



### Reaching new heights

Clint Truax of King Street in Midland couldn't find a painter around with a ladder big enough to reach the peak of his roof. But did that stop him? No way. He called and asked his friend Dan Collins to roll in

his 1956 American LaFrance aerial truck, and before you know it, Clint's trim was white again. Both men make a hobby of buying and restoring antique fire trucks.

## Make contact at lunches

If you're not doing anything on the fourth Tuesday of every month, you might want to visit the Georgian Manor. On these days you'll not only be served a good lunch but hear a lecture about cultural, social and political concerns sponsored by the Contact Information Centre.

contact agency. If you have a problem, Contact will try to find the right social agency to deal with that problem.

The monthly meetings at the Georgian Community Centre are designed to get the area's various social agencies talking together.

Cathy Kytayko is the Director of Contact for North-Simcoe County. She says the lectures (which usually include a lunch) "help to provide better social services all around" because the various groups involved can see where the real needs are.

Kytayko only moved to the Huronia area in August when she started her new job as Contact's area representative. Previously, she had designed and administered a mental health program in Oakville, Ont. Last year, Contact received 13,500 calls from people in the Midland-Penetang

area who needed some kind of help. "If we can't help them directly, then we can tell them where they can call to receive help," Kytayko says.

Although Contact has had an office in Midland for four years now, Kytayko says the organization's existence is still unknown to many people.

"A lot of people just walk in and say, 'Oh, this must be new.'"

Contact provides free literature and advice to all who need it. The centre may be reached at 526-9333.

**Rosewood meeting on Oct. 5**

The board of directors of Rosewood Shelter for Women and Children invites you to attend the annual meeting on Modany, October 5 in the board room of the Midland Centennial Arena at 7:30 p.m.

Everyone who has supported Rosewood and anyone who would like to become involved in helping the transition home continue in its vital role in the community is encouraged to attend.

Refreshments will be served compliments of the Knox Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary.

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