

## LEFROY/BELLE EWART NEWS

by Linda Gerow

Unfortunately I couldn't make the Lefroy street dance on Saturday, Sept. 1st but my friend Marie tells me that it was a blast. Congratulations to all those who made this event such a huge success and for breathing new life into an old Lefroy tradition...good on you!!

**Innisfil Pipes and Drums:** Practice takes place at the Belle Ewart Legion Branch 547 every Monday at 7 p.m. New members are always welcome. Contact Ken at 705-456-3717 for information.

Over the years, many people have been taught how to play...why not come out and see what it's all about. Visit their website at [www.innisfilpipesanddrums.ca](http://www.innisfilpipesanddrums.ca)

**Sunday School:** Lefroy United Church invites everyone to the first day of Sunday School on Sunday, September 9th, with fun events for bids of all ages. Some of these include, horseback rides, fun with a parachute, woodworking, baby rabbits, family fun and good food.

If weather permits, it will be held in the park. If it rains, we will be in the Grange Hall. The events will run from 10:00 a.m. to noon. See you there!

The Annual Lefroy United Church Golf Tournament will be held on Saturday, September 8th at the Inniscreek Golf Club (400 & 89, beside KOA). The cost is \$85 which includes golf, cart and steak dinner.

There will be lots of prizes and for those of you who do no golf, just come out for the dinner for \$30. If you can donate a prize or sponsor a hold, call Ray Janse (705) 456-0270 or Cheryl LeLiever at (705) 456-3139.

**Newfoundland Dinner/Dance:** Wow!! What a response for this event. Last week we announced Emmie's phone number for

the first time and her phone rang off the hook! People called wanting to reserve their tickets and as a result, Emmie was sold out before she knew it. She never expected this response for her first time attempt at organizing a "Newfie Dinner/Dance".

For those who were able to reserve their tickets, mark your calendars for October 20th.

Doors will open at 7 p.m. and a buffet Jigs dinner will follow at 7:30 p.m. Good down home fun with Newfoundland skits during the desserts.

There will be only one door prize...but a good one!!! The fun will end at 1 p.m. We advise that this is for adults only. Entertainment is Fred White & Brenden Gilliam "A Cape Bretener & Newfoundlander", who specialize in Irish/Country/Down East/Rock 'n Roll! The dinner/dance will be held at the South Simcoe Community Centre (Lefroy Arena).

**Gilford and District Horticultural Society:** The Fall Flower & Vegetable Show will be held at the Grange Hall in Lefroy on Sept.8 2007. Entries from 10-11:15 a.m; judging from 11.30 to 1.p.m. Open to the Public from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

For info about the flower show please call J.Matchett at 705-456-3299. Everyone is welcome to attend and new members are always welcome. For all other information please call Kathy at 905-853-8785.

**Quote:** When your mother asks, "Do you want a piece of advice?" it is a mere formality. It doesn't matter if you answer yes or no. You're going to get it anyway...Erma Bombeck

If you have any news items/events for this column, please contact me at 705-436-9769 or email me at [lagerow@rogers.com](mailto:lagerow@rogers.com)

## Rate your conservation efforts with "I conserve" challenge cards

### Conservation Council of Ontario distributes cards through The Beer Store's 441 retail stores across Ontario

By 2009, the Conservation Council of Ontario wants everyone in Ontario to say "I conserve."

The goal is not to become perfect overnight, just better. To make it easy, The Council has developed a simple 10-point self assessment card people can use to rate their conservation efforts and set a personal or family target (see sample card below).

In August, "I Conserve" challenge cards were distributed through The Beer Store's 441 retail stores across Ontario.

Throughout 2008, the cards will be distributed by partner groups and municipalities in the We Conserve campaign ([www.weconserve.ca](http://www.weconserve.ca)).

"There's room for everyone to improve," says Winter, who scores his own family's efforts at 85 out of 100, not quite his target score of 89.

"We're doing pretty well, but we're still getting better over time and investing more in conservation.

"Conservation is not about sacrifice", says Winter, "it's about making choices that are environmentally-sound, healthier, and make you feel good. It's about finding ways to spend less time stuck in traffic, to lower your energy bills, generate your own power, to eat local and organic food, and so much more."

Winter points to the tremendous wealth of organizations

## More 'Friends' needed at Lakeshore Branch

Lakeshore Friends of the Library, Alcona, invite creative men and women to join us. If you like to read. Like the things the Library offers to children and the Community, spend one hour a month with us.

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and companies that can help people become better conservers. "Twenty years ago, if you wanted to eat organic food, install a solar panel, or car-share, you had to do it all yourself. Now, there are all kinds of services and products that make it easier to become a better conserver."

In a sea of environmental programs, the Conservation Council is unique in that it is building a united conservation movement to link personal commitment with economic and social development.

"I Conserve" is closely linked to "We Conserve", a five year campaign to promote a conservation movement in Ontario.

This Fall, The Council will work with retail associations to promote a retail commitment to conservation in time for the Christmas rush.

"We want to have stores as our allies in promoting green giving this Christmas," says Winter.

## BARRIE POSITIONS

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\$20.00 hourly
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Days and afternoons  
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Counter Balance & Raymond Reach certified  
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Physically capable to do repetitive work in fast paced environment  
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Days, afternoons and midnights  
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