

Pugwash News

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Another gorgeous weekend has come and gone but things may get damp for the next few days.

I was surprised on Saturday while driving to Oxford, through Roslin, when all of a sudden, there were traffic lights. Not a place where you readily expect to see them. They are doing work on a little bridge there, which I am sure is badly needed.

On July 2, 2011, Heather Dingle Chase passed away and her body was donated to the Human Body Donation Program at Dalhousie University. On June 27, 2014, Dalhousie University held a memorial for the 129 people, including Heather, who had been donors. The memorial was attended by Paula Arsenault, Dorothy Ervin, Stephen and Debby Gamache and their grandchildren on behalf of Heather. The medical staff and students expressed their thanks to the donor's families for giving them a real body to learn from. Heather's remains have now been cremated and will be returned to Pugwash for interment. As many of you know, Heather suffered from Huntington Disease. We hope in the future a cure will be found for this dreaded disease.

Note the passing of Judy (Sherriff) Ucci, Truro and Mississauga, ON., on July 3. Judy was a cousin to the Port Philip Johnson's and used to spend a lot of time there in her younger years. Sympathy to all family members.