

**Pukaskwa Park**

# Midnight choruses

Choruses of song birds are waking us very early these mornings. Spring is in full swing with leaves appearing on the trees, long-legged moose calves awkwardly following their mothers and brilliant yellow marsh marigolds in full bloom. There is

also another chorus of song heralding spring. To enjoy it one must procure a flashlight, and attire oneself in warm clothes and rubber boots and head out into the wetlands at night. The singers are male frogs, who, like birds, vocalize vigorously to attract fe-

males and proclaim their breeding territories.

It's a woman's world out there in the swamps. A female frog chooses a male solely on the basis of his voice. A good voice, then, is as important for a male frog as biceps are to the human.

So just what does a lady frog look for in a male's call?

Females choose males of the same species, each species having its own distinct call. For example, Chorus Frogs have a call not unlike a comb; Spring Peepers make a high pitched "peep-peep"; Wood Frogs, a giggling noise; and Leopard Frogs, a moaning snore.



**CONGRATULATIONS SUSAN**



The Kinsmen Club of Terrace Bay would like to congratulate **SUSAN BOUCHER** of the Terrace Bay Public School, the winner of their **GENERAL PROFICIENCY AWARD.**

## Swim Pool News

Final preparations are now being made for the opening of the Terrace

Bay swimming pool. Tentative date for the commencement of the

swim program is June 27th.

Swim lessons will begin on July 4th with sessions being held in both July and August. Registration forms have been distributed at the schools but they can also be obtained at the Recreation Office.

The length and pitch of the call also varies with temperature. Colder frogs have longer, lower pitched voices. If given a choice, females select males of about the same body temperature.

The gals don't seem interested in loud, quiet, hot or cold males. Since the guys voice gives no indication of body size, females are notable to choose larger or smaller males. A loud brawny suntanned male, then, has no advantage in the frog world. The most favoured males are those with the most average voices.

Should you go out to a pond at night, take a flashlight and look for the frogs that are calling. This may prove

difficult. Not only do frogs tend to stop singing when you approach, but they are usually also well camouflaged and often very small. Spring Peepers, for example, are only about one inch in length. The glistening white sphere of the male's vocal pouch often gives a frog away. If you are lucky you may even see a female heading towards a chosen male, or eggs in a clear jelly floating on the surface of the pond. Even if you aren't luck enough to see frogs, your head will soon be filled with the raucous songs of courting male frogs and other sounds of the night.  
*Pukaskwa National Park Staff*

## Terrace Bay Minor Hockey

The Terrace Bay Minor Hockey Association held its Annual meeting on Monday, June 6 in the Conference Room at the Recreation Centre. Over sixty people were at the meeting, which made it the best attended years

A new Executive for 1983-84 was elected: President: Doug Roberts, Past President: Ted Hanley, Vice President: Mary Cashmore, Secretary: Gail Roberts,

Treasurer: Frank Sechesky, Registrar: Faye Figliomeni, Referee-in-chief: Rob Thompson, Directors: Jim Figliomeni, Sandy Scollard, Ray Mikkonen, Roger Moskwa, Charles Robinseau, Debbie Leclair, Nestor Trach, Roger Fournier.

The new President, Doug Roberts, said that the executive has already held its first meeting and that plans are underway for the '83-'84 season.

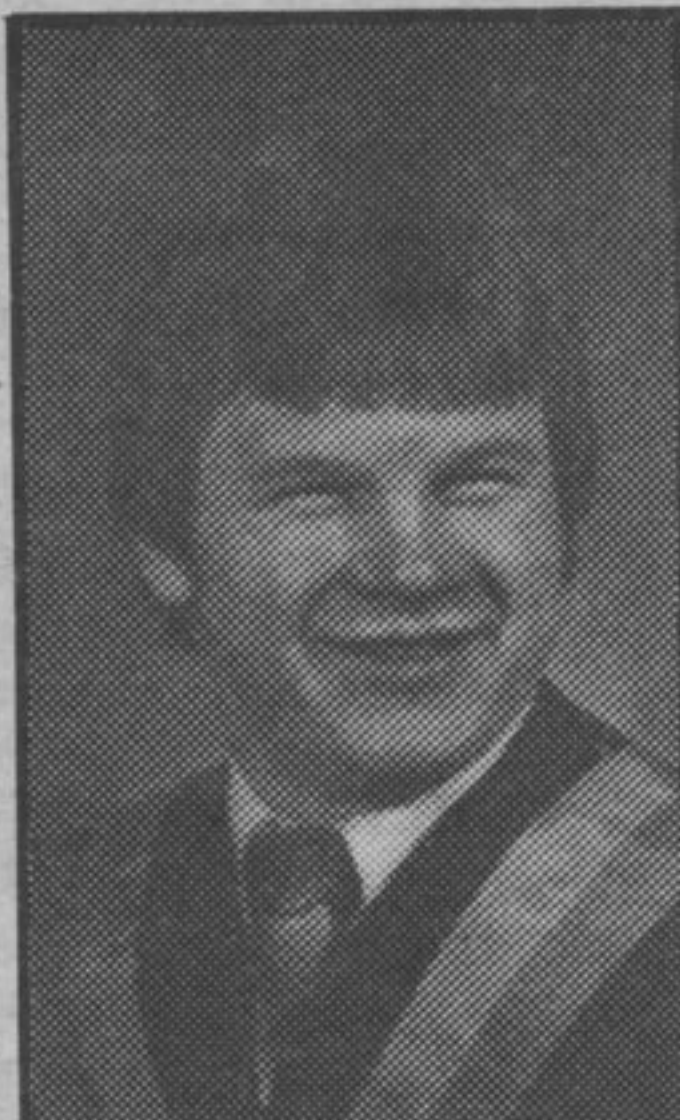
**DEADLINE FOR JULY SWIM SESSION IS JUNE 27TH. LATE BE CHARGED DOUBLE AND WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED IF THERE IS ROOM IN THE CLASS.** So, get those registration forms in on time. Check the pool for information concerning the FUN DAY activities scheduled for July 1st & 2nd. Times for different ages are as follows:

TIME: 10:00 - 11:00 a.m., 4 - 8 years, 11:00 - 12 noon, 9 - 12 years, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m., 13 and over.

Aquatics will run for 8 weeks starting Tuesday July 5th at 8:45 p.m. The program will end August 25, 1983. The fee is \$20 per person, payable at the recreation office. Admittance will be limited to the first 25 applicants. Membership in the Terrace Bay Recreation Centre is a requirement.

## Legal Clinic

The Community Legal Worker from the Kinna-Aweya Legal Clinic will be in Schreiber Monday, June 27 to offer legal information and assistance to people with low incomes. Matters such as Human Rights, Landlord & Tenant, Employment Standards, Unemployment Insurance, Workman's Compensation, Women's issues, and government applications may be dealt with. Bring your legal questions to the Community Resource Office in the old Town Hall, Scotia Street, Schreiber between 1 and 4 p.m. on Monday, June 27, 1983.



### GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENT

David G. Godin, son of Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Godin of Schreiber graduated from The Confederation College of Applied Arts and Technology, Thunder Bay, Ontario as an Aviation Engineer. He is presently employed with Air-Dale Ltd., in Dryden, Ontario.

## IN MEMORIAM

**PETERS** - In loving memory of a dear Mother, Mother-in-law and Grandmother. Annie who passed away June 24, 1982.

We lost a mother with a heart of gold,  
Who was more to us than wealth untold,  
Without farewell, she fell asleep,  
With only memories for us to keep,  
We have losted, but God has gained.  
One of the best Mothers, the world contained.

Lovingly remembered and sadly missed by daughter, Rose, son-in-law Grant and grandson Billy.

## PUBLIC NOTICE



With the approval of Town Council the highway end of Lakeview to the junction of Superior will be closed to the public on July 1st from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon approximately, due to the Soap Box Race.

Thank you,  
Rick MoQuin,  
Kinsmen Soap Box Chairman

## WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. & Mrs. Tony Zborowski are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their son

**DENIS**  
to  
**MARY BALAISIS**

the wedding will take place on July 30, 1983 in Ottawa, Ontario.

## TERRACE BAY KINSMEN



## SOAP BOX RACE

As part of the Canada Day Celebrations the Kinsmen is hosting our 2nd Annual Soap Box Race providing there are a sufficient number of entries.

Entry forms and rules can be picked up at the Recreation Centre.

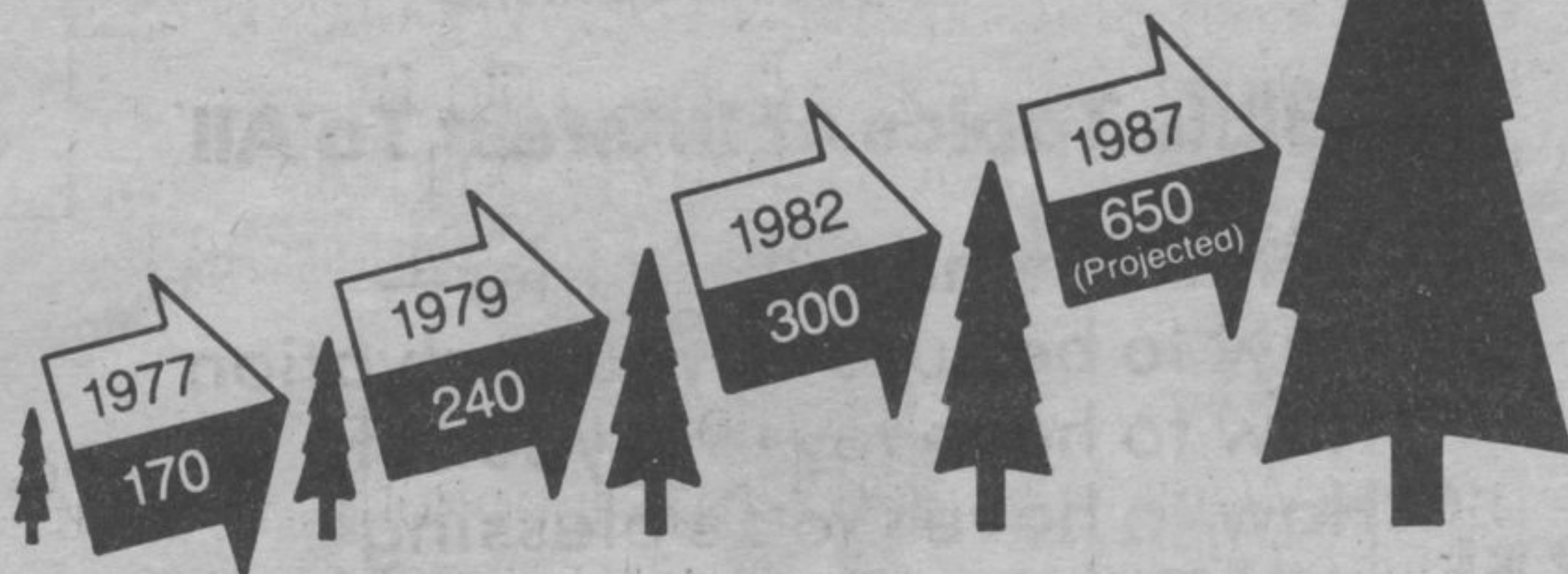
Parking at Birchwood.  
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

**HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE**



## Pulp and Paper Reports:

### Farming the Forests



FOREST RENEWAL EXPENDITURES CANADA (\$ MILLIONS)

(Source: CPPA)

Canada's bountiful forest lands provide the base for the country's largest manufacturing industry: pulp and paper.

In recent years, attention has turned to the question of how Canada can produce an adequate supply of wood fibre so that it can maintain its present share and participate in the growing world demand for forest products. Spending on forestry by governments and industry has risen

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Money is invested in protecting existing forests from the ravages of fire, insects and disease. It is invested in seedlings, and in thinning and fertilizing stands of timber. The investment pays off in more fibre per hectare.

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