

# Meeting says no to plan

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Nicolson called for a show of hands of those in the audience who did not want the plan. Approximately 80% of the people had their hands in the air.

Margaret Campbell told the panel of APC and Islands Trust members:

"You have just heard the voice of the Fulford people."

The audience was asked to outline which parts of the plan were of concern.

John Davies had earlier in the meeting called provisions of the plan "incompatible". He pointed out that one statement of goals called on the village to be developed "as a pedestrian-oriented community."

The very next goal called for the retention of the Fulford-Swartz Bay ferry run with the terminal to be retained at its current site.

Gordon Cudmore brought attention to the section on potable water. He said it was unreasonable to call for a setback of 300 feet to keep animals away from water.

The 300-foot setback was for septic tanks and Cudmore later admitted that he had misread the section. But the section on distance for animal setbacks was blank with a figure to be filled in later. He called the situation similar to giving

someone a blank cheque to be filled in to any amount.

Merv Walde came to the point of concern about the section. He wondered who would water his animals and who would pay for the fence to keep them away from the stream or lake.

Ray Simard said, "I personally think we're governed to the hilt."

Residents of Salt Spring must cope with the zoning bylaws, the subdivision bylaws and the island's community plan under the Islands Trust.

The Capital Region exerts control through the building regulations bylaw and the health regulations among other pieces of legislation.

The province governs the islands in many other ways such as highways, forestry and fisheries regulations.

The current community plan for Salt Spring mentions Fulford Harbour as a residential area as well as a smaller commercial service centre.

A proposed amendment to the Salt Spring community plan adds as a goal: to recognize Ganges, Fulford and Vesuvius as the primary residential, cultural and commercial centres...and to provide in this plan for their special needs."

Under the current plan, the goal mentions only Ganges in that context.

The first attempts to create a community plan for the Fulford

area began almost 10 years ago, Sid Wigen reminded the meeting. Several attempts over the years to introduce a plan for the area met with little success.

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## Dog was put to sleep

A dog that was reported to have attacked some children on the Ganges school grounds last month was not destroyed with a firearm.

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of the province," said Ritchie. "We are overplanned. We have placed hurdles in the way of some activities. The province would never be where it is today if such hurdles had been set up in the past."

His interpretation of planning is placing land in various categories such as residential or commercial, he told the trustees.

He expressed his disapproval of encroachment by planners into areas already within the province of another ministry, such as mariculture.

"I will not tolerate entry into those areas."

A simple statement by a minister would satisfy Ritchie that the planning authority is not infringing on an area outside its jurisdiction.

## NEW POLICY

Why has the ministry adopted an entirely new policy in respect of bare land strata titles, asked a trustee. Where small lots have been accepted in a bare land strata subdivision the effect has not in the past been to devalue adjacent properties. The speaker suggested that it would not be unreasonable to demand a minimum lot size of one hectare and to require that the remainder be held in common and not by the developer.

"I would be irresponsible if I made a blanket statement," countered Ritchie.

He explained that he takes into consideration such matters as water and sewage.

"Also important to me is the question, 'Are we getting the greatest benefit from the land?'"

Good zoning procedures retain the value of the property by retaining those qualities for which the owner purchased the land, urged Carol Martin.

He doesn't want policies that will devalue land, replied the minister.

"I disagree with zoning decreasing value."

He will agree with the retention of large lot sizes as long as the owner is agreeable, he assured the Trust.

In the realm of water protection and watersheds, Ritchie demands compensation.

He might find instances where, if the public is being protected, the public should be paying for it.

## PROVINCIAL INTEREST

Gordon Wallace, of North Pender, had followed the democratic process in his approach to land use planning, he told the minister.

When he attended a public hearing he took the majority opinion as his guide.

He was elected by his constituents to do a job, he told Ritchie. The minister has stated he is in favour of local input and due process and local autonomy, recalled Wallace. All these procedures are duly followed when a change is made in regulation.

Wallace cited an instance when the North Pender Trust Committee sought to regulate the maximum height of a hotel. The former general trustee went through the routine:

"I listen to my constituents; I ask my professional planner and a bylaw is prepared; the Trust committee examines the bylaw; it is examined by the Advisory Planning

Commission; there is a public hearing and the committee establishes the popular desire from the manner in which the concern comes to the hearing; the proposal comes back to the local committee for further readings; it now goes to the province and is checked out by other ministries; provincial input brings changes and the final document, approved by the community and the locally elected committee, the Advisory Planning Commission, and other ministries comes to the minister of municipal affairs for his signature."

## HE DOESN'T SIGN

The minister refuses to sign.

"You have frustrated the will of the people," asserted Wallace. "I am very well aware that you have a perfect right. It was, presumably, not in the provincial interest."

Why is it not in the provincial interest to have a hotel limited to two storeys, he enquired.

He has the authority, agreed the minister.

"If it is not signed it is not in the provincial interest or it is not fair to others."

He doesn't only turn down bylaws for the Islands Trust, explained Ritchie, he finds it necessary to turn down other bylaws as well. The instance cited by Wallace referred to restrictions on future buildings, recalled the minister.

"They are not acceptable to me. I try to look into the future of our province."

The Pender trustee recalled that the public hearing in question offered 63 opinions in support of the proposal and four contrary. The committee listened to 63 persons and ruled against the opinions of the four objectors.

"That is democracy. I find it difficult to understand when you say that you want local autonomy."

## COMPENSATION

He had been asked from another source, to bring in legislation that will compensate the property owner for any loss sustained as a result of zoning decisions, said Ritchie.

John Gaines, of Saturna, suggested that the "Islands Trust is a bit of a special area, a unique area enjoying special legislation and that it needs protection against development." He was referring to the pressures from the urban mainland on the one side and the urbanizing of Vancouver Island on the other.

There is nothing special about the islands, replied Ritchie.

"You state that the islands are very special to you. There are other bodies representing areas that are very special to them."

The community of Terrace is just as important to the people of that community.

"I don't consider that the islands are special over and above other areas. That's your area of responsibility. We have others with the same concerns and the same dedication."

Ritchie's concluding remarks were on a general level. He has been saying all along that the province is over-regulated in rural areas, he told the meeting.

"Keep talking about it and we'll reach a solution."

# Roberts officiates at his last election

It was his last election on Saturday.

When the manager of the Islands Trust, Tony Roberts, took the chair during the election of the two vice-presidents of the Trust, he was doing so for the last time. In the new year Roberts will retire.

He has served with the Trust since its establishment a decade ago. Prior to that he was chief planner with the Capital Regional District.

Roberts has spent a large segment of his professional life planning the lower Vancouver Island and islands

area. Before planning came to the islands the Trust manager was the chief planner for the Capital Regional Planning Board. He assumed that office from Bram Weisman, who moved to the east.

Besides serving as Trust manager he has also been associated with planning of most of the islands and is still responsible for planning on two islands.

It is the practice of the Islands Trust to hand over the chair to the manager during the election of general trustees by the Trust council.

# Retired voter, gentleman refused vote in November

Who are you? What do you do for a living?

Both questions must be answered when an unlisted eligible voter seeks to vote at a municipal election.

Islands Trust council says the reference to occupation should not be required.

The protest follows a complaint from Graham Sheehan of Gabriola Island, who reported on voting irregularities during the election for island trustees.

Two voters were denied ballots and a third withdrew his request, the Trust was told on Saturday morning.

The first voter, seeking a vote although his name was not on the list, signed himself as "retired". The polling officer told him he looked too young to be retired and refused him a ballot.

Second voter, also seeking to vote

while not listed, described his occupation as "gentleman". He too was disenfranchised by the returning officer.

A third voter, the Trust council was told, withdrew his request for a ballot after seeing the other rejections. The third voter was, in fact, a retired engineer, the council heard.

The Gabriola trustee moved that the minister of municipal affairs be urged to eliminate the call for information regarding occupation from the requirements.

Motion was supported by the council.

# More than 500 letters received

Dan Campbell, founder-minister of the regional district concept and author of planning in the islands, is still studying the activities of regional districts.

Campbell is including the Islands Trust in his survey. Last month the minister of municipal affairs invited opinions from islanders and others regarding the activities of the Islands Trust.

On Saturday Trust chairman Mike Humphries reported that more than 500 letters were received by the minister.

Majority were in support of the Trust, he added.

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# Trust meets ministers

Delegation from the Islands Trust will meet with two cabinet ministers on Friday.

Last weekend the Trust approved the delegates to take part in the meeting with Municipal Affairs Minister Bill Ritchie and Finance Minister Hugh Curtis, who is also the MLA for the original five Gulf Islands.

Delegation will be headed by the chairman, Mike Humphries, with the two vice-chairmen, Carol Martin and Nick Gilbert, as well as Gordon Wallace, former general trustee, Rob Botterell and George Whiten.

The delegation hopes to discuss a series of problems facing the islands in the realm of planning.

# Ludwig von B. elicited more comment than anything

It is interesting that Ludwig von Bertalanffy has elicited more comment, even a letter to our editor, than anything else I have ever mentioned in these pages. I am rather pleased, tickled pink in fact, especially since Ludwig is considered, by some, to be a figment of my imagination. On the other hand, I could only wish that my imagination were fertile enough to invent a character like that, with a name like that, and a mind of such awesome capacity as to recognize the fundamental generating principles of the universe and all it contains, including ourselves.

Lest this shall be considered further evidence of his fabricated existence, it is only fair to quote here the basis of his general systems theory: "All physical, chemical, biological, social, and psychological systems operate in accordance with the same fundamental principles". I could not have said it any better.

With this simple statement Ludwig has rearranged everything we thought we knew, completely: All of evolution, our existence, our social situation and dilemma, the origin of our consciousness, and last but not least, our agriculture. Ludwig sounds almost too good to be true, yet the incredible beauty of it all is that he is real, as real as you and I, and that all of science is slowly, if cautiously, coming around to his point of view.

Ludwig has recognized the dynamic nature of all systems in biology, and hence, agriculture, and hence ourselves, and any gardener has the same opportunity to observe and experience these fundamental generating principles as he raises his crops. And the female of our species is even more intimately involved in the life-generating process common to all of nature. The dynamics of pollination, growth and proliferation are universal and apply with equal validity to our social systems, our existence, our agriculture and this recognition will prove to be the

## Farming and Gardening

BY PETER WEIS

turning point in all of our affairs.

I am convinced that we shall see the effects of this turnaround within our lifetime, as we begin to generate life-positive dynamics in all of our affairs, in our agriculture and our gardens.

Part of the life positive dynamics of gardening, at this time of year, is the annual abundance of life-generated, highly organized organic compounds, in the form of fallen leaves. As commonplace and prosaic as this may sound, these dead leaves are a storehouse of life energy in the form of nitrogen, phosphorus, quite a bit of potassium, carbon, calcium and trace minerals. Driven by the energy of the sun, the green life has assembled the basic elements of carbon, hydrogen, oxygen and nitrogen into complex organic compounds, and with their decay this captured energy becomes available as nourishment for other forms of life.

We all know that these leaves, when fresh, can serve as food and a source of energy for deer, goats, cattle, sheep and other forms of life equipped to handle it in this form; and although we are not nearly as efficient as the ruminants at extracting and using this energy, we nevertheless thrive on other leaves, such as lettuce, cabbages, beet greens, chard, kale, parsley, and

even nettles for those so inclined.

The vegetarians among us are living proof of the stored energy content of the products of the green life, and although some of the green stuff is a bit unpalatable to us, it is still a source of life energy for a whole host of other life. There are organisms at every stage of life, and decay, which can extract and reuse this energy. Earthworms and others are next in line to convert this energy again, and even a dead earthworm is a marvellous fertilizer, and so are the remains of bacteria, once they have converted this energy again.

Mixed with the minerals of our soils, dead and decaying leaves become a sponge to hold fertilizers, moisture and air, and make the difference between barren minerals and rich loam. Without them, agriculture would be what amounts to a hydroponic system, requiring continuous application of water and nutrients, as we are beginning to find out, at our expense. Incorporated into the soil as leaf mulch, they become the living room for billions of bacteria, fungi and algae, at the rate of five billion to the teaspoon, a rich, teeming mass of life in the soil, busily rearranging, distributing and handing out this windfall of energy to each other and anyone else who happens to be around, like the roots of living green life.

Interesting, to say the least. Here the green life sheds its leaves, leaves it up to the earthworms to drag them into the ground, to the bacteria to rearrange their substance, only to soak it up again to make new leaves. In the process the green life also soaks up a fair bit of the remains of exhausted bacteria, as a bonus, and a deserved one to be sure, for they

provided the leaves in the first place, after all. It is a marvellously busy enterprise with a good bit of give and take, all in good humour, for in the end everyone gains from it.

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only to grow, like a weed, and to produce seeds without number in turn. These are the dynamics of life, and with our intelligent co-operation we can accelerate nature's slow and patient ways to accomplish in one year what she does in a thousand, just by helping her to get these leaves into the ground.

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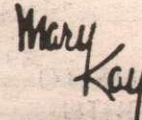
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**For Sale**

SKI BOOTS - ladies Lange, size 8 (6 1/2 European), worn only 5 times, \$200 obo. Men's Tecnica, size 7, good condition, \$50; Men's Garmont, size 10, \$35. Also Fischer Cut 70 skis, 175 cm., \$65. 537-5662. 49-4

**WATERFRONT GALLERY**

NEW THIS WEEK:

- \* Handwoven Jackets by Penni George
  - \* New shipment of Bazeek Sweatshirts
  - \* Xmas Wreaths by Marcia Jeanne & Colleen Roy
  - \* Handpainted Leather Tops by Sheri Street
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**743-3271**

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**The Salty Shop**

Mouat's Mall

**Garage Sales**

Legion Garage Sale, Saturday, Dec. 15th, 10 - 1 pm. Meaden property opposite Greenwoods. 49-2

**Cars, Trucks**

1970 Ford 4-door crew cab, 8 ft. box, one ton pickup 360 CID, new auto transmission, heavy duty trailer, towing package. \$2500 firm. Phone 653-4427. 49-3

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1963 VW van, clean, some rust, \$350 with battery, \$300 without battery. Apply end of Horel Rd. by Cedarview Trailer Court after 3 pm at blue bus. 1

1964 Mercury C6000 diesel truck, 5-6 yd. dump, recent engine rebuilt plus other work. \$3,595. Phone 653-9371. 49-2

**JUST THE TIME TO TRAVEL SOUTH**

1978 Dodge 3/4 ton club cab pickup and 30' - 5th wheel Jayco trailer. Both in excellent condition. \$13,950. 539-5316. 48-2

Parts 1971 Mazda 616, runs, new paint. 653-4451, eves. 49-2

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  - Bear Telatronic Front End
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Fulford-Ganges Rd. 34-alt

**Mobile Homes, Trailers**

Camper, 10 ft. with fridge, stove, furnace, etc. \$1,200. Also, pasture available for horses. 537-2252, eves.

1972 - 10 x 40, 2 bedroom, addition, porch, well-insulated. Located in Saltspring family park. Stay or move it easily. Must sell. \$5,300. 734-8168, Vancouver. 47-3

1981 Scamper 7' import, overnight camper. Sleeps 4, propane, furnace and 2 burner stove. 3 way fridge, \$2,000 obo. 653-4284. 49-tfn

Superior R. V. Centre Ltd., in Sidney is looking for R. V. consignments. We will pick up from the Gulf Islands. Phone 656-9434. 43-tfn

**Boats**

19' Dorset fibreglass cabin cruiser, 70 hp. Johnson, like new on Roadrunner trailer. Phone 537-5463. 49-2

**Births**

OLSON, John and Elaine are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Jennifer Elaine, born November 29, 1984 at Victoria General Hospital. A sister for Sarah! 1

ARBER, to John & Daphne (nee Thompson) on Tuesday, Nov. 27 at Victoria General Hospital, a daughter Bronwyn Margaret. Grandparents Eric and Peggy Arber of Victoria, Ronald and Beatrice Thompson of Galiano Island. 1

**Personal**

Hi, my name is Rita Phillips. On Friday, November 23rd, my pink "Strawberry Shortcake" bike I got for my 8th birthday disappeared. If you, or your parents, have it or have seen it and would like to return it, either to its spot behind Waterworks, Central, or to my home (537-2618), I would be happy. And so would you. 1

Mary Kay Cosmetics. Beautiful Xmas gifts await you! Call your Beauty Consultant Sharlene Betts at 537-5876. Free gift wrapping & delivery. 48-4

**Found**

Address book near mailboxes at Mobrae West on Saturday. Claim at Driftwood. 1

**Lost**

Hi, my name is Rita Phillips. On Friday, November 23rd, my pink "strawberry shortcake" 2-wheel bike I got for my 8th birthday disappeared. If you or your parents have it or have seen it and would like to return it, either to its spot behind Waterworks, Central, or to my home (537-2618), I would be happy. And so would you. 1

**Announcements**

Jim and Dolores Bird wish to announce the arrival of a new grandchild. Proud parents are Dwight and Karen Green (nee Bird), a son, Tyler Jacob. Born in Victoria, Dec. 1st, 7 lbs. 8 ozs. 1

Don't forget the Annual Community Society Christmas Craft Faire, Mahon Hall, Dec. 7 & 8. Friday 6-10 pm. (No children please). Saturday, Dec. 8 - 9 am. - 4 pm. 1

**Blanket B. C. & Yukon**

The Blanket Classified of the B. C. & Yukon Community Newspapers Association allows you to place your classified ad in more than 70 member newspapers reaching more than 690,000 homes and up to 1.8 million readers each week. COST: 25 words - \$109 PHONE: Driftwood, 537-2211/2613 Visa and Mastercharge Accepted

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Be a holistic health practitioner in the new emerging healthcare service. Practitioners Course, January 7, 1985 - Nov. 30/85. Phone (604) 738-2117. 2245 W. Broadway, Vancouver. V6K 2EK. 1

Income tax. Confused? Pay the least taxes possible. Learn by correspondence. Free Brochure. No obligation. U & R Tax Schools, 207 - 1345 Pembina Hwy., Winnipeg, Man. R3T 2B6. 1

Scintique Perfume of B. C. requires suitable saleswomen every part B. C., Yukon. Small investment, \$500. Excellent percentage return. Interested persons call 112-374-5805 or write Box 1275, Kamloops, B.C. V2C 6H3. 1

VHS T120 \$9.99. Quality name brand tape, perfect for gift giving or building your home video library. Price includes postage, handling & tax. Limit 10 per customer. Money orders only. National Video Products, #108 - 1596 W. 14th Ave., Vancouver, V6J 2H9. 1

**Blanket B. C. & Yukon**

Well established Toy and Hobby Shop. Good family operation. \$10,000 plus stock. Gross over \$170,000 per year. Write Box 40, R. R. 1, Kinglet, Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 2P1. 1

Franchised steakhouse. Merritt, B.C. Highway location. Gross \$250,000. Price \$260,000. Includes land, buildings, equipment. Franchise terms available. Box 1750, Merritt, B.C. V0K 2B0. 378-5422. 1

Electrolysis is permanent hair removal. Support local T.A.P.E.B.C. member. For information regarding member in your area, write to T.A.P.E.B.C., 7141 - 120th St., Delta, V4E 2A9. 591-3114. 1

Close-out auction, vary tool sales, Saturday, December 1, 10 am. \$250,000 worth new tools, equipment to be auctioned. C. W. Auctions, 31394 Peardonville Road, Clearbrook, B.C. 859-7621. 1

Video Movies save 30%. We sell, buy & exchange Beta and VHS movies. Accessories, blank tape & wrapping services available. K-Mat Video, 11608 - 149 St. Edmonton. (403) 455-4154. 1

Used golf cars, clearance prices from \$300 to \$1,800. Gas electric call for details. 248-8111 or pager 172, 248-3234 dealer for clubcar. We manufacture trailers. 1

Surplus containers from marine cargo shipping. Low cost portable storage. Ideal onsite workshops. 8' x 8' x 20' or 40'. Ontrack Systems Inc. Vancouver 941-8925. Edmonton (403) 475-4650. Kootenays - Grand Forks Equipment, 442-2104. 1

Winter growing starts now. Metal Halide 1000W. \$199. Heater 16,000 BTU \$114. Over 20,000 products for indoor, greenhouse and hydroponic growing. Have tomatoes for Christmas. Lots of Christmas gifts \$2 - \$50. Send \$2 for catalogue to Western Water Farms, 1244 Seymour St., Vancouver. V6B 3N9. 682-6636. 48-2

Dealers wanted: Government proven products. 50% mark-up. Minimum \$200 investment required. Reply: Microton Inc., 149 Riverside Dr., North Vancouver, B.C. V7H 1T6. (604) 929-7944. 46-4

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Where can you lease a truck for only \$119.97 per month? Call Dave Hinton collect at 294-0111 or toll-free at Zenith 2200. After 6 pm. call collect 590-4589. DL5674. 49-tfn

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World Vision aids needy families worldwide. Perhaps you can help with your time, dollars or prayers. To inquire call World Vision in Vancouver at 324-6368. 48-3

Lighting fixtures. Western Canada's largest display. Wholesale and retail. Free catalogues available. Norburn Lighting Centre Inc. 4600 East Hastings St., Burnaby, B.C. V5C 2K5. Phone 112-299-0666. 43-tfn

**Church Notices**

**SUNDAY, DEC. 9**

**Community Gospel Chapel**

Drake Road, Ganges  
Worship Service 10:30 am  
Sundays with Sunday School classes for the children.  
Evening Service 7:30 pm  
Bible Study & Prayer  
Thursday 7:30 pm  
Pastor: Rev. S.F. Hildebrandt  
537-5757 537-2622

**Ganges United Church**

Hereford Ave., Ganges  
Worship Service 10 am  
with Sunday School  
for Nursery to 15 years.  
Minister: Rev. A.N. Skinner  
537-5812 537-9343

**Anglican Parish**

Salt Spring Island  
St. Mark's -  
Holy Eucharist - 8:00 am  
St. George's -  
Holy Eucharist - 9:30 am  
Sunday School  
St. Mary's -  
Holy Eucharist - 11:15 am  
Sunday School  
Rector: Rev. John Bailey  
537-2171

**Catholic Church**

Salt Spring Island  
Fulford - 9 am  
Ganges - 10:30 am  
Saturdays - Ganges, 5 pm  
Rev. Fr. P.A. Bergin

**Island Christian Fellowship**

CENTRAL HALL  
Worship Service & Sunday School - 10:30 am  
Family Night & Bible Study  
Wednesday 7 pm  
Pastor & Mrs. Van Herwarden - 537-4385

**Galiano Island**  
St. Margaret of Scotland  
ANGLICAN  
Sundays - 10:30 am

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Home business. Make lucrative profits every month from your home. Free details, send self-addressed stamped envelope: Box 429, Lumby, B.C. V0E 2G0 or call 112-547-6630 anytime. 49-2

Pharmacy for sale. Town of Cabri, Sask. requires pharmacist/owner. Vibrant southwest Saskatchewan community, 1600 sq. ft. located in the new mini-mall. Computerized dispensary. Cabri has many attractions including a 20-bed fully accredited hospital, swimming pool, golf course, tennis courts, regional park, news sports complex with artificial skating and curling ice, public and high schools, a hunter's paradise. For more information contact Colin McMeer, secretary-treasurer, Cabri Chamber of Commerce, (306) 587-2612 or John R. Thomson, Mayor, Town of Cabri. (306) 587-2288. 1

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Restaurant good location designed for oriental or western cuisine. Living accommodation within. Owners will consider sale of business and/or building. Contact Box 3277, Salmon Arm, B.C. V0E 2T0 or phone 832-8595 or 888-2522. 1

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**Blanket B. C. & Yukon**

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Two for one beef sale. Introductory offer. Purchase any side or hind beef order and a beef rib section and receive: Bonus #1 - a side of pork free. Bonus #2 - every order receives 50 lbs. fancy sausage made from part of your trimmings. Black Angus Beef Corp. Serving all of B. C. Call Toll-free 112-800-242-0637. Vancouver area call 438-5357. 48-2

A gift to last a lifetime! Available Now! Original to North America! European handmade stuffed animals. Ideal gift for children of all ages. Contact Corym Marketing Wholesalers, (604) 271-6126. Novelty & toy store inquiries welcome. Color Catalogue and samples available. 48-2

Book Now! Great ski weeks from \$148 per person at Lake Louise Ski Area. Mini weeks from \$84 per person. Reservations and information call 112-800-661-9525. 48-4

Blue Horizon Hotel in downtown Vancouver offers December shoppers special. \$40 per night. Full facilities. Also, New Year's Eve special \$19.85 per person. 112-800-663-1333. 48-2

**Wanted**

A boat trailer, 1000 lb. E-Z load style. Call Rice, 653-4373. 1

Wanted: wooden horse, in good condition. Loom reeds for 45" Le Clerc loom. Counter scale for domestic use, 653-9294. 1

Wanted to buy or rent - snow chains for tires, size J78-15. 653-4281 eves. 1

Urgent! Some kind soul to babysit my dog for a couple of months - all food plus \$. 537-5739. 1

Used records & tapes in good condition for cash or trade. Also, used paperbacks for credit or trade. G. I. Video, Mouat's Mall. 537-2012. 47-alt. 1

Help: need dry firewood. Also, wanted BMX type bike for six year old. 537-2994. 1

Entertainers, actors, clowns and jesters are needed by the Volunteer Firemen for their annual Children's Christmas Party. Call 537-2680, Hans. 48-2

**Work Wanted**

Reliable man available, house & yard maintrepairs, woodcutting, etc. Indoor or outdoor painting, light carpentry. Excellent references. \$7/hr. Call 537-5148. 48-2

Framing to custom cabinets, doors, windows. Need work now, so reasonable rates. Guaranteed work. James, 653-9207. 48-2

Sign painting, T-shirt silk screening, logos, illustrations. Call Jim Dickinson, 537-5195. 43-tfn

Landscaper and gardener horticulturally trained and experienced in design, planting, maintenance, pruning and greenhousing. Fully insured. Phone David, 653-4270. 42-tfn

The Achievement Centre is seeking employment of some of its mentally handicapped clients. If you need help moving firewood, cleaning and maintaining your yard, etc. please call 537-9522 Tues. & Thurs. or 537-2604 after 5 pm. Payment in form of a donation. All work is supervised. 48-3

Experienced handyman will do general maintenance, painting, gardening, yard clean up, housework, odd jobs, etc. Have a truck. Reasonable rates. Reliable. Sid Jones, 537-2201. 48-2

Painting, wallpapering, garden maintenance, cleaning, small repairs, etc. Quick and tidy work. Call Kirstie, 537-5432. 1

Cabinets, interior finishing and renovations, custom furnishings, boat repairs. Call Rice Elkington, 653-4373. 1

**Work Wanted**

Full time or part time. Casual hardworking, dependable, reliable, ready for any type of work. Carpentry, Painting, Fencing, Wood Cutting & Splitting Land Maintenance, Roofing and Repairs. All calls promptly answered. Lane 537-5286. 49-2

All around home improvements. Carpentry, stairs, doors, siding, renovations, painting, clean out gutters, downpipes, drains. Insulation, walls, ceilings, crawl spaces. Free estimates. Phone 537-9614 eves. 537-2543. 49-2

DO YOU NEED A HELPING HAND WITH YOUR HOUSEWORK? CALL:

**The Broom & Duster Maid Service**  
S. OWEN, Operator  
537-2252, eves. 48-2

**Help Wanted**

Babysitter wanted to come in to my home. Daytime hours. Please call 537-2646. 1

**Wanted to Rent**

**HOME OWNERS WANT TO RENT YOUR HOUSE** but are worried about the problems that go with renting? Let me handle this for you.  
R. D. PROPERTY MANAGEMENT  
Phone 537-5411 43-tfn

**For Rent**

3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bathrooms, full basement home in Vesuvius area. 1/2 acre lot with oceanview, available December 8. \$450/month. Phone 537-2110. after 7 pm. 47-3

December 1, 1984, 1 bdrm. cottage, harbour view, small productive garden, wood and electric heat, Ganges Hill. Suit keen gardener(s). \$350/mo. Phone 537-9427 weekends or write Dept. M, c/o Driftwood, Ganges, B. C. VOS 1E0. 48-2

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Size to fit your needs. Located in Sidney across from Sandown Race Track Mini-Self-Storage Park Ltd. 656-5321, Sidney 43-tfn

Fully equipped cottages on St. Mary Lake, daily, weekly, monthly. 537-2214. 43-tfn

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**FOR HIRE**

**MOVING VAN WITH DRIVER**  
900 cu. ft., clean & dry  
**653-4573** 43-tfn

2 bedroom mobile home, yard for kids and garden. \$300/month. 537-2329 or 537-2777. 46-tfn

2 bedroom house, unfurnished. Sunny Island retreat, \$450. Phone 653-4335. 44-8

Low winter rates now in effect at Green Acres Resort, 241 Lang Road. Daily, weekly, monthly. 537-2585. 43-tfn

Storage space for rent. Phone 537-4022. 43-tfn

One bedroom suite for rent. Please call 537-9272 after 6 pm. 44-tfn

1 bdrm. suite, ground floor, private entrance. Excellent view. Close to Ganges, \$300 per month, hydro included. Phone 537-9738 after 6 pm. 48-tfn

Artistic, rustic, 1 bdrm. house with loft and small barn. Sunny, private and central. \$395 per mo. Phone 537-4220 or 403-242-4599 Collect. 48-3

3 bdrm. older home, very central, imm. - \$400. 653-9391. 47-tfn

**For Rent**

1 bdrm. cottage, electric heat, stove, fridge, washer, dryer, free cablevision, good view, Fernwood area. Long term residents preferred. Available now. 537-5487. 1

2 bdrm. Heritage farmhouse. Wanted - family handyman/farmer, for work needed in lieu of some rent. Call eves. 653-4385. Available immediately. 1

2 bdrm. house, large basement, wood & electric heat. Walker Hook. \$350. 537-2253. 1

3 bdrm. house at Beaver Point Rd., \$375. 537-9510. 1

Large 2 storey farmhouse, Bdrm., bath, guest/study on main floor, finished full basement, Sunset Drive, \$500 per mo. 1 year lease. Call Henry Schubart's office. 537-2405. 49-2

**Business Opportunities**

**AVON**

To Buy or Sell  
Call 537-5014 48-4

**Community Services**

Are you having a problem controlling your eating? If you're interested in helping yourself, we're interested in helping you. Call Overeaters Anonymous, 537-9253 or 537-2618. 49-tfn

Women's AA meeting Thursdays at 1:30 pm. Phone 537-2494, 537-5190. 43-tfn

Al-Anon helps those who are living with or near a severe drinking problem. Wednesdays 1:30 pm. and Fri. 8 pm. For more information, phone 653-4573 or 537-5129 or 537-5014. 47-tfn

AA meetings, 8 pm. Tuesdays and Fridays. Open meeting last Friday of the month. For more info., phone: 537-2618, 653-4573, 537-5190. 44-tfn

FREE FOR THE ASKING - a listener who cares. Call NEED Crisis Line - anytime. 386-6323 or from Salt Spring call toll free Zenith 2262. 43-tfn

Dressings are free to Cancer Patients by the Order of the Eastern Star. Contact Bernice Petty, 537-2451 or Health Services 537-5541. 43-tfn

**Notices**

DR. CHERYL LEVITT is pleased to announce that DR. JANET MACPHAIL will be seeing patients in her Lancer Building Office starting Monday, Nov. 26th. Please phone 537-5811 for appointments (weekdays from 9 am.). 1

**Gift Certificates**

for **Shiatsu Treatment** are available from Dana Windt, B.Sc., RMT. For further information, please call 537-9482. 49-2

**Amnesty International**

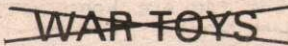
**Group 72**

DECEMBER MEETING:  
- Human Rights Day  
- Year End Reports  
- Letter Writing  
Wednesday, Dec. 12th - 7:30 pm.  
112 Charlesworth Rd., Ganges. 1

Community Planning Association Meeting, Wednesday, Dec. 12, at School Board Office, 7:30 pm. All Welcome. Agenda Suggestions to Ray Hill, 537-2655. Update on Incorporation process. 1

"In the past men have left home to go to war. Now women are leaving home for peace."  
-Judith, Greenham Common

VOICE OF WOMEN, Salt Spring Island.



**Notices**

SCHOOL DISTRICT #64 CONTINUING EDUCATION OFFERS:

**Christmas Goodies**

Saturday, Dec. 15th, in the High School Foods Rm. 10 am. - 2 pm. FEE: \$5 plus food (coffee & tea provided). Come and bake some special holiday treats from other lands. We plan a culinary 3-ring circus with small groups making goodies from Spain. Telesforo Tajuelo and Loes Holland will bake Dutch Spekulaas; persimmons pudding from New England, German honeycake with Renata Bangert and Peggy Jacobs will bake Mille Feuilles from France. Then sit down, taste and enjoy with hot coffee or tea and much sharing and conversing. Class size limited to 18 people. Call 537-2822 or stop by the Continuing Education office in Mouat's Mall. 1



537-2723  
Box 772, Ganges. 1

**Palm Readings**

At Vesuvius Inn in the Library Wednesdays 12 - 4 pm. Drop in or call Sheri, 537-2253, for appointment. GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE 49-alt

Mark's Linens - winner of Fulford draw: D. Phillips. 1

**Music Lessons**

LYNNE QUINN, M.A.B. Mus. Piano; theory; Orff/Kodaly system for children; recorder. Adult Beginners Welcome PLEASE CALL 537-2116 43-tfn

**Weight Wise**

Sensible Weight Loss Program Community Centre Mondays 11:30 - 12:30 pm. PHONE: Mimi 537-9281 or Maryanne - 537-5772 43-tfn

Bingo every Monday, 7:30 pm. Catholic Church Hall. 43-tfn

**S.P.C.A.**

LOST AND FOUND PETS General Enquiries 537-2123

Please send memberships and donations to Box 522, Ganges, B.C. 43-tfn

P. F. Wright, March Hare Studio, 185 Arbutus Road, Southey Point Bay. Open Saturdays only, 12 noon till 4 pm. Browsers welcome. 48-tfn

**RCMP Crime Prevention Seminar**

(FOR BUSINESSES) Friday, Dec. 7th - 7:30 pm. Harbour House Hotel DISPLAY AND DEMONSTRATION by Cpl. Gardam (Vancouver) on locks, alarms, safes. SLIDE PRESENTATION by Cpl. Penny (Victoria) on Environmental design Pre-registration is required through

**Saltspring Seminars** Box 752, Ganges 537-9525

(Overnight accommodation can be arranged for Outer Island participants).

Winner of Matt's Meat \$10 gift certificate is Don McCardia. One day draw was held on Light-up Day, Saturday, Dec. 1. 1

**Notices**

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**KICK-OFF****Glenn Woodley leaves long list of accomplishments****BY MALCOLM LEGG**

This week I would like to break away from our on-field activities to pay tribute to Glenn Woodley, who contributed to recreation and soccer on Salt Spring Island for many years.

Last week's appointments to the Recreation Commission saw the end of an era of commissions run under the guidance of Glenn. It was an era of positiveness and productivity as many projects were undertaken for the improvement of recreational possibilities on Salt Spring Island.

Under Glenn Woodley's leadership the commission developed the Fulford playing field for soccer, baseball and softball, the Little League diamond in Ganges for baseball and softball, Portlock

Park for soccer, tennis, softball and track and field, took over Mahon Hall for the performing arts, developed a swimming program and improved many of their existing facilities like Centennial Park, Peter Arnell Park and Musgrave Landing.

Glenn was very instrumental in providing our association with the excellent playing surface at Portlock Park and assisted us in the construction of the clubhouse at the park. He also ensured our association always had good support for its programs from the commission, support we have always appreciated.

I have known Glenn Woodley since I came to Salt Spring when he was actively involved in the soccer program as a coach and executive. I have worked with him in coaching Little League baseball and basketball and have always found him a very dedicated and determined person.

He always strove for perfection, whether coaching a team or developing recreation on Salt Spring. This determination has always made him a winner with his teams and brought success to the many projects he has undertaken.

His retirement from recreational activities will leave a void that will be hard to fill in the years to come. We can only stand back and admire the man and his accomplishments and say thank you, Glenn, for the many years of volunteer service you have given this community.

The Salt Spring Soccer Association and myself, as president, want to wish Glenn and his wife continued success in whatever they continue to do and say thanks for the part he played in assisting the growth of our association as well as the great work he has done for recreation on Salt Spring Island.

In other soccer news we will have had our Christmas dinner by the time this issue comes out, the night we thank our coaches, managers, officials and sponsors for their contributions to the sport this soccer season. More details next week.

On the field we had some big wins

by the Wranglers, Selects and Sockeyes as all three went on scoring sprees against their opponents. Meanwhile, the Cosmos came up with their second straight 2-2 tie and look like they are improving each match out. In the intra-island division we will juggle

the schedule for the last two weeks to pit the stronger teams against each other.

Remember we have a good supply of soccer equipment for Christmas gifts for your soccer players. Call this writer for information and prices.

**It was light-up day for Selects****BY MALCOLM LEGG**

It was light-up day in Ganges last Saturday and the Selects soccer team decided to join in on the festivities by lighting up their offensive fire-power in a 10-1 thrashing of Gorge.

In many ways the result was to be expected as last week the Selects were shut out for the first time in their three year career. Also, this season has been a frustrating series of bad breaks and missed chances.

The offensive fireworks started early as a Corbin Scott cross was deftly slipped past the Gorge goalie by Izak Ondre at the five-minute mark. Izak quickly returned the favour as he slipped a perfect pass to Corbin who slammed a high shot home.

The Selects were unable to score any more goals in the first half primarily due to the spectacular goal-keeping of the Gorge goalie, but the second half was to be a different story.

Chad Little, who normally tends goal, came out to play in the forward line and the results were devastating for Gorge. Chad racked up an incredible five goals and two assists as he went on a tear through the Gorge defence.

The other goals for the Selects came from B. J. Severs, Corbin Scott with his second and Izak Ondre with his second as the local

team totally dominated the second half.

It was a good win for the Selects, especially finding their scoring touch once again, as they meet Duncan and Bays United in the next two weeks.

The team showed some of the flair they are renowned for as the forwards and mid-field played very cohesive soccer, moving the ball crisply and creating some brilliant scoring chances.

The defence looked very steady

particularly the play of Tony Marshall and Roderick Shoolbraid. This is important for the defence as Mark Nordine has been lost to the team until after Christmas.

If the team can continue their fine play over the next few weeks they could pick up some big wins over the top teams. Now that the Selects have their lights turned on let us hope they realize that the lights are not turned off until after Christmas.

**Bridge winners**

Gulf Islands Bridge Club winners November 26 were:

East-west: Madeline and Joe Frantz, Vera Sarginson and Mona Coulter, Alan Steward and Kay Sinclair, Vivian Storr and Marion Ashmore. North-south: John Sarginson and Helen Shandro, Dawny Scarfe and Liz Dafeo, Margurite Hall and Bee Thompson, Irene Hawksworth and Dorothy Sneddon.

Tuesday night: north-south: Bunny Jordan, Fred Melhuish, John Sarginson and Norm McConnell, Dawny Scarfe and Fred Struve. East-west: Isabelle Richardson and Mary Clements, Wim and Ima Krayenhoff, Lois Popkin-Clurman and Mona Coulter.

Fulford Harbour OAP's: Marion Andrew and Jean Orr, Terry Devine and Bob Scott, Marion Stewardson and Doris Beach.

**SOCCER SCOREBOARD**

**Div. 2:** Salt Spring Wranglers 10 (B. Davies 5, M. Brown 2, R. Graham, T. Logan, E. Fewings), Gorge 0

**Div. 4:** Salt Spring Selects 10 (C. Little 5, I. Ondre 2, C. Scott 2, B.J. Severs), Gorge 1

**Div. 6:** Salt Spring Strikers 0, Sooke 5

**Girls:** Salt Spring Cosmos 2 (D. Topping 2), Cordova Bay 2

**Women:** Salt Spring Sockeyes 5 (T. Byron 2, D. Sneade 2, B. Akerman), Castaways 0.

**INTRA ISLAND:**

**Senior:** Lazars 0, Sharks 0; Leopards 0, Fury 4 (J. Neilson 2, N. Kerrigan 2); Stingers 3 (T. Lam 2, M. Quesnel), Kicks 1 (W. Hann)

**Junior:** Panthers 7 (J. Koski, B. Forbes 2, M. Cuddy 2, Z. Erickson 2), Wildcats 1 (A. Twa); Mites 2 (B. Williams, H. Jason), Eagles 1 (E. Byron); Devils 3, Demons 0.

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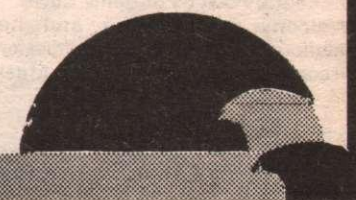
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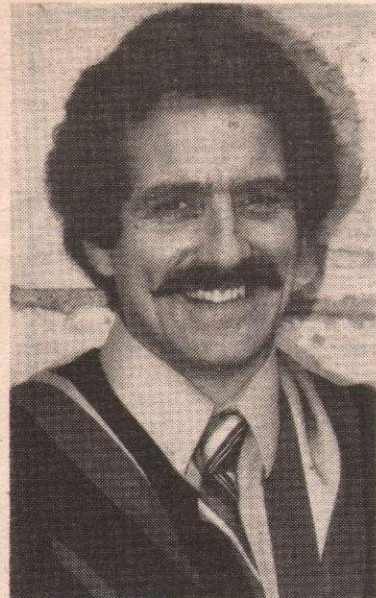
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Russell Fuoco

## Receives graduate degree

Russell Frederick Fuoco has received his master's degree in urban and regional planning from Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario.

Fuoco, a native of Kamloops, B.C., and son of Santy and Louise Fuoco of Salt Spring Island, returned to university to pursue his graduate degree in 1982, after several years in the planning field in British Columbia.

He was the planner for Campbell River from 1976-1980, and also served as a planning consultant to northern Vancouver Island in 1981-82. He received his bachelor's degree from the University of British Columbia in 1971.

Fuoco has recently been appointed planner for the Cowichan Valley Regional District, located in Duncan. He and his wife Star and daughters Holly and Kristi now reside in Maple Bay.

## DOWN THE GUTTER

BY TERRY JENKINS

Bowling scores for the week ending December 1:

High bowlers this week were Lisa Jorgensen, a Y.B.C. Junior who bowled 757 (247, 231, 279), Dee Kinney 732 (222, 235, 275), Deanna Marleau 715 (255, 214, 246), Carol Kaye 712 (218, 254, 240), Dorothy Graham 711 (272, 260, 179). For the men: Ken Collins 755 (286, 223, 246), Ken Underwood 750 (144, 341, 265), Steve Marleau 746 (164, 385, 200) and 741 (256, 212, 273), Pat Slingsby 740 (213, 271, 256).

Over 300: Steve Marleau 385, Ken Underwood 341.

Pins over average: most pins over, Ken Underwood +210.

Others who bowled well over average were: Cecille Marcotte +185, Lisa Jorgensen +166, Pat

Slingsby +143, Dorothy Graham +132, Anne Dunaway +117, Doreen Dennis +117, Les Linnitt +109, Gordon Cartwright +103.

### GOLDEN-AGERS SCORES

Over 250: Gene Graham 273, Dorothy Graham 272, 260, Ed Allan 271, 200, Cecille Marcotte 263, 251, Rusty Hopper 260.

Over 200: Geoff Baker 224, Jim Cook 221, 200, Stan Wakelyn 220, Maurice Spurrill 218, Helen Herron 216, Helen Hopper 215, 214, Anne Dunaway 214, Edie Gear 213, 211, Val Stewart 210, Ruth Bedford 209, Ora Lang 207, Dave Slingsby 207, 200, Marie Ashley 200, Ivor Cawker 206, 203, Frank Cullis 205, Kay Cook 203, 200, Anne Jameski 200.

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Over 600: Ed Allan 659, Cecille Marcotte 644, Edie Gear 602.



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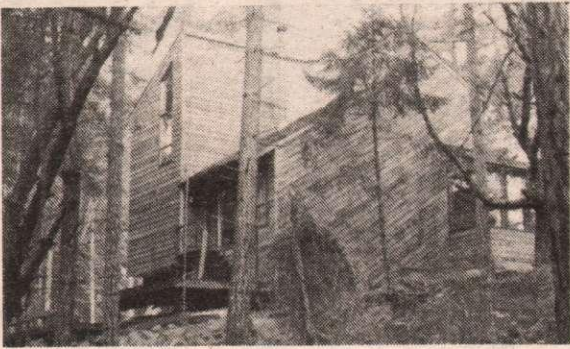
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# Wranglers blank Gorge with "awesome performance"

BY ED DAVIS

The day started like any other soccer Sunday when we have to head off to Victoria on the 8 am sailing from Fulford. Up at 6 am, get the coffee going for the thermos, then organize all the various things we need to get the show on the road.

Seeing as how I was ahead of the game this particular Sunday I even called a couple of parents to give them a break and told them I'd pick up the boys who were on my end of the island. Started warming up the bus at 6:45, scraped the ice and finished loading.

This match looked to be a fun one. We had taken last weekend's match against Juan de Fuca Athletic Association by an overwhelming score of 10-2 and were off to meet Gorge Canadians, whom we had also downed previously.

The weather was co-operating beautifully: cold but clear, with promise of warming nicely. It

turned out to be cooler than one would want—it sort of matched the reception we received from the captain of the tug *Quinita* who scolded us for arriving at departure time, thus causing him to leave three minutes late. The morning went haywire just as I was ready to pull out.

I had left the balls in my car's trunk from the practice on Friday. The fact that I'd washed the blooming car meant it was frozen, I don't mean your everyday frozen, I mean like a rock! I kicked it, I hit it, I pried it, I threw buckets of hot water on it, and I cursed it!

Finally it broke loose, and I retrieved the balls, only now I'm late. The ensuing ride, and making the various pick-ups scattered between the north end and Fulford, was an exciting one to say the least. Several team members gave up on us and went home to return to the comfort of their beds after standing around and getting cold feet.

We made it to Fulford, black ice and all with a minute to spare. Unfortunately it takes more than a minute to process a bus load of soccer players who figured their driver was out to scare them to death. As we pulled aboard I could sense trouble as our captain approached—I don't know if it was the look in his eye, or just the way he was strutting.

After the lecture I had the notion to open the gate and say to my boys, "He's yours—go get 'im!"

The match, however, went off splendidly. We managed to field 10 players and they put on an awesome performance, racking up 10 goals and not allowing one in our own net. We then hit the big city and dined at

MacDonald's and had an uneventful return flight home.

Bradley Davies had the hot foot, registering five of the 10 goals and assisting on some of the others. Mike Brown, Renard Graham and Erin Fewings tallied up the rest. All and all it was a great day and a good match. These young men know how to have fun on Soccer Sunday.

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**GALIANO NEWS**

# Resolution calls for total ban on hunting

**BY KATHLYN BENDER**

An open public meeting attended by nearly 100 people in the Community Hall last Thursday passed by 49 to 20 a resolution asking for a total ban on hunting on Galiano. An emotional discussion was well chaired by Fred Robson, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

As well as a considerable number of Galiano residents there were in attendance representatives from the provincial ministry of the environment, the federal department of fisheries and oceans, the RCMP and the area conservation officer.

The meeting began with a litany of anecdotes of irresponsible and illegal hunting on Galiano, particularly pitlamping and shooting in no shooting areas. There was consensus that the main problem is the enforcement of regulations. It was agreed that if the provisions of the Wildlife Act and accompanying regulations were observed the hunting problem would all but disappear. Unfortunately enforcement is minimal and in time of restraint is unlikely to improve. Two conservation officers in Duncan are responsible for an area of 2,500 square miles with a human population of 200,000. No wonder that they can rarely respond to a complaint from Galiano.

A further problem lies in the difficulty of obtaining evidence that will stand up in court and the reluctance of a magistrate or judge to impose a penalty severe enough to act as a deterrent. There are, of course, a number of responsible hunters on Galiano and several spoke against the proposed ban and received a sympathetic hearing, but a large majority of those present had no faith in the enforcement process or the ability of hunters to police themselves.

The enforcement officers present appealed for more public assistance and provided Observe, Record and Report cards for those willing to use them. It was stressed that information should be phoned in immediately so that offenders leaving the island on the next ferry might be apprehended when they landed at the terminal. It is important that reporters are cognizant of the relevant regulations.

These are as follows. It is an offence to hunt between one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise while in possession of a firearm and by the use of a light or illuminating device. A person who hunts without reasonable consideration for the lives, safety or property of other persons commits an offence. A person who discharges a firearm on or across the travelled portions of an arterial or secondary highway commits an offence. A person who discharges a firearm in a no shooting area commits an offence. These are all provisions of the Wildlife Act of B.C.

In addition there are regulations

pertaining to the act. Hunting with a rifle is illegal on Galiano. No shooting areas are defined and on Galiano these include all places within 100 metres of a dwelling house, farm or ranch building containing animals and public buildings such as school and church; also land within 25 metres of the travelled portion of a highway. A very large part of Galiano is therefore already classed as a no shooting area. An especially interesting regulation in the no shooting area definition is "All that land above mean low water mark of Mayne Island."

It appears that Mayne secured its exemption from hunting as result of political action, a procedure that Galiano residents may have to consider if the very real problems resulting from irresponsible hunting are not alleviated. Reports from people who know the situation on Mayne Island indicate that the ban there has been welcomed and is working satisfactorily.

Other practical suggestions to improve the situation on Galiano were that Galiano be declared a Special Licence Area and that range patrols be instituted. The latter would be patterned on the practice of ranchers in the interior of B.C. The patrol would have no power to arrest, collect evidence nor should hunters be confronted, but the members of the patrol could observe and record vehicle licence numbers, nature of violation and descriptions of persons involved.

This information might assist police or conservation officers in apprehending offenders and in laying charges. Interested persons on Galiano will pursue these suggestions and further meetings are planned.

## Cooking with a difference

Of all the cook books currently on the market, John Edwards' *The Roman Cookery of Apicius* is quite literally the classic. John Edwards, who incidentally teaches at Galiano School, is a young man of many parts—a marathon runner, a house builder, a poet and budding novelist, a classical scholar, and a university lecturer who turned his back on those august halls of learning to become a primary school teacher. Last but not least he is a gastronome. Several of his talents are combined to produce this book.

John has spent 3½ years translating *De Re Coquinaria* (Of Cooking) attributed to Apicius, a man who probably lived in Rome about the first century AD, and who loved food more than all else. Alongside John's translations of the Latin are the modern versions he has meticulously worked out and tested himself. Through John



*Dandelion Gallery co-ordinator Debbie Holmes with artist Caroline Sadowska*

Edwards' eyes we are presented with a fascinating insight into the preparation of food in the Roman Empire with its wide use of spices and herbs, and a cornucopia of mouth-watering dishes.

Through the revealing of culinary secrets we are brought to realize that here is the foundation of Western classical cooking and are encouraged to progress to new heights of gourmet delights. Historians will appreciate the illustrations and quotations from the Latin poets.

John Edwards' book will be reviewed for *Western Living* and on CBC's *Patrick Munro Show* between 4 and 6 pm. John will be autographing copies of his book in Ivy's Bookstore in Victoria on December 15 and in Volume II in Ganges. It is hoped that he can be persuaded to arrange an autographing on Galiano at some future date.

## Northern (electric) lights

Since last Tuesday, when the electrical inspector passed the wiring for the new addition, foreman Arne Haksi and his crew have worked hard, insulating, installing the ceiling, walls and sub-floor. Last Friday the linoleum was laid and the hall decorated for the Christmas party. The window sills were adorned with flower arrangements by Aini Haksi, the walls with burlap nativity figures and a ceiling-high Christmas tree

dominated the floor.

The focal point was the Czechoslovak "putz". About 55 children and adults enjoyed the buffet and visit from Santa and applauded loudly when a golden hammer was presented to Arne Haksi in appreciation for the countless hours he put in on the renovations and new addition to the North Community Hall.

All north-enders will have an opportunity to admire the hall by taking part in the Christmas service to be conducted by Rev. Leonard Pocock at 2 pm this Sunday. White gifts for the *Coastal Messenger* mission boat may be brought to this service.

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# Garner Electric expands by purchasing Rental Centre

BY BILL WEBSTER

Expansion has been the business of Garner Electric on Salt Spring Island for the past year.

Warren Garner, owner of the business, explained that in the fall of 1983, he noticed a lot of competition in the electrical contracting business on the island.

He began to look around to see where his business could pick up slack and found few appliance

repairmen in action. So Garner Electric began to repair appliances.

Garner needed a shop in Ganges to be central to island life as well as space for the repair work. In February of this year he found the answer.

He purchased the propane business from Bob Blundell. And, he said, Blundell made it easy for him to take over.

Now that he had the space, Garner decided to add another sideline. The Rental Centre on Ganges Hill was for sale and Garner bought it.

But he didn't stop there.

He added a line of Hitachi products, such as televisions, microwave ovens, washer and dryers to the growing concern.

He came to Salt Spring eight years ago with his wife, Ardith. They arrived on the island from Port Coquitlam where he had spent 13 years with B. C. Tel.

With his wife running the sales desk and son Darren working weekends, the Garners find plenty to do in the expanding business. And his brother John also lends a hand when needed.

The next project for Garner is to introduce vehicle adaptation facilities for changing a gasoline guzzler to a propane motor vehicle. He said the change-over would cost about \$1,500 per vehicle and he has been talking with Gulf Islands school district officials about converting the school buses to propane.

The federal government will subsidize converting commercial vehicles, he said, up to \$400.

Using propane in vehicles eases the strain on the engine and costs about 20¢ per litre less than gasoline. All that's needed, he said,



Driftwood photo by Bill Webster

Warren Garner of Garner Electric and Propane

is to change the carburetor, add fuel tanks and an evaporation chamber, and the propane works.

The evaporation chamber is required to switch the liquid propane to a gas to ignite in the combustion chamber.

What began as a business engaged in electrical contracting has grown but Garner explained that if other opportunities present themselves, the expansion of Garner Electric and Propane will continue.

## Galiano News

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### Galiano Players

Galiano Players met last Wednesday to plan future productions. The reading committee, under the chairmanship of Steve Gaylor, is hard at work reading possible scripts and will meet soon to present their suggestions to the Players.

The Players will meet next Tuesday at 6:30 pm at Galiano Lodge for dinner and to view a video of their recent production. Dinner reservations should be phoned without delay to Jacquie Besler at 9-2228.

### Artistry

Two events this last weekend provided ample evidence of the wealth of artistic talent available on Galiano. Last Friday evening a host of well-wishers gathered at Sturdies Bay for the opening of the Dandelion Gallery. The premises opposite the garage afford an attractive and easily accessible showplace for the work of local artists and craftspersons.

On Saturday the Christmas Craft Fair sponsored by the Twelve Weavers further demonstrated the high quality of craft work available on the island. The Galiano public need not leave the island in order to obtain gifts for family and friends.

### Christmas giving

A fine response in goods and money came to our local group's appeal for the OXFAM-sponsored Aid for Ethiopia at the Saturday Sale in the activity centre. Galiano citizens will have a further chance to help this good cause by purchasing tickets for this group's Christmas Tea from noon to 3 pm on Tuesday, Dec. 11 at the South Community Hall. Featured will be musical interludes. A CBC camera crew are hoping to come to Galiano to film the event for possible inclusion in *The Journal* and *Man Alive*.

St. Margaret's Church and Thrift Shop have chosen as their Christmas White Gift Appeal to help the inter-faith mission boat, *Coastal Messenger*. This vessel, funded entirely by voluntary subscription and gifts, runs up and down the West Coast calling at isolated settlements.

Specially treasured at these remote communities are knitting wool oddments, small used electrical appliances, tea towels and dish cloths, notepaper and envelopes, empty litre ice-cream pails and cans of food. Donations may be left at the Corner Store, the Spanish Hills Store, the Church (on Sundays) or with Bengier, Cain Road. Deadline is Sunday, Dec. 15 when Jim McAlonan, crew member of the *Coastal Messenger*, will lead the "White Gift" service at St. Margaret's Church at 10:30 am.

## Women for Peace here now Voice of Women

A group of Salt Spring women has changed the name of its organization, but one of the goals remains the same.

The Salt Spring Island Women for Peace has become the Salt Spring chapter of the Voice of Women.

But they will continue their campaign against war toys.

The Voice of Women began in 1960 when groups of women from across Canada joined together to try to do something about the international situation at that time.

They had 6,000 members by the end of the first year and joined with other international groups to petition the United Nations to declare a World Peace Year.

The result of the lobbying was

International Co-operation Year in 1965.

The island chapter for VOW has campaigned against war toys since last year, when the group formed.

They label the toys as unnecessary, sexist, non-creative and anti-social.

Alternatives to war toys can be found, the group maintains. Children can be given such toys as sports equipment, musical instruments, books, microscopes, bicycles, tapes and records, "and the wonderful ubiquitous teddy bear."

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### Trustees meet

Members of the Islands Trust were photographed in the Legislative Buildings in Victoria

during the weekend Trust council meeting. The 26 trustees, from the 13 designated islands of the Trust,

were in Victoria for the statutory meeting at which the general trustees are named. Islands Trust is

a unique administrative body in the province in that its sole function is land use control in the name of

protection and preservation of the islands. Those were the criteria for its establishment 10 years ago.



### New general trustees

Three general trustees are seen on Saturday after their election. From left are chairman Michael

Humphries and two vice-chairmen, Carol Martin and Nick Gilbert. Gordon Wallace of North Pender

withdrew from the general Trust and John Rich did not seek election as local trustee.

### Gilbert named vice-chairman

There is no change in the chairmanship of the Islands Trust. Mike Humphries will serve a third term in the chair following his election by acclamation on Saturday.

The Lasqueti Island trustee has served as local trustee since the Trust was founded. He is the fourth chairman of the Trust, following John Rich, Marc Holmes and Hilary Brown.

Two trustees were named to the general Trust. John Rich has withdrawn from the planning function on his home Bowen Island and Gordon Wallace has withdrawn

from the general Trust to concern himself solely with North Pender Island.

To serve with Humphries this year are Nick Gilbert of Salt Spring Island and Carol Martin of Hornby Island. The third candidate nominated, Russell Bates, was unsuccessful.

The general Trust represents the Islands Trust to the government and forms part of each island Trust committee when it meets on individual islands. The general trustees also meet at the Trust offices in Victoria on a more frequent basis.

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# Down Through the Years with Driftwood

## Twenty Years Ago

**Chairman** of the Gulf Islands School Board, Jim Campbell of Saturna Island, would be the arbiter of a salary agreement between the Nanaimo school district and the teachers' association of that city. The teachers had gone to court to have Campbell taken out of the position but the judge did not agree with their contention that he had a bias in favour of the school district.

A \$50 bounty was placed on cougars on Salt Spring by the Farmers' Institute. Bob Akerman of Fulford was the first recipient of the bounty for killing one of the big cats which bothered flocks of sheep.

**November was drier** than usual, reported Ganges weather-watcher Howard Carlin. Only 4.43 inches of precipitation was measured including 2.25 inches of snow. High temperature was 54 degrees while the low was registered at 30 degrees. The previous year saw 6.94 inches of precipitation and the temperature ranged from 29 to 54 degrees.

The **Sunshine Guild** held a Christmas bazaar in the United Church hall in Ganges and the ladies raised \$133 during the afternoon. Guild president Mrs. W. Norton opened the event. Browsers were able to buy needlecraft, home cooked goods and other items.

The **senior soccer team** from the high school on Salt Spring visited North Surrey for games against mainland teams. Snow forced cancellation of three games and the local team won the only game played, 3-1 against the host team. Coach Mike Byron arranged for the boys to view the Grey Cup game on television. Goals were scored by Chuck Davis, with two, Henning Satermo and Ferg Foulis.

The **automobile** was parked in the school parking lot at Salt Spring. The owner returned to the vehicle and started to drive away when he heard strange noises. Someone had been in the process of syphoning gas from the tank and had left a hose and a gas can behind, having left the scene in a hurry.

## Fifteen Years Ago

The **Mayne Island jail** would be the project to celebrate the provincial centennial. The property and building were donated to the community by Mr. West. Chairman of the Mayne Island Ratepayers Association, John Rainsford, made the announcement at a meeting of that group. A committee, with membership from various organizations, would determine how to restore the old structure.

A **boat-launching ramp** would be installed beside Centennial Park in Ganges. Tom Marcus, chairman of the parks committee of the Salt Spring Chamber of Commerce, had negotiated the deal with federal government officials. The ramp would be about 100 feet long and extend at least 50 feet beyond the high-water mark.

A **community planning committee** was selected for Salt Spring. There would be 13 members on the committee which would be headed by Adrian Wolfe-Milner. Mrs. J. V. Brown would be the secretary and Henry Schubart would be one of the members.

**Papajohn reported** from Saturna that the **Mayne Queen** had problems docking at Lyall Harbour due to thick fog. The ferry brushed against Trevor Island in the fog but managed to dock at the terminal safely.

The **Pender CARE tree fund** stood at \$465. George Pearson announced that the amount had

been donated even before the lights had gone on.

The **bazaar** held by members of the United Church on Salt Spring raised \$600. The Rev. Fred Anderson opened the event which had been organized by Mary Corbett. The ladies sold knitting, novelties and sewing in three stalls while the tea room was busy for the afternoon.

**Director** to the Capital Region for Salt Spring would be Marc Holmes of Fulford. He had been elected by acclamation to replace Doug Cavaye who was retiring from the position.

## Ten Years Ago

The **Islands Trust members** gathered at Parksville for a meeting. The members had been elected for the first time. From Salt Spring were Mike Larmour and John Stepaniuk. Each of the major islands, 13 in all, had elected two representatives. The General Trust, who were appointed by the provincial government, would be Marc Holmes, David Brousson and Hilary Brown, chairman.

The **Rotary Club** on Salt Spring staged the annual Grey Cup feast. Bert Timbers was in charge and the service club decided to give 60% of the proceeds to the Lions Club for the recreation complex at Central. The Lions Club received \$2,284. After expenses, the event had generated \$3,807.

**Papajohn reported** from Saturna that the Lions Club Ladies Appreciation Gastronomic Dinner was a success. John Silvester organized the four-star event which featured barbecued steaks and homemade pies. The men did all the cooking and serving.

**From Pender Island**, George Pearson reported that the CARE tree fund had topped \$3,000. He expressed confidence that the goal of \$5,000 would be reached.

**Warm and wet** described the weather in November, reported Howard Carlin, the Ganges weather-watcher. High temperature was recorded at 56 degrees and the low was 38 degrees. There was 7.64 inches of precipitation. The previous year, there had been 10.27 inches of precipitation with a temperature range of 55 degrees on the high side to 29 degrees on the low end.

The **Bank of Montreal** in Ganges began to run out of cash. Money had been ordered but did not arrive for the rush of withdrawals on Friday. By Monday afternoon the situation was normal and cheques

could be cashed. An official at the bank termed the problem "embarrassing".

## Five Years Ago

The **Agricultural Land Commission** turned down an application from Pender Island to use two acres within the agricultural land reserve for the site of the proposed health care centre. The land had been donated to the community by the Mander family. The Pender Lions Club had received a lottery grant of \$85,000 to help build the centre but the money could not be used to purchase other land for the centre.

A **proposed amendment** to the Galiano community plan to allow commercial use of land zoned rural-residential was rejected by a meeting of the Islands Trust Committee for that island. People attending the meeting, which threatened to get out of hand at one point, were almost unanimous in their rejection of the proposal. When the Trust Committee got around to a vote on the issue, the proposal was rejected in light of the opposition.

The **Pollution Control board hearings** in Ganges ended after five days and 38 hours of effort. Six people had filed appeals against the permit to discharge treated sewage into Ganges Harbour and 20 other people spoke to the hearings. No decision was announced.

The **Mayne School Association** met to elect officers for the coming year. Ted Burden would be president while Carolyn Aldenburg would be secretary and Renate Waterlow would be the treasurer.

**George Pearson** of Pender Island would be able to read again, thanks to a gift from the Lions Club. The 92-year-old man was suffering from failing eyesight and the Lions Clubs of the area from Victoria to the Gulf Islands spent \$1,800 to purchase a television set which would reproduce print magnified up to 50 times.

The **Saturna Lions Club** sponsored a cribbage night and 40 players showed up. Top spot went to Bernice Cook with Don McLellan second and Ron Garth third. Proceeds from the event would be sent along to Timmy's Telethon.

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- ★ If you are in need of a Christmas hamper please call the Community Centre.
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Fashion show was held last Thursday at the Harbour House Hotel in Ganges. Fashions were by Carolee's. Above, Louise Fuoco models three-piece suit while ladies enjoy lunch in the hotel dining room.

Driftwood photo by Alice Richards

**Lomas named chairman**

The Salt Spring Parks and Recreation Commission has decided to change its structure and other changes to the committee system may be in the works.

John Lomas was chosen as chairman of the commission and Strick Aust and Phil Hume were selected as vice-chairmen at a meeting of the group Monday.

In the past there has been a chairman and a vice-chairman, although the person who held the

second position in years past had little to do because of the active role which the previous chairman, Glenn Woodley, had taken.

Lomas told the meeting that he would be willing to serve as the chairman but would depend upon the other two individuals for help in various matters.

"This is probably an important year for the commission," he said. The five-year plan has come to an

end and the group will be looking at new planning and new directions for the commission, he added.

The committee structure will be looked at to determine if the current set-up fills a suitable role or if changes need to be made.

The commission currently has seven committees. The committees cover Mahon Hall, planning, fields, access, finance, sports and grants. If needed a Centennial Park committee will be added to carry out functions concerning the park.

Other members of the commission are Irene Fewings, Maureen Bendick, Val Wanless, Tom Hall, Dan Evanishen, Merv Walde and Spencer Marr. Capital Region director Hugh Borsman is also on the commission.

**New church starting**

More than 80 people attended a potluck supper held Monday in preparation for the opening of a new church at Salt Spring Island.

The Salt Spring Island Baptist Church will begin holding services on the first Sunday of the new year at the Tri-Admiral Hall, 506 Lower Ganges Rd. The hall was the scene of Monday's supper where the new pastor, Brian Joyce, was present to meet his new congregation.

Joyce comes to the island from Sidney, where he has been assistant pastor for the past two years. He was ordained this year.

Church spokesman Vicki Wilson said the idea to start a church was conceived about five or six months ago, and started with a bible study group. Eight families had been committed to the church as of last week but that number has risen since Monday's heavy turnout.

**Violation notice issued**

A visit to Salt Spring became a memorable occasion for Michael Wickheim of Mayne Island.

He was involved in a traffic accident at the intersection of Fulford-Ganges Road and Salt Spring Way at 1:10 last Thursday.

Wickheim was driving a 1979 Pontiac while Henry Belsey was driving a 1976 Ford pickup at the time.

Although no one was injured, police estimated damage of \$1,000 as a result of the accident.

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