

# Schreiber resident recognized for 38 years of service



Georgina Davis (centre) receives her plaque from Kathryn Kaipo (right) and Cathy Withers.

ferent place.

She remembers that tuberculosis was so common here in the 1950s, people used to build sun porches on their houses for the patients.

"They would sleep out there," she says, "because that's what they needed—sunlight and rest."

There was even a mini tuberculosis epidemic at the time, and the members of an entire family in Schreiber were stricken with the disease, says Davis.

As part of their duties, the volunteers who were active in the association would travel to the sanitarium in Thunder Bay to visit convalescing tuberculosis patients from Schreiber.

In the 1960s, the group became the Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association and in the 1970s, as times changed again, it settled on its current name, the Lung Association.

In the 1950s, Davis served as president of the local chapter of the Tuberculosis Association. She became president of the entire Thunder Bay branch of the Lung Association in the 1970s, a branch which takes in the area from Marathon to

Atikokan, and includes Manitowadge and Geraldton

In honour of her long service, Davis received a plaque in a ceremony held last Friday at the Thunder Bay District Health Unit in Schreiber. She also received a decorative crystal plate.

"We've always had a really great response here in Schreiber," says Davis. "We first started out with about 20 volunteers, but we could have had a lot more."

Today, the Lung Association has 33 Associates across Ontario, in addition to one association in each of the other nine provinces.

"Today, volunteers like Georgina are getting pretty rare," says Kathryn Kaipo, Executive Director of the Lung Association's Thunder Bay District. "She comes from a society where volunteerism was more of the norm."

Kaipo says that the average volunteer today stays an average of two or three years, and then is "burned out." That fact makes Davis' achievement even more impressive, she says.

Kaipo, along with local Regional Representative Cathy Withers, made the presentation to Davis on Oct. 2.

by Darren MacDonald  
Staff

When Georgina Davis first started her volunteer work for the local branch of the Tuberculosis Association 38 years ago, Schreiber was quite a dif-

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money to help pay to maintain the field," said Ziegler.

A letter sent to the league by Recreation Coordinator Dean Main showed a list of

25 players who owed a total of \$1,059.30.

Six of the players had paid since the letter was sent on Aug. 18.

## NOTICE

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## NOTE OF THANKS

*I would like to thank everyone who attended my town shower on August 30th and who contributed to the lists at the Northern Store and Spadoni's. A special thank you to my aunts, cousins and good freinds for all their hard work*



*- it was much appreciated.  
Virginia McMillan*

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