

Coming Events

"Once Upon a Tail". Rehearsals: Tues. July 17th, 3.30 pm and 7 pm, Thurs. July 19th, 3.30 pm., Elementary School Activity Room.

Bingo: Every Saturday night in Catholic Church Hall, Drake Road, 7.30.

PRE-NATAL CLASSES

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Notice

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TWO 5.05 ACRE LOTS - Close to town. Some meadow areas. Some good building sites. Variety of trees. \$25,000 each.

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She was cured of epilepsy

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Acupuncture is credited with cure

There are lot of people in the islands, and beyond, who suffer from epilepsy. You don't know how many until the sickness is publicized.

One sufferer was in the *Driftwood* office at the end of last week and she made the word, suffer, seem wrong. She has been a victim of the complaint most of her life, but she has insisted that it made no effect on her own life or that of the family.

She frequently had some warning of an impending attack, but there was no suggestion of babying her or treating her as an invalid.

The same victim explained that she has no signs of the complaint today. She was a patient of the late

Dr. Saita, who practiced acupuncture in Ganges for many months.

Four years ago she had her last attack.

MAY NOT AGAIN

It may not work for other people, she warned, but it cured her.

Another victim explained that she is usually aware of the coming attack. Many victims have their own warning signs, she noted, and explained that one epileptic victim she knows slaps her hands on her thighs without being aware of the gesture. Her family recognizes the warning.

All those who have spoken of the ailment in the past weeks have one characteristic in common. They have learned to live with it.



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HOMES

Large 4 bedroom home on 4 acres, 1 1/2 miles from Ganges. Fenced garden and several outbuildings. \$59,900.

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Waterfront home with sheltered moorage. 1 acre secluded property. 3 bedrooms, recreation room, 2 fireplaces, extra large sundecks. Foreshore lease. \$95,700.

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Pender has the most problems

It didn't take Gulf Islands School Board long to decide where to hold the next meeting.

Wilf Peck, secretary-treasurer, asked which island had the biggest problems. Acting chairman Charlie Baltzer immediately replied, "Pender".

Trustees agreed to hold the meeting there.

It was noted that there was no longer a free ferry to Pender from Salt Spring now that the summer schedule is in effect.

"Pender is discriminated against once again", charged John Zacharias.

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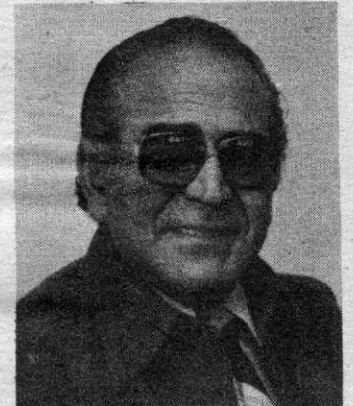
Dinette suite, oval table, white textured arborite top, four chairs. Like new, \$100. 537-9871. 27-1

LAST 3 DAYS!

Mouat's Summer Sale Ends Saturday

HURRY! 28-1

Announcement



SANTY FUOCO

Jeffs Realty is pleased to announce that Santy G. Fuoco has joined the firm; having recently completed the Real Estate pre-licencing course. Santy brings to his new position an extensive business background, and a good knowledge of the island gained as a periodic visitor since 1970 and a permanent resident for the last year and a half. Santy invites anyone contemplating selling their property to call him at the office 537-5577 or at home 537-2773 for prompt action.

Fernwood School on agenda again

Fernwood School was, as usual, listed on the agenda of last week's meeting of Gulf Islands School Board. Wilf Peck, who commented that the school always seemed to be listed, told trustees that the floor covering in the gymnasium would be laid with a full guarantee.

There was previously some doubt as to whether the covering

would work and the supplier was not prepared to guarantee it, said Peck.

An architect from the education ministry had looked at it recently and advised that if conditions were wet when the concrete slab was laid, there would still be moisture coming up through the floor.

Peck explained that the supplier

had indicated he wished to be "absolved of responsibility" in the case of any problems with the floor and that he would only guarantee the vinyl covering itself.

In addition, the school architect had ordered a sealer, said Peck, the purchase of which had not been authorized.

A full guarantee for the floor has since been obtained, however.

A number of advantages of shared teacher positions were outlined at last week's meeting of Gulf Islands School Board, held at Galiano Island.

Trustee David Stacey, reporting for the board's education committee, explained that although costs were slightly higher with such a system, teachers were "full of energy", could keep up to date on marking and could be more

specialized.

Instead of hiring one teacher on a full-time basis, two teachers are hired for half-time positions.

Stacey said his report was for information only and that no recommendations were being made "at this time".

Mayne Island trustee Jeannine Dods urged the board to consider implementing the system.

Rockridge Farm

PEMBERTON, HOLMES LTD. are pleased to offer this exceptional property for sale.

The gracious well-maintained home has views towards Ganges Harbour and surrounding farmland. There are 4 Brs., study with tiled fireplace, separate dining room and large living room with unique brick fireplace. Sundecks on either side are very private.

The property, consisting of 6.2 acres (in 2 separate parcels) fronts on two roads. There are two large fenced pastures, a variety of fruit trees and a barn in good repair. The property has sub-division potential.

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½ acre lots on sewer and water mains from \$16,000.

.49 acre with lake view - good terms - \$19,500.

.64 acre ocean view. \$4,000 down. \$16,000.

.61 acre ocean view. Water main. \$13,500.

2 bedroom ocean view home - \$43,000.

2 bedroom unfinished, ocean view home, \$56,000.

3 bedroom factory home on small acreage - \$49,000.

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This exceptionally well-built home sits on a nicely landscaped south slope overlooking open fields and with views of Vesuvius Bay and Sansum Narrows. The main floor has 2 bedrooms, 1½ baths, L/R with brick fireplace, dining area and kitchen. There is a large sundeck across the rear. The full unfinished basement is a grade level at the rear and could be easily renovated to provide additional bedrooms. This is a much sought after area and properties of this calibre are seldom found in the fifties. For a personal inspection call-

LAGOON WATERFRONT



2.36 acres! Superb setting for this 2 Br. and Den home with separate 1 B/R revenue cottage, \$107,000.

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As you move through this large family home with its spacious livingroom overlooking Ganges Harbour, its separate diningroom, its large kitchen with separate pantry area you can't escape the old world charm. Also on the main floor living area are two large bedrooms, one with an adjoining sunroom, and both with Harbour views. Upstairs are two more bedrooms and a large storage room. For the renovator a shed gable roof addition would change this home to a mansion with very little effort and expense. Beneath all this is a full basement with a drive-in garage. A full width sundeck runs across the front of the house. This home is set on ½ an acre of matured landscaping. For personal reasons the vendor must sell this home quickly and will give serious consideration to all reasonable offers on an asking price of \$55,000.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY - COUNTRY CLUB LOCATION

Not often do you get the opportunity to get in on the ground floor of a new and exciting development. Just listed is 5.79 acres on Fulford-Ganges Road adjoining the new Blackburn Country Club. You will be able to walk to the tennis courts, swimming pool, driving range, golf course and enjoy all the club house facilities. The property itself is beautifully treed with an old logging road winding through and giving easy access to several plateaus which will make ideal building sites overlooking the Blackburn Valley. AND IF ALL THIS IS NOT ENOUGH the vendor has agreed to pay the entrance fee to the country club for the first person to make a full price offer of \$32,000.

DAVID DUKE

537-5577 (office) 653-4538 (eves.)

SOUTHERN SLOPE

4 acres well-treed with usable timber and on quiet road close to town. Priced right at \$30,000.

WEEKEND HIDE-A-WAY

On 1.58 acres with good well and small cottage. Only \$21,000.

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Galiano Island

BY KATHY BENDER
AND MARY HARDING

Saturna Scene

BY MARJORIE RATZLAFF

SPORTS FISHERMEN

We read on the front page of last week's *Driftwood* that there is again some trouble with sports fishermen in Active Pass. Early in the morning we hear the ferries blowing for the little boats to get out of their way, and we only hope it can be stopped before there is a real serious accident. Every year we have this problem. The fishing is good in the pass, so all of the avid fishermen come in droves to try for the big ones. But they do not realize that a big ferry cannot manoeuvre as quickly in such a confined area.

Not long ago, a few islanders were on the ferry going to Ganges, and we saw two commercial fishermen taking a swing far away from

the path of the ferry, while the little boats were a real nuisance. The men who fish for a living realize without a doubt that there is real danger in getting in the way of a ferry, but some of the smaller boats still need to learn.

GALIANO LIONS FIESTA

The Galiano Lions Fiesta will be held in Bellhouse Field on August 4 this year, and plans are already under way. Lions and their ladies work hard on this day to make it a most enjoyable one for all. We are advised that there is ample parking inside the big field, and this year parking on the road nearby will be strictly prohibited.

Anyone listening to CBC FM at 11 am Sunday mornings will find a most enjoyable program with host

Dr. Cam Trowsdale, who has a home on the island. Dr. Trowsdale is the lead violin for the Vancouver Chamber Musicians and also plays with the Victoria Symphony on occasion.

GOLF CLUB NEWS

Mrs. Bob Knowles kindly gave us a rundown on what is going on at the Golf Club. This year the ladies' section of the Galiano Golf and Country Club created something new for all the nine-hole players. As only 18-holers can compete for the trophies, it was decided that it is about time that the nine-hole players had a trophy of their own. Thus the Liver Trophy came into being, compliments of John and Winnie Liver.

June 26 was a special day, as 11 players vied for the trophy, and Mrs. Reg Cornwell won. A luncheon was given by Mrs. Liver for all of the players. Mrs. Clare Bennett was runner-up, and Mrs. Eddie Bambrick won the putting contest for the least number of putts. The ladies thanked the Livers for their generosity in giving the trophy, and for a great day.

More news in the hole-in-one class: firstly, Marion Duncan got a hole-in-one on the 13th tee. Not to be outdone, the men leapt in, with Johnny Gabe getting one on the fourth tee, followed by Reg Cornwell doing the same thing on the second tee!! Then we hear that Jack Wright went around the course in "par". Wonder what he will do for an encore...

SILVER WEDDING

A party of family and friends of Joe and Florrie Fleming assembled at the Pink Geranium recently to celebrate their silver wedding anniversary. Joe and Florrie, who live at the corner of Burrill and Sturdies Bay Roads, came to live on the island 14 months ago from Zambia (formerly Northern Rhodesia), and already they are known as skilful players in the senior citizens bowlers group. Florrie is the mainspring of a Yoga Club, and Joe has recently become the manager of Page Drive Senior Citizens Complex. Congratulations to both of our new citizens, and may they have many more happy days on Galiano!

The Canada Day weekend saw Galiano drenched in rain. While islanders were glad to have their gardens watered and rain barrels refilled, they were also thinking sympathetically of the many holiday-makers who had thronged to the ferries in the hope of blue skies and sunshine.

It was good to seek shelter at the Community Hall where the Weavers and Spinners Guild were staging the Annual Sale, to feast one's eye on beautiful colours and to feel the texture of hand-spun yarn and hand-woven fabric. The conveners, Judi Pattison and Corinne Snell, are to be commended for their delicate decor of the hall and displays centred around the theme, *The Year of the Child*. Congratulations to the many weavers and spinners whose industry and good taste made the sale a resounding success.

The Galiano Club had also thought of the needs of holiday-makers by staging a dance with imported live music. As dances provide the main income of the club, the weather was anxiously watched as rain reduces the revenue. Tribute must be paid to club president Tom Hennessy, and vice-president Marie Hardy, who with their respective spouses and a small band of executive committee helpers run the dances, which ultimately keep open the hall for the entire community.

A handful of hardy souls cleaned the hall in the early hours of Sunday morning, snatched a few hours sleep and then refreshed themselves by sailing to the Saturna Lamb Barbecue where they were sufficiently invigorated to act as guest carvers.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

The regular meeting of the Gulf Islands School Board was held on Galiano on the afternoon of July 4. The presumed intention was to allow the people of Galiano to see their board in action and to give them a chance to ask questions relating to the operation of the school system, with particular reference to Galiano. Apart from seven trustees and four administrators, attendance consisted of four parents, a reporter, a representative of the Lions Club and two members of the public. It is perhaps only an excuse that so little effort was made to publicize the time and place of the meeting, but the impression is created that the board feels its duty is fulfilled if it meets once every year or two on each Outer Island, and if the public cannot discover where and when the meetings will be held, that is just too bad for them.

Where were the property owners who complain bitterly about continually rising school taxes? Where were the teachers who complain about unnecessary paper work and a remote, bureaucratic administration? Where were the parents who complain about an inadequate school building and unsatisfactory transportation arrangements? Were no students interested in the process which shapes so much of their daily life?

If they had been present, they would have been treated to an interesting but rather bland three hours of discussion interspersed with an occasional motion and vote. The trustees and administrators are so polite and civilized. Perhaps a little passion might raise their Nielsen rating. A little heat was generated when trustee Ripley suggested that maintenance of the Galiano school bus should be done on Galiano and Mr. Peck vigorously defended his administrative territory. The secretary-treasurer's amiable manner combined with the uncharacteristic docility of the postmaster brought a quick close to this interesting exchange.

The board re-learned for the 'n'th time that the Galiano School building is sub-standard and that the wiring, plumbing and compliance with fire marshal's regulations are inadequate and possibly unsafe. Since the board's information, which has been accumulating over the past 25 years, has recently been confirmed by a team of experts from the Ministry of Education, remedial action may be at hand.

Also of local interest was a decision to raise the boarding allowance for secondary school students, and the possibility of raising the allowance for children who have been so regularly and safely transported by Bob George in his boat, the *Ta' Aroa*. As the board is unable to accept any responsibility or liability for this service, it tends to adopt the three-monkey posture, but somebody should pass a vote of thanks to Bob for providing such a satisfactory solution to a problem that has perplexed the board and frustrated parents ever since the middle school was opened on Mayne.

On Wednesday evening, July 4, a work party of four members of the Galiano Club committee, two Ladies Service Club members and two "volunteer" husbands cleared

The rain on July 1 did not dampen the enthusiasm of the large crowd of people who attended the Lamb Barbecue. Indeed, there was considerable difficulty due to too large a crowd, especially on the ferry. Some 150 folk were left on Mayne. It seems regrettable but likely that the Barbecue will no longer be able to cater to ferry passengers. However, more of this at a later date after sufficient discussion by those concerned.

W.A. (Bill) Leach, Domestic Animal Control Officer of the Capital Regional District Animal Control Division, has made arrangements for dog licenses to be obtained at the post office. Mike Graham bought the first license tag for his dog. Not all Saturna residents are enchanted with having to pay for services that, apparently, cannot be provided. There is no dog pound, no pound-keeper, or "dog catcher" on Saturna, and it does not seem likely they will be provided. A dog can be just as annoying with a license tag as without.

The following East Point news was again contributed by Loreta Tomlin (thanks, Loreta):

Three weekenders are each spending a week at their cottages. They are Ellen Maynard, Marion Publicover and Nancy Harrower.

Everyone was delighted to see Walt Mackie looking so well after his serious heart attack during the Easter weekend. He and Marie cruised in Saturday and stayed until Monday night. The Tomlins had Amy Gillis from North Vancouver for an enjoyable five days. The Don McLellans had brother Ralph and his son for the weekend. Jack and Isabelle Middler enjoyed a few days in Vancouver and White Rock with their family.

Jim and Thelma Brewerton chose the Tomlin residence to celebrate their 29th wedding anniversary. Sister Irene Robinson and her husband Boyd joined in on the happy occasion over a delightful Chinese dinner.

Geof. and Rose Beech were over to their cottage entertaining Rose's sister and husband from Drymen, Scotland. Lorne Bolton and family enjoyed their cliffside home during

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trails, cut grass and repaired equipment in Centennial Park. Perhaps it is not widely known that the trusteeship of the Bluffs and Centennial Parks rests on the shoulders of the committee of the Galiano Club.

As the sign commemorating the gift of Bluffs Park reminds us, these parks are owned "by the people of Galiano for the people of Galiano", but ownership carries with it a responsibility shared by all residents of Galiano to preserve equipment, prevent fire, remove garbage and above all to care for our matchless heritage of forest and wild flowers.

FUTURE EVENTS

Saturday, July 14: St. Margaret's Thrift Shop open 2-4 pm at the Fiesta Grounds on Burrill Road and at 9 pm a dance, with live music, at the Community Hall.

Sunday, July 15: Morning service at St. Margaret's Church at 9 am.

Wednesday, July 18: Yoga Club at the Community Hall, 10.30-11.30 am.

Thursday, July 19: Weavers and Spinners Guild at the Community Hall, 1-3 pm.

Galiano groups or individuals who wish events to be reported in *Driftwood* are invited to phone or preferably write up their news and send it by Saturday to Mary Ellen Harding or Kathlyn Benger.

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Down Through the Years With Driftwood

FIVE YEARS AGO

Guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newman, Ganges, Jerry Spanier of Coquitlam, caught a 45 lb. cod in Active Pass on Monday. He took it on a 20 lb. test line with a No. 6 triple hook.

Close to 100 persons attended the induction service at Ganges United Church on Friday for the Rev. Vern E. McEachern.

Death occurred in Victoria on July 2 of Sydney Donkersley. His wife, Phyllis, is the sister of Tony Bellhouse, on Galiano. Mr. Donkersley will be remembered by Galiano Islanders for his work at Ganges stores.

Salt Spring Island Garden Club will stage a potluck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Reid on Wednesday. Under the enthusiastic and able leadership of Mrs. R.A. Jordan, president and Mrs. W.R. Bacon, vice-president, the club is enjoying a varied program. Chrysanthemum Club, under the leadership of Mrs. Ian Macdonald, is preparing off the fall show.

Permits for 121 new homes have been issued in the islands this year, up to June 30. There were 63 on Salt Spring Island and 58 in the Outer Islands. Value of the new structures on Salt Spring Island is estimated at \$1,542,075 and for the Outer Islands, \$1,375,672.

Bruce Hardy, here from Vancouver, has joined Norman Mouat on the staff of Salt Spring Insurance Agencies. His wife, Connie, is a keen golfer. Also new to the

company's staff is Freddie Cartwright, formerly of the staff of the government agent in the Court House at Ganges.

One of the best-loved residents of Galiano passed away in the Veterans' Hospital, in Victoria on July 5. James Peter Hume was born February 2, 1883 in Scotland and came to Canada in 1906. In 1920 he and his wife came to Galiano and built their home.

Special church service is planned by the Royal Canadian Legion at Mayne Island to mark the outbreak of the First World War on August 4, 60 years ago. A wreath will be placed on the lych gate at the church of St. Mary Magdalene. Information is available from Maj. John Dought or Foy Miles.

TEN YEARS AGO

Heavy trucks will not be able to travel to Salt Spring Island by the Vesuvius-Crofton ferry in the foreseeable future. Two weeks ago the wharf at Crofton was condemned by the department of transport for vehicles exceeding 10 tons gross weight. Wharf was rebuilt by the federal government in 1958, although it was being used at the time by the provincial ferry, under a federal-provincial agreement. No effort was made, however, to bring it up to a standard where it could handle all traffic which might seek to travel to the islands. It was never designed to carry more than 10 tons, said an official of the department.

First paid fire chief on Salt Spring Island is Dave Smith, who comes here from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanely Bamford and family, of Vernon, and their family are spending holidays at Galiano, preparing to build on their property at North Galiano.

Mrs. A. Thompson of Fernwood is a busy hostess. Her guests this week are her daughter, Mrs. Don Whitbread and two children from Broughton Island, North West Territories.

On Wednesday night Jackie Grant and two of this pals, Rick Pion and Cedric Robertson went down to the wharf at Saturna and found an exhausted pigeon. They

put the bird on a shelf of the ticket booth and waited for the arrival of the wharfinger, Gordie Campbell. Gordie noticed bands on each leg of the bird. Then Dick Pilsbury arrived and Jackie ran to Eva Rasmussen's house for a bowl of water. The pigeon gulped it down. Grandmother Mary Dickey said No when the bird was coming home with the boys, so Gordie Campbell took it home. He got some canary seed from Eddie Reid and fed the exhausted pigeon. It was ascertained next morning that the bird belonged to a Mr. Addison of Nanaimo and that it had been released in California 12 days ago. The bird was released on Thursday morning with a fair attendance to speed him on his way.

Visiting the Bob Sauerberg's at Miners Bay have been Anne's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Davidson, from St. Leonard's-on-Sea, Sussex, England. Also spending holidays on Mayne Island is Anne's sister, Lana Nixon, from Delta.

Air fare to Victoria or Vancouver, from the Gulf Islands, \$7.50, one way. Two-day excursion return, \$11.50: Victoria Flying Services.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Crowd estimated at well over 1,000 came to see and taste the usual delicious lamb barbecue at Saturna July 1. Upwards of 100 boats of all sizes, shapes and types were anchored or tied up at Saturna Beach. Among those attending from Salt Spring Island were Dr. and Mrs. Ernie Jarman, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Frattinger, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Atkins and Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Carroll.

Below-average temperatures and only 10 clear, sunny days was June weather this year, according to the Dominion Weather Observer H.J. Carlin. High temperature was 76 degrees and a low of 46 was recorded twice. Rain amounted to 1.87 ins.

C.R. Horel, chairman of the Salt Spring Island Pirate Days committee has resigned this week. He has withdrawn in part due to the pressures of his business and in part because of the lack of interest shown in the project. The Chamber of Commerce has endorsed the committee's plan to drop the program this year.

Bea Hamilton reports having seen a Mama Western Yellow Shafted Flicker. She describes him as very like a woodpecker, but with a red moustache instead of a red head.

An informal family reunion took place last week when the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Degnen, Lower Ganges Road, arrived from Smithers for a visit. Mrs. T. Isbister and her daughter Shari, visited her parents en route to their new home in Port Alberni. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Morris with children, Susan, Shelley and Raymond are also spending holidays with the Degnen's. During the same week Mrs. R.M. Kirkham and son Reggie was also here to visit the family.

Driftwood would like to express appreciation to the telephone operators who will soon be redundant on Salt Spring Island, with the provision of automatic dial telephones. The ladies have maintained a fine and helpful assistance service over the years. Operators are Ellen Bennett, Eleanor Deacon, Gwen Earwaker, Dorothy Fanning, Edith Gardner, Isabel Goodman, Sandra Hall, Cora Leggett, Barbara Parsons, Aileen Williams and Josephine Overend.

That's Nita at the Cottage!



That's Nita Brown: that's the Cottage Tea Room. And they're the same thing. Nita Brown is the proprietor of the mini-tea-room in Mouat's Mall.

Nita has been around the island for a lot of years. For nearly a quarter-century her husband, Buzz Brown, was provincial assessor and government agent on Salt Spring island. Then he retired.

Nita has been active in almost everything. She has taken a part in political activities, real estate, education. She has raised a family on the island and she has retired on the island. Now she's back at work. It's her own work, at the

Cottage, and she enjoys it every minute of the day. She likes meeting her customers. She likes the challenge of running a mini-coffee-bar and she likes having a regimented day.

But there's one thing Nita Brown just can't do. She doesn't drive. She comes to work chauffered by her husband and she goes home when he arrives to pick her up.

Peter Codling has reported damage to his 1974 Datsun as a result of a hit-and-run in the Harbour House car park or Centennial Park.

RCMP has the incident under investigation.

Saturna

(From Page Twenty-Six)

the holiday weekend. Doctor and Betty Chase have daughter Donna, husband and family visiting. From Toronto, 100 Mile House and North Vancouver came visitors to the Don McLellans, with daughters, sons, in-laws and eight grandchildren.

Saturna people will be glad to hear that Jeannie Morgan is reported to be progressing well after surgery to repair a broken hip.

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Please may we know how to get home from Vancouver Airport?

The elections are now over. Both of them. Canada has a new prime minister. British Columbia has a new premier. They are both established. And both men know where they are going.

This is a desperate appeal to both gentlemen to help many British Columbians to know where they, too, are going.

Times without number *Driftwood* staffers have driven to the Vancouver Airport to meet planes. They drive from Tsawwassen ferry terminal to the airport and there are signs which indicate the back streets and the side streets they must take to reach the airport. This, they do.

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Getting back to the Gulf Islands or Victoria from the airport is the almost impossible.

The premier can do it. We assume he has a driver

who carefully notes all these circuitous routes. The prime minister can do it. We presume the elite are all gifted with great intellect to surmount those problems which faze the more humble of the land.

The prime minister knows and the premier knows and *Driftwood* knows that if you want to drive from the airport at Vancouver to the Victoria/Gulf Islands ferry you follow the route clearly marked. It is marked "Airport South" and if you are lucky you will find one mini-sign which then directs interested traffic to Highway 99.

Could we, please gentlemen, hope to see the Victoria and Islands highway adequately signed? This is the last chance. We may be forever lost after this. But could we hope to, one day, be told the way to go home?
-F.G.R.

Trustees look at future needs

Fulford school to be considered

Trustees of Gulf Islands School Board voted in favour of preliminary budgeting for a new school site in the Fulford area at the board meeting on Galiano Island last week. Two trustees, Pender's John Zacharias and Galiano's Jim Ripley, voted against the motion.

The decision was made after trustees discussed at some length the possible future needs of the district.

A report by the long range facilities planning committee recommended that in the next one to two years, Fernwood School should be filled. The attendance boundary should be moved closer to Ganges to do so if necessary, the board was advised.

In the next three to five years,

either an addition to Salt Spring Elementary or a new, additional site should be considered, said the report. An addition to the school would depend on a sewer system and a new building would depend on the area where there was the most growth.

RECOMMENDATIONS

District superintendent Bob Huestis also had a number of recommendations for the board.

- Salt Spring Elementary should be held to 14 class units.
- Fulford residents should be consulted over building a new school in that area when growth there warrants it.
- The site at Ganges is limited and space for expansion should be

reserved for future growth of the secondary school.

Norma McCallum told her fellow trustees that she felt the groundwork for building a school at Fulford should be completed. Such a project she felt, was a "long way down the road" but the situation "could change quickly".

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Huestis observed that "a small school has it over a large one" due to the human relations factor. Huestis felt it important that the staff know all the students in a school.

Pender trustee John Zacharias disagreed. He explained he was in favour of homogeneous grouping which, he felt, could not be attained in a small school. Another objection he had was the difficulty in providing specialists for small schools.

Getting back to building a school at the south end of the island, Jim Ripley warned that the board shouldn't "get locked into" Fulford.

The district puts up a school then finds there aren't enough students to fill it, such as what happened at Fernwood, he said.

Fulford TIDE TABLES
(Pacific Standard Time)

12	0400	8.1
	0505	9.8
TH	1225	.9
	2010	11.3
13	0145	7.6
	0615	9.2
FR	1305	2.0
	2035	11.4
14	0300	6.8
	0720	8.5
SA	1350	3.3
	2115	11.4
15	0355	6.0
	0900	8.0
SU	1440	4.7
	2145	11.4
16	0505	5.0
	1035	7.7
MO	1520	6.1
	2225	11.3
17	0600	4.2
	1255	8.1
TU	1630	7.4
	2310	11.1
18	0645	3.4
	1430	8.8
WE	1750	8.3
	2350	10.8

Board to examine two alternatives at Galiano

Gulf Islands School District is going to undertake a study to determine the feasibility of either building a new school at Galiano Island or renovating the existing building. The board of trustees approved a motion Wednesday to engage an architect to look at the Galiano School and to have a cost analysis done on the two alternatives.

Secretary-treasurer Wilf Peck told the meeting that three representatives from the Ministry of Education had surveyed the school the week before. They had recommended that the board obtain a second, independent opinion from an architect retained by the district. Peck said that whatever the board decided to do, the ministry officials had indicated they would go along with it.

An architect working for the ministry was one of those who visited Galiano. He had said the electrical service into the school is

loaded and inadequate for the building, the board learned. Both the plumbing and the structure were "doubtful" and there was little or no insulation, said Peck.

He said that to bring the school up in quality, they'd have to strip it down to the studs, "which are two by three".

Trustees were told it would be two or three years down the road before new classrooms could be ready.

Asked where a new building would be located, the secretary-treasurer explained the district had 15 acres where the school is now, and five of them had been set aside for a community park. A preliminary study done a few years ago had found the best site to be near the existing building.

Meanwhile, plans to paint the exterior of the school will go ahead.

"It will hold the building up for another year," remarked Dave Stacey.

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Two Rotarians demonstrate the garbage cans in Ganges. Dr. Klaus Andress, right, was the chairman of the committee responsible for the cans. They were manufactured by students of the industrial arts class at Gulf Islands Secondary School under the direction of the teacher, Lawrie Neish. Cans are crow-proof.

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