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9:30-11:00 am at my studio (Hatha Breathe)	9:30-11:00 am at my studio (Hatha Breathe)	9:30-11:00 am at my studio (Hatha Breathe)	5:15-6:15 pm Family Yoga at my studio*
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The Milford Fair Board

Meetings, Events, Announcements

Fair Board Pot Luck Supper
Milford Town Hall
Wednesday, November 21, 6:00 p.m.
All volunteers are welcome

Wii Bowling
Milford Town Hall
Thursdays until December 6
1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
We need more players for a FUN afternoon

The Marysburgh Mummers present
Snow White, the Panto
Mt. Tabor Playhouse
November 29 to December 2

Christmas Decoration Workshop
With Diane Walker & Janet Murphy
Milford Town Hall
Saturday, December 8, 10:00 until noon
Limited to 20 people - Cost: \$5.00 per person
Email vidvar@kos.net to register

South Marysburgh New Year's Levee
Jackson's Falls Schoolhouse
January 1, 2019 2 to 4 pm

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A delicious potluck lunch was enjoyed by the ladies on Wed. Oct. 10th at 12 noon.

Sandra opened the meeting at 1:00 p.m. with our purpose, theme hymn and the Lord's Prayer.

Karen's devotional was a remembrance of all the things we are thankful for. Ten sick calls were made and thank you cards received.

Joyce gave an up-to-date report on our finances.

The luncheon schedule for Sat. Nov. 17 was discussed and finalized. Don't forget, ladies, that we are baking goodies for our bake table.

A motion for a generous donation was passed to be given to the church from the U.C.W.

Nora's program was a challenging contest for the mind which we all enjoyed even though we may not have excelled with the answers.

The meeting closed with our U.C.W. prayer.



St. Philip's Church: Doubters, Seekers, Newcomers

Do you ever wonder about church, what people get out of it? Or do you ever wonder if you are missing something in your life? Or maybe you have doubts and aren't sure if you would be welcome at church. Or perhaps you've never been to church and would like to, but are unsure about it.

Rest assured that doubters, skeptics, seekers, and beginners are all welcome. It's true that many people go to church because they are believers, but some go because they believe in love and that's what the church upholds; and some go because they like to sing; and some go because church reminds them that there is more to life than meets the eye. Some people go to church because it's a quiet hour out of their busy lives; some go to be inspired and uplifted or even challenged; and some go to be part of a caring community.

Love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, and gentleness are the benefits of being inspired by the Gospel.

St. Philip's Church welcomes everyone. We will be having a Welcoming Sunday and Open House on November 25. Sunday worship starts at 11 o'clock or join us afterwards at 12:15 in the church hall for a light lunch and coffee. We hope you come!

*Sally Cowan and Peggy Hallward
Wardens, St. Philip's Church*

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South Bay U.C.W. and Milford Friendship Circle Upcoming Meetings & Events

Saturday, Nov. 17 – Reserve this date to attend South Bay United Church's luncheon, bake table and craft sale 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Luncheon includes homemade soup, sandwiches and dessert for \$10.00. Stock up on homemade goodies from the bake table and do your Christmas shopping at the craft sale.



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*Personal Notices, Announcements
& Random Notes*

Copy editing made easy

When I took over publishing The Mirror in 2011 and Vicki Emlaw began sending Nelson Hicks' journal entries, I was in disbelief about her knowledge of punctuation and grammar. It was not until I saw the actual journals and Nelson's handwriting that I understood that it wasn't her fault, it was his.

Nelson's current transcriber, Sarah Moran Collier, will be holding a transcription workshop on November 25th if you'd like to learn what's involved. She'll have copies of the journals on hand and will guide attendees through the processes she undertakes to bring this beloved feature of The Mirror to you each month. Details are on Nelson's home in The Mirror on page 8.

Milford Library Branch Check It Out

By Liz Zylstra

It's been a busy few months at the Milford Branch of the Library. Thanks to the continued dedication of the Friends of the Library, we are thrilled to have brand new comfortable chairs in the branch. It really freshens up the whole branch and we have heard from many appreciative patrons who enjoy the chairs as a place to read, knit, and visit with their neighbours. The Friends are also planning some projects to refresh the front of the branch, organized the recent Halloween party and made a generous donation to the expansion to the Picton Branch Library. The Friends truly make a difference and we appreciate their enthusiasm and hard work.

If you are starting to plan your holiday shopping, you might be interested to know that we have new mugs featuring art by South Marysburgh artist Tim Snyder. Through the summer we had two designs by Tim – one that featured all six branches of the library and another with just the Picton Branch Library as we are fundraising for the expansion to that branch. In response to popular demand we will now offer mugs highlighting each branch of the library individually including our Milford Branch. You can purchase just one or make a set for a gift or for yourself, and proceeds support the Picton Library expansion. We will also have prints with Tim's depiction of each branch of the library available for sale that will be suitable for framing. The expansion to the Picton Branch Library means that there will be more books and resources available at the Milford Branch - anything that is offered in Picton is available to any branch of the library if there is demand.

We are planning our programs for 2019 and if you have any suggestions or ideas we would love to hear from you. We are considering a series of talks about the history of South Marysburgh and if that appeals to you, or if you have a suggested speaker, please do drop by the branch or call (613) 476-4130.

Great news! For the month of October, all donations to the Picton Branch Library expansion will be matched by an anonymous donor, up to \$100,000. Donate online at timetorenew.ca or at any branch of the library.



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South Marysburgh Recreation Board Crowdsourcing

The South Marysburgh Recreation Board wants your ideas!

Do you have a recreation idea for our area? The Recreation Board receives \$2.25 per resident per year to provide recreation activities for residents of South Marysburgh and the public. Your participation in this crowdsourcing effort will help ensure the money is well spent. All residents of South Marysburgh can contribute an idea, and all residents can vote for their favourite idea.

Complete and submit the form, below. Your idea will appear in next month's Mirror. South Marysburgh residents will vote for their favourite idea. The Recreation Board will work with you to make the most popular idea(s) a reality. Please note: events or activities may not be on private property.

Be sure to vote next month! Stay tuned to The Mirror to see all the submissions and to see the results!

Your Name	Be Anonymous?
How Should We Contact You?	
Short Title For Your Idea	
Describe Your Idea (100 Words or Less)	
Cost Estimate	
How Many Volunteer Hours Are Required?	
How Many Volunteer Hours Can You Contribute?	

Your entry must be received no later than November 20th. Send your submission to Rec Board, 2832 CTY RD #10, Picton, K0K 2T0 or email the information to senorjp@gmail.com or put your entry in the mailbox at 2832 CTY RD #10

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Druella Acantha Malvina's Column

Gem for the month: If you think education is expensive, try ignorance.

Some answers written by school kids:

1. Ancient Egypt was inhabited by mummies who live on the Sarah desert and wrote the hydraulics.
2. Sir Francis Drake circumcised the world with a 100-foot clipper.
3. Magna Carta made it illegal to hang a man twice for the same offence.
4. The Romans are so-called by historians because they didn't stay in one place at for long.
5. Homer wasn't actually written by Homer but by another man of the same name.
6. Nero was a Roman emperor who tormented his subjects by playing his fiddle to them.
7. Socrates died of an overdose of wedlock.

An elderly woman was sitting alone with her cat polishing a dusty lamp she'd found in the attic, when a genie popped out and offered her three wishes. Thinking quickly, she said, "I'd like to be rich. I'd like to be young and beautiful again. And, I'd like my cat to turn into a handsome prince."

There was a puff of smoke and she found herself young and glamorous, surrounded by riches. The cat had disappeared and a gorgeous prince stood beside her. She melted into his embrace. "Now," he whispered, "aren't you sorry you had me fixed?"

A city man approached a local farmer and asked him what his horse was worth.

"That depends," said the farmer. "Are you the county tax assessor or the owner of the car that killed him?"

A very successful farmer had a meeting with his new son-in-law. "I love my daughter and now I welcome you into the family," said the farmer. "To show you how much we care for you, I'm making you a 50-50 partner in my farm operation. All you have to do is go to the farm every day and learn the operations."

Morris, the son-in-law, intervened with, "I hate farms. I can't stand the smell."

"I see," said the father-in-law. "Well, then, you'll work in the office and take charge of some of the operations."

"I hate office work. I can't stand being stuck behind a desk all day."

"Wait a minute," said the farmer. "I just made you half owner of a money-making organization but you don't like farms and won't work in an office. What am I going to do with you?"

"Easy," said Morris, "Buy me out."

Did you hear about the comic who told the same stories three nights running?

He wouldn't dare tell any of them standing still.

There's a story going around about an urbanite who just moved into a rural community and was calling the local township office to have a sign removed that read "Deer Crossing".

Apparently he had noticed several deer being hit by cars in that area. He no longer wanted the deer to cross there as it was too dangerous.

Exit Lines:

Q: *What comes from a tree and fights cavities?*

A: *A toothpick.*

Opera is when a guy gets stabbed in the back and instead of bleeding, he sings.



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Life In The Past

Nelson Hicks' Journals
November 1928

Transcribed by Sarah Moran Collier

Fri. 2 - Royden was home from Kathleen party. We got 10 salmon this morning. He is working at Charley Hicks helping with his apples

Sat. 3 - Mirt Floral Wrex and I went over to Picton. Floral and Mirt got a new coat. Kathleen went to Belleville to see the Rugby Game. Rained most all day

Wed. 7 - Lloyd and I went up to Toronto. Went up with his car. And he fetched down a new one for to sell

Thu. 8 - I come home from Lloyds We are having quite nice weathr.

Fri. 9 - We are about done plowing we have got the Gardens and Orchards yet.

Sat. 10 - Mirt Wrex Floral and I went over to Picton Mirt change her coat for another one that She thinks she will like better

Sun. 11 - Lloyd Luis came down says he sold the car and is going up to Toronto again Tuesday Mirt and I are going up with him

Mon. 12 - Mirt and I went up to Lloyds in the after noon Kathleen went over to Picton with us.

Tue. 13 - Mirt and I went up to Toronto with Lloyd and Luis. It was a lovely day and we had a nice time Lloyd fetched another new car down

Wed. 14 - We came home. Still the weathr is fine

Thu. 15 - Wrex and I plowing the Gardens and Orchards Salmon fishing is all done We caught about 38 this year.

Fri. 16 - Royden is thru working at Charlie Hicks Royden Ray Dulmage Donal Welbanks Harrie Hicks all went up to Toronto to attend Boys Parlement

Sat. 17 - Floral and I went over to Picton I took a can of Milk over to sh Toronto

Sun. 18 - All went around to church not a very big crowd out Royden got home from Toronto at night

Tue. 20 - Finished plowing the Gardens A very nice day We killed a couple of Hogs

Wed. 21 - Drew out manure around the Barn

Fri. 23 - We all went over to Picton after tea. Floral Mirt and I went to the Commencement. Floral got her Diplomia

Sat. 24 - Mirt and I went over to Picton a very nice day Kathleen came home.

Sun. 25 - We all went around to church but Wrex when we got home Lloyd Luise Cathern Murphy were here.

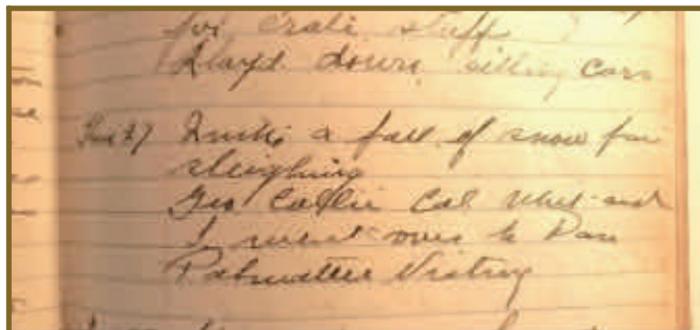
Mon. 26 - Colder with snow.

Tue. 27 - Royden and Wtex drew out manure. I plastered the Hog pen. Quite a nice day

Wed. 28 - Lloyd was down selling cars Wrex went up with him

Thur. 29 - Royden went up to Milford with a grist.

Fri. 30 - Mirt and I went up to Lloyds After dinner we went over to Belleville rained an snowed all after noon. Wrex and I went to the O.B.C. to find out his going to school.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO TRY TRANSCRIBING NELSON HICKS' DIARY?

Come for tea in South Bay on Sunday November 25 and have a go with friends and neighbours. Vicki and I will be there to help. Email me for more details sarahmoran@gmail.com

Sarah's Research Notes Insight, Information & Anecdotes About Nelson Hicks' Journal Entries

Lots of trips to Toronto this month; with a 25mph speed limit, it must have been a long drive! Nelson's son Wrexford, Ray Dulmage, Donal Welbanks and Harrie Hicks head to Toronto for the Older Boys' Parliament. This began in 1921 as a youth program within the United Church of Canada and was focussed on leadership skills and democratic principles. At annual parliamentary sessions, boys selected as representatives of their local churches gathered to work out ideas and debate issues of the day. By 1928 there were 2000 groups and 30,000 boys registered in groups governed by these Boys' Parliaments. The parliaments quickly became more ecumenical and eventually allowed girls, after much debate, for a trial period of a year, in 1968!



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