

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Live Radio Theatre crew at a rehearsal.

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A Weekly Feature of the Gulf Islands Driftwood

World of imagination comes to life in Live Radio Theatre show

By MANUSHA JANAKIRAM
Driftwood Contributor

For people who were left out in the cold in January, Live Radio Theatre returns to ArtSpring for two more performances.

"Last year we literally had people begging to watch from backstage," said the show's producer, director Jan Rabson.

On Friday and Saturday night, Live Radio Theatre will recreate the dramas that dominated the air-waves during the 1930s, 1940s and 1950s. Audiences will be treated to three thematic half-hour shows — thriller, sci-fi and comedy — interspersed with live radio commercials and a "Five-Minute-Mystery."

Rabson is the driving force behind the production which he expects will appeal to everyone from young children to seniors.

"It's going to transport people back in time, it offers a history lesson and it will be a total theatrical experience," he said.

Gulf Islands actors/readers, including Arthur Black, Vaughn Fulford, Yvonne Adalian — who returns to Salt Spring from Vancouver just for the show — will join Rabson in full-period costume as they mount the production.

Though skeptics might question why they need to see something that they were only meant to hear, Rabson said, "If you've ever wondered about the face behind a voice, or wondered how sounds like creaking doors are made," then the live radio theatre shows will satisfy what he termed "basic human curiosity."

Sound effects will be left to the capable hands of Julian Wilhelmson, Alex Corley and Bob Twaites, all of whom will be working their magic on stage.

"Salt Spring is a great place to fulfill fantasies," Rabson said, and though the production has "been a logistical nightmare," he is confident that "the show will be thoroughly entertaining."

But mounting a production is no small commitment.

Both financially and timewise, Rabson has been working tirelessly to coordinate, plan and pay for the show.

"It's a full-time job," he said, but he doesn't foresee any more shows "unless there is an angel out there who would like to be our benefactor."

Rabson, whose acting career has spanned five decades, has done thousands of voiceovers and can be heard in movies like Batman, Finding Nemo, Monsters Inc., and, most recently, Cars.

While actors with similar experience to Rabson might be skeptical of putting on such a show, Rabson said "there are so many artists on the islands, I knew there would be talent to fulfill [the show]."

Showcasing local talent, Live Radio Theatre grants audiences a rare opportunity to "witness a world of imagination coming to life."

The performances run Friday-Saturday, August 18-19 at 7:30 p.m. in the main theatre at ArtSpring.

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<p>live entertainment</p> <p>La Bomba de Puerto Rico. Improvisational dancers & drummers. ArtSpring, 8 p.m.</p> <p>Daryl Chonka. Tree House Cafe.</p> <p>Open Mic Night. Moby's Pub.</p> <p>Three Friends. Music & Munch. All Saints, 12:10 p.m.</p> <p>Harry Warner & Friends. Celtic music, SS Vineyards, 2-4 p.m.</p> <p>other activities</p> <p>Phakchok Rinpoche. Heart Practice event at Ganges Yoga Studio, 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Greenwoods Assisted Living Complex Tours. Blain Road building, 1:30 p.m.</p> <p>Canadian Alliance of British Pensioners. Info meeting at United Church hall, 1:30 p.m.</p> <p>Putting on the Moves. Learn West African dance. ArtSpring, 2:30 p.m.</p> <p>Sealife of SSI Pastels. Fables Cottage workshop, 1-2 p.m.</p> <p>Baby Animals Painting. Fables, 11-noon.</p> <p>Clay Exploration - Wizards. Fables, 2:30-4 p.m.</p> <p>Core Inn Movie Night. Core Inn, 7 p.m.</p>	<p>live entertainment</p> <p>Synergy. Tree House Cafe.</p> <p>Karaoke With Matt J. Moby's.</p> <p>other activities</p> <p>Phakchok Rinpoche. Ganges Yoga Studio, 9:30-4:30 p.m.</p> <p>Greenwoods Assisted Living Complex Tours. Blain Road building, 1:30 p.m.</p> <p>Bones For Life. Intensive & teacher training program. Through Aug. 20. Info: 537-5681; www.bonesforever.com.</p> <p>Bingo. At Meaden Hall, 7 p.m.</p> <p>Early bird games, 6:30.</p> <p>Life Drawing. Core Inn, 3rd floor, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Info: Jose, 537-1121.</p> <p>Outdoor Life Drawing Classes. With Stefanie Denz at Salt Spring Woodworks. Info: 653-2018.</p> <p>Kindercraft. Balloon Animals workshop at Fables Cottage, 11-noon.</p> <p>Beaded Coasters. Fables Cottage workshop, 1-2 p.m.</p> <p>Core Inn Games Night. Computer, board and role-playing games for youth, 6-9 p.m.</p>	<p>live entertainment</p> <p>Planet Music. Original urban jazz. Tree House Cafe.</p> <p>The Resort. Tal Bachman, Tom Hooper and Matt Johnson Fridays at Moby's Pub.</p> <p>Live Radio Theatre. 1940s & '50s radio plays, sound effects & commercials. ArtSpring, 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>other activities</p> <p>Storycraft. 'Something from Nothing' at Fables Cottage, 11-noon.</p> <p>Friendship Bracelets. Fables Cottage workshop, 1-2 p.m.</p> <p>Core Inn Youth Lounge. Drug and alcohol free youth night club. Live DJ, hip hop, mocktails and more. Doors open at 7 p.m.</p>	<p>live entertainment</p> <p>Dance & Music Performance. Culmination of Leah Stein performance workshop. Stowel Lake Farm, 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>DJ Night/House Party/Live Music. Moby's Pub.</p> <p>Barley Bros. New grass music at Tree House Cafe.</p> <p>Live Radio Theatre. 1940s & '50s radio plays, sound effects & commercials. ArtSpring, 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>other activities</p> <p>Sid Tafler Book Release. Meet the author in the Saturday market, Gasoline Alley side.</p> <p>Movie in the Park. A Series of Unfortunate Events shows in Centennial Park. Bring a food bank non-perishable donation for annual Island Star Video event.</p>	<p>live entertainment</p> <p>Simone Lamers Trio. Tree House Cafe.</p> <p>Salt Spring Appreciation Day. At Laurie's Recycling and Waste depot, next to GVM parking lot. Live music from noon to 7 p.m., plus benefit auction for Lady Minto Hospital.</p> <p>live entertainment</p> <p>Her Sweet Time. Tree House.</p> <p>Eckhart Tolle Practising Presence Group. 7:30 p.m. Drop in. Info: Amrita, 537-2799.</p> <p>Gabrielle Roth's Five Rhythms Active Meditation. By donation. 5:30 p.m. Info: 537-4837.</p> <p>The Clinic. Options for Sexual Health clinic open Mondays, Core Inn 2nd floor, 4:30 p.m.</p> <p>Tango Practica. Argentine tango music, Core Inn, 8:30 p.m.</p> <p>Ukrainian Eggs. Fables 1-2 p.m.</p> <p>Kindercraft. Suki's kimono workshop. Fables, 11-noon.</p>	<p>live entertainment</p> <p>Open Stage with Tommy Hooper. Tree House Cafe.</p> <p>other activities</p> <p>Tuesday Farmers Market. United Church meadow, 11-3.</p> <p>Chess Club. At Seniors for Seniors Centre. All ages welcome. 7 p.m.</p> <p>Vineyard & Winery Tours. SS Vineyards, 1 and 3 p.m.</p> <p>Girls Talk Night. Core Inn. Discussion group for girls ages 12-15. Free pizza. Second floor. 5-6:30 p.m.</p> <p>Permaculture Series. Tuesdays at Ango Farm Retreat. Info: 537-0866; angofarm@telus.net.</p> <p>Music With Monik. Fables Cottage, 11-noon.</p> <p>Build a Wooden B.C. Ferry. Fables Cottage workshop, 2-3 p.m.</p>	<p>live entertainment</p> <p>Richard Cross. Folk & country blues at Tree House Cafe.</p> <p>Open Mic Night. Wednesdays at Moby's Pub.</p> <p>Concordia. Lower Mainland choir plays Music & Munch at All Saints, 12:10 p.m.</p> <p>other activities</p> <p>Kundalini Meditation. Drop-in. 5:30 p.m. Info: Amrita, 537-2799.</p> <p>Clay Exploration - Lanterns. Fables Cottage workshop, 2:30-4 p.m.</p> <p>Orcas, Dolphins Pastels. Fables Cottage workshop, 11-noon.</p> <p>Magical Creatures Chalk Pastels. Fables Cottage workshop, 1-2 p.m.</p>	

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exhibitions

- Images From Different Worlds** — paintings by Erik and Miram Thorn at ArtSpring. Tues., Aug. 22 to Mon., Sept. 4. Reception on Wed., Aug. 23, 3-6 p.m.
- Kathy Robert's show Interwoven: Past and Present Landscapes** shows for the last week at The Point Gallery, South Ridge Road. Closing celebration on Sun., Aug. 20, 4-7 p.m.
- "1000 words"** is the theme of the next exhibition in the Stage Gallery series at ArtCraft. Evocative work in sculpture, clay, painting and fibre optics by Tracy Harrison, Karen Reiss and Melissa Searcy, it opens Fri., Aug. 18 in Mahon Hall and continues daily until Wed., Aug. 30.
- New Paintings by Donna Hall — Thunderbird Gallery show runs daily through Sun., Aug. 20.
- PhotoSynthesis** — annual show of new work from 24 photographers runs at ArtSpring daily through Sun., Aug. 20.
- Stefanie Denz presents "Image Poems" at Salt Spring Woodworks.
- The Guild Guys are showing new paintings in the lobby at ArtSpring.
- Lynn Demers is the featured artist with new work at J. Mitchell Gallery.
- Julianna Slomka paintings are on display at Barb's Buns.
- Sam Barlow's Visual Impact photo show is at Jana's Bake Shop.
- Kathy Robertson is the featured local artist this month at Salt Spring Roasting Co. in Ganges
- Water and Light: Mixed-media paintings by Teresa Gaye Hitch are at Moby's until mid-August.
- The Jill Campbell Art Gallery features Provence Patchwork this week — a colourful French village scene.

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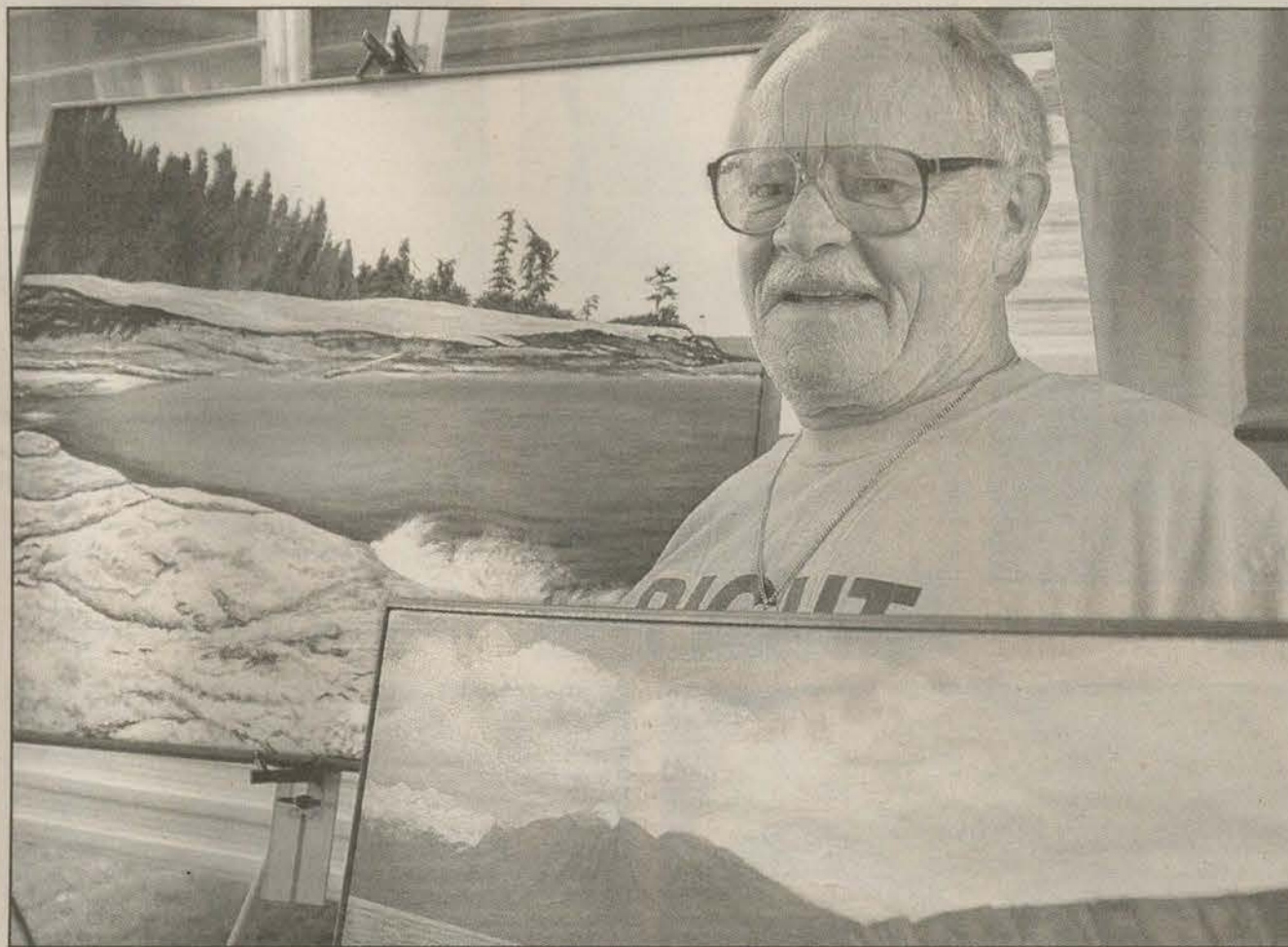
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ARTFUL PRIZE: Artist Fred Wood is seen with his artwork, which he donated as a prize in the annual Fulford Day raffle. Photo by Derrick Lundy

The artwork speaks volumes in new trio show at ArtCraft

A collection of powerfully evocative work in sculpture, clay, painting and fibre optics — with a theme of “a thousand words” — is unveiled Friday, August 18 at ArtCraft in Mahon Hall.

The Stage Gallery exhibit features the current work of Tracy Harrison, Karen Reiss and Melissa Searcy, with each Salt Spring artist reaching out through her choice of mediums and technique to present uniquely imaginative visions that are both abstract and tangible.

Newly arrived on Salt Spring, Harrison first visited the island in 1985 and now has made it her home. A visual artist, poet and art therapist, she has been a welcome addition to ArtCraft. In this showcase presentation, two of her large liquefied acrylic canvases from her Elements series will be shown.

Reiss has worked with clay since 1992.

“For me it represents the ‘ground of being,’” she said. “It contains the earth’s entire

history from the beginning of time. We’re all connected here.”

Starting from an idea, she intuitively shapes the clay and then glazes it, hoping to create a balance, visualizing what the end result might be.

Through this sometimes frustrating work come startlingly original forms.

Searcy has been working with clay for many years.

“The clay has a life of its own and I keep my ideas open to what the slabs sug-

gest,” she said. “I never get tired of seeing the ‘story’ unfold as I throw out the slab over and over until it stretches to the proper thinness. It is this process that develops the texture, the folding and fracturing of the clay surface, which looks like a landscape in miniature. This is the essence of clay after all: a highly refined repository of timeless geographic process.”

The 1000 Words show continues daily until Wednesday, August 30.

Student combo gives farewell island show

Friday, August 25 offers music lovers the opportunity to bid farewell to a fabulous group of young singers with the fascinating name from Gulf Islands Secondary School (GISS).

Disappointed that Obmock members were too far-flung during the summer holidays to sing at Music and Munch, producers determined to present an evening performance as a farewell tribute to these talented students.

Obmock (combo backwards plus a “k”) was created when a few very keen singers got together with their GISS music teacher, Bruce Smith, just to sing. They rehearsed one afternoon a week, singing a capella. Smith found wonderful pieces for the group, designed to showcase different voices singing harmonically and unaccompanied by musical instruments. Soon, armed with an extensive repertoire, the group became

more independent, practising at home without Smith’s supervision (but always with his support).

It was not intended to be a performance group, but the few times that they did perform they were received enthusiastically. Visitors fortunate enough to hear their concert at Canada Day were thrilled and amazed.

Obmock was born, lived and will die this year since all of the members except one are Grade 12 students who are moving on in September.

Obmock is Sarah Howe, Jasmine Dine, Gwen Temmel, Elizabeth Cronin, Laura Stewart, Caroni Young and Brad Cronin.

Friday’s performance begins at 7:30 p.m. in All Saints church. Tickets are \$10 each (\$7 for students) and available at the All Saints church office (537-2171) Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to noon and at Acoustic Planet.

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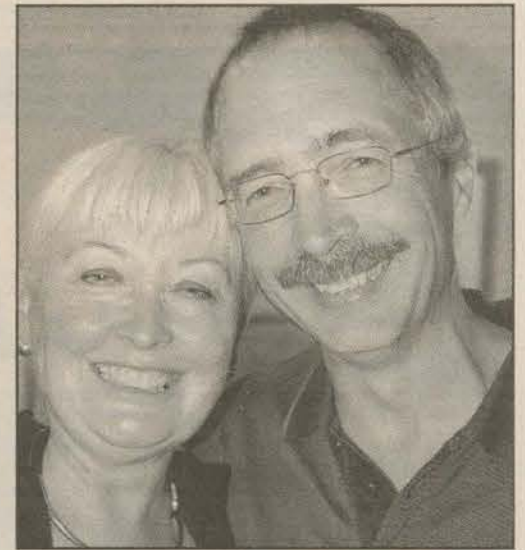
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Islanders IN FOCUS

THIS WEEK WE HIGHLIGHT:
The opening of Donna J. Hall's exhibit of new work at Thunderbird Gallery on Friday night.



Louis Watts and Alison Fenske enjoy some time together at the opening of the new Donna Hall exhibit at Thunderbird Gallery on Friday night.



At left, Tanya Grant serves up some wine, while above are Pearl Gray and Richard Weatherall.

DERRICK LUNDY PHOTOS



Signing the guest book, above left, is Morley Myers, while Mike Steffich, brother of gallery owner Matt Steffich, hangs out with the white eagle woman.



Above, Artist Donna J. Hall is seen with her partner Ron Watts. Below are Annie Bateman (left) and Jocelyn Ferguson.



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CURRYING FLAVOUR: Keeping busy at the first East Indian dinner held at the Core Inn Sunday night were, from left, chef Morgan Yirka, Holly Bryant, Tess Davignon and Jordan Johnston. The sold-out event saw 54 dinners served. Photo by Derrick Lundy

East Indian dinner sells out

Morgan Yirka's first Dash My Curry East Indian dinner was a smashing success, with 54 patrons served at the sold-out event.

The local chef wasn't sure what to expect for the inaugural dinner, held Sunday night in conjunction with the Core Inn with a percentage of the proceeds going to the youth centre.

Yirka felt the facility's well-equipped kitchen would be ideal for such a purpose and is excited to involve youth in preparing the meals.

She isn't sure when the next dinner will be held, but people can find out by calling the Core Inn at 537-9932, Yirka at 250-661-9203, or watching the Driftwood for further notices.

The next event will likely be served buffet style, said Yirka.

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Energetic Concordiae choir returns to Music & Munch

A cappella off-book singing is a specialty of the choral group coming to All Saints church on Wednesday, August 23 for the Music and Munch noon-hour program.

It will be the third consecutive summer appearance of Concordiae Chorus at this venue.

Concordiae is a self-formed, directed and managed group of young singers. With members attending a variety of different secondary and post-secondary schools they have still managed to actively rehearse and perform throughout the year.

All Concordiae members have received training

through the Surrey Children's Choir, where they originally met. The group has continued to use this musical experience to broaden the range of styles included in their repertoire, and to put their own mark into each song they sing.

Concordiae has performed at a wide variety of Lower Mainland events, including an annual Thanksgiving dinner for the homeless, the Spirit of the Sea festival, the Waterfront Concert Series, plus much farther north at the Kispiox Music Festival and a spring concert tour to the Prince George area. As well as volunteering their services, Concordiae also

provides music at various private functions.

These energetic young singers received a gold standing in addition to the award for the Most Promising Adult or Mixed Ages Community Choir at the Fraser Valley Kiwanis Festival this May and were invited to perform at the awards ceremony.

The group has also recorded three CDs, including a live recording of their second anniversary concert in July of last year.

The free recital begins at 12:10 p.m., followed by an optional lunch for \$5.50 provided by the Anglican Caterers.

Thorn show follows French exhibition

An exhibition of paintings and drawings by Erik and Miriam Thorn will be held in the ArtSpring gallery from August 22 to September 4.

Titled Images from Different Worlds, it can be viewed at the gallery from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day, with a reception held on Wednesday, August 23 from 3-6 p.m.

Erik Thorn, a keen naturalist, has studied in Canada, London (England) and Paris, and has sketched widely in North America,

Europe, Africa and New Zealand. He prefers to work directly outdoors.

His wife Miriam Thorn has studied, taught and pursued her art in New Zealand (her country of origin), London (England), Ottawa, Victoria and Africa. Her work is initially nature inspired.

The couple has recently returned from sharing an exhibition near Nice, France with a noted Korean/French artist friend of over 50 years, Seund-ja Rhee.

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256		CITY	Daily	Inside Ed	A Channel	News at 5		Report	Fortune	Jeopardy	7th Heaven		The Art of Woo (2001)	Sook-yin Lee		News	35 Daily
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253	359	CITY	969		Ellen DeGeneres	Daily	Friends	The Collector	Cinecity		Total Recall (1990)	Arnold Schwarzenegger		35 J. Leno			
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23		KSTW	WifeKids	Bernie M.	WifeKids	Bernie M.	70s	70s	Queens	Queens	Top Model	All Of Us	Half&Half	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	SouthPk	SouthPk
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THIS WEEK'S MOVIES

Salt Spring Driftwood: Main Movie Breakout for Aug 16, 2006 to Aug 22, 2006

- WEDNESDAY, AUG 16**
- 7:00 PM
★ ★ ★ Clean (2005, Drama) A drug-addicted mother, after serving time in jail, cleans up to get her child back. *Nick Nolte, Béatrice Dalle* (2h)
- 8:00 PM
★ ★ ★ Johnny English (2003, Comedy) An inept agent bungles his way through an investigation that uncovers a sinister plot. *Rowan Atkinson, Ben Miller* (2h)
- 8:30 PM
★ ★ ★ Doc Hollywood (1991, Comedy) A plastic surgeon's ambitious plans are turned around when he is stranded in a small town. *Michael J. Fox, Julie Warner* (2h)
- 9:00 PM
★ ★ The Perfect Marriage (2006, Thriller) A seductive con man uses his charm on Annie to kill her husband and split the inheritance. *Jamie Luner, William R. Moses* (2h)
- 9:30 PM
★ ★ The Art of Woo (2001, Romance) A gold-digging art curator falls for a starving artist, despite her desire to marry rich. *Sook-yin Lee, Alberta Watson* (2h)
- 10:00 PM
★ ★ ★ Total Recall (1990, Sci-Fi) A man journeys to Mars to piece together his identity after discovering an implanted chip. *Arnold Schwarzenegger, Sharon Stone* (2h35)
- 10:30 PM
★ ★ ★ Brotherhood of the Wolf (2001, Suspense) In 1765, a scientist and his Iroquois friend are sent to capture a murderous beast. *Samuel Le Bihan, Mark Dacascos* (2h45)
- 11:00 PM
★ ★ Slipstream (2005, Sci-Fi) A scientist plots a robbery by using a gadget that sends its user 10 minutes into the past. *Sean Astin, Vinnie Jones* (1h30)
- THURSDAY, AUG 17**
- 7:00 PM
★ ★ Supercross (2005, Action) Two brothers must compete against each other at the Las Vegas Motocross Championships. *Steve Howey, Mike Vogel* (1h30)
- 7:30 PM
★ ★ ★ Moms on Strike (2002, Family) A mother becomes a media sensation when she goes on strike to get her family's attention. *Faith Ford, Tim Matheson* (1h30)
- 8:00 PM
★ ★ ★ New Waterford Girl (1999, Comedy/Drama) A gifted teenager finds inspiration when a 15-year-old girl from New York moves in next door. *Liane Balaban, Tara Spencer-Nairn* (2h)
- 8:30 PM
★ ★ On Deadly Ground (1994, Action) An oil-rig firefighter is targeted for death after he discovers an illegal operation. *Steven Seagal, Michael Caine* (2h)
- 8:30 PM
★ ★ ★ Undertow (2004, Drama) A family in rural Georgia find their lives together changed by the arrival of a relative. *Dermot Mulroney, Christopher Bell* (2h)
- 9:00 PM
★ ★ ★ The Aviator (1985, Adventure) A pilot crashes his plane and is stranded with an adolescent in the middle of nowhere. *Christopher Reeve, Rosanna Arquette* (2h)
- 10:30 PM
★ ★ ★ Swimming Upstream (2002, Drama) Tony Fingleton attempts to win his father's respect by becoming a champion swimmer. *Geoffrey Rush, Judy Davis* (1h45)

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Denz uses postmodern sensibility and chance in her new mini works

At Stefanie Denz's opening of her fantastic new show at Salt Spring Woodworks last Friday, red dots were blooming like a rose bush in June.

In the show entitled Image Poems, Denz has turned in a new direction, speaking to her willingness to leap outside the box and create a new genre of art.

Though larger paintings that use mixed media to tell stories of a depth and perception that resonates with the viewer are available, she has also created a well-populated series of miniature paintings on distressed wood that is simply fabulous.

"We suggested to Stefanie to make some more small pieces," said Nick Hunt, who co-owns Salt Spring Woodworks along with his wife Celia Duthie, "and she came back with 140."

The paintings range from the largest at 8X10 inches to the smallest at 3X3.5 inches, and the subject matter varies. Single images of children, trees, buildings, men in suits, basically anything that strikes Denz's fancy — almost like a stream of consciousness poem with disparate images — are grouped on the walls.

Each painting stands alone as a description of her observations, evoking an emotional response that can

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WITH ANDREA RABINOVITCH



range from melancholy to delight. Strong colours and impressionistic brushwork use forms and shapes that speak to Denz's considerable skill gleaned from a masters in fine art and 20 years of work.

At the \$100 to \$200 price point, it makes owning a Denz totally doable. You can buy one or two or five and place them together or not. It's your choice.

Some of the small paintings are backed with magnets. Denz has used recycled galvanized metal, unearthed at the dump, as the base to paint on. Mountainscapes or the image from a wedding celebration card, or farm workers on a truck gleaned from a photograph she took in Mexico can be the subject matter. They are, once again, anything that captures her imagination and are completely random.

Three of the little paintings are then attached to the metal, creating instant collages. As an owner you can move the little paintings around to create the story that you feel like viewing at

a particular day or hour or moment.

Though you can't mix and match the small images to the backdrop since they are fixed to the particular painting, the placement changes the impact.

Denz is tapping into a postmodern sensibility using chance to create a piece that is constantly changing. Like modern dance pioneer Merce Cunningham, who, along with partner musician John Cage, would create sections of choreography and on performance night throw dice to determine the order, and then introduce a score that the dancers had never heard before, Denz is using chance to create something that exists in the moment.

With the world in constant flux, the only thing that we can do is to try to maintain equilibrium without letting fear rule. Somehow, looking at Denz's work helps.

Salt Spring Woodworks is located at 125 Churchill Road.

Just a clarification. Artbeat on the Rock is a

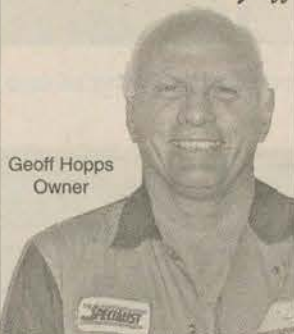
vehicle to motivate locals and visitors alike to frequent the myriad venues that show fine art on Salt Spring Island. Often, the writing in Artbeat is called "reviewing" when, in fact, I'm describing what I see without any personal, and therefore subjective, opinion involved. It is always positive, as my intention is to get people out to see art and to generate their own opinions.

As has been noted by numerous Driftwood readers and various individuals I talk to while shopping at Thrifty's, my theatre and dance reviews are indeed reviews where my opinion, such as it is, is given.

To our friends on Salt Spring!

"Thanks for stopping by!"

- Geoff



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Diamond tribute a must see

It's not quite the Real Neil Deal, but it is the next best thing to Neil Diamond.

Bill Zaalberg is a Neil Diamond tribute artist and he, along with his full band, will appear at ArtSpring in a show that promises to have people "rubbing their eyes and cleaning out their ears in disbelief" that it's not the real Neil Diamond.

Called Double Diamond, the Saturday, August 26 show is a fully orchestrated tribute to the famous performer.

Opening the show is "Tusk" — a Fleetwood Mac

tribute act featuring Victoria vocalist Laurie Belknap, along with several members from the main Diamond act.

Zaalberg said his show includes only seasoned, talented, hand-picked musicians who can put on a real polished tribute show with all the glam and glitter one might expect when going out for an exciting evening of Vegas-style entertainment.

"The show appeals to a wide variety of ages," said Zaalberg, as does the music. "We have spiced up all the arrangements with a sizzling brass section, back-up vocalists and

a tight rhythm section."

Audiences will hear classic hits like Coming to America, Love on the Rocks, Sweet Caroline, Cherry, Cherry, Forever in Blue Jeans, You Don't Bring me Flowers and many more top hits.

Since their 2002 debut in Victoria, the group has played to sold-out houses all over Vancouver Island and the mainland.

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Bon Acres tradition alive and well

The rich history of Bon Acres Farm is visually apparent from the moment I arrive. Antique farm equipment interspersed among the many rustic buildings and heritage apple trees are not mere props, however. "Most of the old equipment still works," Dr. Malcolm Bond says, as we watch his son, Andrew, harvesting barley from a half acre field on a 1952 Massey Harris combine.

Malcolm's father, Jesse Bond, purchased the farm in 1932, and later bought one of the first Ford Ferguson tractors on the island in 1940. "Half of the island came out to see them deliver it off of the ferry," recalls Malcolm. His father built the loading dock in the 1950's with a frost-free root cellar that could accommodate some 45 tons of potatoes and he continued to operate the farm till the mid 70's. Along with the Murakami farm, Jesse Bond remained one of the last large scale market gardeners on Salt Spring. Today, the farm is an eclectic blend of the traditional

and the modern. In addition to being the home to Malcolm's thriving veterinary clinic, the farm remains one of the most diverse and productive on the island. There are six acres of land under cultivation, not including hay and feed grains, with almost three acres devoted to sweet corn, two acres to pumpkins, and an acre to a wide assortment of vegetables, including winter squash, zucchini, green peppers, eggplant, beans, beets, and pickling cukes.

Garden vegetables are grown under black plastic to control weeds and eliminate the need for herbicides. Water is pumped from a sizable irrigation pond through drip lines directly to each plant.

"I've given some thought to actually resurrecting the valley to the same level of production that my dad had," says Malcolm. "There would be no money in it, but I'd do it as a demonstration project."

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Dr. Malcolm Bond, farm hand Tara Wilkinson, and pal St. John Smyth.

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Rory Johnston hangs out on the beach at Drummond Park, creating a castle in the sand.

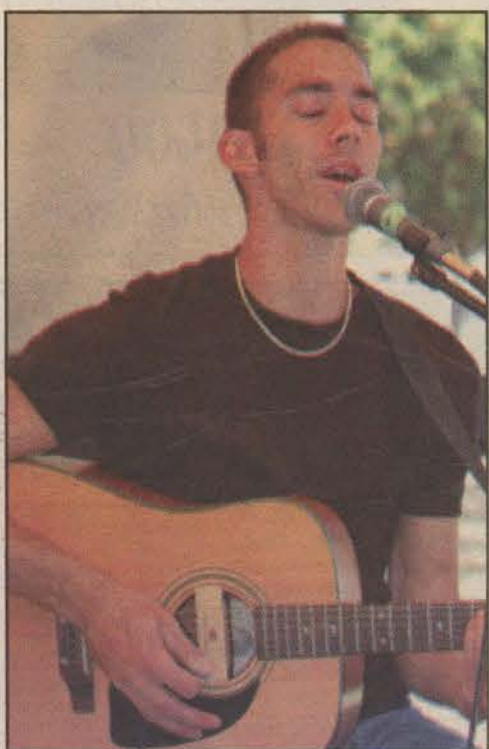
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Youngsters take part in morning fun races as Fulford Day kicks off.



Above left, Malaya, Jamil (centre) and Kaliya Hart-Weller enjoy watching all the activity; above right, Claude Miller makes a balloon creation.



At left, Anna Hoskins is seen at the bean toss; above centre is performer John Heath; and above right are Ajra Doobenen (left) and Emma Lewis wear balloon hats.

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Contrasts, contradictions succeed as Ora Cogan takes the stage

By STACY CARDIGAN SMITH
Driftwood Staff

Ex-Salt Springer Ora Cogan returned to the island late last month to kick off her tour and promote her new album, *Tatter*, at a concert held at the United Church in Ganges.

Approximately 60 people gathered to enjoy the show, which also featured performances by Ora's mother, Susan Cogan, and by Kris Hansen and Joel Fernandez, better known around Salt Spring as simply "Kris and Joel."

Ora was the evening's emcee. Dressed in a coral-coloured flapper-style dress (which she was given, along with an antique make-up compact, for good luck on her current tour by Frazey Ford of the Be Good Tanyas) and black combat boots, Ora's outfit seemed a contradiction in itself.

But this contradiction, of old versus young, tough versus delicate, soft versus hard, set the stage for the concert, which was filled with competing opposites that somehow managed to work.

First, there was the location of the concert at the church. More than once a musician commented on their anxiety at playing in the location.

Sarah Hanson, accompanying Ora on electric gui-

tar, was visibly nervous on stage, but was quick to make known the origin of her fear.

"I'm sorry, I'm a little warm," she said. "I'm feeling a little nervous about being in a church."

Kris and Joel played the crowd-pleaser *Beautiful Women*, but not before warning the all-ages group of the song's somewhat explicit lyrics. After the show, Joel was heard exclaiming, "I can't believe I played *Beautiful Women* in a church!"

The pairing of mother and daughter in the show was also somewhat contradictory. Both were thrilled at playing in the same show, and they provided an interesting juxtaposition.

Then there is Ora's voice: It sounds both old and young at once; slow and methodic, but spellbinding. It is so complex you're forced to stop to see how she will manipulate it next.

She played a variety of songs from her current album and her previous one, called *Sparrow*, as well as "some from the next one" that have yet to be recorded.

Ora and Sarah have played together for only six months. They literally met at home in Vancouver as neighbours.

Ora began her set with *Sparkling Ground*, a song from *Tatter* which she wrote while in Israel. The song

highlighted her voice well, however, given the stifling heat in the church, she might have been better to start with something a tad more upbeat.

Although the set was short, it was quite enjoyable and included a few slightly more up-tempo songs including *Worry*, which also appears on her newest album. At one point Kris and Joel also joined Ora onstage for a bluesy duet.

Susan, a long-time performer, played six songs in both English and Hebrew to open the show.

The most memorable was the last, which she wrote when younger than Ora. Despite forgetting the lyrics and having to briefly pause half way through the song, Susan got the crowd singing and clapping. When she sang "Go climb a mountain . . . And roll down the hillside," her voice rolled over the notes.

Kris and Joel played a variety of songs that would be familiar to anyone who has seen them at the Tree House. However, the church acoustics made their set all the more impressive.

Tatter is a quiet and mellow collection of 10 songs, with most consisting of only Ora singing and playing guitar. Backup vocals in a few songs are provided by Trish Klein and Frazey Ford, and

banjo accompaniment on one song by Trish Klein.

Her voice is haunting on the recording; you half-way expect to hear the old-time crackling of an LP record while listening to *Tatter*. The album leaves you not sure whether you should relax and enjoy Ora's bewitching voice, or break down and cry during songs such as *Daisy*. Yet another beautiful contradiction.

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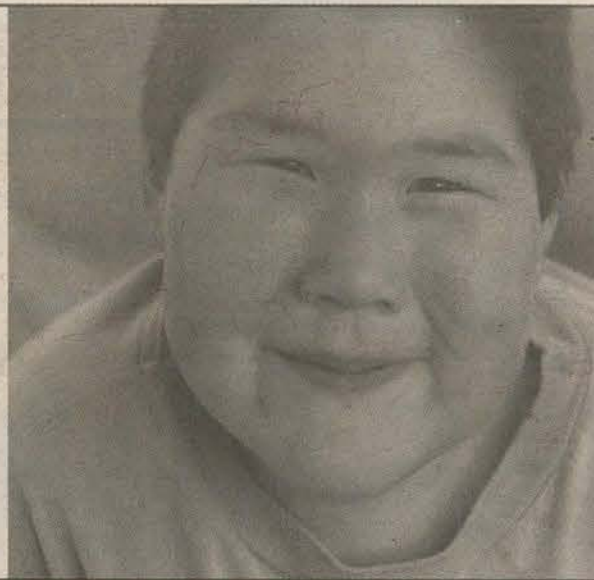
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This Week's Horoscope

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Aries (Mar 21 - Apr 20)

A serious focus on play continues. Perhaps you are already aware that the heat can only last so long and you want to get the most of it. Maybe you have been busy doing some serious partying. Amidst it all, you may have experienced some confusion and disillusionment and even demoralizing events. Deceptive actions coming from others close by is a reminder to be that much more self-aware and conscientious. Learning to be one's own best friend is important because outer friendships change. This does not mean be selfish. Rather, it means cultivate deep self-respect. Meanwhile, rejoice as new realizations see the light of day.

Taurus (Apr 21 - May 20)

You are an artist at your core. Cultivating this awareness and expressing your talents is the call. Yours is a vision of ideal beauty based on change, renovation or transformations of some kind. Facing and moving towards what you fear is ideal so that you realize how much fear might be controlling and limiting you. Dealings with people, perhaps clients, are a reminder that people are not always clear nor do they always think straight. This could be a reminder about not making assumptions. Measure twice and cut once is the carpenter's golden rule; how might this apply to your situation? Put your heart in your work and concentrate on excellence.

Gemini (May 21 - Jun 21)

The heat is on and you can feel it. Your mind and creative imagination have been ignited by creative new ideas and inspiring people and places. At worst, your ideals and expectations have undergone some disappointment of late. Don't take things too personally and recognize that expectations are unconscious impositions revealing a mind ahead of its body! Letting go of control and accepting what is or what you cannot reasonably change and maintaining your creative center, that is the call. On the other hand, making changes at home or in your lifestyle in general may be necessary and will put you in tune.

Cancer (Jun 22 - Jul 22)

Creating a more joyful experience of life implies sincere efforts. Making investments has many levels. Sometimes it is literal like buying property; at other times it is more about focusing upon building more confidence; while at others it is about the time and energy required to cultivate skills and talents; while at other times yet it is about making sincere efforts to clear away limiting beliefs and behaviour patterns. In any case, this theme is strong. Patience is a keyword overall. So too is courage. Let your imagination guide and be willing to see what you were unable to see before.

Leo (Jul 23 - Aug 23)

With the Sun, Saturn, Mercury and Venus all in your sign now there is bound to be a healthy measure of drama going on. Reflections and projections from the past may be evident now. This may constitute a rather serious reckoning. Deep changes may be required and this is a spiritual call, above all. Awakening to buried treasure, hidden agendas or sleeping secrets may be challenging. What ever you awaken to, remember the healing power of love. Also, consider that if it is on your stage, it is your reflection and rather than try to change it or others look within for answers and guidance. Take initiative towards promising new leads.

Virgo (Aug 24 - Sep 22)

Doing work behind the scenes is now in focus. Outer involvements and expressions will have less appeal. Creative activity in private will ring the bell. Mixing inner and outer activity may be even that much more accurate. Go out, then within and alternate as necessary. If you feel overloaded, take space. Periods of silence, meditation and sanctuary is important. Creative outlines or actual writing or perhaps stage performances that allow you to hide behind a mask or role are all ideal activities now. Whatever you do, be willing to be flexible and allow for new perspectives. Play with the possibilities.

Libra (Sep 23 - Oct 22)

Creating alternatives of one kind or another is in the spotlight. This means exercising an open mind and seeking creative resolutions. Empathy is ever important in this regard and a central life lesson. Empathy is a form of emotional intelligence and implies knowing your priorities well and then sincerely inquiring about the same in others in your life or on your stage. While this sounds idyllic, consider that if you do not take an empathetic approach you may be forced to attend to certain situations with increased pressure, obligation and stress. You can make choices and the best ones imply creative cooperation.

Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov 21)

Opportunity and reality are both knocking at your door. Addressing both is necessary and this is where good boundaries come to the fore. Taking calculated risks is part of the plot. Knowing what you can do, should do and must do may require some reflection; but is there time? Sometimes we have to think and act quickly letting things unfold as they will, and this may be one of those times. Unexpected changes and disruptions on relationship fronts and/or in your career could go either way. This is a good time to request favours and/or earned rewards so if you have any rain checks for favours now is probably the time to use them.

Sagittarius (Nov 22 - Dec 21)

An exuberant and playful mood overall continues. That you may have to work could douse the flames, yet may also bring more sunshine to your day. You know people tend to lie and blame and cheat and so forth, it is all part of the game of life, so don't take it personally when it happens to you and do your best not to commit the same mistakes. You know what happens with what goes around. It is just a question of time before your just rewards come your way. Deep faith is a cornerstone of wisdom. Avoid vengeful attitudes and trust in spiritual law. To stay sane and centered, keep laughing along with the crazy game of life.

Capricorn (Dec 22 - Jan 19)

Just because it is summer that does not mean that things are supposed to be easy and breezy. This unfortunate fact can be quite sobering; can you deal with it while enjoying the weather? Neither too high nor low is a sensible approach to life, keeping you even and grounded. Encourage others to consider the wisdom or fairness of their emotional reactions, yet do not push them because it will probably backfire. Commitment is the big word now and it may well require that you loosen any attachments, especially to your possessions and holdings. Love binds so make important agreements clear and consider a signature and a witness or two.

Aquarius (Jan 20 - Feb 19)

Making commitments of one kind or another on relationship fronts continues. Completing one thing in order to make a fresh start in another is a likely scenario. Financial issues and/or ambitions are prompting heated discussions or much thought and creative brainstorming. Fortunately, inspiring creative ideas are coming your way. Avoid excess pride and rebellion and be open to suggestions and assistance. Fulfilling your ambitions will require sincere effort, are you up to it? Perhaps above all, make room for love and art in your life and be receptive because opportunities of this kind are now available.

Pisces (Feb 20 - Mar 20)

Creating a more wholesome state implies body, mind and emotions. Exercise regularly even if it means going for a walk. Clear negative self-talk and outer language as they produce negative attitudes. Like yourself and do not take things too personally. Avoid negative people and situations and disengage as you can. You cannot please all the people so do not try and accept that there will always be an antagonist or two close by. Above all, accept yourself and your limitations and know when to yield or bow out. To defend against negativity coming your way, drop your mind into your heart and hold it there. These are a few examples of how to create and maintain good health.

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Oh, of course. An e-mail beta test.

There are only two valid philosophical responses to an e-mail like this: "Yeah." And "Right."

Hard to believe there are sentient humans out there credulous enough to fall for something as palpably phony as this. Still, it does help to explain how George Bush got elected twice.

Okay, once.

It also helps to explain the continuing popularity of Urban Legends. You know — modern folklore — wildly improbable stories that travel at the speed of light, precisely because the people who tell them are so utterly convinced they're gospel. Most often, the teller insists that the

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event happened to their cousin's boyfriend or an uncle's ex-wife or to "a friend of a friend."

That's why a lot of Urban Legend collectors refer to these tales as FOAF's — Friend-Of-A-Friend stories.

You know the ones I mean: stories about a woman poisoned by spiders nesting in her beehive hairdo; stories about cement-filled Cadillacs, microwaved Chihuahuas and kids decapitated by a ceiling fan while jumping on a hotel bed.

Never happened — any one of them. Simple common sense would tell you that.

And how about that totally ridiculous story of Larry, the guy who attached 42 helium balloons to an aluminum lawn chair in his girlfriend's backyard and, armed with a six-pack and a pellet pistol, soared to 16,000 feet over Los Angeles? The story claimed he stayed aloft for an hour and a half and was spotted, in flight, by the pilots of at least two airliners. Legend had it that Larry executed a controlled descent by shooting out selected helium balloons with his air pistol. But only after his feet started to get cold.

Can you believe anyone in the world could be gullible enough to fall for a tall tale like that?

Well... actually folks... that one is true.

Outlandish as it sounds, there was a guy — a Los Angeles truck driver named Larry Walters — who, on July 2, 1982 actually did all of the above — and lived to talk about it on the David Letterman Show. He almost didn't make it. Some of his balloons got snarled in power lines and caused a blackout in an L.A. residential neighbourhood. Larry could have been, quite literally, toast, but his chair cleared the lines and he and his lawn chair came in for a three-point landing.

Officers from the Federal Aviation Agency were waiting for him. They'd never had to deal with a flying lawn chair before, but they improvised brilliantly. Walters was charged with "reckless operation of an aircraft," "failure to stay in communication with the tower" and (my favourite) "flying a civil aircraft for which there is not currently in effect an airworthiness certificate." They dinged him 1,500 bucks for his little adventure.

Could have been worse. Could have been like Patrick Lawrence, a 27-year-old unemployed wallboarder who was arrested in a pumpkin patch on the outskirts of Macon, Georgia last month. The charge: public intoxication, public indecency, and also lewd and lascivious behaviour.

The reality: Patrick Lawrence was arrested for... having his way... with a pumpkin.

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The Restaurant and Lounge's extensive menu features something for everyone. Opening daily at 7 am, stop by for breakfast, served until 11am during the week

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Lunch begins at 11 am daily. If you are looking for something light, try the Diva Salad with Chicken or Salmon, (very popular with the locals!), Smoked Salmon or Crab Cakes, Coconut Prawns or the Salt Spring Pate which is warm Salt Spring goat cheese, basil & red peppers, served with roasted garlic, pesto oil & crostini's. Absolutely delicious! For the more hardier appetite, choose from the excellent Pasta Dishes, Homemade Turkey Dinner, large BurgerSection, Salmon or

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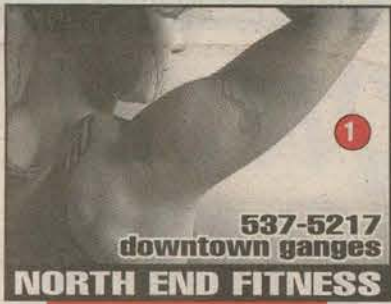
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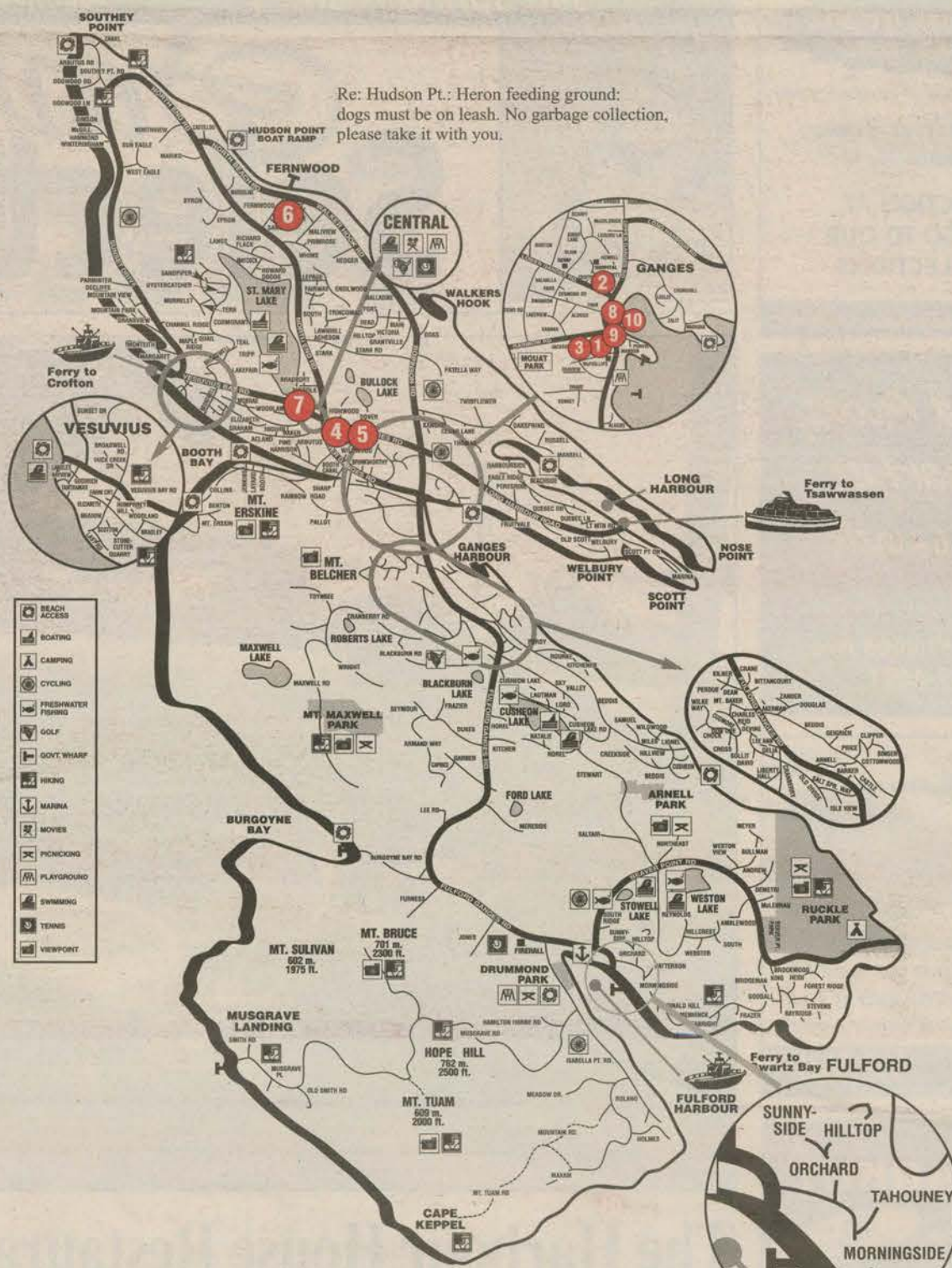
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