

Gossip!

*Personal Notices, Announcements
& Random Notes*

The South Bay Rock Festival

Kudos to Brian and Margie of Half Moon Bay Winery for an innovative event on the Father's day weekend. Visitors are invited to come to the winery and explore the vineyard in the hope of finding interesting rocks and fossils. You're not likely to find any diamonds or dinos on the property, but experts on hand will be able to explain what you have gathered.

The Forger's Son

What began as a casual comment about former Milford Bistro owner Chris Pengelly's dad during a recent dinner party with friends, turned into a fairly lengthy search for confirmation of facts.

It is probably not lost on people that Hollywood movies *occasionally* bend the truth to create a more marketable product for American audiences. The fairly recent Oscar-winning Ben Affleck movie about the US hostage crisis in Iran, *Argo*, comes to mind as an example where Canada's role in shaping history has been diminished. Another example is 1963's *The Great Escape* about allied soldiers tunnelling out of a German POW camp lead, heroically, by Steve McQueen. In fact, it was Canadian POWs who played the leading role in the historic escape from Stalag Luft III including Chris' father, the then 20-year-old Flight Lt. Tony Pengelly, who forged correct documents for the escapees. In the movie, *The Forger* was played by Donald Pleasence.

You can read more about this extraordinary story by following the link below, or by visiting the *Great Escape* exhibit at the RCAF Museum in Trenton. Better yet, ask Chris for more information about his heroic father of whom we should all be proud.

<http://www.everythingzoomer.com/general/2013/10/22/great-escape-canadian-story-2/>

Speaking of Dinner...



If you're in need of a break from French's Ketchup and Mustard to liven up your culinary masterpieces, you might want to stop into Taste Your World at 181 Main St. in Picton for more exotic condiments, sauces and spices. I recently stumbled upon this line of great tasting Japanese sauces and marinades that

Gord is carrying and introduced me to, and he was kind enough to begin carrying Diamond Crystal, our favourite kosher salt. Well worth a visit and chat!

And Last but by No Means Least...

A belated happy birthday to Floral Minaker who's still going strong at 106!

SOUTH BAY UNITED CHURCH

FISH FRY

Wednesday, July 4
from 4:30 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

Pan Fried
Perch & Pickerel
Caesar Salad, Potato Salad
Baked Beans, Rolls,
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Tea, Coffee, Lemonade

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