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Serge Folschweiler receives a flag and portrait of the Queen from MPP Hugh O'Neil in this historic photo. Serge lived in Batawa for over 55 years. He was a shoe designer for the Bata Shoe Organization, a pioneer of the Batawa Ski Club, and a devoted husband to Shirley. Hugh was MPP for 20 years, and was a great friend to the community of Batawa. They will both be deeply missed.

SENIOR'S EXPO RETURNS TO BATAWA

Batawa, ON – After resounding success in its first year, the Batawa Senior's Expo is returning even bigger than before. On Friday, November 6th, from 9am-3pm at the Batawa Community Centre, over 50 vendors will provide new opportunities for seniors to have fun, stay active, and be healthy.

“We didn't know what to expect at the first event last year, but we ended up having

300 people attend. The room was packed,” beamed Batawa Community Development Coordinator Judi Clark. “We even had someone tell us that a person stopped her on the street in Trenton and told her that she needed to get to the expo in Batawa!”

“Everyone is welcome to attend,” says Clark. “This event is geared just as much to people in their fifties who are only

thinking about retirement, as it is to caregivers and people who are already retired. We want everyone to come.”

Entry is free, and free lunch for guests (while it lasts) will be provided by Batawa Ski Hill's Chef Nelson, thanks to generous sponsorship from Carrington Retirement. All exhibitors will have giveaways on hand, and there will be door prizes.

“We're so happy to have several sponsors for this event,” says Clark. “We'd like to thank Quintessential Credit Union and Carrington Retirement, along with Batawa Seniors Unlimited, Family Dental Centre, and Nordix Pole Walking Canada.”

BATAWA RESIDENT IN WASHINGTON POST

Congratulations to Batawa's Garth Dallman, who was featured in the Washington Post recently along with Research Castings International (RCI) of Trenton.

Garth was a key figure in placing “Walter” the T-Rex in Batawa's Dino Dig park.

RCI's most recent project is a full-size upright T-Rex displayed in the act of devouring a

Triceratops. The project is destined for the Smithsonian in Washington.

The full article can be found online at the [Washington Post](#).

LADIES OF SACRED HEART CHURCH

107 PIES MADE AND SOLD OUT! The Ladies of Sacred Heart held their anticipated Apple Pie Fest on Thursday, October 1. In one day, the ladies and their friends made 83 apple pies for Thanksgiving and Christmas. They ran out of dough so they finished this week. Thank you to the volunteers who came out to roll pies and peel apples. It was fun to visit with old friends and community members.

CHRISTMAS TEA AND BAKE SALE coming up soon. The sale will be Sunday, November 15 from noon to 2:30pm. Cost is \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for kids under 10.

Pre-order your trays by Friday, November 5. Cost of trays is \$16. They are wrapped and ready to put on the Christmas table. Call Anne Marie at 613-398-0223 or Sue at 613-398-1336.

FAREWELL, PHIL!

Philip Baldwin, Batawa's communications coordinator, will be leaving after November 6 to take a position as Chief of Staff in Ottawa to Mike Bossio, newly elected MP for Hastings-Lennox and Addington. Please join us in wishing him well in this exciting new endeavor.

COFFEE BREAK

A record-setting \$333.20 was raised by donations from guests on Thursday, September 17 for Alzheimer's research. 30 visitors sampled cookie entries from the Lions Club and the Ladies of Sacred Heart and voted for their favourite. A close race ended with the Ladies victorious. Thank you to all!

BATAWA'S BUNDLE OF JOY!



On September 15, Batawa residents Vicki and Jeff Moorhouse welcomed their first child, Madeline Joyce (8lbs. 13 oz.). Congratulations!

UPCOMING EVENTS

6 Nov. – 2nd Annual Batawa Senior's Expo at the community centre. 9am to 3pm.

7-8 Nov. – Batawa Ski Swap at the community centre. 9am-4pm on Sat; 10am-3pm on Sun.

21 Nov. – Christmas Craft Fusion at the community centre.

HUNTING NOTICE

Please be advised that during hunting season a small number of pre-authorized individuals will be hunting on BDC property. It is recommended to wear brightly coloured clothing if you choose to enjoy the trails at this time.



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