

Out & About



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IT'S A PARADE!

Main Street will be buzzing this afternoon with curling fever when **Team Gushue** comes to town to celebrate its Olympic glory. **The Olympic Walk of Fame Parade** starts at 4 p.m. today (Friday, March 10) on Main Street (at Highfield) and ends at City Hall with a book signing in the main lobby. All are welcome. So be sure to get out onto Main Street and let's show Russ and his Newfoundland pals just how proud we are of them!

ANOTHER PLUS

The **Plus Program** just got a little better with the addition of another great downtown business. **Ground Zero Networks Internet Café**, 720 Main St. (across from the Delta Beauséjour) has joined the Plus ranks. Show your Plus Card and play a ½ hour of free pool per day. Also, for every 4 hours internet service, you'll receive a ½ hour free. Ground Zero has also expanded its services as a convenience store. Info: 382-4630.

Still haven't gotten your Plus Card? There's still time! The card is available **FREE** to anyone who works in our downtown and it's your gateway to some great discounts. Call 857-2991 to get your card today.

AND THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE GOES TO.....

Congratulations to the **Creek Seafood and Steakhouse** for its most-recent title as the winner of the **2006 Evion Taste of Moncton People's Choice Award!** The winning culinary creation went to **Chef Steve McArdle** for his scrumptious Roasted Garlic Vanilla Cream Shrimp served on a Puffed Pastry. Taste of Moncton's annual culinary festival was held last weekend at the Delta Beauséjour with about 1,000 people sampling various foods from restaurants in our core as well as Metro Moncton.

HR EXPERTISE WANTED

The Greater Moncton Chamber of Commerce is looking for your HR expertise. The Chamber is presenting a one-day training event dealing with various human resource issues and is seeking individuals to present 45-minute modules on the subject. The seminar is planned for May 25 at the Université de Moncton. In return for your contribution to the event, you and your firm would benefit from promotional value through pre-event advertising and your profile would also be included in the seminar binders. Free parking, coffee breaks and lunch are also provided. Subjects vary from hiring right, to morale and motivation, to termination of employment and human rights issues, just to name a few. If you would like to deliver one or more of these seminars, contact the Chamber at 857-2883 or via email at valerie@gmcc.nb.ca.



Canadian Cancer Society
Société canadienne du cancer

Daffodil Ball 2006

The inaugural Daffodil Ball takes place at the Delta Beauséjour on Saturday, March 18. This spectacular evening, which benefits the Canadian Cancer Society, features dancing with the Thomists, formal attire and valet parking. **Guest of honour is Mrs. Julie McKenna.** Tickets are \$200 each or \$1,500 per table of eight. Info: 383-4000 or via email at lmerrithew@bristolgroup.ca.

Let's Get Ready to Rumble

The 5th annual YMCA **Battle of the Brains** is ready to rumble on Friday, March 24th. If you haven't entered your team yet, you better hurry, because the roster is filling up fast! This year's trivia challenge is being held at the new **Moncton Press Club** on Assomption Blvd. from 7 to 10 p.m. The teams are made up of three to five players who are vying for the prestigious "Great Brain" championship belt and trophy. This year's event also includes a live performance by the Strombachs. The CBC Radioheads, headed by Dave MacDonald will be defending their title against veteran teams such as the Academic Assassins and two-time former champs Reid's Newsstand Newshounds, along with some rookie teams. All funds raised from this super-fun event go toward the Y's social, educational and outreach programs. Info: 857-0606.

Experience South Africa and Namibia at the **Moncton Public Library**, as seen through the lens of Moncton photographer **Maurice Henri**, on Thursday, March 23 at 6:30 p.m. Admission is free but you must register to attend. Info: 869-6000