Letters to the editor

Handi-transit article could be misleading

Information about fares contained in the news article 'Handi-transit bus fares to and from Rossport in limbo' (News, June 16) is misleading.

The current fare of \$5 for a disabled person of any age is correct, but if a disabled person requires an assistant, the assistant travels *free*..

A senior citizen who is not disabled does not need an assistant. A senior citizen who is not disabled might want to travel with a companion. If the companion is not a senior citizen, then the companion will pay \$10.

The Ontario Ministry of Transportation supplies a substantial subsidy toward the cost of transporting disabled persons of any age, but there is no subsidy for senior citizens or non-disabled persons.

When the feasibility study and recommendations to councils were made by the Steering Committee for a Handi-transit bus system, the financial climate was more favourable and there was hope that Rossport and Jackfish could find some funding for their shares of the costs.

Therefore both committees were included in the projected service. It is regrettable that circumstances have changed and the service is not as helpful

to these persons as originally anticipated.

Shirley Mikus
Disability Action Group

Wardrope Park compared to the birth of a baby

My view of the future of Wardrope Park in Rossport is like that of the birth of a new baby. Being a mother of three, I know the joy of a new arrival.

The new park we have planned for Rossport will be a great asset, not only for the res-

idents but also to passing travellers. The end result of our park plans will be attractive as well as inviting.

Tourists who stop in the New Wardrope Park will not be sorry. When they leave, they will be leaving with a sense of tranquillity and also a great appreciation for the beauty of the North of Superior.

Lynn McGrath Rossport

Classified ad? Call 825-3747

The McCausland Hospital in Terrace Bay would like to advise the public that a mock fire drill involving the fire department will take place Wednesday, July 8, 1992.

THE McCausland Hospital

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This procedure is necessary to ensure that all staff are aware of their role in the case of a real fire.



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GRADUATION

Bonnie and Miles Borsa are proud to announce the graduation of their daughter, Kimberley, from Canadore College. Kimberley graduated with a degree in Word Processing Administration maintaining a 4.0 grade average. The ceremony took place May 23rd in North Bay, Ontario.

Kimberley is now employed with the architectural firm of Osburn, Cotnam and Belair



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Hunters convicted

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"I think the courts are trying to spread the word that they're not going to tolerate that sort of behaviour."

The key to the solving the case, says Dennis, was public cooperation.

"This case never would have come to light without the public's help," he says.

"And we're getting more and

more of it every year. There's only two of us covering about 6,000 square miles of land, so if people don't talk to us, it makes it pretty tough."

The MNR laid around 120 charges under the Game and Fish Act last year, says Dennis, but only a small number of them go to court.

If the offence isn't too serious, the offenders can pay an out of court fine, comparable to a speeding ticket.

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