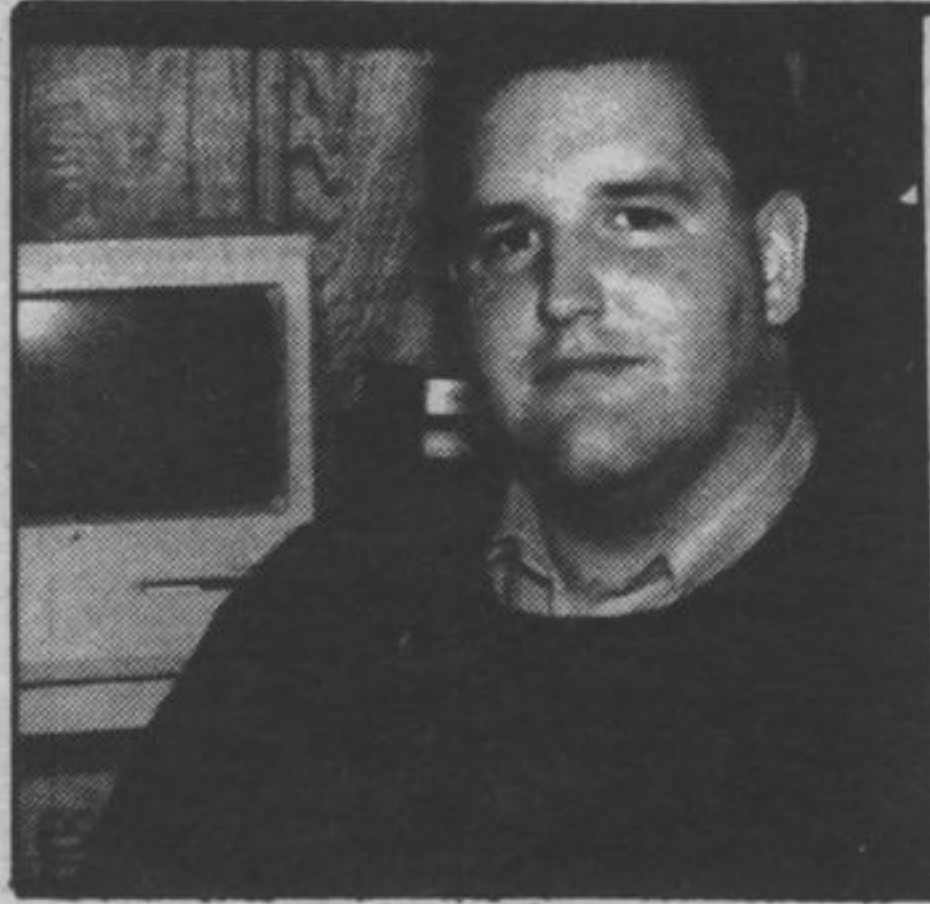


# It's time to play the 'name game'



## Back in the corner

by Greg Huneault

How about that wind last Tuesday morning!? It was just whipping through what's left of my hair as I walked and rolled to work. I'm beginning to see what effect the Lake has on our weather.

I'm not a meteorologist — heck I don't even know what a meteorologist does — but it's quite obvious to many that Lake Superior has a strong influence on the type of weather we get.

I was told recently by a local friend that you could determine how rough the water is by looking in your toilet bowl. Apparently, the more the water in the bowl moves up and down, the more agitated the water in Superior is. It may heave and ebb slightly, but you can notice it sometimes.

That started me thinking: what happens to the lake when one flushes the bowl?

I attended this year's Hanley Memorial Golf Tournament, and was treated to some great golf. Actually, I got there just in time to see the last flight of the tourney finish the 18th hole, but it was exciting!

I noticed a coincidence, or what I believed was a coincidence, when I read the list of golf tourney winners.

It turned out Joe Tees won the low net. Too bad there was no commentary:

Golf Commentator: (in a low, hushed voice similar to someone who has been heavily sedated and doesn't care about it) "The crowd is quiet now as Mr. Tees tees up."

William Shakespeare said that a rose by any other name would smell as sweet. Some people don't think so.

Some believe that names and identities are intertwined. The practice of giving people two names first began to help identify a person's profession. Bakers were named Baker; cooks were named Cook, etc.,.

Smith is a derivative of Mr. Tinsmith, Mr. Blacksmith, etc.

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## Thank You

We'd like to give a special thanks to Auntie Natalie and Auntie Lynn for being there for us when we needed you the most and also to my mother for everything

Love  
**Marianne & Tricia**

It noted Lionel Tiger and Robin Fox, both of whom studied animal behaviour. It mentioned a nutritionist named Bacon Chow. There is a man named Grumbles who wrote an essay called, "Are Emotional Problems Really Problems?"

The Atlantic article noted one study that established that many 6- and 7-year-olds believe that they would not be the same people if they had different names. He said that identities and names are intertwined.

Researchers have also been able to determine that some names are frankly better than others.

A study published in the Journal of Educational Psychology entitled "Name Stereotypes and Teachers'

Expectations" indicates that a name may determine how far you get ahead.

Two psychologists showed that a grade-school essay titled "What I did Last Sunday" when said to have been written by a "David" or "Lisa" consistently received a better grade than it did when said to have been written by an "Elmer" or a "Bertha".

I believe it. Think I'm out in left field? Just look in our own communities. Minnova has a mill where the ore is crushed. Is it just a coincidence that the mill superintendent is named Bill Mills? (When I lived

in Red Lake, Ont. the mill superintendent in one of the gold mines was named Hugh Mills.)

In Terrace Bay, a town dependent on the timber industry, our dentist is named Forest Notwell. And Joe Tees the golfer? What about him.

Surely, there must be a few more who have names associated with their professions or some part of their personalities. But I may be wrong.

If you think I don't know what I'm talking about, please call the News and ask for me. My last name is pronounced "you know."

### "Back in the corner" PRESENTS its very first contest

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Selection: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

If you know of someone in the area who has an interesting name which reflects their job, hobby, or a unique character trait, tell us about it!

A winner will be chosen based on the originality and humour of their submission, so if two submissions list the same name the better of the two will be chosen.

Send your submission to the  
**Terrace Bay/Schreiber News**  
 P.O. Box 579  
 Terrace Bay, Ontario  
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#### WEAVER

In loving memory of a dear husband James Russell (Pidge) who passed away September 1, 1987

*Peacefully sleeping, resting at last; His weary trials and troubles past; In silence he suffered, in patience he bore; Till God called him home to suffer no more.*

Lovingly remembered by his wife Margaret and family.

#### WEAVER

In loving memory of our beloved father and grandfather who passed away September 1, 1987.

*We miss you in so many ways, We miss the things you used to say. And when old times we do recall. It's then we miss you most of all.*

Sadly missed by daughter Sheila, son in law Art, and grandsons Cory & Curtis.

### Ever Wonder What the Bible Really Says?

The New Testament section of the Journey Bible Study Series will be held this winter at St. John's Anglican church in Schreiber.

To register call: 824-2771 824-2275



### The Corporation of the Township of Terrace Bay

Township of Terrace Bay  
 Unorganized Locality of Jackfish  
 1988 Municipal/School Board Elections

### Candidate Registration

Prospective Candidates for all elected offices must file a Notice of Registration with the municipal clerk on or before Nomination Day, October 17, 1988.

A candidate may not raise funds or incur campaign expenses unless he or she has first registered as a candidate.

Registration forms and additional information may be obtained from the Municipal Office, 12 Simcoe Plaza, Terrace Bay

### FAMILY & CHILDREN'S SERVICES

of the District of Thunder Bay (Incorporated as the Children's Aid Society)

### Resumes

### \*\* REGULAR OFFICE HOURS \*\*

Effective

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1988**

The hours of operation will be

**9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

(24 Hour Emergency Line)  
 (343-6100)

## The New Minimum Wage Rates In Ontario

The following new general minimum wage rates (excluding harvest workers) take effect at the beginning of the work week in which **October 1st, 1988** occurs:

GENERAL (including domestics)	
General (hourly)	\$ 4.75
Students under 18 (hourly)	\$ 3.90
Liquor servers (hourly)	\$ 4.25
Hunting/fishing guides (half-day)	\$23.75
Hunting/fishing guides (day)	\$47.50

The following new minimum wage rates for **fruit, vegetable and tobacco harvesters** will go into effect on **January 1st, 1989**:

Adults	\$ 4.75
Students under 18	\$ 3.90

Maximum room and meal values in calculating the minimum wage (applicable to general workers at the beginning of the work week in which **October 1st, 1988** occurs, and to harvest workers, **January 1st, 1989**)

Room—private (weekly)	\$22.00
—non-private (weekly)	\$11.00
Meals—(each)	\$ 1.80
—(weekly)	37.50
Room and meals (weekly)	
—with private room	\$59.50
—with non-private lodging	\$48.50
Housing (weekly)	
<b>for harvest workers only</b>	
—serviced	\$69.00
—unserviced	\$51.00

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