



# News from the Farm

**December 2014**

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## AGM

Our Annual General Meeting was held on November 27th, 2014. Please welcome our new executive members: Cheryl Fisher (Chair), Chris Crocombe (Treasurer), Mary Asselstine (Secretary), Wesley Killman (Media Relations). The executive continues to appoint members-at-large. At this meeting new executive officers were elected, the timelines for bridge construction were discussed, and proposed amendments to the constitution were heard, among other items.

## Progress

As Winter is upon us there is little physical work to be done at The Farm. However, progress continues on fundraising and creating awareness.

Surveyors and Engineers have been secured and their work has begun on designing the new bridge. This is phase one.

The second phase will be to clear the land and to construct the abutments constructed in the spring all allowing us to be ready for the third stage: the bridge.

## Fundraising Silent Auction



When bags and containers full of pottery made in the early 70's were donated to Anchique on Main St. owners Michelle and Michael collaborated with the farm and agreed to host a silent auction. A two week silent auction ended on A Main Street Christmas night. With over seventy bid sheets and 100 beautiful and unique pieces of pottery, starting mostly at \$5 or \$10. Thank you to all that came out and

supported our auction and helped us to raise over \$1000 . A very special thank you to Anchique!

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October saw a small group of people build a three section Compost Station made entirely out of "found" wooden pallets.



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### Country Zen Yoga



Country Zen Yoga has been continuing its amazing support by having four more donation yoga sessions on Friday nights throughout November. See [countryzenyoga.com](http://countryzenyoga.com) for more information.



### Schomberg Scarecrow Competition

Our entry "The Couch Potato Family" was given an honourable mention by the judges and received many votes and positive comments. Big Carrot from the competition last year joined the Veggie Assembly!



### A Main Street Christmas

We were present at A Main Street Christmas selling Hot Chocolate and Biscotti. Volunteers also walked in the parade. Thank you to the many volunteers that participated. We raised approximately \$186.

### Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the Farm!

We would like to take this opportunity to wish each and every one of you a very merry Christmas and a happy 2015. We look forward to continued progress at the Schomberg Community Farm in this exciting time in its development.



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