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## NESMG hoping to develop a New Economy for Superior East Region

The Mayors of Chapleau, Dubreuilville, Hornepayne, Manitouwadge, Wawa and White River are today announcing the development of a partnership with INORD (institute of Northern Ontario Research and Development) to work towards a New Economy for the Superior East Region.

INORD was established in 1986 by Laurentian University to promote economic and social research on Northern Ontario.

The communities of the Superior East Region, like the remainder of Northern Ontario, are in crisis.

Employment, particularly in the forest Industry is in steep decline having been dealt a devastating blow by high energy rates and high US import Tariffs. Many mills, dependant upon the forest for much needed raw materials have closed while others hover dangerously close to a similar fate. The forest industry meanwhile, continues to consolidate in an attempt to save the forestry sector from total collapse.

While all communities in Northern Ontario have been affected by economic downturns it is the smaller, more

rural communities, like those in the Superior East Region that are on the verge of collapse. While some help is available it is simply not enough to develop a more secure economy for the communities of the Superior East Region.

Formed in March 2000, the Northeastern Superior Mayors Group has worked successfully with both the Federal and Provincial Government on a number of projects.

However, Spokesperson Mayor Earl Freeborn of Chapleau says that "there may be a recovery strategy for the economy of small

town Northern Ontario but the implementation and success of any such program will not come at the pace necessary to save our respective communities."

Mayor Réjean Raymond of Dubreuilville adds "our group is of the opinion that the development of our strategy will move much more quickly by transcending the boundaries created by the bureaucracies of the senior levels of government"

Over the course of the past several months the NESMG has been working with the publisher of Northern

Ontario Business, Michael Atkins, Laurentian University economist Dr. David Robinson and business owner Karen Lacasse on a strategy for the region. The result was a document entitled 'Make Your Elephant Work for You - A Development Strategy for the Northeastern Superior Mayors' which would result in the development of a new and sustainable forest and energy economy for the region, The NESMG has now engaged INORD to turn the strategy into a practical plan and to help get the funding necessary to implement the plan.

Funding for the

Strategy and Plan Development is being provided solely from the member communities of the NESMG and will be administered and coordinated by INORD over the course of the next twelve (12) months.

Mayor Roger Drolet of White River summarizes the effort by stating "this is a step that we all must take if we are to hope for the survival of our communities into the future. It is both unique and very necessary. We believe that others may follow our direction once implementation begins."

## Chapleau Nature Festival: The 5th Edition



Mayor Earle Freeborn addressing the crowd at the Opening Ceremonies of Chapleau's 5th Nature Festival.

Congratulations to all workers, volunteers and sponsors who have helped put on another memorable Nature Festival. Despite a lower attendance, relative to previous years, high quality entertainment with the likes of "BAM", La Volée d'Castor, Martin and Cheechoo, Rex Goudie and Melissa O'Neil was enjoyed by all. As always the fiddling and step-dancing contests were amongst some of the crowd's favorite events.

What better way to attract tourism to our community but

with the Nature Festival. The economic and cultural benefits that this Festival has brought and continues to bring to this community are extremely important and hopefully maintained in the future. This is the perfect way to expose our town, its people and its friendliness to visitors.

After five years, the Festival is still in its infancy, much like a new business would be. And like a business it will have its ups and downs, but a solid structure was originally built and deserves to be further

enhanced.

"The amount of people they attract here in three days, I couldn't attract in five years walking around the game preserve with antlers on my head" jokingly said a local Festival attendee. Positive comments from visitors pertaining to the friendliness and helpfulness of Chapleauites and especially of the volunteers that worked during the Festival abounded during the week. What an image! It's something to be proud of!

The success and future of an event

like the Chapleau Nature Festival, much like any new development, is determined by the impact it has on a community and its economy and should not be determined by the naysayers and the anti-development few that manage to find a stick to jam the wheels at every opportune moment.

This community is strong and will continue to be so, for years to come, due to its upfront, honest hardworking people and their visions. Anybody getting off at the next stop?

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# Vandals damage flower beds at Peace Park



Traces of bicycle wheels and destroyed plants

(Photo R.Boulet)

Unfortunately, once again culprits damaged flower beds at Chapleau's Peace Park. A total lack of respect was once again shown by individuals who decided that they could ride their bicycles thru the flower beds.

Although damage was minimal, repairs had to be performed. Weather permitting, Mr. Dubé spends anywhere from 5 to 7 hours on a daily basis, volunteering his time to make a little corner of Chapleau a pleasurable place to walk thru or sit and relax and look at the flowers that this gentleman lovingly and single-handedly

cares for. Instead of destroying or attempting to destroy the work done by this

gentleman, maybe these individual should volunteer to help Mr. Dubé.

When watering the flower beds, Mr. Dubé needs to pull out more than three hundred feet of hose because water is not readily available at the Park. Maybe these individuals should be out there pulling the garden hoses out!

All Chapleau-ites are encouraged to pay a visit to the Park and to bring along their children so that they may be able to see how much work is involved in keeping up the grounds and seeing the results that you get from hard work and at the same time meet and chat with the man that does it all, Mr. Dubé.



Another destroyed flowering shrub.

(Photo R.Boulet)

# Water fun under the sun



On Saturday, July 8, children enjoyed themselves while cooling off with slip and slide water fun.

Water amusement activities were set up on the lawn area near the Pavillion. The activities had been cancelled due to inclement weather on Canada Day. They were rescheduled under warmer conditions, to the delight of many kids.

**Many interested visitors enjoyed the guided tours of rotary and fixed wing fire fighting aircraft at the Chapleau Airport during the Nature Festival**



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**Chris Pilon answers visitors' questions at the MNR Aviation and Forest Fire Management display in the airport.**

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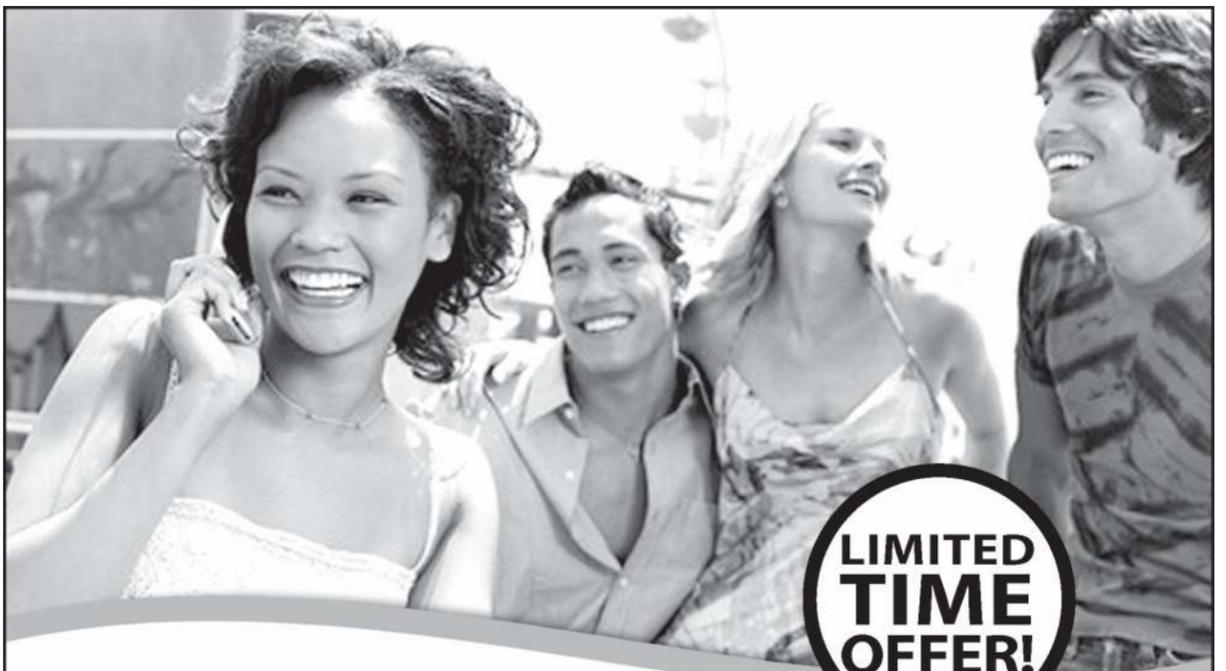
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# 80th Anniversary Profile 1942 Chapleau Recruits



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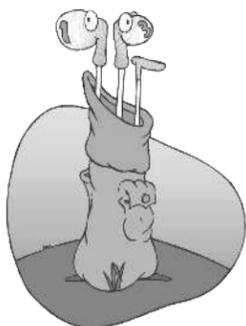
Sudbury's Gray St. recruiting office receives large group of 16 Chapleau recruits.

Back Row left to right: Reginald Moore, Howard Cachagee, Arthur Clement, Thomas Saylor, Joe Blais, Roger Rioux, Lawrence Westerman, Douglas Freeborn. Front Row left to right: Kenneth Swanson, Joe Bain, Joe Hunter, Alcide Small, Norman Linklater, Calvin Swanson, George Swanson, Kenneth Green.



## Legion's 80th Anniversary

All members are invited to our 80th Anniversary supper Saturday August 19th at 6:00 p.m. at Royal Canadian Legion Branch #5. Price is \$25.00 per person. Please be advised that the cutoff will be 80 people and we have to know by August 1st, 2006. Should you be interested, we would like you to pay at the downstairs bar or address your cheques to RCL 80th Anniversary Legion or contact Rick Turcotte at 864-0419.



As for the golf, we would like to know for August 18th. Cost is \$20.00 per person for 18 holes 4 man best ball, whether you are a Kepsquasheshing golf member or not. We would hope to start before 9:00 a.m. Please notify or pay us before August 18th, 2006. Tournament is open to Legion Members and seniors only.

Thank You  
Darryl Brunette, President



Royal Canadian Legion

## East Fire Region Situation Update

Thursday, July 20, 2006 12:00

### HIGHLIGHTS:

25 new forest fires yesterday

### DETAILS:

There were 25 new forest fires yesterday in the following areas: 6 each in Sudbury and Parry Sound, 3 each in Sault Ste. Marie, Cochrane and North Bay, 2 in Wawa and 1 each in Algonquin Park and Bancroft. There are currently 40 active forest fires in the Hearst, Cochrane, Wawa, Timmins, Sault Ste Marie, Sudbury, North Bay, Parry Sound, Algonquin Park, and Bancroft areas. No problems are anticipated with these

fires at this time.

As of April 1st 2006, there have been 321 forest fires in the East Fire Region.

There are currently 15 FireRanger crews from the East Fire Region in the West Fire Region assisting with their escalated fire situation.

As a result of a major wind storm that passed through parts of eastern Ontario this past Monday, many communities were affected by damaging winds. The Ministry of Natural Resources would like to remind public, especially in those areas, that before burning any debris from the major storm event check

with your municipality to be advised of their burning regulations. Please use extreme care and caution with outdoor fires. Never leave your fire unattended and make sure it is completely extinguished before leaving. By eliminating human caused fires that result from carelessness the Ministry of Natural Resources can focus its resources on responding to new lightning caused forest fires.

**To report a Forest Fire in the East Fire Region please call 1-888-863-FIRE (3473).**



Melissa O'Neil greeted by fans at Chapleau airport



Rex Goudie arriving at the airport



Mike Brown , M.P.P, presenting Rita Pilon with the Senior Citizen of the Year Award for her numerous volunteer hours given to the community.



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 Vices of My Blood - Maureen Jennings  
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**ATTENTION** children of ages 8-12! CyberCamp is here! They will be held Thursdays beginning July 20th from 2-3 pm. Call 864-0852 for more information. **REMINDER** Story Hour's "Quest for Heroes" has begun! Held Tuesdays from 2-3 pm. Its never to late to join!

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# Chapleau Public Library Story Hour



Story Hour has begun once again this summer at the Chapleau Public Library! This year's theme is "Quest for Heroes!". We are having lots of fun discovering all types of heroes, from Comic Book Heroes, to Television Heroes, and even Real life Heroes.

On July 4th, we discovered the

outrageous hero, Captain Underpants. The children all enjoyed a story and played games. We had 13 kids of various ages. Every Tuesday we choose a "Hero of the Week", our hero was Noah Serré, who received a gift bag and first pick on a special selection of books.

On July 11th,

we discovered some of today's brave heroes; Firefighters. A story was read, and we also went to visit the Fire Hall. We met firefighters Ken Groves, Marc Turcotte and Kevin Gherbaz.

We were given a very exciting tour and got to explore the Fire Trucks. Even Sparky the Dog came to welcome us! This week we had 19



participants! Our Hero of the Week was Jordan Raposo. A big thanks to our noble Firefighters!

Story Hour is held every Tuesday from 2 - 3 pm, the program runs until August 22nd. Anyone

can participate, and it's never too late to join!

The Library Staff would like to welcome all children to embark into this summer's "Quest for Heroes!"

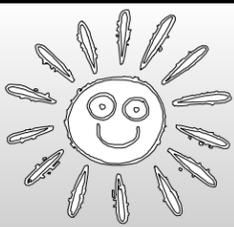
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Reading Club is also up and running. Every time a child reads a book or has a book read to them, they receive a "super hero" which they add to the "Wall Of Fame". At the end of the summer, the "super heroes" are put into a draw and the winners receive special prizes.

Story Hour is funded by TD Financial Group. Some material for the Program was developed by the public libraries of Toronto, Ottawa and Montréal. Summer Student, Carla Robitaille is in charge of activities, and also reading the stories.



Two local youngsters, Jonathan Parent, standing in the centre and Joey Girard sitting in the baby carriage take a moment to have their photo taken with "BAM" at the performance they held on main street in front of the Post Office



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