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The community of Devereux, nestled in the scenic Finger Lakes region, is a place where families come together to celebrate life and to enjoy the beauty of nature. One of the unique features of the area is the annual festival that takes place in the heart of Devereux. The festival is known as "Sheriff Murch's Lollipop Patch," where families can pick strawberries and enjoy the beautiful scenery.

DEPUTY SHERIFF - Deputies think some may find this. Frank Murch, sheriff of Devereux County and region, has added one to his lengthy list of personal accomplishments. Sheriff Murch, 66, is known for his love of nature. He has been picking strawberries in the garden since his high school days, approximately ten years ago. Initially, the garden was small, with only a few strawberry bushes. However, over the years, the garden has grown significantly. Today, it is filled with rows of strawberry bushes, all ready to be picked.

It is said that the sheriff has a special connection with the strawberries. He believes that they are not just a fruit, but a symbol of health and vitality. "Strawberries are a great source of antioxidants and they help to keep us healthy," Sheriff Murch explains. "I love picking them because it reminds me of my childhood and the simple pleasures of life." 

The festival includes a variety of activities, such as hayrides, face painting, and live music. "Sheriff Murch's Lollipop Patch" is a popular attraction, with families coming from all over the region to participate. The festival is a great way to enjoy the outdoors and to connect with others in the community.

Sheriff Murch and his lollipop patch are a beloved part of Devereux, and they continue to bring joy to many families each year. The festival is a reminder of the importance of nature and the simple pleasures of life. 

Photos by Shirley Wright

The COMMUNITY CONCERT BAND provided music at the Devereux Festival, 5th of July parade on Saturday, July 1.

DEDICATING the Kiwanis Park behind the YMCA is Kevin Whitman on the right, with the help of the Kiwanian T. Gerald Siggins. The ceremony was attended by many members of the community.

A bit of history about the Sangerville Post Office

(Edited by Note: Information for this article was provided by Jeanne Adams, of the Sangerville Post Office. The Sangerville Post Office was established on June 1, 1984, and was the first post office in the state of Maine to be established in over 100 years. The post office is located in the center of the town, and it serves the needs of the community.

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