

The Schreiber Economic Development Committee is happy to announce a "Starting A Small Business" seminar. Mr. Bob Pollock, Ministry of Industry and Trade will be conducting this informative seminar, and topics will include:

- forming a business
- finance
- licensing
- where to find assistance
- taxation
- and more

There is no charge for attending the seminar and all members of the public are cordially in-

cluded to attend.

Day: Thursday, Jan. 26
Time: 7-10 p.m.

Location: Community Hall

For additional information contact either Councillor Larry Dunwoody or the Municipal Office (824-2711).

Council support

"Citizen of the Year" award

In a letter recently written to the Terrace Bay Council, Karen E. Park suggested that Terrace Bay adopt the idea of supporting a "Citizen of the Year" award.

The award would be given to a resident of Terrace Bay for their outstanding efforts and contributions as a

volunteer of this community.

At the January 9th Council meeting, Council accepted the idea with much enthusiasm and will shortly be developing the format for such an award in the very near future. It is anticipated that a committee made

up of the public at large will be formed and they will in turn accept nominations for the "Citizen of the Year" and make their selection on the basis of the requirements.

Watch your "NEWS" for further information regarding this award.

Terrace Bay Council Report

Hydro rates to be increased

The regular meeting of the Terrace Bay Municipal Council was held on Monday, January 9th. All councillors and the Reeve were in attendance.

Minutes were adopted as read from the regular meeting of Dec. 12/83 and from a special meeting of Dec. 19/83.

Mr. Gabe Fritzen from Ontario Hydro in Thunder Bay met with Council to discuss the proposed rate increases for the township of Terrace Bay. Various options were made available to Council concerning rates and increases, and a decision will be made during the next council meeting.

Correspondence

The Attorney-General and the President of A.M.O. (Assoc. of the Municipalities of Ontario) requested that Council attempt to establish a drinking and driving committee for the town of Terrace Bay. The committee's mandate will be to obtain facts and figures on the severity of the problem as it relates to the town and its people and to make recommendations to Council concerning their findings. Council has agreed to approach the residents of Terrace Bay for their help in this matter.

A letter of complaint was received by Council concerning dogs running at large within the town limit. Other councillors have also received various complaints about dogs running at large; measures will be made to deal with this problem more extensively.

The Recreation Director, Terry Bryson, requested that Council authorize the hiring of a bus to transport participants from the Thunder Bay airport to the town of Terrace Bay for an upcoming hockey tournament between Arnprior and Terrace Bay. Council also agreed

to provide one meal for them at the township's expense. Council was in full support of this proposal.

Ontario Hydro advised that they will accept the boundaries for the Hydro service area which will involve a smaller area than the township's boundaries. This in turn means that the costs for upgrading the feeder line will be Hydro's responsibilities.

The Attorney-General in a letter, advised Council that at this time, no appointment of a Justice of the Peace will be made for Terrace Bay. Council will keep in contact with the Attorney-General on this matter, in hopes that this decision will be reversed in the future.

New Business

Due to the fact that there will be Committee and Board vacancies coming up, Council looked into the areas where these vacancies will be available. Advertisements will be published in the "NEWS" for anyone interested in sitting on the Boards concerned.

Much discussion was given pertaining to the subject of acquiring a computer for the township office. If Council acts quickly, there will be a grant of \$20,000 obtainable for the purchasing of this equipment. Council could not reach a decision on this matter as budgets have not yet been prepared and they have no idea of what capital expenditures will be issued for the 1984 fiscal year. Councillor Chapman expressed concern over other major expenditures needed, such as a new grader for the town and a better equipped fire truck (to enable fire fighters to reach problem areas (i.e.) rear upper floors of Birchwood Terrace and the apartments). Once the budgets are submitted

to Council, they will have a better idea of where the money should be spent.

Motions and Notices of Motions

By-Law No. 1-84 being a by-law regarding interest and penalties on unpaid taxes was given first, second and third reading. Interest will continue to be in the amount of 1.1 per cent monthly or 13.2 per cent yearly.

By-Law No. 3-84 being a bylaw listing all of the association memberships that are supported by the township of Terrace Bay, will be updated, amended and passed.

Disbursements for the month of December were as follows:
Township - \$473,410.18;
Hydro - \$96,140.38.

For January/84:
Township - \$7,139.19;
Hydro - \$3,661.00.

Committee Reports

From Councillor Kennedy - Airport:

The airport is in dire need of a new vehicle, he stated. Their current mode of transportation is completely rusted out and sports holes in the floors. Three drive shafts have already been replaced. Council will keep this in mind following budget preparations.

He also reported that there have been no complaints in regards to the condition of the streets and that the Public Works crew have been doing a superb job this winter.

From Councillor Ramsay - Police:

Ramsay stated that two meetings have taken place to present their 1984 contract. The contract must be gone over clause by clause by Council, and a special meeting will be set up to do this. The Police Chief is due back from vacation during the first week of February. Ramsay stated that Council should be aware of the fact that there is a need for a new police cruis-

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There is a light at the end of the tunnel!

Having trouble talking to your kids? Ever feel like you're constantly screaming at them to no end? Do you just throw up your arms and walk away? You're not alone. Many parents go through the same feelings day-in and day-out.

and worries, and the frustrations of raising children during these troubling times. Parent-Link knows that it's not easy being a parent in today's society. Anyone can get involved - to come and share their ideas - meet other families and their Parent-Link volunteers.

Superior Community Mental Health Programme and Family and Children Services.

Starting on January 22nd Parent-Link will be offering a series of parenting sessions which will cover the following topics: Parent/Child communications; Discipline; Sexuality; Street-proofing your kids; and the Importance of Consistency and Routines in a child's life.

are currently undergoing some type of problem with parenting. We're also looking for people who are willing to share their ideas, their past experiences, etc. with others." So, if you are a grandparent or someone who has lived through the crazies of raising a growing family, please come out and contribute your expertise.

For more information you are asked to contact any of the following couples: Brysons - 825-9562; Withers - 825-9495; and the Notwells - 825-9221. They're there to help you.

"We don't profess to be experts on raising children", says Cathie Notwell, "but we're here to help you in any way that we can." Kathy Withers stated "its not only designed for those people who

Funding for Parent-Link is being provided by the North of



Cathie Notwell (l) and Kathy Withers (r) are busy preparing for the up-coming Parent-Link sessions that will be starting in Terrace Bay on January 22nd.

for the department. This will have to be considered when preparing their budget.

From Councillor Houston - Library:

Houston related to Council that the Library staff will be have a party in honour of Mrs. Knauff's retirement as Head Librarian. The township will be presenting a gift to Mrs. Knauff on this occasion.

From Councillor Chapman - Recreation:

Chapman relayed to Council the Recreation Committee's decision to bring back the payroll deduction plan for the payment of recreation dues. She also outlined the plans for payments for 1985.

On behalf of the Fire Department she requested that Council

consider authorizing the purchase of a 4-ton rescue kit for Terrace Bay at the cost of \$1604.90. Council agreed to such a purchase. The extraction kit will prove useful to the department when

attempting to take out windshields or in the opening of vehicle doors, etc. during a post-accident situation.

Other Business

Ideas were exchanged, and plans were

drawn up for the co-ordination of the town's Bicentennial efforts. More information will be made public as it becomes available.

The meeting was adjourned at 11 p.m.

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