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## One million safe hours for KC employees



(From Left) Kimberly-Clark's Joint Health and Safety Committee's Co-chairs Jim Pytyck and Barry Senior hand McCausland Hospital Chief Radiologist Technologist Sylvia McCullough and Hospital Board Chair Chris Ray a cheque for \$34,000. Employees at Kimberly-Clark reached one million safe hours on Oct. 15, and to recognize the achievement, the Health and Safety Committee decided unanimously to make the \$34,000 donation toward the hospital's new state of the art X-ray machine. Each employee will also receive a certificate of appreciation. They are also recognized in a centre spread in this week's News.

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## Merry Christmas!

Please note our holiday office hours:  
Dec. 24: 10 am-12 pm  
Dec. 25: closed  
Dec. 29-30: 10 am-5 pm  
Dec. 31: 10 am-12 pm  
Jan. 1: closed  
For next week only, The News will publish on Monday, Dec. 28

## Terrace Bay to stay a township

by Darren MacDonald  
Staff

A proposal to change Terrace Bay to a town from a township has been halted for at least the lifespan of the current council.

That's because an objection to the change was filed with the Ontario Municipal Board, and Councillors decided fighting or acquiescing to the objection would be too costly.

"When we applied to the Municipal Board, it had to be advertised," says Clerk-Treasurer Dave Fulton. "And people had a chance to file objections to it. And we had one objection."

That objection was filed by Terrace Bay resident Carol Cringle. She says she didn't like the fact that Council was asking the Municipal Board for permission to stay with four councillors, rather than expanding to six. Towns are usually required to have a minimum of six councillors.

"I just felt that four was not enough," says Cringle. "Right now they're having trouble getting to meetings on a regular basis. So maybe it's time to increase (the size of Council) to six so that the work's divided a little more evenly."

Cringle also says she filed an objection because she didn't

see any valid reason to change the name.

"(Council) used tourism as an excuse, but there's no marketing plan in place, so how can that be an excuse?" she says. "But I was willing to let that objection slide as long as there would be six councillors."

But Dave Fulton says that Council only wanted to go ahead with the name change if it didn't cost too much money.

"And they didn't feel it was worth spending possibly up to \$10,000 to go through a Municipal Board hearing to try and settle this," he says. "And

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## OPP arrest man wanted on sexual assault charges

by Darren MacDonald  
Staff

A man wanted on several charges in Newfoundland was arrested in Schreiber Dec. 11, and has since been taken back to Newfoundland to stand trial.

Schreiber OPP Sgt. Andy Templar says the 22-year-old man was arrested on local charges of theft.

"And when we ran a routine check for outstanding warrants, it was discovered he was wanted by the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary in St. John's," said Templar in an interview last week.

He said the man is wanted

on charges of sexual assault, assault causing bodily harm, attempted theft, one charge of breach of an undertaking, another charge of breach of recognizance, and a charge of failing to appear on a number of charges. The charges themselves date back to 1990.

"He was remanded into the District Jail in Thunder Bay," said Templar. "He was taken up Saturday (Dec. 12) and the police from Newfoundland were scheduled to arrive last Tuesday to pick him up."

Templar also said the man has lived in Schreiber for the past nine months to a year.



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