

2023 Seniors of the Year Dale Caldwell & Simon Harris

The Council of the Municipality of Whitestone has proclaimed Simon Harris and Dale Caldwell as the 2023 Seniors of the Year.

Simon was born in England and raised in modern day Zimbabwe. Ironically, Simon attended a Whitestone School there! Simon met his wife Gayle in Montreal and married in 1971. They moved to South Africa, where they lived for eight years before moving back to Canada. Simon enjoys reading, kayaking, sailing, golf, and working with his dog.

Dale and his wife, also named Gayle, grew up in Kirkland Lake and lived in Whitby before moving to Whitestone permanently in 2002. Dale's hobbies include woodworking, reading, and golfing.

Dale and Simon have spent countless hours building and refinishing furniture around the library, hauling boxes of books for the library construction and book sales, and volunteering at the bottle shed. Dale and Simon are long-time members of the Tahinca Road Association. They are committed to helping their neighbours and friends and are always willing to lend a hand.