



Catherine McFadyen, her mother and grandson

## Office manager retires after 21 years at the newspaper

When Catherine McFadyen started working at the *Driftwood* on October 8, 1971, the newspaper's annual subscription rate was \$4, broccoli was 29 cents a pound and a one-and-half acre lot in Walker Hook cost \$4,500. Things have changed since then.

Things will also be changing in the *Driftwood* front office this week, as McFadyen retires after 21 years.

By GRAEME THOMPSON  
*Driftwood Staff Writer*

The McFadyen family came from Victoria in the late 1960s. They bought a loganberry farm at Central and husband Bruce worked for the Parks and Recreation Commission. The day McFadyen started at the newspaper, she was put to work organizing ads for the Christmas paper — a bumper 16-pager.

"There were no sales reps," she said. "Barbara Richards and I contacted our customers for ads."

She recalled using an old cash register that eventually went to the local museum.

McFadyen knows almost every job at the *Driftwood* and president Frank Richards is probably the only one who knows more about Salt Spring's paper than she knows. McFadyen said she has never written an editorial nor sent a letter to the editor, but she has typeset, written headlines, collected material for various regular columns, collected ads, kept books, and delivered the paper to the printers.

But mostly, McFadyen has been the stalwart of the front office, knowing the name of every subscriber and a good many other islanders who come into the building.

She has been the *Driftwood's* link with the outside world. Sometimes people think the front office is more than a link, she said. The front office staff does not write articles and does not decide what goes in the paper or what does not. All we can do is pass messages along, she said.

The *Driftwood* operated at the back of Driftwood Books in 1971, at the bottom of Ganges Hill where Harbour Low-Cost is now. Five people put out the weekly 12-page paper.

Those 12 pages included ads, general news, news from Fulford and Fernwood and Around Town — a guide to whom was visiting around the island that week.

"We had up-to-date news," McFadyen said, despite the small size of the staff and paper. "Frank (Richards) covered every meeting, even if it meant writing a story late on publishing."

She had the job, for a time, of taking the paper on the 6:30 a.m. ferry to be printed and coming back at noon. The *Driftwood* was a Thursday paper then.

Two rooms at the back of a bookstore could not keep up with burgeoning island news, and before long, the paper moved to "the end of the yellow brick road" — the end of McPhillips Avenue.

The paper also lived at 121 Rainbow Road before moving to its present location on Upper Ganges Road. McFadyen remembers that move well because she broke a tendon in her right shoulder as she carried in a box — one of the last. The accident left her arm in a sling for a month and her shoulder had to be operated on.

McFadyen used to compile "Down Through The Years" for the

paper. She knew every subscriber on the island in case an old issue had been lost in the office.

"In those days, there wasn't much change in five years. Ten maybe."

"I think we were a much closer community because there were fewer people."

Change really came for the paper, McFadyen said, when the "hippies" came to the island.

"Somehow it seemed to have changed our attitude," she said. "I don't know if it's good or bad but that's when the attitudes changed."

The population increased so quickly and the paper tried to keep up with the change in times, she said.

"I don't think readers realize how difficult it is to do everything we should do. I know we really try to give the people what they want each week."

The paper was still very much a family business and everyone at the paper was meant to feel part of the family.

"We always had a Christmas party at Frank and Barbara's," Catherine said. "We would have a buffet and play games — we had a ball."

Those Christmas dinners brought everyone together, even the outer island correspondents, she said.

The staff used to take a greater part in community events.

"We were part of the community," she said. "We were more part of the community then than we are now." Parades and tugs-of-war were a part of getting to know everyone.

"I'll miss the paper. I'll miss the people," McFadyen said, but she is also looking forward to retirement.

"I'm looking forward to the radio coming on at 6 a.m.," she said, "and just to think I don't have to get up at 6:10."

McFadyen's co-workers are taking her out for lunch on Friday, her last official in-house working day. (She will be conducting a subscription drive from her home in February.)

Frank Richards will host an open house in his Madrona Road home on February 27 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

*Driftwood* readers and customers are invited to drop by and say goodbye. A staff dinner will follow the afternoon reception.



Catherine McFadyen (centre) and Driftwood co-workers in the early 1970s.

### index

Community	B2
Crosscurrents	B8
Crossword	B9
Home Design	B5
Horoscope	B4
Outer Gulf Islands	B11
To be Frank	B2

## Several staff changes occurring at Driftwood

Retirement of *Driftwood* office manager Catherine McFadyen this week (see related story) is just one of a number of staff changes occurring at the community newspaper office in the next few weeks.

This issue of the *Driftwood* will be reporter Gail Sjuberg's last for several months. Sjuberg — who is expecting a baby early next month — is taking her maternity leave beginning January 27. She plans to return in September.

Reporter Nikki Zerr will join the staff as junior reporter on February 22.

A familiar face has returned to the front office. Alice Richards, former *Driftwood* typesetter and photographer, will be taking the job of Claudia French, who has moved into McFadyen's position.

*Driftwood* owner Tony Richards, who previously worked as *Driftwood* publisher/editor, is also returning to the staff. (Tony and Alice Richards have been living in Ottawa for the past three years, where Tony worked for Canadian Overseas Development Through Education and Alice worked as a legal secretary.) Tony Richards takes on the editor's position in late February.

Current editor Susan Lundy will be leaving the *Driftwood* February 22 after working in the editorial department for close to seven years.

Joyce Carlson remains publisher and Graeme Thompson becomes senior reporter.

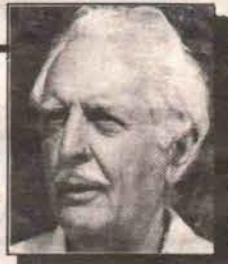


Driftwood office in early 1970s

# community

to be  
**FRANK**

**FRANK RICHARDS**



### What's the yardstick on grants?

When the two Canadian airlines, Air Canada and Canadian were contemplating merger or any other amalgamation, the country was advised of the mounting debts incurred by Canadian carriers. As the deficit was minuscule in comparison with the great burden of debt enjoyed by Canadian governments, federal and provincial, the nation was not jarred.

Furthermore, there was no connection there with the constitution, the environment, women's rights or oil drilling so that the matter was insufficient to rouse national concern.

But two governments were so moved that both Alberta and British Columbia allocated a few millions to help out the sagging Canadian line.

Fortunately, there was no referendum offered whereby Victoria and Edmonton might have gauged the voters' views on the subject, so I had no occasion to express an opinion.

In general, I am cynical when grants are proposed. I watched a vast British automobile industry slowly collapse, despite almost daily shots of pounds sterling from a government which had inherited a white elephant on wheels.

Hence my curiosity today as the two westernmost provinces stand firmly behind dollar-thirsty aviation while apparently indifferent to the vortex opened up in the two provinces beneath the familiar old department store of Woodward's.

No government moved to bail out the merchandising company.

How big must a corporation be before its troubles in troubled times merit the attention of finance ministries? I would shudder to suggest that aid offered was inept or that aid withheld might have been offered. It is like "Eeny, meany, miny, mo?"

### Those remains remained too long!

I have rediscovered ancient Grease.

It was right in the back of my fridge in an old mug almost directly under the turkey soup.

I wondered what that mug was all about and last week I remembered. It was the drippings from a roast I enjoyed about six months ago.

I guess there are advantages to a classical education!

### George Ives again!

It was the coincidence of travelling the same Air Canada flight as a 110-year-old Canadian veteran last November and watching him take part in a Remembrance Day ceremony on television that prompted me to write about George Ives of Vancouver.

Last week I had a note from Lynne Bowen, of Nanaimo, telling me that she encountered the centenarian when she was preparing the material for her recent book *Muddling Through: the Remarkable Story of the Barr Colonists*.

She tells me that her story about George Ives will appear shortly in *Saturday Night*.

### What level is that?

For most of my life I have been an avid automobile buff. I have owned ancient cars and motor-cycles and I have drooled enviously over others, more fortunate than I, who have proudly demonstrated their prizes. And I thought I knew all the words.

But today there is a term common among writers of automobile accolades. A car is described as "entry-level". Does it mean you need a ladder to climb into it? Or simply that you don't need a ladder to climb into it?

Was my 1909 Britton an entry-level car? Or is my present Volvo?

## Group will buy lights

Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital Foundation may soon be paying for new operating theatre lights for the hospital, awareness committee chairman Patrick Lee said recently.

The Foundation has raised more than \$35,000 in its recent campaign to raise money to buy items on the hospital "wish-list."

The two items the Foundation has targeted at present are a \$70,000 cardiac monitoring system and \$20,000 worth of operating room lighting equipment.

"We now have more than enough for the operating theatre lights," Lee said, "and we're well on our way for the cardiac monitoring system."

Hundreds of people have responded, Lee said. The Foundation is very heartened by events. All contributions are important and will help provide the best standards possible.

The November winner of the Hospital Foundation loony lottery was Colin Bisset, who took home 93 loonies. Christence Rasmussen took home 61 loonies in the December draw. The Foundation used its \$154 to assist with renovations to the front entry and reception areas of the hospital.

## Greenwoods hires new administrator

Gulf Islands Intermediate and Personal Care Society (Greenwoods) will have a new administrator February 1, a press release said.

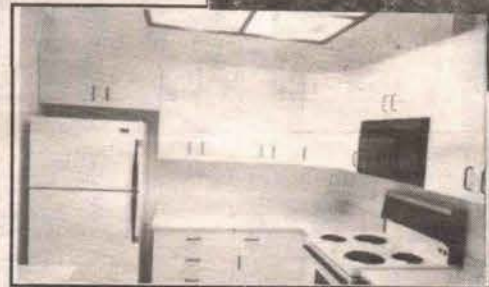
The present administrator, Margaret McKay, will retire at the end of January.

Effective February 1, 1993, the position of administrator will be assumed by Vicki Curtis, who will perform her duties on a contract basis, while retaining her present position as administrator of Lady Minto Hospital.

The Greenwoods board anticipates this dual role will result in improving continuity of resident care and operating efficiencies.

## INTRODUCING #196 Channel Ridge Drive

View



Kitchen

Two years old, single level, spacious two bedroom residence in Channel Ridge; approx. 1950 sq. ft. living; sunken living room with fireplace; formal dining with view; sunshine kitchen with refrigerator, range, microwave, dishwasher & ample cupboard space; separate kitchen/eating area/sunroom; large master bedroom providing a "wake-up" view of Sansum Narrows, walk-in closet; super 4-piece ensuite; central 4 piece bathroom; laundry room/storage with washer & dryer; thermo windows throughout with screens & vertical blinds; double garage with auto/door opener; connected to piped water.

**OFFERED @ \$269,000 MLS**

"A splendid island atmosphere"

Enquire further  
or view now



GIL MOUAT  
537-4900 24 HRS.  
(In the Profession since 1981)



**NRS SALT SPRING REALTY LTD.**  
149 Fulford Ganges Road  
P.O. Box 69, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0

Phone: (604) 537-5515 Fax: (604) 537-9797  
Vic. Dir: 656-5554 Van. Dir: 278-5595



## TAKE NOTE of these dates:

- EVERY MONDAY carpet bowling, lower hall, Central, 1:30pm.
- EVERY MONDAY (except holidays), Story Time, Public Library, 9:30-10am.
- EVERY MONDAY "Bandemonium" G.I.S.S. band room, 7pm-9pm.
- EVERY WEDNESDAY Seniors & Alzheimers support group, Seniors for Seniors bldg, 11am
- EVERY THURSDAY 40 years plus, bike ride & lunch, Spoke Folk, high noon.
- EVERY THURSDAY Seniors for Seniors luncheon, seating 11:30 and 12:30.
- FRIDAYS Free Kids Klub, Community Gospel Church, 120 Drake Road, 3:15-5pm.
- FRIDAYS Smiles Cafe, Ganges United Church, 12noon - 1:00pm.
- JAN. 27: Seniors program - injury prevention through body fitness, drop-in centre, 2pm.
- JAN. 28: SSI Weaver & Spinners Guild, slide presentation, Mahon Hall, 2:30pm.
- JAN. 29: Legion Ladies Auxiliary smorg. Meaden Hall, 6pm.
- JAN. 30: Latin & Ballroom dancing, St. George's Church Hall, 7:30pm - 9:00pm.
- JAN. 30: Western Night, Royal Canadian Legion, 8pm.
- FEB. 2: OAPO Regional meeting, Fulford Hall, 10:30am.
- FEB. 3: Chamber of Commerce, home based business meeting, Harbour House, 8:45pm.
- FEB. 4: SSI Weaver & Spinners Guild, business meeting, Mahon Hall, 2:30pm.
- FEB. 11: "Oops, I made a mistake!" Mahon Hall, 2:30pm.
- FEB. 11: AGM, Salt Spring Festival of the Arts, SS Elementary School library, 7:30pm.
- FEB. 13: Valentines Dance, Royal Canadian Legion, 8:00pm.
- FEB. 14: Love in the Afternoon, concert with Chris Kodaly & Deb Toole, Beaver Point Hall, 2pm.
- FEB. 18: SSI Weavers & Spinners Guild, Study group - table linens pt. I, Mahon Hall, 2:30pm.

To have your event listed here **FREE!**  
Just drop it off to the Driftwood office by noon Friday.  
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY - Just the date, time, place and event.

YOUR COMMUNITY CALENDAR IS SPONSORED BY



MON.-FRI. 9-4 537-4422

Your On Island Printer  
"Quality and Service Make the Difference"

## WITH US YOU'RE #1

### •BUYING OR SELLING?

Give us the opportunity to tell you what we can do!  
We market property with innovation! Motivation!  
Determination! It's your move!  
Call us today — no obligation.

sutton group — future realty

**LIANE READ & PAUL GREENBAUM**

537-4287 537-5064



Pager 388-6275

#1042

Cellular: 361-5707

Personal Offices

537-4556

109 Hereford Ave.



a new  
baby?

It's time to call your Welcome Wagon hostess. She will bring congratulations & gifts for the family and the **NEW BABY!**



Carron Carson

Phone 653-4004




**FUN TIMES:** More than 20 island youngsters attend kindergarten at the Community Gospel Chapel every Tuesday and Thursday morning. Children, such as those seen above, enjoy the chance to play on various apparatus, while supervising parents enjoy coffee and chit-chat. Driftwood photos by Derrick Lundy



**WATERFRONT, VIEW, ACREAGE**

**"Generations of Knowledge" Make the Difference**

**RE/MAX**



**PATRICK AKERMAN**  
537-9977 or 653-4352

■ **Shepherd Hills home** on 1 1/2 acres. Very nice split level home in the Cranberry, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, large kitchen, large family/rec room with an airtight wood heater. Carport/workshop. \$174,000.

■ **Mid Salt Spring Island Acreage.** Southwest facing 18.82 acres partially cleared. Beautiful large pond. Approximately 100 degree distant San Juan Island, ocean, mountain and valley view. \$145,000. Vendor financing available.

■ **Fulford Valley Home** Lovely older two bedroom home, fireplace and wood stove. Large workshop and storage shed, greenhouse, vegetable and flower garden, fruit trees and more. Small bridge reaches over Fulford Creek which flows all year round. All on .44 ac. \$134,000

■ **Jewellery and Gift Shop** Watch, Clock and Jewellery repairs.

■ **Arable 2.73 acres.** Municipal water, comfortable weekend type cabin. \$115,000

■ **"Great Starter Home"** Mobile on 2.7 acres over 700 sq. ft. livable area, two bedrooms, large sun deck, 16' x 14' studio, valley and mountain view. \$95,000

■ **"Large working farm here on Salt Spring"** 173 acre prime farmland, Large well planned home, Swimming pool, 150' x 30' barn, 24' x 36' horse barn, several out buildings, orchard, pond, forested areas, ocean view and some semi waterfront. Please call Patrick Akerman for further information.

**RE/MAX**

**RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL, FARMS**



# CREEK HOUSE REALTY LTD.



**SEAVIEW RANCHER**  
Spectacular seaviews over Active Pass & Mount Baker from this spacious family home. Easy care property with **PRIVACY** & small area for gardeners. Close to all amenities while maintaining quiet country setting. \$189,900 MLS.



**5 SEA VIEW ACRES**  
150 degree view possible, you control the trees. 4.97 acres with driveway to bldg site, power, water and septic in. Views, acreage & close to town make this property well worth looking at. Call Mike for appt. to view. \$128,900.

**CALL MIKE HARDY**



**PRIVATE RANCHER**  
2 bedroom, one level home, **separate cabin** and workshop. .98 acre, close to town, hardwood flooring, airtight wood heater. Recently remodelled. Immediate occupancy possible. \$149,000.

**CALL MIKE HARDY**



**FULFORD WATERFRONT**  
.43 ac. fabulous low bank building lot in Reginald Hill. Facing west for dramatic sunsets. Small shell beach. Close to China Bay. Try your offer! Asking price \$196,000 MLS.

**CALL DICK TRORY**



**NEW HOME ON ACREAGE**  
CLOSE TO TOWN  
• Open floor plan with vaulted ceilings  
• 3 bedrooms plus den  
• Covered porch off Living room  
• Lots of windows  
• Private 1.98 acres  
• At this stage \$147,000  
• Finished Price \$177,000



**2.29 AC. NATURAL SETTING**  
Treed, level, close to lake, year round creek with pond potential, driveway in. Power, phone, cable TV to lot line. Offers to \$75,000.

**CALL DICK TRORY**



**VALHALLA PLACE TOWNHOMES**  
Close to town on a quiet cul-de-sac, modern and bright 2 bedrooms, plus a den. \$137,000 + GST.



**LAKEFRONT ESTATE**  
All the best - circular drive, elegant home and sandy beach. \$529,000 MLS.

**WATERFRONT ACREAGE**  
5 minutes from Galiano across Montague Harbour, southwest exposure, drilled well, power. \$134,000 MLS.

**SUBDIVIDABLE SEAVIEW ESTATE**  
80 acres of fields and forest, 2 driveways and a spectacular house. \$575,000 MLS.

**CALL ALLAN BRUCE**



**MIKE HARDY**  
537-4620



**ALLAN BRUCE**  
537-2799



**JAN MACPHERSON**  
537-9894



**DICK TRORY**  
537-2236



**MEL TOPPING**  
537-2426



**TOM PRINGLE**  
537-9996

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19): The Arian guiding meteor, Thelma, passes close to Pluto this week. Water figures prominently. A cruise, a bath or a burst water main may be in sight. Avoid air travel until at least Tuesday and plan to spend more time this week in your study trying to figure out how bills will be paid.

## ★ horoscope ★

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20): Robbie Burns Day, an old Disney film and a brochure in your grandmother's scrapbook "On Wearing a Highland Tartan" bring on cravings to smell heather. Nurseries may fail you — do not overlook the Scratch 'n' Sniff shop. Entrails are on special this week, so beware of dinner invitations, sausages or the pizza "special of the week." The weather brightens up even if Taurean financial fortunes do not.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20): You have a sudden urge to go fly fishing this weekend but you have no equipment and the VISA bill is already suffering post-Christmas credit-stretch. Your spouse wisely negotiates a compromise and you agree to see the film again. Food is important for staving off a cold this week. Oranges, walnuts and potato chips figure prominently.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22): Cupid appears on Thursday or Friday night, but not if you stay at home. That special person will be wearing black. Saturday, if you missed your cue, would be a good day to do laundry and read a short, distracting book. A letter or phone call from relatives brings good news and a trip may be arranged shortly. If you see sunscreen on special, pick up a bottle or two.

**LEO** (July 23 to Aug. 22): Persistent friends eager to celebrate in obsolete manner become source of nightmares as you envision group of tea-totters breaking down your doorway. For your part, you'd enjoy a cool brew. Days really slow this week. Major task is completed, but you miss association of chatty friend. Don't burn the phonedines, keep in contact.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22): Sunglasses can be removed as nasty, glaring white stuff finally fades to greener pastures. Stuffing the shades away for summer could prove futile. Your only chance at summer may be several kilometres south, across two borders. Don't let this depress you. Eat five times a day at Embe Bakery and gain a gross number of pounds. Then you'll really have something to cry about.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22): Misplaced hat or gloves becomes calamity of enormous proportions. This disaster, however, exists only in your mind. After all — how much money have you spent this year on winter wardrobes? New toque will only cost a fraction, unless you're bent on purchasing new jacket and boots to match. Mud-slicked driveway suddenly becomes perilous to visitors. Unwelcome guests may become stuck and end-up drinking copious amounts of your precious coffee.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21): If cold temperatures and snow-capped landscapes are keeping you from work, consider all options before selling the house and moving to Saturna. You could apply for a Ganges postal carrier position, sell Avon, or commute to Victoria and take on a paper route. If all else fails, become a realtor and sell your own house. Wednesday could be the most boring day of your life.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21): Unexpected hiccup from one of Jupiter's moons gets your week off to a rocky start. Refrain from eating ju-jubes or marzipan until at least Monday. Lifestyle change from New Year's resolution is suiting you well. Try not to lament bygone days of hard drinking and all-night carousing. Check out the loser at the next table for inspiration to continue on the straight and narrow. You smell much better lately.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19): Strange, airy sounds will continue to disturb already erratic sleep patterns for a few more weeks, when they will be replaced by readily identifiable and louder night and day noises for a considerable period of time. Sign up for self-hypnosis course and consider learning to cope. Start planning fantastic Valentine's Day surprises for sweethearts.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18): State of shock could envelope those unprepared for loss of reliable partner or realization your age is much closer to the beginning of one era than another. Forgive loved ones if they botch birthday celebration and leave a big mess for you to clean up. Resist urge to be totally reckless with recent return of mobility. Hungry ditches with everyone's name on them are lurking out there.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19 to March 20): Continuing sales make this a good week to invest in a watch with a built-in alarm clock to get you where you ought to be on time more often. Procrastination will result in loss of coveted deals. It is safe and advisable to sign contracts pertaining to future services offered to friends. Give everyone a break and avoid cooking with garlic this week, at least at the breakfast meal.

## GULF ISLANDS REALTY LTD.

P.O. Box 750, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0  
PHONE: (604) 537-5577  
FAX: (604) 537-5576

### OVER 800' OF LOW BANK WATERFRONT!



The flat beautifully treed 3.5 acres of low bank waterfront with dock potential and views into Active Pass has a 5 bedroom "turn of the century" home plus a number of outbuildings and an old orchard. This unique Galiano Island property is being offered for sale at \$695,000.  
**CALL DAVID DUKE 653-4538**

### A STUNNING WATERFRONT HOME ON PENDER ISLAND



This striking 3 BR home is sited on almost 1 acre of treed south facing property with a foreshore lease on protected Browning Harbour. Japanese traditional architecture has been blended with a West Coast contemporary influence to create a magnificent home with soaring skylit vaulted ceilings, huge river rock fireplace, exquisite cabinetry and wrap around sundecks. \$495,000.  
**CALL DAVID DUKE 653-4538**

### 2 BEDROOM TOWNHOUSES



Walking distance from Village, hospital, shops. 2 bathrooms, one with jetted tub, 5 appliances, vacuum system, single garage and many more features. 2 units to choose from. \$135,000 + GST.  
**CALL SANTY G. FUOCO 537-2773**

### AFFORDABLE 3 BEDROOM HOME



Great starter with 15' x 16' studio/workshop. Covered porch off living room, wood stove/insert. On sunny half acre with some ocean views. \$112,000 MLS.  
**CALL SANTY G. FUOCO 537-2773**

### PRIVATE MOORAGE, SPECTACULAR HOME



what a rare opportunity! Here is a home of superb craftsmanship, 3 years old. Over 2100 sq. ft. of well appointed living space with southern exposure and almost 1000 sq. ft. of deck overlooking the water. Contracted to cabinet/boat builders for construction and with extensive use of hardwood and tile, the feeling of Mediterranean living pervades. A professionally built dock offering deep keel moorage at low tide is at the shoreline below. This home is located in Maracaibo Estates where property owners enjoy private use of hundreds of acres of walking trails, beaches, tennis, marina facilities and more. \$469,000 MLS.  
**CALL DONNA REGEN, CGA 537-2845**

### ENJOY THE VIEW!



- Walk, cycle or jog 4 miles of country road
- Watch the boats sail by
- Relatively level 1.1 acres with well
- Close to the ocean, wharf, boat launch \$79,000

Call Peter Lamb 537-4859 or John Curran 537-4698

### SOUTHEY POINT



5.4 acre oceanfront peninsula of great natural beauty. \$1,300,000 (Cdn). For more information, please call:  
**Peter Lamb 537-4859 or John Curran 537-4698**


## 4-H elects officers

Salt Spring's 4-H Club begins the new year with members working on public speaking skills.

By LAURA STONE  
Driftwood Contributor

The next meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on January 29 at the Farmers' Institute.

Elections for new officers were held in December. Lisa Baker is this year's president. Leif Baker is vice-president. Jesse McLaughlin is secretary. Leslie Hamilton is treasurer and Steven Rainsford is the hospitality coordinator. Laura Stone is club reporter.



### SALT SPRING COMMUNITY SOCIETY NEWS

268 Fulford-Ganges Rd. 537-9971

- \* **24 HR. CRISIS LINE:** Dial 0 and ask for ZENITH 2262 (no charge). Caller is connected with the Need Crisis Centre in Victoria.
- \* **FOOD BANK:** Emergency food provided Mon.-Fri /1-3pm.
- \* **COUNSELLING SERVICES:** (free) Crisis and short-term counselling provided by Community Workers.
- \* **ALCOHOL & DRUG PROGRAM:** Prevention & treatment service is free and confidential.
- \* **ALTERNATIVES (Alcohol & Drug Advisory) COMMITTEE:** Meet on the third Wednesday of every month, 3:30pm at the Centre. The group welcomes public input in addressing substance abuse issues in our community. Call the Community Centre for more information.
- \* **YOUTH CENTRE:** For further information call 537-9938.
- \* **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR:** -Office & Food Bank -Youth Centre. Call the Centre for more information.

### INVESTMENT STARTERS OR?

3 well built homes on acreages, each presently used as duplexes. Well worth consideration! Reduced prices started at \$179,000. Call Darlene.

### PRIVATE & SECLUDED

Lovely 3 br. split level home. Some features are: Family room with wood heater, pegged wood floors, attached carport, beautifully treed 1.54 acres. A must see at \$174,000. Call Darlene.

### BEST BUY

Home, workshop, greenhouse on beautiful arable property with stream in the Fulford Valley. Only \$134,900. Call Darlene.

### C4 ZONED ACREAGE

4.56 Acres near Fulford Harbour. Call Darlene

### HIGH TRAFFIC AREA — ZONED C-1

• 48 ac. next to bakery  
• Water & sewer \$149,000 • Call Gary

### SUNNY QUIET PRIVACY \* EASY CARE HOME

• 3 b.r. mobile with attached garage  
• Spacious m.b.r. addition • Sun deck  
• Beautiful 1.1 ac. \$132,000 • Call Gary

### AFFORDABLE WATERFRONT HOME

• Spacious with sep. suite down  
• Stairs to beach • boat moorage  
• Excellent view & close to town  
• \$259,000 • Call Gary

### "VALHALLA PLACE" \* CLOSE TO TOWN

• Quiet 2 lev. condominiums now offered  
• 2 b.r., 2 baths, + 'bonus' room  
• Fr. \$137,000 • Call Gary or Edna



EDNA McFADDEN  
653-4944



PHYLLIS GREICO  
Office Manager



\*FREE EVALUATIONS\*  
\*NO OBLIGATION\*

**ISLAND BOUND Real Estate Ltd. MLS**

Off: 537-5892 Fax: 537-5968

By Embe Bakery • Box 376, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0



DARLENE O'DONNELL  
653-4386



GARY GREICO  
537-2086

# Changing times mark new needs

Not long ago, it was a luxury to own a two-car garage. But as times change our need for a triple garage is not out of the ordinary.

## home plans

Today's lifestyles are quite different from that of the past decades. Two-car garages are still sufficient for many families but when you see the automobiles that our teens are driving today, one more stall in the garage is sometimes a must.

If you have a summer sports car that only comes out when the sun decides to shine, you will need the extra space for storing both winter and summer vehicles.

This garage plan features a cottage style roof and cedar siding with brick accents — a look that will complement many house styles.

Before ordering plans for this or any garage plan, please check with your local building department for zoning and bylaw regulations in your area.

Plans for design No H14-0-221

## New officers installed at Fulford OAPO

New officers were installed when Fulford Harbour Old Age Pensioners' Organization met on January 19.

The officers were installed by Cameron Leask, branch president during 1985 and 1986.

Following the installation ceremony, members honoured all past presidents by presenting special pins to Cameron Leask, Evelyn Lee, Jack Stibbards and Elsa Drummond.

Betty Brigden, the first president of Branch 170, could not attend this presentation, but following the meeting, she was visited at her home and given her pin together with the thanks and best wishes of all Fulford members.

Due to heavy snowfalls and icy roads, weekly bingo and card evenings were postponed during January. These activities will resume, all being well, before the end of this month.

Plans were discussed for the hosting of the South Vancouver Island regional meeting on February 2, starting at 10:30 a.m. A lunch of soup and sandwiches will be served.

are available for \$60 (set of three) and \$10 for each additional copy. B.C. residents add six per cent provincial sales tax. Also add seven dollars GST to both the plan prices and postage charges. Postage and handling charges are \$4.50 within B.C. and \$6.50 outside of B.C.

Our 23rd edition of the Home Plan Catalogue containing over 240 plans is available for \$9.50 (including taxes, postage and handling). Make all cheques and money orders payable to "Home Plan of the Week" and mail to Home Plan of the Week c/o Driftwood, 336 Columbia Street, New Westminster B.C., V3L 1A6.

TRIPLE CAR GARAGE  
35'-4" x 23'-2"  
(10.8 x 7.1 M)

GARAGE FLOOR PLAN

ALL DESIGNS © COPYRIGHT  
JENISH HOUSE DESIGN LIMITED

WIDTH — 36'-0" (11.0 M)  
DEPTH — 24'-0" (7.3 M)

PRICE—\$60 for 3 copies  
\$10 for each additional copy

PLAN NO. H14-0-221

## TRI-K DRILLING

Serving the Islands for 25 years  
MODERN HYDRAULIC EQUIPMENT

Albert Kaye  
537-5738

Or Call  
Collect 478-5064



## KINGFISHER COVE

Now entering the final stage of construction, the last six homes in this 32-home complex in downtown Ganges are scheduled to be ready for occupancy by mid-summer. To learn more about these exceptional oceanside townhomes featuring

- Private moorage
- Panoramic ocean views
- Spacious, bright open style floorplans
- Maintenance free, carefree living
- Sizes from 1100 to 2500 sq. ft.
- Priced from \$149,500
- Exceptional quality

either call the owner directly at 727-9940 (Victoria) or contact your local realtor.

Site sales office open daily 1:00—4:00 pm



## BUYING or SELLING

Call ED DAVIS

WATERFRONT & ISLAND SPECIALIST

I work Salt Spring, the Islands & the coast of B.C.

537-9977 (office) or 537-2626 (home)

136 Lower Ganges Road, P.O. Box 1022

Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0

## NEW LISTING BEAUTIFUL LAKE FRONT HOME

One of Salt Springs Finest Waterfront Homes



Private setting, just steps to dock & float. Architect, modern 2 bedroom plus den, open plan home with close in lake views and waterfront ambience. Enjoy quiet - swimming, sailing, great bass & trout fishing. \$469,900.

## DEADMAN ISLAND

Private island paradise in the heart of Ganges Harbour. 3.8 acres with small islet at either end. Architect designed sunrise house, just 3 years old. On the west end, a comfortable sunset cottage enjoys expansive views of the Harbour. Good well, exceptional island, 5 minutes to Ganges from private dock. Rare offering. \$895,000

## BEST VALUE WATERFRONT BUY

Enjoy lakeside living in this charming older home on beautiful St. Mary Lake. Two bedroom rancher overlooks tranquil lake and farm views. Flowering gardens, excellent lake access for boating, swimming, fishing and floating. Come quick, and bring only \$225,000.

## OCEANFRONT ACREAGES

Long Harbour, Salt Spring Island  
Safe deep water moorage at your doorstep. Conveniently located between Ganges and Long Harbour. Choose from one of three 5 acre parcels from \$198,000 — \$214,000. Serviced, selectively cleared and with building sites ready for your plans!

## OCEANFRONT SPLENDOR

Salt Spring Island  
Beautifully finished, 4,000+ sq. ft. modern home on an easy care .69 acre oceanfront property. Landscaped, garden, very private setting. Deep water moorage, water lease, fabulous seaside views and waterfront ambience. Large entertainment room with indoor hot tub and sauna. This one is special! \$698,500.

'MAN AT WORK' January Quote  
"She's not really stuck! I consider it more like  
"Temporary Cold Storage"



RECREATION, RETIREMENT & INVESTMENT PROPERTIES ON SALT SPRING, THE ISLANDS AND THE B.C. COAST.

CALL ED DAVIS TO VIEW THESE FINE PROPERTIES  
537-9977 OR 537-2626



PEMBERTON HOLMES  
(GULF ISLANDS LTD.)  
"Your Community Realtor"

537-5568  
P.O. Box 929,  
156 Fulford Ganges Rd.  
Ganges B.C.  
Victoria Dir. & Fax 652-9225

1887 - 1992  
105 Years  
as your good  
neighbour!  
1887-1992

## FANTASTIC VIEWS

- Mt. Baker, Ganges Harbour and the Islands
- Great family home
- 3 bedrooms plus hobby area
- easy care grounds  
Only \$209,000  
CALL ARVID



## SUPERB SOUTH-FACING WATERFRONT

- Private, secluded and protected
- Sand & shell beach  
\$435,000 MLS  
Call Arvid or Carol

## SPACIOUS LAKEVIEW HOME

This well maintained 3 bedroom + den home on .91 level acre. 2 custom stone fireplaces, large family kitchen, lots of cupboards. Workshop in garage, fenced raised garden, fruit trees, sundeck & privacy.  
GREAT VALUE AT \$184,500 MLS.  
Call Ann

## SOUTHEND BEAUTY

- 5 acres close to Huckle Park
- small cottage
- a place to stay while you build your dream home
- hydro, water & telephone in  
\$349,000 MLS  
Call Arvid or Carol

## SEAVIEWS, SUNSHINE & SUNSETS!

- exceptional custom built home
- features sunroom, fam. size kitchen + local stone f.p. & walls
- double garage + carport
- fantastic views on both levels of home \$475,000  
DON'T DREAM TOO LONG!  
Call Arvid

ARVID CHALMERS - 537-2182  
Principal Agent  
MLS Gold, Silver Awards Winner  
ANN FOERSTER 537-5156

CAROL FOWLES 537-5993  
AMY GOODWILL 537-1888  
ERIC BOOTH 537-9532

WYNNE DAVIES 537-9484  
PAT LLOYD-WALTERS 537-2005  
PETER RAINIER 537-2031

Salt Spring Island  
Head Office  
P.O. Box 454  
1101 Grace Point Square  
Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0

# Century 21

## Islands Realty Ltd.

Buying or selling, call us first  
**537-9981**  
(24 Hours)  
Each office is independently owned and operated



**SYLVIA GALE**  
Sales Rep.  
537-5618



**EILEEN LARSEN**  
Sales Rep.  
537-5067



**KERRY CHALMERS**  
Sales Rep.  
537-5823



**JANET MARSHALL**  
Sales Rep.  
537-5359



**PAT JACQUEST**  
Sales Rep.  
537-5650



**ANITA AYTON**  
Sales Rep.  
537-9981



**JAMES LAUT**  
Sales Rep.  
537-

### SALT SPRING PROPERTIES



#### MINUTES TO TOWN

Peace • privacy • parklike • 3 bedroom plus family room • stained glass windows • seasonal creek • mature landscaping • full height basement • UBC passive solar home. See it today! \$229,000 MLS.

CALL KERRY CHALMERS



#### CUTE AS A BUTTON

Tucked away in a garden setting, sits this compact woodsey home. New Merit kitchen and tasteful floor coverings. Mature fruit trees, greenhouse and double carport complete the picture. \$141,500 MLS.

CALL PAT JACQUEST



#### A HOME WITH SPECIAL EFFECTS

This beautifully refinished 1886 sq. ft. ranch style home is full of surprises, hot tub, conservatory room overlooking a duck pond, and a large garage/workshop. All on a pretty .65 acre. \$205,000.

CALL ANNE WATSON



#### ARMCHAIR GOLFER?

This modern s.w. facing 3 bedroom home is a "Hole in One"! Decks and spacious living/dining room overlook Blackburn Lake and golf course. Hardwood floors and vaulted pine ceilings bring it up to par.

CALL FINN RONNE



#### GOLDEN OLDIE

Beautifully cared for older home with outstanding seaviews. Sited on 2.5 acres of spectacular gardens, orchard and wood. All the luxury of today with yesteryear's charm. \$325,000 MLS.

CALL PAT JACQUEST



#### SEMI-WATERFRONT ACREAGE

These beautifully treed 3.64 acres with oceanfront access across a quiet road have terrific potential for a delightful seaside property with great ocean views. List price \$165,000 MLS.

CALL EILEEN LARSEN



#### TOWERING ARBUTUS

Spacious light filled rooms, sun soaked decks and over an acre of south facing privacy. Magnificent arbutus trees frame a sparkling view of Sansum Narrows. A delightful setting! \$299,000 MLS.

CALL PAT JACQUEST



#### STARTER WITH A VIEW

This 2 BR bungalow overlooks St. Mary Lake and neighbouring farm, is located in a good area yet is priced to sell at \$142,500.

CALL EILEEN LARSEN



#### NO BEARS IN THESE WOODS

Let's get back to nature! Cute and cosy small cottage tucked privately away in a pretty wooded setting. Shower under the stars, relax in the great out of doors. \$119,000 MLS.

CALL PAT JACQUEST



#### HOMESTEADER SPECIAL

Small trailer plus addition, 20 x 24 workshop and several outbuildings on this 1.08 ac. property located close to town. Great property with corral, garden area, orchard & more. Only \$85,000 MLS.

CALL JANET MARSHALL



#### VERY SPECIAL SETTING

Relax at the beach — right off your own deck! Charming home boasts immense windows, gracious relaxed atmosphere and pretty garden. Exquisite clamshell cove — perfect for sunning and swimming. \$449,900 MLS.

CALL PAT JACQUEST



#### LITTLE LOG CABIN!

Home sweet home — with a sheltered setting, close to ocean beaches, in a nice community of fellow spirits. Start your home ownership with a home you'll long remember! Only \$100,000 MLS.

CALL JANET MARSHALL



#### BRAND NEW OCEANVIEW!

Splendid oceanview potential on this level and easy to develop 1/2 acre. Water and sewer hookups available — all you need is your house plans. Let's make an offer! Only \$67,500 MLS.

CALL JANET MARSHALL



#### MILLION DOLLAR VIEW

Spectacular sea views, southern exposure and a custom, quality home. Easy care setting allows you time for relaxation. Soak up some rays on the expansive deck. \$285,000 MLS.

CALL PAT JACQUEST



#### WATERFRONT INVESTMENT

One of two lots available at Musgrave Landing. Super ocean views in two directions. Sunny exposure with services at lot line. Ownership includes marina and tennis court. \$139,500 MLS.

CALL BRIAN BETTS



#### CREEKSIDE LEASE SPACE

Superb spaces, three in number. Competitive rates. Very attractive building, air conditioning. High traffic count. For full details, please...

CALL PETER BARDON



#### PRIDE AND PRIVACY

Lovingly designed and built oceanview home has all the features a discerning buyer is looking for. Over 2000 square feet — 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, warm, open living plan. Five new appliances, double garage, many more features. On a large, private acreage in Channel Ridge! \$269,900 MLS.

CALL JANET MARSHALL



#### GRACE POINT SQUARE

Seaview lease space. High traffic area, two excellent spaces. 628 sq. ft., or 884 sq. ft. Attractive rates. Please call now for details.

CALL PETER BARDON



#### WATCH THE FREIGHTERS

Privately sited home with sea and island views. Quality materials including imported tiles and solid oak cabinets. Spacious rooms, delightful kitchen, solarium and wainscotted pool room! \$279,000 MLS.

CALL PAT JACQUEST



#### SUPER WATERFRONT RETREAT

Fishing, boating, diving, hiking, beautiful scenery — it's all here. 1/2 acre waterfront lot including sewer, water, power, plus ownership in the private marina and tennis court. Perfect holiday retreat. \$150,000 MLS.

CALL BRIAN BETTS



#### PRICE REDUCED!

This three bedroom family home has been reduced for a quick sale. Bring your family and make us an offer we can't refuse. Now \$144,900 MLS.

CALL JANET MARSHALL



#### WELCOMING FAMILY HOME

One of the best values in its category, this large solidly built home is also well finished and has room for expansion inside and out. \$179,900 MLS.

CALL ANNE WATSON



#### CAREFREE LIFESTYLE

Truly unique location on the waterfront and the heart of Ganges. Immaculate top quality townhouse featuring 2 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, den, garage, sun-decks, private hot tub and million dollar views. \$349,900 MLS.

CALL BRIAN BETTS



#### INEXPENSIVE SEAVIEW

Tired of looking at oceanview acreages over \$100,000? Here's one you probably have skipped because the view's not apparent from the road. We'll be glad to show it! Only \$83,000 MLS.

CALL JANET MARSHALL



#### COMFORTABLE ABODE

This charming log home features living room, dining room, kitchen and bathroom on the main floor. Upstairs is a full bedroom and guest area. Attractive, quiet property. Asking \$126,000 MLS.

CALL PETER BARDON

CENTURION® AWARD OFFICE



1991

WE COVER ALL THE GULF ISLANDS

**MLS**  
MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE

**Century 21**

**Islands Realty Ltd.**

Pender Island 629-6417  
629-6494  
Galiano Island 539-2002  
Mayne Island 539-5527  
Saturna Island 539-2121



**PETER W. BARDON**  
Sales Rep.  
653-4576



**ANNE WATSON**  
Sales Rep.  
537-2284



**BRIAN BETTS**  
Sales Rep.  
537-5876



**FINN RONNE**  
Sales Rep.  
537-1271



**GEORGE PUHARICH**  
Sales Rep.  
537-9111



**PETER W. BARDON**  
Sales Rep.  
653-4576



**MARY SMALL**  
Principal Agent  
537-5176

**SALT SPRING PROPERTIES**



**BRINKWORTH'S SOCIAL CENTRE!**

If you demand beautiful surroundings, but want easy care living, check out this very special home. Glorious small garden, luxury one level residence, close to all amenities. \$142,000 MLS. CALL PAT JACQUEST



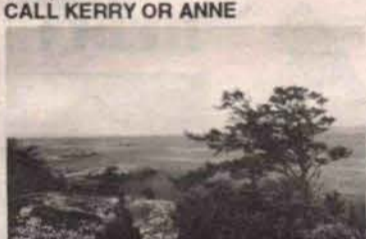
**BE AN EARLY BIRD!**

• 2 bedrooms plus "bonus" room town-homes • French doors • dishwasher • gas fireplace • central vacuum system • recessed lighting • electric garage door opener • 2 bathrooms. Don't pass up this opportunity! Listed from \$135,000 +GST. CALL KERRY OR ANNE



**SUNSOAKING WATERFRONT**

This contemporary 1800 sq. ft. open-plan three bedroom home, bathed in sunshine, sitting on a white clam shell beach will put you in a holiday mood every day of the year. \$435,000. CALL ANNE WATSON



**UNIQUE ISLAND PROPERTY**

Discovery Island is just minutes from Oak Bay marina. This 8 acre property has an unbelievable panoramic view of the Olympic Mountains, San Juans and Gulf Islands. \$375,000 MLS. CALL BRIAN BETTS



**INSPIRATION WELCOME**

Put on your thinking cap. This impressive commercial building needs an innovative owner. Approx. 5000 sq. ft. of space in downtown Ganges, adjacent to the new arts centre. \$275,000 MLS. CALL PAT JACQUEST



**BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY**

Well established business in Ganges village with good potential for expansion. All equipment included and owner will train if necessary. Building available separately. \$162,000 MLS. CALL BRIAN BETTS/PETER BARDON



**WATERFRONT**

Walk-on beach. Quiet location. Comfortable two/three bedroom home. Living room, dining room and rumpus all look to the sea. Two bathrooms. .97 of an acre. \$279,000 MLS. CALL PETER BARDON



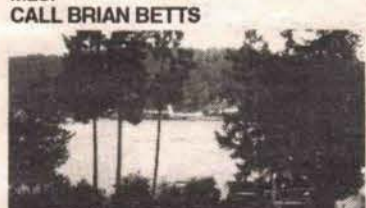
**GRACE POINT TOWNHOUSE**

Fabulous harbour view from both levels of this 2 bedroom Grace Point townhouse. Waterfront in the center of Ganges village is rare. Terrific investment or retirement home. \$279,500 MLS. CALL BRIAN BETTS



**IN A SUNNY GARDEN**

Comfortable, tastefully decorated home with a large spacious living room, two bedrooms on the main level and one downstairs. Sunny garden, sea glimpses, good location close to Vesuvius amenities. \$157,000. CALL ANNE WATSON



**BRIGHT SUNNY WATERFRONT**

Well kept summer retreat. Cottage, boat-house and fore-shore lease make this an excellent purchase, and a top investment. Asking \$198,000. Call soon. CALL PETER BARDON



**THINKING OF SELLING?**

List with us — we offer the

**Air Miles™ Programme**

**OUTER ISLANDS PROPERTIES**



**FLYNN MARR**  
Mayne Sales Rep.  
539-5527



**SUE FOOTE**  
Pender Sales Rep.  
629-6417



**JOHN FOOTE**  
Pender Sales Rep.  
629-6417



**ALEX FRASER**  
Pender Sales Rep.  
629-6494



**DON PIPER**  
Saturna Sales Rep.  
539-2121

**MAYNE ISLAND**

**SERVICE STATION/GAS DOCK**  
In the beautiful Gulf Islands of B.C.  
• 0.83 ac. C-5 Commercial Free Hold  
• 1680 sq. ft. Service Station  
• 960 sq. ft. Commercial Lease Space  
• 2 Gas Pumps, Esso Supply Contract  
• Propane, Furnace Oil Service  
• Gas Dock in busy Active Pass  
• 2 bedroom 1100 sq. ft. home  
• Video Rental Business and more!  
This is a dream opportunity to live and work in the heart of Canada's water vacation playland. This immaculate business is well run and profitable. A unique offering at only \$469,500 MLS.

**COTTAGE ON THE WATER**  
For very little you can have it all! A small cottage on almost a half acre of waterfront. It comes fully furnished with appliances, fully landscaped, includes a small boathouse/workshop, 24V yard lighting, two sheltered mooring buoys, swimming raft and, best of all, a government dock lease for your future boat dock. And to top it off, when you are ready to build there is a fabulous building site with views! A Bargain!!! \$189,900  
CALL FLYNN MARR

**PENDER ISLAND**

**LOTS...**  
from \$28,500...services available at the lot line.

**PANABODE...**  
...with 2 bdms, utility room & 2 large sundecks. JUST \$98,500.

**RETIREMENT HOME!!**  
...2 level home with 2 bdms + den, paved drive, and separate greenhouse and workshop. \$179,900.  
CALL JOHN OR SUE FOOTE

**VALLEY VIEW**  
This large sloping sunny lot in a quiet area has already been cleared to expose valley view and building site. The lot is on municipal water and has easy access from both top and bottom. \$32,000 MLS.  
CALL ALEX FRASER

**AGRAND OPPORTUNITY**  
4 bdrm, 3 bath contemporary home on 1.33 ac. in a high, sunny location with privacy and OCEAN VIEWS! Originally listed at \$199,900 — now the overseas owner says SELL — for \$157,500!!  
CALL JOHN & SUE TODAY

**SATURNA ISLAND...**

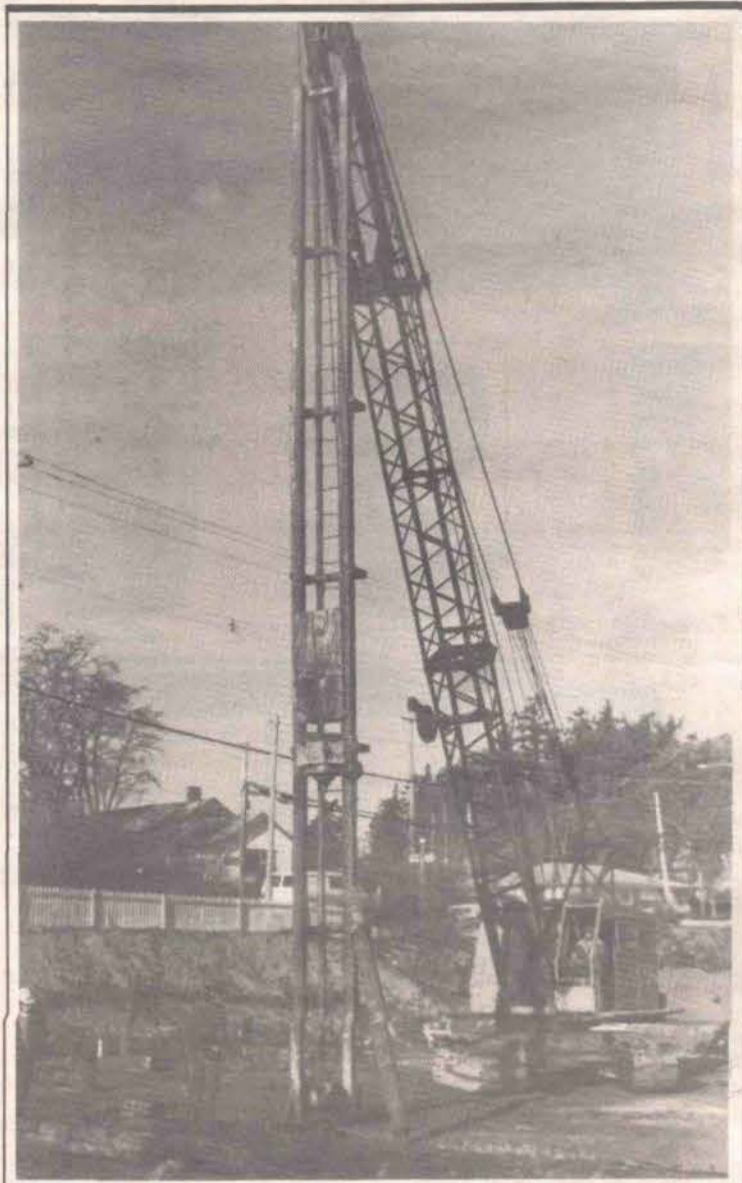
**SPECTACULAR OCEANFRONT HOME**  
"Old Point Farm Ltd." co-operative is the most desirable 280 acre peninsula in the Gulf Islands. Almost an Island, it has hundreds of feet of waterfrontage, and a private dock. Forests of arbutus, garry oak and grand fir predominate with some open fields linked with many trails throughout. This two bedroom home with music room, study, has an open airy plan that allows you to enjoy the western views down Navy Channel. If you want privacy, sun, and an oceanlife experience, call me now! \$449,000 MLS.  
CALL DON PIPER

**WANT RETIREMENT INCOME?**  
This is an excellent opportunity for a couple who want to semi-retire and live in the Gulf Islands. Over 100 feet low-bank south-west facing waterfront with older 2 bedroom home. Boat moorage and repair facilities are much needed in the outer Gulf Islands. This property has the dockage, marine ways and repair facilities — it just needs to be developed to its full potential. Commercial zoned and water lease available. \$475,000.  
CALL DON PIPER

**CENTURION® AWARD OFFICE**



**QUALITY SERVICE — QUALITY RESULTS**



Driftwood photo by Derrick Lundy

**CRANING:** Numerous passers-by in the Ganges core recently craned their necks to find the source of the thud-thud echoing through Mouat's parking lot. Construction continues at the new Mouat's building site.

## Newly released census data details islands

New census data supports what many Gulf Island women have already noticed — there is a shortage of men in these parts.

Demographic information from the 1991 census recently released by Statistics Canada confirms 5,915 females lived among only 5,560 males on the Gulf Islands in the Capital Regional District on June 4, 1991.

There were fewer males in all age categories, except those 14 years of age and under. There were 980 males and 950 females in that group.

Other age groups broke down as follows: 15-24 years - 550 female, 415 male; 25-34 years - 595 female, 485 male; 35-44 years - 1,010 female, 930 male; 45-54 years - 727 female, 670 male; 55-64 years - 800 female, 775 male; 65-74 years - 940 female, 855 male; over 75 years - 510 female, 450 male.

Of persons over 15 years of age, 1,750 are single, 5,855 are legally married and not separated, 320 are legally married and separated, 725 are widowed and 875 are divorced.

without children at home (1,885 households), followed by those with one child at home (410).

Two children live with their married parents in 365 homes; 190 families with married parents have three or more children.

Families headed by a common-

law couple in the Gulf Islands maintain a similar pattern on a smaller scale.

Couples living without children at home number 205; 75 have one child at home; 50 have two while 25 have three or more children.

There are 345 lone-parent families, 75 of those headed by men and 275 headed by women.

**\$69,900-CHEAPER THAN RENT**

2 BR dwelling, 1/2 Acre

**DOES YOUR HEART LONG FOR MAGNIFICENT VIEWS?**

3+ BR's, workshop space, easy care, easy to see!  
Only \$233,900

**VIEWS & ELEGANCE**

Tranquil courtyard garden, 60' of glass. Spacious!  
\$398,000

**LAKEFRONT - IDEAL B&B**  
setting with 2 br. in-law suite, new carpets, beautiful gardens + dock & beachfront. \$389,000.  
Brochure.

**WESTFACING WATERFRONT**

driveway in. Seasonal  
moorage too. SUN SUN

20 Acre, walk to town  
Seaviews, too! \$89,000

Call  
Jan Macpherson  
537-9894 (H)  
537-5553 (24 Hrs)

**CHR**  
CREEK HOUSE REALTY LTD.



How big is our God? Is he big enough to meet all our needs or should we look for someone else?

By RICK HILL  
S.S. Pentecostal Assembly

One of the most powerful civilizations in history, the Inca nation of South America, worshipped the sun. The sun provided light and heat — it affected the seasons. It seemed to move across the sky every day.

## cross currents

But there were some Incas who began questioning how powerful the sun actually was. After all, how powerful was a god that could only move in one direction — every day doing the same thing? A God of power would be able to go anywhere he wanted.

And how powerful was a god that could be blocked out of view by a passing cloud? These Incas wondered if the sun could be as powerful as they had imagined. There must be an all-powerful god that could control even the sun.

Other civilizations have had their belief systems — some have looked to certain animals or birds as being gods that could do wonderful things. They had stories about these gods.

But in nearly every culture there was also a belief in an all-powerful God . . . the God of the Heavens.

In the book of Joshua, there is a record of a time in history when the sun stood still over the valley of Ajalon (Joshua 10:12). There is only one recorded time when the sun has continued to shine throughout the night all around the world.

There are indications in Greece, Egypt, China and Mexico of a time in history that corresponds to this account in Joshua when the sun shone for 24 hours.

If the Living God is so powerful that he can do this, is there anything too difficult for him? When discouragement creeps in, when situations seem too big to handle — remember that this same God is able to meet our needs. He is able to calm the storms and can even stop the sun in its tracks if necessary.



The design and preparation of working drawings takes time and shouldn't be rushed. Securing Building Permits and Quotations also takes time. If you are planning to start construction of your new home in the Spring, you should choose your designer soon. The best Contractors are usually booked for the year by April and procrastination could result in a year's delay or settling for second best. We'll be happy to discuss your plans without obligation.

Call BILL MONAHAN...537-4290

**THE OMEGA DESIGN TEAM**  
SALT SPRING ISLAND  
P.O. BOX 63 GANGES, B.C. V0S 1E0

## FIVE STAR MOVING

- your local moving specialists -



- \* Regular trips to Vancouver & Victoria
- \* Friendly, reliable & professional \* Owner/operated
- \* Fully licensed & insured \* Reasonable rates

Our reputation is everything to us.  
We care about giving you 100% satisfaction!

CALL RANDY  
537-9501

## FULFORD HARBOUR PRICE REDUCTION



Almost new 3 bedroom home within a short walk to Fulford Village, ferry and school. Located on 1.5 acres of south facing property. Very warm and cosy. PRICED TO SELL AT \$159,000.

Talk to the People Who Know Fulford

**NRS**

Talk to DENNIS O'HARA  
at our Fulford Branch  
111 Morningside Road  
653-9555 (office)  
653-4101 (home)



THE WEEKLY  
**News**

**FORECAST**

Clear and bright for our islands

YOUR COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER—SERVING THE GULF ISLANDS SINCE 1960

# 92%

of readers look to their Driftwood for local news coverage.

Proof that

SOURCE: Canadian Facts Local News

# Repairs affect ferries

Sturdies Bay ferry terminal closed for major reconstruction recently, affecting the regular ferry schedule throughout the Gulf Islands for the next six weeks.

Galiano Island will be serviced through Montague Harbour.

Replacement of the dock wingwalls necessitates the two-week closure, B.C. Ferry Corporation information officer Pat Stephens said.

Service between the Gulf Islands has changed as a result, she said. Passengers are asked to consult temporary schedules available at B.C. Ferry terminals or phone for information about specific arrival and departure times.

The *Queen of Tsawwassen*, *Queen of Cumberland* and the *Tachek* are all affected. The regular winter schedule is expected to resume Wednesday, March 3.

# Bridge trivia provided

Following is an account of how the game of Bridge obtained its name. The article was submitted by Bunny Jordan, great niece of Sidney Lamb.

In about 1890-1900, the laws of bridge were made by the New York Whist Club and the St. James Square Portland Club. A committee was formed by members of both clubs.

One member of the English club was Sidney Lamb.

### Derivation of Bridge:

Dealer, who has first option of bidding and has insufficient count, could pass the opening bid to his partner. The term used was "I'll leave it to you, partner," thus came the term "bridging over."

If the partner does not wish to open, then opponents have chance of opening, left of the dealer first.

Conventions were introduced by Americans early, about 1910, later taken up by English. The more conservative English were slower at taking up conventions. Information so given was information to opponents.

Once a trick is turned and quitted, it is not to be reviewed. The rule is now obsolete, now changed so until another card has been led, one can view turned trick re "Jacobi."

# bridge tricks

Gulf Islands Bridge Club results on January 18 were as follows:

### NORTH/SOUTH

Gordon Hutton and John Sarginson, Sue Bradford and Conhor Hunt, Derek Arnold and Peter Jacques.

### EAST/WEST

Joan Conlan and Trevor Taylor, Betty Valdez and Edith Owens, Mary Joy and Bill McFarlane.

### Tuesday night winners were:

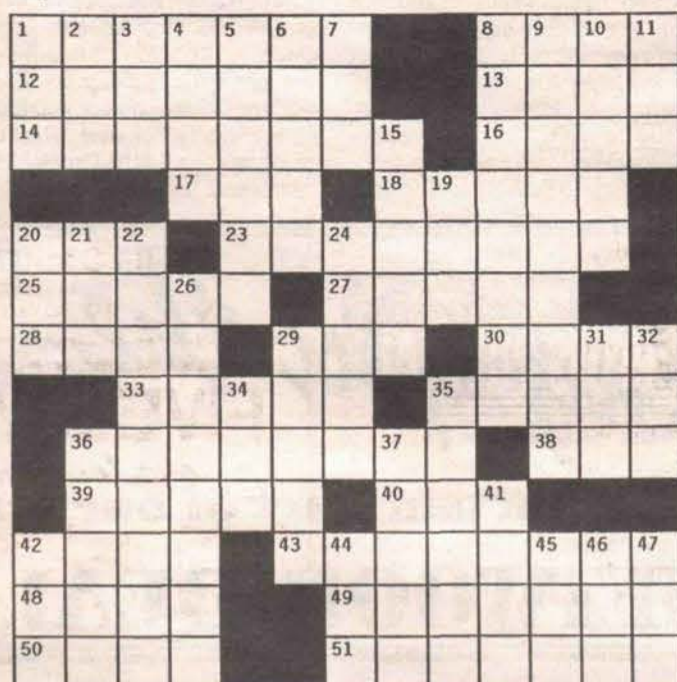
### NORTH/SOUTH

Ian Thomas and Conhor Hunt, Helen Shandro and Isabelle Richardson, Gordon and Norma Joyner.

### EAST/WEST:

Ima and Wim Krayenhoff, Trevor Taylor and Boyd Siemens, Joan Conlan and Sue Bradford.

## Canadian Criss Cross by Walter D. Feener



- |                                  |                         |                               |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>ACROSS</b>                    | 39. Wahine's greeting   | 21. Conscious subject         |
| 1. Sweet savor                   | 40. Goddess of plenty   | 22. Take for granted          |
| 8. Heraldic band                 | 42. Utter verbal abuse  | 24. Agave fiber               |
| 12. Daughter of Tethys           | 43. Citizen             | 26. Johnny-come-lately        |
| 13. Lilaceous plant              | 48. Major ending        | 29. New York city             |
| 14. Apartment houses             | 49. Rearrange           | 31. --- de Janeiro            |
| 16. Knights' tournament          | 50. Looker              | 32. Supper scrap              |
| 17. New Guinea city              | 51. Cared for medically | 34. --- dien                  |
| 18. Spanish island               |                         | 35. Rise aloft                |
| 20. Vivacity                     | <b>DOWN</b>             | 36. Well flavored             |
| 23. Kashmir capital              | 1. Anatomical pouch     | 37. Adorer                    |
| 25. Anguish                      | 2. French coin          | 41. Intoxicating drink        |
| 27. Clean by rubbing             | 3. Corded cloth         | 42. Apprehend                 |
| 28. Olfactory organ              | 4. Wrestling bout       | 44. Quick in learning         |
| 29. Ending that makes coy a wolf | 5. Fidgety              | 45. One-seeded fruit          |
| 30. Eliel's son                  | 6. Kitchen appliance    | 46. Greek goddess of mischief |
| 33. Textile weave                | 7. Nigerian city        | 47. Went first                |
| 35. Exhibiting activity          | 8. Military uniform     |                               |
| 36. Turns out well               | 9. British queen        |                               |
| 38. Close to something sought    | 10. Helical             |                               |
|                                  | 11. Coterie             |                               |
|                                  | 15. Before now          |                               |
|                                  | 19. Legal profession    |                               |
|                                  | 20. Goat deity          |                               |

**Crossword Answers B10**

First 1/2 hr. consultation free

## McKIMM & LOTT

### BARRISTERS & SOLICITORS

- Divorce & Family Law
- Personal Injury Claims
- Criminal Law
- Wills & Estates
- Real Estate & Mortgages
- Corporate & Commercial Law

GANGES CENTRE BLDG. Telephone 537-9951  
(Above the Post Office)  
Open 9 am to 5 pm, Monday to Friday

DRIFTWOOD SAYS:

# CHECK YOUR LABEL!

MR. & MRS. ANYBODY  
123 A STREET  
ANYTOWN, B.C.  
XOX OXO

01/01/93  
month day year

January 1, 1993 is the renewal date.  
RENEW NOW, DON'T MISS AN ISSUE!!  
Gulf Islands  
**Driftwood**  
537-9933

## IS YOUR WELL WATER SAFE TO DRINK?

Contamination can occur without changes in colour or taste.

\$25.00 per test • Results in 24 hours  
Be Safe • Test Annually!

10115-C McDonald Park Rd.  
Sidney, B.C. V8L 3X9

**656-1334**

## 2 ROOM BARN ON 1.5 ACRES

- 4 GPM well
- Driveway
- Easy site servicing

ONLY \$75,000

Call Jan Macpherson  
537-9894 (H)  
537-5553 (24 Hrs)

CHR  
CREEK HOUSE REALTY LTD.

## REFORM PARTY OF CANADA

The Canadian economy is in crisis. Unless we eliminate Government borrowing by reducing Government spending, our national debt will soon have grown beyond redemption.

**JACK FRAZER**  
Saanich & the Gulf Islands Candidate

OFFICE OPEN MON. to FRI. 10am-3pm 479-0733  
AUTHORIZED BY BOB DAVIE OFFICIAL AGENT FOR JACK FRAZER

## CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT

The following is a summary of the proposed Emergency Program extended service for Salt Spring Island as set out in By-law No. 2084 cited as "Salt Spring Island Emergency Programs Extended Service Bylaw No. 1, 1992". Bylaw No. 2084 has received three readings and has been forwarded to the Inspector of Municipalities for approval.

### Service to be established

The Capital Regional District Board has enacted, by bylaw, pursuant to Section 789 (1) (f) of the Municipal Act, to establish and operate an extended service of programs in preparation for emergencies to be known as Emergency Program.

The service to be established will enable emergency response organizations such as police, ambulance, fire, and search and rescue to respond to disasters which are beyond the ability of any one such organization to respond to effectively.

### Service Area and Participating Area

The service area and participating area boundaries of the Emergency Program shall be coterminous with that of the Electoral Area of Salt Spring Island.

### Cost Recovery and Apportionment of Costs

The participating area can be established without borrowing. The cost of providing the service shall be recovered by requisition of money to be collected by a property value tax.

A copy of the complete by-law may be viewed during normal working hours, 8:30am to 4:30pm, Monday to Friday inclusive, excluding statutory holidays, from January 27, 1993 to February 10, 1993 at the local Capital Regional District Building Inspection offices, 118 Manson Road, Ganges, B.C.

CRD Administration Dept.

Go ahead... stick your neck out!  
Let people know what you've got to offer by advertising in the

## DRIFTWOOD

# Wild, domestic animals suffering winter weather

As Salt Spring Islanders complain about the cold weather and how much extra wood the fire is using, they might think about less fortunate creatures who are dying from the cold.

Both Salt Spring SPCA senior inspector Christine Wooldridge and assistant inspector Kellie Booth ask islanders to take special care of their own domestic animals and livestock and, where possible, think about the wild birds and animals that are having trouble finding enough food and water in this cold weather.

"Water is as important as food," Wooldridge said. "All birds need water all year round. Putting hot water out in a dish or birdbath is always good."

The smaller birds need as much food as they can get just to stay warm through the cold nights, she said, and the quail is particularly hit by the snow.

"It mostly survives on the broom seed and the snowcover is deadly," Wooldridge said.

She throws out hen-scratch to the quails and also puts wild birdseed under the deck, where quail may seek refuge.

Varied thrushes will not go after seed on a feeder, she said. Put the seed on a flat tray on the ground. Other birds prefer fruit to seeds. Raisins and grapes, bits of apple or pear are appropriate.

The "worst-off" animals are deer, Wooldridge said. Every day, people call the SPCA about a dead or near-dead deer. The department of highways takes the animals away if they are on the road or in a ditch. The SPCA will collect and euthanize others.

Winter-death syndrome — starvation — is the cause of most deer deaths.

"Deer here have no fat on their carcass," she said. "They cannot cope with sudden cold periods and food shortages."

Wooldridge estimates 60 per cent of the fawn population dies each winter in this way.

But there is little people can do about the deaths, Booth said. "The deer don't have any natural predators on the island, except man. The weather acts as a natural

predator," she said. "People want to help and make them better. By the time the deer end up on your doorstep, they are in the final stages of winter-kill. Tender loving care is not going to save them."

Wooldridge said islanders should not feed deer cabbages and

old bread. Residents should not feed deer at all, she said. "It encourages them to hang about houses and lose their fear of people."

Victoria SPCA executive director Lynn West said a growing problem for the SPCA is anti-freeze.

Domestic animals have been poisoned licking up anti-freeze which leaks from automobiles. New non-toxic anti-freezes, *Kool-tone* and *Auto-cool*, are produced but not widely available. West did not know anywhere in Greater Victoria where either of these were

sold. West said non-toxic antifreezes might be more widespread if customers asked their local suppliers to get it or wrote to anti-freeze manufacturers like Dow Chemicals or Union Carbide and requested a non-toxic product.

## Bringing you the News!

an important part of our team

# DRIFTWOOD DEALERS

This week's

## Feature Dealer



### WATERSIDE BISTRO

*Katherine Ackerman (chef), Sandy Scott (owner)*

Children are welcome at Waterside Bistro. In fact all members of the family are, from babies to grandparents. The family restaurant is open 11am-8pm in the winter, to 9pm on weekends. Two for one seniors dinners are now available from 4pm-7pm. Sandy says come in, even for a cup of coffee. You can pick up your weekly Driftwood here too.

And you can pick up your Driftwood each week at the following:

#### GALIANO ISLAND

Corner Store  
Georgeson Bay, 539-2986  
Galiano Garage,  
Madrona Road, 539-5500

#### MAYNE ISLAND

Miners Bay Trading Post  
Fernhill Rd., 539-2214s

#### PENDER ISLAND

Southridge Farm and Country Store  
Port Washington, 629-2051

#### SALT SPRING ISLAND

Fulford Harbour  
Fulford Inn,  
Fulford Ganges Road 653-4432

Patterson's Store,  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 653-4321

Ganges  
Century 21 Island Realty  
Grace Pt. Square, 537-9981

Dagwoods Diner,  
Upper Ganges Centre, 537-9323

et cetera,  
Hereford Ave, 537-5115

Fernwood Seaside Market,  
Fernwood Avenue, 537-2451

Ganges Village Market,  
Lower Ganges Road, 537-4144

G.I. Trading,  
Lower Ganges Road, 537-9433

Harbour House Hotel,  
Upper Ganges Road, 537-5571

Harbour Low Cost,  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 537-2460

Kanaka Restaurant  
Harbour Bldg., 537-5041

Mixmasters Mixer Shop,  
Grace Pt. Square 537-5151

Mobile Market,  
McPhillips Rd., 537-5154

Moby's Marine Pub,  
Upper Ganges Rd., 537-5559

Parkside News,  
Gasoline Alley, 537-2812

Pharmasave Drug Store, Fulford  
Ganges/Lower Ganges 537-5534

Salty Shop  
Harbour Bldg., 537-5551

SS Natureworks  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 537-2325

Upper Centre Store  
Upper Ganges Centre, 537-1766

Vesuvius Inn  
Vesuvius Bay Rd., 537-2312

Vesuvius Store  
Vesuvius Bay Rd., 537-1515

Waterside Bistro,  
Gasoline Alley, 537-4611

#### SATURNA ISLAND

Saturna General Store  
Narvaez Bay, 539-2936

Saturna Point Store  
East Point, 539-5725

#### SIDNEY

Tanner's Book Store,  
Beacon Street, 656-2345

#### VICTORIA

Victoria Weeklies  
626A Fisgard St., 381-3484

### GISS Calendar

January 27: Information Forum on new programs at GISS, 7 p.m.

January 28: Junior boys basketball team hosts Chemainus

February 1: Midget girls basketball team to Duncan Christian

February 2: Senior girls basketball team to Maxwell Baha'i

February 2: Cornucopia Brass Trio at 9:25 a.m.

February 2: Midget boys basketball team to Duncan Christian

February 2: Junior boys basketball team hosts Chemainus

### Crossword Answers

P	E	R	F	U	M	E	F	E	S	S	
O	C	E	A	N	I	D	A	L	O	E	
D	U	P	L	E	X	E	S	T	I	L	T
L	A	E	I	B	I	Z	A				
P	E	P	S	R	I	N	A	G	A	R	
A	G	O	N	Y	S	C	R	U	B		
N	O	S	E	O	T	E	E	E	R	O	
T	W	I	L	L	A	S	T	I	R		
S	U	C	C	E	E	D	S	H	O	T	
A	L	O	H	A	O	P	S				
S	L	A	M	N	A	T	I	O	N	A	L
E	T	T	E	P	E	R	M	U	T	E	
E	Y	E	R	T	R	E	A	T	E	D	

GULF ISLANDS  
**Driftwood**

# Repairs affect ferries

Sturdies Bay ferry terminal closed for major reconstruction recently, affecting the regular ferry schedule throughout the Gulf Islands for the next six weeks.

Galiano Island will be serviced through Montague Harbour.

Replacement of the dock wingwalls necessitates the two-week closure, B.C. Ferry Corporation information officer Pat Stephens said.

Service between the Gulf Islands has changed as a result, she said. Passengers are asked to consult temporary schedules available at B.C. Ferry terminals or phone for information about specific arrival and departure times.

The *Queen of Tsawwassen*, *Queen of Cumberland* and the *Tachek* are all affected. The regular winter schedule is expected to resume Wednesday, March 3.

# Bridge trivia provided

Following is an account of how the game of Bridge obtained its name. The article was submitted by Bunny Jordan, great niece of Sidney Lamb.

In about 1890-1900, the laws of bridge were made by the New York Whist Club and the St. James Square Portland Club. A committee was formed by members of both clubs.

One member of the English club was Sidney Lamb.

Derivation of Bridge:

Dealer, who has first option of bidding and has insufficient count, could pass the opening bid to his partner. The term used was "I'll leave it to you, partner," thus came the term "bridging over."

If the partner does not wish to open, then opponents have chance of opening, left of the dealer first.

Conventions were introduced by Americans early, about 1910, later taken up by English. The more conservative English were slower at taking up conventions. Information so given was information to opponents.

Once a trick is turned and quitted, it is not to be reviewed. The rule is now obsolete, now changed so until another card has been led, one can view turned trick re "Jacobi."

# bridge tricks

Gulf Islands Bridge Club results on January 18 were as follows:

## NORTH/SOUTH

Gordon Hutton and John Sarginson, Sue Bradford and Conhor Hunt, Derek Arnold and Peter Jacques.

## EAST/WEST

Joan Conlan and Trevor Taylor, Betty Valdez and Edith Owens, Mary Joy and Bill McFarlane.

Tuesday night winners were:

## NORTH/SOUTH

Ian Thomas and Conhor Hunt, Helen Shandro and Isabelle Richardson, Gordon and Norma Joyner.

## EAST/WEST:

Ima and Wim Krayenhoff, Trevor Taylor and Boyd Siemens, Joan Conlan and Sue Bradford.

# Canadian Criss Cross by Walter D. Feener

1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9	10	11
12									13		
14							15		16		
			17				18	19			
20	21	22		23		24					
25			26			27					
28					29				30	31	32
		33		34				35			
	36					37			38		
	39					40		41			
42				43	44				45	46	47
48						49					
50						51					

### ACROSS

- 1. Sweet savor
- 8. Heraldic band
- 12. Daughter of Tethys
- 13. Lilaceous plant
- 14. Apartment houses
- 16. Knights' tournament
- 17. New Guinea city
- 18. Spanish island
- 20. Vivacity
- 23. Kashmir capital
- 25. Anguish
- 27. Clean by rubbing
- 28. Olfactory organ
- 29. Ending that makes coy a wolf
- 30. Eliel's son
- 33. Textile weave
- 35. Exhibiting activity
- 36. Turns out well
- 38. Close to something sought

### DOWN

- 39. Wahine's greeting
- 40. Goddess of plenty
- 42. Utter verbal abuse
- 43. Citizen
- 48. Major ending
- 49. Rearrange
- 50. Looker
- 51. Cared for medically

- 21. Conscious subject
- 22. Take for granted
- 24. Agave fiber
- 26. Johnny-come-lately
- 29. New York city
- 31. -- de Janeiro
- 32. Supper scrap
- 34. -- dien
- 35. Rise aloft
- 36. Well flavored
- 37. Adorer
- 41. Intoxicating drink
- 42. Apprehend
- 44. Quick in learning
- 45. One-seeded fruit
- 46. Greek goddess of mischief
- 47. Went first

Crossword Answers B10

First 1/2 hr. consultation free

## McKIMM & LOTT BARRISTERS & SOLICITORS

- Divorce & Family Law
- Personal Injury Claims
- Criminal Law
- Wills & Estates
- Real Estate & Mortgages
- Corporate & Commercial Law

GANGES CENTRE BLDG. Telephone 537-9951

(Above the Post Office)

Open 9 am to 5 pm, Monday to Friday

DRIFTWOOD SAYS:

# CHECK YOUR LABEL!

MR. & MRS. ANYBODY  
123 A STREET  
ANYTOWN, B.C.  
XOX OXO

01/01/93  
month day year

January 1, 1993 is the renewal date.  
RENEW NOW, DON'T MISS AN ISSUE!!

Gulf Islands  
**Driftwood**  
537-9933

# IS YOUR WELL WATER SAFE TO DRINK?

Contamination can occur without changes in colour or taste.



\$25.00 per test • Results in 24 hours  
Be Safe • Test Annually!

10115-C McDonald Park Rd.  
Sidney, B.C. V8L 3X9

656-1334

## 2 ROOM BARN ON 1.5 ACRES



ONLY \$75,000

- 4 GPM well
- Driveway
- Easy site servicing

Call  
Jan Macpherson  
537-9894 (H)  
537-5553 (24 Hrs)



# REFORM PARTY OF CANADA



The Canadian economy is in crisis. Unless we eliminate Government borrowing by reducing Government spending, our national debt will soon have grown beyond redemption.

## JACK FRAZER

Saanich & the Gulf Islands Candidate

OFFICE OPEN MON. to FRI. 10am-3pm

479-0733

AUTHORIZED BY BOB DAVIE OFFICIAL AGENT FOR JACK FRAZER

## CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT

The following is a summary of the proposed Emergency Program extended service for Salt Spring Island as set out in By-law No. 2084 cited as "Salt Spring Island Emergency Programs Extended Service Bylaw No. 1, 1992". Bylaw No. 2084 has received three readings and has been forwarded to the Inspector of Municipalities for approval.

### Service to be established

The Capital Regional District Board has enacted, by bylaw, pursuant to Section 789 (1) (f) of the Municipal Act, to establish and operate an extended service of programs in preparation for emergencies to be known as Emergency Program.

The service to be established will enable emergency response organizations such as police, ambulance, fire, and search and rescue to respond to disasters which are beyond the ability of any one such organization to respond to effectively.

### Service Area and Participating Area

The service area and participating area boundaries of the Emergency Program shall be coterminous with that of the Electoral Area of Salt Spring Island.

### Cost Recovery and Apportionment of Costs

The participating area can be established without borrowing. The cost of providing the service shall be recovered by requisition of money to be collected by a property value tax.

A copy of the complete by-law may be viewed during normal working hours, 8:30am to 4:30pm, Monday to Friday inclusive, excluding statutory holidays, from January 27, 1993 to February 10, 1993 at the local Capital Regional District Building Inspection offices, 118 Manson Road, Ganges, B.C.

CRD Administration Dept.



Go ahead...  
stick your neck out!  
Let people know what you've  
got to offer by advertising in the  
**DRIFTWOOD**

# Wild, domestic animals suffering winter weather

As Salt Spring Islanders complain about the cold weather and how much extra wood the fire is using, they might think about less fortunate creatures who are dying from the cold.

Both Salt Spring SPCA senior inspector Christine Wooldridge and assistant inspector Kellie Booth ask islanders to take special care of their own domestic animals and livestock and, where possible, think about the wild birds and animals that are having trouble finding enough food and water in this cold weather.

"Water is as important as food," Wooldridge said. "All birds need water all year round. Putting hot water out in a dish or birdbath is always good."

The smaller birds need as much food as they can get just to stay warm through the cold nights, she said, and the quail is particularly hit by the snow.

"It mostly survives on the broom seed and the snowcover is deadly," Wooldridge said.

She throws out hen-scratch to the quails and also puts wild birdseed under the deck, where quail may seek refuge.

Varied thrushes will not go after seed on a feeder, she said. Put the seed on a flat tray on the ground. Other birds prefer fruit to seeds. Raisins and grapes, bits of apple or pear are appropriate.

The "worst-off" animals are deer, Wooldridge said. Every day, people call the SPCA about a dead or near-dead deer. The department of highways takes the animals away if they are on the road or in a ditch. The SPCA will collect and euthanize others.

Winter-death syndrome — starvation — is the cause of most deer deaths.

"Deer here have no fat on their carcass," she said. "They cannot cope with sudden cold periods and food shortages."

Wooldridge estimates 60 per cent of the fawn population dies each winter in this way.

But there is little people can do about the deaths, Booth said. "The deer don't have any natural predators on the island, except man. The weather acts as a natural

predator," she said. "People want to help and make them better. By the time the deer end up on your doorstep, they are in the final stages of winter-kill. Tender loving care is not going to save them."

Wooldridge said islanders should not feed deer cabbages and

old bread. Residents should not feed deer at all, she said. "It encourages them to hang about houses and lose their fear of people."

Victoria SPCA executive director Lynn West said a growing problem for the SPCA is anti-freeze.

Domestic animals have been poisoned licking up anti-freeze which leaks from automobiles. New non-toxic anti-freezes, *Kool-tone* and *Auto-cool*, are produced but not widely available. West did not know anywhere in Greater Victoria where either of these were

sold. West said non-toxic antifreezes might be more widespread if customers asked their local suppliers to get it or wrote to anti-freeze manufacturers like Dow Chemicals or Union Carbide and requested a non-toxic product.

## Bringing you the News!

an important part of our team

# DRIFTWOOD DEALERS

This week's

## Feature Dealer



### WATERSIDE BISTRO

Katherine Ackerman (chef), Sandy Scott (owner)

Children are welcome at Waterside Bistro. In fact all members of the family are, from babies to grandparents. The family restaurant is open 11am-8pm in the winter, to 9pm on weekends. Two for one seniors dinners are now available from 4pm-7pm. Sandy says come in, even for a cup of coffee. You can pick up your weekly Driftwood here too.

And you can pick up your Driftwood each week at the following:

#### GALIANO ISLAND

Corner Store  
Georgeson Bay, 539-2986  
Galiano Garage,  
Madrona Road, 539-5500

#### MAYNE ISLAND

Miners Bay Trading Post  
Femhill Rd., 539-2214s

#### PENDER ISLAND

Southridge Farm and Country Store  
Port Washington, 629-2051

#### SALT SPRING ISLAND

Fulford Harbour  
Fulford Inn,  
Fulford Ganges Road 653-4432

Patterson's Store,  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 653-4321

#### Ganges

Century 21 Island Realty  
Grace Pt. Square, 537-9981

Dagwoods Diner,  
Upper Ganges Centre, 537-9323

et cetera,  
Hereford Ave, 537-5115

Fernwood Seaside Market,  
Fernwood Avenue, 537-2451

Ganges Village Market,  
Lower Ganges Road, 537-4144

G.I. Trading,  
Lower Ganges Road, 537-9433

Harbour House Hotel,  
Upper Ganges Road, 537-5571

Harbour Low Cost,  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 537-2460

Kanaka Restaurant  
Harbour Bldg., 537-5041

Mixmasters Mixer Shop,  
Grace Pt. Square 537-5151

Mobile Market,  
McPhillips Rd., 537-5154

Moby's Marine Pub,  
Upper Ganges Rd., 537-5559

Parkside News,  
Gasoline Alley, 537-2812

Pharmasave Drug Store, Fulford  
Ganges/Lower Ganges 537-5534

Salty Shop  
Harbour Bldg., 537-5551

SS Natureworks  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 537-2325

Upper Centre Store  
Upper Ganges Centre, 537-1766

Vesuvius Inn  
Vesuvius Bay Rd., 537-2312

Vesuvius Store  
Vesuvius Bay Rd., 537-1515

Waterside Bistro,  
Gasoline Alley, 537-4611

#### SATURNA ISLAND

Saturna General Store  
Narvaez Bay, 539-2936

Saturna Point Store  
East Point, 539-5725

#### SIDNEY

Tanner's Book Store,  
Beacon Street, 656-2345

#### VICTORIA

Victoria Weeklies  
626A Fisgard St., 381-3484

### GISS Calendar

January 27: Information Forum on new programs at GISS, 7 p.m.

January 28: Junior boys basketball team hosts Chemainus

February 1: Midget girls basketball team to Duncan Christian

February 2: Senior girls basketball team to Maxwell Baha'i

February 2: Cornucopia Brass Trio at 9:25 a.m.

February 2: Midget boys basketball team to Duncan Christian

February 2: Junior boys basketball team hosts Chemainus

### Crossword Answers

P	E	R	F	U	M	E	F	E	S		
O	C	E	A	N	I	D	A	L	O	E	
D	U	P	L	E	X	E	S	T	I	L	
L	A	E	I	B	I	Z	A				
P	E	P	S	R	I	N	A	G	A	R	
A	G	O	N	Y	S	C	R	U	B		
N	O	S	E	O	T	E	E	E	R	O	
T	W	I	L	L	A	S	T	I	R		
S	U	C	C	E	E	D	S	H	O	T	
A	L	O	H	A	O	P	S				
S	L	A	M	N	A	T	I	O	N	A	L
E	T	T	E	P	E	R	M	U	I	E	
E	Y	E	R	T	R	E	A	T	E	D	

GULF ISLANDS  
**Driftwood**

# Wild, domestic animals suffering winter weather

As Salt Spring Islanders complain about the cold weather and how much extra wood the fire is using, they might think about less fortunate creatures who are dying from the cold.

Both Salt Spring SPCA senior inspector Christine Wooldridge and assistant inspector Kellie Booth ask islanders to take special care of their own domestic animals and livestock and, where possible, think about the wild birds and animals that are having trouble finding enough food and water in this cold weather.

"Water is as important as food," Wooldridge said. "All birds need water all year round. Putting hot water out in a dish or birdbath is always good."

The smaller birds need as much food as they can get just to stay warm through the cold nights, she said, and the quail is particularly hit by the snow.

"It mostly survives on the broom seed and the snowcover is deadly," Wooldridge said.

She throws out hen-scratch to the quails and also puts wild birdseed under the deck, where quail may seek refuge.

Varied thrushes will not go after seed on a feeder, she said. Put the seed on a flat tray on the ground. Other birds prefer fruit to seeds. Raisins and grapes, bits of apple or pear are appropriate.

The "worst-off" animals are deer, Wooldridge said. Every day, people call the SPCA about a dead or near-dead deer. The department of highways takes the animals away if they are on the road or in a ditch. The SPCA will collect and euthanize others.

Winter-death syndrome — starvation — is the cause of most deer deaths.

"Deer here have no fat on their carcass," she said. "They cannot cope with sudden cold periods and food shortages."

Wooldridge estimates 60 per cent of the fawn population dies each winter in this way.

But there is little people can do about the deaths, Booth said. "The deer don't have any natural predators on the island, except man. The weather acts as a natural

predator," she said. "People want to help and make them better. By the time the deer end up on your doorstep, they are in the final stages of winter-kill. Tender loving care is not going to save them."

Wooldridge said islanders should not feed deer cabbages and

old bread. Residents should not feed deer at all, she said. "It encourages them to hang about houses and lose their fear of people."

Victoria SPCA executive director Lynn West said a growing problem for the SPCA is anti-freeze.

Domestic animals have been poisoned licking up anti-freeze which leaks from automobiles. New non-toxic anti-freezes, *Kool-tone* and *Auto-cool*, are produced but not widely available. West did not know anywhere in Greater Victoria where either of these were

sold. West said non-toxic antifreezes might be more widespread if customers asked their local suppliers to get it or wrote to anti-freeze manufacturers like Dow Chemicals or Union Carbide and requested a non-toxic product.

## Bringing you the News!

an important part of our team

# DRIFTWOOD DEALERS

This week's

## Feature Dealer



### WATERSIDE BISTRO

Katherine Ackerman (chef), Sandy Scott (owner)

Children are welcome at Waterside Bistro. In fact all members of the family are, from babies to grandparents. The family restaurant is open 11am-8pm in the winter, to 9pm on weekends. Two for one seniors dinners are now available from 4pm-7pm. Sandy says come in, even for a cup of coffee. You can pick up your weekly Driftwood here too.

And you can pick up your Driftwood each week at the following:

#### GALIANO ISLAND

Corner Store  
Georgeson Bay, 539-2986  
Galiano Garage,  
Madrona Road, 539-5500

#### MAYNE ISLAND

Miners Bay Trading Post  
Fernhill Rd., 539-2214s

#### PENDER ISLAND

Southridge Farm and Country Store  
Port Washington, 629-2051

#### SALT SPRING ISLAND

Fulford Harbour  
Fulford Inn,  
Fulford Ganges Road 653-4432

Patterson's Store,  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 653-4321

Ganges  
Century 21 Island Realty  
Grace Pt. Square, 537-9981

Dagwoods Diner,  
Upper Ganges Centre, 537-9323

et cetera,  
Hereford Ave, 537-5115

Fernwood Seaside Market,  
Fernwood Avenue, 537-2451

Ganges Village Market,  
Lower Ganges Road, 537-4144

G.I. Trading,  
Lower Ganges Road, 537-9433

Harbour House Hotel,  
Upper Ganges Road, 537-5571

Harbour Low Cost,  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 537-2460

Kanaka Restaurant  
Harbour Bldg., 537-5041

Mixmasters Mixer Shop,  
Grace Pt. Square 537-5151

Mobile Market,  
McPhillips Rd., 537-5154

Moby's Marine Pub,  
Upper Ganges Rd., 537-5559

Parkside News,  
Gasoline Alley, 537-2812

Pharmasave Drug Store, Fulford  
Ganges/Lower Ganges 537-5534

Salty Shop  
Harbour Bldg., 537-5551

SS Natureworks  
Fulford Ganges Rd., 537-2325

Upper Centre Store  
Upper Ganges Centre, 537-1766

Vesuvius Inn  
Vesuvius Bay Rd., 537-2312

Vesuvius Store  
Vesuvius Bay Rd., 537-1515

Waterside Bistro,  
Gasoline Alley, 537-4611

#### SATURNA ISLAND

Saturna General Store  
Narvaez Bay, 539-2936

Saturna Point Store  
East Point, 539-5725

#### SIDNEY

Tanner's Book Store,  
Beacon Street, 656-2345

#### VICTORIA

Victoria Weeklies  
626A Fisgard St., 381-3484

### GISS Calendar

January 27: Information Forum on new programs at GISS, 7 p.m.

January 28: Junior boys basketball team hosts Chemainus

February 1: Midget girls basketball team to Duncan Christian

February 2: Senior girls basketball team to Maxwell Baha'i

February 2: Cornucopia Brass Trio at 9:25 a.m.

February 2: Midget boys basketball team to Duncan Christian

February 2: Junior boys basketball team hosts Chemainus

### Crossword Answers

P	E	R	F	U	M	E	F	E	S		
O	C	E	A	N	I	D	A	L	O	E	
D	U	P	L	E	X	E	S	T	I	L	
L	A	E	I	B	I	Z	A				
P	E	P	S	R	I	N	A	G	A	R	
A	G	O	N	Y	S	C	R	U	B		
N	O	S	E	O	T	E	E	R	O		
T	W	I	L	L	A	S	T	I	R		
S	U	C	C	E	E	D	S	H	O	T	
A	L	O	H	A	O	P	S				
S	L	A	M	N	A	T	I	O	N	A	L
E	T	T	E	P	E	R	M	U	T	E	
E	Y	E	R		T	R	E	A	T	E	D

# GULF ISLANDS Driftwood

# outer gulf islands

## Voluntarism shines at North Galiano Hall

Since last November the North Galiano Hall has counted among its kitchen appliances a propane stove. The need for this appliance was dramatically pointed out a couple of years ago when the power went off mid-way during a major event at the hall.

By ALISTAIR ROSS  
Driftwood Correspondent

Although power outages have been less frequent since the completion of Galiano's new substation last November, there is still the possibility of line trouble and one can't be too well-prepared. Who knows what the weather will bring?

In disaster relief, North Galiano's two firehalls and the community hall would serve as relief centres, so it has been the long term plan of the Community Association to provide an alternative cooking source to the existing electric stove.

The propane stove is a new one. There were installation costs as one might expect but as always happens in this area, much was offered for free. Installer Harold Wike didn't charge — that's just part of his contribution to community life.

The 200-pound propane tanks were contributed as well, one by Bill and Barbara Scoones and the second by Bill and Phyllis Stafford. The Staffords also gave a tank to the Galiano Lions Club for use at their community events. All these tanks have been around a long time.

In their way they represent a reminder of the island's past, island enterprises and the people who ran them.

During the 1940s Bill Scoones' father and mother, Alec and Edith Scoones, operated a resort at Arbutus Point on Active Pass. The propane tank in question was used by the Scoones in the preparation of lunches and suppers for their guests. The Stafford tank was one of two used by them at their now-closed Salishan Resort in North Galiano. These tanks were in service during the years prior to the arrival of electric power in that area in 1965.

Before installation the two tanks were tested, refitted and filled with propane by the hall's near neighbour Harvey Amos — one of them at no cost to the Community Association. Generosity of materials, time and energy is the way the North Hall has become the happy, comfortable place it is at present. Voluntarism is, and always has been, a necessary ingredient for success in a community such as ours.

Another pair which frequently helps in community enterprises is brothers Steve and Geoff Gaylor of the Galiano Trading Company. Their generosity is always appreciated.

### September 29, 1943

A Driftwood reader in Saanich writes with information about a plane which crashed in the Bodega Ridge area on September 28, 1943.

The writer, George Maude of Sidney, remembers cycling to the crash site with local boy Georgie Georgeson. As a current member of the Air Museum at Pat Bay, he wonders if islanders know if any remains of the aircraft are still intact. The air museum is currently

attempting restoration of a Handley Page Hampton and is searching for spare parts.

It was a Hampton which crashed that September day according to official records. The plane was piloted by a New Zealander sergeant pilot H.D. McLeod, R.N.Z.A.F.

Galiano's Clara Stevens of Cain Drive, then a girl, was visiting her neighbours, the Robertsons, with her father Tony Bell at the time of the crash.

"We saw the plane disappear into the trees south of the ridge and then a column of black smoke appeared. We hurried to the crash site above what is now Cottage Way and found the plane consumed in flames. We could see the dead pilot inside. Afterwards Dad and Alphy Gundy, who lived with his aunt and uncle the Simpsons, managed to remove the pilot's body. There was not much left of the plane but charred metal."

The official report states: "Aircraft left Pat Bay with pilot alone aboard. Accident report. AJ994 left at 13:39 hours on Sep-

tember 29, 1943, sgt. H.D. McLeod took off in good weather for solo practice of steep turns and single engine flying. At 14:20 hours the aircraft was seen flying northwest over Galiano Island. Shortly after it went into a spin and crashed on the island, killing the pilot. It was believed that the cause of the crash was carrying out spins at too low an altitude. Witnesses to the crash were Mr. G.A. Bell and Miss C.N. Bell of Retreat Cove, Galiano Island. The aircraft was totally demolished and burned. Location given only as the side of a hill, approximately 600 feet high, near the top, Retreat Cove, Galiano Island."

This area was logged extensively in 1947. It is not known whether any metal remains are still to be found at the site.

### Air Watch

Clara Stevens, mentioned above, reminisces about those wartime years as a resident of the island. As part of Western defence, an on-island aircraft detection core

was formed on Galiano.

As a member of the core, her father Tony Bell was always listening for planes, the sound of the motors indicating the type. Everyone in the family was part of the listening crew. Information about the type of aircraft, the time it was seen and its direction of flight was to be forwarded to Western Defence Headquarters by phone as soon as possible after each sighting was made.

The phone system in the 1940s was rather rudimentary, the exchange on Mayne Island closing at 10 p.m. when the operator retired. After 10 p.m., calls had to be held and then made the next morning.

Bell was also a member of the Militia Hangers, a group with some military training which was prepared to give warning of enemy infiltration and to accept responsibility for primary defence. This was wartime, the threat of a possible invasion was real.

## notes from saturna

The annual Robbie Burns dinner, sponsored by the Lions Club, was held January 23. Over 80 people sat down to a traditional dinner.

By GAIL TRAFFORD  
Driftwood Correspondent

Rod Fraser piped in the haggis and Bill Bonar gave the address to the haggis. The immortal memory was

presented by Jim Gilliland. The toast to the ladies was given by Jim Belfour and Lynn Piper responded.

After dinner the Scottish Country Dancers performed five dances. Then the McQuillan Brothers provided music for the dance that followed. The McQuillan Brothers, although Irish, drew on years of experience and rounded off a perfect Scottish evening.

### Two Patricias

Friday, January 29 at 8 p.m., the Overture Concert Series is bringing a vocal duet to Saturna. The Two Patricias will present the *Legacy of Song*, a history of vocal music.

Subscription tickets are available for this concert and the April 4 presentation of the Foothills Brass. The cost is \$25 for both events and tickets may be obtained by calling Judith Isabella at 539-3297.

Single concert tickets are not available for island residents but visitors would be welcome to attend and special individual concert tickets will be made available.

### Continuing Education

The Saturna Continuing Education Committee has distributed flyers announcing courses which will be organized for the coming year. Instruction is available in Geology, Physiology, Knots, Woodturning, Navigation, First Aid, CPR and Needlework.

Instructors are needed for Photography, Calligraphy, Spanish, Tax Preparation, Drama, Tai Chi, Local History and Basic Computers. Call Pip Woodcock if you would like to teach one of these classes.

Students may sign up on the poster at the Saturna General Store or contact the instructor listed on the mail out sheet. Exact times and fees will be announced when available.

SAVE THOUSANDS!!



**CEDAR HOME KITS**  
\$22 - \$30 sq. ft.  
85 Standard models 400-5000sq. ft.  
or your custom plan.  
SPECIALIZING IN POST & BEAM DESIGNS  
Full color plan book \$10 - Visa  
Island shelling crews available  
B.C. toll free 1-800-663-5693  
SHIPPED WORLDWIDE  
**LINWOOD HOMES**  
8250 River Road, Delta, B.C., Canada V4G 1B5  
(604)946-5421



**BREATHING IS A FACT OF LIFE**  
Support Your Lung Association

## Love reading the Driftwood?

ATTENTION ALL OFF-ISLAND  
DRIFTWOOD SUBSCRIBERS

We have adjusted our subscription renewal policy. It is now possible to purchase a 6 month subscription at \$35.00 (plus GST) for "off island" subscribers.

Just fill out the attached coupon and mail it to:

**Driftwood Publishing**  
Box 250, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0

### — SUBSCRIPTIONS —

Send a Cheque or money order to:  
Gulf Islands Driftwood, Box 250, Ganges, B.C. V0S 1E0  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Address

Or use your Visa  or Mastercard  or Cheque   
12 Months  6 Months

Yearly Subscription Rates: In the Gulf Islands \$22.47\*  
Elsewhere in Canada, \$56.52\* (6 Months \$37.45\*) Foreign \$83.00  
\*Includes GST

## Saturna Island Dock Closure

Effective: Tuesday, February 9 through  
Friday, February 19, 1993 inclusive.

As of February 9, the dock at Lyall Harbour, Saturna Island, will be closed to vehicular traffic, for major upgrading.

During this dock work, a passenger-only service will be in effect.

This service will follow the current schedule.

The upgrading will include the installation of a new pontoon supported approach ramp, and loading apron. The new facility will allow full-size, commercial vehicle loads to use the terminal. Passenger safety will be improved with the addition of a full-length sidewalk along the ramp.

 **BC FERRIES**

CLIP AND SAVE



## GALIANO ISLAND REALTY LTD.

Jill Hansche-Penny 539-5896  
Rosemary Callaway 539-2515  
John Ince 539-2559  
Mollie Colson 539-5950  
Ron Taylor 539-9930

P.O. Box 99, Madrona Drive, Galiano Island, B.C. V0N 1P0  
539-2250 • 539-2255 • Fax: 539-2097

**RESIDENT REAL ESTATE SPECIALISTS**





# SALT SPRING REALTY LTD.



**STRICK AUST**  
537-5828



**BOB CAMPSALL**  
537-1015



**BRENDA CORNWALL**  
537-2702



**RUSS CROUSE**  
537-5203



**PATRICIA FRASER**  
537-1854



**FELICITY GRANT**  
537-2374



**BOB HOWE**  
653-4542



**SOLINUS JOLLIFFE**  
537-9102



**MARION MARKS**  
537-2453



### BRINKWORTHY PLACE

Easy care insulated 1200 sq. ft. modular home. Two bedrooms, two bathrooms, dining room & more. Plenty of cupboards & cabinets. Fridge, stove, dishwasher, club house & entertainment activities. \$129,900 MLS.



### KINGFISHER COVE

Two bedroom, two bathrooms, townhouse with ocean views from both living room and master bedroom. Five appliances included. (No GST) \$195,000 MLS.



### KINGFISHER COVE

Two bedroom townhouse. Two bathrooms luxuriously finished. One left at this low price, plus GST. \$154,500 MLS.



### VALHALLA PLACE

Lovely two bedroom townhomes in country setting. Two bathrooms, gas fireplaces, central vac, dishwasher, skylights, nicely landscaped and paved. Walk to shopping. Starting from \$135,000 plus GST.



### THE PRICE IS RIGHT

Sea glimpses from this 3 bedroom family home. Lots of storage with full basement and carport. Set on .50 acre of parked-out grounds in a private setting. \$139,900.



### KINGFISHER COVE

Two bedroom + den townhouse with expansive views of the ocean, luxuriously finished, three bathrooms, skylights, gas fireplaces, 1900 sq. ft. \$249,000, plus GST.

CALL MARION MARKS  
537-2453  
OR SHELLI ROBERTSON  
653-4347



### CLOSE TO TOWN

3 bedrooms, great view, fenced, private, large deck, landscaped, workshop, guest cottage. This property has it all. \$179,000 MLS.



### GORGEOUS VIEW

Approx. 4 1/2 acres with great view of Trincomali and coastal mountains. Building site in 4 G.P.M. well. \$129,000 MLS.



### ST. MARY'S LAKE AREA!

Easy to build on 3/4 acre lot close to St. Mary's Lake. Power and water at lot line. \$69,500 MLS.

CALL JOHN STEELE  
537-4606



### LOCATION - RIGHT PRICE!

Great ocean view — two bedrooms on main floor — in-law suite below. Lots of decks (900 sq. ft.) Minutes to town. Piped water. Marvelous location for home occupation. \$189,000 MLS.



### AFFORDABLE HOME!

.45 acre, all day sun, level with garden area. Home has two bedrooms and den. Single garage with heated hobby room. \$119,000MLS.



### SPECTACULAR VIEW, SPECTACULAR HOME

If you desire the finest — this is a must see! 180 degree views from the town of Ganges to Mt. Baker with all the islands in between. Home is over 2800 sq. feet with view from every room. \$375,000.

CALL NORMAN ROTHWELL  
537-5515



### SUNRISES MORE GLORIOUS THAN

Well designed spacious residence. Large separate area for in-law accommodation. Some of the extras include 2 fireplaces, terracotta tiles, oak cabinets, expensive appliances, solarium, 3 full bathrooms, lots of decks and patio doors, parking galore, separate garage and workshop, topped off with fabulous oceanviews. \$374,500 MLS.



### A WATERFRONT STEAL!

Dated 60's house needs work but appears structurally sound. Wonderful sunsets. Close to Ganges. Shop around. These properties are so very rare! \$359,000 MLS.

CALL FELICITY ANNE GRANT  
537-2374



### EASY CARE HOME

Just move in and enjoy this home with 1500 sq. ft. of space, 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, living and dining rooms situated on a flat 1/2 acre with good garden potential. Ocean nearby. \$139,500 MLS.



### THE ONLY ONE ON SALT SPRING

Bowling, pool room, games room, restaurant, this home and business add up to something unique. The business is well established with an excellent clientele. This is a must see. \$565,000 MLS.



### SOUTHERN EXPOSURE VIEW HOME

Put up your feet and enjoy the view from this 3000 sq ft home. Features of this home include 2 bathrooms, 3 bedrooms, large kitchen and living room, garage and 1.4 acres of privacy. \$365,000 MLS.

CALL MYLES WILSON  
537-4506



### TWO - WAY OCEANVIEW

166 acres, Highway access, well, hydro, magnificent views, forest areas, numerous internal roads and trails on Galiano Island. \$305,000 MLS.



### SUNSHINE & HAPPINESS

10 acres off a quiet cul-de-sac, south facing, sunny, drilled well, hydro, well treed with numerous trails. \$105,000 MLS.

CALL DON ROBERTSON  
653-4347



**BRUCE MILLS**  
537-9782



**GIL MOUAT**  
537-4900



**DENNIS O'HARA**  
653-4101



**DON ROBERTSON**  
653-4347



**SHELLI ROBERTSON**  
653-4347



**NORMAN ROTHWELL**  
537-5103



**JOHN STEELE**  
537-4606



**MYLES WILSON**  
537-4506

### GANGES OFFICE 537-5515

Vic. Dir: 656-5554  
Van. Dir: 278-5595  
Fullford Branch Office  
(604)653-9555

FAX: 537-9797

Drop in or call  
our office for your  
FREE NRS  
Bi-Weekly Catalog