

The Trail on wooden wheels



Back for a return engagement with the Cabot Trail, Gordon Troop of St. Margaret's Bay tackled the Cabot Trail with a wooden wheeled and spoked bicycle. He did the Trail a couple of years back on a penny farthing. He is pictured in front of the Highwheeler Deli with the popular Baddeck establishment's Melvin Bresowar.

Nominations open for District #8 by-election

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4:30 p.m.) in the two week period preceding nomination day. (Tuesday, 12th October to Monday, 25th October, 2010)

A \$200.00 deposit is required in the form of cash, money order, or certified cheque. A deposit must accompany the nomination papers. Those considering running should notice that all outstanding property taxes owed to the Municipality of Victoria County must be paid in

full on or before nomination day.

To be eligible to run for council a person must be (a) a Canadian citizen; (b) the age of eighteen years; and (c) a resident of the municipality for six months prior to election day.

To contact the Returning Officer for nomination papers, appointments, or inquiries: Telephone: 295-3660 Mail: P.O. Box 370, Baddeck, N.S., B0E 1B0 or by E-Mail: Sandy.Hudson@countyvictoria.ns.ca

Bone marrow donor search

by Stacey Pineau

Are you aware that if you are between the ages of 17 and 50 you may help save a life by registering to become a bone marrow donor?

Richard Clark is a 39-year-old happily married man with two young sons, A.J., age four, and Dexter, age two. Richard was born in Sydney, Cape Breton, and is currently living with wife Sonja in Abbotsford, B.C. As a youth, Richard spent every summer visiting his grandparents Sadie and Harold McNeil in Baddeck as well as aunts and uncles, Gordie and Lila McNeil and Arthur and Rosanne McNeil. Richard's mother and stepfather, Norma and Bud Ziegler, still call Baddeck home for part of each year.

In June 2009, Richard was diagnosed with Acute Myelogenous Leukemia, which responds very well to chemotherapy. From June 'til December, he received treatments. The prognosis looked very good with only a

30 per cent chance of the cancer recurring. Over the winter, Richard got his strength and health back, and hoped to return to work in September.

Then, as we all know, cancer will do what cancer wants to do! In August 2010, Leukemia reared its ugly head again. Richard has just received a very aggressive type of chemotherapy and is in remission waiting for a bone marrow transplant. Without this, the Leukemia will return. At the present time, there is no suitable match in the world-wide donor bank.

Register today to become a bone marrow donor. To find out more, go to the Canadian Blood Services web site at: <http://onematch.ca/> and look for 'One Match'. You can also contact Canadian Blood Services toll free at 1-888-236-6283. You could be the match Richard is waiting for, or perhaps you'll be able to help someone else in need.

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