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Looking for Springtime?

# SPRING

This issue contains an entire section of information about spring home improvement, renovations and gardening.

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## 660 landowners appealed their assessments

More Salt Spring Islanders disagreed with their B.C. Assessment Authority valuations this year than residents of Saanich.

Court of revision chairman Peter Drummond reports that more than 660 people, 12 per cent of all property owners, appeared before the court.

Drummond, John Woodward and John Richardson have just finished a month-long session on the island, listening to complaints of over-assessment.

The court's job, Drummond said, is to "satisfy people that assessments are correct and uniform throughout the island."

"Ninety-eight per cent of the cases simply involved the appellant thinking he had been over-assessed. We had to listen to their arguments," he said. "We were a

very empathetic court."

"Generally speaking, most of the time (the assessments) are accurate," John Woodward said, "as accurate as they can be."

Woodward, who has been a licensed realtor for 35 years, has served on courts of revision before.

"The burden of responsibility to prove property is incorrectly assessed is on the appellant," he said, "unlike a normal court of law. There are no compassionate grounds granted. The court of revision is not the kind of place to make this kind of plea."

"The market is rising on these islands as you well know. It has risen quite dramatically for the past two years. And there wasn't an assessment two years ago," he said.

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## Fishermen save two after boat capsizes

A Salt Spring Island fisherman and his crew were instrumental in saving the lives of two fishermen after their vessel sank Friday.

Skipper Bruce Hildred of the *Lil' Kristine*, along with crew members Don Boulton and Ian Kumleben, rescued two cod fishermen just south of the Goose Islands on the central coast.

It took about 50 minutes after receiving the mayday call for the *Lil' Kristine* to get to the spot where the vessel was sinking. "We were the closest vessel so we gum-booted it and got there," Hildred said.

Two survivors, Ian Andrews and Patrick Love of Campbell River, were pulled from the frigid waters but the third crew member, Walter Andrews, could not be found.

Winds were blowing at about 25 knots, with a five-foot sea, Hildred said. "Usually in this type of cold water, you have about 45 minutes to live, but these guys were in for over an hour," Hildred said.

They brought the two survivors on board and began treating them. "We stuffed them down in the engine room and gave them warm sweet tea and got them to come around," Hildred said.

Prior to the rescue, Hildred said, two aircraft circled the area keeping an eye on where the men were, and then released smoke flares and two liferafts. But the men were unable to use the rafts.

The fisheries vessel *Tanu* joined the search and found the body of Walter Andrews.

The two survivors were put onto an inflatable Hurricane Zodiac, which transferred them onto the *Tanu*. From there they were airlifted by helicopter to Port Hardy.

Cpl. Paul Robinson of the Bella Bella RCMP detachment said both men were treated for hypothermia and released the next day.

Their vessel, the 10-metre-long *Ju Ju*, had been fully loaded when it capsized.



**STILL SMILING:** And after all that rain, natural pools at Centennial Park in Ganges. too. Wet weather couldn't keep Owen Duckett and Kate Reid indoors on Monday. They made the most of the rainy day by playing in natural pools at Centennial Park in Ganges. According to the weather report, there may be no further need for umbrellas and gum-boots. But don't count on it.

Photo by Nikki Zerr

## Criminal offences decrease

Ganges RCMP detachment had a busy year in 1992 with hundreds of charges being laid, but criminal activity was at a similar level to that of 1991.

The total number of charges made by police under the Criminal

Code decreased from 762 in 1991 to 730 in 1992. Assault charges and property related charges increased moderately, while thefts of motor vehicles were down.

Break-ins increased by one in 1992, but business premises were

targeted more than homes, unlike the previous year. Property damage over \$1,000 increased to six incidents in 1992 from one in 1991, while property damage under

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# this week

Bring out the rubber boots & galoshes as huge puddles form in potholes left from the winter. Be wary when walking, they are often deeper than they seem!!

**Weather Fact:** St. John's Newfoundland is Canada's foggiest city with 121 days of fog per year. In Newfoundland's Avalon Peninsula, some stations have recorded 230 days of fog per year!

## weather



HIGHS: 12 C (normal 10)  
 LOWS: 2 C (normal 2)

PRECIPITATION: 20% chance of showers Wednesday  
 OUTLOOK: Cloudy with sunny periods Wednesday.  
 Sunny with cloudy periods Thursday.  
 Cloudy with sunny periods Friday and Saturday.



## of note

Mar. 25.....Advisory Planning Commission  
 .....public meeting.  
 Mar. 29.....Off Centre Stage, AGM.

### LUNAR CYCLE: for Mar. 1993

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 Mar. 08    Mar. 15    Mar. 23    Mar. 31

## lottery numbers

	DRAW DATE	NUMBERS
Lotto 6/49	Mar. 20, 1993	06-11-13-21-27-41 B35
	Mar. 17, 1993	05-12-15-26-36-46 B23
B.C./49	Mar. 20, 1993	09-11-15-17-19-46 B37
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	1825	9.3		1400	2.8
	2345	6.6		2210	9.7
MAR. 25			MO	0255	8.6
	0530	9.7		0655	9.3
	1205	3.5		1450	2.7
	1915	9.4		2320	9.8
MAR. 26			TU	0410	8.8
	0025	7.2		0725	9.2
	0550	9.6		1550	2.6
	1240	3.2			
MAR. 27	2005	9.5	WE	0025	10.0
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## Burn permit second under new act

A B.C. environment ministry permit for burning more than 1,000 cubic metres of land-clearing debris has been issued on Salt Spring Island.

Environmental protection officer Dennis Trudeau told the *Driftwood* last week that this is the second such permit issued for the island since Bill 29 came into effect last summer.

The law prohibits burning piles of refuse that exceed 10 cubic metres per hectare of land for more than 24 hours in a month without a permit. The recently issued permit for a property on Highwood Place at the north end of the island allows burning between March 22 and April 30.

A similar permit was issued earlier to the North Salt Spring Waterworks District for burning refuse near Maxwell Lake.



Salt Spring Island firefighters responded to a number of calls in the past month including:

- A grassfire on Kangro Court February 17.
- A chimney fire at 675 Long Harbour Road on February 18.
- A motor vehicle accident on Vesuvius Bay Road February 20.
- A vehicle fire on Mountain Park Drive February 21.
- A false fire alarm at Greenwood February 23.
- A chimney fire at 150 Jenkins Road March 3.
- A packing machine fire at Lady Minto Hospital resulting in minor damage March 3.
- A chimney fire at 2645 Fulford-Ganges Road on March 6.
- A grass fire at 1100 Beddis Road March 11.
- A chimney fire at 783 Vesuvius Bay Road March 12.
- A first responder call for a youth who fell off a motorcycle at 160 Grantville Road on March 13.
- A brushpile left burning on Lower Ganges Road on March 15.
- A chimney fire at 114 Margaret Avenue on March 16.
- A chimney fire at 251 Cranberry Road on March 20.

## Hunter doubts NAFTA will pass

Saanich-Gulf Islands MP Lynn Hunter was in Washington D.C. last week to talk to various groups about the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA).

"It was quite worthwhile," she told the *Driftwood* on Monday. "There's a very different mood down there."

Since U.S. President Bill Clinton said last October that he would like to see further agreements on environmental and workplace standards, Hunter said, the free trade agreement has been examined a little more closely.

"The closer scrutiny has shown them things they don't like," she said. "The momentum is growing in opposition to NAFTA. I have a great deal of optimism that NAFTA is not going to go through."

The NDP team of four visited members of the U.S. Congress in particular, since the Congressional ways and means committee is currently looking at the agreement. One Congressman who had supported NAFTA earlier gave an unflattering report after a visit to a Mexican border town, Hunter said.

"There have been a number of phone calls" enquiring about permits, Trudeau said, "but none have gone any farther."

His office has been giving out a lot of advice about burning refuse in a way that complies with the new regulations and he has been receiving more complaints about burning than in the past.

"It's definitely ended up with less burning," he said. "It's controlled some of the problems. People who are land-clearing are thinking ahead more."

Some of the options the ministry considers when examining an application include the proximity of buildings and whether there are appropriate places on a site for burning. The ministry has been recommending the use of forced-air fans to attain a higher heat and a faster, cleaner burn for refuse fires.

Trudeau said he has also been recommending chipping as an alternative to burning when a permit application is likely to be turned down.

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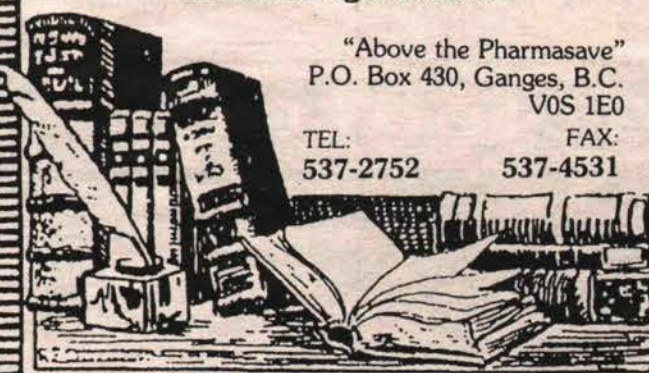
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## 19 vehicles towed at Fulford as police enforce restrictions

Illegally parked vehicles were towed away in droves last weekend.

Ganges RCMP issued 19 tickets to vehicles parked illegally in Fulford. All 19 were towed away.

Parking restrictions along Morningside Drive, Orchard Avenue and Fulford-Ganges Road are being enforced and violators will find their cars missing when they

return to the island.

"People just keep parking in the two-hour zone," Ganges RCMP Const. Dave Simmons said. "They are parking right next to fire hydrants, in front of driveways and right under 'Do not park here' signs."

In addition, three of the vehicles ticketed and towed away were not insured, Simmons said.

The vehicles were almost all towed to Me and Ron's Towing and Tire yard on Isabella Point Road near Fulford-Ganges Road.

"I don't like it too much," owner Ron Dewar said. "You're not dealing with a lot of happy people. Normally people are happy when I come and tow them to a garage."

At least the towing bill is low, he said. His yard is not far from Fulford, and parking violators will not have to walk far to get their missing vehicles. Sometimes cars have been towed all the way to Ganges.

People must still contact the police first, Dewar said. He cannot return a vehicle until the \$35 parking violation has been paid. The towing fee is \$40 on top of that.

Parking is a real problem in Fulford, he said. B.C. Ferries passengers cause most of the problems, and there is no B.C. Ferries parking lot. People go away for the weekend and block up the roads for locals, owners and customers of businesses and service vehicles.

One of the cars towed away, Dewar said, belongs to someone who is frequently complaining about the parking problems.

"He was parked in the wrong place and was given a complimentary tow. Even the complainants aren't safe in Fulford."

RCMP said Ganges residents should learn from the Fulford experience as angle parking in the town centre will likely be banned before next summer.

## Resort out of lake appeal

One of the parties named last week in the appeal against motor restrictions on St. Mary Lake is no longer involved in the case.

Shady Willows Resort was named in a story on Page A1 as one of the appellants against the lake's electric-motors-only ruling.

The resort was initially one of the appellants but it withdrew from the case after a change in ownership.

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## Tired of preaching

To the Editor,  
Who are the lesbians that so scare this homophobic community? We are your mothers, sisters, daughters, friends.  
We work in Hospice, holding

the hand of your dying loved ones, we are your nurses, nurse aides, doctors and lawyers. We are your butchers and bakers and candlestick makers. The lesbians of this community support Salt Spring life in every way. We spend our money here, our children go to the schools and some of us even teach them their ABC's.

We go to church and sell our wares at the market, our friends come also and buy food and clothing and gifts. We are really tired of your preaching and proselytizing and finger pointing.

Surely as good Christians you have more important work to be doing in the name of God? Fundamentalism has ruined Iran.

Please don't let that happen on peaceful, peace-loving Salt Spring Island.

REVA HUTKIN,  
Ganges

## Three services

With reference to my letter of last week regarding a medal which is to be struck to commemorate the 50th anniversary of Hellfire Corner: in the address to which people should write if they felt they qualified for the medal, a slight change of wording from "giving their ship or unit" to "giving their ship and unit" might lead people to suppose that the medal is only for those who served in the navy.

Not at all. It is for members of all three services; army, navy and air force.

MARY ASHWORTH,  
Ganges

Correspondence to the editor is warmly welcomed, but writers are requested to keep their submissions to 300 words or less. Letters may be edited for brevity, legality and taste

Writers are also asked to furnish a telephone number where they may be reached during the day, and to sign letters with their full name.

Preference will be given to letters written specifically to the editor, rather than those which are copies or open letters.

# Being a lesbian is no more about sex than anything else

By BRENDA BROOKS

I have always been an outsider. Firstly because of my random childhood, moving far and wide across the country as a result of my father's job.

And secondly, though I didn't know it then, because of something which I believe to have been an inherent part of me, inseparable from my complexion, the colour of my eyes, undivided even from my own soul.

It is difficult to know what to call this "something." Attempts often seem facile, failing to do it justice. It has been called "sexual orientation," "sexual preference," and of course, simply homosexuality and lesbianism.

It has also been called many other more suggestive and even condemning names. The manner in which these names are used, and their context, always assumes that any conversation about lesbianism must be a conversation about sex and those strange, dark sexual practices from the underground.

No. Being lesbian is no more strictly about sex than being any other thing. It is about a person's nature, her self-expression. It cannot be disentangled from any other part of her. It defines her view, her "take" on the world around her.

It is part of the inner collage that makes up her emotional, spiritual, intellectual and, yes her sexual life. It is the way she expresses her humanity.

So when she is attacked for being a lesbian, whether physically or verbally, it is the same kind of coercion and threat that those who feel they are right and righteous, those who have God on their side, have used on selected minorities from time immemorial.

There are so many minorities that all of them together must by now be a majority.

I spend long moments considering why human beings have not tired of this practice, which would simply be boring if it were not for sometimes violent and terrible consequences that ensue.

That the evidence of the consequences is so available and accessible only makes the continuation of such mind-sets as they are applied to any group, more disappointing for those who consider themselves humane, just and equal to, though not above, all others. Perhaps we have not all appraised ourselves of these examples fully enough.

## view point

To do this we will, after all, need to look beyond ourselves, even our own community, and travel out via our minds and hearts to those places making up the experiences of those who seem to be beyond, and not part of our own world.

I worry that the metaphor to be found both in our current news stories and in the stories of human cruelties from history will be missed when discussions of lesbianism and homosexuality arise.

I wonder how many are actually reading the stories arriving daily from countries like Bosnia and making the connection, the vital realization that whenever one group of people decides that another is not quite as worthy as themselves, chaos and horror become even more possible than usual.

*I worry that some of the personal and wrenching accounts of these facts have either not been read or have been forgotten.*

I worry that some of the personal and wrenching accounts of these facts, which I believe all of us must read when trying to come to terms and understand the dynamics of human cruelty, have either not been read or have been forgotten.

I'm thinking of Alexander Kuznetsov's witness to the inhumanities at a place called Babi Yar, Jacob Timmerman's long years imprisoned in Argentina for being both Jewish and a newspaper publisher, holocaust survivor Eli Wiesel's book, *Night*. So many others.

Let's inform ourselves of these before deciding so easily what is part of nature and what is not. It sometimes seems to me that the only thing we can say for certain, based on the human story so far, is that our nature is both a source of the most intense beauty and also, when we are not vigilant with ourselves and others, the most tragic cruelty.

I'm still an outsider. I've come to this island from the often times less heavenly streets of Toronto, where a certain amount of, let us say, negative response is expected under practically any conditions.

Because this is so, the fact that my arrival coincided with a bit of controversy on an issue which won't allow itself to be anything but dear to my heart, didn't faze me at all. I had come to believe that this is pretty much how it is everywhere.

Apparently this has not necessarily been the case at all on this wonderful island. Instead of fear and loathing, the preferred state of mind here as I understand it, has been camaraderie, good will and kindness among a wonderfully diverse community that actually appreciates and values its differences and even its perceived eccentricities.

In fact, this is still the basic ambience that I pick up. I hope my intuition is correct.

And I see nothing wrong at all with eliciting response from readers on contentious issues, as the press is apt to do. It is the responsibility, however, of the readers to remind editors of the responsibility they too bear when it comes to thinking through the reasons and objectives of their solicitations.

Perhaps a useful question to ask ourselves is this: What would I do if I saw an act of hatefulness or cruelty being perpetrated on someone I didn't know? Could a reason exist to keep me from helping in the most effective way that I could?

Brenda Brooks is a Salt Spring Island writer.

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**Film was not about lust**

To the Editor,  
I feel disturbed by Joanne Pollard's letter of March 17 regarding homosexuality, because the inference is that gay couples are together for one reason only, that being lust, and that this is indecent. What a ridiculous notion. Hasn't it occurred to Ms. Pollard that these people happen to enter into relationships for the same reason we heterosexuals do, because we become attracted to, like, and love one another? It is not for

any of us to judge why a person chooses to love someone. Some of us believe that people of different races or religions shouldn't be together either!

Funny thing about love, though, is that it doesn't always work that way.

The film *Forbidden Love* wasn't about lust, but was a documentary by courageous lesbian women sharing the struggles they've endured in order to be who they are. We are often afraid of what is unknown. Ms. Pollard's words "appalling and scary" come to mind. Perhaps if more people went to the film there would be less fear.

**capital COMMENT**

**HUBERT BEYER**



VICTORIA — Journalism was dragged to a new low last week, and I haven't spent 30 years in this business to let this latest assault on common decency and journalistic ethics go unchallenged.

What was done to Gordon Wilson and Judi Tyabji under the flimsy disguise of telling the public what it has a right to know, shouldn't happen to a dog.

The latest chapter in the Wilson-Tyabji soap opera that has been playing on the front pages and the evening news for weeks, began with freelance journalist John Pifer sighing heavily on the Rafe Mair show and saying he takes no joy in doing what he was about to do.

Pifer then proceeded to quote from a love letter written by Tyabji to Wilson. His justification for doing so was the fact that the letter had been written before Wilson appointed Tyabji his house leader.

Shortly before he went on the air, Pifer had phoned several people in the press gallery alerting them to his "bomb shell." And one doesn't have to be a brain surgeon to figure out where the copies of the letter that suddenly appeared in the gallery came from.

I also leave it to your imagination why the American trash journalism show *A Current Affair* is said to be interested in coming to Victoria to do a piece on Wilson and Tyabji.

The last time they were in Victoria, they wallowed in the mud of the alleged liaison between politician Bud Smith and TV reporter Margot Sinclair. On that occasion, Pifer turned out to be the star of the show.

While Pifer was doing his thing here in B.C., Wilson and Tyabji were on their way to Toronto. When they got off the plane they were greeted at the airport by reporters, waving copies of the love letter.

Next day, the *Province*, that Vancouver tabloid of questionable taste and journalistic value, reprinted the letter verbatim, adorned with little hearts and flowers.

In my 30 years as a newspaperman, I haven't seen such a disgusting display of bad taste and gutter ethics, and the most charitable thing I can do for Pifer under the circumstances is to spell his name right.

First to Wilson's and Tyabji's reaction. I think they both handled it with all the class anyone can be expected to muster when confronted with such a colossal invasion of privacy.

Wilson said he suspected Pifer had left his ethics on some beach during the last vacation. That was rather kind, I thought. I had been wondering if he ever had any.

Before I wrote this column, I re-read the pieces I had done on Wilson and Tyabji to make sure I hadn't transgressed the line between genuine and justifiable comment and yellow journalism. I think I haven't.

I said Gord Wilson was a bad opposition leader, and he was. I said he was arrogant, and he is. I said he was paranoid, and he is. I said Wilson showed terrible judgment in appointing Tyabji Liberal house leader, and he did.

I said his and Tyabji's broken marriages are but one more example of the terrible price politics extracts, and it is. I said Wilson had treated his wife shabbily, and he did.

I said the Liberals would be better off with a new leader, and they would be. All of which, I suggest, is fair comment.

When copies of the love letter were distributed in the press gallery, I declined. Nor did I read it next day in the *Province*. What I know of it I heard on news clips or from quotes bandied about in the press gallery.

I guess I'm just not voyeuristically-inclined. I have that antiquated notion that love letters constitute the most private of correspondence.

By their very nature, love letters express the writer's innermost feelings, fear and anxieties, and I can think of no justification for reading someone else's love letters, leave alone drag them into the public domain.

I wrote and got my share of love letters in my youth, and I can promise Pifer, Mair or anyone else who might want to quote from them, I would be far less generous than Wilson in my reaction. For starters, I'd probably punch their lights out.

During his muck-raking session on the Rafe Mair show, Pifer described himself as a freelance journalist with "an occasional high profile" who attracts information like a magnet.

Got a barf bag anyone? I'm a freelance journalist, but if someone else's love letters are information, I hope I never attract it. And if I were Wilson or Tyabji, I'd still consider punching Pifer's lights out an attractive proposition.

Many people might be surprised to find that their sister, mother, daughter, friend or neighbour happens to be gay and they are still the lovable, wonderful person they were thought to be.

I am happy to live in a country that allows and protects the uniqueness of every individual, no matter who they are, or who they love and where we can freely express our opinion. At the same time, I am saddened that in this same country others' lives are considered less valid, such that they are ridiculed and judged, because of their own personal choices. Can't we just all be people, above all else, and be treated with honour and respect for just being that?

LINDA DARES,  
Ganges

**Blackburn Lake**

To the Editor,  
I enclose a poem written by my 14-year-old daughter Joanna. Last summer we spent many happy afternoons at Blackburn Lake. When I was back on Salt Spring before Christmas, I was sickened to see how the south side of the lake had been destroyed by logging right up to the edge.

Joanna's poem mourns the loss, or at least the spoiling, of one of those places which made Salt Spring what it was when we first went there 20 years ago.

ANN GARGETT,  
Victoria

**Sonnet to Blackburn Lake**

By Joanna Holloway  
At end of path the narrow dock extends,

The shade of trees gives way to brilliant light.

As we jump in, the spreading ripple bends

Across the lake to geese, a flash of white.

The people come and go throughout the day,

Peace broken only by the happy cries

Of children and kingfishers far away.

Of quiet place of sun and dragonflies.

But then across the shore the noise grows loud,

And on the dock we worry at the sound.

To make a golf course, all the trees are ploughed;

Across the lake we picture barren ground.

At summer's end we leave this magic space,

And fear next year to find a different place.

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**Confirmed**

To the Editor,  
I have just returned from two Elderhostel programs in Nogales, Arizona, and was pleased to see your report on the visit here of Maude Barlow, opponent of the North American Free Trade Agreement. Everything I learned in Nogales confirmed what she had to say.

Nogales, Arizona, has 20,000 people spread over about 25 square miles. Nogales, Mexico, doesn't really know what its population is, but possibly 250,000 crammed into a narrow valley with dismal slums crowding up the surrounding hills — no roads, no water, no sewage, no electricity, cardboard and scrap metal walls.

In the two weeks I was there it snowed one day, and the temperature went below freezing at night over half the time.

The number of maquiladoras is now in the hundreds, mostly employing young women for 97 cents per hour. \$17,000 per employee per year can be saved over what such employees would cost in the U.S.A.

Nogales, AZ, has become alarmed at the air pollution from unregulated plants and the water pollution in the Santa Cruz River which flows north from Mexico. With one exception the Elderhostel instructors (who had lived in the area all their lives) did not support NAFTA.

The exception, Mexican born, felt the trade agreement would benefit Mexico because a higher standard of living would bring down the birth rate.

This was true in industrialized countries last century but in our overpopulated, polluted, dwindling resources world will it happen in Mexico? In 40 years its population has gone from 19 million to 85 million and it could more than double in the next 30 years.

How can countries without similar standards of living possibly enter into "free trade"?

**OLIVE CLAYTON,**  
Ganges

**Scary**

To the Editor,  
I will be as brief as I can with some of my frustrations.

Why does the Parks and Recreation Commission need \$345,000 of taxpayer money to provide the public of Salt Spring Island with the basic needs of Parks and Rec? I am totally in favour of user pay and I see no reason at all for the PRC to pay \$16,000 of taxpayers' money for rent on a south Salt Spring, privately owned ball diamond over the next three years.

The ball players will then play for free at taxpayer expense.

Why can't the owner run, and rent the ball park, as a business and leave the PRC and the taxpayers out of it? The bowling alley is privately owned, and if you want to bowl, you pay.

Why is the rent money from the house on the PRC lot on Kanaka Road being put into general revenue, then the public being taxed \$1,500 for work to be done on the lot?

Why is the PRC getting involved in the new school to the tune of \$23,400 of our tax money? I do not agree with the PRC explanation. The school tax is the biggest single item on our property bill.

If you really want to know how much PRC tax you pay, disregard the recreation portion on your property tax bill and figure it out for yourself. The tax base on Salt Spring Island is \$823,000,000. PRC wants \$345,000. Divide \$345,000 by 823,000 to arrive at the mill rate, which is .4191, then multiply that figure by the total assessed value of your property, per \$100,000. Scary isn't it? The dif-

ference is hidden in the CRD portion.

I believe that the PRC is like the chicken that flies over the chicken run fence to freedom and do as it bleep! bleep! pleases. The chicken gets one wing clipped so it can't fly but is not hampered any other way.

It's time the PRC got its wing clipped!

**JOHN BENNETT,**  
Fulford Harbour

**Richer for it**

To the Editor,  
A belated but very sincere thank you to everyone who played a part in making International Women's Day "weekend" such an empowering experience.

In retrospect I saw a common theme running through all the events as we heard the voices of women telling their stories, starting with the World Day of Prayer Service on Friday where we heard the voices of Guatemalan women documenting their struggle, then on to the excellent National Film Board film on Sunday where a large gathering heard the stories of very courageous women.

On Monday night many of us discovered that a lot more is happening in our community than we're aware of as we listened to many volunteers describe their work in critical areas of need. It was an honour to be a part of every event and Salt Spring is richer because of the contributions of all these caring people.

**ROSEMARY BAXTER,**  
Ganges

**Not enough information**

To the Editor,  
Next month Salt Spring will vote on the landfill referendum. I, for one, feel I don't have good enough information on which to base my vote — and there's very little time left for us all to have the kind of discussion we need in order to develop reasoned decisions on this issue.

Let me state my biases up front: I live on Musgrave Road, so the proposed site is of concern to me. However, I also believe that we should take care of our own garbage and not make it someone else's problem, and I certainly will support the site choice if it's a good one. I'm not sure it is a good one, though, and I would like an opportunity to have the following questions answered before I decide on my vote:

Question: Have the people who selected the site driven to it in winter? I know this past winter was a harsh one, but for half of December and most of January, even with four-wheel drive and chains, driving on Musgrave was pretty dicey. On many days it was impossible. How are garbage trucks going to make it to the landfill?

More important, how are ordinary householders going to get there? Have road development costs been included in the total bill? Has anyone considered the pressures such road up-grading would mean to the future of this part of the island?

Question: at a recent meeting of the South Salt Spring Residents' Association, where the landfill was discussed, the costs reported for developing a landfill here differed from the figures published last week in *Driftwood* by a factor of four. What are the actual numbers?

Question: If one of the potential problems of the old landfill site was its proximity to a watershed — even if, as I understand, no evidence of actual infiltration exists — what is the watershed infiltration potential of the proposed site?

Question: If the solid waste

committee has determined that the proposed site is the best available, and if that best site would create major access and funding issues, as well as great cost to protect the watershed, is there a possibility that the "best" is inadequate?

Question: If a high proportion of our landfill waste is brought onto the island in the form of packaging that consumers must take home with them, should we not look at how we are creating waste, rather than how we are to dispose of it? In my household, composting and recycling take care of virtually all solid waste except non-recyclable plastics. If the supermarkets and hardware stores refused to stock blister-pack products, if supermarket meats and cheeses were individually cut and wrapped in paper; if stores checked to see that all plastic containers for products they purchased were marked number 1 or number 2 (so they could be recycled on Salt Spring) many households on the island would be able to radically reduce their need for landfill services.

I want the opportunity to have all these questions discussed and clarified so that I can vote responsibly in April.

**SUSAN BERLIN,**  
Fulford Harbour

**Open-mindedness on NAFTA**

To the Editor,  
I suppose your editorialist carried out one of those much-touted media surveys to come to the conclusion that "most of those who attended" Maude Barlow's address last week "were already firmly on-side in the war against free trade."

In my view, a great deal of open-mindedness was shown by those who came to meet and listen to Maude Barlow, particularly on the subject of the NAFTA document. I am afraid that I do not detect the same degree of candour in your editorial comment.

I am grateful to the Council of Canadians, the Raging Grannies, Valdy and others, for their contribution to a meaningful event. I think your cheap shot at the Grannies was unwarranted.

One final comment on partisanship. I think that your editorial opinion overworks the theme of partisanship, even to the point of reflecting your own partisan-oriented approach to the discussion surrounding the implications of the NAFTA document. Surely the deep concerns of those interested in the future of Canada are broader and more important than mere political partisanship.

**LOWELL S. HICKS,**  
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## Rights of innocent

To the Editor,

I am writing on behalf of people who may at some time find themselves in the public eye through no fault of their own. I understand your right to publish court news but surely you have an equal responsibility to ensure that your reporting defends the rights of the innocent.

A domestic dispute led to a charge being laid. This charge was quite properly dropped before coming to trial. A peace bond is a simple agreement to maintain peace.

Under our system of law, we are innocent unless proven guilty. When a charge is "stayed" or dropped, the same presumption of innocence must prevail.

SUSAN JUST,  
Ganges

**Editor's note: Last week's Court Docket failed to note that the writer had previously entered a plea of not guilty. When the case came up in February, the prosecutor decided not to proceed with a trial, and the matter was dropped.**

## Forgotten pleas

To the Editor,

An off-island friend suggested recently that Salt Spring was a wonderfully diverse place, and that permanent sculpture display, perhaps in Centennial Park, could be used to portray this aspect of our island in an artistic way.

I suggested that we already had a huge sculpture that is a perfect celebration of our diverse, yet intolerant society on Salt Spring right in Ganges — our imperfect seawalk! And the reason it is apparently imperfect is that you can't walk the entire distance along it.

Instead of it being treated as a few smaller seawalks, each providing opportunities for quiet space, picnics, and a nice place to sit on the water, each being different and unique, we have all become intolerant of it, and won't use any part of it until they are all connected and all part of the same thing. Doesn't this reflect exactly the problems we have as an inflexible, and insular society?

A few months ago, the *Driftwood* pleaded with the community to rise above our intolerance which was providing the lowest common denominator in the market issue. I believe there was also a New Year's message from our local tab that we should celebrate our differences instead of decrying them.

So is it homophobia month? Where have the short-term pleas for humanity and tolerance gone? The editorial department has obviously forgotten them, and they aren't in the classifieds under lost and found.

I read the weekly newspaper in what many would consider a very enlightened and modern thinking community and I see members of the gay/lesbian community admonished as lust-driven indecent predators and members of non-patriarchal religions trashed by so-called Christians as servants of the devil. I see the local paper through its person on the street interview section provoke gay-bashing by asking homophobic and plainly unintelligent questions.

In closing can we perhaps look to the *Driftwood* to follow its own editorials, and not be so self-serving as to artificially create controversy; to work with the community such that we are tolerant celebrators of our uniqueness and diversity, and so we can see our differences as our strengths?

I hope you can understand my

analogy in the same way — that our segmented seawalk isn't a failed community project, but instead a wonderful collection of short but varied harbour viewpoints, each unique, each with its own aspects and each with its own access, and that we, as a community, instead of using each and every one of them, have chosen to not use any because they are dissimilar, and not all connected in one easily understood artery.

RANDY HOOPER,  
Ganges

## Traffic light

To the Editor,

One occasionally hears the remark that newcomers to Salt Spring Island should be content to accept things as they are. Indeed, long-term residents regret many of the changes that have been made.

May I say that much of the discontent has been caused by lack of proper planning?

For instance, are we to wait until the new roads are built before we decide where to put the traffic lights? And what kind of traffic lights will they be? There are many elderly drivers here who are forced to use their cars because we have no alternative. A recent study commissioned by the ministry of highways shows that 30 per cent of the province's elderly population have difficulty distinguishing between red, yellow and green lights.

I suggest that traffic lights on Salt Spring adopt the configuration recommended by Ron Lakowski, retired psychology professor. He says the stop light should be square shaped with a diagonal white line across the centre enclosed in a white box. Yellow should be diamond shaped and green round, as at present. They should also be larger.

One of Salt Spring's advantages is that we can install the latest inventions without going through all the intermediate states. We would be delinquent if we overlook the opportunity to demonstrate our forward thinking by buying the latest type of traffic light so suited to our need.

ROY VALE,  
Ganges

## Attitude lesson for all

To the Editor,

I am amazed at the carfuffle around the showing of the film *Forbidden Love*, especially the women-only showing. I questioned the women's group about this and they simply wanted to celebrate International Women's Week with an event for women to get together to honour and celebrate other women. Men have done this for themselves for years in such traditional get-togethers with "the boys" as in poker night, hunting and fishing forays, the club, etc.

I managed the concession Sunday and saw this movie with 120 other women; a mixture of lesbian and heterosexual. This is a movie I recommend that both men and women see no matter what their sexual preference. I was impressed with the courage of the women interviewed in the movie. Their humour and attitude against the prejudice they endured is a lesson for everyone.

In an age where energy is needed to overcome pollution, violence and taxes it is incongruous that people get upset because of how an individual chooses to express their love.

Understanding and acceptance come with knowledge and compassion. I would suggest that if anyone finds themselves prejudging any group whether by race, religion or sexual preference that they take any opportunity they can to learn more about that group. Historically, les-

bians have contributed tremendously toward the emancipation of women. For this we all have much to thank them.

On a personal level the lesbians that I have met and know are terrific people. Actually they are just like any other islander: independent, intelligent, intrepid, and have a keen sense of humour. Well maybe there is a difference — they are more tolerant.

GLORIA NYE,  
Ganges

## Saddened

To the Editor,

I am deeply saddened by your weekly *Salt Spring Says* question: Are you planning to go to the women's-only showing of *Forbidden Love*? in last week's paper.

The question asked people to judge how others would choose to celebrate a day which acknowledges women's equality and thus seemed to provoke conflict and negativity while the editorial above called for "[a] greater degree of tolerance for the views of others" on our island. I hope everyone who wants to celebrate International Women's Day does so, and that every year more people will choose to do so. I believe that everyone should be left the freedom to choose how.

Next year, I hope you will adopt a more positive position and ask the question; "How do you plan to celebrate International Women's Day?" Maybe you will ask it of women and men, and maybe you will publish a whole page of responses.

JULIA McMAHON, Ganges

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# CRIME: Activity down in 1992

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\$1,000 increased by 12 in 1992. Thefts over \$1,000 increased by four in 1992, while thefts under \$1,000 increased by 25 in 1992. The number of thefts under \$1,000 from motor vehicles increased sharply from 56 in 1991 to 84 in 1992. Thefts of bicycles as well as shoplifting both decreased in 1992. The number of charges made under other Criminal Code violations such as bail violation, breach of probation, arson and disturbing the peace, all decreased in 1992.

Traffic collisions increased by nine in 1992, with accidents where non-fatal injuries occurred and where property damage was reported, increasing the most. Accidents where there was no reported property damage decreased by 11 in 1992. The total number of traffic charges made under the Criminal Code decreased in 1992 by seven. Two people were charged in 1992 with the impaired operation of a motor vehicle causing bodily harm, while

no such charges were laid in 1991. The number of people charged for the impaired operation of a motor vehicle dropped from 32 in 1991 to 22 in 1992. But five people were charged with driving with a blood-alcohol level greater than 80 mg in 1992 while two were charged in 1991. There were no charges in 1992 of the impaired operation of a boat or aircraft, while in 1991 three people were charged. One person in both 1991 and 1992 refused to be tested with the roadside screening device, and in 1992 four people refused to take a breathalyser test, over two in 1991.

There were no charges laid for the failure or refusal to provide police with a blood sample in 1992, while two people were charged in 1991.

## RCMP Crime Statistics 1992 Salt Spring Island

	1992	1991
Attempted murder	2	0
Robberies	1	1
Assaults	83	78
Break and enter — business	41	27
Break and enter — residence	32	55
Break and enter — cottage	16	9
Break and enter — other	23	16
Motor vehicle thefts	12	14
Theft over \$1,000	19	15
Thefts under \$1,000	241	216
Weapons offences	3	1
Arson	4	6
Property damage over \$1,000	6	1
Property damage under \$1,000	166	154
Disturbing the peace	20	21
Other Criminal Code offences	49	96
Total Criminal Code offences	730	762
Narcotics offences	15	13
Motor vehicle accidents with injuries	63	56
Other accidents	180	178
Total motor vehicle accidents	243	234
Impaired driving	27	34

SOURCE: Ganges RCMP

## ASSESSMENTS

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This leaves room for error, such as one case in which a resident had been incorrectly assessed for a building located on a neighbour's land.

"One of the things we struggled with is trying to put a value on a property that has a water problem," Drummond said. Some parts of Salt Spring are particularly bad.

The court had to consider whether there was a dollar-figure cost to cure the problem such as bringing in water from somewhere else. They also had to consider whether the market value of the property was affected.

People who come from cities expect to turn on the tap and have endless supplies of water, Drummond said. They will ignore a property with water problems.

Easements, site access and view obstructions were also considered for their impact on property assessments.

The three members of the court of revision had to go out and view some properties, Richardson said, if there was something they had to understand relating to its market value.

"You can't just go on paper-work," he said. "Sometimes you like to see the properties."

"Most people were concerned about their increase and how it would affect their taxes. An island like Salt Spring varies a great deal in property value, from the very low to the very high."

The average property value on Salt Spring is \$158,000 and the average increase in assessed value was 38 per cent. The assessments, Richardson said, reflect the price other people, and not necessarily other islanders, are willing to pay for property.

"Everybody wants to come here," he said. "The demand is there. (But) it should level off next year."

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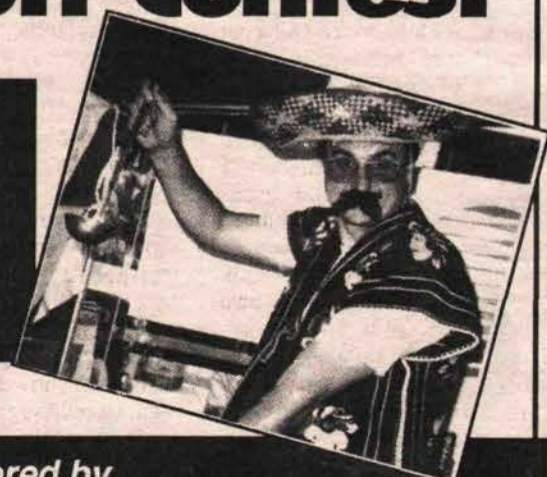
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# Trust approves Ganges housing project

A proposed affordable housing project for Ganges moved a little further toward completion when the local Trust committee gave the necessary bylaws preliminary approval.

"It's moved ahead," trustee

## Three attend health workshop

A public planning workshop to develop ideas for a health plan failed to generate much interest from Salt Spring Islanders yesterday (Tuesday).

Only eight people were present at the workshop, entitled Healthy, Wealthy, and Whys, five of whom were involved with the project. A meeting was held on Sunday, at which eight people showed up.

But when the same workshop was held on Saturna Island, 40 people turned up to offer their views.

Research assistant Ellen Garvie said she was not disappointed at the Ganges turnout, adding that there was no way to predict how many people would come.

Garvie said she would like to see more people concerned about future changes in health care.

The move to prepare a health plan for the region came from a report by the ministry of health called *New Directions for a Healthy British Columbia*. The report proposes handing over the responsibility of developing and coordinating health related services to local councils.

The Southern Gulf Islands Health Plan Steering Committee is working with consultants to provide information to the community which will help them be involved in developing a health plan.

Despite the small turnout,

Tuesday's meeting discussed a variety of health related issues which a new health plan and council could take into consideration.

Consultant Jackie Holt brought a variety of statistics about the Gulf Islands to the workshop to help generate ideas about what health care will mean in the future.

The group also discussed the idea of making more use of clinical and nurse practitioners. But it was felt that the council must work to better maintain and develop existing services.

John Stepaniuk said this week. The bylaws were given second and third reading March 9, but there were conditions.

"The main condition is that the Community Society has funding in place for the whole project," trustee Bob Andrew said. "That is very important. If the funding is not in place the bylaw is dead."

Other points raised at the public hearing March 8 will have to be considered before the development begins, Stepaniuk said. Drainage, road access, the condition of Dean Road, concerns about a private water line, and trail identification must be looked at before the final

adoption of the bylaws.

Barbara Jordan-Knox, director of the Salt Spring Island Community Society, said an answer concerning funding from the B.C. Housing Corporation is expected by the end of June. The corporation approves and pays for a limited number of community housing projects throughout the province each year.

"Normally the proposal call has come out by the beginning of March," Jordan-Knox said. "It has not come out yet."

The Trust bylaws affect 39.1 acres of property between Fulford-Ganges, Charlesworth and Drake

roads. Bylaw 302 creates a new zone, Commercial Development 8 (CD8), for five acres of community housing, 15 acres of parkland and 19 acres of subdivision. Bylaw 303 changes the Official Community Plan to allow for the proposed increase in density.

The following bylaws were also addressed at the Trust meeting.

- Bylaw 299 to rezone a parcel of land on Rainbow Road from Agricultural 1 (A1) to Commercial Service (CS) was given second and third reading.

- A bylaw to include lot size information and septage and water requirements for the new Industrial

5 (I5) zone, bylaw 300, was given second and third reading.

- A bylaw to change the zoning of a Royal Vancouver Yacht Club water lot on Long Harbour from Water A (WA) to Water B2 (WB2) and extend the zone north 90 metres, was postponed. The trustees are waiting for a report from the department of fisheries and oceans.

After being given second and third reading, bylaws go to the Islands Trust executive committee and the ministry of municipal affairs for approval before returning to the local Trust committee for the final reading.



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## Expect different opposition, Tanner tells island audience

British Columbians are going to see a different kind of opposition in the provincial legislature, MLA Clive Tanner said last week.

On Salt Spring Island for a constituency meeting last Tuesday, Tanner forecast greater participation in question period by Liberal MLAs, along with a different approach.

"I think you'll find a different opposition. I think you'll find all of us participating now, not just three or four stars," Tanner said.

The Liberal MLA expressed confidence in his party's new house leader, Jeremy Dalton, who was named recently to replace Judi Tyabji.

"Judi wasn't good at it, and that's one of the reasons she was removed," Tanner said.

On two occasions Tanner questioned the judgment of Liberal leader Gordon Wilson.

"He's one of the best orators in Canada. He's brilliant in that respect. But his judgment is flawed."

Tanner described Wilson, who has become romantically linked with Judi Tyabji, as a loner. "He's been one-man band all his life."

He also said the Liberals had been the best thing that happened to the New Democratic Party.

Tanner didn't escape questions about his own recent problems, which followed a letter of reference he had written for a man convicted of sexual assault.

He reminded his audience that the practice of providing judges with letters of reference for a person awaiting sentence was a normal one. That is the system, he said.

Other questions from the audience of about a dozen people focused on issues ranging from

province's new health care strategy to a Liberal-Social Credit alliance.

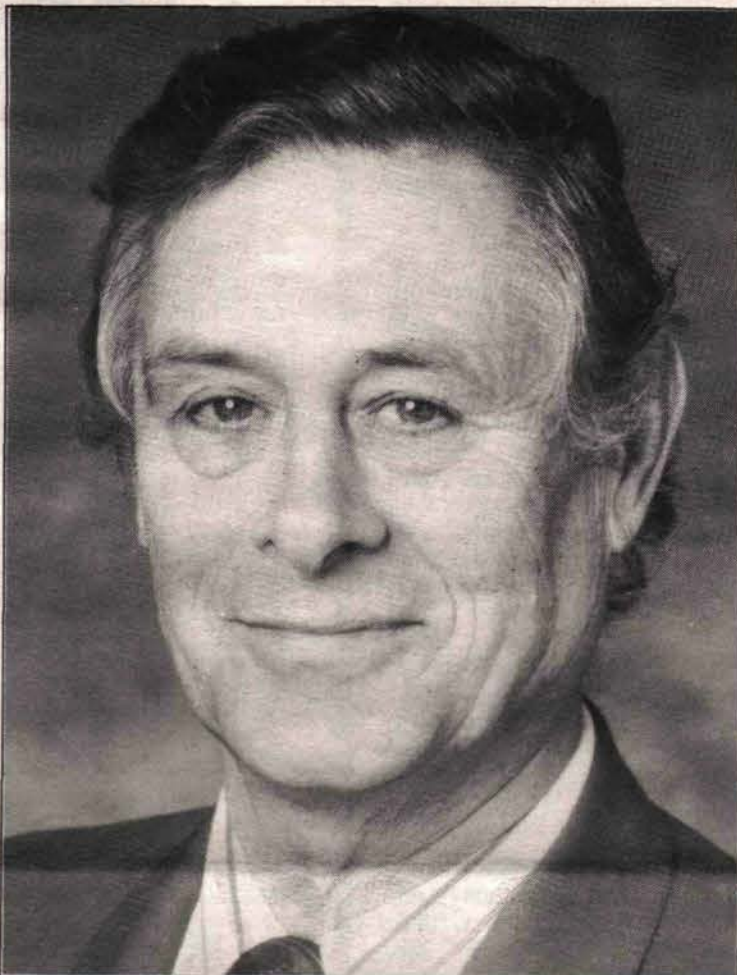
Tanner said community-based health care was a Liberal plan that had been adopted by the NDP. But he said Health Minister Elizabeth Cull's attitude toward the province's doctors is symptomatic of what the government is doing wrong. There is little communication, Tanner said.

"We agree with the philosophy,

but we don't like the way they're implementing it."

Tanner ruled out any kind of Sacred alliance. But the Liberal party would welcome anyone who wants to join.

"The Sacreds are a lost cause," he said, adding that the party would go the same way as its Alberta counterpart, which was annihilated years ago by the Conservative party.



Saanich-Gulf Islands MLA Clive Tanner

## Ann Barber remains in chair as library group elects board

The annual general meeting of the Mary Hawkins Library was held at Ganges March 17.

The meeting elected a new board, including Ann Barber remaining as chair; Tony Burrige, vice-chair; David Spencer, treasurer; Pat Byrne, secretary; and Judith Andersen, who is in charge of purchasing books and keeping the library running.

The chair's report dealt with a variety of changes both recent and future.

The provincial library services branch has prepared a white paper for the ministry of municipal affairs, recreation and housing which may eventually lead to a new Library Act.

Public library associations such

as the Mary Hawkins Library are allowed to own their land and buildings, and are run by members of an association. But according to the white paper, these associations are to be phased out as no more may be established.

The changes proposed in the white paper may affect the association, and may cause a change in the way the library charges fees. But, for the near future, library operations will stay the same.

The library sent out a survey to 800 homes last November to see what kind of library services island residents want. Results should be known soon.

Fines were doubled last year, prompted by the high cost of books, along with the large number of

overdue books. The popularity of the Windfall Room as a meeting venue was also noted in the report.

The treasurer's report showed the library to be in a good financial position. The library plans to carry on as long as the service provided by its volunteer staff meets the requirements of the community.

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# Tennis courts were among best in country

By GRAEME THOMPSON  
Driftwood Staff

Though tennis is everyday summer recreation on Salt Spring Island, national and international tennis stars only appear here via television.

But more than 60 years ago, Salt

Spring was on the Canadian tennis map. It had two of the best courts in the country and attracted many of the shining lights in the tennis circuit to the annual and renowned Gulf Islands Tennis Club tournament.

Three of the original members of the tennis club are still on the island, and all belong to the family which started the ball rolling, so to speak.

Dermott Crofton, Denise Crofton and Doreen Morris (nee Crofton) are children of Ganges pioneer Fred Crofton. The Croftons farmed a 100-acre spread off Lower Ganges Road, between Norton and Upper Ganges roads, which was turned into the original Harbour House Hotel after the first world war.

At the turn of the century, there were tennis clubs in Victoria, at Jericho in Vancouver, at Cowichan Bay and Duncan. In the late 1920s, Fred Crofton's grown-up athletic sons decided Salt Spring needed its own.

"Our brothers used to play at the other clubs," Doreen said. "That's how we got started."

Desmond and Dermott were the family tennis stars. They were both able to play and compete with players of national ranking. Dermott remembers what it was like to lay out the courts.

"The courts were put in right in front of the house," he said. There were two courts at first, and a third added later. The ground between the house and the beach was a bit lumpy: fine for grazing sheep and chickens; not so good for tennis courts.

The Crofton brothers simply hitched a plough to a team of horses and levelled it.

"When I ploughed it, there was a 30-foot-wide hill of clamshells," he said, "and I ploughed up at least 10 skulls."

The hill was an ancient native Indian midden, and possibly even a graveyard. One Harbour House resident — a Mrs. Castle — took

exception to the skulls and other remains now quite visible, Dermott said.

"The good lady got a wheelbarrow and took all the heads and bones and buried them in the

vegetable garden," he said.

That chore done, the brothers hauled in more than 150 wagonloads of blue clay from a nearby field. Dermott figured they needed a good six-inch base for each court.

TENNIS A27



TENNIS WITH A VIEW: With colourful gardens on one side and the sea on the other, serious play must have been difficult on the old Harbour House Hotel courts. Doreen Morris, left, and daughter Wendy take in the view, circa 1946.



Photo by Graeme Thompson

GOOD SPORTS: Long-time Salt Spring Island residents Denise Crofton and Doreen Morris hold between them one of the old Gulf Islands Tennis Club tournament trophies. The two sisters used to play in the tournaments, which were held for more than a decade before the second world war.

## First market opens with parade Saturday

The Saturday Farmer's Market — one of two markets at Salt Spring Island this year, will open this week. A special opening ceremony will kick off with a parade leaving the downtown core at 11 a.m., and proceeding to the market grounds next to the Harbour House Hotel.

A horse-drawn wagon, a Dixieland band and island llamas will lead the procession. At 11:30, MP Lynn Hunter and MLA Clive Tanner will officiate at a ribbon-cutting. Entertainment and refreshments will be offered during the day.

Among the preparations that have been under way for the new market in recent weeks has been the construction of a new washroom facility. However, the Market Vendors Association (MVA) needs to

borrow \$10,000 to complete it.

The MVA is asking the public for loans and is already planning fundraising events to pay them back.

The washroom building will include men's and women's facilities, both fitted for handicapped use, as well as sinks and a small refrigerator in a room facing the market.

Another market will open in Centennial Park next week.

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## SALT SPRING ISLAND FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

### Bylaw No. 60

#### A BYLAW FOR PREVENTING AND SUPPRESSING FIRES AND FOR REGULATING PEOPLE AT FIRES:

#### THE TRUSTEES OF THE SALT SPRING ISLAND FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

##### 1. In this bylaw, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1) The following terms and expressions shall have the meanings hereinafter assigned to them, that is to say:

- a) "Animal organic waste" shall mean solid organic waste material of animal origin and includes flesh, carcasses, offal, hides, hair and feathers;
- b) "Approved plastic container" shall mean approved by a recognized testing authority.
- c) "Authorized" shall mean authorized by the chief of the fire department;
- d) "Authorized incinerator" shall mean any metal or masonry container in good condition mounted on a non-combustible base, fitted with a metal screen or grill of less than 12.5mm (1/2") mesh to restrict any sparks or flying debris;
- e) "Board" shall mean the Board of Trustees of the Salt Spring Island Fire Protection District;
- f) "Building" shall mean any structure or building used or intended to be used for the support, shelter or enclosure of persons, animals or chattels;
- g) "District" shall mean the Salt Spring Island Fire Protection District;
- h) " Dwelling" shall mean any building or part of a building occupied or intended to be occupied as the residence of not more than one family;
- i) "Extinguished" shall mean no visible flame, sparks, glowing embers or smoke;
- j) "Fire chief" shall mean the fire chief of the Salt Spring Island Fire Protection District or any person designated by him to act on his behalf.
- k) "Fire department" shall include the fire department of the District and the fire department of any other fire protection district or municipal corporation attending fires within the District;
- l) "Fire hazard" shall mean any condition that is conducive to the destruction of life or property by fire, or will, or is likely to increase the extent or severity of the fire;
- m) "Flash Point" shall mean the flash point of a flammable liquid as determined by the Tagliabue Closed Cup Tester of the Abel-Pensky Flash Point Tester methods;
- n) "Garbage" shall mean any animal, vegetable and food wastes or scraps;
- o) "Gasoline" shall mean any product of petroleum or any liquid that will flash or emit a flammable vapor below the temperature of one hundred ten degrees Fahrenheit (110F) or forty-four degrees Celsius (44C);
- p) "Occupant" shall mean owner, agent, lessee, licensee or tenant of any building or premises to which any of the provisions of this bylaw shall apply;
- q) "Persons" where used in this bylaw shall mean natural persons of either sex, associations, corporations, or co-partnerships, whether acting by themselves or by a servant, agent or employee, and the heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns or other legal representatives of such persons to whom the context shall apply according to law;
- r) "Private residence" shall mean any dwelling or two family dwelling;
- s) "Refuse" shall mean any approximately evenly proportioned mixture of rubbish an animal or vegetable waste material of low moisture content;
- t) "Rubber" shall mean rubber goods, tires, plastics, and tar and asphalt roofing materials;
- u) "Rubbish" shall mean any readily combustible inorganic dry waste material, but does not include animal or vegetable wastes;
- v) "Two-family dwelling" shall mean any building occupied or intended to be occupied as the residence of not more than two families;
- w) "Vehicle" shall mean every device upon or in which any person or property is, or may be, transported or drawn on or upon a public highway.

2. Unless the context otherwise requires, wording importing the singular number shall include the plural and words importing the masculine gender shall include the feminine, and the converse shall apply.

3. 1) Even where this bylaw and any regulations under the Fire Services Act deal with the same subject matters, any further or more stringent restrictions in this bylaw on the use of property or fire shall have full force and effect.

2) In the event of any conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy between these bylaws and Waste Management Act, the Waste Management Act shall, in all cases, prevail.

#### Right of Entry

4. 1) With the exception of a privately owned and occupied single-family dwelling, the fire chief is hereby empowered to enter upon any land or premises for the purpose of making an inspection or investigation.
- a) to inspect for conditions which may cause a fire, increase the danger of a fire or increase the danger to persons;
  - b) to see that any flammable matter is rendered harmless or suitably safeguarded against fire by requiring:-
    - (i) the erecting of barricades;
    - (ii) the posting of no admittance signs, or
    - (iii) any other measures deemed necessary by the fire chief.

#### No Obstruction

2) No person shall obstruct the fire chief in making any entry authorized by this bylaw.

#### No Hindrance

5. No person shall, in any way, hinder any member of the fire department or any other person under the direction of the fire chief at any fire or other emergency.

#### Breaking Blockade

6. Except with the permission the fire chief, no persons shall be permitted to enter any burning building or within the lines a cross any alley, lane, street or area marked by ropes or guards.

#### Driving Over Hose

7. No person shall drive or run over any fire hose with any vehicle.

#### Access to Fire Hydrant

8. No person shall place or maintain any object or matter on a sidewalk or street which interferes with free access or approach to any fire hydrant.

#### Smoking Prohibited

9. 1) Where, in his opinion, smoking may create a fire or explosion hazard, the fire chief may prohibit smoking in any building, theatre, public hall, assembly hall, dance hall, school auditorium skating rink, arena, or place used for public amusement, sport or public assembly or any structure or open space in which combustible materials are handled, stored, manufactured or sold;

#### Post Suitable Signs to Prohibit Smoking

2) Where, in the opinion of the fire chief, smoking should be prohibited, he may give notice in writing to the occupant to post suitable signs that smoking is prohibited in or on such premises or buildings and the occupant thereof shall prohibit smoking in such premises or buildings. The term "smoking" shall include the carrying of a lighted pipe, cigar or cigarette;

#### Penalty

3) Any person violating any such order or notice shall be deemed to be guilty of an infraction of this bylaw and shall be liable to the penalties herein imposed.

#### Dirty chimneys

10.1) No owner or occupant of any building shall permit any chimney, stovepipe or flue to remain in any condition which may cause or create a fire hazard.

#### Stopping Unused Flues

2) Every owner or occupant of any building shall keep all openings in any chimney in such buildings, while such openings are not in use, closed by a proper stopper of metal or other non-combustible material.

#### Inspection of Chimneys, Flues, Furnaces

11.1) Where he deems it necessary, the fire chief may examine carefully any chimney, flue, fireplace, hearth, oven, furnace, heater, boiler, stove, steam pipe, funnel or any other equipment he may deem to be a fire hazard.

#### Notice to Remedy Fire Hazard

2) Where any chimney, flue, fireplace, hearth, oven, furnace, heater, boiler, stove, steam pipe, funnel or any other equipment is found to be a fire hazard, the fire chief shall notify the owner or occupant of the building of the condition and indicate the remedy and the time within which the condition shall be remedied.

#### Duty of Comply

12. Where any owner or occupant has received notice under Section 11, he shall comply with the notice within the time indicated.

#### Depositing Ashes

13.1) No person shall deposit any ashes or allow any ashes to be deposited or remain:-

- a) in any combustible container;
- b) on the floor of any building belonging or occupied by him; or
- c) in any metallic container which is within 300mm (12 inches) of any woodwork or any other combustible material.

#### Depositing Flammable Material Among Ashes

2) It shall be unlawful for any persons to deposit, or allow or cause to be deposited, any paper, straw, hay, shavings, or other combustible or flammable material or things in or among any ashes or other materials or things taken from any stove, furnace, or fireplace.

#### No Open Flame or Smoking Near Flammable Material

14. No persons, within the District, in that part of any building where there is an accumulation of hay, straw, shavings or other readily flammable material, or liquids, shall smoke, or have in his possession any lighted pipe, cigar or cigarette, or light or carry any naked light, flame, or light not enclosed in a shade or other non-combustible guard.

#### Metal Receptacles for Flammable Material

15. No person shall, within the District, keep any waste, rags, papers, or other substance liable by spontaneous combustion to cause fire, except in a container made of metal or other non-combustible material and with an airtight top or lid of the same type of material.

#### Control of Combustible Material

16. No person shall deposit or allow to collect or be deposited, within the District, any paper, rubbish, or other combustible material likely to cause or promote fire dangerous to buildings or other property.

#### Cleaning of Roof

17. No owner or occupant of any building shall allow any paper, wood, debris or other combustible rubbish or material to accumulate upon the roof of the building.

#### Duty to Safely Store

18. Any person who makes, uses or has charge of shavings, paper bags, litter or other combustible material shall, at the close of each day, ensure that they are safely stored or disposed so as to be safe from fire.

#### Remove Fire Hazard

19.1) Any owner or occupant of real property in the District shall remove any matter or things situated in or on any building or premises which, in the opinion of the fire chief, is a fire hazard or increases the danger of fire.

#### Secure Unoccupied Buildings

2) Any owner of any unoccupied building shall ensure that it is properly secured against entry by unauthorized persons.

#### Notice

3) Where, in the opinion of the fire chief, any fire hazardous condition exists or any unoccupied building is not properly secured, the fire chief shall give written notice to the owner or occupant at his last known address or by posting a notice in a conspicuous place on the building or premises.

#### Duty to Comply

4) In any notice under this section, the fire chief shall indicate the nature of the condition to be remedied, the manner in which the condition may be remedied, and the time within which the owner or occupant must comply.

#### Burning

20. Except as provided in this bylaw, no person shall light, ignite, or maintain any fire or permit or cause any fire to be lit, ignited, or maintained in the "open air" without first obtaining a permit, oral or written, from the fire chief, who may require a written application thereof.

#### Form of Written Permit

21. A written permit shall be in the form set out in the schedule attached hereto, or to like effect, and shall not be valid after expiration thereof.

#### Issuance

22. The fire chief may withhold or cancel any permit issued where, in his opinion, the igniting of a fire in any area may create a hazard to persons or property.

#### No Noxious Odours

23. No persons shall burn any rubber, garbage, animal organic water or any materials which create a noxious odour.

#### "Open Air" Fires

24.1) A fire in the "open air" shall mean a fire out of doors, not contained in an authorized incinerator.

2) The permit holder or some competent person appointed by him shall supervise and keep under control any burning in the "open air" and ensure that any equipment necessary for fire control is available.

3) The permit holder or some competent person appointed by him shall ensure that a fire in the "open air" is located at least:-

- a) 3m (10 feet) from any grass, shrubbery or wooden fence; and
- b) 6m (20 feet) from any building.

#### Authorized Incinerators

25. The owner of an authorized incinerator shall ensure:-

- 1) that the authorized incinerator is maintained in a condition that provides for proper combustion of any material burned;
- 2) that while it is in use, the permit holder or some competent person appointed by him shall supervise any burning and ensure that any equipment necessary for fire control is available;
- 3) that the authorized incinerator is located at least:-
  - a) 2m (6 feet) from any dry grass, shrubbery or wooden fence; and
  - b) 4.5m (15 feet) from any building

#### Restriction, Fires in the "Open Air" or in an Authorized Incinerator

26.1) Except a fire lawfully maintained by a special written permit from the fire chief, no persons shall ignite or have burning any fire in the "open air" or in any authorized incinerator:-

- a) between sunset of one day and sunrise of the following day; or
  - b) between the hours of 12 noon Saturday and sunrise of the following Monday during the months of June, July and August in any year; or
  - c) on Canada Day, B.C. Day or Labour Day holidays.
- 2) Except for occasional lawful "open air" burning of waste materials resulting from land clearing, agriculture, logging, gardening, demolition or construction, no person shall burn any waste material other than in an authorized incinerator.

#### No Permit Required

3) No person is required to obtain a permit for the occasional burning of waste material from October 1st in any year to April 15th of the following year unless proclaimed otherwise by the fire chief.

#### Unauthorized fires

27. No person shall light or maintain any fire either in the "open air"; or in any form or container on any street, lane or boulevard allowance, without proper authorization.

#### Fire Escapes

28. Each storey above ground floor of any building in the district used as a school, hotel, apartment building, duplex or boarding-house, shall have a protected exit provided by the owner as defined in the current addition of the building code.

#### Exit Doors to Open Readily

29. No door to any exit leading to a fire escape in any building shall be closed or fastened except with a standard panic or exit bolt, which may be readily opened without the aid of a key or other devices.

#### Gasoline Storage

30. Except as authorized by a valid written permit issued by the fire chief, no person shall store or keep gasoline within the District other than:-

- 1) gasoline not exceeding 45 litres (10 gallons) in closed metal containers or in approved plastic containers for outdoor storage only;
- 2) gasoline in the gasoline tank of an automobile, gasoline engine, motor boat, or aeroplane, whose tank is permanently connected to and supplying its engine.

#### Storage of Explosive or Flammable Compound, Liquid or Material in Public Building

31. Except in a place especially provided for the purpose and approved by the fire chief, it shall be unlawful for any person to keep, store, or use any combustible explosive or flammable compound, liquid or material in any part of a building used or maintained as a hotel, apartment house, school or place of public assembly.

#### Disposal of Gasoline Storage Tanks

32. All unused gasoline storage tanks on service station sites shall be either filled or be removed.

#### Enforcement

33.1) The fire chief may enter upon any premises in order to ascertain that the provisions of this bylaw are being obeyed.

2) No person shall obstruct the fire chief in the discharge of his duty under this bylaw.

#### Penalty

34.1) Any person who violates any provisions of this bylaw shall be liable, upon conviction, to a maximum penalty of \$2000 as authorized under the Offense Act.

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**THE MOMENT OF TRUTH:** The fruits of everyone's labour were judged in contented silence. Gold stars were passed around liberally with the water. Gwen Gold, left, and Henri Procter taste Eight Heroes Yam Salad.

Photos by Graeme Thompson



**HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE:** Gwen Gold, one of 10 adventurous locals who took part in a Thai food class, sautees the beginnings of a delicious sauce.

Photos by Graeme Thompson

## No one goes hungry at Thai cooking class on Salt Spring

By GRAEME THOMPSON  
Driftwood Staff

Tins of olive oil with Italian and Greek names lined one shelf. Glass jars with cream-coloured labels and earth-coloured spices lined another.

Fennel, sage and peppermint hung in great bunches from the ceiling. An organic herb garden grew not 10 feet from the table.

This was Linda Dares' kitchen and a cooking class was about to begin.

Linda Dares has been a vegetarian for 15 years and collects cookbooks from all over the world. She has been offering ethnic cooking classes on Salt Spring for a number of years now.

"I'm doing this because I think a lot of people think vegetarian food is brown rice, tofu and vegetables and that's it," Linda said one evening last week. "But there's such a wide variety of good things to eat."

Thursday night, the subject was Thai food.

Some in the group of 10 had been to Thailand; most had been to Thai restaurants. Everybody said they were very, very hungry.

But the students had to work for their supper: stirring, sauteeing, making spring rolls. In the process, everybody swapped advice, cooking stories and favourite Thai eateries. It was more of a family get-together than cooking instruction.

There were even the familiar kitchen disputes about how much oil to use, how much salt and whether the soup was burning.

Thai food is not that different in kind to other Asian diets, Linda said, but there is less fried food, so it is healthier. One important difference with Thai food, however, is in the sauces.

Every dish we ate had a sauce — a different sauce made up of six or so exotic and aromatic substances.

Red bean curd sauce with ginger, chilis and shallots; Thai hot sauce; coconut and mushroom sauce with tamarind juice.

With each dish, jars, bags and packages were passed from nose to nose: dried kaffir lime leaves, a jar of chilis, bean curd.

The dried tamarind caused a sensation: "Oh yes"; "Ummmmmm"; "Oh that is nice"; "It's like a lemon fig"; "You have to try it."

It was generally agreed around the table that tamarind was one of life's necessities, ranking perhaps a little behind water but definitely ahead of salt and maybe even garlic.

Coriander root was another sensory favourite. These two went into the wonderful straw mushroom and SAUCES A16

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# SAUCES: One with every dish

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coconut milk sauce for the rice-cakes. "It's not exactly low-fat," Linda said, "but you have to have treats once in a while."

Linda gave all sorts of helpful hints: where to buy ingredients on Salt Spring, in Duncan and in Victoria; what to use different noodles for, or different rice or different soy sauce. And everybody had to see what everything looked like at each stage along the way.

"I can't understand if I can't see it," Linda said of her own learning ability in the kitchen. "The experiential is important."

The Thai feast started with a deliciously refreshing clear soup made with lime leaves, lemon grass and lemon juice, among other things. Thai salad with a peanut butter dressing followed. Thai fried rice with red bean curd sauce; Thai noodles with a hot chili sauce; crispy rice-cakes with coconut and mushroom sauce; spring rolls; Eight Heroes Yam salad; mangoes with glutinous rice for dessert.

By then we were all feeling glutinous indeed.

There were mounds of food. "You don't exactly go hungry from my classes," Linda said. Too right!

With the help of the "mystery pepper from GVM" we discovered how hot hot could be. We also learned that bread or crackers — and not water — get rid of that burning sensation in the mouth.

Linda impressed upon us the importance of presentation in Thai cooking. "They really spend a lot of time making beautiful decorations," Linda said. Dishes are organized by colour and texture.

The dining table was decorated with two platters of Eight Heroes Yam salad while we cooked dinner. Green onion, celery, carrot, red and green cabbage, mooli (white radish), black fungus mushrooms and cucumber were laid out like a striped flag.

The Thai salad was equally well presented.

After three hours of eating, talking, cooking, talking, listening and talking, the class came to an end.

Ten very stuffed islanders left Linda Dares' kitchen secure in the knowledge of how good Thai food tastes, and with an inkling of an idea how to prepare it.






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**GALLOPING GOURMET?** No, it was not. Unlike her television counterparts, cooking instructor Linda Dares, top photo, prepared most of the dishes right in front of the class. Meanwhile, for *Driftwood* reporter Graeme Thompson it was investigative cuisine. He got right to the bottom of each Thai dish — especially the crispy rice — while on assignment last week.

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## ★ entertainment this week ★

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### MALCOLM X

Spike Lee's interpretation of the Autobiography of Malcolm X by Alex Haley, tells the story of the black liberation movement's most militant spokesman and unrelenting conscience. Described by the New York Times as "an ambitious, tough, seriously considered biographical film that, with honour, eludes easy characterization." Stars Denzel

Washington as Malcolm X, Al Freeman Jr., Angela Barrett, and Berry Shabazz.

Mature, some violence, occasional very coarse language and suggestive scenes.

Friday March 26 to Tuesday March 30. 7pm (3 hours)

### ISLAND VIDEO HITS

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| 1.  | Last of the Mohicans | (3) |
| 2.  | Cool World           | (4) |
| 3.  | Sneakers             | (1) |
| 4.  | Death Becomes Her    | (2) |
| 5.  | Wind                 | (5) |
| 6.  | Mr. Baseball         | (-) |
| 7.  | Mediterrano          | (-) |
| 8.  | Mistress             | (-) |
| 9.  | Candy Man            | (-) |
| 10. | Crossing the Bridge  | (-) |

### on tap at ISLAND WATERING HOLES

- MOBY'S ..... Loose, March 26 & 27.  
 ..... Sunday Dinner Jazz, Mar. 28.  
 FULFORD INN ..... The House Band, March 26 & 27.  
 VESUVIUS INN ..... NTN TRIVIA, March 29.  
 HARBOUR HOUSE ..... Spring Swing Party, March 27.

### OUT and ABOUT

- Mar. 27 ..... Fulford Hall Flea Market.  
 Mar. 27 ..... Comedy Night.  
 Mar. 26 ..... Royal Canadian Legion  
 ..... Ladies Auxiliary Dinner & Dance.

## Negativity to teens prompts joint show

By KRISTI CHARISH, CHRIS BERGSMA and JAIMIE HILTS  
 Driftwood Contributors

Salt Spring Island Readers' Theatre will jointly present *Antigone* with Gulf Islands Secondary School (GISS) on April 1, 2 and 3. The curtain rises at 7:30 p.m.

Reader's Theatre was started on Salt Spring three or four years ago by Donald Boyes. It's made up of mostly retired people which makes their combination with GISS students all the more unique.

Bob Burbidge, the director of *Antigone*, comments that he was fed up with the negativity towards teenagers and decided to join Readers' Theatre with students. Burbidge also mentioned that he liked the idea of the contrasting voices, and Readers' Theatre was very impressed with the involved students.

On March 12, Burbidge and Readers' Theatre hosted a Greek party for members of the *Antigone* cast. Students were active participants in the party where Kai

Jensen helped to prepare authentic Greek food with Bob Burbidge and Alex Mitchell.

Readers' Theatre president Meg Arteaga is impressed with GISS drama students and is happy to be working with them. She mentioned Readers' Theatre is often limited with the things they can do because they are mostly women and using students from high school opens a whole new option for them.

Both Readers' Theatre and students have worked hard and have learned from each other in preparing *Antigone* and are looking forward to the performance.

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Paintings are for sale, and the money raised will be used to restore the engine of the boat as well as cover the ongoing expenses of the boat.

The show will begin on board at noon. Shortly after 1 p.m. local artists who have donated paintings to the boat will be taken for a short cruise around Prevost Island.

## Local comics on stage at Ganges Saturday

Salt Spring Islanders are invited to take the tonic of laughter on Saturday when Comedy Night comes to Mahon Hall.

Local comics Arvid Chalmers, Mary Williamson, Shilo Zylbergold, Tom Quine, Sid Filkow, Mike Hayes, Larry Walske and Reid Collins are on the bill.

Showtime is 7.30 pm; tickets are \$8 at et cetera.

## Country band entertains pensioners

Ganges Old-Age Pensioners were entertained with music by the Country Gentlemen at a recent social day.

The branch is planning an Easter bonnet parade for its April social event.

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Heather Bishop will appear at Beaver Point next week

## Heather Bishop plays here April 1

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Reviewing a recent concert, the *Edmonton Journal* said: "Bishop couldn't help but win over her audience, based on charisma and talent alone. But the show resonated deeply because Bishop's instinct for selecting superbly crafted material is unerring."

Of Bishop's nine recordings, the most recent is *Old New Borrowed Blue*, which includes 13 songs from her previous records and five newly released songs.

Bishop will play at Beaver Point

Hall on April 1 at 8 p.m. with electric guitarist Sherry Shute. Tickets, at \$10, are available at the Rare Find and et cetera.

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Victoria-based Loose plays Moby's this weekend

## Loose: danceable, upbeat band

Salt Spring will get a taste of the alternative sounds of a Victoria-based band called Loose this weekend.

Consisting of Scott White on bass and vocals, Marc Atkinson on guitar and vocals, and James McRae on rhythm and lead drums,

the band plays a broad range of music.

Formerly known as Loose Gypsies, the band dropped a member and became Loose on January 1, 1992. The group is influenced by punk, folk, blues, and even some polka, and was described by the

Whistler-Pemberton Citizen as "a danceable upbeat kind of band."

They have performed all over B.C., Alberta, and Washington State, and will be coming to Salt Spring this weekend. Loose will play Moby's Friday and Saturday.

## Most popular exhibits selected from 600 votes at Boxed-In

A wooden box in the shape of a crab was judged best exhibit in the show by visitors to Boxed-In, which ran last week at Mahon Hall in Ganges.

Members of the woodworkers' guild tallied more than 600 votes to come up with winners and runners-up in three different categories.

The results were:

Best in show: "Crab" by Ken and Pat Bennett. Runners-up: "Schooldays" by Esther Travis, "Snail" by Ken and Pat Bennett and "Wonder Box" by Esther

Travis.

Most original concept: "Schooldays" by Esther Travis. Runners-up: "Under Pressure" by Bryn Finer, "Wonder Box" by Esther Travis and "Keepsafe" by Diana Thompson.

Best junior entry: "Egg Box" by Heather Cunliffe. Runner-up: "Surprise Box" by Mrs. Weinert's Primary 1, 2, 3 class at Fulford School.

Plans are already being considered for next year's show. Organizers say details will be provided next fall.

## Garage sale precedes choir's spring concert

Salt Spring community choir Tuned Air is gearing up for another spring concert, but a garage sale is first on the agenda.

The Super Spring Garage Sale runs Saturday morning at the Ganges activity centre. Proceeds from the sale will finance new additions to the concert risers.

Choir members' annual dues help cover regular expenses such as music scores, costumes, publicity and workshops. But new copyright

laws means that a large choir spends almost \$2,000 a year on sheet music alone.

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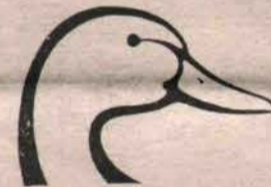
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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### BIRTHS 05

TIM & JENNIFER are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Kyle Elliot Graham McNinch born March 7, 1993, weighing 6 lbs, 12 oz. Special thanks to Dr. Jan McPhail, Dr. Eby, Dr. Liang, Barbara Michael and the V.G.H. nursing staff. A very special thanks to auntie Barb Riddell, brother Josh and Gramma and Grandpa Feltham for all their support. 12

#### CARD OF THANKS 08

ST. PATRICK'S Day Driftwood Classified winner of a lunch at the restaurant of his choice is Rodney Lambert. Thanks to the following for getting into the spirit of the contest: John Davies, Chris Morrice, Judy Wilkin, David Slingsby, Clayton Morris, Peter Vincent, Riah Anderson, Delores Bird, Brent Spohn, Wayne Simons, Karl Krainer, Barney Walker, Mary Campbell, Richard Kreiger, Dana Hohmann, Jim Akeman, Pat McDermid, Les Wright, Connie Holmes, Deke Noonan, Frank Coffey, Hugh Archer, Terry Slingby, Orpha Olm, Darkta Ian Balfour, Julie Sweetnam, Deborah Tross and Monika Mayr. 12

MANY THANKS from the Women's Centre to the Gaia Collective for the donation of books. 12

BOXED-IN and "Look 93" would like to thank all those who helped make our show a success. Particular thanks to: Naim Howe, Sharon Bettger, Ute Hagen, Meg Buckley, Pat Mullan, Joyce Pickstone, Marie White, Norah Perkins, Phyllida Drummond, Valerie Rampone, John Kavellin, Lawrie Nelsh, Off the Waterfront Gallery, et cetera, Woodworkers Guild members and all the contributors.

#### COMING EVENTS 11

GANGES DOG obedience classes start April 4, 10:00 a.m. at the Farmer's Institute. For more information call Mona, 537-5265. 13

SILENT, INFORMAL group meditation (Zen style) every Sunday, 9:00 a.m. in the Yurt at the Salt Spring Centre, 355 Blackburn. 13

"SILVER & GOLD" Sue Bowler and Mary Williamson entertain at St. George's Hall 7:30 p.m., April 10. Refreshments by Women's Resource Centre. Tickets at et cetera. 14

STILL TIME to register for courses in: Bicycle Maintenance, Birding, Swing, Jive Dance Workshop, Herbs For Women's Health, Meadow Medicine, and Kayaking. Drop in to the Portlock Park office of the Parks and Recreation Commission or inquire at 537-4448. 13

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#### COMING EVENTS 11

THE HERITAGE Seed Program presents a "Fundraising Apple Tree Sale", Heritage "Wealthy" variety, \$10 per tree. Farmers Market, H.H.H., March 27 or order at 537-4191. 12

LOVEDAY ON piano, Waterside Bistro, Friday evenings. Elevator music for your dining pleasure. 13

DESSERT & COFFEE available at our "Evening of Fun" Auction at Fulford Elementary Gym, April 2, 7:00 p.m. Tons of stuff, tons of fun, and tons of bargains! 12

COMING SOON - bumper bowling for kids at Leisure Lanes. Call 537-2054 for details. 12

THERAPEUTIC YOGA classes with Tangachee. Starting Friday, March 26 for 6 weeks. \$36.00. Ganges United Church at 12:15 p.m. Develop awareness, breathing and flexibility through yoga exercises. Also classes at South End every Tuesday. Call 653-9573. 12

REFORM PARTY of Canada information meeting. Sidney Library - Saturday, March 27, 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., Resthaven Drive. Video's - pamphlets and information. Meet federal candidate Jack Frazer. 12

COME TO our Spring Bingo. March 27 at Beaver Point Hall. Proceeds to benefit Little Red Schoolhouse. 12

2nd ANNUAL Home Show, Saturday, May 1st and Sunday, May 2nd at Farmers' Institute. See you there! 17

HEATHER BISHOP in concert April 1st, Beaver Point Hall. Tickets: The Rare Find, & et cetera. 12

Presenting the Salt Spring Island Painters Guild Show and Sale

Friday, March 26 8-9 p.m. - Preview

Saturday, March 27 Noon - 8 p.m.

Sunday, March 28 Noon - 8 p.m.

Taking place at and hosted by the WATERSIDE BISTRO RESTAURANT Gasoline Alley

Featuring Guild Members original works for show and sale. Artists will be in attendance

We look forward to seeing you

THE NEW DEMOCRATS

**GULF ISLANDS NDP CLUB Annual General Meeting**

Saturday March 27, 1993 5:00 p.m. St George's Hall Potluck Dinner

**SPEAKERS:** Gretchen Brewin, MLA and Lynn Hunter, MP Members, friends and supporters welcome!

More information? Call

Virginia 537-9251 or John 537-2966

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#### COMING EVENTS 11

Latin & Ballroom Dancing Classes with Joel Prevost of Nanaimo

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WOMEN'S CENTRE at Creekside

**NEXT WORKSHOP: Tuesday, March 30 Women & Money**

Bring your questions to our financial planners

**A Networking Fair Sunday, May 16th** Interested?

Call me with your ideas and suggestions

**Needed:** Ideas for Earth Day celebration in April

For more info, call 537-1980

Seniors' Lottery funds assist seniors' projects all across British Columbia.

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#### COMING EVENTS 11

THE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION R.C.A.F. 69th Birthday Party

Thursday, April 1st in Meaden Hall

Tickets \$20 each Available at bar

Dress: Jacket and Tie Members and Guests are cordially invited

Cocktails 6:30 p.m. Dinner 7:30 p.m.

Dance to the music of Dave Whittles and Friends

YOGA CLASSES at the Salt Spring Centre

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This exhibition includes Salt Spring artists

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**THE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION LADIES AUXILIARY**

**Dinner and Dance Friday, March 26th**  
**Dinner 6:00 p.m.**  
**Dancing will follow at 7:30**

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**ATTENTION ALL PARENTS!**

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 For further information call  
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 537-4785

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**School Board Office Rainbow & Lower Ganges Road**

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 For further information call Wendy 653-4034

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**COMING EVENTS 11**

**Salt Spring Island Golf & Country Club NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

The Annual General Meeting of the Salt Spring Island Golf & Country Club will be held in the clubhouse on **Wednesday April 14, 1993 at 8:00 p.m.**

The agenda for the meeting is posted on the notice board in the Clubhouse.  
 By Order of the Board of Directors  
**Jill Wheaton, Secretary**

**SCOTT POINT WATERWORKS DISTRICT ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Royal Vancouver Yacht Club Pavilion  
**Saturday, April 3/93**  
**7:00 p.m.**

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**ACOA (Adult Children of Alcoholics)** Meeting is held every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at the S.S. Community Centre. Children of dysfunctional families, also very welcome.

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS** meetings (for everyone who thinks they might have a drug problem). Every Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Community Centre. For further info. please call 537-1169.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS SERVICES MEETINGS**

Salt Spring - 537-2317 or 537-2270  
 Galiano - 539-2235 or 539-5770  
 Pender - 629-3312

**Ladies only -** Thursday nights 8:00 p.m. Please call 537-5794 or 537-1600.

**Alanon/Alateen -** A program for family and friends of alcoholics. For further information call 653-4288 or 537-2646.

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**COMMUNITY SERVICES 14**

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Donations of cash, property or life insurance now or through your estate will help enrich the lives of Salt Spring Islanders for generations to come. "In Memoriam" gifts will be acknowledged with a card. Include names and addresses of recipient, next of kin and donor for tax receipt. Scholarships, land for parks, and relief of hardship are but a few directions in which your foundation serves the community. Please mail donations and requests for information to The Salt Spring Island Foundation, P.O. Box 8, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0 or call Bob Rush at 537-2501. alt/evan/tfn

**EDUCATION 17**

**KIDS ART** classes. Thursday afternoons starting April 8, 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. \$7.50 per session. Drawing, painting and mixed media. Call Patricia Brown, 653-9406.

**PAINTING WITH** Patricia Brown, Thursday evenings, starting April 8. 7-10 p.m. \$12.00 per session. 653-9406.

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**EXCHANGES**

We have created a new category in the classified section for exchanging goods rather than selling them. Look for this heading:

**328 EXCHANGES**

**ENGAGEMENTS 20**

**DON & ANNE** Harrison are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jodie Leanne, to Steven D. Smith, son of Heather Smith of Victoria and Des Smith of Cowichan.

**LEGALS 26**

**NOTICE TO Creditors** in the estate of Jacqueline Florence Frewin, deceased late of Ganges, who died August 21, 1992. Take notice that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned executrix by 10th day of April, 1993, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them. Gina Horrocks, Executrix. Box 257, Ganges, B.C., V0S 1E0.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**LEGALS 26**

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A DISPOSITION OF CROWN LAND**

Take notice that Maracaibo Estates Ltd. of Ganges, B.C., occupation property management intends to make application to the B.C. Lands regional office in Victoria for a licence of occupation of land generally situated: Long Harbour, Salt Spring Island and more specifically described below: Commencing at a post planted on the common land of Strata Plan 905, 25 metres south east of the south east corner of Strata Lot 28, Strata plan 905, District Lot 10, Cowichan Land District, North Salt Spring Island., thence 18 metres south west; then 33 metres south east; thence 18 metres north east; thence 33 metres north west; and containing .059 ha more or less. The purpose for which the land is required is private boat moorage for the owners of Strata Plan 905 and Dick and Dawn Newman.

Comments concerning this application may be made to the Ministry of Env., Lands & Parks, 851 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C., V8V 1X5, 387-5011. File No. 1407617. Dated January 28, 1993. Signed: Maracaibo Estates Limited, 220 Maracaibo Lane, R.R. #4, S-22, B-2, Ganges, B.C., V0S 1E0, Phone 537-2878.



**LOST & FOUND 29**

**FOUND: YOUNG** black and orange female cat. Friendly and used to people. On Eagleridge Drive. Please call 537-1178.

**FOUND: ON** Broadwell Road, one domestic rabbit, sex: unchecked, answers to food. Please call 537-4655.

**FOUND: LEATHER** glove on LePage and North End Road. Call 537-1399.

**FOUND: A SINGLE** key on Upper Ganges Road. Claim at Driftwood.

**FOUND IN** Ganges: Child's stuffed "Tasmanian Devil" toy. Claim at Driftwood, 126 Upper Ganges Road.

**MEETINGS 32**

**ANNUAL GENERAL** meeting of the Fulford Community Hall on Friday, April 2 at 8:00 p.m. in the Fulford Hall.



**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING and Election of Officers**

Mon., March 29th 7:30 p.m.  
 Salt Spring Elementary Library  
 Everyone Welcome

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**MEETINGS 32**

**CENTRAL COMMUNITY HALL SOCIETY**

**Annual General Meeting Sun. April 4, 2:00 p.m.**  
 Elections of officers  
 Adoption of new constitution and bylaws

**ADVISORY PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC MEETING**

The APC will meet at **7:00 p.m. on March 25, 1993, in Room 1203, Grace Point Square** to consider an application (RZ-35-92) to rezone a property abutting **Beaver Point and Bullman Roads, formerly known as the "Old Y Camp", from Uplands & Forest to Parks & Recreation and a new zone allowing residential development.**



**THE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH 92**

**General Meeting Monday 5th April Time - 8:00 p.m.**  
 All ordinary and voting associates please come out and support your branch.

**NOTICES/PERSONAL 34**

**COMMUTERS: ANYONE** commuting to Sidney on the 8:00 a.m. ferry or to the Vesuvius ferry for 7:00 or 8:00 a.m.? Interested in car pooling or sharing travel costs, please call 537-1538.

**ATTENTION ALL** Gulf Island painters! The Bedwell Harbour Island Resort on South Pender Island is sponsoring a competition to find an ideal painting to be used as the cover for the restaurant's menu. Deadline for submissions is April 15th. For more information, call Geoffrey S. Couper, at 629-3212.

**EXCITING PHOTOS -** Karen, Sylvie and Tanya have sensational personal photos for sale. For discreet info write: Karen, Box 670-GB, Kelowna, B.C., V1Y 7P4. Adults only please! B

**ADVOCACY SERVICES**

Problems with Social Services, U.I.C. claims or landlord/tenant issues? Call 537-4386 day or night for confidential assistance

**G.I. Association For People With Disabilities**

**NOTICES/COMMERCIAL 35**

**R. BATEMAN SIGNED** print R. Beaver signed print, pottery, jewellery, fabric art by Island artisans at our Goods and Services Auction, 7:00 p.m., April 2, Fulford Elementary gym. Preview 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

**CHILI COOK-OFF** contest at 2nd Annual Home Show, May 1 and 2. If you want to be a business sponsor or a contestant, contact Mernie at 537-2205.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**NOTICES/COMMERCIAL 35**

**TIM WILLIAMSON**, cement finisher, is no longer associated with WWF and is not responsible for any contracts, debts or work undertaken by WWF. 12

**SAMMY'S RECYCLE** - Call for all recyclable, commercial and residential waste disposal needs and information. Call 653-4458. alt/evan/tfn

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### COURSE IN BRONZE SCULPTURE

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3. Techniques of working in wax
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5. Patina

All stages from the conception of the work, within a set theme, to the final product will be covered.

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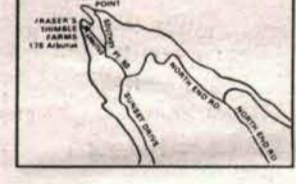
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### DEATHS 06

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The Canadian Community Newspapers Association recognizes that each of its member newspapers is an individual entity with its own guidelines and mandates, however, membership in CCNA carries with it an obligation for each member to aspire to the following principles which are cornerstones of a responsible press serving and protecting a free, open and democratic society.

### I — Freedom of the Press

Freedom of the press is an exercise of freedom of speech, guaranteed under Canada's Charter of Rights. It is the right to inform, to discuss, to advocate, to dissent. The press claims no freedom which is not the common universal right of every person in a free society.

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The purpose of the newspaper is to reflect the community it serves back to the members of that community. Its primary responsibility is to protect and enhance a free society.

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The newspaper has a responsibility to its readers to avoid inaccuracies or misleading statements. Where these have been published they should be promptly corrected.

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## CCNA Board approves 'Statement of principles'

After several false starts over the past several years, the Canadian Community Newspapers Association has adopted a "statement of newspaper publishing and journalistic principles".

The statement was drawn up by Bill Johnston of the Langenburg (Sask.) *Four-Town Journal*, an SWNA representative on the board and chair of the CCNA Ethics committee.

Johnston told the board at its November meeting that accep-

tance of the statement was an important milestone in the history of the association. "It's really just a matter of putting our principles in black and white," he said. "We already live by them."

The approved statement is a revised version of one presented by current CCNA President Doug Penner at the board meeting in April, 1990.

CCNA staff will investigate methods of reproducing the statement and circulating it to members for display in their offices.

Driftwood Publisher Joyce Carlson is one of three B.C. representatives on the CCNA board.

The Driftwood believes in and observes the principles adopted.

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**GIMME SHELTER:** Taking cover in Centennial Park during rain Monday were, from left, Nathan Helfrich, 14; Ben Taylor, 15; Briana Prosk, 14; and Barb Cade, 14.

## TENNIS: Courts were well known

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brick dust went on last, to make the playing surface of the court.

"They dampened it and rolled it," Doreen said. "It made a very hard court. A lot of the Americans said they were the best courts they had seen."

Tapes were put down to paint the court lines onto the red-brick surface. The dust was brushed off before play each day.

"They really were kept in good shape," Doreen said. "They'd water the court in the morning and put the red dust on, then roll it and roll it. It was done every morning on the days of the tournament to make it ship-shape."

Once the courts were ready, word got out. People came from all the nearest tennis clubs, and even from Seattle, to play on the Crofton courts. Sometimes big names in tennis, like Henry Prusoff and Mel Dranga, would come. Naturally, all the Croftons played.

"Dermott was the best on the island," Denise said. "Des was good at doubles. None of the locals could compete."

"All the girls were crazy about Dermott," she said. Doreen added that the young men, her brothers included, couldn't get enough of the girls, either.

"There were romances going on," Doreen said. "One frequent visitor from Victoria (who shall remain anonymous) had the boys running around her constantly."

The men wore "white ducks", she remembers, which were linen trousers the Americans favoured because they were easier to wash than flannels. The women wore all white — no colours allowed.

Umpires were brought in from other clubs for the tournament.

There were not always enough good circuit players to fill up all the places, however, and local club

members and others would be called in to make up a side. In one game, Denise and her male partner found themselves opposite two good circuit players in a mixed doubles match. Steve Jones, whose father owned the Dominion Hotel in Victoria, was one of them.

"When he got mad he was out of control," Denise said. "He lost to us that day and he was livid."

Tennis temper tantrums are as old as the game, it would seem.

Though the tournament was a serious affair in terms of national tennis playing, the tournament was also a social event. The rich, the famous, the social set and everybody else would come to the tournament: people like the Bell-Irving from Victoria and the younger Rogers from Vancouver; General "One-arm" Sutton; famous American tennis players.

They arrived in their yachts and motor launches, hove to off the Harbour House beach or in Ganges and came to the house for the swimming, rowing, cards, picnicking and entertainment that went with every community gathering back then.

One of the entertainments was a scavenger hunt.

"We had to find crazy things like a black ant," Doreen said.

"Or a crab or a bulrush," Denise added. "Once we had to get the signature of a policeman."

There was only one provincial policeman serving all the Gulf Islands at that time, but for the purposes of the scavenger hunt, provincial police employee Charles Toynbee's signature was deemed eligible. Toynbee was entrusted with the job of keeping the police launch ready.

"We kidnapped him so the others couldn't get the signature," Denise said.

As well as entertainment during the day, there was always entertainment at night: bridge, music, singing. The highlight, however, was undoubtedly the tennis club dance Saturday.

Women wore long dresses, men wore flannels and blazers. A music-playing family rowed over from one of the Chain Islands and played jazz until the wee hours. The hardest of the young set would end up for "last call" at the snakehouse behind the hotel.

Family, players, spectators and visitors would wake up late the next day in time to go home and the tennis tournament was finished for another year.

"It was really quite famous," Denise recalls. "We were lucky too. All the years we had the tournament we were never rained out."

If never rained out, the tournament did not survive the second world war. The last one was held in 1939, less than two weeks before war was declared.

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# down through the years

## Five years ago

March 23, 1988

The Islands Trust was in no hurry to proceed with a tree-cutting bylaw after giving first reading to the package of proposed regulations. Although a legal opinion solicited by the Trust held the bylaw could have been adopted, chairman Nick Gilbert said a series of public meetings and a hearing would be held before any further steps were taken.

The bylaw was drawn up in response to fears that wholesale clear-cut logging would take place on many of the 4,800 acres of land formerly owned on Salt Spring by MacMillan-Bloedel.

The B.C. environment ministry was still studying an application from Salt Spring developer Murray Cyprus for a temporary conditional permit to haul logs through an ecological reserve on the island. Cyprus applied for permission to truck the timber from the 602-acre parcel Pepperbrook Retreats Ltd. owns on Mt. Tuam through a portion of the ecological reserve bordering the east side of the land.

Concerned Citizens of Salt Spring, formed for the express purpose of protecting the reserve, challenged the application. Spokesman Kathy Scarfo said economic concerns for getting the timber off the land are the developer's and should not be used to rationalize crossing an ecological reserve.

The judgment of a coroner's inquiry into the 1987 shooting death of an 11-year-old Salt Spring Island boy recommended legislative changes and a public awareness campaign to lessen the chances of similar tragedies occurring.

## Ten years ago

March 23, 1983

Heated discussion came from all political quarters when the federal riding of Cowichan-Malahat-The Islands was carved up among three new ridings. Duncan and Ladysmith were set to join Nanaimo, the southern portions of the constituency were to join Esquimalt, and the Gulf Islands were to join the Saanich Peninsula.

NDP riding representative Moe Sihota said the Gulf Islands cannot be well represented by a member from Saanich.

The Islands Trust urged the provincial government to arrange a land swap with Texada Logging to preserve the Maxwell Lake watershed. Texada owned property near the lake and had plans to put in residential units on seven lots. Two of the lots were in watershed. Texada had indicated it was interested in a swap with land elsewhere in the province, but the ministry of lands and forests had so far done nothing.

## Fifteen years ago

March 23, 1978

Two dogs were shot on a farm on Mansell Road after 21 sheep were killed out of a flock of 60. There were only 14 sheep left unharmed by the dogs. Karl Hoeller, manager of the farm, had been in the process of building up his flock when the slaughter took place. He is left with numerous motherless lambs and a smaller flock than that with which he began a year ago.

Two Salt Spring Island boys who had entered the derby and gone fishing went home skunked as far as salmon were concerned, but they did not return empty-handed. They went home with a full-grown bald eagle. Alan Davies, 14, and Randy Howard, 17, were fishing in Sansum Narrows when they saw the eagle on the beach. A gunshot had broken one of its wings.

## Twenty years ago

March 29, 1973

Two votes faced islanders March 31. All property owners on all the islands were invited to vote on extra money to finish the school construction project at Ganges, and for the provision of new hospital facilities all over the Capital Regional District.

The \$281,000 school referendum called for funds needed to get on with reconstruction of Salt Spring Elementary School and provision of new services at the secondary school. The original approval given by ratepayers proved less than was needed for the work.

The Windsor Utley home on Beddis Road was filled to the balconies when members of the Community Arts Council turned out to enjoy a concert of medieval and renaissance music. Sixteen musicians performed on violes, lutes, recorders, krumphorns, a shawm and an organ. They were students of music at the University of Victoria.

NDP Agriculture Minister Dave Stupich was on Salt Spring answering questions about the controversial Bill 42, the Land Commission Act. He said the NDP planned to introduce legislation in connection with the control of farmland and that Bill 42 was the result. The province has received enquiries from Ontario, Alberta, Prince Edward Island and other places, all recognizing the need for legislation to control the destruction of farmland.

## Twenty-five years ago

March 21, 1968

The first sanitary sewer system to be projected on Salt Spring Island is already under fire. Planned development in the vicinity of Fernwood visualized a total of 85 lots overlooking Trincomali Channel.

The subdivision is planned by Maliview Estates Ltd. of Victoria. The company has asked permission to discharge partly treated sewage into the sea. Sewer plans called for the system to serve 85 homes and discharge partly liquefied sewage 500 feet out to sea.

Gulf Islands Joint Council delegates got up early to attend the first-ever breakfast meeting at Pender Island. Pender Island folk got up even earlier to meet several ferries and have the banquet breakfast ready on time.

The subject of wide discussion was water pollution, a problem of prime importance with the islands becoming more heavily populated.

Gulf Islands students adopted Maria Rojaz, a little girl living in Bogota, Colombia, South America. Students have raised money for Maria by printing and selling a newsletter, organizing a rummage sale and passing a box around the classrooms.

## Thirty years ago

March 21, 1963

An unknown person or persons broke into the butcher shop of Mouat's sometime during the past weekend and rifled one cash register of about \$50. After failing to force one window near the back entrance to the shop, the burglars gained entrance by forcing a small window located near the meat counter.

In an address to the Duncan Jaycees, Douglas Greer, Liberal candidate for this riding, said that putting Canada's 500,000 unemployed persons back into production would be the Liberal government's first major objective when it is returned to power.

He said this figure represented six per cent of the work force.

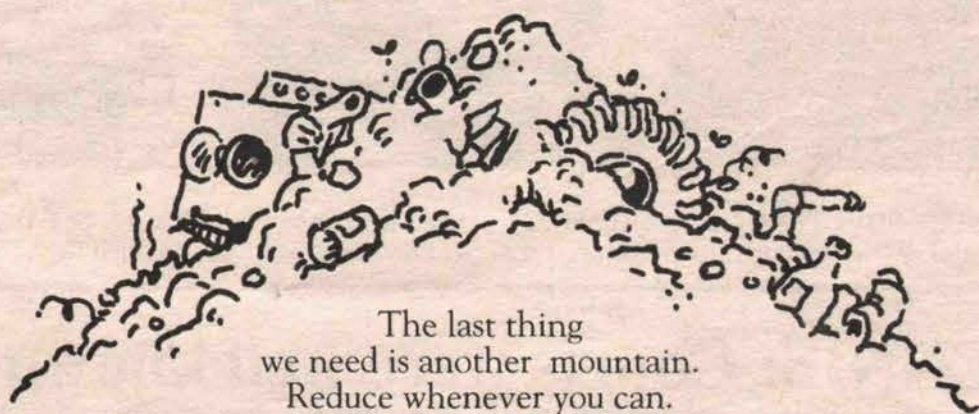
Gulf Island ferry service would be revised with the introduction of

the new ship, *Queen of the Islands*. Local MLA Earle Westwood, minister of recreation and conser-

vation, said a twice-daily service between Long Harbour and Tsawwassen with interim stops on

Galiano and Mayne would start then. The new ship carries 40 vehicles and 400 passengers.

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