

Bell telephone spending money locally

Terrace Bay- Bell Canada's tax contribution locally as a result of telecommunications operations in 1986 totalled \$53,400.

Last year Bell spent \$471,000 in this area to maintain and upgrade telephone service. The 1987 cost is expected to be \$78,000.

There were 1,006 customers in the Terrace Bay exchange at the end of 1986.

In 1986, Bell paid \$53,413.26 in taxes to Terrace Bay as follows: real estate, \$1,365.24; business, \$409.57; and gross receipts, \$51,638.45 or \$28.51 per phone. In 1987, gross receipts tax will total \$54,047.55.

The gross receipts tax is a levy of five per cent of all telecommunications revenue derived from Bell operations in Ontario the previous year and apportioned to each exchange based on the number of Bell-owned telephones in use in the exchange.

Company-wide, Bell's capital expenditures this year will likely total \$1.787 billion, with Ontario's share more than \$1 billion.

Some highlights of Bell's local spending in 1986

-replacement of rear-lot non-standard cable with front-lot standard facilities

Some highlights of Bell's 1987 local plans

-replacement of cables in Selkirk St. area.

Schreiber- Bell Canada's tax contribution locally as a result of telecommunications operations in 1986 totalled \$39,000.

Last year Bell spent \$39,200 in this area to maintain and upgrade telephone service.

There were 906 customers in the Schreiber exchange at the end of 1986.

In 1986 Bell paid \$39,445.48 in taxes to Schreiber as follows: real estate, \$5,723.09; business, \$2,169.89 and gross receipts \$31,552.50 or \$28.51 per phone.

In 1987, gross receipts tax will total \$35,119.45.

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Some highlights of Bell's local spending in 1986

-placement of submarine cable to Nichol Island to service a 64-lot subdivision.

Schreiber Recreation Department News

Fun Run

Well Schreiberites, we did it again!! For the third year in a row we had the greatest percentage of our population out for the Annual Fun Run.

The recreation department would like to thank all who walked, wheeled, pushed or crawled the one mile route.

A special thanks to all the community businesses who donated prizes. The final results are as follows:

- Town- Marathon- No. of participants- 978- Per cent of pop.- 25;
- Town- Terrace Bay- No. of participants- 891- Per cent of pop.- 35;
- Town- Manitowadge- No. of participants- 792- Per cent of pop.- 18
- Town- Schreiber- No. of participants- 752- Per cent of pop.- 40
- Town- Longlac- No. of participants- 591- Per cent of pop.- 26
- Town- Geraldton- No. of participants- 406- Per cent of pop.- 15
- Town- Nipigon- No. of participants- 392- Per cent of pop.- 16
- Town- Dorion- No. of participants- 80- Per cent of pop.- 16.

Marathon wins for the second year in a row for *number of participants*, Schreiber wins for the third year in a row for *highest percentage of population participating*.

Minor Ball

The minor ball program commenced Monday, June 1. If you have registered but have not been contacted please call the recreation office at 4-2317. Due to the number of registrations we will be unable to accept any more late registrations.

Swim program

The recreation department will again be offering Red Cross Swim classes this summer. We will be holding two, three-week sessions. The first will commence on July 6 and the second on July 27. Registration forms will be distributed through the schools in the near future.

Canada Day Dance

Billy Can will be back!! On Saturday, June 27, in the Schreiber Arena, the recreation committee will be sponsoring its annual Canada Day dance.

This year we are in for a special treat. Bill Can (Elvis impersonator) will be here to help us rock 'n' roll the night away. Those who attended the concert last fall know exactly how great this night will be. Tell your friends and plan to attend this exciting evening.

Mixed Slow Pitch

The season has begun!! Sixteen enthusiastic teams are now competing for the trophy. Stop by and have a look at the new ball field and catch the excitement of a good ball game.

Games are played each Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday evenings and also Sunday afternoons.

Bits and Bites

By Helene Ballard

I hope no one got lost in the fog-it sure was bad. It felt like London, England.

We welcomed a new resident at Birchwood, 'Queenie Halliday'- we hope she enjoys her stay with us.

Our 'resident gardener' Cliff Barker has been busy in the garden planting some vegetable seeds- sure will be nice to have fresh-picked vegetables for our meals.

On Monday, the 25th, our lounge looked like a department store. "Maureen's Comfort Clothing" was here and our residents could look over the dresser, blouses, etc., and several bought some nice new clothes so we are all set for summer.

Our thanks to our ever-faithful card players who came in on the 26th for an afternoon of bridge and cribbage.

On Friday, the 29th, some of the residents drove into Schreiber to visit their friends at the Chimo Club. Those folks always make us feel so welcome.

I suppose you lovely ladies are busy buying a gift for "Father's Day" June 21- let's not forget "dear ole Dad".

On behalf of the residents I want to thank our Ladies Auxiliary for the 'Bake Sale' held on the 22nd and to all who came or helped in any way.


Not much more to write for this week so I'll sign off with this bit of 'fluff'.

Two matronly ladies to travel agent: "We'd like to get completely away from civilization, near some nice shopping centres." "Cheerio".

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Congratulations Schreiber

THE SCHREIBER PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the citizens of Schreiber and thank them for making the 1987 Fun Run such a success. You have once again proven that our spirit can't be beat.


1986-45%

1987-40%

752 people out.

Our challenge next year is to win both banners. "Watch us crow". A special thank you to the merchants that donated prizes for our special awards.

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