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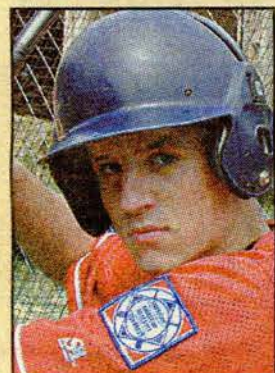


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Ferry strike looms

By ANASTACIA WILDE
Driftwood Staff

B.C. Ferry and Marine Workers' Union is positioning itself for a strike.

Unless an agreement is reached by midnight July 31 between the B.C. Ferry Corporation and its unionized ferry workers, the threat of a strike may become a striking reality.

In a bargaining update reported by union president Trevor Oram Monday, workers voted by an overwhelming majority to pursue a strike mandate.

Union sources said 2,934 out of 3,139 workers — approximately 80 per cent — voted in favour of a strike if a new, collective agreement is not obtained by next Monday.

"This strike vote represents the largest turnout for a vote in the union's history," said Oram in a recorded union hotline message. "Your committee has no doubt that with this solid support we will achieve our goals."

Since their contract expired October 1998, ferry workers have rejected three new proposals recommended by their union. A fresh round of talks is set to resume today. The new union president has made it clear his chief bargaining goal is money.

With a reported 93 per cent of ferry workers poised for a strike strategy to settle their prolonged contract dispute, local businesses may

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SEEKING A SECRET PASSWORD: Salt Spring actor Debbi Toole poses as The Lady in the Portrait at a Harry Potter party held Saturday at Fables Cottage. The event attracted more than 50 island youngsters who partook in various Harry Potter-related activities.

Photo by Derrick Lundy

Rally urges watershed protection

By ANASTACIA WILDE
Driftwood Staff

Speakers, musicians and scattered onlookers braved chilly winds Saturday afternoon during a rally at Centennial Park to stop clear-cut logging in the Mount Maxwell watershed.

Low numbers were buoyed by high spirits, as the line-up of orators and local singer-songwriters shared information and distaste over Texada Land Corporation's intention to log in Mount Maxwell's secondary watershed, in the area of Rippon Creek.

Economist Gary Holman described the current situation as a "good news/bad news story." He commended the North Salt Spring Waterworks District (NSSWD) for reaching an agreement with Texada to purchase Lot 9, slated for completion this week.

The property, which encompasses parts of Mount Maxwell's lakefront watershed, will give the water district control of most of the water basin. After the sale, there will be two small pieces of primary watershed land still owned by Texada and one other property owned by Fairfield Holding.

The bad news, said Holman, is that Texada has confirmed its plans to log Mount Maxwell's secondary watershed area. If the area is logged, Holman warned, water quality may be threatened for five years into the future. His information was based on the water district's own impact assessment.

Holman also took issue with Texada's asking prices for their land.

"They've got to get over this silly notion of outrageously high prices." Professional negotiators have referred to ballooned-price bargaining as the "red-faced approach," he said, which means asking as much as you can without laughing.

The original asking price for the 48-acre Lot 9 was \$1.7 million, based on assessments by a local realtor. While the exact negoti-

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Driftwood named best in Canada

The Driftwood has been judged one of the best community newspapers in Canada.

The Canadian Community Newspapers Association's Better Newspaper Competition has awarded the Driftwood first place in the general excellence category for newspapers with circulation between 3,500 and 6,500.

The award was announced on Thursday at a gala awards ceremony in Magog, Quebec.

Three other first place awards were announced for the Driftwood at the same ceremony. They were best editorial page, best front page and best feature

story. The newspaper took second place in the reporter initiative category.

The Driftwood was in the running for the general excellence award after having earned second place in a provincial newspaper competition sponsored by the B.C. & Yukon Community Newspapers Association. That win ensured a berth in the national competition.

In selecting the winners, judges look at several elements of the newspaper, ranging from news content and quality of writing to advertising design and page layout.

In comments accompanying their decision, the judges wrote that the

Driftwood stood out for "its consistent quality."

"... it appears the editorial, production and advertising staffs have successfully mastered a formula wherein the best possible product is printed with the fewest possible flaws."

The first place win was the second for the Driftwood, which took top honours in the national competition in 1984. Meanwhile, the newspaper has won the provincial competition six times in the past 20 years.

The award-winning feature story was written by managing editor Susan

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Police have had to remind various campers of the fire regulation after finding campers on private prop-

erty with open and lit fires.

In other police news:

- Reports of theft and mischief to several roadside fruit and vegetable stands have been reported to the RCMP over the last couple of weeks.

The police ask any witnesses to contact the local detachment.

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be left in the lurch during their busiest tourist months.

"The threat comes at a time of the year when the Gulf Islands most rely on tourism dollars. Even uttering the word 'strike' will detour yearly visitors and have a devastating effect on tourism," said Doug Mitchell, president of the Salt Spring Chamber of Commerce.

The chamber estimates the tourism industry infuses a healthy \$50 to \$75 million into the local economy. Even a 10 per cent drop in tourist dollars means a potential loss of five to seven million dollars.

"Those are scary figures. The threat of the strike has a significant influence on our income," Mitchell said.

But the tourist sector would not be the only one to suffer. Islanders of all shapes and sizes depend on the vital service for food, fuel and employment.

"We depend on the ferries. If we're stranded, what are we going to do?"

Mitchell calls the union threat a bad public relations move and doubts the workers will garner public support with a strike threat at this time of year.

The 4,400 member union stated in pamphlets issued at ferry terminals this week that "ferry workers' wages have only increased 20 cents in the last five years." A union strike-vote poster said the crown corporation has proposed a 0-0-0-0-0 wage package.

According to information published in the Times Colonist, before the union contract ended two years ago, "a terminal custodian could make \$17.38 an hour, a gallery helper \$19.05, a cafeteria or snack bar cashier \$19.84, ordinary deckhand \$20.15, a dock repair worker \$20.90, a senior ticket attendant \$23.74, and a senior chief engineer first class on a Spirit vessel \$36.09."

August is the height of B.C. Ferry Corporation's busiest season, with B.C. Day weekend — August 5-7 — slated to carry the highest passenger and vehicle numbers of the year. Last year, 882,506 passengers made their way through the Swartz Bay terminal in August.

B.C. Ferries has been pushing to have its operation declared an essential service to keep ferries running during its peak tourist season. But even if the bid were granted, it would only guarantee 50 per cent of trips on major routes would be up and running.

"I am not in favour of an essential service designation in any way, shape or form," said Paul Miller, president of Tourism Victoria.

"It should be full service. The ferries should be treated as if they are the highway,"

Miller is calling on the government to take action. He favours legislation to force B.C. Ferries workers back on the job if they make a move to strike.

"There is a serious game of brinkmanship going on here," he said. "Each side is taking it to the brink to see who will break down. We in the tourism industry are the ones who suffer from it."

Meanwhile, neither the Crown corporation, the union nor the provincial government were available for comment.

"The ferry workers' union, the B.C. Ferry Corporation and the

provincial government are refusing to address the issue, with the union and management working under a 'news blackout' on their activities at the bargaining table," said a CKNW broadcast report yesterday.

In related news, the shelved blueprint for a bridge linking Vancouver Island to the Mainland may be resurrected.

Ferries minister Joy MacPhail said Saturday she is asking her staff to examine whether a fixed link to Vancouver Island is a viable option.

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Lundy about Terra Firma Builders' rammed earth construction method.

The second-place award for reporter initiative was made on the basis of a tongue-in-cheek story on local road conditions written by former staffers Tom Howell and Mike Levin, as well as Lundy and senior reporter Gail Sjuberg. Derrick Lundy took the photographs.

The Driftwood received third-place awards in ad design and arts coverage.

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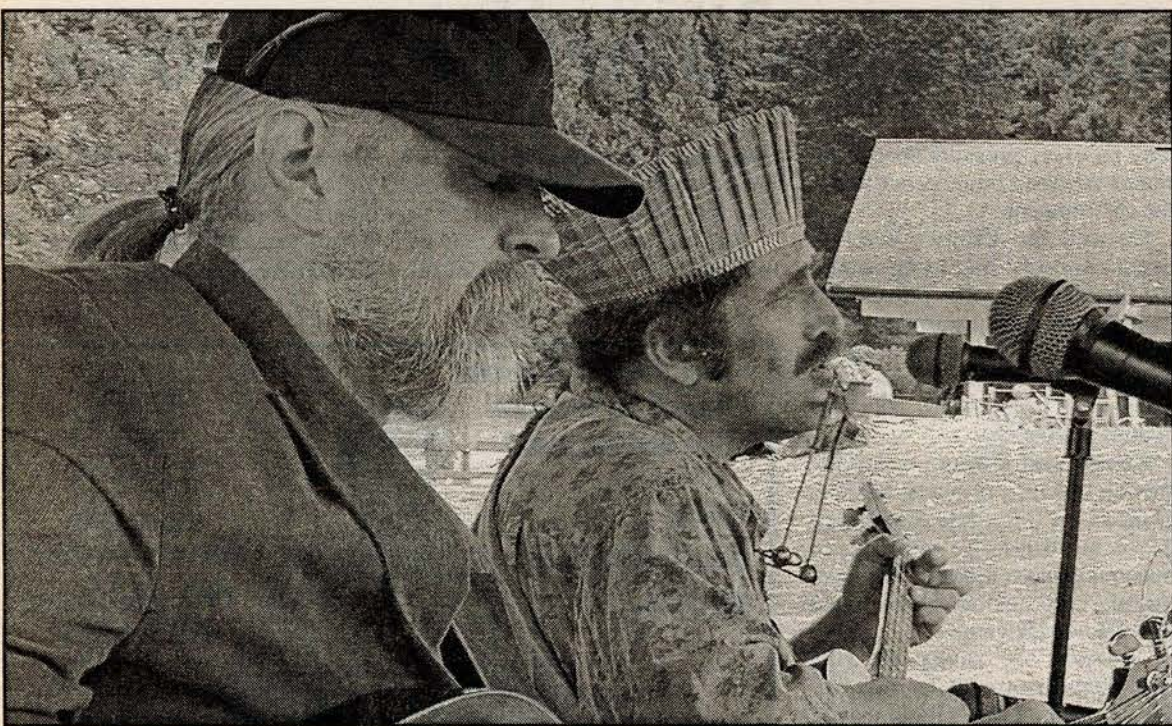
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RALLY SCENES: At left Ramesh Meyers and Shilo Zylbergold join forces at a Centennial Park rally set to save the Mount Maxwell watershed. Below, marimba players add to the entertainment. Photos by Derrick Lundy

RALLY

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ated price has not been released, Holman said it is down to a fraction of the original price.

He also made reference to the Capital Regional District (CRD), which walked away from negotiations with Texada earlier this month, citing inflated land prices. On a lighter note, Holman acknowledged Texada has made an initiative to reopen talks with the CRD, a move which he called "hopeful."

Salt Spring resident Ron Hawkins is a retired director of the Energy Conservation Branch for the government in the Northwest Territories.

He spoke to the crowd about the value of Rippon Creek as a back-up water source for Mount Maxwell in a dry year. Citing the danger from sediment drain-off after logging, Hawkins compared the "precarious" state of St. Mary Lake to the potential situation that could be created by logging the Rippon Creek watershed.

He said overuse of watershed areas pushes too many nutrients into the lakes and establishes algae growths which affect the taste, colour and health of the water.

"The water basins are sacred to the life of the community. It's just so obvious yet we've got a water board and a logging corporation that seem to have come to a resolution to the matter," he said.

Hawkins urged people to think beyond their own needs and "get a conscience."

He said the new economy of the 21st century has got to realize it can't just "rip off nature without any consequences."

"We as a western culture premise our decisions on a model of maximization of benefit for ourselves. We don't need to follow that model if we reflect on what is enough."

Water district manager Mike Larmour said the NSSWD will keep a close watch on water quality in the secondary watershed during logging activities. He explained that normally Rippon Creek flows into Maxwell Creek — not Maxwell Lake — and then into the ocean.

"We have a licence to divert



Rippon Creek to Maxwell Lake. We can leave the diversion valve off so the water won't go onto Maxwell Lake unless we are satisfied with the quality."

Larmour pointed out that Texada has agreed not to log the secondary water basin during the wet, winter months when heavy machinery would increase sediment and create erosion.

"We don't want to see it done in the wintertime when the ground is soft and gets all chewed up and muddy."

As part of the package and at no cost to the water district, Larmour said Texada agreed to implement certain covenants in the area.

"No papers are signed but we are very close an agreement. My feeling is that we've been able to work out a good deal fairly amicably," the water manager said.

Maxwell Lake provides 75 million gallons of water per year to Salt Spring residents and businesses, a great deal of which feeds downtown Ganges. Larmour said if push came to shove, the district could feed water from St. Mary into Ganges to lessen the load on Maxwell.

In related news, the peace camp set up to stop logging trucks was disbanded last week. The camp, which started on February 20, was home to dozens of political activists who aligned themselves against clear-cutting in the form of blockade protests.

During Saturday's rally, Jonathan LeDrew, one of the original organizers, said it was time to shift the focus.

He no longer supports locking

down or blockading Texada or contractor Dorman Timber. In fact, Le Drew said he intends to apologize for any stress or inconvenience caused the logging crew.

"If we lock to anything, let's lock to Brent Kapler's 4-by-4," he said.

Part of switching tactics may include setting up a high-visibility base in Centennial Park.

LeDrew said it would have the double effect of bringing attention to the watershed issue and helping keep the park safe at night.

"Beyond the Texada issue, we need to look at being good stewards to the kids who hang out here at night," he said.

LeDrew wondered if such an idea would find community support.

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Public input important for gas pipeline proposal

By TANYA LESTER
Driftwood Staff

Government bureaucrats outnumbered Salt Spring residents at a pipeline meeting last Wednesday, a meeting whose turnout has some environmentalists concerned.

The National Energy Board (NEB) called the meeting for input on the Georgia Strait Crossing Project, a proposal by B.C. Hydro and an American firm to construct a natural gas pipeline. The pipeline, to be laid on the ocean bottom, would connect Washington State and Vancouver Island. The proposed route is just south of the Gulf Islands and passes near Cape Keppel on Salt Spring's south end.

Sabine Swierenga, a local member of the Georgia Strait Alliance, put the meeting's public turnout of half a dozen down to a preoccupation with the logging issue on Salt Spring and an "out of sight, out of mind" approach to the pipeline.

"Do we want to be a guinea pig here?" Swierenga asked in an interview after the brief meeting. She was commenting on a statement by Linda Sullivan of Fisheries and Oceans Canada.

"We don't have much experience on pipelines," said Sullivan, who did add, however, that a smaller pipeline near Texada Island could be used as a study source for environmental impact.

Jim McComiskey of the NEB pointed out the only other gas

pipeline in Canadian waters is near Sable Island on the east coast.

Swierenga was concerned about the impact an earthquake might have on a pipeline and its surrounding environment.

In addition, she told the NEB that she feared the close proximity of the pipeline to the Cape Keppel beach, on Salt Spring's most southern tip, would disturb habitat which is part of an ongoing base study being conducted by the alliance.

The area is earmarked for marine conservation by the federal government.

McComiskey and other government officials responded by saying that was the type of information needed from the public.

In a telephone interview after the meeting, the Alliance's Peter Ronald also expressed disappointment over the turnout. He said Vancouver Island environmentalists had persuaded the NEB to hold public meetings on the Gulf Islands and to extend its first deadline to receive written submissions.

The date has been extended from July 7 to August 28.

Ronald believes the "process is loaded" because the provincial government and B.C. Hydro want to collaborate with the American company in order to boost revenues.

However, he respects the NEB's integrity and sees public input as a

way to exert pressure to tip the scales towards more concern for the environment.

He said the alliance has two major concerns: that using natural gas instead of hydro power will contribute to global warming every time someone "turns on a light," and the pipeline's impact on Vancouver Island farms and Gulf Islands marine life.

Ronald said a forum called the Power of Ours is being held in Duncan on Saturday, September 23 to mobilize the public into becoming more actively involved. Website information can be found at www.sqwalk.com.

"People are ready to take responsibility for their choices," said Ronald. "I don't think they're just going to roll over because government says we're going to do it."

The public has at least three more opportunities to make submissions during the environmental assessment now under way and while the NEB and federal environment authorities consider the proposal.

At this point, concerns should be listed in writing by August 28 and sent to National Energy Board, 444 Seventh Ave. SW, Calgary, Alberta, T2P 0X8. For more information contact McComiskey at 1-800-899-1265.

Copies should also be sent to B.C. Hydro, 400 Madsen Road, Nianiamo, B.C., V9K 5M3. More

information is available from Ted Olynyk, who can be reached collect at (250) 755-4773.

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Manulife staff tours Texada land

Officials from Manulife Financial and Ethical Funds have made tours of Texada Land Corporation holdings on the south end of Salt Spring.

Manulife CEO Dominic D'Alessandro arrived July 11 with Texada representatives, and Bob Walker from the Ethical Funds social investment firm toured with a small group of islanders July 14.

Walker, who has been getting pressure for Ethical Funds to remove Manulife from its portfolio due to the extent of logging done by Texada on Salt Spring and at Horne Lake, declined to provide his opinion about what he saw on Salt Spring from the ground and air. Manulife holds a \$16 million

mortgage on Texada's property titles.

He said the situation remains "unchanged" from his perspective, meaning Ethical Funds is continuing to "engage in dialogue" with Manulife.

"We understand this is an acute crisis for many people on the island," he said. "In a way, social investment is better designed to deal with chronic issues that unfold over time."

When islander Melanie Furman was in Vancouver last week she managed to talk to D'Alessandro about his visit to Salt Spring. She reported that he felt Texada was not doing anything unethical and that he was impressed with its

replanting of trees. He also said that because the company is not doing anything illegal, Manulife cannot change its mortgage.

Furman said she stressed to him that Texada owns land within the Maxwell Lake and that people are concerned that a situation such as that which took place in Walkerton, Ontario, could also occur here.

"I felt very fortunate to actually get a one-on-one conversation with him and that he was actually willing to stop and talk with me, but I also felt his main focus was finances and money and it didn't have anything to do with ethics, and he didn't have any concern with our land and our community. He's a businessman."



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HARRY POTTER CRAZY: Fables Cottage co-owner Mary Applegate places a 'sorting hat' on Marjorie Soloff at the Ganges store's Harry Potter party held last Saturday. Applegate told the Driftwood the store was "crammed" with Harry Potter enthusiasts who enjoyed myriad activities.

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Harry Potter readings set for library

Harry Potter will be heard weekly at the library in Ganges.

Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire will be read every Thursday, beginning this week, from 11 a.m. till noon.

Judi Francis of the library's children's program says everyone is welcome but parents are cautioned that the new book has some dark moments, so it might not be appropriate for little ones.

Memorial service set for former islander killed in river accident

A founding member of Salt Spring's Quaker Worship Group has died in a river accident on the Cowichan River.

Anne Smart, who lived on Salt Spring before moving to Victoria about two years ago, helped found the Quaker group which has been running for over three years.

Smart was also the author of a book called All About Salt Spring Island, published in 1991.

Although Lake Cowichan RCMP had not released Smart's name by press-time Tuesday —

pending identification of a body found Monday — her death was confirmed by her family.

Lake Cowichan police said they had been searching for a 53-year-old Victoria woman who went missing Sunday at approximately 2:30 p.m. A body was found the next day.

The missing woman, police said, was on a tubing expedition down the river with friends when her tube overturned in the rapids.

Lake Cowichan RCMP, Duncan search and rescue crews and an

RCMP dive team searched the area until dark Sunday and resumed the search the following day.

A memorial service for Anne Smart has been set for 2 p.m. Monday, July 3, at the Fern Street Meeting House at 1831 Fern Street in Victoria.

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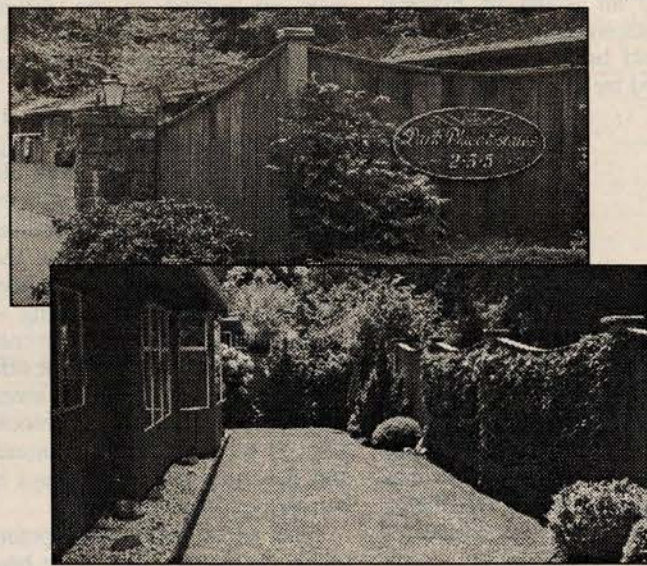
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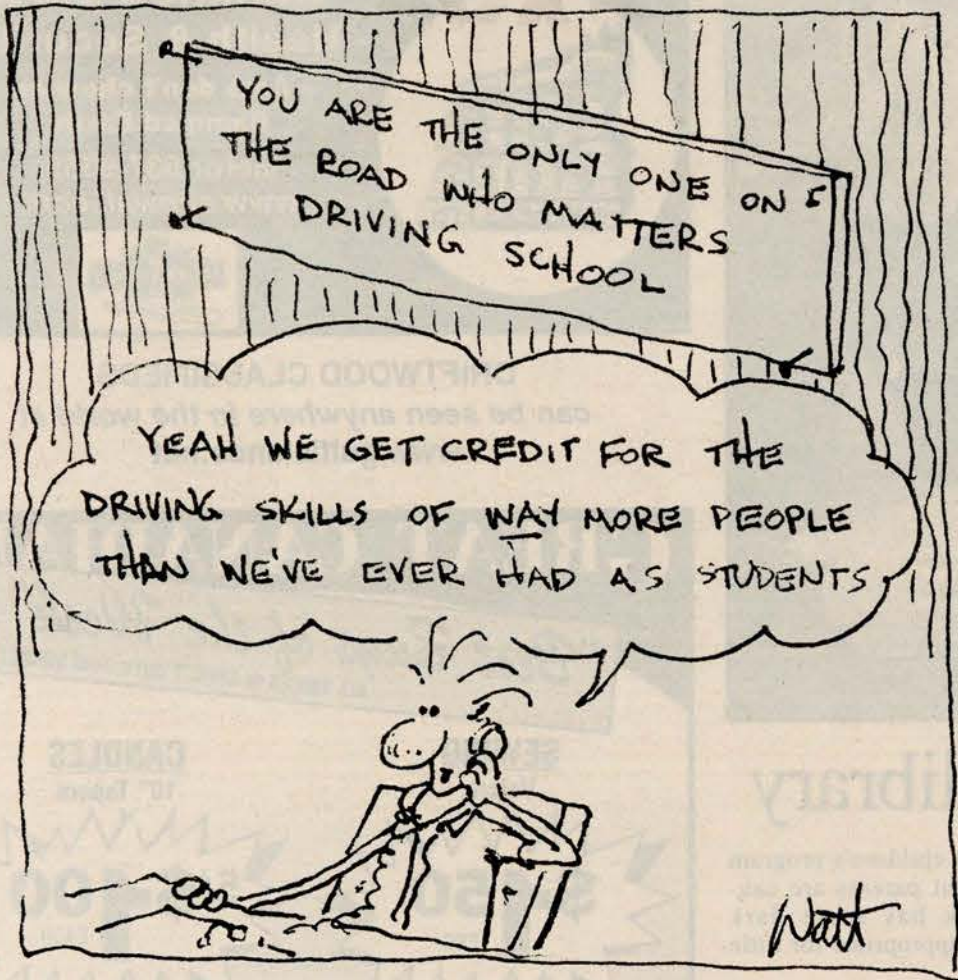


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OPINION



Mr. Premier, the ship is going down

It's time we harped on leadership again. If you care about the place in which we live, you'll agree that not everything is perfect. And anything remotely connected with government falls far short of any mark of perfection.

Yet with only one simple element we might move rather closer to perfecting things. It's called leadership.

Have we said this before? No doubt. And we'll keep on saying it every time we see glaring examples of spinelessness among elected representatives.

As the ferry workers' union threatens to strike, the NDP government of Premier Dosanjh stuns us with its silence on the matter. Regardless of what justification there is for job action by the union, the lack of action by the government is incomprehensible. The ferries are a vital part of the province's tourism industry, which is No. 2 in economic importance to British Columbians.

All this could not possibly be lost on the premier, but unless he does something about it soon we can kiss a whole lot of tourist dollars goodbye.

It's not the actual strike we are concerned about now. Just the threat of one is enough to scare travellers away. All the premier needs to do is say something in British Columbia's defence. Tell travellers they needn't worry; take a stand.

It's entirely possible that behind the scenes efforts are under way to address the situation, though why the government should have left this matter unresolved for so long is a mystery to us. The union hasn't had a contract since 1998 though several attempts have come and gone.

But despite whatever backroom efforts are under way, the premier or the minister responsible for ferries should be making some assurances to the travelling public that they are looking after its interests.

They should be telling prospective travellers and those of us for whom the ferries are a lifeline that they are on top of things, that they are monitoring the steps being taken to avoid a strike and that we can depend on them to give us leadership.

But all we get is an empty silence.

The lifeline is being severed and the NDP government is a ship overdue for sinking. Someone throw us a lifejacket.

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Threat of a destroyed paradise cuts to the very core

BY LORRAINE GANE

The recent news that talks had broken off between the Capital Regional District and Texada Land Corporation for the purchase of ecologically sensitive lands on this island set off a wave of emotions — anger, frustration and a sense of remorse that our fundraising efforts for the lands might be for naught.

I became aware of how the feelings were unbalancing me, so I brought my awareness into them; eventually they lessened and dissolved. However, the residue of their presence lingered, and over the next several days I began to examine why this issue stirred up such intensity for me and possibly for many other people on this island.



Nearly two years ago I came from Toronto to Salt Spring searching for a quiet place to write, but what I found was much more than that: an island of magical beauty with emerald forests, plush valleys and broad mountains, all surrounded by the iridescent blues of the ocean.

On a deeper level, I found a sustaining peace, spaciousness for my creativity and a supportive community of friends.

It was here I met and developed a loving relationship with my partner, Phil, and let go of many old physical and emotional pains.

I'm convinced that the presence of the trees on this island has played a big part in my well-being now. I can't recall the number of times I've walked in the many serene forests, particularly those of

the native reserve, Ruckle Park and the slopes of Mount Tuam enjoying the peaceful energies of cedars, firs and arbutus trees. Every day I walk up a road on the eastern slopes of Mount Maxwell surrounded by their gentle green presence.

Thus it is difficult to see the trees being cut down. This brings up issues from the very core, the primary one being the fear that the logging will destroy this paradise. I'm sure many other people feel this too and that's why there's been such a response to the logging — in organizing fundraising events, writing letters to government officials, holding information meetings, protest marches and blockades as well as donating money and time in a wealth of ways to help preserve our trees.

What we do here has the potential to change not only what happens on this island but also on a

global level. And that's the key word, change. We are moving from a world dominated by the dictates of a mentality that would use all our resources to satisfy ego-centric desires, to a world that works co-operatively honouring our natural environment.

Places such as Salt Spring, whose residents have developed a certain measure of consciousness, are embracing this change — witness the proliferation of organic farming, alternative health therapies and ecologically oriented businesses.

The old ways of striving for this change, however, no longer work: that of pitting one side against the other — large against small, right against wrong, rich against poor and so on. This only keeps the polarities in place.

What is called for now is a new kind of diplomacy that starts with respect for the other party, regard-

less of how misguided one party thinks the other's position may be. This respect creates a space for open dialogue to begin, one that forgives and forgets past wrongs, one that focusses on mutual benefits.

The shift is an inner one first that soon produces outer effects. It doesn't happen the other way around.

In the final analysis, we are all one people living on one planet. This simple truth can be a beacon to help us navigate through stormy waters ahead as we work towards saving our trees.

This won't be possible, however, without remaining in a calm state, allowing a resolution to present itself. To that end, I offer this easy technique: breathe deeply, remembering why you are here.

Lorraine Gane is a poet and writer living on Salt Spring.

There's something that makes people a little nervous about high school reunions. I'm not talking about spouses who are apprehensive about their partners becoming reinvolved with old high school sweethearts.

It's as if you're faced with meeting a whole bunch of new people you once knew. And with that comes the chance of being embarrassed because you don't recognize your old classmates, including the girl you once dated.

It was a reunion weekend recently on Salt Spring. Down at the south end they celebrated at Beaver Point school, which operated until the early 50s.

From all accounts it was an older crowd than we saw the same day in Ganges, although

Reunion spawns fond memories

some of the people I went to school with at what is now the middle school were looking a bit long in the tooth. And fading in sight. It must have been one of the younger alumni who prepared the name tags for it required some concentration to read them.

Which, of course, didn't help break the ice. After Alan Holmberg reintroduced himself to me he passed on a secret he'd picked up on the ferry over. Cherrie Horel had been on the same boat, and she suggested that when you weren't quite sure of someone's name, try to remember

TONY RICHARDS



what their parents looked like. Alan said it worked every time.

The reunion took in the grad classes from Gulf Islands Secondary School's first five years, 1966 to 1970. It was a smaller school in those days so few of us were strangers.

In fact, it was a smaller island. The population in the late 60s was between two and three thousand. It was a quieter place in those days: Ganges would become a

ghost town after the Labour Day weekend and traffic was thin year-round.

The reunion brought 160 of us together in the old high school gym for dinner, dancing and stories. Several teachers joined us, along with popular vice-principal Bob McWhirter, who did the honours as MC. Like the rest of us, he didn't appear to have aged at all. Not only that, as he spoke of early days at the school he constantly paced back and forth across a six-foot space, just like he always did in front of a class.

We understood most of what he said, but the acoustics in the old gym were never really good for anything more than carrying the sound of a basketball referee's

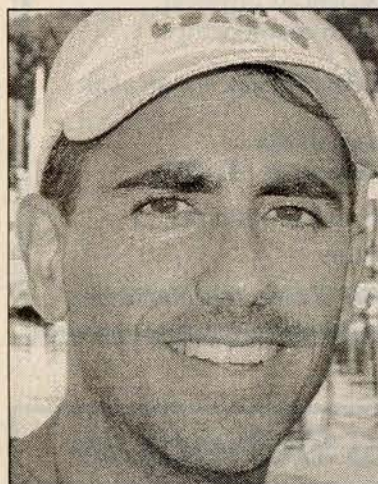
whistle. Ironically, there was a paragraph in the Down the Years column in that week's paper referring to the extensive improvements that had been made to the gym's sound system in 1970. Thirty years later it was difficult to detect any change.

But other changes there have been. An event such as this brings old memories to the surface, and those of Salt Spring three decades ago are fond ones. A slower pace and fewer people stand out as memorable features. On the other hand, we enjoy better transportation and more amenities. And the growth in population has added to the diversity, creating a fascinating and vibrant community.

I can pine for the old days, but I can enjoy the new ones, too.

SALT SPRING SAYS

We asked: As visitors, what message do you have for Salt Spring?



Clive Milligan

We are truly grateful to those of you on these islands who have committed yourselves to respecting the constant beauty and magnificence of the island.



Leona Adams

*(Prince George)
The peaceful laid back easy feelings of your quiet shores always brings a smile. We are filled with sadness when we leave.*



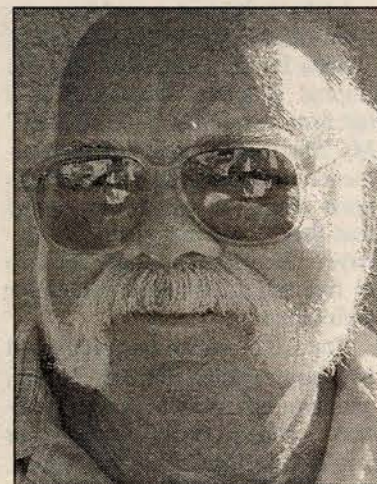
Doris Beduh

*(Vancouver)
Appreciate the beauty and peacefulness of this remote treasure. It's so rare that you can go to a place and feel totally at one with nature.*



Sharon Durling

*(Edmonton)
We've enjoyed our stay . . . we hope the islanders are successful in maintaining and preserving this beautiful, peaceful island.*



Bill Kelman

*(Vancouver)
You're living in a paradise; don't ever think of separating!*

Letters to the Editor

Pleasure

I am writing this open letter on behalf of the members of St. Mary's Anglican Church in Fulford to thank the anonymous benefactor who, for the last two Sundays, has left the most beautiful flowers on the doorstep of our church. They were very much appreciated and have given so much pleasure to the congregation.

Our hope is that whoever left the flowers will feel welcome to join us at our 9 a.m. Sunday service, or enjoy the tranquil and contemplative atmosphere our church offers at any time to those who may need a "quiet corner."

HELEN BRUCE,
Fulford

Vandals' work repaired

After waking up to see our fruit stand demolished by vandals in the night (the second time in the last month), we were pleasantly surprised to find later that same day that some very nice person had reconstructed the stand and put it back in its proper place. People like that also live on Salt Spring and make it a better place for everyone.

JOE ADAMS, CATH PHILLIPS,
Salt Spring

Wake-up call

It is almost too late for our island

The Driftwood publishes all letters it receives, as long as the writer's name is legible and a telephone contact number is included. The exceptions are those letters which may be libelous, slanderous, in bad taste, describe incidents involving other people which, to be fair, should allow both sides to be aired in a news story, and letters responding specifically to content in other papers.

When the volume of letters exceeds available space, priority will be given to letters which have not appeared in other publications.

population to have some control in the contents of Bylaw 355.

There are sections in it that will affect how you live now and how you will be forced to live in the future.

If you are found guilty of a bylaw infraction, an enforcement officer can bring a huge fine and continue to add to this original fine for non-compliance.

If this bylaw is not amended you will find out to our sorrow that you will have to apply to a faceless bureaucrat for permission to do what you now can do.

We will be ruled further by Victoria and the Islands Trust and I personally feel our directors are listening to those bodies, instead of the interests of the population they were elected to serve.

BRUCE ROBINSON,
Old Scott Road

P.S. Get a copy of the bylaw and read it. It will help you awake when you should be asleep.

Support applauded

While visiting the Saturday market, I came across a fundraising lemonade stand (Lester's Lemonade) for Lester Clare, who I was told is currently paralyzed in a Vancouver hospital after falling off a roof on Salt Spring.

I have been in construction for over 20 years and have witnessed the devastating effects of too many accidents. I applaud the "old-fashioned" community support that Lester is receiving.

By the way, the lemonade and cookies are delicious.

GEORGE CRAGG,
West Vancouver

Sources named

I seldom send letters to the local newspapers. However, I was so annoyed with the statement made by Bev Byron, one of our local Trust officers — "Obviously any-

one not in attendance at their previous meeting was happy with the second draft of bylaw #355" — I decided to attend their next meeting. I gathered as much material as I could in supporting my viewpoint as to how inept the local Islands Trust officers are in fulfilling their mandate of preserving and protecting Salt Spring Island and in handling the Texada situation.

Some of my material in my statement may have been construed as thoughts created by me. In fact, Anastacia Wilde and others within her article was where I obtained some of the information in my letter to the Driftwood. This letter was published as a viewpoint July 5. I also obtained information from Uri Cogan's www.savesaltspring.com, Adrian du Plessis' www.imagenisp.com/howenow/viva.html, www.imagenisp.com/howenow/Texada.html, and many other sources too numerous to mention here. I would like to thank those individuals and extend my apologies to those who may have thought I was taking credit for their material.

ANGUS B. ROY MACMILLAN,
Salt Spring

Cell towers good for babies

Regarding the cell phone tower controversy: There is an irrefutable positive correlation between coun-

tries that have low infant mortality and high incidence of cell phone tower installation.

The very strong inference is that cell phone towers are good for children and, more importantly, babies.

RODGER BEALS
Salt Spring

Safer place

The members of the Salt Spring Island Fire Department would like to thank the membership of Royal Canadian Legion Branch 92 for their generous donation towards the purchase of a new automatic external defibrillator.

Their donation of \$2,000 puts us that much closer to raising the sufficient funds required to purchase this unit.

At present there is one unit within the fire department in service, being located at the Fulford fire hall.

This new unit, when sufficient funds are raised, will be put into service at the main fire hall in Ganges.

President Randy Sloan and the Legion membership are to be commended for their part in making our community a much safer place to live.

DAVE ENFIELD,
Fire Chief

MORE LETTERS A8

Ready to go the distance with Mitchell protest

By **KATHRYN ROSE EMERSON**

I would like to know where to sign up for Alex Mitchell's protest group. After my own recent 18-month hiatus in Vancouver from Salt Spring (you can imagine the reasons for that) I still haven't learned my lesson. About paying for parking I mean. I usually tear up the initial ticket too, just like Alex.

I will also ignore the first few threats against my credit (somebody else got to it first, those fools.)

But, alas, I cave when it gets really ugly. (I've been threatened with jail by a parking meter attendant while, I thought calmly, disputing the sanity of a \$45 fine for being three minutes late.) I have had to move back to Salt Spring in the hopes of avoiding prosecution (hope no cops are reading this.)

I now believe I suffer from



some odd strain of post-traumatic stress syndrome. Never mind the personal stuff, I'm talking about the icy trembling fear of parking tickets and automobile towing companies employed by the cities. I've gotten to the point where I can't complete a meeting, I'm obsessed with the status of my parking meter.

I can be in the middle of a meeting with my fine attorney or my very busy agent and I will panic. Pointing to my watch, I'll cry, "This meeting is over, don't you understand, my meter is running out;" or I'll jump up off the doctor's table after waiting six

months to get the appointment and two hours in the waiting room to see him, and scream, "I have to go! My car's going to be towed!"

(It has been towed a few times and having torn up the last two tickets doesn't help the situation. But like I said, I haven't learned.)

Now this is just my own personal unsubstantiated opinion but I have begun to suspect that it's all Mafia, organized crime, pay-offs for contracts signed in the back rooms of public buildings, etc. (If you find me dead after this letter is published you know where to point the finger — well, one of the places to point one of the fingers.)

I have had to look at my own behaviour and wonder if my troubles aren't self-induced. I actually tried to make it my fault. (I should have known it was going to take this long, etc.) But then I

saw Alex Mitchell's article and I was exonerated. It was a homecoming. I finally knew what it was, it wasn't anti-social behaviour after all. It was the rebel in me. I was mad as heck and I wasn't going to take it anymore . . . just like Alex.

So sign me up. I'm ready to go the distance. No more \$100 fine and fee days to torture my way across the Lion's Gate Bridge in the naive hope of running one or two essential errands in a mere five hours. No more running out of meetings to hail a cab to follow my car to the towing yard. No more illusions about fairness, and fear tactics from self-professed authority figures.

I don't know how we'll start this rebellion but I'm already doing my small part. I'm back on Salt Spring and I'm not paying one more *#%\$* unreasonable ticket.

Mitchell's article had a profound and oddly comforting effect on me . . . he's my new guru. The dude has the experience, strength and hope . . . I mean I tried to slip back in quietly, unobtrusively . . . he showed me the light, I'm not alone.

I'll be 50 in seven months (but who's counting?). I needed reminding that despite being pretty well smacked down by life I ain't dead yet. The rebel in me lives. I'm not just another eccentric crackpot. (Well, probably not).

I think the bottom line for me is; I just don't like being taken advantage of, especially when my pants are down, by anyone, let alone those who are supposed to have the public trust. I'm in pretty good company if Alex Mitchell doesn't like it either.

The writer lives, drives and parks (for free) on Salt Spring.

More letters

Bad faith?

I take exception to public comments made by Rob MacDonald of Texada Land Corporation that the Capital Regional District (CRD) has been "negotiating in bad faith." Mr. MacDonald made these comments in response to a CRD Parks press release in which they stated that they could not justify to taxpayers Texada's demands for two to five times appraised values for their lands.

The CRD, which has purchased two large parcels on Salt Spring, and does not seem to have a problem striking deals with other landowners throughout the region, has politely described the Texada negotiations as "unprecedented." Based on discussions with our CRD director and CRD Parks staff, the following is my understanding of the situation.

Texada has not commissioned appraisals, but there is a three to four-page review of a 1998 appraisal by Baker Osland, paid for by the previous owner of the property, as well as a market evaluation by a local realtor. The level of analysis in Texada's "evaluations" is nowhere near the standard expected in a formal appraisal. For example, the local realtor's evaluation appears to be the basis for Texada Land Corp.'s initial asking price for Lot 9 on Maxwell Lake of about \$1.7 million. The price now apparently agreed to by Texada is a fraction of this amount.

The land values, and not just the timber values, claimed by Texada are significantly higher than estimated by the CRD assessors. A review by a local appraiser of the

land values claimed by Texada resulted in even lower estimates than the CRD, taking into account the period of time that a number of titles would take to sell on Salt Spring.

The CRD instructed their timber analyst to request further data from Texada in order to determine the reasons for the difference in timber values. After providing some information, Texada apparently refused to continue with this process. At this point, the CRD realized that there was no technically defensible basis for attempting to resolve the differences in values.

In light of this, it is ludicrous for Mr. MacDonald to accuse the CRD of negotiating in bad faith. The charge is particularly galling when Texada, despite promises to halt logging activities if presented with a credible expression of interest, continued to strip Lot 50 of timber and to build roads throughout other parts of the CRD area of interest, while negotiations with the CRD were ongoing.

My understanding is that Texada has recently requested another meeting with the CRD. Let us hope that the company stops the posturing and provides the CRD with the information necessary to support its land values.

Texada representatives have been complaining for months that The Land Conservancy of B.C., which is coordinating the Salt Spring Appeal Fund, has yet to put in an offer. Now it should be clear why this has not happened and what Texada must do to rectify the situation.

GARY HOLMAN,
McLennan Drive

Above, beyond

We should like to thank, publicly, Michael Mitchell of B.C. Ferries' staff for his kind understanding and quiet help to us on Saturday, July 15 at Fulford Harbour.

Having missed the 9:15 a.m. Victoria ferry (the Saturday schedule being different!) and needing to catch a plane in Victoria at 11:45 we could not chance the 10:40 ferry. Mr. Mitchell arranged for a motor-boat crossing for us as well as calling ahead for a taxi to meet us at the harbour. He would accept no remuneration for this above and beyond call of duty help.

We had been vacationing on Salt Spring Island and were always appreciative of the kindness of the residents.

Mr. Mitchell is an example of the warmth we experienced.

Thanks, Mike.
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The high cost of dealing with scrap metal has forced the Salt Spring recycle depot to discontinue accepting the material.


Manager Peter Grant said a drop in the value of scrap metal along with a lower "diversion credit" from the Capital Regional District (CRD) are the reasons behind the move.

The depot can get between \$15 and \$30 a tonne for scrap metal, but the trucking cost is \$100 per tonne.

Grant noted that while glass is also a costly material to recycle, its volumes are smaller and it has been factored into the contract under which the depot operates. The CRD contracts with Salt Spring Community Services to provide recycling on the island.

The depot will continue to accept large appliances and hot water tanks (called white goods) for a charge of \$25, along with non-ferrous metals such as aluminum and copper.

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2	2	CBC	Degrassi	Degrassi	Simpsons	Jonovis.	Broadcst	Journal	22 Mins	Country	Witness	DaVinci's	Inquest	The National	News	Movie	
3		SUPER	Bowfinger	(1999)	Steve Martin.	Summer's	End	James Earl Jones.	Donor Unknown	Substitute III: Winner Take..	Universal Sold..						
4	4	KOMO	Rosie O'Donnell	KOMO 4 News	News	News	News	Fortune	Jeopardy	2 Guys..	Norm	D.Carey	Spin City	20/20 Wednesday	News	35 News	
5	16	KING	Oprah Winfrey	KING News	News	News	News	Magazine	Squares	Dateline NBC	The West Wing	The West Wing	Law & Order	News	35 Tonight		
6	7	CHEK	Inside Ed.	Hollywd	CHEK News	News	News	Ch. Heart	Squares	The West Wing	Big Brother	Nikita	Law & Order	News	Bullard		
7	14	VTV	E.R.	News	D.Carey	News	News	Frasier	Friends	Buffy Vampire	D.Carey	Spin City	Law & Order	News	Bullard		
8	8	BCTV	Oprah Winfrey	News	Canada	News	News	Fortune	Jeopardy	Charmed	The Vanishing	(1993)	Jeff Bridges.	News	News Spt		
9	9	KCTS	Zoom	Mechanic	Arthur	Business	News	Trv Euro	Wildlife	Hidden Worlds	Railway Adventures	Across Australia	Neighbor	News			
10	23	SRC	Vacance	Débrouill.	..tatow	Lingo	Vie chalet	Ce soir	Tam Tam	Vélo mag	Avocats & associés	Docs en stock	Téléjournal/Point	Ce soir	Sports		
11	5	KNOW	Mechanic	Kratt's C.	Gregg	Pacific	Planet Education	Renovatr	Fishing	All Native Tourn.	Streetcity	Ignatieff	Profiles	Best of Dotto's Café			
13	13	CKVU	Rosie O'Donnell	Young & Restless	News	News	News	E.T.	Simpsons	Survivor	70's Show	King Hill	Jack & Jill	SportPge	News		
14		BRAVO	Videos	Spoken Art	God's Fool	(1999)	Supply & Demand	NYPD Blue	Homicide: Life on St	Lea	(1996)	Eric Brisebois.	45 News				
15	35	CMT	3:00 Hall of Fame	CMT Hall of Fame	All Access	CMT Songbook	P. Top 5	IndieScene	Top 12 Choice	All Access							
16	38	TLC	How'd They Do?	Extreme Machines	Great Skyscrapers	Great Skyscrapers	Great Skyscrapers	Great Skyscrapers	Great Skyscrapers	Great Skyscrapers	Great Skyscrapers	Great Skyscrapers	Great Skyscrapers	How'd They Do?			
17	32	CNN	3:30 \$line	Crossfire	The World Today	Larry King Live	CNN NewsStand	SportsT.	\$line	Larry King Live	CNN NewsStand	SportsT.	\$line				
19		FAM	Pumbaa	Hercules	Doug	Recess	Pete/Pete	So Weird	Gargoy.	A.Dark?	Address Unknown	40 My Girl	Macaulay Culkin.	Gargoy.	A.Dark?		
20	31	A&E	Law & Order	Biography	American Justice	Investigative Rep.	Law & Order	Biography	American Justice	Investigative Rep.	Law & Order	Biography	American Justice	Investigative Rep.			
21	15	TSN	Equestrian	Blainville International	Boxing	Trinidad vs Thiam	Boxing	Trinidad vs Thiam	Boxing	Trinidad vs Thiam	Boxing	Trinidad vs Thiam	Boxing	Trinidad vs Thiam			
22	19	NET	Golf Dest.	GottaSee	InsideTrck	LastWord	Golf Rep.	S.Central	Motorcycle Racing	Rugby New Zealand	vs South Africa	Sports Central	SportGen	Golf Rep.			
23	17	KSTW	PepperAn	Recess	JdgeJudy	JdgeJudy	D.Carey	Frasier	D.Carey	Seinfeld	Seven Days	Star Trek: Voyager	M.A.S.H.	M.A.S.H.	Frasier	Home I.	
24	12	KVOS	Nanny	Rosean	Star Trek: NG	Fm.Feud	Blind D.	Home I.	Mad You	Star Trek: Voyager	Earth: Final Conflict	Seinfeld	NwsRdio	Cheers	M.A.S.H.		
25	34	KCPQ	BeastMch	Digmon	Simpsons	3rd Rock	Friends	Simpsons	King Hill	Fam. Guy	Guinness Records	Q-13Rep	MadYou	95 Star Trek: V			
26	20	NEWS	Reports	One/One	The Passionate Eye	The National	Antique Roadsh.	Reports	Culture	National	BusNews	The Passionate Eye	National	Venture			
27	11	KIRO	Inside Ed.	Fm.Feud	KIRO News	News	News	E.T.	Real TV	Survivor	Judging Army	60 Minutes II	News	Letterm'n			
28		VISION	Callwood's Treasure	Wnd.Yrs	Cosby	L. Hobo	L. Hobo	Skylight	WeavingI.	May Dec.	SimpleW.	Fury for the Sound	Skylight	SoulWork	100 Huntley Street		

THIS WEEK'S MOVIES

- WEDNESDAY, JUL 26**
- 6:00 PM
3 Summer's End (1999,Drama) A black doctor moves back to his hometown to discover that it has barely changed. *James Earl Jones, Brendan Fletcher* (2h)
- 8:00 PM
3 ★★ Donor Unknown (1995,Suspense) After having a heart transplant, a man learns that his heart was obtained through murder. *Peter Onorati, Alice Krige* (1h30)
- 19 Address Unknown (1995,Drama)** A fifteen year old boy receives a letter from his dead father. *Kyle Howard, Jona Stewart* (1h40)
- 9:00 PM
3 8 ★★ The Vanishing (1993,Thriller) A man searches for his girlfriend until her abductor shows up to taunt him. *Jeff Bridges, Kiefer Sutherland* (2h)
- 9:30 PM
3 The Substitute III: Winner Takes All (1999>Action) A mercenary poses as an instructor in order to teach a lesson to some violent jocks. *Treat Williams, David Jensen* (1h30)
- 9:40 PM
19 ★★ My Girl (1991,Comedy/Drama) A little girl spends the summer learning about friendship, love and death. *Macaulay Culkin, Anna Chlumsky* (1h25)
- 10:00 PM
14 Lea (1996,Drama) An elderly woman and a young intruder bond after he breaks into her house. *Eric Brisebois, Carmen Tremblay* (1h45)
- 11:00 PM
3 Universal Soldier: The Return (1999>Action) An android soldier-turned-technician returns to battle an evil team of new warriors. *Jean-Claude Van Damme, Michael Jai White* (1h30)
- 11:55 PM
2 2 Inquest (1996,True) Ninety-five Liverpool supporters are crushed to death during an F.A. Cup match. (2h5)
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- THURSDAY, JUL 27**
- 6:00 PM
3 Airspeed (1997,Suspense) A young girl must land a plane after it is hit by lightning and everyone else is injured. *Elisha Cuthbert, Joe Mantegna* (1h30)
- 6:30 PM
14 ★★ The Wild One (1954,Romance) A gang leader saves a girl from a riot but is accused of trying to rape her. *Marlon Brando, Mary Murphy* (1h30)
- 8:00 PM
2 2 ★★ Bullets Over Broadway (1994,Comedy) A playwright sells out to the mob when given the chance to direct his work on Broadway. *Dianne Wiest, John Cusack* (2h)
- 3 G-2 (1998>Action)** A Macedonian warrior fights an evil clan and searches for Alexander the Great's sword. *Daniel Bernhardt, James Hong* (2h)
- 19 ★★ Hello Again (1967,Comedy)** A woman dies and wreaks havoc when she is brought back to life. *Shelley Long, Gabriel Byrne* (1h35)
- 25 34 ★★ Event Horizon (1997,Sci-Fi)** Two men are sent to investigate a spaceship that vanished seven years before. *Laurence Fishburne, Sam Neill* (1h)
- 9:35 PM
19 Brink! (1998,Drama) An inline skater deserts his friends to join a sponsored team. (1h30)
- 10:00 PM
13 13 Bonanno: A Godfather's Story (1999,Drama) The life of legendary mob boss Joe Bonanno, from childhood to exile. *Edward James Olmos, Martin Landau* (1h)
- 14 ★★ Reflections in a Golden Eye (1967,Drama)** A major's repressed homosexuality threatens to undo his entire life. *Marlon Brando, Elizabeth Taylor* (1h50)
- 3 Lake Placid (1999>Action)** A local game warden takes on a mutant crocodile that terrorizes a small Maine town. *Bill Pullman, Bridget Fonda* (1h30)
- 11:30 PM
3 Mickey Blue Eyes (1999,Comedy) The manager of a struggling New York auction house gets in over his head with the mob. *Hugh Grant, James Caan* (1h45)
- 11:55 PM
2 2 Joe's So Mean to Josephine (1996,Drama) A bright college girl becomes involved with a good looking volatile man. *Sarah Polley, Eric Thal* (2h35)



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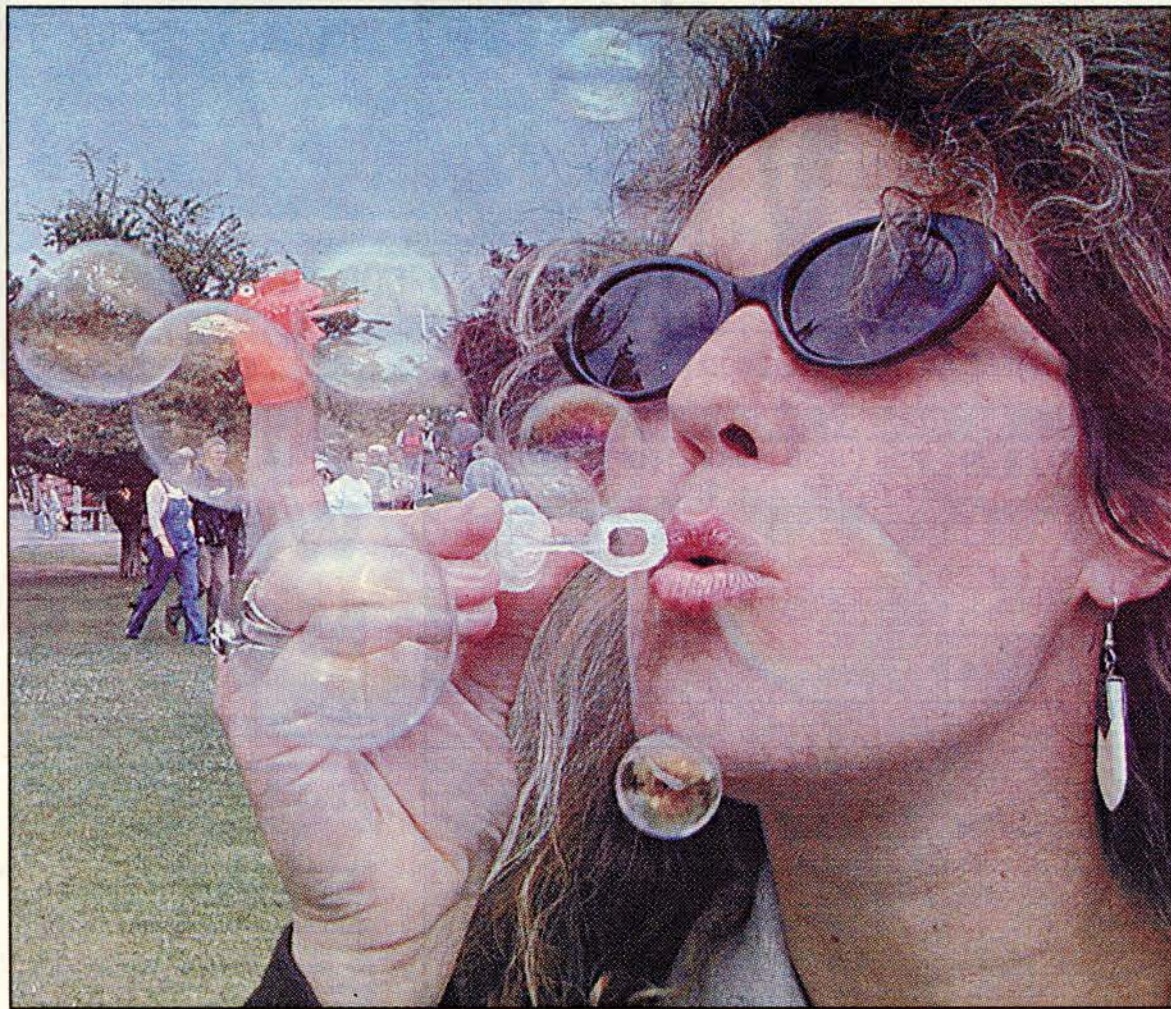


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S	O	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30
2	2	CBC	6:30 Var.	CBC Playgroun	Playgrnd	Playgrnd	Playgrnd	Raccoons	Midday	UPeasant	P. Wallin	North of 60	Various	Various	Riverdale		
3		SUPER	Various	Movies	Various	Movies	Various	Movies	Various	Movies	Various	Movies	M Wild	Wild West	F Home T..		
4	4	KOMO	7:00 Good Morning	Live Regis & Kathie	The View	News	P.Charles	All My Children	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Northwest						
5	16	KING	7:00 Today Show	M. Stewart Living	Later Today	A. Harriott Show	News	Days of Our Lives	Passions	Donny and Marie							
6	7	CHEK	6:30 Canada AM	Martin Short Show	The Price is Right	CityLine/ WVision	News	Various	Various	House	B & B	The City					
7	14	VTV	6:00 VTV Breakfast	Live Regis & Kathie	The View	Vicki Gabereau	3rd Rock	Ellen	One Life to Live	Vicki Gabereau	Dini Petty						
8	8	BCTV	Canada AM	Various	Various	Squares	Ch. Heart	News	House	B & B	The City	Martin Short Show					
9	9	KCTS	Bet. Lions	Zoboo..	Noddy	Barney	Sesame Street	Roger's	C.Couch	TTubbies	Rainbow	Tots TV	Noddy	Bet. Lions	Wishbone	Zoboo..	DragonT.
10	23	SRC	7:00 Matin express	Cinéma variées	Various	Various	Tintin	Lingo	Le Midi	Tam Tam	Chapeau melon	Variées	Dingo	Cités d'or	Animan.		
11	5	KNOW	Zoboo..	TTubbies	Ell.Moose	Various	Various	Various	Various	Fitness	Various	Various	Router	Baker's	C. Rider	Eyewitn.	
13	13	CKVU	Mechanic	Various	100 Huntley Street	It's a New Day	Various	Various	Various	Mechanic	Addams	Bynon	General Hospital	Days of Our Lives			
14		BRAVO	Various	Various	Various	Concerto	Various	45News	Various	Various	Various	40News	Various	Various			
15	35	CMT	Male Solo Acts/Top 12	HeartHome/ Hall Fame	M Male Solo Acts	Hall of Fame/ HeartHm	Male Solo Acts/ Heart	HeartHome/ Hall Fame	Solo Acts/ Country	NewCountry/HallFame							
16	38	TLC	Bingo	SkinnaTV	W.Story	W.Story	DateStory/DateStory	Baby St.	Baby St.	W.Story	W.Story	W.Story	HomeT.	HomeT.	Bob Vila	Bob Vila	
17	32	CNN	In The Money	Newsday	B.of Proof	CNN Today	Talkback Live	St.Sweep	Showbiz	M Inside	Politics/Politics	Various	Various				
19		FAM	Art Attack	Various	Various	50BillyCat	15 Scarry	40ArtAttk	Various	Various	50Claris.	15LuluSh	40Franklin	ArtAttack	Darkwing	Goof Trp	Aladdin
20	31	A&E	Various	Various	L.A. Law	W.L.A. Law	Law & Order	Various	Various	Various	Murder She Wrote	Various	Various	L.A. Law	W.L.A. Law		
21	15	TSN	Sportsdesk	Various	Workout	Various	Firefight.	Various	Ac. Golf	Various	Various	Various	Various	Various	Off Recrd	Sprtsdsk	
22	19	NET	S.Central	S.Central	S.Central	S.Central	S.Central	S.Central	S.Central	S.Central	Various	Various	Various	Various	Various	Various	
23	17	KSTW	Screen Gems	Lucy	Nanny	In Heat of Night	JudgeJoe	JudgeJoe	The People's Court	Divorce	Divorce	Cosby	Cosby	Doug	Sabrina		
24	12	KVOS	ScoobyD.	Various	Various	WFM Paid	Donny and Marie	Jenny Jones	Leeza Gibbons	Maury Povich Show	Montel Williams	Sally Jessy Raphael					
25	34	KCPQ	6:00 Mornings on Q	Maury Povich Show	Judge Greg Mathis	J. Mills	J. Mills	Judge Greg Mathis	Maury Povich Show	Enquirer	F.House	Various	Various				
26	20	NEWS	Business News	Newsworld Today	Newsworld Today	Newsworld Today	Newsworld Today	Newsworld Today	Absol. Canadian	PassionateEye	News	BusNews					
27	11	KIRO	The Early Show	Sally Jessy Raphael	The Price is Right	Young & Restless	News	B & B	As the World Turns	The Guiding Light	Montel Williams						
28		VISION	Mass	Various	Robison	Copelnd	Skylight	Various	Various	Various	Skylight	Kidzone	Robison	QuickST.	Various		

YOUR WEEKLY PULL-OUT TV GUIDE



BUBBLE FUN: Elizabeth Soloff blows a while her little finger puppet looks on. batch of colourful bubbles in Centennial Park

Photo by Derrick Lundy

All Saints prepares annual salmon feast

Salmon will fill the platters of those attending the Salt Spring Anglican Parish's second annual salmon barbecue this weekend.

The popular three-day event — staged for the first time last year as a fundraiser for the maintenance of local community halls — takes place at All Saints By-the-Sea on Friday and Saturday from 5:30 to 7 p.m., and Sunday, 11:30-2 p.m.

The feast includes salmon, coleslaw and a roll followed by fresh fruit salad and a beverage.

There's also a hot-dog dinner for children.

Cost is \$10 for the salmon dinner and \$5 for the hot-dog version.

The event takes place on the lawns facing Ganges Harbour.

Red tide warning issued

Red tide has closed shellfish harvesting in some local waters.

Fisheries & Oceans advises that paralytic shellfish poisoning has resulted in the closure of an area that takes in the southern end of Trincomali Channel.

A closure was already in effect in the Sansum Narrows, Satellite Channel and Saanich Inlet area.

More precise information can be obtained from the Fisheries office in Duncan at 250-746-6221.



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- Self-paced programs with flexible schedules will be individually built using B.C. Ministry of Education approved courses. Students will be supported by a teacher and will choose from learning formats such as computer-assisted instruction, "pen and paper" correspondence courses, on-line courses and regular classroom instruction.
- Because the Ministry of Education has agreed to fund this program expansion, the courses will be free to our students. To begin planning, we would like to hear from those who are interested in being students this fall. If you are interested, or would like more information, please call the school district office at 537-5548.

School District #64

(Gulf Islands)




Table with columns for S, O, Time (4:00-11:30), and program details for Thursday Evening July 27.

Table with columns for S, O, Time (4:00-11:30), and program details for Friday Evening July 28.

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Table with columns for S, O, Time (8:00-3:30), and program details for Saturday Daytime July 29.

Table with columns for S, O, Time (4:00-11:30), and program details for Saturday Evening July 29.

FRIDAY, JUL 28
6:00 PM
3 Mystery Men (1999, Comedy) A band of amateur superheroes must save the day when a villain threatens their city. Hank Azaria, Ben Stiller (2h)
14 ***** Queen of Hearts (1989, Romance) The impassioned story of an Italian family and their lives in England. Vittorio Duse, Joseph Long (2h)
8:00 PM
3 The 13th Warrior (1999, Action) An Arabian poet is enlisted to help a band of Vikings rid their village of a scourge. Antonio Banderas, Diane Venora (2h)
19 *** Annie (1982, Musical) A red-headed orphan girl is temporarily adopted by a billionaire. Carol Burnett, Albert Finney (2h10)
22 (12) ** Chrome Soldiers (1992, Action) Five Vietnam veterans come together to avenge a friend's murder. Gary Busey, Ray Sharkey (2h)
9:45 PM
14 * Portnoy's Complaint (1972, Erotica) An Jewish teenager obsessed with sex, relates his experiences to his psychiatrist. Richard Benjamin, Karen Black (2h)
9 (9) *** In the Good Old Summertime (1949, Musical) A music store clerk falls in love with a pen pal who is actually her dreaded boss. Judy Garland, Van Johnson (2h)
3 ***** The Mask of Zorro (1998, Action) A lawless rogue is transformed into a heroic freedom fighter. Antonio Banderas, Anthony Hopkins (2h30)
10:10 PM
19 ***** Superman (1978, Sci-Fi) Superman must stop Lex Luthor from setting off a bomb at the San Andreas fault. Christopher Reeve, Gene Hackman (50m)
11:55 PM
2 (2) ** Showboat (1951, Musical) The life of a captain's daughter on a Mississippi show boat. Kathryn Grayson, Ava Gardner (3h5)

SATURDAY, JUL 29
6:00 PM
3 Bowfinger (1999, Comedy) A forgotten Hollywood director clandestinely films an uncooperative action star. Steve Martin, Eddie Murphy (2h)
8:00 PM
2 (2) Major Crime (1997, Drama) Police investigators try to bring a dangerous sex offender to justice. Michael Moriarty, David Cubitt (2h)
3 Detroit Rock City (1999, Comedy) Four desperate suburban teenagers will do anything to see their idols KISS in concert. Edward Furlong, Giuseppe Andrews (2h)
4 (4) *** Nick of Time (1995, Suspense) A man must murder a Governor in order to save his kidnapped daughter's life. Johnny Depp, Christopher Walken (2h)
19 *** Three Fugitives (1989, Comedy) An ex-con who is trying to go straight is taken hostage by a bungling first-time robber. Nick Nolte, Martin Short (1h40)
23 (17) ** Memphis Belle (1990, War) An exciting fictional reenactment of the famous B-17's final raid over Germany. Matthew Modine, Harry Connick Jr. (2h)
23 (12) **** East of Eden (1955, Drama) The twin sons of a lettuce farmer compete for their father's love. James Dean, Julie Harris (2h30)
8:45 PM
14 *** The Laughing Policeman (1973, Suspense) Two detectives search for a killer who slaughtered passengers on a bus. Walter Matthau, Bruce Dern (2h)
9:00 PM
5 (16) Alice in Wonderland (1999, Fantasy) A young girl goes through a looking glass and enters a mysterious, magical new world. Whoopi Goldberg, Ben Kingsley (2h)
9:40 PM
19 **** Bonjour Timothy (1997, Drama) A boy hosts an exchange student who is trying to forget about her boyfriend. Dean O'Gorman, Sabine Karsenti (1h40)
10:00 PM
2 (2) *** Mighty Aphrodite (1995, Comedy) A sports writer becomes obsessed with finding the birth mother of his adopted son. Woody Allen, Helena Bonham Carter (2h)
3 * Very Bad Things (1998, Suspense) When a bachelor party goes wrong, a man must deal with crime and raging guilt. Cameron Diaz, Christian Slater (1h45)
11:00 PM
13 ** Love! Valor! Compassion! (1997, Drama) A group of friends meet for weekend getaways over the summer and find themselves. Jason Alexander, John Glover (2h)
11:20 PM
19 * Lt. Robin Cursee, U.S.N. (1966, Children) A U.S. pilot drifts onto a tropical island and gets involved with a girl. Dick Van Dyke, Nancy Kwan (1h55)
11:45 PM
3 * Goodbye Lover (1999, Suspense) A sociopath has an affair resulting in murder, and a multi-million dollar inheritance. Patricia Arquette, Dermot Mulroney (1h45)

SUNDAY, JUL 30
6:00 PM
3 Lake Placid (1999, Action) A local game warden takes on a mutant crocodile that terrorizes a small Maine town. Bill Pullman, Bridget Fonda (1h30)
14 ***** The Parallax View (1974, Mystery) A reporter is approached by a woman who has been an eyewitness to an assassination. Warren Beatty, Paula Prentiss (2h)
23 (17) * The Gun in Betty Lou's Handbag (1992, Comedy) A timid housewife confesses to a murder to create excitement for herself. Penelope Ann Miller, William Forsythe (2h)
7:00 PM
4 (4) ** Homeward Bound II: Lost in San Francisco (1996, Family) Three pets get separated from their owners and navigate the streets of San Francisco. Michael J. Fox, Sally Field (2h)
8:00 PM
2 (2) *** Everyone Says I Love You (1996, Musical) The misadventures of an upper-class Manhattan family, at home, in Venice and Paris. Julia Roberts, Goldie Hawn (2h)
3 Stir of Echoes (1999, Suspense) A

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man's hunt for a spirit's body puts his family in grave danger. Kevin Bacon, Illeana Douglas (2h)
13 ★★★★★ All the President's Men (1976, Political) Two reporters expose the greatest scandal in American political history...

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13 ★★★★★ National Velvet (1944, Adventure) A man forms a bond with a young girl due to the common love they share for horses. Donald Crisp, Elizabeth Taylor (2h5)
27 (11) The Inheritance (1997, Romance) An orphan's life is changed forever by a chance encounter with a handsome stranger...

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7 (14) Mary & Tim (1996, Drama) The story of the relationship between widow and mentally challenged man. Candice Bergen, Thomas McCarthy (2h)
19 ★★★★★ The Karate Kid (1984, Drama) A newly arrived teenager is taught karate to defend himself against trained bullies...

S - SALT SPRING ISLAND O - OUTER ISLANDS TUESDAY EVENING AUGUST 1. Table with columns for time slots (4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30) and rows for various TV channels and programs.

3 ★★★★★ Six Days, Seven Nights (1998, Action) A man and woman are stranded on an island in the South Pacific. Harrison Ford, Anne Heche (2h)
14 ★★★★★ Rattled (1996, Thriller) A poisonous mass of rattlesnakes descend on a town after developers destroy their home...

Theft victim moves

By ANASTACIA WILDE
Driftwood Staff

A Salt Spring man has been forced to move out of his house and onto a boat after a series of robberies left him worrying the thief will return.

Kevin Oneschuk has fallen victim to theft on three separate occasions in the last eight months, losing \$15,000 in cash and personal possessions.



Oneschuk

Oneschuk, who works as a bartender at Moby's Pub, has a sneaking suspicion the offenders have access to his work schedule. He also believes the break-ins may be drug-related.

"I don't feel safe. I'm better off on my boat," he said.

Oneschuk moved to the island seven years ago and until late last year considered Salt Spring a safe place. But not anymore.

Last December, Oneschuk found an empty space where his motorcycle once stood. His Yamaha XT350 was found months later in Vancouver after a joy ride and subsequent accident left it in poor condition.

Oneschuk said the theft was a harsh wake-up call. He responded by getting insurance on everything he owned. But that didn't stop the bandits.

In February, his Current Designs Solstice GT kayak was taken from his property. The kayak had been locked to a dock and was worth \$3,500.

The last of the robberies occurred last month and was more personal in nature. The trespassers entered Oneschuk's home and rummaged through his belongings. Stolen were specific items including a Global Positioning System (GPS), a marine radio, binoculars, CDs and a Suunto computer wrist watch.

"They went in and took small stuff they could stuff into a knapsack," he said. "Everything that's been ripped off is easy to pawn or sell."

The succession of thievery started to wear on the young man, who began to question his personal safety.

"The first night after the break-in was awful," he said. "I didn't sleep. It was completely invasive."

But Oneschuk's story doesn't end there.

He was preparing for a short trip on his days off and planned to leave on a Wednesday. At the last minute, Oneschuk changed his mind and decided to spend Wednesday night at his home and leave Thursday.

"As soon as I woke up (Thursday) I knew something was off," Oneschuk said.

He peered out his window and spied a foreign car parked in his driveway. A quick call to the RCMP confirmed the car was stolen. Oneschuk suspects the thieves had returned with full knowledge of his proposed trip. "They probably got startled to still find me here," he explained.

"I think the guys that stole that car planned to clean me out for everything," said Oneschuk. "The criminal element is realizing how easy it is to come over here and have their pick."

Ironically, Oneschuk had placed his larger and more valuable possessions in a storage locker days before.

The young bartender finds it curious that all three robberies have taken place on the same day of the week while he was at work. During the latest offense — on June 26 — a young male was seen on Oneschuk's porch by a neighbour who thought nothing of it.

CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO VOLUNTEER AS A SCRUTINEER AND VOTER REGISTRATION

Take notice that the assent of the electors is required with regard to:

· Proposed Bylaw No. 2799, Outer Gulf Islands Magic Lake Estates Water System Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 1, 2000 and Bylaw No. 2798, Outer Gulf Islands Magic Lake Estates Water System Second Local Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1, 2000. Qualified electors of **Magic Lake Estates Water Local Service Area**, located on North Pender Island within the Outer Gulf Islands Electoral Area, will be asked to vote on the following question (re: WATER) on **Saturday, September 16, 2000;** **AND**

· Proposed Bylaw No. 2800, North Pender Island Fire Protection and Emergency Response Local Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1, 1992, Amendment Bylaw No. 2, 2000 and Bylaw No. 2805, North Pender Island Fire Protection and Emergency Response Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 1, 2000. Qualified electors of North Pender Island within the Outer Gulf Islands Electoral Area, will be asked to vote on the following question (re: FIRE) on **Saturday, September 16, 2000;**

WATER "Are you in favour of the Capital Regional District Board adopting Bylaw No. 2799, Outer Gulf Islands Magic Lake Estates Water System Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 1, 2000 to permit borrowing of up to \$2.9 million and Bylaw No. 2798, Outer Gulf Islands Magic Lake Estates Water System Second Local Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1, 2000 to create a local service?" **"YES or NO"**

FIRE "Are you in favour of the Capital Regional District Board adopting Bylaw No. 2800, North Pender Island Fire Protection and Emergency Response Local Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1, 1992, Amendment Bylaw No. 2, 2000 and Bylaw No. 2805, North Pender Island Fire Protection and Emergency Response Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 1, 2000?" **"YES or NO"**

SCRUTINEERS

Applications to act as a scrutineer for those organizations for and against the bylaws shall be received at the offices of the Capital Regional District (CRD), P. O. Box 1000, 524 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C. V8W 2S6 between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. from **Monday, August 21, 2000 until Wednesday, August 30, 2000.** Application forms are available at the CRD by telephoning Toll Free 1-800-663-4425 local 3128 or 250-360-3128.

LIST OF REGISTERED ELECTORS

Beginning Wednesday, July 26, 2000 until September 15, 2000 a copy of the list of registered electors for North Pender Island will be available, **upon signature**, for public inspection at the CRD offices listed below. You may also call the following offices to enquire whether your name is on the North Pender Island Voters' List:

Capital Regional District, Administration Dept., 524 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C.

(8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Mon. to Fri., excluding holidays)

Telephone Toll Free 1-800-663-4425 local 3127 or 250-360-3127

and

CRD Building Inspection office, 4605 Bedwell Harbour Road (Driftwood Centre), Pender Island, B.C.

(8:30 a.m. to Noon; 12:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Mon., Wed., Fri.)

Telephone 250-629-3424

VOTER REGISTRATION

Advance Voter Registration closes on Wednesday, August 23, 2000 for the North Pender Island Voters' List. You may register on voting day if you meet the qualifications set out below.

Resident Elector: You are entitled to vote as a **Resident Elector** if you are 18 years or older on voting day (September 16, 2000), are a Canadian Citizen, have resided in British Columbia for six months and:

- within the boundaries of **Magic Lake Estates Water Local Service Area** located on **North Pender Island** within the Outer Gulf Islands Electoral Area for 30 days (for the WATER Referendum); **and/or**
- within the boundaries of North Pender Island for 30 days (for the FIRE Referendum).

Non-Resident Property Elector *: If you are 18 years or older on voting day (September 16, 2000), are a Canadian Citizen, have resided in British Columbia for six months, have owned and held registered title (subject to Section 51 of the **Local Government Act**) to property within the boundaries of **Magic Lake Estates Water Local Service Area** located on North Pender Island for 30 days (for the WATER Referendum) **and/or** within the boundaries of North Pender Island for 30 days (for the FIRE Referendum), do not qualify as a Resident Elector, you may vote as a Non-Resident Property Elector provided that you:

- (a) have registered on or before August 23, 2000, **OR**
- (b) have applied for and received a certificate, prior to voting day, which entitles you to register as a Non-Resident Property Elector (certificate **MUST** be presented at the time of voting); **OR**
- (c) apply for a certificate, at the time of voting, which entitles you to register as a Non-Resident Property Elector, if the following information is provided at the time of application:
 - a **recent** land title registration of the real property (which may be obtained at the Land Title Office) **OR** a property tax notice, which will show the names of all the registered owners;
 - 2 pieces of identification (one of which must have a signature), **and**
 - in the case of more than one owner of the property, a completed consent form signed by the majority of the owners designating you as the person entitled to vote for the property.

*Please Note:

- (1) Only one Non-Resident Property Elector may vote per property, regardless of how many owners there may be.
- (2) If you are already registered as a Non-Resident Property Elector, (ie. your name appears on the List of Registered Electors annotated with a "P"), and provided that you still meet all of the requirements of the Local Government Act in order to be registered under this category, you are not required to re-register or apply for the certificate in order to vote.
- (3) There is **NO** corporate vote. The only persons who are registered owners of the real property, either as joint tenants or tenants in common, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust.

For more information about registering as a Resident or a Non-Resident Property Elector, call Toll Free 1-800-663-4425 local 3128 or 250-360-3128

Dated this 19th day of July, 2000.

Thomas F. Moore,
Chief Election Officer

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SPORTS & RECREATION

Salt Spring athlete up to bat in World Series event

By ANASTACIA WILDE
Driftwood Staff

One all-star Salt Spring athlete is going all the way.

Thirteen-year-old baseball player Gordie Akerman will compete in the Continental Amateur Baseball Association League Age 13 World Series, slated for July 26 to August 6 in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

"Some of the best 13-year-old baseball players in the country are right here in our own backyard," said Gordie's father and coach Pat Akerman.

Gordie and his teammates leave today (Wednesday) for the 12-day adventure of a lifetime in the southwestern United States.

The 14-member all-star Dream Team is made up of seven players from last year's Canadian representatives at the Little League World Series, held in Victoria, and seven additional top tournament players.

Following an exhibition game last year between the Dream Team and Gordie's own Stewart Channel All-Stars, Dream Team manager J.P. King asked the teenage sports wizard to try out for the team.

By October, Gordie jumped on board the Dream Team ship and has been making waves ever since. He is in the top two for batting average and number one for most runs scored.

"Athletes on Salt Spring Island can compete anywhere at all levels," said Akerman. "Gordie's stats are up there with the rest of the team."

The Dreamers are third in the Sandy Koufax League, where Gordie has been competing every fortnight in Washington State. Their impressive record of 25 wins and six losses renders them a force to be reckoned with, as confirmed by their victory in the prestigious Larry Kissock Memorial Baseball

Tournament in Oliver, B.C.

Gordie appreciates the support from local businesses to cover travelling costs for the upcoming World Series and the ongoing Washington State competitions. The entire \$40,000-a-year expense budget has been met through fundraising efforts including bottle drives, sponsorships and a golf tournament.

With his eye on the ball, Gordie may have even have a chance at a college scholarship based on his sports ability.

According to Gordie's mother Brenda, Dream Team manager J.P. King has continually stressed the importance of good scholastic standing.

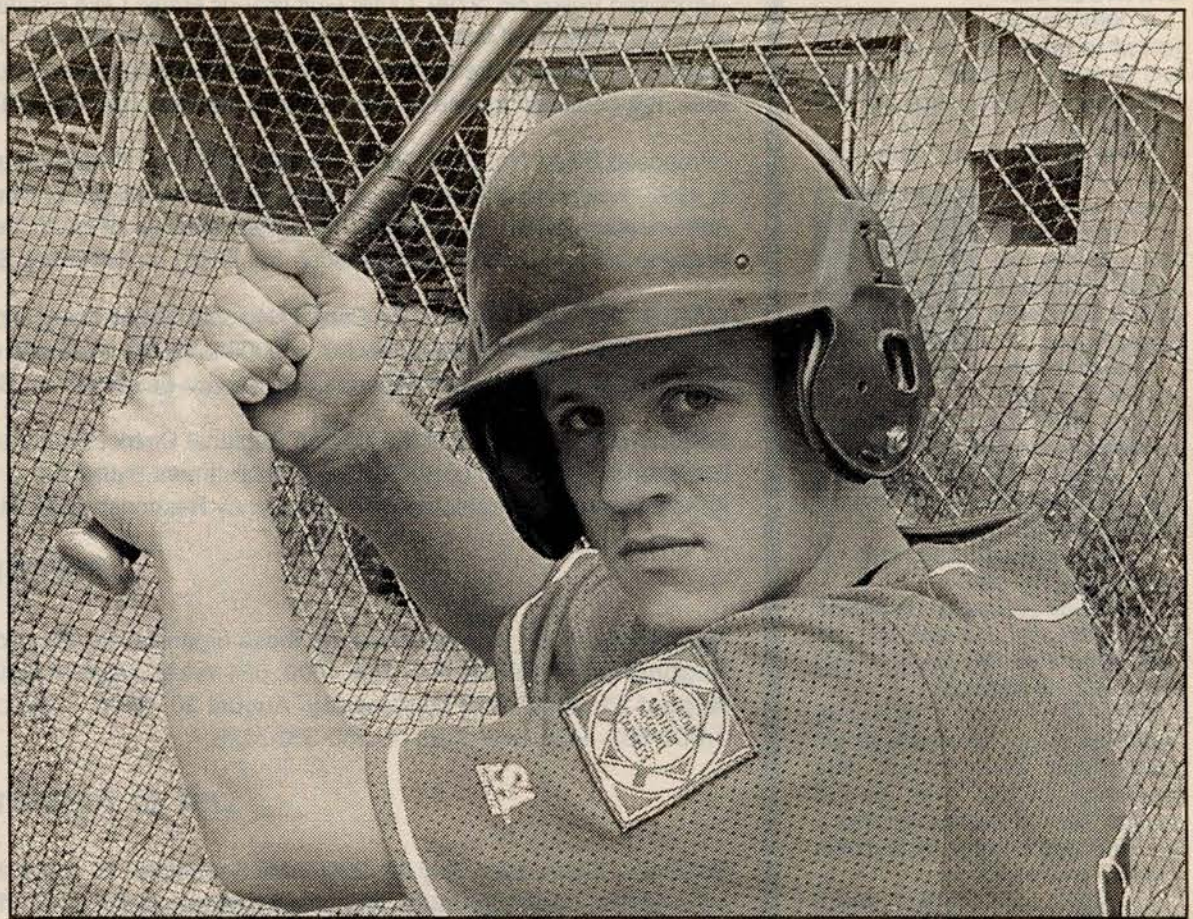
"You can't just be a good athlete, you have to be a good student," the manager said.

This prerequisite jives well with Gordie who has always been a good student. This year in particular he has applied himself to his studies, Gordie's mother acknowledged.

The nimble athlete has been playing ball since he was toddler and shows no signs of slowing down. When asked what components make a great baseball player, Gordie simply said, "Practice and desire."

Two days a week spent on ferries for a total six-hour commute to make Victoria practices with the Dream Team show he's not lacking in either department. Natural ability measures up in the athletic equation, too, said his father, and Gordie certainly has a lion's share. He has been an active player in baseball, basketball, and soccer all his short life.

Akerman said the competition in Oklahoma will be tough. A total of 36 teams from all over the United States and Puerto Rico are entered in the World Series Age 13 games. "There will be some really good



THE RIGHT STUFF: Salt Spring baseball player Gordie Akerman shows his technique as he gears up for an international event.

Photo by Derrick Lundy

teams," said Akerman "This is the highest level of competition our boys can go — this is the big-league."

That may be so. But for Salt Spring Middle School student and fast-armed pitcher, outfielder and shortstop Gordie, he's mainly "going for the experience and to play some good baseball."

Babe Ruthers take third spot

Two Salt Spring baseball players and a local coach were part of a Vancouver Island team that placed third in a weekend tournament.

Players Adam Davies and Cam Beals and coach Rodger Beals participated in the Babe Ruth provincial tournament for 16-year-olds along with players from Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Crofton, Chemainus and Duncan.

The team won its first game 17-14 over favoured White Rock.

Adam Davies played catcher and centre fielder and contributed with his bat with an rbi.

Cam Beals caught and pitched with three singles, a walk and three rbi's. He also earned the save.

The team ran up against the eventual finalists, Coquitlam and Langley, and was beaten in successive games.

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Salt Spring Island Youth Soccer

BOYS & GIRLS REGISTRATION

If you have not registered for the 2000-2001 season, please do so. Deadline is July 28, 2000.



Forms can be picked up and dropped off at the Parks & Rec office. If you have any questions please call:

Mafalda Hoogerdyk, 537-2199

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS MAGIC LAKE ESTATES WATER SYSTEM

2000 Water Restrictions EFFECTIVE July 1, 2000

We ask your assistance in helping ensure water will be available for all users within the Magic Lake Estates water utility service area throughout the summer.

Until further notice, we request that you practice conservation in your day to day use of water and avoid using water for activities such as car washing. Lawn watering if necessary, shall be restricted to the hours of 4 am to 7 am and 8 pm to 10 pm Monday to Friday only. There is insufficient capacity in the system to permit lawn irrigation on weekends.

It is our hope that your attention to these conservation measures will be sufficient to avoid more stringent restrictions.

For additional information, please call Ray Riddell at 360-3054 or 1-800-663-4425.

D.J. McFarland, ASCT
Manager, Operations & Local Services Division
CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT

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Announcements

5 BIRTHS

IT'S A GIRL!



Kyrstein Home & Marty Lewis are proud to announce the birth of their **FIRST** child, 7lb. 7oz.
Daisy Marina Bónita Lewis, born July 10, 2000 at 3:52am.

We would like to thank the following people for their kindness & support: Jules Atkins, Erin Porter, Jessie Fisher, Joy Williams, Blake & Natalie Gold, Mardon Dary, Clare & Andrew McKay, Kisaie Petersen, and a special thank you to big sister Sadie.

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6 DEATHS

CAMPBELL, THOMAS Audbert - late of Chemainus Health Care Centre, Chemainus, BC, former resident of Duncan, Victoria and Ganges, BC. Born September 17, 1920 in Seattle, Washington, went to meet his Lord on July 17, 2000. Predeceased by his father in 1933 and mother in 1963, Tom is survived by his brother Robert (Jean), Coquitlam, BC; sons John (Pamela), Duncan, BC, Robert (Shirley), Redcliffe, AB; daughters Ann (Don) Killo, Medicine Hat, AB, Janet, Merle (Michael) Campbell-Moore, Victoria, BC, Norma Campbell, Metchosin, BC, grandchildren Michele, Abu Dhabi, UAE, James, (Anna Maria), Justin (Michele), Russell (Jeannine), Debbie (Steve) Stabler, Christine, Donald Killo Jr., Brandon Campbell-Moore, Dana (Dan), Tommy McDonald, Thia McDonald, Sean, Andrew, and Brian; plus five great grandchildren and many nieces, nephews and loved ones. Tom joined the Army in September 1939 and served with the R.C.A. Medical Corp in the United Kingdom and took part in the invasion of Italy. He was proud to be known as a "D-Day Dodger". After demobilization he lived on Lulu Island until 1950, then the family moved to the Cowichan Valley. Tom worked in the logging and lumber industry until 1963. They then moved to Victoria and he worked as an orderly at the DVA and Jubilee Hospitals. His last work place was Lady Minto Hospital and Greenwoods in Ganges. He was made a Life Member of the Royal Canadian Legion while a resident of Salt Spring Island. He was also a member of the Royal Canadian Legion, Cowichan Branch #53 for many years and treasured the friendships he made during that association. A special thank you to the doctors and nursing staff of the Chemainus Health Care Centre who cared for him these past four years. You were not only his health care providers, but you were also his friends. Thank you! He will be missed but never forgotten. A Memorial Service was held in Sands Funeral Chapel, 187 Trunk Road, Duncan, BC on Friday, July 21, 2000 at 1:00 pm. Father David Peterson officiated. Cremation. Flowers are gratefully declined. Donations in memory of Tom may be made to the Chemainus Health Care Centre, 9909 Esplanade Street, Chemainus, BC V0R 1K0 or the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #53 Poppy Fund, 575 Trunk Road, Duncan, BC V9L 2R2. Sands Funeral Chapel of Duncan.

6 DEATHS

SHANDRO: HELEN Frances passed away peacefully at Lady Minto hospital on July 16, 2000. Helen was born in Ontario in 1909. She was predeceased by her husband Stephen Andrew in 1970. She is survived by sons Gerald (Elsie) of Arbutus Ridge and Douglas of Calgary, five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. No service by request. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to a charity of your choice. Hayward's Funeral Service, 537-1022.

HAMMERSLEY: EMILY (Dolly) passed away peacefully at Lady Minto Hospital on July 23, 2000 at 12:00 noon. There will be a service held at Royal Canadian Legion Branch #92 at 2:00 on Thursday, August 3, 2000. Haywards Funeral Service, 537-1022.

HELM, DR HAROLD W passed away peacefully on Saltspring Island July 18 at the age of 93. Lovingly remembered by his wife of 56 years, Irene, sister Dorothy, daughter Pat (Larry), sons Gordie (Linda), Rob (Patti) and grandchildren Samantha, Michelle, Kirsten, Meghan, Amanda and Jeremy as well as his many friends. Harold enjoyed sports and was actively involved in a variety of organizations. He served as District Commander of the Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons of the Lower Mainland and was honoured with a Lifetime Membership. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Lady Minto Hospital Foundation or charity of your choice. A very special thanks to Dr. R. Reznick and the caring staff who comforted Harold and family during his brief stay in hospital. A celebration of Harold's life was held at All Saints' by the Sea Anglican Church on July 22 at 4 p.m.

7 IN MEMORIAM

The Canadian Cancer Society British Columbia and Yukon Division

appreciates your generous support. Please send name of deceased, name/address of next of kin and name/address of donor for tax receipt (VISA/MC accepted) to:
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WE'RE THERE AND WE CARE

7/11

8 CARDS OF THANKS

MYRANDA O'BYRNE and Michael Price would like to thank all of our family and friends who made our wedding so delightful. A special thank you to Marcia Jeanne of Everlasting Summer for her generous gift of the Rose Garden and for the simply stunning bouquets.

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8 CARDS OF THANKS

THANK YOU Malcolm and Stephanie Bond for your usual kind and compassionate way in which you helped our cat Tommy. Sincerely Andrea and Derek Sowden.

THANK YOU very much to the person who handed in my just bought card I left on the seat at Glad's. It confirms my conviction that most people are good. Ice cream at Glad's for you!

THE FAMILY of the late Mr. Harold W. Helm would like to express their sincere thanks to all for their kindness & support. Irene Helm & family.

THE SALT SPRING ISLAND GRIEF RECOVERY GROUP would like to sincerely thank the residents of Croftonbrook for the use of their meeting room for our last Grief Recovery Group sessions. The room was ideal for our purpose and we look forward to using it again for our next series of sessions starting on September 18. Again, thank you. Salt Spring Island Grief Recovery Group.



The Stingrays Swimteam wishes to thank **DOUG & DIANE**

of **THE GANGES GARMENT CO.** for their tremendous help in ordering our team sweats.

Without them we'd all be shivering at the pool!

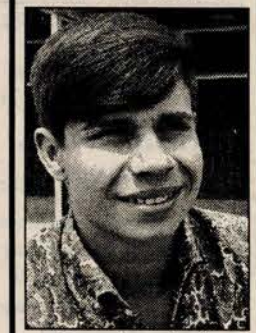
10 CELEBRATIONS

HAPPY 50th BIRTHDAY, MALCOLM



Friends and well-wishers are invited to join us for a celebration at our home on Saturday, July 29th, 7p.m.

Guess who's 1/2 a century old and still has all his hair?



- Love, from the family

20 COMING EVENTS

HIROSHIMA COMMEMORATION, Sunday, August 6, 7:30 pm in Ganges Peace Park, across from ArtSpring.

KELLY NEMETH.

20 COMING EVENTS

FOR A complete calendar of coming events check the Driftwood Community Calendar, in our office in the Upper Ganges Centre, 328 Lower Ganges Road, or on our website at <http://www.gulfislands.net>. Use the calendar for event planning, to make sure your date doesn't conflict with someone else's.

FLIGHT SCHOOL Basketball Camp Summer 2000. Monday - Friday, August 7 - 11 at G.I.S.S. Grades 3 - 5, 9:00 - 12:00; Grades 6 - 8, 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. and Grades 9 - 12, 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Cost is \$89 includes t-shirt, prizes, water bottle and drinks. Call the PARC office at 537-4448.

THE BODYWORKS COLLECTIVE is having a healing fair with 50% of the proceeds donated to the Green Conscience Fund. A smorgasbord of Reiki, reflexology, bodywork, tea cup reading and ear coning will be offered at the low introductory price of \$20. Saturday, July 29, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. at the Green House Office, 136 Lower Ganges Rd. Phone Tanya 538-0086.

GALIANO DAY TOUR! Travel by water taxi, visit gardens, artists' studios, vistas and elegant homes. Enjoy a pub lunch at the Hummingbird Inn and an elegant afternoon tea on the deck overlooking the ocean. Saturday, July 29, 9-5 pm. \$68.27, register with PARC at 537-4448.

SALT SPRING HOURS FAIR on Sunday, August 6, 1 - 4 p.m. at United Church Meadow. Book your \$10 table now. Entertainment includes Shilo Zybergold, Wes Walls, Anastacia Wilde, Nina Holdorf. Call Tanya 538-0086.

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The offices of the Islands Trust Salt Spring Island will be closed Wednesday, July 26th, 2000, for a staff meeting. Regular office hours will resume at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 27th, 2000.
Sorry for any inconvenience.

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26 LEGALS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

RE: ESTATE OF HEDVIG MARIE ANDERSEN, DECEASED, formerly of 201 Morningside Road, Salt Spring Island, in the Province of British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby required to give particulars thereof to the Executrix named below at 201 Sky Valley Road, Salt Spring Island, B.C., V8K 2C7, on or before October 1, 2000, after which date the Executrix will distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to claims of which the Executrix then has notice.

Marion Andrew
by her Solicitor,
J. Anthony McEwen

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

RE: NORAH LUCINDA RAY, Deceased.
Creditors and others having claims against the estate of Norah Lucinda Ray, deceased, late of 133 Blain Road, Salt Spring Island, British Columbia, are hereby notified pursuant to the Trustee Act that particulars of their claims should be sent to the Executor, CHRISTIAN SCHMAH, in care of his solicitor at #1-105 Rainbow Road, Salt Spring Island, B.C., V8K 2V5, on or before September 6, 2000, after which date the Executor will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled to it, having regard only to the claims which the Executor then has notice.

CHRISTIAN SCHMAH,
Executor of the Estate of
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29 LOST AND FOUND

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FOUND YOUNG male cat, grey with green eyes and white spot on chest. Sweet disposition. South end. 653-0072.

LOST: MOTOROLA Cell Phone. Long Harbour/Quebec Drive area on Wednesday, July 29th. Phone 537-2910.

FOUND: GINGER coloured female chow. Found between Broadwell & Chu Ann Drive. 537-4512.

FOUND SILVER chain with small pendant. 537-9445.

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29 LOST AND FOUND

FOUND: MISSING volumes to encyclopedia set donated to SPCA garage sale. Phone 537-0748.

FOUND CAT: Hedger Road, Walker Hook, all black female, approx. 2 - 4 years old. Also found cat on Old Divide, orange with white, under one year, male, not neutered. B.C.S.P.C.A. 537-2123.

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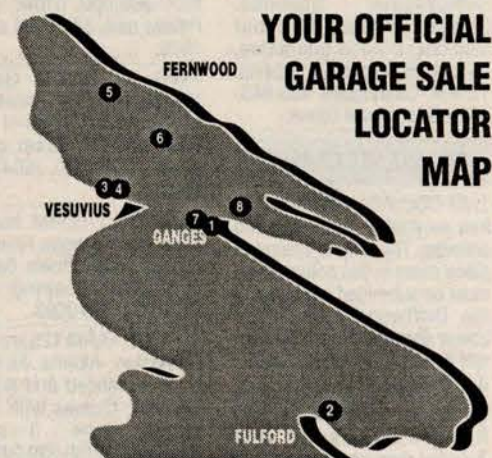
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KINGS LANE has refinished the bowling lanes and is now open! Come on in!

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MOVING SALE: 18 years accumulation, swing set, power hedge trimmer, toys Saturday July 29, 9:00 a.m. 155 Sunnyside Drive, Fulford.

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FOR SALE: bunk beds, metal, like new \$150; funky 1940's buffet \$50; wetsuit with jacket, etc. fits surfing 95-115 lbs. Great for surging, waterskiing! \$75. 537-1934.

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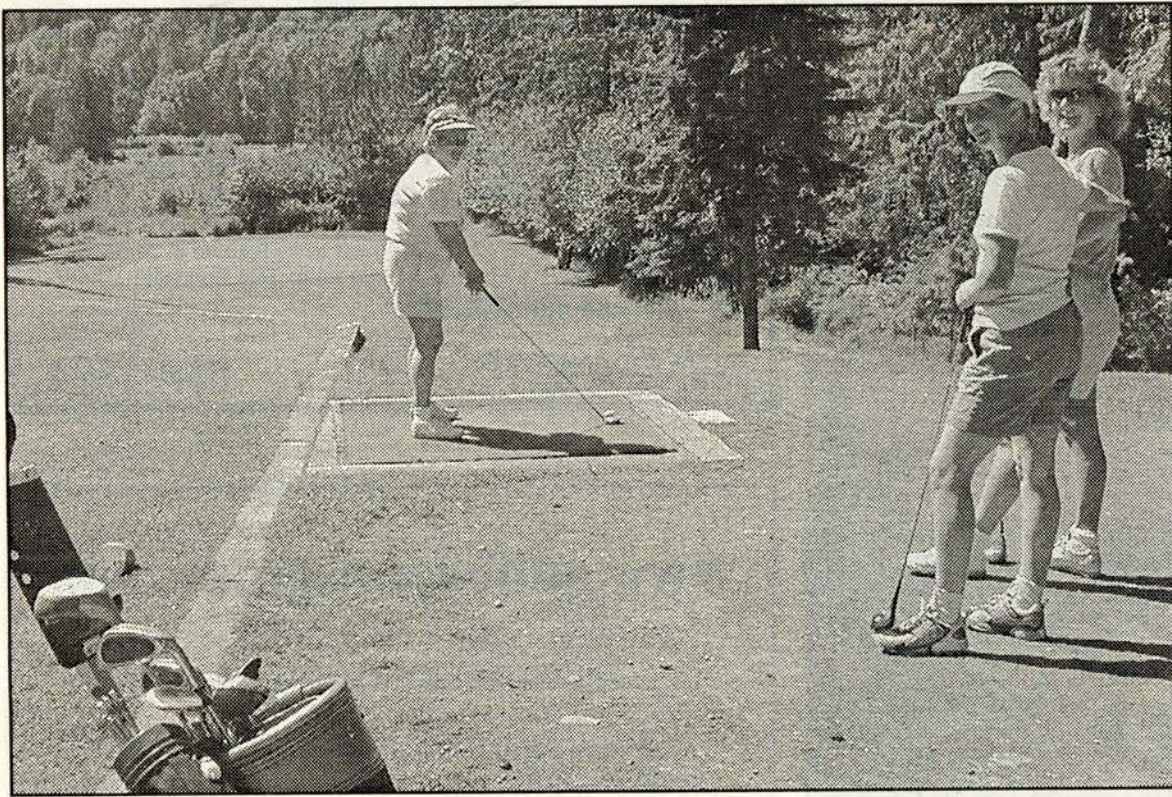
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TIME OUT: Teeing off above a beautiful Blackburn Meadows Golf Course vista is Carol Scott, while Sonja Franz (centre) and Leah Lee await their turns. Glorious summer weather last week called out for golfers everywhere to take to the greens.

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Salt Spring player aces tournament

Salt Spring resident Richard Ingle walked away with 38th place out of 163 players who qualified for the B.C. Amateur Golf Tournament in Prince George July 18-21.

Currently a member of the Camosun College Golf Team, Ingle has been golfing since he was two years old.

During his junior career, 22-year-old Ingle won the Salt Spring Junior Club Championships for four years running and even took home the Men's Club Championship.

He is the first Canadian to win the Northwest Athletic Association of Community

College championships. "He's a really good player and his future looks bright," said one of his sponsors, Gord Hollingsworth.

Ingle is enrolled in Victoria's Camosun College where he studies upkeep, design and construction of golf courses.

He also works at the Salt Spring Golf and Country Club teaching junior golf and helping to run the pro shop.

Ingle said the Camosun College Golf Team will host the first-ever Canadian college championships to be held at the Arbutus Ridge Golf and Country Club in Cobble Hill in October.

Top golfers named in annual 'Glass' event

The fourth annual Gulf Island Glass Tournament was held Sunday at the Salt Spring Golf Club.

Winners were:

Men's KP on #2, Larry Davies; men's KP on #11, Brent Vickers; mixed KP on #6 and #15, Dale Lundy; longest drive on #7, Chris Collette; longest drive on #16, Steve Marleau; longest putt on #9, Chris Collette; longest putt on #18, Jim Jenner.

First low gross: Rob Huser/Corbin Scott/Rick Andrews/Pete Schure. Second low gross: Brent Vickers/Andy Vickers/Chris Collette/Reanna Moore.

Highest score: Rejean/Roger/Dick/Dan from Thermoproof Mfg. in Chemainus.

The most honest golfer trophy was awarded to Barry Scotton. The draw for a night for two at the Four Seasons in Vancouver, donated by Peter and Loretta Martin, was won by Bobby Jones. Proceeds from the draw went to

the family of Les Clare. In business ladies play July 18, low gross winner was Dora Reynolds with 45, low net winner was Pam MacKenzie with 34.5 and Joyce Scott had the least putts with 16.

In the ladies' 18-hole division medal play on July 18, low gross winner was Jenny MacDonnell with 91. Mona Coulter was runner-up with 94.

Low net winner was Mona Coulter with 67 and Eileen Botham was runner-up with 70. Lynda Joyce won the putt pot with 27.

In nine-hole ladies action, Femmy Schurmanns won low net with 37 and putt pot with 14. Twenty-five players participated.

Honey pot winners at men's day on Thursday were Don MacDonnell, Dennis White, Lee Hurd and Dave Sheppard, all with net 51.

Colin Lawler was KP winner on #2, B. Watkins on #6, L. Dooling on #11 and D. McArthur on #15.

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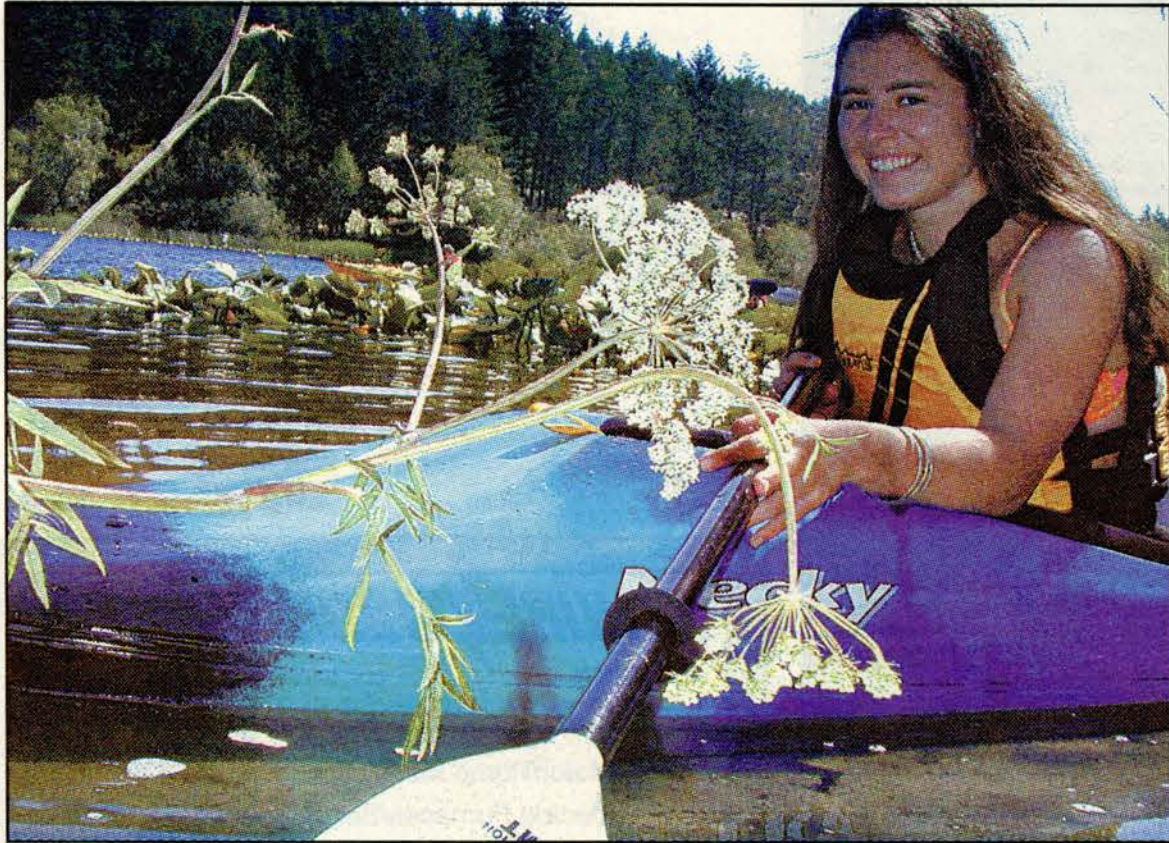
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Swimmers excel at best times meet

Salt Spring Stingrays swimmers swam their hearts out last weekend, with 27 swimmers picking up a total of 77 personal best times.

In all, 35 swimmers attended the meet which took place in Port Alberni Saturday and Sunday. In addition to the best time (BT) achievements, several swimmers broke club records and many came home with handfuls of ribbons.

Able to compete in a total of six events, four Stingrays picked up five BTs.

These included Caitlyn Schlenker (Div. 5), Sara McKay, Rhian Hardy (both Div. 4) and Danica Lundy (Div. 1).

The following swimmers left the meet with four BTs: Alex McLaren, Nicola Temmel, Miranda Logan-Webb (all Div. 4); DJ Lake (Div. 3); Caitlyn Pal, Elsbet Krayenhoff (both Div. 2) and Sierra Lundy (Div. 1).

Assistant coach Wendy Lim broke the Div. 7 Stingrays record in 100-metre back stroke, knocking seven seconds off the previous time; she also took close to six seconds off the club's 50 fly record, and established a record as the first Div. 7 female Stingray to swim the 200 Individual Medley (IM).

Div. 4 swimmer Alex McLaren broke four of his own club records, swimming best times in 50 free, 100 back and 50 fly, and

slicing off more than three seconds in 100 free.

Christina Penhale (Div. 5) and Danica Lundy (Div. 1) also broke their own club records, with Penhale getting best times in 100 breast and 50 fly, and Lundy shaving time off the 100 free record.

For each event, the top six swimmers in each division were awarded ribbons.

Following is a list of ribbon-winners and BTs set:

- (Div. 1)**
- Danica Lundy — four 2nds, 3rd, 4th, 5 BT;
 - Sierra Lundy — 4 BT;
- (Div. 2)**
- James Cameron — 2 BT;
 - Elsbet Krayenhoff — 4 BT;
 - Olivia Morgan — 3 BT;
 - Brendan Nickerson — 1 BT;
 - Caitlyn Pal — 4 BT;
 - Sarah Penhale — four 2nds, 5th;
 - Amy Zacharias — 3 BT;
- (Div. 3)**
- Calum Adams — 1 BT
 - Megan Cameron — 3 BT;
 - DJ Lake — 2nd, three 3rds, two 6ths, 4 BT;
 - Pandora Morgan — 1 BT;
- (Div. 4)**
- Rhian Hardy — 5 BT
 - Miranda Logan-Webb — two

- 4ths, two 6ths, 4 BT;
 - Sara MacKay — 2nd, three 3rds, 5 BT;
 - Alex McLaren — two 2nds, 3rd, two 4ths, 6th;
 - Danica Pal — 3 BT;
 - Brettney Savin — 2nd, 4th, 1 BT;
 - Brooke Shergold — 1 BT;
 - Nicola Temmel — four 1sts, 2nd, 4th, 4 BT;
- (Div. 5)**
- Melanie Moore — 4th, 3 BT;
 - Christina Penhale — three 1sts, 3 BT;
 - Caitlyn Schlenker — three 1sts, three 2nds, 5 BT;
 - Laural Temmel — 2 BT;
- (Div. 6)**
- Dylan Logan-Webb — two 5ths, one 6th, 1 BT;
 - Josh Vanginkel — 5th, 2 BT;
- (Div. 7)**
- Wendy Lim — 3rd, 4th, 5th;
 - Ivan Casselman — 4th.

The Stingrays have this weekend off and then head to the Vancouver Island Regional Championships August 5-6.

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