

Terrace Bay Recreation Department News

Tot Lot News

Tot Lot has completed the first month of the summer program. The attendance has been average and more children are expected in the month of August.

Last week the children went on tours to the hospital, police station and the fire station. The children enjoyed all the tours and learned many new things about these important people that assist us when we need their help.

The Tot Lot staff would like to thank the people involved for letting us tour their job sites. They are: Mrs. Marg Phillips, Mrs. Anna Phillips, and Ms. Jennifer Gatz from the hospital. From the police station we would like to thank Mrs. Brenda Harper, Ms. Julie Kenney and also Mr. Dave Smeltzer; from the fire department we would like to thank Mr. Ed Stachiw for making the tours fun, interesting and exciting.

Pool News

The past week at the pool has

been a huge success. Our fun week started on Monday with a swim for scuba divers and a float swim.

The float swim was greatly-attended by laughing swimmers with their many different dingies and air mattresses.

On Tuesday, our first swim was a twin competition with prizes for first and second place. Following twin day was a giant treasure hunt with clues leading the children from the pool, around town and returning to the pool to find the sunken treasure.

Wednesday was a dress up day with a sock hop and a Halloween in July Masquerade.

Thursday we had our Mystery Swim consisting of games and obstacle courses. Following the mystery swim were our pool pirates consisting of eight ships and crews. The pirates had a war to see what ship could stay floating the longest.

Friday the week ended with a bang! Children swam with the

fruits of paradise which they all ate. They continued to swim with the coloured icebergs of the Arctic!

After a week's worth of fun, everyone will be ready for swimming lessons which start on Tuesday, August 4. Swimming lesson times are posted at the pool. August swim schedule is listed elsewhere in this paper-please clip and save.

Minor Soccer Program

The Terrace Bay Recreation Department would like to offer a Minor Soccer Program for boys and girls between the ages of 5 and 15 years. This program will take place this summer but we need volunteers to assist with coaching and umpiring.

This program will run from mid-August to mid-September but without the support of volunteers, this program will not take place.

If you can possibly spare some time to assist with soccer this

summer, please contact the Terrace Bay Recreation Department at 825-3542.

Tae Kwon Do

In the fall, Joe Thippawong, a black belt holder, will be offering a 10-week course in Tae Kwon Do.

This course is designed for the beginner and is being offered to persons aged 10 years and older.

If at the end of the 10-week course enough interest is shown, a club will be formed. Classes will consist of physical conditioning, self-defence and sports competition.

For more informatoin, contact the rec office at 3542.

Minor Ball Schedule Finishes

The Minor Ball schedule for 1987 came to a close with the final Tournaments on August 1.

The Terrace Bay Recreation Department and the Minor Ball Co-ordinators, Wayne Slawson

and Jeff Pope, would like to sincerely thank all the volunteers who so unselfishly gave of their time to make this such a successful season: Dion Bozec, Judy Hackett, Carol Gugelyk, ELizabeth Singleton, Mike Stasula, Tom and Leslie Dickson, Jim and Moira Isaacson, David Kaizer, Susan Luxmore, Clark Stuttard, Diane Renette, Linda Falzetta and Joyce Gilmore. Thank you one and all.

Teen Dance

The Teen Masquerade Dance held on July 29 was a great success with approximately 125 students in attendance.

Winners of the costume prizes were: **Best Female-** Trevor Mikus; **Best Male-** Shane Jowitt; **Best Couple-** Derek Sitko and Stacey Wallwin.

Thank-you to all those who dressed up for the event.

Watch for another Teen Dance to be held some time in August.

ANOTHER PROGRAM FROM ASSURED HOUSING FOR ONTARIO.

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Are you disabled or do you have a disabled relative living with you?

Forgivable loans of up to \$15,000 are available to help you make modifications to your home for yourself or a disabled family member. For example: building wheelchair ramps, modifying kitchens and bathrooms.

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2. Convert part of your home or non-residential building into a rental apartment.

Interest free-loans of up to \$5,000 are available to make new rental units for disabled occupants in single-family homes and non-residential buildings.

This special financial assistance is in addition to a *\$7,000 per unit loan* which you could qualify for through our *Convert-to-Rent Program*.

3. Landlords of older low-rise buildings can also get assistance.

Are you the landlord of a low-rise apartment building built before 1960? You could qualify for a *forgivable loan of up to \$5,000* to make your rental units more livable for disabled persons.

This amount is in addition to a forgivable loan of up to two-thirds of the cost of rehabilitating units in older low-rise apartments (loan maximum is \$5,000 per unit). These funds are available through our *Low-Rise Rehabilitation Program*.



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Ontario Hon. Alvin Curling, Minister

LOW-RISE REHABILITATION

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