

Langruth Views

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Langruth Skating Rink

Please note that the Skating Rink will remain open until the ice is unusable.



Skating Passes & Ice Rental

Day Pass: \$3.00

Individual Season Pass: \$45.00

Family Season Pass: \$80.00

Ice Rental: \$55.00/hour

Dave and Lissen Johnson are operating the canteen. Drop in to see what's on the menu. The grill is always hot!

Public Skating

(Please note the new hours)

Friday: 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Sunday: 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

(Hockey Sticks permitted at 5:30 pm)

All skaters under the age of 12 are required to wear a helmet.

Kinosota Trail Game & Fish News

2014 FAMILY FUN DAY

Due to the condition of Lake Manitoba and the lack of fish, Kinosota Trail Game and Fish directors have decided not to have their annual Fun Day (Fish Derby) this year. We hope to return to having one as soon as things improve.



Trivia Night

SATURDAY APRIL 26, 2014

7:00 PM

LANGRUTH COMMUNITY HALL

\$10.00/PERSON

(6 -10 PEOPLE PER TEAM)

- Silent Auction -
- Canteen Available -
- 50/50 fun contests -

Contact Barb or Alyssa Hill at 204-445-2105 or at adhnumber7@hotmail.com to register your team.

Make sure to think up a fun team name!

Register your team by April 25, 2014

All money raised will be donated to the MS Society of Canada.

Kinosota Trail Game & Fish Association

2014 Spring Draws

4 Chances to Win!

Prizes:

- 2 Fishing Rods • 2 Fishing Nets •

Tickets: 3 for \$10.00

Tickets available from

Kinosota Trail Game & Fish Board Members

Draws to be made on Tuesday, April 8th

Call Cecil at 204-871-8102 for more information.



Church News

Grace Lutheran Church

Service at 10:30 AM unless otherwise stated.
Supply Pastor Phyllis Thordarson 445-2323

Next Services: TBA

Next Council meeting: TBA

Confirmation Classes: TBA

Langruth United Church

Service at 11:30 AM unless otherwise stated.

Mar 2: Service conducted by local laity.

Mar 9: Service conducted by Jim Warburton.

Mar 16: Service conducted by Dan Jardine.

Mar 23: Service conducted by local laity.

Mar 30: Joint Service in Plumas at 11:00 AM.

Service and Communion conducted by
Arnold Coutts. Potluck lunch to follow.

Apr 6: Service conducted by local laity.

Catholic Church News

Amaranth Catholic Church

Sunday Mass at 10:30AM unless otherwise stated.

Alonsa Catholic Church

Saturday Afternoon Mass at 4:00 PM unless
otherwise stated.

Sandy Bay Catholic Church

Sunday Mass at 12:30PM unless otherwise stated.

Amaranth Gospel Mission

Service at 11:00 AM unless otherwise stated.

Pancake Supper and Talent Auction

The Annual Pancake
Supper and Talent Auction
was held on March 3, 2014.
This evening is the annual
fundraiser for the United and
Lutheran Churches in Langruth.



Thank-you for your continued support.
Highlights from the evening will be included in
an upcoming issue of the Langruth Views.

Wedding Social In Honour Of **Barry Arksey and Brenda Curry**

Saturday May 3rd, 2013

3:00 PM – 10:00 PM

Langruth Community Hall

Barbeque at 6:00 PM

Silent Auction



*Tickets available at Langruth Post Office
\$10.00 each*

Langruth Fall Fair

What are you doing these snowed in days? The
Langruth Fall Fair Committee hopes you have
been doing some handi-work or crafts that you
can put away for fair time.

It seems as if this winter will
never end but it won't be long
before we will be buying seeds to
plant flowers and vegetables again.
Have a look at the Fall Fair Book to
see what categories you might like to
buy seeds for. Imagine seeing your
yard fill with blooms this summer!



With it being the 60th anniversary we would
like to see some extra special entries and have
added some 60th Anniversary categories.

1. Arrangement of flowers
2. Decorated Styrofoam cake
3. Open Craft (Party Theme)
4. Needlepoint Framed
5. Crocheted pillow cover
6. Decorated Rice Krispy Cake (8x8 pan)
7. Any Drawn Picture (all ages)
8. Computer generated picture.

Entries in the 60th Anniversary Categories must
have a 60th Anniversary theme. Have fun
exploring your creativity!

If you would like a Fall Fair Book feel free to
call Tamara at 204-445-2141 or email Lynne at
ammajonasson@gmail.com.

Fifty and Beyond News

The Langruth Seniors held their monthly business meeting on February 4th. Six members were present. Harry opened the meeting, welcomed everyone and started the meeting with the minutes from our last meeting.

We didn't have a lot of business to discuss but we certainly had a good discussion on the cold weather and how much snow we have gotten.

Rena gave the Cheer report and reported that a number of cards had been sent out. In January there was one birthday card sent out. A get well card was sent to Bobbie Zaryski. A sympathy card was also sent to Emily and Ralph Thompson on the death of Emily's nephew in Alberta. We also signed a birthday card for Freda Emberly, a former member who is living in Gladstone. Freda was 96 on her birthday.

In the way of correspondence there were two short letters. One was from the Alzheimer's Society reminding us that March is dementia month and the other was from the Langruth Fall Fair telling us their plans for the year. The Langruth Fall Fair will be on August 24th and this will be the 60th Anniversary. They are hoping that many people will attend and enter their flowers, vegetables and handicrafts to celebrate the 60th year of the fall fair.

Our February monthly supper was held on February 27th and a number of people attended. We enjoyed a nice meal and a lovely game of cards afterwards. We hope that people will continue to come out to our suppers and share an enjoyable evening with other seniors in the area.

At our February supper we celebrated the birthdays of Tony Czeranko, Isaac Wiebe and Julia Kelemen. We had a lovely cake for dessert to help them celebrate their birthdays. We wish them many happy returns of their day and hope that the coming year will be a favourable one.

At our March business meeting, held on March 4th, we were reminded of the Central Plains Meeting. It will be in Plumas on April 10th. We will let them know how many will be attending after our April meeting. The Northwest Region Meeting will be coming up as well but we haven't received any information as of yet. Gladstone will be hosting the meeting this year.

The Seniors Games will be held in Neepawa in June. A schedule of playoff games, such as whist and crib, is available from club members. If anyone is interested in participating please contact a club member.

That is all for the seniors news for this time. Keep a look out for that spring thaw! Until next time,

Teri

Langruth Fire Department 2014 Fundraisers

50 inch LG Plasma TV Raffle

Tickets: \$5.00 each

Only 1000 tickets printed.

Draw Date: March 17, 2014

50/50 Draws

Tickets: \$2.00 each

4 more draws in 2014

April 21, 2014 June 16, 2014

August 18, 2014 October 20, 2014

Contact any member of the Lakeview Fire Department for tickets and/or more information.

Proceeds towards new fire equipment and a contribution to the

Yvonne Robertshaw Trust Fund.

A Trust Fund in Yvonne's name has been started to assist with travel expenses to Germany for back surgery that is not available in Canada.

Donations can also be forwarded to:

Lakeview Fire Department

Box 100

Langruth, MB R0H 0N0

Tax receipts available

The peace and quiet of a still winter's morning. Nothing stirs as we walk making the first marks in freshly fallen snow. Is there any other place on earth that offers such calm?



Gladstone Speech Arts Festival

Congratulations to all the participants on their performances at the 2014 Gladstone Speech Arts Festival on February 25th.

The Gladstone Speech Arts Festival would like to thank the Langruth Community and Langruth Elementary School for their continued support of the festival. Students participating in the festival have the opportunity to develop their speaking skills giving them the confidence to speak, to communicate and to be heard. It is a skill that they will benefit from for the rest of their lives.

The Langruth K-2 Class performed a poem called *The Wrong Start* and the Langruth 3-5 Class performed a poem called *Boing! Boing! Squeak!* Both speech choirs had excellent performances and the 3-5 Class was presented with the **Laura Wood Trophy**.

Students who participated in the Solo and Duet classes were **Regan Teichroeb, Lauren Armstrong, Taylor Kennedy, Kiersten Beaulieu, Madison Teichroeb, Peyton Starr, Karyss-Leigh Beaulieu, Sydney Strocen and Sonya Strocen**. Everyone did an excellent job.

Local highlights include:

- **Medallion** (Public Speaking, Grade 3 & 4) won by Madison Teichroeb.
- **Medallion** (Impromptu Speaking, Grade 8) won by Sydney Strocen
- **W.J. MacGregor Trophy** (Grade 3-8 Overall Public Speaking) won by Madison Teichroeb.
- **R.K. Reid Trophy** (Solo Poetry, Kindergarten to Grade 3) won by Juliene Evans.
- **Medallion** (Solo Poetry, Grade 3) won by Lauren Armstrong.
- **Fleck Family Trophy** (Solo Poetry, Grades 4 to 6) won by Sydney Strocen.
- **Hammond Cup** (Solo Poetry, Grades 7 to 12) won by Sonya Strocen.
- **Lorelle Reid Trophy** (Poetry Duet, Trio, Quartet, Grade 3 - 10) won by Sydney and Sonya Strocen.
- **Woodside Steelers Trophy** (Prose Reading, Grades 3 to 8) won by Sydney Strocen.

Sonya Strocen has also been recommended to perform her poem, *Talking*, at the Provincial Speech Arts Festival in Brandon in May.

Gladstone Music & Arts Festival

Band: April 15th, 2014

Vocal: April 23rd & 24th, 2014

Piano: April 28th, 29th & 30th, 2014

Watch for further program information.



Nature Notes

From Raymond O'Connor



Skylark

This European native was introduced to Vancouver Island, British Columbia in the early 1900's. It has established a population there and in the open fields and meadows of nearby San Juan Island, Washington. Like most larks, this bird seldom perches in trees but walks on the ground. They are most often seen when flushed from the roadside or grasses. They rise with white tail edging and white secondary tips flashing.

Although it looks like just a small brown bird on the ground, its song-flight displays during courtship are spectacular. The male pursues the female to great heights in a towering flight, hovering or circling while singing a continuous eruption of warbles and trills in sustained runs. In courtship the male runs around the female lifting his crest and tail and letting his wings fall limp.

The Skylark flies in circles or hovers high in the air while singing an ongoing melody of complex gurgles, whistles, and trills. Its song is ventriloquial in nature as it appears to be coming from somewhere else.

The Skylark lives in solitary or in pairs. They may form small flocks in the winter. When on the ground it has a horizontal, head down posture. The Skylark forages for food on the ground by walking and running. They do not hop. They eat mostly seeds, grains and insects.

The nest is lined with roots, grass and occasionally hair. It is on the ground in an open field. The female builds the nest.

Incubation is 11-12 days by the female. The young are brooded by the female. They stay in the nest 9 - 10 days. They are fed by both sexes. Two broods are produced per year.

Spring Forward!



Daylight Saving Time Begins
March 9th

THANK-YOU

Thank-you to everyone
for your visits, your cards
and phone calls while
I was in the hospital and
also after I came home.

It was very much
appreciated.

Sincerely,
Isaac Wiebe

Spring

March 20th, 2014

Langruth Skating Club Activities

The Langruth Skating Club had another great season with a great group of young skaters. Thanks to Michelle Teichroeb for teaching and organizing a variety of fun activities for the two age groups. The kids enjoyed themselves and improved their skating skills. Thanks as well to Dave and Lissen Johnson for operating the Canteen on Friday nights.

The Langruth Skating Club held their wind-up on Friday March 7th. Everyone cheered on their team as skaters maneuvered through the obstacle course, raced the Canadian Flag down the length of the ice and completed their 'speed skating' lap. It is always fun to see who can hit the button in the 'Milk Jug Curling Challenge'. Skaters big and small couldn't resist chasing soap bubbles in the Bubble Chase. After the activities the skaters were presented with their certificates and medals and then enjoyed a meal from the Canteen. Thank-you to Lana Armstrong for making the beautiful Maple Leaf Medals for our proud Canadian Maple Leaf Skaters.



Langruth Skating Club

Back L-R: Kendra Spence, Brooklyn Roulette, Regan Teichroeb, Lauren Armstrong, D.J. Johnson, Arielle McIvor, Sera Walker, Clayton Roulette, Denzel LacQuette, Chris Armstrong

Front L-R: Giordon Spence, Stacie Czeranko, Madison Kennedy, Taylor Kennedy, Lyndon McIvor, Madison Teichroeb,

Instructor: Michelle Teichroeb

Missing: Juliene Evans, Logan Dokken, Liam Dokken



In Memory

Caitlin Arksey

June 24, 1988 – March 21, 2009

In loving memory of our
granddaughter and niece.

Sadly missed by
Grandma & Grandpa
Ron & Family

2014 February Flood Outlook

Source: <http://news.gov.mb.ca/news/>

The Manitoba Infrastructure and Transportation Hydrologic Forecast Centre's preliminary 2014 spring flood outlook suggests, without additional significant precipitation between now and the spring thaw, the potential for a spring flood is below or near normal in most areas.

Winter snow levels are near normal to above normal in many areas of the province, Saskatchewan and North Dakota, with the exception of the U.S. and Manitoba portions of the Red River Basin, which are below to near normal.

Lake Manitoba's current level is 811.8 ft., slightly above normal for this time of year but within the operating range of 810.5 ft. to 812.5 ft.

The magnitude of the spring flood potential is still dependent on weather conditions from now until the spring melt. The next flood outlook is scheduled for the end of March.



The key to eating healthy
is to avoid all foods that have
a TV commercial.

News From Here, There and Anywhere

Reporter Teri Soos

Hello everyone. I hope you are all enjoying this long winter with all the blowing snow. I guess we have to grin and bear it. I am hoping that everyone has found things to do around home to pass the time while we are not able to go anywhere.

We have had a lot of strong and fierce storms lately. Fortunately they have been short lived. They seem to come up in the afternoon and blow themselves out in the evening. I understand that a lot of roads have gotten so narrow that the snowplow can hardly pass through them. A caterpillar has had to be used to push the large snow banks back from the road so the roads could be plowed properly and people could get through again. At my place I have had quite a time keeping my doorstep clean and keeping the snow away from the front of my garage. Just as I finish shoveling the snow away it starts to snow and blow again.

It has been a long time since we have had to deal with the amounts of snow we have had lately. I know that I am dating myself but in the old days we use to use the horse and sleigh to get around. If the roads got too snowed in we would travel the shortest distance across fields or through yards to get where we were going. We all seemed to enjoy the adventure.

I had a little adventure of my own lately when I travelled to Winnipeg. Nice days have been hard to find so on the first nice day I headed off for Winnipeg. I didn't get too far down the road and the snow started drifting across the highway. I have driven in drifting snow before so I kept on going. Unfortunately it only got worse and it drifted all the way to Winnipeg. I was quite tired when I got there because it was not an easy drive. The next day was a lovely day and I thought my trip home wouldn't be so difficult. Before my sister and I could finish our breakfast the weather had completely changed and we could not see across the street anymore. Once the snow let up we decided to go out finish our shopping before I headed home. We didn't get far from my sister's and it hit again. We were in the middle of a complete white-out. We continued onto the store

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following the creeping traffic. After we finished our shopping the snow and wind had once again let up and I thought I would head for home. I hadn't gotten very far down the highway and there was the 'wall of white' again. I slowly traveled along hoping the snow would let up as it had done twice already that morning. I got to Portage but hadn't driven out of the snow yet. Not surprising, there wasn't an empty seat in Tim Horton's. Meanwhile the sun had come out so after a rest I continued on. The rest of the trip wasn't as bad but the snow was drifting all the way. I was surprised to see that highway 50 was probably the best road I had travelled on that day. Let me tell you that was a trip I won't forget.

From what I hear it sounds like there has been bad weather elsewhere as well. We are certainly not the only ones dealing with challenging weather. There has been a lot of snow and freezing rain in places that don't usually have those cold temperatures. In the areas that had the freezing rain the power had been out for days. In England I see they have been dealing with a great deal of rain and flooding. In British Columbia there is an above average amount of snow as well. Isn't it strange that in 2010, when the Olympics was held in B.C., there was such little snow that snow had to be hauled in to the event locations. They had the same problem this year in Sochi. It was too warm and snow had to be brought into the ski hills. I guess Mother Nature still has one over on us.

I have read recently about the annual bird count that is usually done during the Christmas season each year. Apparently the bird count is down this year. I suppose it could be due to the weather. Unfortunately even the animals are suffering because typically there are more birds in our midst.

I was talking to some school children one weekday and realized that they should have still been at school. They said it was too cold and the busses couldn't run. Aren't the school children lucky this year, they have had more days off this winter than usual. Some children don't like to miss school but most are usually happy to have a day off to be at home.

I recently heard that Ellen Forsely will have a birthday in March. She will be 97 years old on March 28th. We wish her and anyone else having birthdays in March many happy returns of the day and a great year ahead.

I see that we have had another new arrival for a local family. I would like to greet young Jayden Blaine Jackson who was born on December 29th. He is the son of Tyler and Jen Jackson and grandson of Bill and Karen Jackson. We wish Jayden much happiness.

I'm sure many of you were glued to the TV lately watching the Olympics and all the curling. We congratulate all of the Canadian athletes on their achievements at the Olympics. We are also proud of the good sportsmanship that our Canadian athletes show. I have also been watching all the curling matches. It always amazes me how they can get the curling rocks to land exactly where they want them to. It is quite something to watch the curlers make some of their shots.

I'm sure that the snowmobilers in the area are all having a good winter with all the snow. A couple of weeks ago I saw truck loaded with four snowmobiles on a trailer. I'm sure they must have been off to a Poker Derby somewhere. I heard that the Poker Derby that was to be held in our area on March 1st had to be canceled. We did have another storm come through so I guess it was a good decision.

I see that there is another Trivia Night planned for April 26th. This is one of my favorite evenings. The proceeds are to be donated to the MS Society and I hope that many people will come out to donate to this worthy cause. So many people suffer from multiple sclerosis.

Let's send our good wishes to anyone who is feeling ill. We hope you have a speedy recovery and hope you will be up and around before too long. We send good wishes to Paul Oswald, Isaac Wiebe, Bobbie Zaryski, Elizabeth Aitkens, Phyllis Thordarson's mother, Mrs. McAuley, and anyone I have missed.

Sadly I have quite a long list of people who have passed away recently. Our sympathy goes out to all their family and friends. Norieta Buchan Colter, a sister of Betty Skoropata and a

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former Langruth resident, has passed away. She was living in the Chicago area. Larry Mutchers wife has also passed away. A number of people from the area attended her funeral. I have also heard of the death of Joyce Lyall (Faurichou). She had been living in the Portage area but had been a local resident as a young girl. Wayne Hirsekorn has passed away. He was a former resident of Langruth; his parents were Bill and Edna Hirsekorn. Edna was the sister of Emily Thompson and Velma Vereb. Word was also received of the death of Darlene Vereb's father. Stan and Darlene Vereb are former residents of the Lakeland area. They are now living in B.C. Janet Kelemen recently passed away in Dauphin. She was the late George Kelemen's wife. George was Julia Kelemen's son. I have also received word of the death of Dr. Craig R. Hildahl. He was the husband of Wendy Hanneson (Lenard and Nora Hanneson's daughter) formerly of Langruth. Word of the death of Roberta Topping was also received recently. She was the sister of Ola Czeranko. She had been living in Gimli. To all these families and to anyone we have missed, we send our deepest sympathies and hope memories of happier times help you through the coming days.

The Lutheran and United Church held their Annual Pancake Supper and Talent Auction on March 3rd. There was a nice crowd for the supper and of course there were lots of nice items for the talent auction. I don't think there are many places that can sell a Vinetarta for \$400.00 or even \$200.00. There were two Vinetartas for sale and that is what they sold for. Nevertheless, the proceeds went to a good cause.

In case we don't have another newspaper out before Easter I will take the opportunity to wish everyone a Happy Easter. Happy Spring as well. Let's hope that the forecasters are right when they say the snow doesn't have a lot of water in it. The snow at my place seems pretty heavy with water. We certainly don't need another spring where we have to deal with flooding.

Until we talk again,
Teri

R.M. of Lakeview News



Water Meter Readings



Langruth Water Meter Readings are to be phoned in Quarterly. Phone in your reading in the last week of the following months: March, June, September and December. Readings are to be received by the 30th of the month. If your reading is not received it will be estimated for that period.

Lakeview Moments in History

Source: Seasons of Our Lives, Amaranth & District History

Council Notes, March 9, 1920: The New Municipality: The legislative committee of the legislature has decided on the creation of two new municipalities, Lakeview and Glenella. The new Lakeview Municipality lies along the west side of Lake Manitoba, an average width of about two townships. There will be six wards in Lakeview. Particularly favored is the famous Ridge Road, a natural highway which runs through the municipality from one end to the other alongside the C.N.R. The county seat of Lakeview will be the thriving young town of Langruth.

Langruth Library News

Library Cards:

If you are interested in borrowing books from the Langruth Library drop in and sign up for a Library Card. There is no charge if you reside in the RM of Lakeview. Children are also eligible (with adult permission) to have a library card.



Literacy Bags:

The Langruth Library has a variety of Literacy Bags available for loan. These include books, puzzles, and games about Shapes, Counting, Bath Time, Vehicles, Cooking, Winnie the Pooh, Eric Carle, Monkeys, Bedtime, and more. The Literacy Bags have been provided by Pine Creek Literacy Project. Drop in and check them out today.

PARKLAND REGIONAL LIBRARY
NEW LARGE PRINT BOOKS

AUTHOR	TITLE	DESCRIPTON
Atkinson, Rick	An army at dawn	Non-fiction
Allan, Barbara	Antiques chop	Mystery fiction
Benton, Lori	Burning sky	Christian fiction / Love stories
Berg, Elizabeth	Tapestry of fortunes	Fiction
Bowen, James	A street cat named Bob	Non-fiction
Chiaverini, Jennifer	Mrs. Lincoln's dressmaker	Historical fiction
Cogburn, Brett	Panhandle	Western stories
Conroy, Pat	The death of Santini	Domestic fiction
Evanovich, Janet	The heist	Suspense fiction
Flagg, Fannie	The all-girl filling station's last reunion	Fiction
Greenlaw, Linda	Lifesaving lessons	Biography
Guzeman, Tracy	The gravity of birds	Love stories
Horwitz, Tony	Midnight rising	Non-Fiction
Hunter, Maddy	Bonnie of evidence	Mystery fiction
Kapaczewski, Joseph	Back in the fight	Biography
Kidd, Sue Monk	Traveling with pomegranates	Biography

NEW FICTION BOOKS

Adler-Olsen, Jussi	The purity of vengeance	Mystery fiction
Andrews, V.C.	The unwelcomed child	Fiction
Barry, Max	Lexicon	Suspense fiction
Beah, Ishmael	Radiance of tomorrow	Fiction
Blondal, Patricia	A candle to light the sun (new edition)	Canadian (Prairie) fiction
Castle, Richard	Deadly heat	Mystery fiction
Center, Katherine	The lost husband	Fiction
Chiaverini, Jennifer	Mrs. Lincoln's rival	Historical fiction
Clark, Mary Jane	That old black magic	Mystery fiction
Coble, Colleen	Butterfly palace	Romantic Christian fiction
Cornwell, Sarah	What I had before I had you	Fiction
Doctorow, E.L.	Andrew's brain	Psychological fiction
Drndic, Dasa	Trieste	Historical fiction
Field, Suzanne	The painted table	Christian fiction
Gardner, Lisa	Fear nothing	Suspense fiction
Goyer, Tricia	A Christmas gift for Rose	Amish fiction
Harris, Robert	An officer and a spy	Historical fiction
Healy, Erin	Stranger things	Christian fiction (suspense)
Hess, Joan	Murder as a second language	Mystery fiction
Jacobs, Jonnie	Lying with strangers	Suspense fiction
Kidd, Sue Monk	The invention of wings	Historical fiction
Krentz, Jayne Ann	River road	Mystery fiction
Kuitenbrouwer, Kathryn	All the broken things	Canadian fiction

Obituary – Erna Schieve



Erna passed away on February 25, 2014 at the age of 96 at Leamington Court, Leamington, Ontario. Beloved wife of the late William Schieve. Aunt of Mac and Rose Stanley, and Lynne and Ted Jonasson, and the late Wayne Kelm (Diane). Great aunt to Kory Jonasson (Tamara) and family, Bob (Jen) and family, Trevor (Winnie) and family, and Jason Stanley. Predeceased by her brother Edward Kelm, sisters Edith Stanley and Evelyn Haddad. Erna will also be remembered by Bill's nieces and nephews, including Doug Armstrong and Darrel (Dee Dee) Armstrong and family.

Erna was a volunteer at the Sun Parlour Home for 30 plus years and in 2004 received an award from the Province of Ontario for her long term service. Erna and her husband did not have any children of their own but were surrounded by many children over the years that loved them dearly. She was known as Aunt Ernie to many generations; more mother than Aunt. The family would like to thank all the staff of Southgate residence in Kingsville for the loving care she received there for 3 years. Thanks also to all the staff at Leamington Court (long term care area) where Erna was cared for the last 2 months with kindness compassion and love. A Funeral Service, with Rev. Jim Bagley officiating, was held on February 27th, 2014 at the C. Stuart Sykes Funeral Home in Kingsville, ON. Interment followed at Greenhill Cemetery. Memorial donations can be made to the charity of your choice. Online condolences may be sent to www.sykesfuneralhome.ca

Langruth Elementary School News



Upcoming Events

Mar 10: PAC Meeting: 6:30 pm

Mar 21: Admin Day – No School

Mar 24: School Assembly: 1:00 pm

Mar 28: Last day of classes before Spring Break

Apr 7: First day of classes after Spring Break

Words of Wisdom from the Principal

As I write this newsletter, it is the third day in a row that the busses have not been running because of blowing snow filling in the roads. Thank goodness the school is open today and many students have made it to school. The first day of spring is March 20th and we are all ready for some warm weather to start melting the huge snow banks that surround us all.

At school, we have just finished *I Love to Read Month* and the Winter Olympics have come and gone. There is a lot to celebrate from February as many students earned a gold medal for the reading they have done at home. Some students took advantage of two days of school closures to make reading a priority and achieved gold on their home reading. Congratulations and well done!

Report cards will be going home after Spring Break this year. I would like to take this time to remind our students that we are coming up to the last few months of school. This is an important time to be in school and working hard at finishing the year strong. This is particularly important for our senior students as they start to prepare for a transition to high school. Every day at school is important. As well, being on time is important. Did you know that if a student is late 10 minutes every day of the school year it would add up to 30 hours of missed instruction time?

I would like to welcome Mrs. Stephanie Manns to our school. She has accepted a position as a Skills Coach/Educational Assistant at our school. Welcome!

Mr. Tim Klein
LES Principal

School Assembly: March 24th, 1:00 pm

The next School Assembly will be held on March 24th at 1:00 pm. There will be special performances and student awards. A new sound system has been installed in the gymnasium and it will be used at the assembly. We look forward to trying out the new equipment. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy the student's performances and celebrate their achievements.

'I Love To Read' Month

Langruth Elementary School celebrated the love of reading in February. This year's theme was *Go for the Gold! Be a Champion Reader*. Each student was encouraged to be champion readers at home and earned medals. The Grade 3-5 Class earned a total of 32 reading medals, the Grade K-2 Class earned 24 reading medals and the Grade 6-8 Class earned 6 reading medals. Great reading everyone!

Parent Advisory Council Meeting

March 10, 2014

6:30 pm

Langruth School

Divisional Curling

Langruth Elementary School was proudly represented by two teams at this year's Divisional Curling Tournament. One team was made up of grade 6 and 7 students while the other team was made up of senior grade 8 students. Though neither team was able to capture the banner, they played with heart. The senior team lost their final game by mere millimeters! There were a couple falls, plenty of sweeping and lots of laughs. Mr. Trenchard congratulates everyone on the curling team for having a great day of physical activity out on the ice.

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**April, 2014 Issue
LANGRUTH VIEWS
March 21st, 2014**

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Langruth Community Calendar March 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Post Office Regular Hours: Monday: 9:00 am—5:00 pm Tuesday: 9:00 am—2:30 pm Wednesday: 9:00 am—2:30 pm Thursday: 9:00 am—2:30 pm Friday: 9:00 am—2:30 pm		Waste Disposal Grounds/Eco Centre Regular Hours: Monday: 10:00 am—12:00 noon & 1:00 pm—6:00 pm Wednesday: 2:00 pm—6:00 pm Friday: 2:00 pm—6:00 pm Saturday: 9:00 am—12:00 noon				1
2 Lutheran: No Service United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	3 Pancake Supper: 5:30pm	4 Seniors Meeting	5	6	7	8
9 Daylight Savings Lutheran: TBA United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	10	11	12	13 RM Council Meeting	14	15
16 Lutheran: No Service United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	17 St. Patrick's Day Fire Dept. Meeting: 7:30 pm TV Draw	18	19	20 	21 LES: No School Langruth Views Submission Deadline	22
23 Lutheran: TBA United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	24 LES Assembly: 1:00 pm	25	26	27 Seniors Supper	28	29
30 Lutheran: No Service United: 11am Plumas Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	31 LES: Spring Break Mar. 31—Apr. 4					