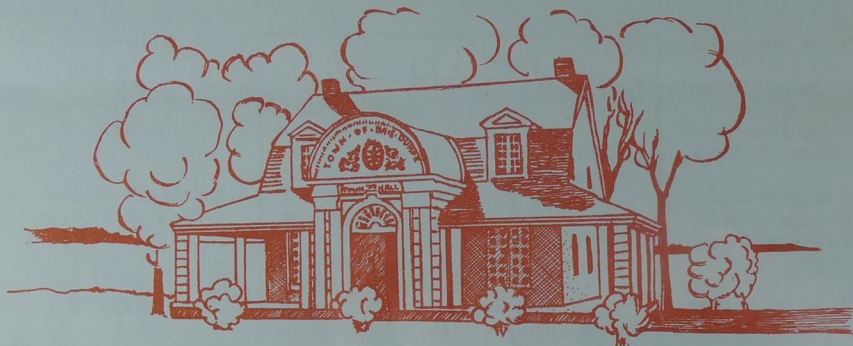


NEWS & VIEWS



1951

YOUR ELECTED OFFICERS

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BAIE d'URFE CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION

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BAIE d'URFÉ CITIZENS ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL FIELD DAY

AND

JULY 21st ————— DANCE ————— JULY 21st

Morning events will start sharply at 10 a.m.

For all children up to 12 years old.

Prizes will be given out at the end of the morning's races.

PLEASE BE ON TIME.

Three-legged races.

Races for girls only.

Races for boys only.

Sack races for all.

ICE CREAM AND COKES WILL BE SERVED.

July 1951.

Dear Member:

Once again your committee is busy preparing everything for a bang-up day for young and old alike.

We need canoes and rowboats to run off all the events. If you have one to lend, please call Roy Cape, 2629.

Close to 100 prizes will be given away, and any contribution you want to donate to cover the cost of these prizes will be welcomed. Please call Jack Burrige - 2622. All transactions will be confidential.

Any suggestions will be welcomed.

Afternoon events will start sharply at 2:30 p.m.

Lawn racing and aquatic competitions.

Prizes will be given out after all events have been run off.

PLEASE BE ON TIME.

Lawn racing.

Swimming.

Canoes - rowboats.

Tilting contest.

ICE CREAM AND COKES WILL BE SERVED.

DANCING UNDER THE STARS

For the first time this year, there will be dancing under the stars on a special floor provided. Bring your sweetie or someone else's. Dancing will start at 9:30. PLEASE GET DOWN EARLY - the nights are short.

TEA AND COOKIES WILL BE SERVED FOR THE GALLERY

THIS PART OF THE DAY'S ACTIVITY IS FOR THE ADULTS ONLY - leave Junior at home.

THIS IS YOUR COMMITTEE LISTED BELOW

Harvey Cruickshank - Chairman
Roy Cape, Tony Rooney
Tom Vauthier, Fred Ritchie

Frank Pinckney, Brad Proudfoot
Jack Burrige, Bob McBride
Reg. Vidler.

PLEASE CALL ANY OF THE ABOVE IF YOU WANT TO HELP OUT

BAIE D'URFE CITIZENS ASSOCIATION

BAIE D'URFE DAY - 1951 - COMMITTEE REPORT

TO BE HELD JULY 21.

THIS IS YOUR YEARLY OUTING AND IT TAKES EVERYONE TO MAKE IT SUCCESSFUL

P R O G R A M M E

Morning Events - starting at 10 a.m.

Director: Tom Vauthier

1)	Running races	-	Boys and Girls	-	3 to 5 years inclusive
2)	Running races	-	Boys only	-	6 to 8 years inclusive
3)	Running races	-	Girls only	-	6 to 8 years inclusive
4)	Running races	-	Boys only	-	9 and 10 years inclusive
5)	Running races	-	Girls only	-	9 and 10 years inclusive
6)	Sack races	-	Boys and Girls	-	6 to 8 years inclusive
7)	Sack races	-	Boys and Girls	-	9 and 10 years inclusive
8)	Sack races	-	Boys and Girls	-	11 and 12 years inclusive
9)	Running races	-	Boys only	-	11 and 12 years inclusive
10)	Running races	-	Girls only	-	11 and 12 years inclusive
11)	Running races	-	Boys only	-	13 to 15 years inclusive
12)	Running races	-	Girls only	-	13 to 15 years inclusive
13)	Three-legged race	-	Boys and Girls	-	6 to 8 years inclusive
14)	Three-legged race	-	Boys and Girls	-	9 and 10 years inclusive
15)	Three-legged race	-	Boys and Girls	-	11 to 12 years inclusive
16)	Three-legged race	-	Boys and Girls	-	13 to 15 years inclusive

MORNING PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN OUT AFTER ALL EVENTS HAVE BEEN RUN OFF

Afternoon Events - starting at 2:30 p.m.

Director: Tony Rooney

1)	Swimming	-	Boys and Girls	-	up to & including 12 years
2)	Swimming	-	Girls only	-	13 to 16 years inclusive
3)	Swimming	-	Boys only	-	13 to 16 years inclusive
4)	Swimming	-	Ladies only	-	17 years and over
5)	Swimming	-	Gentlemen only	-	17 years and over

Rowing and Paddling Events

- 1) Rowboats, using 1 set of oars and 1 paddle - Girls only - 13 to 16 yrs, inclusive.
- 2) Canoes, 2 to a canoe - Boys only - 13 to 16 years inclusive.
- 3) Rowboats, 1 set of oars and 1 paddle - 1 lady and 1 gent - 17 years and over.
- 4) Canoes, 2 to a canoe - Girls only - 13 to 16 years inclusive.
- 5) Rowboats, using 1 set of oars and 1 paddle - Boys only - 13 to 16 years inclusive.
- 6) Canoes, 2 to a canoe - 1 lady and 1 gent - over 17 years.
- 7) Tilting competition
- 8) War canoe race - using a rowboat, 5 to a crew - all over 13 years of age, each using 1 oar or a paddle (rowing not permitted).

Special Note: All rowboat and canoe races (except war canoe) are doubles. In rowboat races, one person rows and one paddles; in canoe races both persons paddle.

Land Events

- 1) Sack race - Ladies and Gents - over 17 years.
- 2) Three-legged race - 1 lady and 1 gent - both over 17 years.
- 3) Egg tossing contest - married couples ONLY - Husband and wife teams.
- 4) Guest race - Ladies and Gents - over 17 years - one foot hopping race.

PRIZES FOR AFTERNOON EVENTS WILL BE GIVEN OUT AFTER ALL EVENTS HAVE BEEN RUN

BATE D'URFE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

FLOWER & VEGETABLE SHOW

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1951

BATE D'URFE TOWN HALL

Entries received 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Judging commences at 2:30 p.m.

Exhibition open for inspection from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Presentation of prizes at 8:00 p.m.

VEGETABLE CLASSES

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| 1) Beans, bush (wax or green) - 12 | 14) Parsnips - 3 |
| 2) Beans, pole (wax or green) - 12 | 15) Peas - 12 |
| 3) Beets - 6 | 16) Peppers - 3 |
| 4) Broccoli - 1 head | 17) Potatoies - 6 |
| 5) Cabbage, any kind - 1 | 18) Squash, Hubbard - 1 |
| 6) Carrots, any kind - 6 | 19) Squash, any other kind - 1 |
| 7) Cauliflower - 1 | 20) Swiss Chard - 1 plant |
| 8) Celery, any kind - 1 plant | 21) Tomatoes - 6 |
| 9) Corn, unshucked - 3 | 22) Turnip, swede - 1 |
| 10) Cucumber - 2 | 23) Vegetable marrow - 1 |
| 11) Onions, red - 4 | 24) Any vegetable not listed above |
| 12) Onions, yellow - 4 | 25) Collection of vegetables in |
| 13) Onions, white (Spanish) - 4 | 11 quart basket. |
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FLOWER CLASSES

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| 26) Asters - 6 blooms | 42) Roses - 3 blooms |
| 27) Antirrhinum (Snaps) - 6 spikes | 43) Salpiglossis - 6 sprays |
| 28) Calendula - 6 blooms | 44) Scabiosa - 6 blooms |
| 29) Carnations - 6 blooms | 45) Sweet Peas - 12 blooms |
| 30) Cosmos - 6 blooms | 46) Zinnia, large - 6 blooms |
| 31) Delphinium - 3 spikes | 47) Zinnia, small - 6 blooms |
| 32) Gaillardia - 6 blooms | 48) Any flower not listed above |
| 33) Gladioli - 1 spike | 49) Collection of perennials |
| 34) Gladioli - 3 spikes | 50) Collection of annuals |
| 35) Larkspur - 6 spikes | 51) Collection of cut flowers (any kind) |
| 36) Dianthus (Pinks) - 6 blooms | 52) Table centre |
| 37) Marigold, large - 6 blooms | 53) Flower arrangement |
| 38) Marigold, small - 6 blooms | 54) Fern or other foliage plant (potted) |
| 39) Nasturtium - 10 blooms | 55) Flowering plant (potted) |
| 40) Pansies - 12 blooms | 56) Children's entry of wild flowers |
| 41) Phlox (perennial) - 6 heads | 57) Flower arrangement by children |

Classes 49 to 57 may be placed on the exhibition tables by the competitor personally.

Classes 49 to 51, collections of perennials, annuals, or cut flowers, to be arranged in vases with necks not over 6" diameter, supplied by the contestant. Will be judged on quality of flowers and arrangement.

Classes 53 and 57, flower arrangements, may be shown in any form of container, and include any types of flowers or foliage. Will be judged mostly on artistic arrangement.

Class 52, table centre, must have a maximum total height of flowers and container of 10".

Classes 54 and 55, potted plants, must have been in contestant's possession at least three months.

RULES GOVERNING EXHIBITION

- 1) All exhibits must have been in the possession of and grown by the exhibitor for at least six weeks prior to the date of exhibition.
- 2) All exhibitors must be members of the Baie d'Urfe Horticultural Society.
- 3) Children's classes open to those 16 years old and under.
- 4) Exhibitors may show only one entry in each class.
- 5) Any deviation from the exact quantities or preparation of material specified for a class will disqualify the exhibit.
- 6) Exhibits will be received at the Town Hall between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on August 11. To avoid a last minute rush and to allow for proper arrangement of exhibits, please bring them in before lunch, if possible. Late arrivals cannot be judged.
- 7) In order to leave space for the evening presentation of prizes, exhibits not awarded first, second, or third prize must be removed by 6:30 p.m. Prize winning exhibits must be claimed immediately following the presentation of prizes. This year it is intended to send unclaimed exhibits to the hospitals.
- 8) Exhibits will not be identified except by their official numbers until the judging is concluded.
- 9) Except for classes 49 to 57 and 25, for which exhibitors will supply their own containers, small flowers will be shown in pint jam jars, and large flowers in quart jam jars. Gladioli will be shown in quart milk bottles. A number of these are available at the Hall, but exhibitors are requested to supply their own where possible.
- 10) The judges' decision shall in all cases be final.
- 11) The judges may, at their discretion, withhold prizes when, in their opinion, the exhibits are not worthy. If there is only one entry in a class, a prize, (not necessarily a first prize), may be awarded, at the discretion of the judges.
- 12) Points will be awarded for first, second and third places in each class, and major prizes awarded on total points scored by the exhibitors. Collections and major classes will carry more points than the less important classes.

PREPARATION OF EXHIBITS

Blooms for the exhibition should be cut in the evening or early morning. Select blooms of an even size. Take an extra one along in case of accident, but count carefully when placing on show table as a bloom over or short of the number called for will disqualify the exhibit.

Where blooms are mentioned there must be only one bloom to a stem.

Flowers may be all one colour or assorted; a variety of colours is desirable.

Do not crowd flowers in vase or basket. Cut stems fairly long, and trim to desired length when placing in containers.

Judging of vegetables is based on "table quality" which means that they should be at the finest state of perfection for table use. Medium size, correct shape and colour for the variety, texture, freedom from blemish, and perfect matching are all factors which should decide the selection. The largest vegetables do not always win prizes.

Vegetables should be dusted or lightly wiped to remove excess dirt, but not washed.

Carrots and parsnips should have $1\frac{1}{2}$ " of stems attached. Beets 3" stems to prevent bleeding.

Onions should not be peeled, and stems should be left $1\frac{1}{2}$ " long.

Corn should not be shucked.

Tomatoes should be shown with a short piece of stem attached.

Celery and Swiss Chard plants should be left with the roots attached.

Cabbage should be left with a few outer leaves.

The leaves of the cauliflower should be trimmed level with the head.

For Gladioli showing, the proportion of stem to flower head should be $\frac{3}{5}$ stem to $\frac{2}{5}$ flower head, or the stem should be half as long again as the spike.

OUR ASSOCIATION

COMMITTEES

PHONE

CHAIRMEN

Hospitality	566
Membership	2192
Movie Club	2559
Recreation	2039
School Affairs	861
Circulation Manager	
"News and Views"	2611

Mildred Proudfoot
Ray Waverley
Kenneth Tuck
Fred Ritchie
E.B. Fry
Mary Smith

THE RECORD

The regular monthly meeting was held on Friday, June 8, with the Chairman, John Windebank, presiding. The total attendance was seventy-nine. Committee reports were presented - for the Membership Committee, Mr. Waverley announced a membership of 133. Mrs. R. Brown, and Messrs. J. Charters, R. Frauze, and K. Hale, were introduced to the meeting. Mr. Vauthier announced, for the Recreation Committee, that a backstop was being put up in the East playground. Mr. Windebank said that a Red Cross pamphlet on swimming safety rules would be mailed out, and asked parents to brief their children on these rules, and to be responsible for the safety of their own families. High School students, good swimmers, are asked to help with the instruction of the younger children. A ring buoy, bamboo pole, and 75-foot rope will be available at the wharf. Mr. Fry, reporting on School Affairs, referred to a special meeting which will be held for the purpose of presenting resolutions respecting a bond issue; announcements will be posted at 6 places within this area. If no objection to the bond issue is raised, it will, after 30 days, be sent to Quebec for approval. The amount to be spent on the School is \$796,000., of which Quebec would pay \$480,000, in 5 equal instalments. The cost to the Town each year, over a 30-year period, would be 20 to 21 thousand. The tax increase would be about 4 mills. The election of School Commissioners will take place on Monday, July 9. The regular term on the School Board is three years. As this is the first year of the present Board's existence, continuity in the membership is being assured by retiring two members this year, two next year, and one the third year. Mr. Fry moved that Mr. Will Spriggs, one of the two members chosen by lot to retire this year, be renominated, in view of Mr. Spriggs' long experience on the Board, especially in conducting the recent negotiations and in advising on engineering problems connected with the School. His motion was duly seconded and carried. Further nominations may be made on July 9, for one hour prior to the meeting.

Mrs. Coulter asked for a volunteer to take the editorship of "News and Views" next year, stressing the advisability of working 4 or 5 months on the paper before taking charge. The meeting favoured a suggestion to bring out a special issue of "News and Views" in July, to give publicity to Baie d'Urfe Day and the Horticultural Show, and to report on the June meeting of the Association. The Treasurer reported a balance of \$361.00, and the Corresponding Secretary reported sending out several letters of thanks and condolence. Mr. Tait announced that the Horticultural Society's Show would be held around the middle of August, notices to go out shortly. Mr. Loke drew attention to speeding on the highway, and was asked to head a committee to study and act on this problem.

The meeting then proceeded to the business of nominations for Town Mayor and Councillors. As a result of the balloting on nominations from the floor, in addition to the slate presented by the Nominating Committee, the following slate was declared chosen -

For Mayor: Mr. D. Allen
For Councillor no. 1: Mr. J. Gelinas
For Councillors no. 2 & 3: Mr. D. Menzies & Mr. W. Parker
For Councillors no. 4 & 5: Mr. D. Laird & Mr. R. Foss
For Councillor no. 6: Mr. P. Smith

Mr. Pilkey moved a vote of appreciation to those nominated to the the office of Mayor and Councillors by the Association two years ago, and his motion was seconded and carried with applause.

Tea was served by Mrs. Proudfoot, assisted by Mrs. Coulter, Mrs. Creates, and Mrs. Tuck.

Ruth Tait,
Recording Secretary.

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This is an emergency edition of "News and Views", made necessary in the absence of Mary Coulter, the editor. The many omissions and probable errors may not be laid at her door.

Julie Evans.

TAX ASSESSMENT ROLL

Be on the watch for signs to be posted shortly. They state that the assessment roll will be on view at the Town Hall for a period of thirty days. Newcomers are advised to make a special point of this, as errors must be adjusted within a set period.

TOWN COUNCIL

Complete material for the last two Council Meetings is not available in time to go to press. Would those interested in obtaining information please contact one of the councillors.

SWIMMING

Do read the facts regarding swimming at the Town Hall itemized in "The Record".

SCHOOL AFFAIRS

The annual meeting of the Baie d'Urfe-Senneville School Board was held on July 9, at which W. E. Butler of Senneville and W. Spriggs of Baie d'Urfe were re-elected as School Commissioners.

A special meeting of our local board was held on June 19 for the opening of the General Contracting and Heating Tenders for the new School Extension. Disappointment was in store for us, as the prices quoted turned out to be very much higher than had been expected, due, apparently, to recent increases in labour and material costs and a very uncertain future. Definitely an unhappy time was had by all!!.

On June 28, Central Board members W. E. Butler, J. T. Farmer, W. Spriggs, and secretary V. H. Graham went to Quebec to discuss our situation at a conference with Dr. Percival, Director of Protestant Education, Mr. Desaulnier, Superintendent of Education, and the Hon. French, Cabinet Minister. The outcome of the discussion was that no additional money is available this year, and no promises could be made about next year's budget. We were instructed to proceed with the School Extension within the limits of our available finances.

Costs are now being refigured for alternative schemes involving the temporary elimination of various rooms, etc. Progress is being made in obtaining our loan, although present conditions on St. James Street are not at all favourable. If no further unforeseen difficulties arise, it is possible that we may be able to get going late in August.

W. Spriggs.

SAFETY COMMITTEE

Some progress by the newly formed "Safety Committee", working toward a satisfactory solution of our traffic problems, has been made this month. Contact has been made with the Provincial Police Headquarters regarding observance of safe driving - particularly along the Lakeshore Road. We have been promised their co-operation. In turn, we have offered to provide the police with some assistance - which might be to report "repeat offenders". Further information is awaited from the Police Director's Office as to the form this assistance might take.

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Pressure of other matters, unfortunately, delayed initial discussions with Provincial Transport relative to drivers of that company observing safe driving principles in Baie d'Urfe. However, a very satisfactory recent meeting with the Transport Company's Regional Superintendent definitely indicates their readiness to co-operate. A concerted effort will be made by P.T. Co. in observance of traffic regulations and in maintaining close liaison with your Safety Committee. Practical application of their agreement to co-operate will be closely watched and will be reported in a subsequent edition of this paper and at future Association meetings. Incidentally, each P.T. bus driver on the St. Annes run has been cautioned individually by the Provincial Police as a direct result of efforts made thus far.

It is hoped to call a meeting of the Safety Committee in the near future for discussions on further "ways and means". Matters for discussion, we believe, should include consideration of present adequacy of road signs, partly on Lakeshore Road, but particularly on Morgan Road; how best to "get across" the message of safe driving habits to the taxi and delivery vehicles of St. Annes when operating in and through Baie d'Urfe; and last (and by no means least!) co-operation from the citizens of our own town.

We (and the pronoun is used in its broadest sense), frequently drive with little or no regard for:

- 1) the 30 mile per hour speed limit.
- 2) "STOP" and "SLOW" signs.
- 3) rule that stipulates no crossing of the solid white lines when passing other vehicles.
- 4) very slow driving when passing children walking or playing on or by the side of the road.
- 5) general "road courtesy" that enhances safety.

On the other hand, we can also co-operate by:

- 1) when walking, walk on the left side of the road facing on-coming traffic.
- 2) making sure that our children do not play on the roadways.
- 3) ensuring bicycles are never ridden two or more abreast - single file is definitely safer on the narrow Lakeshore Road.

A little problem in arithmetic may help some of us in realizing the time factor involved in a comparison of driving speeds. The average one-way trip along the roads of our town is 1.5 miles. If you drive at 45 m.p.h., how much sooner will you get to your destination than if you drive at the maximum legal speed of 30 m.p.h.? At 30 m.p.h. the trip (through Baie d'Urfe) takes 3 minutes; at 45 m.p.h. the trip takes 2 minutes - 60 seconds less! How often are these "precious" saved seconds worth the potential loss of a single life or the general misery of any kind of traffic accident? I know the answer. Do you?

A. W. Loke,
Chairman, Safety Committee,
20725 Lakeshore Road,
PHONE: Ste. Annes 752.

BAIE D'URFE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The annual exhibition of flowers and vegetables will be held in the Town Hall on Saturday, August 11. Entries will be received between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., and the exhibition opens for inspection at 4 p.m. Presentation of prizes will take place at 8 p.m.

Since the Society now has 110 members, it is expected that the exhibition will have more entries than ever, and additional space is being provided.

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Members are especially urged to bring their exhibits in as early in the morning as possible to avoid that last minute rush, and allow the committee time to arrange everything to best advantage. This year, contestants will be allowed to put their collections of flowers, table centers and floral arrangements in place personally so that they can put their finishing touches to them. These collections were an outstanding feature of last year's exhibition.

Lists of the classes, together with the rules and suggestions for preparation of exhibits will be mailed to all members shortly. We would be glad to enrol those who are not yet members, and they can participate in the exhibition and secure all the other benefits of membership in the Society for the fee of \$1.00.

There will be two classes for children 16 yrs. and under - collection of wild flowers, and flower arrangement of any kind of flower or foliage, to be judged mainly on the artistic arrangement. The flowers need not be grown by the children.

Don't be shy about entering. Every year prizes are won by people who start out by saying, "My garden isn't good enough to produce anything for show". Bring one exhibit or as many as you like and let the judges decide and probably surprise you.

The Horticultural Federation has announced that Dupuy & Ferguson, Ltd. are no longer allowing discounts to members of horticultural societies

POTTERY NEWS

The Lakeshore Potters' Guild wound up their first six-week session on June 26 with an exhibit of the work done in that time, and it was so successful that all twenty-six members are feeling rather smug - not that the pottery as such was incomparable - but that it did represent a good start, and was therefore encouraging both to the original members and to those would-be potters who would like to come along with us in the Fall.

A gratifying number of people were sufficiently interested to come to the exhibit, and kind enough to express their agreeable surprise at our efforts.

Mr. Girard spoke to the meeting, and said that he was satisfied that the session had been a success, and that our mistakes were at least lessons learned.

Under all the circumstances, it seems reasonable to hope that we may be able to open a new session in the Fall.

Anyone interested in blue prints of the small kiln and kick wheel should call 2949.