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**Residents
reminded:
only those
who register
can vote**

By Gordon Lambie

Here, there and everywhere political candidates are getting themselves ready for the upcoming municipal elections. It is important to remember, however, that those vying for positions on their respective municipal councils are not the only people who have preparations to do. In the lead up to the opening of polling stations on November 5, Sherbrooke returning officer Line Chabot is reminding the local population to take the time now to make sure that they are registered to vote at their current address.

"The most important thing to note in this process of revision is that, contrary to what is the case in provincial and federal elections, if you are not on the list you cannot vote," Chabot said, explaining that there is no mechanism in a municipal election by which to register the day-of. "If people want their name on the list, they need to act now."

In Sherbrooke, registration notices were mailed out yesterday and should be arriving within the coming days. According to the returning officer, if the

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**Paul "The Butcher" Vachon celebrates
his 80th birthday in Mansonville**



MABLE HASTINGS

At the end of the party, 6 year old Alexis Eldridge gave her new friend a birthday hug before departing

By Mable Hastings
Assisted by Junior Reporters
Alexis and Kate Eldridge

Quebec wrestling champion, Paul "The Butcher" Vachon (brother of the late Maurice Mad Dog Vachon) celebrated his 80th Birthday in

Mansonville at the Potton Residences on Saturday, October 7. Friends gathered in the dining room for the Open House celebration organized by Paul's wife, "Dee". I had the pleasure of attending the event with two junior reporters, Alexis Eldridge 6 and her sister

Kate who is 10 years old. The girls spent the morning viewing videos, learning facts and writing questions to ask the local celebrity.

From the late 1950s through to the 1980s, Vachon toured the world

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