

Cycling Weekend June 7-8th

All Events are rain or shine at
Mt. Tabor/Milford Fair Shed

Saturday morning, June 7th

Personal Best: all ages local riders must preregister at www.midweekclub.ca (30 km or 60 km course). It's for cyclocross or mountain bikes. You must wear a helmet. Ontario Youth Cup Criterium: Youth 6 to 16 years old - age appropriate distances around the mill pond

Saturday afternoon, June 7th

Ontario Youth Cup Individual Time Trial: Youth 10 to 15 years old
Ontario Cup Individual Time Trial: Ages 14 to 60+ = age appropriate distances

Sunday, June 8th

Milford Ontario Cup Road Races:

15 categories 3 start times beginning at 8:30 am and expected to finish about 4:30 pm. Fun for spectators. Lots of local vendors at the Milford Fair Shed as well as a beer, wine and cheese garden to enjoy between the laps as the racers in this Tour de France style event come by.

Personal Best Rides are an all-terrain type ride against the clock.

Criteriums are short multilap races held on a closed course. The Tour de France often ends with a criterium (crit).

Time Trials are road races against the clock. The Tour de France includes several time trials.

"Planning the Plan" for Economic Development in Milford/South Marysburgh

Tuesday, June 17, 8:00 p.m., Bredin Hall
(Mount Tabor Playhouse)

A small committee has been formed to work with a 6-month administrative/development person coming to us through the PEC Economic Development Dept.

Other folks are invited to join. Call Monica @ 613-476-8045

Letter to the Editor

A "scary-tale" about windfarms' future.

Passions ran high among pro- and anti- wind farm forces. So on March 29th of 09, to prevent a "mini civil war" the County held a plebiscite. "Are you in favor of wind farms in PEC? Yes or No". The No-side won. Everyone was happy the issue is now settled.

Three days later, Joseph, the pessimist, and David, the optimist, met at Tim Hortons. As they talked about the vote on wind farms, they noticed a tall willowy blonde fixing her face on the next table. She put her make-up case away, got up and introduced herself. She said she was Leona Dombrowsky your local MPP, and Minister of Agriculture. She couldn't help overhearing their talk on wind farms. She asked them to tell no-one what she is about to tell them now...

She just came from a Cabinet meeting and the Premier was pleased to hear the County wants no wind farms. So the Cabinet decided to put an ultra-modern garbage incinerator that will turn Toronto's garbage into electricity on the Government's property south of South Bay.

"The Government owns the land which means tax payers won't have to fork out \$millions for real estate. Toronto now trucks garbage almost 500kms to Michigan. To bring it here is about 240kms, cutting haulage costs in half. There are good roads for trucks right up to Babylon Road. On the property just a bit of topsoil will be scraped aside and the bedrock will act as a huge paved area, saving taxpayers \$millions for paving. Cold water from the lake will be used to cool turbines and hot water goes back. There'll be jobs because garbage will be spread out to dry and later loaded into the incinerator and burnt.

"But please keep this to yourselves, Boys! In a few minutes I'll meet Leo to inform him. And he, too, is to keep quiet about it."

Dave says, "Oh great, my boys'll probably find jobs there". Joseph goes straight to the Anti-Wind Farm Society's president to inform him what Leona Dombrowsky just told them - "This calls for action!!!" he shouted. - "We don't want Toronto's garbage!!!"

The president calls a meeting of his old Anti-wind farm executives. He tells them even wind farms are preferable to Toronto's garbage. "What about the birds?" exclaims one guy. "Let's not get too carried away about birds" says another "Millions of birds get killed by cars and we all keep driving cars! - And millions more birds crash into windows and we don't board up our windows to save birds." He gets

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