

2009 Great Backyard Bird Count Results

by Linda Huisman



The 12th annual Great Backyard Bird Count took place across North America February 13-16, 2009. Other than a rather dull, cloudy day on the Friday, we had clear skies over the rest of the count which made “birding” much easier and conditions more tolerable for wandering the trails. You know you are hooked on birds when you are staring out the window later in the week, still counting Blue Jays and Black-Capped Chickadees at your feeders!

Pinawa held its position as second in Manitoba during the bird count, for submitting 59 checklists, reporting 28 species. Winnipeg was first with 67 checklists (reporting 2,841 birds). Last year 39 checklists were submitted by Pinawa residents, reporting 26 species, totaling 2,109 birds. This year the Grand Bird Total was

3,068! That’s an amazing jump in numbers of bird sightings!

Probably the most popular and new bird spotted in the area over this week-end was the Northern Hawk Owl. Two birds were seen along highway 211. The favorite perch for one Hawk Owl was atop the oak trees behind the AECL sign heading into the plant. The other owl seen was the Great Grey, both along highway 211 and the 520. It was a pleasure seeing this owl as well, because no Great Greys were spotted anywhere in Manitoba for the count last year.

There was much drama in a few backyards where a Northern Shrike decided that Grosbeaks looked good for dinner! As both the Evening Grosbeak and Pine Grosbeak are just a tad smaller than the Shrike, it’s amazing to imagine it choosing such large prey. Thank

you to Jenefer Cavers and Nancy Bremner for spotting the Shrikes and sharing their stories!

Although large flocks of both Pine and Evening Grosbeaks and Common Redpolls were seen at various times over the week-end, it’s difficult to interpret the changes in numbers in Pinawa from last year. The same number of reports for Evening Grosbeaks for two years showed just over half the number around this year. The Pine Grosbeak was reported about 60% more times this year, yet the numbers were at least 2 ½ times higher. Redpolls had about 50% more sightings this year and

about the same increase is reflected in their numbers.

Some of the more elusive birds spotted other than owls included 1 Bald Eagle, 1 Black-backed Woodpecker, 2 Northern Shrikes, 2 White-winged Crossbills, and 10 Boreal Chickadees.

Over the 4-day period, the following bird sightings were reported as of February 25th: 6 Ruffed Grouse, 1 Bald Eagle, 14 Northern Hawk Owls, 4 Great Gray Owls, 2 Snowy Owls, 23 Downy Woodpeckers, 26 Hairy Woodpeckers, 1 Black-backed Woodpecker, 6 Pileated Woodpeckers, 2 Northern

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Winnipeg River Wildcats Midget A Hockey Club to host Midget A Provincials

by Reg Simard



The Winnipeg River Wildcats are hosting the Provincial Midget A Championships from March 13-15, 2009 in Pinawa. This local Midget A Hockey Club consists of players from Pine Falls, Lac du Bonnet, and Pinawa. On behalf of the Winnipeg River Wildcats, we want to extend a warm welcome to the community to come out and support the team. Pinawa Minor Hockey Association will benefit as they will be running the canteen. PMHA will be looking for support for the canteen, so if you can lend a hand it would be much appreciated. There will be a sign up sheet on the door of the canteen.

This event will bring in teams and their families from across the province. They will be staying in

our communities and patronizing local businesses. This is an opportunity for you to support our local athletes and promote your business.

We are selling advertisement space in our program. If you are interested in placing an ad, please call Susan Musey at 753-2098.

The games begin on Friday March 13 with,

Beausejour vs OCN at 6 pm
Winnipeg River vs Grunthal at 8 pm

Saturday March 14
Wpg River vs OCN at 10 am
Grunthal vs Beausejour at Noon.

OCN vs Grunthal at 4 pm
Beausejour vs Winnipeg River at 6 pm
Sunday,

3rd place vs 4th place at 11 am
Consolation Final
1st place vs 2nd place at 1 pm
Championship Final

We will be running a progressive 50/50 with the pot accumulating though out the weekend and one draw for the Jackpot Sunday at noon.

Further to ...

Last week's article regarding NEHA's decision to amalgamate ambulance services at the junction of highways 11 and 211 stated, "It has not yet received approval from Manitoba Health, but it has received agreement in principle." What CEO Jim Hayes actually said was, "This project has not yet received approval but we have been assured that the project is supported in principle and we remain hopeful that it will be approved in due course."



Daryl Woodbeck as John, and Wanda Woodbeck as Fay, rehearsing a scene from the Pinawa Players presentation of Norm Foster's comedy, "Here on the Flight Path" Mar. 19-21. Tickets are now on sale at Solo Stores, Pinawa Hair Centre and Book Break.

Backyard Bird Count, cont'd

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Shrikes, 87 Gray Jays, 247 Blue Jays, 6 Black-Billed Magpies, 16 American Crows, 294 Common Ravens, 160 Black-Capped Chickadees, 10 Boreal Chickadees, 4 Red-Breasted Nuthatches, 38 White-Breasted Nuthatches, 29 European Starlings, 530 Pine Grosbeaks, 68 Purple Finches, 2 White-Winged Crossbills, 960 Common Redpolls, 42 Hoary Redpolls, 41 Pine Siskins, 432 Evening Grosbeaks, & 17 House Sparrows.

Many thanks to everyone in the Pinawa and the surrounding areas who participated in the Great Backyard Bird Count. It was a

real pleasure talking with everyone about the exciting birds found at their feeders, in their yards, or along their walks. We are very fortunate to have such a variety of birds right in our backyards. You can compare the Great Backyard Bird Count results in Pinawa with other communities across Canada and the United States by checking online

If we all keep watching and learning about the different species of birds available here in Pinawa, we will find ourselves catching up to Winnipeg, by submitting even more checklists next year! Thanks again, and Happy Bird Watching!



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with Bruce Goodwin

Believe it or not, it's time to enjoy spring skiing! Don't pay attention to the weather forecast any more, because the actual temperature on our ski trails is much warmer. The spruce trees soak up the heat from the overhead sun making for some great incredible skiing.

We made good use of the conditions on Sunday to try ski-joring again. Our 2- and 4-footed friends from Snow Motion spent most of the afternoon demonstrating this unique sport and letting all our Jackrabbits try it out. There were two main venues. In one, a dog is connected to a skier using a bungee cord. One dog is enough to propel even a heavyweight skier at incredible speeds. I tried it with a dog called Highway and I am pleased to note that Highway was very attentive to his cargo. Not only did he stop immediately when I fell, but he also came back to see if any first aid was needed. In my case he only licked my face but I wouldn't be surprised if he knows some CPR.

The second and more sedate

skijoring technique uses a kitchen chair mounted on runners. You can sit on the chair or use it as a hand-hold while you stand on the runners. The pace is rather slow with someone on the chair and someone hanging on behind. However if you add an extra dog or two, be ready for some speed. Surprisingly enough, most of these dogs are just medium in size. There was one chocolate lab, but most were border collies or close relatives.

Next Sunday we're off our annual tour to the cabin on English River cabin with a stopover to roast a snack or two. Most of our younger skiers will catch a ride in a sleigh behind our club's snow mobiles with a short 2 km return ski. I expect all of our older Jackrabbits will want to take on the entire trail, about 12 km in length. Visitors are always welcome - call me at 753-8393 for more information. Also check out more photos of the Snow Motion dogs on our web site at www.WhiteshellSkiClub.com



Lots of traffic on the ski trails last Sunday



Ben gets some air on the ski jump

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The Essentials

An A Cappella Group

Submitted by Maureen Macdonald

The Essentials are a Toronto-based cappella group that has moved from their beginnings in London, Ontario to international acclaim as "one of the finest a cappella groups in the world". Their unique arrangements of songs from the 50's to present day have won the respect of fans everywhere.

Their busy touring schedule has taken them to hundreds of cities in North America and Europe. Their trip across the Atlantic saw them performing for thousands of enthusiastic listeners throughout Great Britain. They have performed with some of the most respected names in the entertainment industry including Little Richard, The Platters and Burton Cummings.

The Eastern Manitoba Concert Association (EMCA) is

delighted to bring The Essentials to the Pinawa stage on Friday, March 13th.

Their first two CDs have helped to spread the word of their talent around the world having sold thousands to fans on every continent.

With two consecutive home runs, the group decided to try a little twist. They recorded a live show in Sault Ste Marie, Ontario and the result was their third album Bare.

In 2007, The Essentials began recording what fans for years have been asking for: a Christmas CD!

The Christmas CD is set for release in November 2008; however, The Essentials took 3 completed tracks and released them in November 2007 under the title Stocking Stuffer. In December 2007, Stocking Stuffer was certified gold in Canada.

Hot on the trail of their November 2008 Christmas CD will be the release of a yet untitled CD that will feature mainly original material. "We may want to make the next album more radio-friendly by adding light, tasteful instrumentation", said tenor Dan Speck. Joon Nah added, "But we won't stray too far from what got us here: strong, thick and unique vocal harmonies with memorable melodies." Thom Speck and Joe Oliva were sitting silently through this exciting exchange of words between their bandmates.

When not in the recording studio, The Essentials will contin-

ue to perform and sell out shows across North America. With the support of those who know them already, and the enthusiasm of the thousands who will discover them this year, The Essentials will continue to enjoy what they do like no other group... sing!

Join us at the Pinawa Community Centre, 20 Vanier Avenue on Friday 13th March at 8 p.m. For more information about EMCA's season line-up and EMCA information visit the EMCA website <http://www.emcaconcerts.com> or for ticket information and to reserve your ticket contact Cathy at 753-2767.

Atoms sweep Ice Hawks in first round of playoffs

The Pinawa Atoms C team completed the sweep of their first round play-off opponent, the Springfield Ice Hawks, with a 12-3 victory on Saturday, February 28th. The Ice Hawks led 2-1 after the 1st period, but 8 second period goals from the Pinawa Panthers erased that lead and the goaltending tandem of Lian Drabek and Harry Leach stoned any hopes of a Springfield comeback. Kevin Lamb led the Panthers in scoring

with a double hat trick, Joshua Hayter scored 4 goals and Jesse Elcock chipped in with 2 goals. David McLean joined the girls of defence, Michaela Spence, Abi Voth and Kennedy Elcock (a last minute substitute for a sick Eric Hessian) to stifle the Ice Hawk offence. Everyone played a solid team game as they have all season. Pinawa awaits the winner of the Pineview-Steinbach series for the League Championship play-off.



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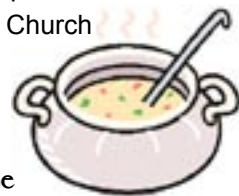
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Winnipeg River Wildcats Midget A Hockey Club

by Reg Simard

The Midget A Wildcats just returned from The Tournament of Champions in Brandon.

The Wildcats went undefeated by beating Estevan Bruins 7-5 on Thursday afternoon.

The team followed this with a 12-1 thumping of the Moose Jaw Warriors on Friday. Saturday morning, at 7:45 am, the boys played Assiniboine Park Rangers and handed them an 8-2 beating. The Wildcats met Varsity View in the Championship semi-finals and hammered them 10-4 with 5 goals in the third period. An all Eastman



final had the Wildcats play our archrival, Beausejour Comets in a well played game with the Wildcats coming out with a 7-2 victory and a championship trophy. For online results of the tournament go to www.tournamentofchamps.com/page.aspx?page_id=133

The Wildcats will begin the league playoffs this coming weekend when we play Grunthal in a best of three starting in St. Malo, Saturday Feb. 28 at 2 pm, followed by game 2 in Pinawa, Sunday March 1 at 2 pm in Pinawa.

In January, the Wildcats went to Dryden Ontario for a Midget A tournament and went undefeated there as well. The team played six games in three days and finished with a dramatic 3-2 victory over Thunder Bay.

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“The cold & flu season has been particularly tough this time around, at least from my perspective. Mine developed into pneumonia and it was a nasty two weeks of not feeling well. I belong to the Core Action Fitness program run by Janet Lamb. When she heard about my pneumonia, she offered a treatment called tapotement, a gentle, but firm pum-

meling of the back, which helps to release the infection in the lungs and make it easier for the sufferer to cough up and expel the mucus. Janet “pummeled” me three days in a row and greatly relieved my discomfort. I highly recommend to anyone suffering from pneumonia, to seek out this treatment. It was very helpful! Thank you Janet!
- Marcia Stanley”



LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICT OF PINAWA

Public Notice is hereby given that the Local Government District of Pinawa intends to conduct the following Pesticide Control Programs in 2008.

1. To control noxious weeds on boulevards, and in other areas within the LGD of Pinawa. The projected dates of application will be from May 1, 2009 to September 30, 2009. The herbicides to be used include:
**2-4D Amine, Dicamba, Mecoprop (Par 3)
Glyphosate (Roundup)
Paraquat (Gramoxone)**
2. To control rats at the Landfill Site in the LGD of Pinawa at various times during the coming year, using the rodenticide Rat XB (bromadiolone).
3. To control insect pests including mosquitoes, elm bark beetles, spruce budworm and tree worms. The proposed dates of application for these programs will be from May 1, 2009 to September 30, 2009. The insecticides to be used are:
**Malathion ULV
Dipel (Bacillus thuringiensis)
Pyrate (Chlorpyrifos)**
4. To control insect pests including mosquitoes, the LGD intends to larvacide from June 1, 2009 to September 30, 2009. The insecticides to be used include:
**Durban #3
BT (Bacillus Thuringiensis)**

Residents of the LGD of Pinawa are hereby further notified that written submissions may be forwarded within 15 days of the date of publication of this notice to the Department noted herein:

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THE
Biblio File
by Marg Stokes
753-2496

Greening our School... Greening our Community was a presentation sponsored by Pinawa Public Library on February 27th. Joe Stefaniuk described the composting program and other green initiatives at Pinawa Secondary School. Liz Cochrane talked about the threats to biodiversity in a world with a changing climate. Both Joe and Liz are members of the Pinawa Secondary School's Envirothon team, coached by teacher Dwayne Hanson, which be competing in the provincial 2009 Envirothon competition at the International Peace Gardens. After the presentation by Joe and Liz, there was a discussion of a community composting program.

Prairie Giant: The Tommy Douglas Story (DVD, 2005) reviewed by Irene Friesen

Pinawa Public Library
Community Centre on Vanier
Tues-Fri 1:30-4:30;
Mon-Fri 6:30-9:00; Sun 1-3pm
www.pinawapubliclibrary.com

What does Barack Obama have in common with Tommy Douglas? Both are charismatic political leaders in times of economic and environmental crisis. Both inspired citizens to embrace radical changes that favour ordinary people from Main Street.

Prairie Giant is the life and times of Tommy Douglas, the fiery prairie politician who was premier of Saskatchewan for 5 terms. Douglas was spurred to enter politics by the suffering he witnessed during the Great Depression. He tirelessly championed social justice, leading the battle for reforms such as the public health care, government insurance and the 40 hour workweek. Tommy Douglas is an iconic figure in Canadian history and is acknowledged as the "father of medicare", and was voted "the greatest Canadian" in a

VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEK OF Mar 4-11, 2009

Wed. Mar. 4	Marion Stewart	Paul Crosthwaite, Lyn Ewing
Thurs. Mar. 5	Helen Tomlinson	Marion Delaney
Fri. Mar. 6	Chris Crosthwaite	Linda Huisman
Mon. Mar. 9	LIBRARY CLOSED	Carol Findlay
Tues. Mar. 10	Evelyn Vandergraaf	Shirley Boyle
Wed. Mar. 11	Thecla Melnick	Bob Jones, Hans Miller

CBC contest.

Prairie Giant: The Tommy Douglas Story is an award-winning docudrama broadcast by the CBC in March 2006 to 1.7 million viewers – a huge audience for a CBC drama. CBC calls it a theatrical dramatization of real events but the film became controversial for historical errors in its portrayal of former Liberal Saskatchewan premier James Gardiner. The movie's theme – the struggle for social justice – is a timely one worthy of continued debate and discussion, particularly in this time of economic and ecological crisis.

NEW DVDS

The Lives of Others (Academy Award best foreign language film 2006)
Black Book (Paul Verhoeven)
The Assassination of Jesse James by the Coward Robert Ford

(Brad Pitt, Casey Affleck)

NEW FICTION

The Order of Good Cheer by Bill Gaston
The King's Gold by Arturo Perez-Reverts
Arctic Drift by Clive Cussler
The Da-Da-De-Da-Da Code by Robert Rankin
Any Known Blood by Lawrence Hill
Slumdog Millionaire by Vikas Swarup

RECYCLING IN MARCH

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Sun. Mar. 1 – Marg & Garry Stokes

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A neutron walks into a bar and orders a beer.
"How much for the beer?" the neutron asks the bartender.
"For you?" replies the bartender, "no charge."

What did the nuclear physicist have for lunch?
Fission chips.

A hydrogen atom is walking down the street with a friend when he suddenly stops. The friend says, "What's wrong?"
The hydrogen atom replies, "I lost my electron!"
The friend says, "Are you sure?"
The hydrogen atom exclaims, "Yes, I'm positive."
The friend laments, "Oh, I thought you were just being negative again."

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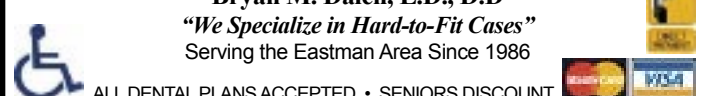
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♠ T854

♥

♦ KQJT52

♣ AKQ

North

♠ J96

♥ A9543

♦ 63

♣ T43

West ♠ AKQ72 East

♥ 82

♦ 74

♣ J875

South

♠ 3

♥ KQJT76

♦ A98

♣ 962

None Vulnerable

South West North East

2♥

2♣ 4♥ 6♠! Pass

Pass Pass

West leads the ♥A and, when Dummy goes down, who would blame Declarer for thinking “Yippee! What a terrific slam, and on just a combined 25 HCP! Nicely bid, pard!”

Declarer ruffs that ♥A opening lead and, without pausing for thought, cashes the ♠A and ♠K. When East shows out on the second round of trumps, Declarer ponders awhile (it’s a bit late now!) before realizing that “Oops!” and not “Yippee!” is the appropriate exclamation. Yes, indeed, Declarer has goofed mightily. He cannot draw the last trump (that would let the defense score a Heart and a Diamond), so he ruffs a Heart on the board and exits with the ♦K. But that doesn’t work, either. East wins the ♦A and returns a Diamond which must be won in Dummy. Now Declarer has no way back to his hand to draw that last enemy trump. He’ll cash a Diamond and lead another one, but, when East follows to the third round, Declarer will know that his goose is cooked. Whether he ruffs high or low, West’s ♠J will score a trick. Down one!

Of course, the winning line is to ruff the opening Heart lead, cross to the ♠A, *ruff another Heart*, and *then* draw trumps. Now is the time for that yippee. Trick 1 was the time for thinking.

Visit www.acbl.org for more information about the fascinating game of bridge.

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PUBLIC MEETING

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Tuesday March 10, 2009 at 7:00 p.m.

Room One
in Pinawa Secondary School

DUPLICATE BRIDGE RESULTS

Mon. Feb. 23 Pairs

- 1 Ken McCallum /
Chris Saunders
- 2/3 Agnes Swanson /
Lorne Swanson
- 2/3 Donna Wuschke /
Marg Stokes

Wed. Feb. 25 Individual

- 1 Barb Jones
- 2 Leon Clegg
- 3 Walter Cochrane
- 4/5 Esther Wright
- 4/5 Zona Dmytriw
- 6 Lyn Grant

Duplicate Bridge at the Pinawa Club

September to May

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Individual bridge Wednesdays @ 9:00 a.m.

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CRIBBAGE RESULTS

- Feb 24 - 1st place Pat Ramsay & Betty Chester 728
- 2nd Frank & Ann Oravec 714
- 3rd Vicki & Ron Spier 713
- Geoff & Sandy Knight 713

24 hand Carole Moloin

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Play Crib Tuesday afternoons @ the Club!

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ERIKA SOHN

After a lengthy illness Mrs. Erika Sohn, formerly Solobuhow of Seven Sisters Falls, Manitoba has passed away peacefully at Pinawa Hospital on Jan. 31st, 2009 at the age of 83. Left to survive are children: son Dieter and his wife Elaine, daughter Dagmar and her family, son Peter and his family, son Michael as well as Erika’s close friends John Stermscheg and Eva Berry Stermscheg and longtime friend Alma with family, and puppy Dexter.

Many thanks to Dr. Spence, Dr. Bani, Dr. Imhmed and the nurses and the support staff at Pinawa Hospital. A big thank you also to the home care coordinators, Nurse Alva and home care workers, especially Valerie who looked after Erika so well and with a lot of patience. Thank you Pat for being there.

In lieu of service, a private get together of Erika’s family and friends will take place at a later date to bury her ashes at the Pinawa Cemetery with her beloved husband Hans Sohn, who pre-deceased her in October 2000.

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from 4 – 7 p.m. at the back-stage workshop.

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The Sisters of the Holy Rock group, recently featured on Channel 12, will be performing in Pinawa on May 2. For ticket info call Betty at 753-2967

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Salary is set according to qualifications. Deadline for applications is March 20th, 2009 at 4:00 pm. For further information please contact the LGD Administration Office.

Submit application to LGD of Pinawa, Box 100, Pinawa, MB., R0E 1L0, or
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A valid Class V Driver License is required.

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March 4 Gian Haggard	March 8 Ron Smith
March 5 Wanda Woodbeck	March 8 Eva Berry Stermscheg
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Brain Teasers Solutions

Take the letters ERGRO. Put three letters in front of it, and the same three letters behind to form a common English word. SOLUTION: UND und(ergro)und *****

Which of the following words is the odd-one-out?
IBIS IBEX ORYX SIKA ZEBU
Answer: the Ibis is a bird; the others are mammals. *****

What number gives the same result when it is added to 1.5 as when it is multiplied by 1.5?
Answer: 3 *****

What do the words below have in common?
ADAM CLAIM GALL BUOY FOND RAMP
Solution: Each can have 'ant' appended to form a new word

Solution to last week's Sudoku

3	1	2	4	7	5	8	6	9
7	9	6	2	8	1	3	5	4
8	4	5	3	9	6	2	7	1
9	3	7	5	1	8	4	2	6
5	8	1	6	4	2	9	3	7
2	6	4	7	3	9	5	1	8
6	7	3	9	5	4	1	8	2
4	2	8	1	6	3	7	9	5
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