

YOUR COUNCIL AT WORK:

Bastard & South Burgess

P. Tackaberry & A. Greenhorn

Members have been busy with budget meetings and the good news is that the Township has a mill rate lower than last year. However, we have no control over County or School Boards, which have considerable increases.

Last month we reported on our placement student, Tracy Hudson from St. Lawrence College. Tracy was a delightful addition to the office and Council was pleased to receive a thank you note from her for the assistance she obtained in gaining experience in the workfield.

On April 24th., one of the dedicated volunteers in the Municipality is receiving a volunteer award from the Ministry of Citizenship and Culture. Mrs. Jean Polk will receive her pin from Ministry representatives in a ceremony at the Grand Theatre, Kingston.

Portland Library has a new carpet on the restructured floor and the shelving has been stabilized with supports. Thanks to

the volunteers who helped with the moving of books during these renovations.

Once again, rabies clinics will be held at the Municipal Garage, Chantry on Wednesday, May 8, and Wednesday May 15 from 2 to 6 P.M. This is a chance to protect your domestic pets for a reasonable fee.

The Hazardous Waste Day issue is not dead. We are consulting with a group of Townships re: the feasibility of this project. While on the Waste Disposal issue, the contract for 1991 has been signed for collection and disposal of our recyclables. Congratulations to those ratepayers who have responded so enthusiastically to the efforts to extend the life our Waste Disposal Sites. The Environmental Conservation Committee with the help of elementary school students are once again participating in a Township roadside cleanup. Please help keep our Township an attractive area by not littering our roadsides and discouraging anyone you observe from doing so.

Let the May Flowers show through!

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TOWNSHIP OF BASTARD AND SOUTH BURGESS

ANNUAL LOWER COST

RABIES CLINICS

to be held on

Wednesday, May 8, 1991

and

Wednesday, May 15, 1991

from

2:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. each day


at

Municipal Garage, Chantry

Harmony Masonic Lodge
Philipville

Chicken Barbeque

Sunday, June 2, 1991



Chicken, roll & butter, salad, baked beans homemade pie, beverages


4:00 p.m. 'til all served
Adults \$8.00
Children 12 & under \$4.00
Take out available

TO: Residents of the Township of Bastard and South Burgess

REMINDER NOTICE:

The hours of the Waste Disposal Sites change as of May 19 - October 13, 1991.

	Delta	Portland
Monday	9:30am - 5:30pm	
Tuesday		9:30am - 5:30pm
Wed.	4:00pm - 8:00pm	
Thursday	9:30am - 5:30pm	
Friday		9:30am - 5:30pm
Saturday	9:30am - 5:30pm	9:30am - 5:30pm
Sunday		4:00pm - 8:00pm



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PRESS RELEASE March 28, 1991

BIG RIDEAU LAKE ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES
THREE YEAR ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM
IN COOPERATION WITH
FEDERAL ENVIRONMENTAL PARTNERS FUND

This ambitious project on the largest lake in Eastern Ontario will involve extensive volunteer work under the direction of the Big Rideau Lake Association, with cooperation of government and private agencies, and some funding by the Environmental Partners Fund of the Federal Environment Ministry.

Outlined below are some of the activities aimed at making visible improvements in the lake's environmental quality:

- shoreline plantings in cooperation with M.A.P.L.E.
- coordination of composting and recycling between shoreline residents and lake users and five bordering municipalities.
- improvement of loon nest sites and other natural habitat.
- shoreline erosion abatement.
- extensive public environmental advocacy through visitations, literature, signs, public meetings, and media presentations.

This project will proceed progressively over the next three years, and detailed information will be available for briefings every three months.

The Big Rideau Lake Association has stood for long-term environmental interests of the waters and lake shore areas of the Rideau since 1911. Today, B.R.L.A. represents a cross section of lake users in some 450 families from Narrows Lock to Poonamalie.

For further information on this program please contact

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