The garden project placed in the top five in its category thanks to votes from the public and then won over the jury, which awarded the funds in the “Community welfare” category.

Maison Aube-Lumière wins $50,000 Aviva Canada prize

The Coaticook Vocational Training Centre is committed to providing the entire workforce for this project, with the support of the students and teachers of the “Landscaoe” and “Horticulture and Garden Center” programs. This represents a contribution of $20,000. The Sébastien Duchesne fund will also provide a contribution of $10,000 for the project.

Santa visits to Lennoxville Sunday

The event began at 11am and ended at 3pm and after a day of indoor and outdoor fun, surely there were many tired but happy children as bedtime rolled around that evening. The only concern seemed to be how they were going to sleep and not disturb the face painting that was done with impeccable accuracy and artistic flair!

Next up, the Optimist Club will begin their Opti Ski program for the children from Potton attending either local elementary school. The program runs from January to March. For more information, contact Éric Deschênes at 450-292-0677 or eric.cultivart@gmail.com

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Laurianne Cherrier, Sophie Germain, Réilly House for donating close to 200 cookies! A big thank you to Lesters for the donation of hotdogs, Multi-Marque Boulangerie Canada Bread Ltd for the donation of hotdogs, Multi-Marque Boulangerie Canada Bread Ltd for the goodie bags made by Santa's little helpers Jasmine and Jakob Mierzwinskie. "It takes a village to put something like this together and the Optimist Club is very appreciative to all who contributed," said McGeen. "We do this for the kids and with that in mind, everyone goes above and beyond to help."