministers are looking for submissions that would keep rents at about \$420 per month for a two-bedroom apartment. Rents for one and three bedroom units would

moderate-cost family rental housing

be comparable.

The plan, which is funded on a 50:50 basis by the federal and provincial governments, is expected to stimulate the construction of some 2,800 apartments in selected areas with low rental vacancy rates and a need for rent-geared-to-income accommodation.

The plan is also expected to generate employment in the construction and related

industries.

Builders who are able to meet program requirements will receive 15-year, interest-free loans which will help bridge the gap between economic and market rents. Loan amounts will be based on project costs and first mortgage financing at market interest rates.

Up to one-third of the resulting apartments

will be rented to needy housing authority applicants who will pay rents based on their household incomes. There is also a provision for units designed especially to meet the needs of disabled residents.

Bennett, the provincial housing minister, expressed confidence in the program. "I know local builders and developers will be able to respond to a real need in their community, as a result of this government partnership program", he said.

The program is being administered by Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation, the federal housing agency. Proposal call packages are available at the Oshawa office of CMHC, Suite 200, 2 Simcoe Street South.

It's back to school

A government-appointed arbitrator has been given 60 days to help settle a contract dispute which saw 7,600 striking Ontario community college teachers hit the bricks almost one month ago.

Classes at the 22 colleges resumed this week but only after the government tabled legislation forcing teachers back into classrooms.

Contract talks between the Council of Regents and OPSEU bogged down over the issue of teachers' workloads.

The strike kept 120,000 full-time and another 500,000 part-time students out of class.

The last pact between the teacher and the Council of Regents expired Aug. 31.

Police beat

Penetanguishene police have cleared the books on a rash of break, enter and thefts which occurred at a number of Penetanguishene businesses between August 1 and 20. As well, a number of thefts from boats tied up at marinas in the Penetang area in the summer have also been cleared, Police Chief Robert Cummings reported yesterday.

Twelve persons, all young offenders, were arrested and charged in connection with the incidents. Seven were charged under the new Young Offenders Act.

Five were dealt with by other charges. A total of 26 criminal code offenses related to break, enter and theft, and theft under \$200 were laid, Chief Cummings said.



New cubs

Twelve boys joined the worldwide Scouting movement in October when they were invested in the First Penetanguishene Cub pack. The in-

vestiture took place Oct. 22. In the photo, Cub leader Doug Rawson of Penetanguishene invests one of the new Cubs.