

Big-name musicians croon for clean air

By MITCHELL SHERRIN
Staff Writer

Islanders counted heavily among a keen crowd of 2,300 who roared with delight to see rock legends Neil Young, Randy Bachman, Tal Bachman and the Barenaked Ladies perform at the Clean Air Concert in Duncan Friday.

Headlining the show at the Cowichan Centre Arena, Young appeared on a Vancouver Island stage for the first time when he threw in his hat to help environmentalists battle the nearby Crofton pulp mill.

"I feel like I have a lot of friends here," Young said. "Some of my friends feel a little threatened by what's going on."

The NorskeCanada mill had applied to burn tires, coal and railway ties as supplemental fuels in their power boilers last November, which spawned calls for an investigation into current mill emissions.

Concert tickets priced at \$100-\$200 a pop were slated to help the Crofton Airshed Citizen's Group (CACG) fund an independent study of mill emissions.

"Ignorance is not a good basis for progress," Young said. "Thanks for being here and giving your money so we can see what's going on."

Young held his audience rapt with a dynamic solo performance.

Dressed in a floppy, broad-brimmed hat and jeans blown out at the knees, he sashayed through crowd favourites like Pocahontas, Harvest Moon and Cowgirls in the Sand.

At times, his rhythms were so infused with jazzy

improvisations it sounded like he was playing two guitars. And lyrics from songs like Don't Let it Bring You Down seemed to take on a new weight in light of the environmental cause behind the benefit: "It's only castles burning, find someone who's turning and you will come around."

Young even called his wife Pegi to join him with vocals on the classics Human Highway, Old King and Goin' Back.

After a thunderous standing ovation, Young returned to the stage with some self-deprecating humour before playing Comes a Time.

The event had an intimate folksy charm, possibly because it was held in a much smaller venue than where these artists normally perform.

Randy Bachman wished his mom a happy 84th birthday and introduced his son Tal, a top-10 pop star in his own right, with comedic schtick as the lead act for the night.

"I've known him all his life. He's like a son to me."

The younger Bachman delivered songs from his new album Staring Down the Sun and offered a revival of his 1997 No. 1 hit She's So High.

Former Guess Who and Bachman-Turner Overdrive member Randy Bachman gave a sampling of crowd-pleasing classics from his Every Song Tells A Story tour such as Taking Care of Business, These Eyes, No Sugar Tonight and Looking Out for Number One.

"Isn't this a total Canadian experience," he laughed. "Do you have your toques?"



CLEAN AIR FANS: Islanders filled the Vesuvius Bay ferry bound for the Clean Air Concert in Duncan Friday. The fundraiser featured islanders Randy Bachman and Tal Bachman billed with Neil Young and the Barenaked Ladies. Organizers aim to fund an independent study of emissions from the Crofton pulp mill.

Photo by Mitchell Sherrin

Hosting the event along with Terry David Mulligan, Bachman had invited Young and the Barenaked Ladies to perform with him for the Clean Air Concert.

"We're here to plant an acorn that will grow into a big oak tree," he said. "Let's grow an oak tree from here."

Environmentalists David Suzuki and Michael Ableman of CACG reminded the crowd about the purpose behind the benefit concert.

"If you live like I do on the neighbouring island that faces the mill, you can see that plume stretch out for miles, creating a haze that blankets the whole region.

It knows no borders," Ableman said.

While Ableman warned about dire health threats posed by toxic mill emissions, Suzuki offered imagery about the interconnectedness of life and economics in a fragile environment.

"It's not the economy that makes a healthy environment, it's the environment that makes an economy possible," he said.

While many fans might have attended the concert to catch a rare Young appearance, the Barenaked Ladies took the final slot of the evening when the rock legend had to leave early for a

Farm-Aid press conference in Seattle.

BNL paid homage to Young with playful reverence by slipping his guitar riffs into their hit Be My Yoko Ono and in another ditty they sang the names "Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young" to the tune of Deck the Halls.

"You think, 'Can you do this when Neil's around?'" asked BNL singer Steven Page. "Yup," answered his laughing cohort Ed Robertson.

Bachman wasn't spared from their antics. But when BNL drummer Tyler Stewart offered a karaoke version of

Bachman's You Ain't Seen Nothing Yet, he joined in the fun on stage and stuttered along with Stewart as a high-light to the evening.

BNL wrapped up the four-and-a-half hour concert with a high-energy performance highlighted by clever puns, comedic raps, jazzy harmonies and bass-heavy grooves.

Their set included lots of pop favourites like Hello City, One Week, Blame it on Me, Some Fantastic and Alternative Girlfriend.

The boys from BNL even took a light-hearted jab at the environmental cause behind the concert.

"Until they reduce emissions at Crofton, Tyler Stewart will continue to play the bongos and we don't like that," Page quipped.

An audience composed mostly of over-30 rock and folk fans responded with glee to the final act.

Following a raucous standing ovation, the otherwise-politely-seated crowd even filled the aisles to dance along to BNL hits If I Had a Million Dollars and Brian Wilson.

While the concert might not raise a million for the CACG, spokesperson Elizabeth White hopes the benefit will put \$100,000 toward a modelling study of mill emissions.

"The depressing thing about all this is that when NorskeCanada did stack testing at Elk Falls, they spent over \$1,000,000 just doing emissions for one stack, just for dioxins. The modelling is one thing, but when you want to back it up with some sampling, really the sky's the limit."

Island writers get Butler nod

Three of five finalists for the City of Victoria Butler Book Prize announced Friday are from Salt Spring Island.

Samuel Bawlf and Tom Koppel are long-time Salt Spring residents, while Kevin Patterson spent considerable time on the island in the past few years in between sailing trips and remote-area medical work.

Bawlf was nominated for his nonfiction book The Last Voyage of Sir Francis Drake, published by Douglas & McIntyre, while Koppel got the nod for his Lost World non-fiction work, published by Atria Books.

Patterson's short story collection, Country

of Cold (Vintage Canada), was also nominated for the inaugural \$5,000 prize.

Finalists were chosen by an independent jury from 35 books submitted for consideration by 30 different publishers. Eligible books were released in 2003 with a stipulation that the authors reside in the Capital Regional District.

The other two finalists were Jack Hodgins, for his M&S-published novel Distance, and Polly Horvath for her young adult novel called The Canning Season (published by Greenwood Books).

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Humour run over in excess speed of Paradise play

By **ANDREA RABINOVITCH**
Driftwood Contributor

Unless you were raised on Salt Spring with generations of relatives buried here, there are days when you wonder, "What the heck am I doing here?"

PARADISE 4 \$ALE, written and performed by Iala and directed by Achmed Valk, explored that question last Saturday night.

The single-monikered Iala has written and performed two other one-woman shows and has a touring children's theatre company. Having lived in El Santuario de La Luz, Costa Rica for eight years with her husband Akal, who sound-designed and provided original music for the show, she had a wealth of material.

A one-person show relies on character and costume changes, sound, props, and cohesive writing with a revelatory theme to engage the audience. Most importantly, the performer must win over the audience on first impact. We have to really like the actor to buy into the journey.

Iala played many characters that assumed different physicalities, speech patterns and intentions. Unfortunately, the main character, which was her, was a character that was so over the top with frenetic energy and speedy speech that she was exhausting to watch. Consequently the audience turned off.

She did not have to be "the performer," she just had to tell the story. The other characters that supported her story were funny when they were larger than life. The

juxtaposition would have been welcome.

The first time she calmed down was the first time she sat down in the chair and proceeded to chat with us as one human to another instead of acting like she was performing in a big theatre. (The audience at Lions Hall was way too close at about four feet away.)

When she dropped "the performer" persona she was thoroughly engaging.

The director, as the one on the outside looking in, should have made this suggestion. He also should have set up the jokes better and allowed her to take beats or pauses so the jokes would resonate. Because she sped along so fast, the rhythm was ruined. I think there were some funny jokes. I just wasn't given the time to laugh.

I thoroughly enjoyed her tongue-in-cheek, gently self-deprecating look at her new age ideology. A very attractive woman who was not above shaved legs and frosted hair and nails, she definitely showed her hippie roots. Making fun of it was a scream.

Audience participation is one way to get that connection going. In a small crowd of 25 people you'd look like a real party pooper not to join in.

She led the group through a series of movements designed to make one part of the "Wolf Clan." Using psycho-babble and language not uncommon in a yoga class, we all dutifully followed. As she put the music on, the joke became apparent. The trickster had made the entire audience do the Macarena, that silly dance that still gains popularity at weddings of a certain ilk.

It was clever and funny, which might have described the whole show if she just would have slowed down.



PARKING VIOLATION: An island pigeon parks itself in direct contravention of sign. Photo by Derrick Lundy

Soccer flick mixes great action, baffling humour

What if the principles of kung fu were applied to soccer? This is the question asked by Shaolin Soccer, one of the

most monetarily successful films to ever come out of China.

The film follows a group of brothers who, years ago, trained in the more fantastic methods of martial arts. As the film begins, they are all down on their luck. However, a lucky connection with a wannabe soccer coach leads to the creation of a new team that will challenge for the national cup.

Our team's various superpower abilities — which include flying through the air, kicking the ball at missile velocities, and having a head of iron — prove too strong for most of its competition. Team Evil (yes, that's its name), though, has its own special powers, making for a memorable finale.

Needless to say, Shaolin Soccer is completely ridiculous. This isn't only because of the special-effects-laden soccer scenes in which soccer balls turn into pumas or goalies score by throwing the ball completely across the field.

The comedy in this film is, let's say, peculiar. It alternates between broad slapstick and fairly subtle sarcasm, and is (at least for me) often difficult to decode. Sometimes I was left wondering what the heck was going on for an entire scene.

It doesn't help that Shaolin Soccer occasionally (and with non-occasionally melodramatic results) wants to be serious, or that the film's budget was obviously quite small.

However, the action sequences are absolutely spectacular and well filmed. In homages to the Matrix, the films of John Woo and Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon, we see just about every camera trick in the book. I particularly loved cheesy-yet-funny bits like the anime-inspired fire that pops up behind each brother as he is about to use his power.

An interesting thing about the DVD release is that it has both the original two-hour subtitled version and a 96-minute dubbed version created by the Miramax studio (the film's American distributor).

One thus assumes that Hollywood thinks we can only deal with too much weirdo foreign stuff at once.

Too bad Miramax couldn't have cut down some of its own films at the same time — I really would prefer a 12-minute version of Cold Mountain.

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Apple fest salutes California's Etter

Apple lovers' hearts can get pounding with the sixth annual Salt Spring Apple Festival set for Sunday, October 3.

Festival organizer Harry Burton said this year's extravaganza is dedicated to Albert Etter, "the eccentric apple breeder from California who created over 25 apple varieties, many of them red-fleshed."

Honours will be dispensed when local actor Vaughn Fulford becomes the Ghost of Albert Etter at Fulford Hall at 10 a.m., "giv-

ing the speech we surmise that Albert would have given if he were here," said Burton.

Then the Queen (Reid Collins) will arrive, giving her tirade and knighting Albert Etter. An incorrect date was printed on a banner advertising the festival, notes Burton, so people should be assured it is on Sunday, October 3.

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Tal Bachman rides again with new CD release

By MITCHELL SHERRIN
Staff Writer

Islander Tal Bachman is riding high with new freedom and musical success after a tough break with his religious beliefs and an unsaddling from his last record label.

"Life is so full of opportunities, I want to grab as many as I can," Bachman said during a recent interview at his Salt Spring barn-studio:

"I want to make a better life and make the world a better place — all the clichés," he said with a rakish smile.

Bachman has just released a new album and performed as opening act for a line-up of rock legends that included his father, Randy Bachman of Guess Who and BTO fame, Neil Young and the Barenaked Ladies, during the Clean Air Concert in Duncan on Friday.

But the younger Bachman didn't want to talk about his father or his new album. Instead, he talked about his horse, a jet black Tennessee Walker named Apollo.

"I've torn around on him bareback for hours. It's something of a religious high in its own right, especially bareback, learning how to communicate with him."

Apollo is a recent acquisition for Bachman in the tumultuous period that followed his life-shattering break from the Mormon church last year.

"My wife and I have had a fairly upsetting year because we came to understand things about the church where we were both raised that we didn't understand before," he said.

"Now that we're over the initial shock of that dramatic life change, I feel like I've put on corrective lenses so I can see."

When Bachman, his wife and seven children all left the congregation last year, he



RIDING HIGH: Island musician Tal Bachman, who just released a new album last month, is riding his new horse Apollo and looking for artistic projects after a break with the Mormon church last year.

Photo by Mitchell Sherrin

was also intimately involved in the church as the Sunday school teacher.

"I was helping to run the congregation."

He gave himself over fully to the task of religious instruction with thousands of hours of research in preparation for his teachings before he left the church in December.

"It was the hardest thing we've ever done but it was the most rewarding thing we've ever done. . . . That's something I couldn't have imagined."

He even gained more insight about his relationship with his father as a result.

"I realized I had judged him very harshly in the past and I was completely unaware I was judging people unjustly."

And he doesn't want to judge the Mormon church or criticize anyone from his

congregation, he said.

"It's difficult to talk about because this island is full of people who have based their lives and marriages on those things. I don't want to undermine their faith."

As a member of the church, he was as happy as he could imagine, he said.

"Life outside the church is still new for us so I don't feel like I have every answer."

Now, he plans to put his energy into riding Apollo, writing songs and communicating through various artistic projects.

"Any time I get an opportunity to communicate ideas in any medium, I get excited."

And because he also recorded his new album independently, he's had unlimited artistic freedom, unlike his last self-titled album with Columbia Records in 1999.

"I would prefer to do busi-

ness with greedy cutthroats because I could at least fathom where they are coming from," he grinned.

Following his first recording, music-company executives gave him bizarre and conflicting instructions for songwriting. And he found himself in a bizarre dialogue.

"I'm in this to create art but that's my concern. You're in a company, your job is to create wealth," he said.

Even though his song *She's So High* hit the Top-10 charts, won two Junos, earned a BMI Song of the Year Award and collected over 400,000 radio spins, he couldn't convince the record company executives to give him a second chance.

"By the way, I didn't even have *She's So High* when they signed me on in the first place."

But Bachman didn't get

another record contract until he launched *Staring Down the Sun* in August.

"When they turn their attention away from you, there is no way to get it back."

He used new digital-distribution technology to release his single *Aeroplane* directly to radio stations before a hard copy was even printed this summer.

"I said, 'I can't believe *Aeroplane* won't get played on a radio station.' I don't think it's the best thing out there but it must surpass that threshold."

Bachman was right. *Aeroplane* became a national Top-20 hit and Bachman signed with Sextant Records, distributed by EMI Music Canada.

"They're small and independent so they're easy to work with."

His new album seems energized by the emotional and spiritual tension he's survived in the last year.

Bachman's lyrics in *Aeroplane* talk about truth and devotion in a way that seems directly related to his break from formalized religion.

"Now I, I feel like an aeroplane above the rain/And I, I won't make the same mistakes I used to make."

Singing falsetto with a

gravelly edge at times, he comes off like a wounded lion who has become more interesting than his pop-chart beginnings as a result of his recent fall from grace.

During the Clean Air Concert, he joked about his new song *What You Won't Reveal*.

"I wasn't married very long when I realized my marriage would depend on my mind-reading powers."

But the tone and lyrics of the tune hint at a greater depth of longing.

Curiously, his big 1999 hit, *She's So High* (included as a bonus track on *Staring Down the Sun*) recently became a smash hit all over Europe once again, thanks to a new version by Norwegian and World Idol competitor Kurt Nilsen.

"I'm huge in all the former Soviet republics," he grinned.

Bachman joked about touring obscure towns in Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan and Turkmenistan.

"It would be fun to tour Russia. I could fool them into thinking I'm a major superstar."

But given a little time back in the saddle, his off-hand remark could prove to be a self-fulfilling prophecy.

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McDades replace Cormier on folk club roster

The November 22 Salt Spring Folk Club act was changed in the last week, as season ticket sales heat up.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, J.P. Cormier had to cancel his gig, but folk club board member Kathleen Horsdal said the replacement band is fantastic.

The McDades are a five-member Canadian band with a style described by Vancouver Island musician Doug Cox as being "somewhere between modern Celtic, traditional French Cana-

dian and jazz." Season's tickets (\$85) are still available for all six concerts this year, with the first being Todd Butler on Monday, October 4. The event is a fundraiser for the Salt Spring Island Conservancy. (See next week's Driftwood for more details.)

The best way to reserve season tickets is to send a name and phone number to sscenquiry@saltspringfolkclub.ca, and the pass will be available for payment and pick-up at the Butler concert on October 4.

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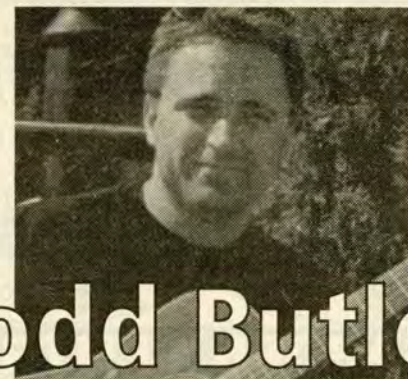
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'Coffee klatch' comedy coming

Salt Spring Community Theatre enthusiasts are gearing up for a busy fall, which includes a production of the comedy *In The Restroom* at Rosenbloom's and the society's annual general meeting on September 27.

The play, written by Ludmilla Barlow, explores the hopes, dreams and fears of three women, all seniors, who meet daily in the restroom lounge of an outdated department store.

"It's coffee klatch like you've never seen before," states a press release.

"Humour and pathos abound as the women reveal their eccentricities, foibles and their commitment to each other, especially once an outside threat to their most fragile member seems likely."

As director Therin Gower explains, "I deliberately set out to find a play with meaty

parts for older women. Several of the very experienced actors who auditioned commented that they have not been asked to act for many years, and I think that is a waste.

"Some key ideas are explored in this play such as whether it's better to leave someone living in a fantasy, or force them to confront a very different reality, and the difficulty of letting the past go in order to embrace the future. Those underlying themes, however, are treated with a light touch: This is a funny play and we hope that the cast and audience will have a good laugh to blow away the autumn blahs."

Cast members include Jean Howell, Hetty Clews and Wendy Beatty. As well, there will be nine walk-on, non-speaking roles.

Producer is Marit McBride and assistant director is island newcomer Bobbie Erdrich.

In the Restroom at Rosenbloom's is on stage at Mahon Hall, October 29-30 and November 5-6.

Monday's AGM is at Croftonbrook at 7:30 p.m.



TAKING THE WHEEL: Salt Spring artist Meg Buckley takes some time out at the Salt Spring Fall Fair to demonstrate pottery techniques. Photo by Derrick Lundy

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Vaughan Williams, Britten, Butterworth and Stanford are names that conjure up images of green valleys, ancient hedgerows, knotty oaks, damp stone churches and the simplicity and timelessness of English country life.

The vision will be transformed into a concert of English song when Canadian rising star mezzo-soprano Kathryn Whitney performs at ArtSpring on Sunday, September 26 at 2:30 p.m.

She will be accompanied by Charlotte Hale on piano.

Raised in Victoria and trained in Toronto, New York, Oxford and London,

Whitney has recently been elected artist in residence at Wolfson College in Oxford University.

She is back in Canada for the seven-venue Island Tour 2004 encompassing Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands.

The concert will feature Vaughan Williams' charming Shakespeare songs, Butterworth's beautiful *Six Songs from A Shropshire Lad*, folk-song settings by Britten and some charming Edwardian parlour music.

Three songs written by Victoria composer Lorna Paterson and performed to texts by Dylan Thomas will

also be performed.

Tickets for Sunday's concert are \$18, and \$16 for seniors and \$5 for students. They are available at ArtSpring's ticket centre.

To learn more about the music and musicians on the tour, people can visit the website at www.kathryn-whitney.net/tour.

The pages also feature some fun things for music lovers, including a special chat page about musical meaning, and a game called *Frockwatch*.

Islanders may also have heard Whitney on CBC Radio's *North by Northwest* show last Saturday morning.

2 weeks left for film entries

The Islander Film Festival is taking short film submissions until October 5.

Organizers encourage people of all ages to create a film to show at the upcoming film festival, or submit a previously made film for the contest.

Films should be no longer than 12 minutes, with five to

10 minutes being a preferable length — although they can also be shorter.

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Rob McConnell could easily be considered a legend in his own time. He has performed at festivals and with big bands all over the world, collaborated Oscar Peterson and Mel Tormé, and won countless awards, including three Grammys and eight Junos. McConnell is joined by Reg Schwager, one of Canada's hottest rising jazz musicians, and Neil Swainson, a superior bassist with impressive technique, best known for his musical association with George Shearing.

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Wednesday, January 26, 8:00

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Téada

Wednesday, April 13, 8:00

One of the most exciting traditional groups to have emerged in recent years, the young Irish band Téada (pronounced tey-da) is stirring both critical and popular acclaim for its soulful, virtuoso playing and thrilling live performances. Taking the world by storm, Téada is "a new and fresh face in Irish music," says The Irish Voice, "...a band to watch out for." The readers of Irish Music magazine recently voted them "Best Traditional Newcomers" of 2003.

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The ladies auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 92 has a special friend to share.

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Spinoza bears are large stuffed animals that play comforting recorded messages to youngsters suffering from a debilitating disease or traumatic event.

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The bear also comes with appropriate family literature, guides for parents and teachers, and community support information.

Eligible children must be referred by a doctor or the local RCMP detachment.

Salt Spring's Legion has been a contributor to the Spinoza for Kids program, making it possible for the island group to distribute a bear.

For more information about the bear, call Crawford at 537-0835.



HOUSE HUNTING: Kathryn Holm, president of the local Legion's ladies auxiliary, (left) and Ernestine Crawford, auxiliary zone commander, clasp the Spinoza bear, which is waiting for a new home.

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Valdy wants huge peace choir

Islanders should be tuning their voices in anticipation of this year's PeaceWorks! Festival, as Salt Spring's "Pied Piper for Peace" Valdy gets set to lead a 1,000-voice island choir.

As part of the festival set for October 24, the choir will record a CD that will be sent to Kofi Annan, Secretary General and the General Assembly of the United Nations (UN) as a peace greeting for the 59th anniversary of the founding of the UN.

"This is an invitation to choirs and individuals of all ages to participate in an historical Salt Spring event," said event organizer Cherie Geauvreau.

Together We Sing will take place at Gulf Islands

Secondary School, in conjunction with a Together We Imagine art show from community members and school art departments.

Event organizers have called for submissions of art from the community with the theme of peace.

Valdy is composing original music for the event, which will showcase a variety of other local talent, including Lisa Maxx, Tuned Air, Women of Note, Simone Grasky, Janine Chambers, Sue Newman, the Raging Grannies, Chris Kodaly and Anastacia Wilde.

Golden Peace awards will be presented by PeaceWorks! to students and community members exemplifying the values advocated by Peace-

Works!

"Valdy has been wanting to do this for years, and he's hoping for at least a 1,000-voice choir to sing for peace," said Geauvreau.

"The emphasis is on audience participation. Lip syncers, air guitarists or anyone with a shower cap or flowers in their hair is welcome."

Pre-registration is requested for choir participation to aid in organizing efforts. Send an e-mail to js@saltspring.com or call PeaceWorks! organizers Cherie Geauvreau at 537-1027 or Maggie Schubart at 537-9804.

See future issues of the Driftwood for more festival details closer to the October 24 date.

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- WEDNESDAY, SEP 22
- 6:00 PM
- 14 ★★ **Bye See You Monday (1979)**
Gabriel Arcand, David Birney (2h)
- 7:00 PM
- 3 ★★ **Man In The Mirror (2004, Biography)** The unauthorized biography of pop icon Michael Jackson. Flex Alexander, Eugene Clarke (2h)
- 8:00 PM
- 23 ★★ **Down Periscope (1995, Comedy)** The maverick captain of an appalling submarine leads a crew of misfits in war games. Kelsey Grammer, Lauren Holly (2h)
- 9:00 PM
- 3 ★★ **The Missing (2003, Suspense)** A woman forms an uneasy alliance with her distant father to find her kidnapped daughter. Tommy Lee Jones, Cate Blanchett (2h30)
- 4 ★★ **Free Willy 3: The Rescue (1997, Adventure)** Jesse and a marine biologist seek to discover what is causing the depletion of the Orcas. August Schellenberg, Jason James Richter (2h)
- 10:00 PM
- 14 ★★ **Fellini Satyricon (1969, History)** The Italian director's cult film uses surreal, grotesque imagery to depict ancient Rome. Martin Potter, Hiram Keller (2h30)
- 11:30 PM
- 2 ★★ **La Dolce Vita (1961, Drama)** A playboy with a decadent lifestyle finds himself quickly charmed by a famous film star. Marcello Mastroianni, Yvonne Furneaux (3h15)
- 3 ★ **Zolar (2004, Adventure)** A team of semi-pro action sports athletes discover their newest team member is an alien. Jordan Hoffart, Nicki Clyne (1h30)
- THURSDAY, SEP 23
- 7:00 PM
- 3 ★★ **Dirty Pretty Things (2002, Thriller)** An illegal Nigerian immigrant discovers the unpalatable side of London life. Audrey Tatou, Seidy Lopez (1h45)
- 8:00 PM
- 9 **Apples, Agriculture, and the New American Farmer** This series of local films examines the difficulties of orchardists in Eastern Washington. (1h)
- 24 ★★ **Point Break (1991, Drama)** Two FBI agents try to catch a ring of dangerous bank robbers who commit perfect robberies. Patrick Swayze, Keanu Reeves (2h)
- 8:45 PM
- 3 **Women Without Wings (2002, Drama)** A Canadian woman travels to Albania for a funeral and decides to make it her home. Katya Gardner, Micheline Lanctôt (2h)
- 9:00 PM
- 13 ★★ **Habitat (1997, Sci-Fi)** A scientist uses biological materials for an experiment he hopes will save the world. Lynne Adams, Susan Almgren (2h)
- 19 ★★ **Rudy (1993, Drama)** A young man is determined to fulfill his dreams of playing football for Notre Dame. Sean Astin, Ned Beatty (2h)
- 29 ★★ **Good Morning, Miss Dove (1955, Drama)** An inspiring teacher reflects on her past when she is hospitalized for back pain. Jennifer Jones, Robert Stack (2h)
- 10:00 PM
- 14 ★ **Beloved (1998, Drama)** A woman escapes slavery but is haunted by its aftermath, the spirit of her daughter. Oprah Winfrey, Danny Glover (3h)
- 10:45 PM
- 3 ★★ **Sylvia (2003, Biography)** A look at the relationship between poets Ted Hughes and Sylvia Plath. Gwyneth Paltrow, Daniel Craig (2h)
- FRIDAY, SEP 24
- 6:00 PM
- 14 ★ **The Heist (1996, Action)** A former policeman finds herself caught in a scheme to steal sixteen million dollars. Andrew McCarthy, Cynthia Geary (1h45)
- 7:00 PM
- 3 ★★ **School of Rock (2003, Comedy)** An aspiring rock star poses as a substitute teacher and turns his class into a rock band. Jack Black, Joan Cusack (2h)
- 7:30 PM
- 19 ★★ **Gotta Kick It Up (2002, Drama)** A dot.com executive-turned-dance teacher motivates a handful of Latina schoolgirls. Susan Egan, Camille Guaty (1h30)
- 8:00 PM
- 11 ★★ **The Man From Snowy River (1982, Western)** A young man goes to work for a powerful cattle baron and falls in love with his daughter. Kirk Douglas, Jack Thompson (2h)

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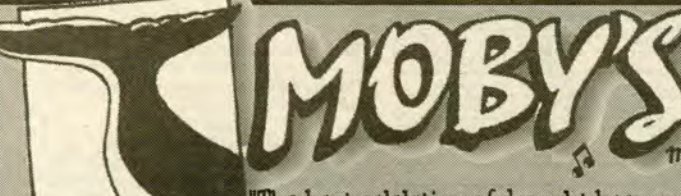
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FRIDAY, SEP 24
8:00 PM
24 *** Perry Mason: Case of the Fatal Framing (1992, Mystery) A lawyer takes on the case of a photographer who is accused of murdering a famous artist. Raymond Burr, Barbara Hale (2h)

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10:00 PM
14 *** Flesh Gordon Meets the Cosmic Cheerleaders (1993, Erotica) Flesh Gordon returns, this time to be kidnapped by a planet of lonely and desperate women. Vince Murdocco, Robyn Kelly (2h)

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10:45 PM
3 *** Ballistic: Ecks vs. Sever (2002, Action) An FBI agent is forced to team up with his mortal enemy in order to defeat a common enemy. Antonio Banderas, Lucy Liu (1h30)

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11:00 PM
3 *** A Mighty Wind (2003, Docu-Drama) 1960s folk music acts reunite to pay tribute to a recently deceased concert promoter. Christopher Guest, Eugene Levy (1h30)

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11:35 PM
2 *** Never Give a Sucker an Even Break (1941, Comedy) A writer tries to sell a script to a producer who is looking to make a romantic musical. W.C. Fields, Margaret Dumont (2h)

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once a week, which will soon be augmented by pilates, Feldenkrais, therapeutic touch and Thai cooking classes. Eventually you will certify yourself to teach an original form of self-improvement art, holding classes in your remodelled garage.

- For those who have always wanted to paint, make pots, stain glass or craft baskets from kelp or blackberry vines, this is when and where you will do it. You'll then spend the rest of your Saturdays selling your wares to tourists.

- You will actually get to spend the first few fall fairs you attend wandering around looking at animals and exhibits and taking in the music. In the blink of an eye you will find yourself a volunteer at multiple booths set up by all the community groups you're involved in, utterly exhausted from baking muffins, scrounging up raffle prizes or crafting eye-catching posters.

- Having dutifully attended public meetings, invested late evenings pouring over the official community plan and struggling to understand how Salt Spring's crazy local government system works, you finally collapse with frustration and determine that the dog catcher holds ultimate authority on the island.

- Ferry angst will overtake you. You will become convinced that deckhands intentionally place you on the outside lane of the ferries every single time you board.

- You will get so caught up in the latest land-purchase cause to save an endangered species that you'll be called upon to re-mortgage your property in order to cough up an adequate donation. You'd rather do that than endure organizing meetings for the next calendar/silent auction/plant sale fundraiser.

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wed. september 22	thurs. september 23	fri. september 24	sat. september 25	sun. september 26	mon. september 27	tues. september 28
live entertainment Simply Organic. Barry Valentine organ recital at All Saints, 10:10 a.m. Wednesday Night Live! Open stage at Moby's, 9 p.m.	live entertainment 'Jam' Open Mike. Host Randall Raymond at the Fulford Inn, 7 p.m. Maps of the Night Sky. Toronto band at Anise, 9 p.m.	live entertainment Tribamundo and Pepe & Friends. The Local, 7 p.m. Burgoyne Bay Blues Band. Anise, 9 p.m. Vesuvius Closing Bash. Non-stop music from 6 p.m.	live entertainment Vesuvius Closing Bash. Non-stop music from 6 p.m.	live entertainment Blues by the Bay. With Gene Grooms at the Local, 4 p.m. Afternoon of English Song. Mezzo-soprano Kathryn Whitney and pianist Charlotte Hale. Art-Spring, 2:30 p.m.	other activities PARC. Monthly public meeting at Portlock portable, 7 p.m. SS Community Theatre. AGM at Croftonbrook, 7:30 p.m. SSI Knitters Group. Meets at Stitches Quilt Shop, 7:30 p.m.	other activities Fundamentals of Drawing. 12-week UVic non-credit course begins. Info: 721-8481 Kindergym. Community Gospel, 9-11 a.m. The Clinic. Planned Parenthood clinic open Tuesdays, Core Inn, 5-7 p.m. SS Prostate Cancer Support Group. Discussion and get together at Farmers Institute, 1 p.m.
other activities Tango Practica. Lions Hall, 8:30-10:30 p.m. Argentine Tango Workshops. With Kikki and Eduardo. Intermediate. Lions Hall, 7:30-9 p.m. SS Seniors Services Society. New members tea. SS Seniors, 2 p.m. Chronic Disease Self-Management Program. Info: Joyce, 537-8933.	other activities Scorpions Varsity Football. GISS field, 3 p.m. Fall Fair Trophy Pick-up. Farmers Institute, 12-2 p.m. SSI Community Education. Sign-up continues at SS Books and at 537-0037. Kindergym. Community Gospel, 9-11 a.m. Square Dancing. Central Hall, 7 p.m.	other activities SSI Community Education. Sign-up continues at SS Books and at 537-0037. Life Drawing. United Church, 1-3 p.m. Argentine Tango Workshops. Beginners. Lions Hall, 7:30-9 p.m. Life Source Writing Workshop. Ganges Yoga Studio, 6:30-9 p.m.	other activities Argentine Tango Workshops. With Kikki and Eduardo. Lions Hall. Info: 653-4969. Canadian Federation of University Women. SSI Sailing Club, 10 a.m. Be Your Own Boss! Greater Victoria Economic Development Commission business workshop. Harbour House Hotel, 1:30-3:30 p.m.	other activities Christmas Motorcycle Toy Run. Don Irwin Collision, 11 a.m. Hula Workshop. Ganges Yoga Studio, 7-9 p.m. Salt Spring FC vs. Bays United Blue. Portlock Park, 2:15 p.m. Floor Hockey. For 9-11-year-olds at Fulford Hall, 2-4 p.m.	other activities Lady Minto Hospital Auxiliary Society. Monthly meeting at Lions Hall, 1:30 p.m. Drop-in Floor Hockey. Fulford Hall, 7-9 p.m. Step & Strength. With Brenda Akerman at All Saints, 9-10 a.m. Argentine Tango Practice. Intermediate. Lions Hall, 8:30-11.	

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This week's program is **Salt Spring Historical Society**: At their recent AGM, **Mary Davidson** recaps some of the society's achievements during the past year. Eric Booth gives an overview of island heritage and how the Islands Trust deals with it. Author **Charles Kahn** presents fascinating reflections on the island's early days and four special island spots.

exhibitions

- Artists **Annie Knoop, Iris McBride, Stefanie Denz** and **Stella Weinert** show work at ArtSpring until Sept. 24.
- **Bruce Bott's** neo-paeothic spirit art collection is at **J. Mitchell Gallery** until October 7.
- Photography of **Jacqui Walton** is at **Moby's** for September.
- **Studio tour** artists on display at the **Tourist Info Centre** are **Seven Ravens Woodcraft Gallery, Mother Tongue Press** and **Blue Horse Folk Art**.
- Artwork of **Rosamonde Dupuy** is at **Island Savings**.
- **Grace Sevy** shows photocollage at **Ganges Yoga Studio**.
- **Carmen Profitt** shows paintings at **Studio 103** through October.

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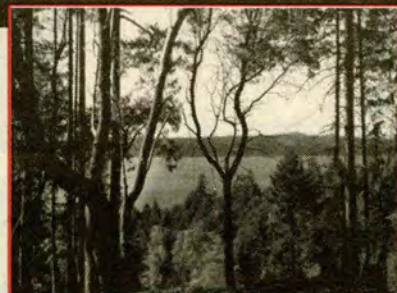
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257	308	CBC	Corrie St.	Corrie St.	Corrie St.	Corrie St.	CBC News: Sunday	askCBC	CountryC	Land,Sea	True Canadians	One,One	On Road	Nature of Things				
600	621	MC	Movie	The Emperor's Club (2002)	Kevin Kline	Agent Cody Banks			The New Guy D.J. Qualls	45 Radio			Ed Harris	Movie				
4		NewVI	Careers	My Boat	Sportfish	Nice Fish	Paid Prog	ScanMov	Richter Ink (SP)	World Vision	CityLine		Earth: Final Conflict	BeastMaster				
330	379	KING	KING 5 News	KING 5 News	KING 5 News	S. Safari	Hanna	Olympic	Beach Volleyball	Best of the Beach AVP	Breeders'	Cup Preview	Kenny	Tuten				
262	358	CH	Ernest Angley	VanImpe	Listen Up				Driving	BobMarg	Nikita		TechKO	Divas				
261	321	CTVBC	7:00 Morning Canada	Eagle Communic.					Eagle C.	Worldvision	Eagle C.	Question Period	The Urban Jungle	Treacherous Beauties	Emma Samms.			
258	336	GBLBC	Sunday Morning News						Driving	Pet Guys	The Hour of Power	News	Football NFL Teams	TBA				
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452	354	KNOW	KoalaBro	55 George	Shrinks	Zoboo..	Madeline	35 Bear	Worksh'p	Sportfish	Tech	Scatter.	C.Wild	History	Odysseys	ReachTp	Kratts' C	Arthur
260	359	CITY	CityLine		Cooks	M. Easy	Negaresh	Television	Music	Ethnosonic	Story of...		Uncover	Listed	M. Easy	Fashion		
460	523	BRAVO	The Murders in ...	The Hospital (1971)	Diana Rigg.		They Might be Giants	45 News	Antiques	Ghost	Inside Actors Studio	The Definitive Elvis						
441	506	HIST	7:00 Khartoum (1966)	Charlton Heston.	Tactical to Practical	1492: Conquest of Paradise (1992)	Gérard Depardieu.				Nautilus	Lost Inventions						
442	560	TLC	Clean Sweep	Trading Spaces	While You Were Out	Overhaul'n'	Rides				Mega Machines	Sports Disasters	Mostly True Stories					
483	541	FAM	Radio F.	Amanda	15All That!	45 Raven	10Stevens	Boy MW	SmartG.	35Brother	Big Girls Don't Cry, They ...	45 The Cheetah Girls (2003)	Raven.	McGuire				
459	520	A&E	Rocky (1976)	Sylvester Stallone.			Rocky II (1979)	Sylvester Stallone.			O.House	O.House						
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407	419	RSP	Sportsnet News	TWIB	JZone		Baseball MLB Tampa Bay Devil Rays vs Toronto Blue Jays		News	Kickoff			Football CFL Ottawa vs Saskatchewan					
23		KSTW	Life	Paid Prog	Paid Prog	Paid Prog	Hmeow.	Columbia	Outdoors	Career	Mystic Pizza (1988)	Julia Roberts.	Benny and Joon (1993)	Johnny Depp.				
24		KVOS	Paid Prog	Paid Prog	The Hour of Power	Day Disc.	Paid Program		Mehak	Paid Prog	Diagnosis Murder	I Spy	Ripley's	Ripley's				
333	382	KCPQ	FOX News Sunday	NFL Sunday	Football NFL Philadelphia Eagles vs Detroit Lions						Football NFL San Francisco 49ers vs Seattle Seahawks							
511	390	NEWS	News	News	CBC News: Sunday	News	Hemiph.	Antiques Roadshow	Hot Type		News	Fashion	Antiques Roadshow	News	I. Media			
332	381	KIRO	B. Clues	Paid Prog	The NFL Today	Football NFL Houston Texans vs Kansas City Chiefs												
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SUNDAY, SEP 26

9:00 PM
19 ★★ Born Yesterday (1993, Comedy)
 A nouveau-riche industrialist hires a reporter to give his mistress couth in Washington. *Melanie Griffith, John Goodman (1h40)*

9:30 PM
27 ★★ Revenge of the Middle-Aged Woman (2004, Comedy/Drama)
 A woman, after being left by her husband, discovers that the best in life is yet to come. *Christine Lahti, Brian Kerwin (2h)*

9:30 PM
15 ★★ The Alamo (1960, True)
 In 1836, American soldiers bravely defend the Alamo against a Mexican general's troops. *John Wayne, Frankie Avalon (3h30)*

10:00 PM
14 ★★ Field of Dreams (1989, Drama)
 After hearing voices, a farmer constructs a mystical baseball diamond in his cornfield. *Kevin Costner, James Earl Jones (2h)*

10:40 PM
3 ★★ Uptown Girls (2003, Comedy/Drama)
 A New York socialite takes a job as a precocious child's nanny in order to earn respect. *Brittany Murphy, Dakota Fanning (1h45)*

10:40 PM
19 ★★ A Passage to India (1984, Drama)
 In the 1920s, a young British woman travels to India and accuses an Indian doctor of rape. *Peggy Ashcroft, Judy Davis (2h45)*

11:45 PM
3 ★★ White Oleander (2002, Drama)
 A teenager goes through a series of foster homes when her mother is imprisoned. *Michelle Pfeiffer, Renée Zellweger (2h15)*

S - Salt Spring Island - ExpressVu - StarChoice SUNDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 26

S	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		
257	308	CBC	2004 Athens Paralympic Games		Celebrate! Perform.	The Chieftains	Prime Suspect Pt. 1 of 2 cont'd Sep 27	Report	M. Walsh	Reflect.	Paralym.							
600	621	MC	3:45 Hey Arnold! M...	Dickie Roberts: Former Child Star	Wonderland (2003)	Val Kilmer.	The Wire	Uptown Girls										
4		NewVI	Black Scorpion	Relic Hunter	Close-Up	Idea City	Home Videos (SP)	Jack & Bobby	Practical Magic (1998)	Nicole Kidman.	Uncover	Idea City						
330	379	KING	Matthews	Upfront	KING 5 News	News	News	Dateline NBC (SP)	American Dreams	Law & Order (SP)	Crossing Jordan	News	35 Sports					
262	358	CH	Design?	BodyHlth	CH Weekend News	Ins.Ent.	Go! Mag.	CaitlinW	Homes	Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (SP)	Raymond	Half Men	Sp'rtPage	Ins.Ent.				
261	321	CTVBC	My Wife and Kids	8 Rules...	Hope.	News		Punk'D	Punk'D	Wife Swap	The Sopranos	News	News					
258	336	GBLBC	Football	MoneyW.	Simpsons	Sunday	News	KingHill	Simpsons	Fashion Rocks	Crossing Jordan	News	Savages					
450	383	KCTS	3:00 Piano in a Flash	Alone in the Wilderness	The Glenn Miller Spectacular	Communal Performance												
102	702	SRC	3:00 Adrenaline	5 sur 5	Journal	Découverte	Lafaque	Tout le monde en parle			Journal	Voyageur	sédentaire					
452	354	KNOW	ArtAttack	CG Kids	05 Babar	P Rabbit	Heartbeat	National Geographic	The Royal	R & T	What the	Food	Gabriel Dumont					
260	359	CITY	World Poker Tour		News	ColourTV	Movie TV	Star TV	The Collector	To Be Announced			Sex TV	Fashion				
460	523	BRAVO	ArtsMinds	Under...	Landscape	Dances with Wolves (1990)	Kevin Costner.				Field of Dreams (1989)	Kevin Costner.						
441	506	HIST	Antiques Roadshow	Royal	Royal	The Alamo (1960)	John Wayne.				The Alamo (1960)	John Wayne.						
442	560	TLC	Trading Spaces	What Not to Wear	What Not to Wear	Eye on the Storm	Trading Spaces	To Be Announced	What Not to Wear	Eye on the Storm								
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MONDAY, SEP 27

6:00 PM
14 ★ Black Girl (1972, Drama)
 A mother tries to atone for her parental mistakes by taking in a troubled foster child. *Louise Stubbs, Leslie Uggams (2h)*

7:45 PM
3 ★ Half Past Dead (2002, Action)
 A man infiltrates a prison to find out where a death-row inmate has stashed a fortune. *Steven Seagal, Ja Rule (1h45)*

8:00 PM
24 ★★ Four Weddings and a Funeral (1994, Comedy)
 A confirmed bachelor witnesses the marriages of his closest friends and falls in love. *Hugh Grant, Andie MacDowell (2h)*

9:00 PM
18 ★★ Playing God (1997, Suspense)
 A drug-addicted former surgeon becomes wrapped up with a criminal and his girlfriend. *David Duchovny, Timothy Hutton (2h)*

9:30 PM
19 ★★ Just a Walk in the Park (2002, Comedy)
 A professional dog-walker falls in love with a woman he believes to be a millionaire. *George Eads, Jane Krakowski (1h30)*

9:30 PM
3 ★ Expecting (2002, Comedy/Drama)
 A pregnant artist throws a party and relies on her friends to help deliver her baby. *Valerie Buhagiar, Angela Gel (1h30)*

11:00 PM
3 ★★ High Crimes (2002, Suspense)
 A lawyer defends her husband who is accused of war crimes committed while he was a marine. *Morgan Freeman, Ashley Judd (2h)*

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Sun-Fri	Sat	Sun-Fri	Sat
6:20 am	6:20 am	7:10 am*	7:00 am
8:00 am*	7:45 am	9:00 am	8:30 am
10:00 am	9:15 am	11:00 am	10:00 am
12:00 noon	10:45 am	1:00 pm	11:30 am
2:00 pm	12:15 pm	3:00 pm	1:10 pm
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Students, paddlers clean up

The Ganges seashore and Swanson's Pond have less litter to bear following local participation in the Canada-wide Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup (GCSC).

Last Wednesday students in the grades 6-7 French immersion classes at Salt Spring Island Middle School (SIMS) cleaned up areas in front of Moby's Pub, under the boardwalk to Ganges Marina, the beach in front of Island Escapades and Gasoline Alley, as well as the Swanson's Pond property near the high school.

SIMS teacher Sarah Myers said students from the two classes, along with parent helpers, collected about 200 pounds of garbage in a one-hour period.

Items most commonly collected were beverage cans and bottles, food wrappers and containers, and styrofoam.

Most unusual items included jeans, a rubber duck and a board game.

According to GCSC data from last year, cigarette filters were the most commonly collected item nation-wide, with more than 150,000 picked up.

A group of Island Paddlers members also participated in the clean-up the previous Saturday.

The GCSC is organized by the Vancouver Aquarium, with help from TD Friends of the Environment Foundation, and conservation partners The Ocean Conservancy and the World Wildlife Federation Canada.



TOMATO HARVEST: Rinda Lim and Taylor Mitchell use a big basket to sell tomatoes from Stowell Lake Farm at the Saturday market in Ganges.
Photo by Derrick Lundy

Knitters want more members

Knitters of all skill levels are urged to practise their craft with others as the Salt Spring Island Knitters group starts a season of regular meetings and activities.

The first official meeting of the year will be held on Monday, September 27 at 7:30 p.m. in Stitches Quilt Shop located at 120 Hereford Avenue.

The group plans to meet two Monday evenings each month and a series of outings to off-island yarn shops and knitting events have also been organized.

Knitting group members can provide answers to knitting questions, help with problems or just good company to knit with.

"They love to help beginning knitters take their first stitch," notes a press release.

Participants are asked to



Members of the Salt Spring Island Knitters group gather for meetings and activities. The first session of the season runs next Monday.
Photo contributed

park in the Rainbow Road parking lot at the back of the store and enter through the back door.

Some members of the group also participate in charity knitting for children in needy communities

in northern B.C., and more knitters are always welcome for this project.

Patterns and kits with yarn and pattern are available.

For information on the knitting group, call Alice Trueman at 538-0211.

Participants hone Wiccan skills in fall course

A Wicca 101 group offers a chance for the island's pagan community mem-

bers to fine-tune their skills while giving newcomers an introduction to the earth-

based spiritual practice.

Wicca 101 begins on Thursday, September 30 and continues for six Thursdays from 6:30-9:30 p.m. at Beaver Point Hall.

Participants will study and practise the craft of ritual grounding and purifying; cast a circle; study herbal magic and sacred songs; make ritual tools; learn

about trance; and "meet the ancestors."

Jamie Capranos and Robert Osborne are the facilitators.

Capranos has been a practising witch for more than 10 years and was initiated as a Green Witch by Susan Weed in 1999.

Osborne is an artist, teacher and facilitator who has led the Twelve Swans group and is well-known on the island.

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YEAR-ROUND SCHEDULE

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• 7:00 am	u 4:00 pm	*7:30 am	4:30 pm
x 8:00 am	5:00 pm	8:30 am	5:30 pm
9:00 am	6:00 pm	# 9:30 am	6:30 pm
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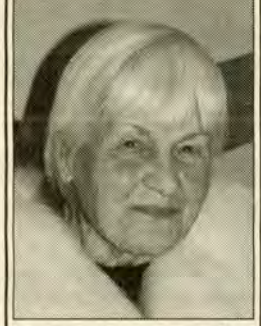
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6 DEATHS

HERBERG, GEORGE Colonel, age 78, passed away peacefully at the Lady Minto Hospital on September 14, 2004 with his wife Pauline by his side. George was born in Minnesota in 1926. He worked for the US Coast-guard, then moved to Canada in 1969. In Fort Nelson, BC, he worked for West-coast Energy until his retirement. In 1981 he moved to Salt Spring Island where he enjoyed boating, life on the ocean and woodworking. George was a wonderful listener and a very caring man. He was dependable and enjoyed people. George is survived by his wife Pauline/daughter Michelle (Maurice), Matejah & Micah of Calgary; his son Darren (Jeanine), Katelyn & Sarah of Calgary and his son Russell of Iowa. He is also survived by his sisters Marian of Iowa and Marilyn of Minnesota. At George's request, there was no funeral service. A celebration of his life was held at the Baptist Church on Salt Spring Island. We wish to thank Dr. Leavitt and all Lady Minto Staff for their superlative care and all our friends, for their care and compassion at this time.



Longtime Salt Spring resident **Inga Holmberg** passed away peacefully at Lady Minto Hospital on Saturday Sept 18, 2004. Inga was predeceased by her husband Viljo in 1953. Inga is lovingly remembered by her sons Allan (Jane) and Ray (Debbie) and grandchildren Robert, Michael and Nicolas and by relatives in Finland. Inga was born in Finland and came to Vancouver in 1928. She was an active member of the Finnish theatrical community and church choirs both in BC and Ontario. She was also a writer in Finnish publications in Canada and Finland. She moved to her beloved Salt Spring Island in 1952. Inga was an avid gardener and artist winning many ribbons at the Fall Fair. She also loved photography, bird watching, walking and skiing. In lieu of flowers donations in Inga's memory can be made to Lady Minto Hospital or Greenwoods. A reception and remembrance service for Inga will be held at the United Church on Saturday Oct. 02 at 2 pm. Special thanks to Dr. Leavitt and the staff at Lady Minto Hospital and Greenwoods for their care of Inga.

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You left us peaceful memories, your love is still our guide. And though we cannot see you, You are always by our side.

If we could have a lifetime wish, and one dream that could come true, We would pray to God with all our hearts just to see and speak to you. A thousand words won't bring you back, We know because we've tried. And neither will a million tears, We know because we've cried.

With Love from daughter Margaret & Grandson Nathan

8 CARD OF THANKS

I WOULD LIKE to thank all those who were so kind to me the evening of my recent injury. In particular, the two Moby's customers who supported my head and stabilized my ankle while awaiting the ambulance. Thank you to Tim for holding my hand while I waited, Patsy for waiting with me, Meghan and Sandy for keeping me calm and watching Molly during the Brouhaha, and Jamie for taking Molly to a place of comfort so her dad could accompany me to the hospital. To Kevin and Meghan for once again, and as always, being that place of comfort. Shauna.

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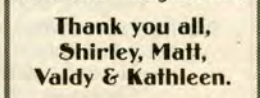
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Thank you all, **Shirley, Matt, Valdy & Kathleen.**



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.

STARTING SEPT. 23. Square Dancing, Central Hall Thursdays 7:00p.m. Come join the fun, all you need is a left and right foot.

FRESH START Fitness starts Sept. 23 @ 5:15 p.m. All Saints downstairs. Cardio-steps, strength & flexibility mat work. All you need is good shoes & a water bottle. For more info call Kathy Ball certified instructor 537-5450. Come have some fun.

PLAYBACKTHEATRE classes starting soon. Call Robert Osborne 653-0036 or email farmboys@saltspring.com.

WICCA 101: six Thursday classes beginning September 30th. Call Robert @ 653-0036 or email farmboys@saltspring.com.

DOG OBEDIENCE classes with Anne McPhee starting Sept. 28. Fun and motivational teaching you how to teach your dog/puppy. Registration 537-9505.

S.S.I. XMAS motorcycle toy run Sept. 26 at 11:00 am. Start at Irwin Collision, 115 Desmond Cres. Info 537-2912. Bring new unwrapped toy. All motorcycles welcome.

LIFE SOURCE Writing Workshop. Breath, movement and writing combine for an informative and fun evening workshop. No previous writing experience necessary. Friday, September 24 from 6:30 to 9:00 pm at the Ganges Yoga Studio. Facilitators: Lynda Monk and Meredith Knox. Cost: \$25 for the evening. Call 653-4085 to register.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24: Xango! Mangosteen 100% Natural Fruit Juice Business Opportunity and Health Benefits Presentation. Ganges Fire Hall training room - Morn: 11:00 am to 12:30 pm; Eve 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. To register for free and info: Carla Hansen 250-653-9876, email good_health@mangosteenufruit-juice.com or visit www.mangosteenufruit-juice.com
HULA WORKSHOP with Alandra Napali Kai. Sun. Sept. 26, 7-9 pm. Ganges Yoga Studio. \$15. No experience necessary. All welcome. Info: 537-5294.

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UNITARIAN FELLOWSHIP Amy Hollings will share her International Peace Conference experience Sept 26 @ 10:30 am, Lions Hall. For info call Anne 537-9650.

FLOOR HOCKEY, ages 9-11, starts Sun., Sept. 26, 2-4 pm, Fulford Hall, waiver required. Call Antonio 537-5659 or Brian 537-8991.

OPEN HOUSE - Door Prizes, refreshments and information about all of our services at Eight Branches Holistic Health Centre's Annual Open House! Saturday, Sept. 25 from noon - 4pm. No charge, everyone welcome. We are located at 124 Lower Ganges Road (Formerly, "The Tea Room", across from the Visitor Info Centre). For details, call 538-1701.

20 COMING EVENTS

YOM KIPPUR Break-the-fast gathering Potluck dinner, Sat. Sept. 25, 6 pm. RSVP please, 538-0263.

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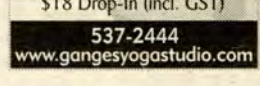
Pilates Style Mat with Shannon Johnston 10:30-11:30am \$12 Drop-In (incl. GST)

SUNDAYS
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538-1877

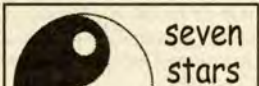
20 COMING EVENTS

Bring on the Adventure

Registration Night for
• Beavers
• Cubs
• Scouts
• Venturers

Farmers Institute
Thursday, Sept. 23, 7-8:30pm

For more info
537-6503



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Saturday, Sept. 25 11:30 - 1pm - Beginners II
1:30 - 3pm - Intermediate
3:30 - 5pm - Intermediate
Sunday, Sept. 26 1pm - 2:30 - Intermediate
3pm - 4:30 - Intermediate

Monday, Sept. 27 Supervised practica
Wednesday, Sept. 29 7:30 - 9pm - Intermediate
Lions Hall, \$20
Phone Gail Meyer
653-4969

CALL TO ARTISTS

from the Community Arts Council for **ARTISTS IN THE CLASS PROGRAMME 2005** applications now available at

SD 64 Board Office
Acoustic Planet
www.gulfislandsartscouncil.com
Deadline to Apply **October 14/04**

2004/2005 Season

REVISED
Oct 4/04 **Todd Butler**
Ross and Fauro
Oct 25/04 **Vin Garbutt**
Nor Folk Connection
Nov 22/04 **The McDades**
Phil Vernon
Feb 7/05 **Christine Lavin**
Alan Miceli
Feb 28/05 **The Laws**
New Talent Showcase
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Fulford Hall
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Season Tickets \$85 reserve 653-4689; buy and pick up @ the Fall Fair
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Learn the Fundamentals of Yoga Postures and Breathe Into Your Body

at Ganges Yoga Studio - Grace Point Square
Starting - Thursday Sept. 16 @ 6-7:30 pm
- Sunday Sept. 20 @ 10:30 am - Noon
Mixed levels - drop in \$10
Phone Brian at 537-1433 for more info.

20 COMING EVENTS

Saltspring Symphony conductors Wendy & Derrick Milton

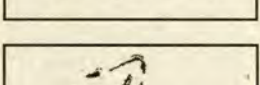
Our newly-formed orchestra requires more musicians - especially strings!

Rehearsals Tuesday nights beginning Oct. 26

First Season Performances at ArtSpring April/05

If you're interested in playing with the Saltspring Symphony, please call

Betty @ 537-9217 (before Sept. 22/04) or Wendy/Derrick @ 537-4654 (after Sept. 22/-04)



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- CLARINET
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- HARMONY

TWO NEW STUDIOS IN GANGES

Short walk behind GISS SIMS and SSE

Wendy & Derrick Milton
537-4654
or 537-9217

20 COMING EVENTS

Grief Support Group
This Group Meets twice a month to offer sharing, support and information

Dates
1st and 3rd Thursdays each month
Time
7:00 - 8:30 pm
Place
Croftonbrook Meeting Room

AIR BRAKE COURSE

Oct 8, 9, 10
Sponsored by SS Fire Dept

For Further Info
Call 537-2531

6th Annual Salt Spring Island Apple Festival

Sunday, Oct 3, 2004
9 am to 5 pm

Tickets: \$10 at Fulford Hall and Ganges Info Centre (day of Festival only.)
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Info: 653-2007

FALL CLASSES HAVE BEGUN

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The Annual General Meeting of the Gulf Islands Families Together Society
will be held on October 6, 7 pm at 152 McPhillips Avenue.

Gulf Islands Community Arts Council
Grant forms for groups and individuals planning fall and winter projects are available at Salt Spring Books and online at the GICAC website: www.gulfislandsartsCouncil.com
Deadline October 15
Call 537-5681 for info or email gicac@saltspring.com

25 EDUCATION

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20 COMING EVENTS

Fall Fair Trophy Pick Up
Thursday September 23
12 noon - 2pm (upstairs)
Farmers Institute Rainbow Road

PS Please be advised, no trophies should leave the island. For more info call Carolyn at 537-5735

25 EDUCATION

BECAUSE OF THE high demand for Spanish classes, another class has been added for students wishing help or those interested in travel. Place: Cornerstone Learning Center. Phone: 537-1975.

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29 LOST AND FOUND

PORTRAIT OF Elderly couple posing for studio picture found at Transitions Thrift Store.

PAIR, GREEN skis found in Moutat's Park. Great cond. 537-0801.

FOUND: PORTFOLIO at Moby's - "Wolfgang Schmidt" may claim at R.C.M.P. office.

MISSING FROM 151 Saltair Lane night of Sat. 18, Mara, a white Samoyed/lab X. Very friendly, old and going deaf. Much loved & missed. If seen please phone 653-4449.

LOST CELL phone, Rainbow Road gate to Fair Ground, Sunday, Sept. 19. 653-9370.

32 MEETINGS

SS COMMUNITY THEATRE - Annual General Meeting, Sept. 27, 7:30 pm at Croftonbrook. All past, present & future members welcome. Get involved!

32 MEETINGS

Islands Trust
Salt Spring Island Local Trust Committee

Notice of Business Meeting
The Salt Spring Island Local Trust Committee will be meeting to consider various matters of general business, such as applications received, bylaw reviews and meeting notes.

DATE: Wed., Sept. 29, 2004
TIME: 3:00 pm
PLACE: Hart Bradley Hall (Lion's Hall) 103 Bonnet Ave

Starting at 3:00 pm up to 45 minutes will be available for the public to discuss local land use matters with the Local Trust Committee. Those who wish to present a more formal petition, or make a delegation to the Committee as an Agenda item, must advise Islands Trust staff at least one week in advance of the meeting so that they can be added to the beginning of the Agenda. For information about the Agenda, please call the Islands Trust at 537-9144.

34 NOTICES

FAMILY RECIPES of Salt Spring's Fall Fair. A collection of Ribbon Winners. Call for your copy! 537-9913.

SEWING MACHINE Repair. Drop off at Salt Spring Dry Cleaning at 116 Herford Ave. 537-2241. Local agent for Sawyer Sewing Centre of Victoria.

THE CLINIC new hours Tuesdays 5:00-7:00. Core Inn second floor. Planned Parenthood Gulf Islands 537-8786.

INDIGO, AN 8 MEMBER Acapella singing group, is considering the addition of another male singer. To express interest or for more information, please call don at 537-5776.

TO WEIGHT WATCHERS former & lifetime members - because of lack of interest and personal reasons, I have decided not to continue the meetings on the island this fall. Thank you for your support over the past 4 years. Linda Vickers.

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34 NOTICES

Applications for 2005 MARKET ADVISORY GROUP Representatives

Salt Spring Island's Market in the Park is administered by the Parks and Recreation Commission (PARC). Annually the Commission Chairperson appoints a 19 member advisory body known as the Market Advisory Group (MAG). The group is made up of representatives of seven island guilds, vendors, the Commission, the Chamber of Commerce, the Community Arts Council, the Island Natural Growers and the community at large. The advisory group meets 2 or 3 times per year, and submits recommendations to PARC for their approval.

Guilds and community organizations were recently invited to submit their nominations for 2005 representatives. Interested vendors and the general public are invited to apply for the following positions:

- 3 persons who regularly vend at the Market
- 2 members of the public at large (minimum 6 months Salt Spring residency)

Written applications, stating name, address, telephone number(s), previous involvement with the Market and reasons for applying, should be received on or before 12:00 noon, Monday, October 4, 2004 at the PARC office, 145 Vesuvius Bay Road, SSI, BC V8K 1K3.

If further information is required, please contact the PARC Administration Office at 537-4448.

34 NOTICES

ISLANDS TRUST

NOTICE
The offices of The Islands Trust Salt Spring Island will be closed Monday, September 27, 2004.
Regular office hours will resume at 10am, Tuesday, September 28, 2004.

40 PERSONALS

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RELIABLE, KNOWLEDGEABLE garden help for part-time work. Duties involve landscape installation, ground maintenance. Respond to Dept. Q c/o The Driftwood, 328 Lower Ganges Rd., Salt Spring Island, B.C. V8K 2V3.

YARD STAFF needed at Slegg Lumber. Apply with resume in person.

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55 HELP WANTED

YOUTH INTERN needed for the Community Access Program at the Core Inn. This is a 1/2 time position for a computer savvy person who is between 19 and 30 years old. Please call 537-4167.

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Live on the Saanich Peninsula or Southern Gulf Islands?
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Need job search help?
Call Kathryn for information on employment programs that can help you find work.
Call Mike for information on employment programs for people under 30 years old.
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117 COMMUNITY SERVICES

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 - o computers for job search use,
 - o relevant resource material & information
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- An opportunity to meet individually with an Employment Counsellor
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Job Descriptions, qualifications and salaries for each position are available by contacting Sue @ 1-250-655-5309 or toll free # 1-888-993-2299 or swegener@communityprograms.ca

Applicants are invited to submit resume with cover letter by September 30, 2004 5:00 pm to: Donna Lafranchise, Manager Peninsula Community Services 9860 Third Street Sidney, BC V8L 4R2
By Fax: 1-250-655-5081
By email: dlafranchise@communityprograms.ca

Peninsula Community Services This initiative has been funded by HRSDC.

117 COMMUNITY SERVICES

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Pender 629-3631

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LOCAL ARTIST photographing roosters of various kinds. Please call Kris if I can photograph your rooster (s) 537-8911.

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PINE TABLES & desk chairs for sale: pine tables with urethaned tops - great for student desk, sewing table, kitchen table, \$50 each (2 available). Desk chairs (also great for student desk or sewing table) \$25 each (3 available). Call 538-1996.

DOG KENNEL, chain link, for sale, \$100. Call 537-3688. (for small dogs).

ADULT (16+) DANCE Classes with Sue Newman (Ballet) and Andrea Rabinovitch (Jazz/Hip hop). Buff your dance shoes - coming soon.

INFORMATION WANTED: towards the recovery of a stolen vehicle and contents taken from in front of the Ganges Post Office on Monday afternoon. Missing is Samba Du Solie's priceless Brazilian percussion collection. This collection includes a hepanique, 2 surdos, a trumpet and trombone, a custom painted flight box filled with percussion instruments and the band's uniforms. Also included is a 1982, light brown, Chev Impala station wagon. Please help a Salt Spring musical institution by phoning information to Stefan at 653-4220 or the RCMP.

1993 SUBARU LOYALE SW, 4 WD, 2nd owner, well maintained, new clutch, newer muffler, 215 K. \$3500. 537-5659.

FREE TO good home. Male & female Jack Russells. Please call 537-3688 and leave message (prefer dogs stay together).

PEACE WORKS! Call for Art conducive to singing! Help us celebrate United Nation's Day with Together We Sing, Together We Imagine, Together We Celebrate Community. Art "Beyond the Dove" and a choir beyond the ordinary. Details 537-1027 - Cherie or 537-9804 - Maggie. Date of event: Oct. 24, 2004.

COMPUTER CLASSES: learn Photoshop and Illustrator! 5 week class starts Thursday, September 23 at 6:30 - 9 pm. Call Andrea Palframan 537-9935 to register. Sliding scale \$320 - \$220 includes one, two hour private tutorial.

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**This Week's Horoscope**

Autumn Equinox takes place at exactly 9:30 am on September 22 when the Sun officially enters the sign of Libra in the Tropical Zodiac. The Tropical Zodiac is based upon the Ecliptic, or apparent path of the Sun around the Earth and the fact that the earth is tilted on its axis by 23 degrees. Because of these realities we experience the four seasons. During the course of one round of the Earth around the Sun the Earth's orbit and due to the 23 degree tilt the Earth reaches what are the Tropics of Capricorn and Cancer. Any good atlas will show these imaginary belts at equal distances north and south, respectively, of the equator. The Equinox points are the half way points and they symbolically refer to the waxing half moon for spring time and the waning half moon for autumn. Despite the precession of the equinoxes, based on 72 minutes of retrograding arc time each year of our planet in respect to the 12 Constellations of the Zodiac due to a slight wobble in the earth axial rotation and orbit, the Sun still floods sacred chambers built thousands of years ago each year on March 21 or spring equinox, as was originally intended by the builders. This is why Western Astrology works as it does and this is also why oriental

systems of Astrology differ from the west quite significantly in that the former recognizes the power of the Tropical Zodiac while the oriental systems honour the Sidereal Zodiac. Interestingly, the Sidereal Zodiac is currently 23 degrees behind the Tropical Zodiac. In any case, both work spectacularly well!

Aries (Mar 21 - Apr 20)

You are in a mood to get many things done. Clean-up from the summer, harvest time, preparation for winter, back to school, the long hot sunny days are gone again and the list goes on. Getting organized is a top priority. In certain respects, the jury is still out on certain aspects of your social and professional status. The need to facing fears continues to bubble beneath the surface. All the while, love is in the air and you feel passionate about playing. Well, you have your priorities straight in terms of being happy!

Taurus (Apr 21 - May 20)

A creative mood is carrying you to new heights. You want excellence and are bringing a critical eye to things, especially projects and other creative expressions. It is times like these that one longs for love that is close and quietly supportive of your passions. Bliss is doing the things we love and enjoying the pleasures of love all the while and in between. Avoid being your own worst critic. Don't take yourself too seriously, be grateful for opportunity and enjoy the process. With the right blend of complication you will evoke the vitality you desire.

Gemini (May 21 - Jun 20)

A good deal of activity close to home is keeping you busy. In many respects, you have reasons to feel fulfilled while in others some much needed renovations require your full attention. These may include your living environment or perhaps poor attitudes need adjusting. Positive thoughts, feelings and

expressions are their own reward. Like constructing new walls, relationship boundaries must be built. Alternatively, removing the dead wood and cleaning the environment may be the metaphor for disrespectful behaviour. Whistle, while you work!

Cancer (Jun 21 - Jul 21)

A very busy time on a variety of fronts is commanding your attention. Errands of all kinds, communications, short journeys and other such business are directing your efforts. Yet, this is a rapid learning curve and you are learning a lot of new tricks and angles. New love interests of one sort or another are part of the plot. Expanding your horizons with ideas, plans, visions and dreams feels like the right thing to do. Making room for love and romance is at least included on your current wish list. Do your duties; meet your needs!

Leo (Jul 22 - Aug 22)

Establishing a smoother flow in your life is now in the spotlight. You are in the mood to streamline your focus and approach. This may imply storing or altogether releasing some stuff from your possession. Life is not about things, it is about love, being alive and passionate and present in the moment as much as possible. Perhaps you are clearing the way for adventure. This is a job you need to do yourself so be the reliable one you seek, especially if you feel significant others are unreliable. Make room and feel the breeze.

Virgo (Aug 23 - Sep 21)

Launching new initiatives and taking fresh strides continues. Despite lingering caution, you are ready to expand your horizons even more. An entirely new flow of currents are guiding your direction. Like a kayak on a fast river, you can paddle and steer but the water has a big say. Some significant transformations, especially on relationship fronts will continue to ignite new places

in your heart. On a more practical note, this is a good time to outline some plans and intentions for the next 3 to 6 months. Remember to paddle!

Libra (Sep 22 - Oct 21)

With four major planets in the house of the subconscious mind in your solar chart, you may be feeling the pressure. Unless you are in a position to retreat and relax, demands from others may feel more tiresome than ever. Fortunately, this will soon change. A whole new wave of freedom, ambition and determination is on the rise. In any case, you may still be searching for an authentic and true quality of experience both at home and on the job. At least some changes in your lifestyle are the call. Change your mind and leave the rest as it is!

Scorpio (Oct 22 - Nov 21)

You are a unique bird and quite possibly very independent these days. In one way or another, freedom and independence are your best friends. Yet, you also feel responsible to working and playing harmoniously with actual friends. You want to know how to love others freely as that is what you want in return. Take no offence; people cannot love one another perfectly, only God can love perfectly. However, we can aspire to realize ideals in the quality of our relationships. This includes honest and sincere communication. Fly on feather wings!

Sagittarius (Nov 21 - Dec 20)

Making some key moves in public and professional arenas continues as a central theme. Remember, this is a good time to approach authority figures for favours and rewards such as a raise. Building upon your credentials and willingness to work and learn is important now. This includes a constructively critical approach to some of the practical aspects of your life. Sudden changes in relationships, at least of mood, sentiment and/or attitude, will provoke the situation somehow,

especially over the next two weeks. Assert your worth and value.

Capricorn (Dec 21 - Jan 19)

Learning more about yourself, your community and the world is keeping you interested these days. Higher education, travel, cultural events and spiritual interests are featured. Support is coming from other key players on your stage. You feel passionate about the implications and are determined to follow through. However, this chapter is coming to a close and a new one will soon begin. Emphasis will shift to your career. Intend to let others take the lead while you take time to cultivate your individuality and independence.

Aquarius (Jan 20 - Feb 19)

Many parts of your personality are currently in a cauldron where they are melting into a more unified whole. As scary as this may sound, you have reason to be excited. Something and/or someone new will soon enter your life. In any case, the change will be very obvious. Generally, you will feel elevated and exalted. Just causes will enter into a victorious phase. This will inspire you to explore new possibilities, especially in your love life. You have been busy yet patient and the time is drawing near to enter the next phase.

Pisces (Feb 19 - Mar 20)

A good deal of energy and focus in your relationships is keeping you entertained. A new level of freedom that continues to grow is changing old attitudes about how things should be. Now, you want both freedom and commitment. This is possible especially with good communication, trust and willingness. You have worked long and hard to establish new norms that work for both you and your partner or future partner. It is good to acknowledge your efforts so that you remain true to your authentic self while in relationship.

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Art, French, nature and crafts added to kids' Friday activity choices

Salt Spring parents and students have some school-based options for Friday activities now that the four-day week has commenced.

In addition to programs that have shifted from after-school-times to Fridays, and classes offered privately by individuals, there are several new offerings in the district. These include:

- Early-childhood educator Lisa Dodd is offering licensed childcare at Salt Spring Elementary on Fridays and after school for the rest of the week.

"It's an activity-based program," Dodd said.

Her program includes art projects, adventure skills, and outside and inside games using the gymnasium, she said.

"Lost of stuff to keep them occupied and if they choose not to do one of the activities, they can find a game on the shelf or something to do while they wait for the next activity."

The program is available for students in grades 1-5 on Fridays from 8:30-5:30 p.m. and after school until 5:30 on Mondays through Thursdays.

While enrolment has

been slow in the first two weeks, she's had a call every day, she said.

For more information, call Lisa (537-5663) between 6 and 8 p.m.

- As of Friday, local artist Johanna Hoskins began 13 weeks of Whimsical Expressions art classes for kids at Fulford Elementary School.

Children aged 6 and up will create hand-made books using the mediums of papermaking, printmaking, drawing, painting and book binding.

"When they make their books, it will be right from start to finish. They'll be making the paper right up until they bind the whole book," Hoskins said.

Students will make individual books as well as a collaborative, Big-Book project for the ArtSpring art show in May, she said.

The whole project will be based on the theme of humour, she said.

The session runs Fridays 10-11:30 a.m. until December 17. The 13 classes cost \$169, including materials. Though space might still be available starting September 24, drop-in classes are not available.

For more information or registration, call Johanna (653-9383).

- A combined effort by the Fulford Community Nature School and the Gulf Islands Centre for Ecological Learning will provide programs on selected Fridays.

They will be similar to the Summer Ecological Exploration Program (SEEP) that ran in August and more details will be forthcoming, said Fulford school principal Judy Rad-dysh.

Nature programs are planned for October 29, November 19, December 10, January 21, February 11, April 8, April 22, May 6 and May 13.

For more information, call Fulford school (653-9223).

- Local teacher-on-call Sylvia Louwman will continue to offer her after-school French program at Fernwood Elementary.

This year she plans to add a Ganges location for young French enthusiasts on Fridays. The program is aimed for children in the primary grades, including kindergarten.

Call Sylvia for more information at 537-1182.

Bring back those private and peaceful phone calls

In the beginning, long distance conversations pretty much depended on how loud you could shout.

Leather-lunged chatters could comfortably make themselves heard from cave mouth to cave mouth. Then we developed smoke signals. Conversations — necessarily brutish and short — could be carried out from mountaintop to mountaintop, providing you had enough fuel, a sturdy blanket, no wind and a reliable flint.

Then on March 10, 1876, Alex Bell, bless his Edin-burgian/Cape Bretonian/Bostonian heart, strung some electrified wire between two rooms and shouted "Mister Watson, come here, I need you" into one end of the wire. And Mister Watson, hearing Bell's voice through the wire, came on the run.

That's the official story, anyway. My guess is, Bell yelled loud enough to be heard right through the wall, but no matter, the principle was sound. History says the world's first telephone call had been placed, and answered.

It's been downhill ever since.

The Bell contraption begat the cumbersome wall telephone which begat the clunky handheld dial telephone, which began the hernia-inducing walkie-talkie, the CB radio and eventually, the light-as-a-feather, cute-as-a-bug's-ear plastic gizmo that you see in just about every second person's hand these days — usually jammed up against their ear-hole as they drive or walk or shop or sit on a park bench or eat their lunch — the cell-phone.

And cell-phone use is multiplying like a galloping rogue virus. Between 2000

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surcease from traffic noise, a cone of silence for personal conversations and a handy

and 2004, cell-phone ownership in Canada grew by 55 per cent. Nearly 14 million Canadians are currently wireless subscribers. Experts say by this time next year, fully 50 per cent of us will be "wired for yakking."

Is that a bad thing? Not for the travelling salesman, the shut-in, the housewife whose car has broken down on the side of the Trans Canada, or the hiker who's fractured a femur on the Juan de Fuca hiking trail, but for, oh, say, 85 per cent of the schnooks who buy, lug and natter into their cell-phones every day . . . what's the point?

I had a cell-phone once. I used it primarily to tell my partner each workday evening that I was off the train and in my car and headed home for dinner.

She knew that already. It was my regular pattern, with or without the call. Most of the calls I (am forced to) overhear each day are equally fatuous and a stone waste of everybody's time.

Which would rate as one of modern life's minor annoyances — along with traffic jams, e-mail spam and the vocal stylings of Celine Dion — if that were the extent of the cell-phone's depredations. It's not. The fact is, the popularity of the cell-phone represents the death knell for a true communications breakthrough.

The phone booth.

The public phone booth has been around for more than a century. It has provided shelter from the storm,

place for cross-dressing Clark Kent to assume his superhero alter ego.

All that's changing now. Canada lost nearly 20,000 pay phones in the four years between 1999 and 2003. In Chicago, where the first one was installed in 1898, the public phone booth no longer exists at all.

And in Britain, home of world-famous fire-engineered telephone booth, the news is even grimmer. Authorities are cold-bloodedly plotting the extinction of the British icon. There are still 15,000 of them scattered across the flanks of Albion. BT Pay-phones plans to eliminate 10,000 public phone booths by this time next year.

The reasoning is bottom-line, as usual. Four out of five Brits now carry cell-phones. Phone booth revenue is down. Ergo, axe the phone booths.

Before they send the last phone booth to the knacker's yard, they might want to schedule a business lunch at the Brooklyn Café in Atlanta, Georgia. Or at the Main Street Bistro in Sarasota, Florida. Or at the trendy Spoke Club in Toronto.

The management in all three institutions is planning to install vintage red British telephone booths in their lobbies so that restaurant patrons can carry on conversations in private . . . on their cell-phones.

Oh, right . . . private phone calls. Didn't we have those once?

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Salt Spring women needing a screening mammogram should get out their appointment books.

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