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Tyler Comeau & Highway 10 to perform at fundraiser to benefit the Ken Jones Respite Program for intellectually challenged

The animation team of Sheila Sam-borsky and Tutter Criszer as well as a great group of volunteers work with the clients offering: crafts, music, exercise, social exchanges, spiritual sessions, outings (including monthly bowling), special events and fun.

The April 27 performance will be an event not to be missed. The evening features the band. Tyler Comeau and Highway 10, a bluegrass music lovers dream and the opportunity to see a talented young man who is on his way to star-dom. If you haven’t heard of Tyler Comeau yet, after April 27, you won’t forget his face nor his musical genius and, the fact that he is only 16.

The band includes Tyler and Ronnie Comeau from Cowansville, Joey Dingle from Austin and Jean Marc Lafourche from Gatineau, Quebec. 16 year old Tyler first picked up a guitar when he was seven and has been playing with a band since the age of 11. His bluegrass roots came to fruition while playing with his grandfather, Ronnie and his great uncle, Larry Comeau. Tyler has since performed with others including: Jim Collette, Ray Legere, Danny Per reelout, Mike and Rose Savoy, and Allan Mills. His greatest influencers being, Earl Scruggs and Lester Flatt. J.D. Crow, Russ Carson, Ricky Skaggs, Carl Goodman, Jim Mills and more... Tyler has played with bands including, Carson Peters & Iron Mountain, Bear Tracks, the Spinney Brothers...

In August 2018 Tyler won 1st place in Youth Banjo Player competition in Galax, Virginia, a worldwide competition with people from California, New York State, the United Kingdom, Japan and Virginia. He also received a trophy honouring his accomplishments as the Blue Grass Festival in Ontario in 2018.

Like most musicians, Tyler Comeau and Highway 10 have a common plan for the future, “keep playing music,” at festivals, local gigs, wherever and whenever available.

“Traditional music is experiencing resurgence around the country right now; in this part of the world traditional music never went away,” shares the band.

The Ken Jones Respite Fundraiser will be the band’s first performance in Mansville and they are looking forward to it and are proud to be a part of the evening to support a great cause. Tickets are on sale now, $25.00 for supper and the dance (supper at 5:00pm) and for dance only at 7:30pm the tickets are $15.00 per person. The supper is being catered by Shannon Derby and will include: stew, salad, bread and dessert. For tickets call 450-292-3114.

Sutton man arrested following allegations of sexual assault

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Sûreté du Québec investigators arrested a resident of Sutton on March 27 as part of a sexual assault investiga-
tion.

Suspct Baris Ugurulu, 45, appeared on March 28 at the Granby Courthouse. The latter is suspected of having assaulted three women, including a minor who worked at the same business in Sutton as Ugurulu.

This arrest was carried out following an investigation initiated in January 2019 after information was provided by the public.

Any information on criminal acts or suspicious events can be communicated to the Central Criminal Intelligence of the Sûreté du Québec at 1-800-659-4264.

A second Frigo Free Go in Sherbrooke schools

By Emilie Hackett

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Queen Street parking

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stop directly in front of the manor en-
drance to drop off passengers.

Olson said 82 of the roughly 110 resi-
dents living at the manor signed the pe-
tition. Even those that don’t drive are af-

“it’s hard even for a pedestrian just to cross the street,” he said explaining they need to step out into traffic to be able to see what is coming down the street.

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Arielle Drissen, development officer with CDEC, agreed.

“We’re here to help. You don’t see this every day,” said Olson.

The Record contacted the Société de transport de Sherbrooke to see if the bus stop in question had been a source of complaints for STS drivers or passengers.

The paper did not receive a reply by press time.

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Olson said, to deter drivers from parking di-
rectly in front of the manor.

According to Olson, the Committee for Better Living was originally formed at Le Renaissance St-Francis Manor to in-

formational management of issues of concern at the residence.

“We’re not the enemy here,” insisted Olson. “We’re here to help. You don’t see these things, we do,” he said.

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