

Princeton business community goes western

Cowboys, cowgirls, one dance hall girl (photo right), a Northwest Mounted Police Constable, a deputy, and the elusive George Edwards (better known as Bill Miner) gathered at the Community Skills Centre on Friday morning. They were there to declare Princeton is a western town.

Recreation Director Lyle Thomas spoke in favour of the western theme and asked for a show of hands in favour of the theme. The western theme was enthusiastically endorsed by local business people.

The meeting generated action. People volunteered, without hesitation, to work on committees to further the heritage park concept, the highway beautification project, and the western theme.

Steve Brodie was a guest speaker and outlined, with restrained optimism, what needs doing. He received full support from those gathered.

Keith Simmonds, Harry Lali's assistant, said, "Princeton is close to Harry Lali's heart."

Simmonds commended people in Princeton for doing a great deal to encourage tourism. He emphasized that people working as a group to see the work is done is most effective. He outlined places where money could be obtained for the projects, including a special fund for communities where mines have shut down. He added that there are companies calling Hope to find a place with land available to relocate these companies, and hinted Princeton should look for companies wanting to leave the lower mainland.

"The key is to work together," he concluded.

Working together appeared to be the goal of the people who attended the business breakfast. Brodie asked for a show of hands of people who would go out and physically do some work on highway

beautification, and most of the people raised their hands in support of Brodie's initiative.

Cst. Mike Fox, dressed in red serge, joined the spirit of the western theme with a warning about Bill Miner, alias (locally)

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ALR threatens Cawston's sawmill

CAWSTON - The Agricultural Land Commission (ALR) has ordered T & D Sawmill dismantled and moved by July 1. The mill takes raw logs and turns them into pre-cut log home packages to be sold in the United States. They are a partner of Sierra Log Homes.

Dave and Tom Lusted started the sawmill hoping to "break even" and make a living for a few people. They employ 18 people full-time, and if they did not have this ALR problem to deal with, they could add six more employees. They are successful.

A complaint to the ALR generated an investigation and the order to remove the industry from the land. The sawmill is not considered suitable for agricultural land. There are some ironies in this decision.

To understand the irony, it is necessary to understand the history of the farmland the Lusted family bought in 1953. According to Dave Lusted, it grew rocks (a familiar story in the Similkameen Valley). Dave's father went to local sawmills (yes, they had sawmills back then), loaded his

truck with sawdust and chips, took it home and ploughed it into what soil there was. Year after year, they removed rocks and spread sawdust in order to create soil. Now, they are told that sawdust and chips are not good for the soil.

The other irony is this: once their sawmill was in operation, they could not keep up with the demand from farmers for sawdust. Farmers use it in feed lots, barns and under their fruit trees. Eventually, the sawdust goes back into the soil on local farms. It is in such great demand that farmers order it and pay for it.

The Lusteds are planning to appeal the order to remove the sawmill. They have a lot of support from the community in the form of 800 signatures on a petition protesting the ALR order.

According to Councillor S. Hecock, of Keremeos Village Council, the Lusted's sawmill is the biggest year-round, full-time employer in the South Similkameen.

MLA Bill Barisoff is sympathetic to the Lusteds, but only to the point of trying to find an alternative site for the sawmill.

"It's not easy," Dave Lusted says, "The ALR froze all of the land in this part of the valley."

There is one exception: reserve land. At this time, Lusted is not ready to explore a longterm lease with Lower Similkameen Indian Band, although he employs some native workers, and has thought about reserve land as an alternative.

The logs come from the Princeton area, and Lusteds do the logging, including logs salvaged from Lawless Creek fire. The Lusteds want to keep the jobs as close to Cawston as they can. That is where they own land.

"The trouble is, we're on the wrong land," Lusted says, "but
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Management at the News Leader was shocked last week on learning that advertising staff member Barb Fraser, above, was moonlighting as a dance hall floozie at the Gold Nugget Saloon. She has gone 'western' in a big way.

Senior Citizens plan health protest

PRINCETON - Eric Jacobson took the microphone and said, "I find it difficult to describe what is happening to Princeton without using profanity."

His words accurately describe the kind of emotions running through a 80-strong crowd at the Senior Citizens Branch 30 regular meeting. They were hostile over reports of a recommendation made in the White/Mantle report called "Utilization Management Review" for Princeton General Hospital. Recommendation #6 states "Close 10 acute care beds and pursue creation of more continuing care beds."

Don Coyle began the discussion by presenting facts and figures about the additional population using Princeton General Hospital. He noted 464 provincial campsites, plus forestry campsites, private campsites, people from Hedley, and summer residents. He

pointed out that Highway 5A averages 550-600 vehicles per day year round, and Highway 3 averages 3000 per day, bumping up to 4000 per day in August. Coyle added 273 hotel/motel units often filled with people attending Princeton's many sports events such as snowmobiling and ball games.

"All of this is on top of our regular population," Coyle noted. Coyle wondered if both Penticton and Kelowna would have beds cut as they are complaining of being over-crowded.

In closing, Coyle commented on cuts in home support, which puts more people in the hospital.

Monty Raine questioned the rationale for cutting acute care beds.

"Ten beds in Ridgewood Lodge looks after 10 people for a year," he stated, "and 10 acute care beds
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Weather Watch

Princeton area Keremeos area

Feb.	High	Low	Precip	High	Low	Precip
8	2.2	-5.2	1 cm snow	5	-1	
9	0.5	-6.6		3	-5	
10	-1.3	-15.5	trace snow	4	-5	sleet
11	3.2	-12.3		5	-6	
12	6.7	-6.7		7	-6	
13	7	-4.7		9	-7	
14	5.2	-7		8	-4	

FORECAST:

Wed-Mainly cloudy, 60% chance flurries or showers low -2, high 6

Thurs-Mainly cloudy, few flurries or showers, low -2, high 4

Fri.- Mainly cloudy, 30% chance showers, low 0, high 6

Normals: low -4, high 4

February 19 - Sunrise 6:58 a.m. Sunset: 5:36 p.m. Daylight: 10:38 hrs. equal to October 22.

Princeton goes western

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George Edwards. Miner lived in Princeton during his notorious train robberies. Known as George Edwards, he was a favourite citizen. He was considered a gentleman, enjoyed dances, and appreciated women. Cst. Fox described Miner's attributes, warning people against harbouring this criminal. He further denied any family connection with the "Grey Fox".

Cst. Fox appointed champion rodeo rider Kenny McLean his deputy. At the beginning of the meeting, Deputy McLean, on horseback, handed out "Wanted" posters as people approached the door to the Skills Centre. McLean and some of the best shots in the country are ready to form a posse at a moment's notice to pursue and apprehend Miner.

"There will be no lynching," Cst. Fox warned.

Chamber of Commerce President Ernie Willis accepted Mayor Randy McLean's invitation to speak.

"This goes to show how little it takes to create an atmosphere," Willis began, indicating the people at the gathering in western wear and the western decorations in the room.

Willis went on to promote a friendly welcome, and training for employees who meet the public, suggesting SuperHost as a good training vehicle.

Cawston mill threatened

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there's no other land. What are you supposed to do?"

What is really frustrating to the Lusted family was this: they worked like slaves at farming, creating soil where there was little, planting trees, dealing with all kinds of problems, and they found they could not make a decent living. In order to survive, they sold off pieces of their land. Finally, they decided to start the sawmill. It is a success, it is better than they thought it could be, it has brought jobs to the depressed South Similkameen, and now the government wants to shut them down.

Lusted is quick to say the people who made the decisions are all well-qualified and know their own areas of expertise, but adds, "Do they know the Similkameen?"

"I find it totally distasteful that we have to stay on farmland because they call it farmland, but we can't make a living from farming the land," says Lusted. "We are being forced by government. I remember when we had three sawmills in Keremeos and Cawston, seven garages, even a movie theatre, and look at us now. We've got nothing."



Constable Mike Fox gives a complete briefing about notorious outlaw Bill Miner, warning business people that Miner is in the neighbourhood and the Northwest Mounted Police will not look kindly on anyone harbouring the "Grey Fox".

Seniors' protest

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can serve hundreds of people a year."

He further questioned how it could save money if local people had to go somewhere else to get a bed in hospital, as many people would not be able to drive if ill.

Dean Stinson told a real horror story of trying to move a critically ill older person to a hospital for emergency treatment, and the tremendous waste of money and resources involved in what were heroic efforts by local personnel. His comments about the current health system are unprintable.

Ed Cook, an elderly resident who served on the hospital board for many years, reviewed some of the history of the hospital, noting the tremendous efforts made by local people to have a hospital in 1911

and the sacrifices made by the community, through the years, to raise local funds to ensure the hospital is always up to date.

A man went to the microphone to point to the hospital as a key factor in people selecting Princeton as a place to live after retiring from a lower mainland job. He said Princeton area would lose population in two ways - some would leave, and others would not choose Princeton area without a hospital.

There were many more comments about what to do, but everyone agreed the best thing would be to start writing letters to the Minister of Health, Harry Lali (MLA), Community Health Advisory Committee, and Regional Health Board.

Judge rules against guns

PRINCETON - Gary Robert Eriksson, age 41, of Hedley, appeared in Provincial Court in Princeton to plead guilty to a charge of unsafe storage of firearms. The charge arose on October 2, 1998, as a result of concerns by a neighbour that he was planning to kill himself. He had been drinking and phoned to say he was going to "pull the pin". The person called the police.

Police found Eriksson in bed, drunk, and found a rifle and a

shotgun under the bed, along with some ammunition. Police seized the guns and took Eriksson to the hospital for his own safety.

Eriksson told the court he had not meant he was going to commit suicide, but that he was going to leave his wife.

There was no record of violence within the family.

Judge H. Stansfield ordered a one-year probation with an 18-month firearms prohibition.

Cutlass stolen on Flats

PRINCETON - On Tuesday, February 9, police responded to a complaint from a resident of Luard Avenue that his vehicle had been stolen overnight. The vehicle, a 1982-Cutlass Supreme, was taken between 10:00 p.m. February 8 and 7:30 a.m.

February 9. The vehicle licence number is FPM-126. The Cutlass is blue with a white roof. Anyone seeing this vehicle, or having any information regarding the theft, is asked to call Princeton RCMP at 295-6911 or CRIMESTOPPERS.

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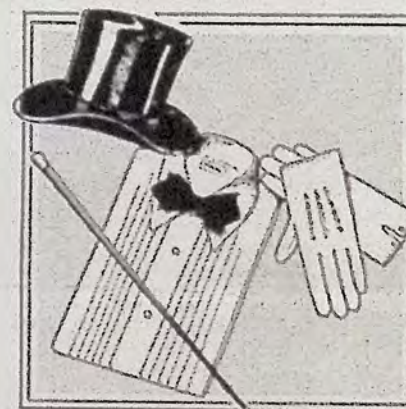
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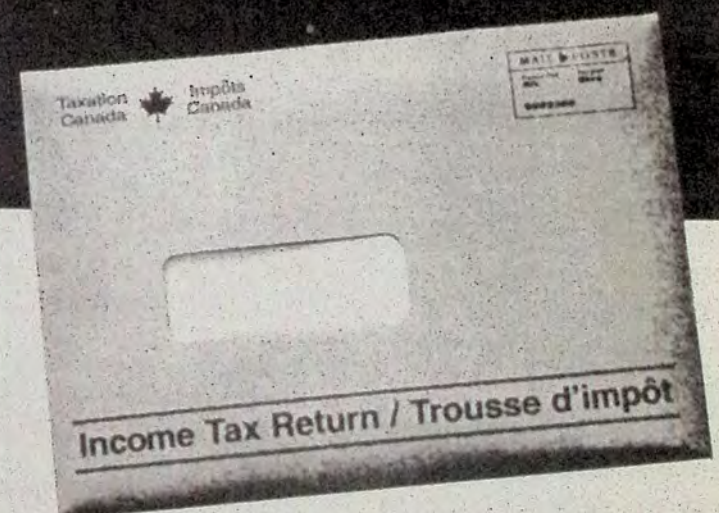
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Learning arts and crafts can be a messy business, but it is fun, too. These John Allison Elementary students are learning how to make papier maché.

Local artisans teach for a day

PRINCETON - Students at John Allison Elementary School had a wonderful afternoon on Thursday, February 11. They learned all kinds of art and craft techniques. It was Artisans Day, featuring a host of community volunteers willing to spend time to teach youngsters.

Merrilyn Huycke and Gail Smart taught spinning. John Sandness taught youngsters to tie trout flies. Leanne Petschl and Katy Adams taught methods of working with clay to create sculptures. Meghan Barry had the youngsters up to their elbows in papier maché. Luke Smith showed how to play guitar and drums, Patrick LePoidevin taught bagpipe, Karen Smart taught flute and piano, and Agnes Newman taught accordion.

Meghan Lee and Becky Allen showed how to paint pictures, and Gloria Schubert taught how to make collage valentines.

Elaine Holland taught origami, the art of folding paper to create three-dimensional images.

Meredith Porter demonstrated woodworking techniques.

The students and their volunteer teachers enjoyed each other. Best of all, the students learned a wide variety of skills to take into the future.



Students at John Allison Elementary School learned about arts and crafts last Thursday. Above, they learn how to make a spinning wheel work by pressing the treadle.

Museum members give Pollard wing green light

PRINCETON - An ambitious project - building a new wing on the museum to display the Joe Pollard fossil collection - received the enthusiastic support of Museum Society members at the February 9 meeting.

Don Coyle had measured the fossil cases at the Pollard home, and found they are one metre wide, two metres tall and require 19 metres of wall space in length. The museum basement is not suitable as a display area as it is not wheelchair accessible.

Photographs of the collection

extent of the collection and the number of display cases.

Councillor Kathleen Clement made a motion to start a Pollard collection fund, and the motion passed. Shirley Pollard, who donated her late husband's extensive collection, expressed satisfaction at the decision.

The Museum Society can issue tax deductible receipts. Donations may be sent to the society at Box 281, Princeton, with Pollard collection specified. Society members will prepare a proposal to present to the public.

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Little Scoop: View from Youth

Groundhog death was bad taste

So in a little town in Ontario named Warton a tragedy took place. Warton Willie, the Canadian woodchuck who we look to every February 2nd to tell us the fate of our Canadian winter was found dead. That was tragic, but even more tragic was the way the event co-ordinators handled the situation.

First of all Willie was found dead earlier in the week, not the morning of February 2nd. When they found the poor groundhog, they decided that they couldn't risk the

tourism dollars and decided to wait until that morning and tell everyone then by holding a memorial service. Second, the stuffed rodent in the open casket was not actually Willie, but a stand in. Again the organizers decided that it would be better to have an open casket and to do that they needed a stand in. Apparently the real carcass of Willie was much to pungent for the observers, as it was found long after its actual death. "Nobody would have wanted to

be in the room with the actual Willie," said Sam Brouwer, the animal's caretaker who discovered Willie on Sunday, January 31.

The worst part of this story is how the event organizers justified their actions and tried to make the event sound worthwhile. "Society is pushing the open-casket concept, for closure," said event co-ordinator Bill Walker, "People need to see the body to believe it. Death is a part of the life cycle, and this is a way for children to learn about that."

Not only was the parading of the animal carcass in front of TV cameras in bad taste, these people are making decisions they have no right to make. I believe that it is up to a child's parents to decide when and how their children learn about death. These people had no right to substitute the impromptu funeral in place of the regular Groundhog Day festivities. Parents who brought their children were not given a choice whether their kids would see the open groundhog casket and learn about its death or not. Responsible people would have given these parents some warning so that they could decide for themselves whether or not their children were ready for such an experience. It's just sad that this whole thing happened because some townspeople were worried about losing tourist revenues.

I hope this town is no longer included in the festivities, but I doubt very much that will happen. These people abused their privileges, as the honorary community that hosts the festivities they should have thought first about what impact their actions might have had instead of thinking about the bottom line.

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Keremeos youth dance workshop

by Laurel Arnold

KEREMEOS - On Friday, February 19, a youth dance troupe whose members come from a variety of cultural, religious and racial backgrounds will put on a free public show at Similkameen Elementary Secondary School elementary gym.

The dancers are all students from the Maxwell Baha'i International School on Vancouver Island. Through dance, they will share the ideals of social harmony, equality and human dignity.

Doors will open at 7:30 p.m. and the show will begin at 8:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome and the audience is invited to visit with the dancers after the performance.

African doctor joins Dr. Adams in March

Dr. Susanne Erasmus is "looking forward to getting away from the heat."

She is waiting for her visa to come to Princeton to join Dr. John Adams' family medicine practice. Dr. Adams expects her to arrive in early March.

Dr. Erasmus visited Princeton in October to see homes and schools, as well as to examine what her professional position would entail. She will be bringing her husband and three sons, age 13, 10 and 2.

In Nelspruit, South Africa, Dr. Erasmus has privileges at a private hospital and a state hospital. She is in a private general practice where she does community medicine. She has a specialty in tropical medicine and industrial medicine, as well as ultrasound. Her group has a clinic and casualty service with clinics in major local



Dr. Susanne Erasmus

industries.

Dr. Erasmus likes general practice. Women and children make up 60 per cent of her practice.

She is a graduate of the University of Pretoria, and did her residency in Pretoria Academic Hospital.

BC job growth tops in 90's

VICTORIA - The British Columbia economy led the country in employment growth over the past decade, creating more than 349,000 new jobs, according to Employment and Investment Minister Mike Farnworth and Finance Minister Joy MacPhail.

"Employment in British Columbia rose by more than 22 per cent from 1989 to 1998," said Farnworth. "That's the best record of any province and more than double the average rate for Canada as a whole."

"British Columbia created 25 per

cent of all the new jobs in Canada over the past decade," said MacPhail. "And, despite the economic challenges facing our resource sector, our province's employment grew by a respectable 3.1 per cent in 1998."

Employment in Canada grew by 10.8 per cent from 1989 to 1998. Other provinces that recorded double-digit employment growth were Alberta, which saw 20.6 per cent growth, New Brunswick, which saw 12.7 per cent growth, and Prince Edward Island, which saw 11.7 per cent growth.

Snowmobile threatens skier

PRINCETON - A young cross country skier was forced to jump to safety on Saturday, February 7, when a snowmobile roared down China Ridge Cross Country Ski Trail while she was skiing.

An older person accompanying her stopped the unlicensed snowmobile and questioned the driver. He stated he was from Princeton and was reported as saying he had never heard of China Ridge ski

trail, although the trail is clearly marked.

The snowmobiler refused to give his name and drove away.

The cross country ski trail area was sanctioned and designated for ski use by B.C. Forest Service Recreation many years ago. The trail is out of bounds to snowmobiles because of the hazard to skiers who may be using the trail.

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If you are interested in being nominated as an RHB director and would like a nomination package, please contact the OSHR office at (250) 862-4200. Nominations close on Monday, March 15, 1999.



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Don Coyle, left, receives his life membership card to Senior Citizens Branch 30, presented by President Ray Jarvis, with many thanks for outstanding contributions through the years.

Libraries host 'Freedom to Read' Week

This is Freedom to Read Week. It is a recognition of the dangers of censorship and banning books. It is recognized at all public libraries.

Keremeos Public Library encourages readers to look up censorship in Canada on the net at www.pencanada.ca/censor/censor/htm

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All of us write real history

PRINCETON - The family history book is really "in the works" now. Histories and photos are being compiled to meet publisher's requirements. The actual pages are now being produced. June Kolbe has volunteered to assist with proofreading.

There is still plenty of time to send in your family history, as June 30 is the final date. Send to RR#1, S25 C4, Princeton, B.C. VOX 1W0 or drop off at the News Leader.

Families will be listed alphabetically in the book, so that the book will be an easy reference for future generations. Some brief stories will be included, and welcomed as part of family history.

The selling prices of the books depend on the number printed. The number printed depends on advance orders. There is a form at the News Leader for advance orders. A deposit should be made with each order.

If only 1,000 books are ordered, the price will be \$44.99 plus GST and freight. If 1,500 are printed, the price will be \$34.21 plus, and if 2,000 are printed, the price will be \$28.83 plus GST and freight. The more books ordered, the lower the cost of each book.

What will this book be like when it is finished?

It will be the "Who's Who" of Princeton area, past and present, if everyone does their homework and submits something about their family.

Diane Huey has been going to the Senior Citizens Hall on Tuesdays to talk to people about their families and their history. What kind of questions does she ask? She wants to know:

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Prosperity is for all of us

Much time, energy and effort by local business people and Town Council to find ways of improving business may seem a waste to those who do not fully understand the impact of more prosperous businesses. Prosperity for one should equal prosperity for all. Often, we are so caught up in our individual fights to survive, we forget community survival depends on all of us.

We are in this together – our world, our nation, our province and our community. When one part does well, all do well.

How we can improve business is an important question for everyone who wants to go on living in this valley or making a living here. We need an attitude change. We have to look at what business and industry mean to a community, and we have to look at what makes a community thrive.

It is easy to sit back and say, "What do I care about Joe's gas station down the road? I have to tend to my own business."

What we need to see is that, if Joe and his employees no longer have money, they will no longer shop in any business, nor buy any services, nor pay any taxes. When enough owners and employees no longer have money to spend, all of us will be out of business and none of us will have anything.

Business and industry create paycheques, and paycheques oil the gears of business and industry. The marketplace and the workplace are part of the circle of production and consumption. All of us live in each other's pocketbooks. Perhaps the successful fast food restaurant does nothing, on the surface, to create employment for the electrician, but the employees will be able to buy the electrician's services, and the electrician will be able to buy a car, and the car salesman may be able to buy real estate. Every job generates another job.

Everybody talks about the need for more jobs, but we need to keep in mind that jobs are about business and industry having the consumers who make it possible to create jobs. One feeds the other.

The change in attitude means seeing the circle of the marketplace as not only business and industry, but as essential to survival in today's world. Whatever we do to improve business and industry, we do for our own benefit.

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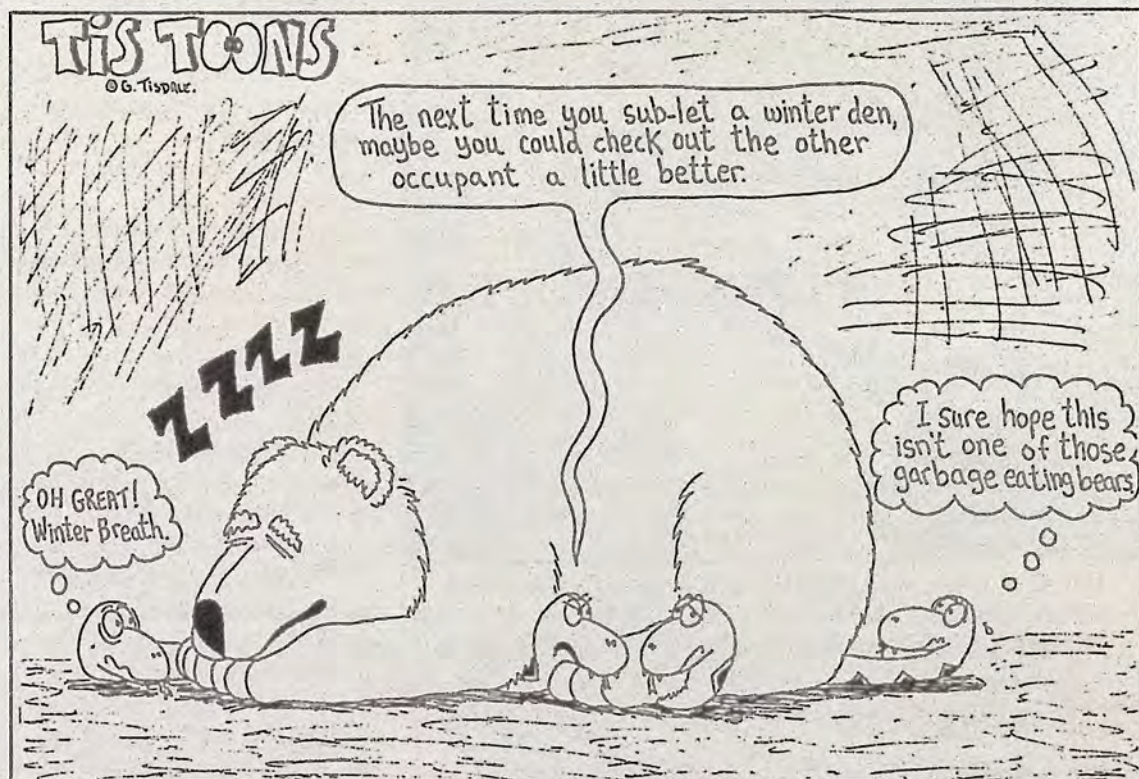
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YOUR VIEW

Resident measures the distance between truth and politics

Dear Editor;

I am afraid now that politicians have the right to lie to the public during a political campaign. The Supreme Court has thrown out a law that made lying during a political campaign a crime.

It was said that, in this field, every person must be his or her own watchman for truth.

Our forefathers did not trust any government to separate the true from the false.

So does this mean politicians

have the right to lie right from the start? The answer – yes!

But it also means we have the right not to believe them right from the start.

Yours truly,
R.W. Bouvette

Increased population means more beds

Dear Editor;

On reading your editorial in your February 9th paper, I find it difficult to understand the reasoning behind the intended reduction of beds in the Princeton Hospital.

This community has expanded by several thousand people since I have lived here for a short nine years. For whatever reason, this is a fact of population growth. Could this possibly be a reason for all the acute care beds to be

filled?

It appears to me that hospital occupancy is planned in the same manner as our highways, in hindsight!

Increase in population naturally brings an increase in the use of everything, including food, cars,

clothing and not to be forgotten, HOSPITALS!

This is my opinion. (It ain't gonna change a thing!)

Yours truly,
H.R. Gillespie
P.S. Lali's money a bandaid, NOT planning!

Open letter says a lot

Open letter to Hon. Penny Priddy, Harry Lali and Regional Health Board:

As a long-time resident, senior, and widow, volunteer of Red Cross, Brownies, Cubs and Guides, and now shopping for residents of senior housing, I am appalled at the plan to cut acute beds at Princeton General Hospital.

Princeton General Hospital was a vital lifeline for our family when my husband's health deteriorated due to back and heart problems, and finally, cancer. We had wonderful medical and community support during his illnesses. I thank God for the excellent care he received at the

hospital from doctors and nurses. In retrospect, he would have been shipped off to Penticton or Kelowna, he would have been isolated and alone to face his last days. I did not drive out of town in those days and the cost to stay in motels, meals, gas, etc. would have been exorbitant, to say the least. I'm sure the worry and stress on top of the illness would have probably caused my demise. I have been fortunate that I have hardly had to use the hospital for myself, but would like the assurance that it is there if I need it.

I would like to thank the seniors for calling an "awareness meeting" Continued on page 7.....

Let's fight

Dear Editor;

Having read the February 3, 1999, letter by our doctors regarding beds to be cut at our Princeton Hospital, we feel the need to respond.

The hospital was one of the reasons we chose to move to this area three years ago.

Last December, our son, his wife and three daughters were involved in an accident just outside of town. They, and we, were most Continued on Page 7.....

More letters: We need more industry

Dear Editor;
Reading from "News Leader", Dennis Cook report: billion dollars of logs are gone out of Princeton to Merritt, Okanagan Falls and Kamloops.

Princeton Town Council, loggers, business people, with Weyerhaeuser get together and study and make a billion dollar industry for Princeton town.

When I belonged to the United Church years ago, Dr. Hicks said

if every family donates 1 %, the church can stand up itself. To me, log industry can stand. Every family of loggers, donate a per cent toward and build. Council, a mathematician can figure what percentage to collect.

Right now, shipping out a billion dollars in logs is just building Merritt, town and others. Merritt has their own industry - cattle and ranches. They raise enough to pay Merritt's need.

My few neighbours, working men, haven't worked since the mine closed. Families with small children don't want to go north they tell me.

Working age people need jobs to prepare for old age. I see logs in the Princeton mill yard, and it looks pathetic compared to logs going out of Princeton area. Princeton mill had a large machine once, and moved it out to Merritt, I heard. They should bring it back.

Profit made from the log industry can certainly provide more beds to the hospital, more nurses. Now, nurses are overworked and nurses themselves are getting sick.

I would certainly like to see a red and green light signal coming in from the bridge entering to Bridge Street to town, and red and green signal going from the bridge to the Flats area or down to the doctor's building.

I lived in Coalmont for two years and saw logs going out by railway to Penticton sawmill. Coalmont did have a sawmill.

I have been in Princeton 45 years, how time goes by. I built homes for people here and enjoyed the Princeton climate. The climate here seems to be good for trees. A forest looked after can provide for generations and generations to come.

If town industry is established, all the recreation will come. It's a secondary thing. It's up to the people.

Hope and prosper, best for Princeton,
Yours sincerely,
Senior Citizen H. N.

Give it serious thought

Dear Editor;
I have just returned home from a Wednesday meeting at the Seniors' Branch 30, where the discussion was primarily on the health care situation that exists. When I left, the decision was to write from the Branch to the Provincial Government, in Victoria, citing all the problems that are existing and are likely to happen in our community with regard to our hospital.

There was a 'captive audience' in attendance at the meeting but no petition at the door for those who wished to express their feelings by endorsing same. This should have been done and sent along with the letter from our Seniors'

Let's fight Continued from page 6.....

grateful for our nearby hospital and the excellent medical attention and care its doctors, nurses and staff provided.

I quote... "over-utilizing acute care beds by a factor of two." How easily figures can be manipulated on a piece of paper! What about the true facts? The doctors at our Princeton hospital have been stating them loud and clear.

Week in and week out, we read in our local newspapers editorials by our doctors, pleading for more help, beds, etc. in order to continue to provide excellent health care for our town.

Let's support our doctors and fight to improve, rather than bring about the downfall or demise of our much-needed hospital.

Sincerely,
Jim and Leanne Remming,
Missezula Lake.

Open Letter

Continued from page 6.... and bringing us up to date on the decisions being made for us by people who don't live here or have anything invested in our future. It is time to put these decision-makers under the microscope before it's too late, as well as advising the Ministry of Health and our elected officials that we are not going to accept this plan in any shape or form.

Respectfully yours,
Trixie Bartlett

Branch. The audience consisted primarily of older people and many seniors with health problems already who are very apprehensive of what will happen to them if or when their condition worsens. Being partially 'bionic' because of three joint replacements, and more problems facing me, I am more than apprehensive of what the future holds for me.

The word is that there will be another public meeting where, I hope, citizens of all age groups will be able to attend and express their feelings with regard to our current medical situation in British Columbia, especially Princeton. Young people have children to be taken care of and this must concern them, too.

It is hoped that everyone will take the time to give this matter some serious thought, no matter what their age and responsibilities. Princeton needs all the input and support it can get.
J. Kolbe, Princeton.

Heart Food

by Dave Machin



There is a verse in the Bible that says "where there is no vision the people perish" Proverbs 29:18a That word vision in the original Hebrew means "revelation". Revelation is something seen or revealed. Do you see Him as a hard taskmaster or a loving father who cares for you and personally wants to play a father's role in your life. That word perish means "put out of existence". In the light of the above, the verse could read "Where there is no correct revelation of God, the people are put out of existence". In short, it means "how do you see God?" Is He just someone out there who we think about at Christmas, maybe Easter and possibly at a funeral, or do you see him as someone who cares for me, has a good plan for my life and desires to help me when you find out that life does not always co-operate. You can know about someone or you can really know them. Because I know Him, I am saying yes, He does care for and about you. He wants your life to be fulfilled with meaning and hope. No, He does not want you to be put out of existence or to live life at an inferior level or under adverse circumstances. He wants you to live free from any kind of bondage that will destroy your life. How do I know this? Because that is what Jesus did for people in the days He walked on the earth and He hasn't changed. That same unconditional love and power is available to you today if you want it. If your revelation of God does not allow you to see Him this way, maybe there are some things that have to be removed from the picture. He wants you to see Him as He really is. He is good all the time and wants to share that goodness with you. What kind of vision of God do you have? Is it the kind that will keep you from being put out of existence or is it cloudy and unclear? Remember: God is good all the time.
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GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME



Local angler John Sandness, left, teaches John Allison Elementary students how to tie their own fishing flies. The youngsters did very well.

Trout Talk

Where do you find your tying supplies?

by John Sandness, Similkameen Valley outdoorsman

Where do you get your fly tying materials? A lot of fly fishermen take up fly tying. They find that they can't buy that perfect fly in the store, so they make their own. It is satisfying to be able to imitate the real insect and fool that big Kamloops trout with one of their own flies!

As mentioned before, I've put lots of money into tools, materials and all the other necessary "gizmos" during my fly tying career! But I have also collected many materials. Some I could not purchase in a store.

It has been estimated that at least twice as many birds and mammals are killed by automobiles as by hunters. Quite frequently these roadkills are good sources of fly tying materials, if you can beat the coyotes and ravens to them, that is! Pheasant, grouse, and crow feathers as well as deer, squirrel, woodchuck, etc. tails are all great for flies, in more ways than one! (Be sure to clean them well when you get them home or you will shortly find out what I mean!) When I'm out in the truck and pull over to gather these "goodies", my long-suffering wife pulls out a road map or book, and pretends she doesn't know me as I walk back to the goody. When I come back with my plastic bag and its contents, she just points to the back of the truck as a good place to store it.

I have a standing offer with my hunting friends to trade them flies. In turn they give me feathers from their ducks, geese, and so on. My neighbour shoots an elk almost every year and I find elk hair makes the best Tom Thumb dry flies. These materials would normally be thrown out, so we both gain and save a resource.

Ever try walking around the notions department of a large store? It's a little embarrassing

with all those women watching you (or so I think!), but if you can hang in there, you can find some great fly tying stuff. All those new yarns, such as sparkle hair, mohair, mylar tinsels, dubbing material, are there. I have a hunch many of our new fly tying materials came from the same notions manufacturers who developed them for ladies. Then we men adopt them for our craft. If you can't find those wobble eyes or beads to enhance the heads on your dragonfly or Muddler Minnow patterns, the notions department is the place!

Another source of material is the mylar bag that potato chips and coffee come in. If there is one fly tying tip I can get you to try, this is it. Cut the bags into 1/8" wide strips. Many of our fly patterns, the Muddler for example, call for a silver or gold body. These strips of mylar make better bodies than any commercial tinsel I have ever used! I also wonder at times what someone must think if they

unwrap the fly I give them, and find letters or colours on the back side of the tinsel.

Other sources are the hair and feathers of household pets. My best fly on the Tulameen River turned out to be from the hair of our cat, Klinger. And he loves having his hair brushed!

Keep your eyes and your imagination open.

From Phyllis Miller's writings..

They (John Fall Allison and Susan Moir Allison) found the Princeton district the most beautiful place they had ever seen. The whole country was as God had made it - beautiful knee-high bunchgrass, yellow pine trees spaced at a distance apart, many wildflowers. The June roses in particular impressed my grandfather. One of his favourite sayings was "If you come here in June, you will never leave."

This information will shortly be included in the Princeton Museum Archives.

Arena Board talks budget

PRINCETON - Doug Leahy, Treasurer for Okanagan Similkameen Regional District, attended the February 9 meeting of Princeton Arena Board to talk about the 1999 budget. The budget must be final by March 18.

The arena will be paid off on November 2, 1999. Board members wondered if they would have to reduce taxes as a result, then go to referendum to obtain another loan for the thousands of dollars of repairs needed. Leahy assured them that the tax money for the arena could still be collected and put into reserve funds for the repairs.

Money is needed for roof repairs, payments for the ice cleaner, a

new floor for the mezzanine, and numerous other repairs to worn areas. There is a shortage of dressing room space, and a problem in storage space for the ice cleaning machine.

Linda Allison, Area H Director, said she would like to change the method of taxation this year. She would like to see taxes in Area H levied against improvements only, instead of land and improvements, as Area H pays 60 per cent of the cost of the arena. If taxes were levied on improvements only, Area H would pay 56 per cent, and the Town of Princeton would pay 44 per cent. This matter is subject to discussion with Town Council.

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6 AM	Little House on the Prairie	(Off Air)	Open Learning Annex	Sesame Street (EI)	Maury	Cosby	Quincy	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Bingo	Kitty Cats	Sportsdesk (R)	Style	Hmewrks	Love Boat	BusWorld	Maury	PinkyBrain
6:30 AM		Okanagan									Salty's	Hamster		Body Brk	Gardener		Franklin		Histerial
7 AM	Griffith	Care Bears	Teletubbs	Mr Rogers	Jerry Springer	Donny & Marie	Equalizer	Martha Stewart Living	(7:10) Canada AM		Big Garage	Lassle	Sportsdesk (R)	Rosle O'Donnell	Insectia	Paid Prog.	God Troop	Cityline	Batman
7:30 AM		100	Magic Bus	Barney							Jay Jay	Sticlkn		Tracks	Hollywood		Chip-Dale	Therapy day.	Batman
8 AM	Griffith	Huntley Street	Art Attack	Zoboo	Jenny Jones	Price Is Right	Murder, She Wrote	Roseanne Show	(Joined in Progress)	100	Pappyland	Histerial	Sportsdesk (R)	Price Is Right	Travelers (R)	Paid Prog.	Babar	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Griffith
8:30 AM		Air Farce	Teletubbs	Wimzles							Skinmnrk	Rupert		Match			Kleo		Griffith
9 AM	Matlock	Regis & Kathie	Foodsafe Certificate Program (Live)	Teletubbs	News	News	Northern Exposure	News	Hollywood	On the Edge of Survival	Wedding	Big Comfy Couch	Off-Record	News	Discovery .ca (R)	Judy	BusWorld	News	Matlock
9:30 AM													Gallagher			Brown	Hello	City	The Formula
10 AM	Hunter "Partners"	Robison	(Part 2 of 2)	Sesame Street (EI)	Days of Our Lives	Young and the Restless	Law & Order	All My Children	Movie	Dave Rutherford	Reunion	Kitty Cats	Workout	Movie	Explore Your World	Maury	Franklin	Movie: "Raising Arizona" (1987)	News
10:30 AM		Dressup		Reading				Home			Reunion	Station	Flex	WineTour		Amazing			News
11 AM	Movie: "The Jerk" (1979, Comedy)	Young and the Restless		Creatures	Another World	As the World Turns	Quincy	One Life to Live	Highlander: The Series	News	Baby Story	Bananas	Miller	As the World Turns	Design (R)	Martha Stewart Living	Dinosaurs	Nicolas Cage.	Emp. Nest
11:30 AM				Billy Nye													Quack		Emp. Nest
12 PM	Comedy: Steve Martin.	News		Zoom (R)	Montel Williams	Guiding Light	Quincy	General Hospital	News	Days of Our Lives	Wedding	Dragon	Rope	Roseanne Show	Danger	Spider-Man	Art Attack	Howle	Coach
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1 PM	Mama	Federal Budget (Live)	Snoops	Arthur (R)	Sally	Oprah Winfrey	Equalizer "Breakpoint"	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	Roseanne Show	Home Sav	Couch	World Wrestling Federation	Rosle O'Donnell	EXN TV (R)	Rangers	Darkwing	Cityline	Webster
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2 PM	Full House		Gaining	Couch	News	News	Murder, She Wrote	News	Bold & B.	Nanny	Hometime	Kitty Cats	Judy	Invention	Boy-World	Tale Spin	Citylive at Five	Saved-Bell	
2:30 PM			Cybernatr.	Back-Back					House	Rosle O'Donnell	Hometime	Rupert	News	Movie	Brown	Good Troop		Blossom	
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	Babar	20 Minutes	News-Lehrer	News	News	Northern Exposure	News	Roseanne Show	Hm. Again	My Home	Off-Record	News	Flightpath (R)	Judy	Mad Libs	News	Full House	
3:30 PM		Knights	Video		NBC News	CBS News				Hm. Again	Uh Oh!	Sportsdesk	News	Simpsons	OfftheWall				
4 PM	Roseanne	Rosle O'Donnell	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey	News	Medical Emergency	Pokemon	Hockey	Love	Discovery .ca	Home Imp.	Clarissa	Sinfeld	Fam. Mat.
4:30 PM			Magic Bus	ITN News	Jeopardy!	Jeopardy!		Entertain			Anmanlac	Gallagher	Hollywood		Simpsons	Blossom	Friends	Fam. Mat.	
5 PM	Movie: "Dying Young" (1991)	News	Place Business	Nova "Escapel" "Fire/Car Crash"	3rd Rock Newsradio	JAG "Rivers' Run"	Biography	Home Imp.	News	News	Trauma - Life	Rugrats	Knockouts Roundtable	Maggie	Kingdoms of Survival	King of Hill	Little Lulu	Deep Space 9	Buffy Vampire
5:30 PM								Hughleys	News	News		PinkyBrain		Newsradio	PJs	Aladdin			
6 PM	Julia Roberts.	Sinfeld	Captain and the Queen	Crash	Just Shoot	Will-Grace	Inside Story (R)	Spin City	News	Chicago Hope	Superfires	Addams	Boxing: Trevor Berbick vs. Shane Sutcliffe.	Just Shoot	Exhibit A	World Records	Timon	Movie: "God's New Plan" (1999)	Fellicity "Todd Mulcahy"
6:30 PM		Frasier						Dharma				Odyssey		Will-Grace	Illusions		MyMartian		
7 PM	Champions on Ice (R)	Friends	Opening	Washington	DateLine	(1999) Murder, She Wrote	NYPD Blue (PA)	Fortune	Just Shoot	Will-Grace	Freaky	Animorphs	Total Recall 2070	Science-Imposs.	Fox Report	Movie: "Bejewelled" (1991)	Katey Sagal.	News	
7:30 PM		Home Imp.	Dotto					Jeopardy!											
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11 PM	Gary Bussey. "Linda"	News	Road Taken	Washington	Late Night	CBS Up to the Minute	Murder, She Wrote	TBA	News			Afrald?		Access					Paid Prog.

MORNING

10:00 am CITY (29) ***"Raising Arizona" (1987, Comedy) Nicolas Cage. A childless couple decides to relieve a local furniture king of one of his newborn quintuplets.

11:00 am WTBS (3) ***"The Jerk" (1979, Comedy) Steve Martin. The incredibly stupid white stepson of black sharecroppers makes a fortune with a bizarre invention.

AFTERNOON

5:05 pm WTBS (3) ***"Dying Young" (1991, Drama) Julia

Roberts. A wealthy leukemia patient's outlook on life brightens when he falls in love with the woman he hired as a caretaker.

EVENING

6:00 pm WTOL (8) CITY (29) "God's New Plan" (1999, Drama) Katey Sagal. Premiere. A dying woman chooses a replacement to carry on her duties as wife and mother after she is gone. (In Stereo)

7:00 pm FAM (26) ***"Bejewelled" (1991, Comedy) Emma Samms. A naive museum curator teams up with an amateur detective and two savvy

youngsters to find a stolen jewel collection. (In Stereo)

9:05 pm CITY (29) ***"Bugsy" (1991, Drama) Warren Beatty. The Oscar-winning account of Benjamin "Bugsy" Siegel, the gangster who built a gambling oasis in the Las Vegas desert.

9:40 pm WTBS (3) ***"Hider in the House" (1989, Suspense) Gary Bussey. A recently released mental patient becomes a voyeuristic intruder in a young family's newly renovated home.

10:00 pm FAM (26) ***"The Absent-Minded Professor" (1988, Comedy) Harry Anderson. An eccentric college professor accidentally creates flubber, a

compound that makes objects bounce to amazing heights. (In Stereo)

11:45 pm WTBS (3) ***"Linda" (1993, Suspense) Virginia Madsen. A man fights to prove his innocence after he is framed for murder by his traitorous wife and her lover.

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6 AM	Little House	(Off Air) Okanagan	Open Learning Annex	Sesame Street (EI)	Maury	Cosby	McCloud	Regis & Kathie	News	News	Bingo	Kitty Cats	Sportsdesk (R)	Company	Hmewrks	Love Boat	BusyWorld	Maury	PinkyBrain
7 AM	Little House	Care Bears	Teletubbs	Mr Rogers	Jerry Springer	Donny & Marlo	Equalizer	Martha Stewart Living	Canada AM (Joined in Progress)	100 Huntley Street	Salty's	Hamster	Sportsdesk (R)	Table-Two	Gardener		Franklin		Histerlal
8 AM	Griffith	Huntley Street	Art Attack	Zoboo	Jenny Jones	Price Is Right	Murder, She Wrote	Roseanne Show	100 Huntley Street	Pappyland	Histerlal	Sportsdesk (R)	Price Is Right	Travelers (R)	Paid Prog.	Babar	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Griffith	
9 AM	Matlock "The D.A."	Regis & Kathie	Magic	Teletubbs	News	News	Northern Exposure	News	Hollywood	Dinner	Wedding	Big Comfy Couch	Off-Record	News	Discovery .ca (R)	Judy	BusyWorld	News	Matlock "The Trial"
10 AM	Hunter "The Pit"	Robison	TBA	Sesame Street (EI)	Days of Our Lives	Young and the Restless	Law & Order "Virtue"	All My Children	Movie	Dave Rutherford	Reunion	Anthony	Workout	Movie	Explore Your World	Maury	Franklin	Movie: "The Pick-Up Artist" (1987)	News
11 AM	Movie: "Tick... Tick... Tick..." (1970, Drama)	Young and the Restless	Mathematics	Creatures	Another World	As the World Turns	McCloud	One Life to Live	Highlands: The Series	News	Baby Story	Bananas	Fitness	As the World Turns	Design (R)	Martha Stewart Living	Dinosaurs	Speakers	Emp. Nest
12 PM	Mama	Pamela Wallin	Writers	Arthur (R)	Sally	Oprah Winfrey	Equalizer	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	Roseanne Show	Home Sav	Couch	Roseanne Show	EXN TV (R)	Rangers	Darkwing	Cityline (R)	Webster	
1 PM	Full House	Coronat'n	English	Couch	News	News	Murder, She Wrote	News	Bold & B.	Nanny	HomeTime	Kitty Cats	Judy	Invention	Boy-World	Tale Spin	Citylive at Five	Saved-Bell	
2 PM	Fam. Mat.	Bebar	Pen Pals	Newshour	News	News	Northern Exposure	News	Roseanne Show	Hm. Again	My Home	Off-Record	News	Flightpath "Warbirds"	Judy	Mad Libs	News	Full House	
3 PM	Roseanne	Roseanne	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order "Virtue"	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey	News	Extreme Machines (R)	Rugrats	ESP Awards	Profiles of Nature	Beverly Hills, 90210	Little Lulu	Star Trek: Voyager	Dawson's Creek	
4 PM	National Geographic Explorer	Seinfeld	Stories My Country	Crash/Abandon Ship	60 Minutes II (ESP)	American Justice	Carey	News	Beverly Hills, 90210	Future Cars (R)	Addams	Brats-Lost	Reboot	Dave Hodge	7 Days	Moon Shot (R)	Fox Report	"Stolen Memories: Secrets"	News
5 PM	Movie: "The Seventh Sign" (1988)	22 Minutes	Studio BC (R)	Served	News	News	Law & Order	News	Confirmtion-Evidence of Allens Among Us	Party of Five	Future Cars (R)	Addams Breaker	Student	Brown	Wings (R)	Air America "Catch 23"	Movie: "Brewster's Millions" (1985)	"The Pick-Up Artist"	Paid Prog.
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Wednesday Movies

MORNING

10:00 am CITY (29) ★★½ "The Pick-Up Artist" (1987, Comedy) Molly Ringwald. A 21-year-old lady-killer meets his match in a museum tour guide whose alcoholic father is in Dutch with the mob.

11:00 am WTBS (3) ★★½ "Tick... Tick... Tick..." (1970, Drama) Jim Brown. A new black sheriff faces opposition from whites and blacks alike in this tale of prejudice and violence down South.

EVENING

7:00 pm FAM (26) ★★ "Stolen Memories: Secrets From the Rose Garden" (1996, Drama) Mary Tyler Moore. A childlike woman's long-buried trauma resurfaces when her young nephew comes to visit her and her protective sisters. (In Stereo)

7:05 pm WTBS (3) ★★ "The Seventh Sign" (1988, Horror) Demi Moore. A mother-to-be faces

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1998-99 PRINCETON ARENA SCHEDULE

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9:00 - 10:00 Minor H. Game	9:00 - 12:00 School Rentals	9:00 - 12:00 School Rentals	9:00 - 12:00 School Rentals	9:00 - 12:00 School Rentals	9:00 - 12:00 School Rentals	9:00 - 10:00 Minor H. Game
10:15 - 12:30 Minor H. Game	11:00 - 12:00 Adult/ Tot/ Senior	1:15 - 3:00 Stick & Puck	1:15-2:30 Adult/ Tot/ Senior	1:15 - 3:00 Stick & Puck	1:15 - 3:00 Stick & Puck	10:15 - 11:30 Minor H. Game
12:45 - 2:30 Minor H. Game	1:15 - 3:00 Stick & Puck	3:00 - 4:00 Loonie Public Skate	3:20-7:45 Figure Skating	4:00 - 5:00 Atom. Practice	3:45 - 4:45 Novice Practice	11:45 - 1:15 Minor H. Game
2:45 - 4:45 Minor H. Game	3:20-7:00 Figure Skating	4:15 - 5:15 P.W. 1 Practice	7:45 - 8:45 Bantam Practice	5:15 - 6:15 P.W. 2 Practice	4:15 - 5:45 P.W. 1 Practice	1:30 - 3:30 Minor H. Game
4:45 - 6:00 Free Public Skate	7:15 - 8:15 Pumpkins Hockey	5:30 - 6:30 Novice Practice	9:00 - 10:00 Midget Practice	6:30 - 7:30 Open	6:00 - 7:00 Ladies Hockey	3:45 - 5:45 Minor H. Game
6:15 - 8:45 Figure Skating	9:00 - 10:00 Midget Practice	6:30 - 7:30 Atom Practice		7:45 - 8:45 Bantam Practice	7:00 - 8:15 Public Skate	6:00 - 7:30 Public Skate
9:00 - 10:30 Adult Drop - In Hockey		7:45 - 8:45 P.W. 2 Practice		9:00 - 10:30 Gents Hockey	8:15 - 8:45 Teen Stick & Puck	7:45 - 10:00 Minor H. Game
		9:00 - 10:30 Oldtimers Practice			9:00 - 10:30 Pumpkins Hockey	10:15 - 11:30 Open For Rent

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6 AM	Little House	[Off Air]	Open Learning Annex	Sesame Street (EI)	Maury Paternity tests.	Cosby	(5:00) McMillan and Wife	Regis & Kathie	(5:00) News	(5:00) News	Bingo	Kitty Cats	Sportsdesk (R)	Home	Hmewrks.	Love Boat	Buy World	Maury Paternity tests.	PinkyBrain
7 AM	Little House	Care Bears	Teletubbs	Mr Rogers	Jerry Springer	Donny & Marie	Equalizer	Martha Stewart Living	(7:10) Canada AM		Salty's	Hamster	Home	Homestyle	Gardener		Franklin	Historial	
8 AM	Griffith	100 Huntley Street	Art Attack	Zoboo	Jenny Jones	Price Is Right	Murder, She Wrote	Roseanne Show	(Joined in Progress)	100 Huntley Street	Pappyland	Historial	Sportsdesk (R)	Price Is Right	Travelers (R)	Paid Prog.	Babar	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Griffith
9 AM	Matlock	Regis & Kathie	Magic	Teletubbs	News	News	Northern Exposure	News	Hollywood	Dinner	Wedding	Couch	Off-Record	News	Discovery.ca (R)	Judy	Buy World	News	Matlock
10 AM	Hunter "The Informant"	Robison	French	Sesame Street (EI)	Jeopardy!	Young and the Restless	Law & Order "Ritual"	All My Children	Movie	Dave Rutherford	Reunion	Kitty Cats	WCW Nitro: Best of 1998. (R)	Movie	Explore Your World	Maury Paternity tests.	Franklin	Movie: "Give My Regards to Broad Street"	News
11 AM	Movie: "El Condor" (1970, Western)	Young and the Restless	Japanese Women	Creatures	Another World	As the World Turns	McMillan and Wife "Cross and Double-Cross"	One Life to Live	Highlander: The Series	News	Baby Story	Bananas	As the World Turns	Design (R)	Martha Stewart Living	Dinosaurs	Quack	Broad Street	Emp. Nest
12 PM	Western Jim Brown.	Okanagan	Lead	Zoom	Montel Williams	Guiding Light	Double-Cross	General Hospital	News	Days of Our Lives	Wedding	Dragon	Roseanne Show	Insectia	Spider-Man	Art Attack	Howie Mandel	Coach	Coach
1 PM	Mama	Pamela Wallin	Learning Profiles	Arthur (R)	Sally	Oprah Winfrey	Equalizer	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	Roseanne Show	Home Sav	Couch	PGA Golf: Nissan Open -- First Round. (Live)	Rosie O'Donnell	EKNTV (R)	Rangers	Darkwing	Cityline Home day. (R)	Webster
2 PM	Full House	Corona'n	Science	Couch	News	News	Murder, She Wrote	News	Bold & B.	Nanny	Home Sav	Kitty Cats	Judy	Invention	Boy-World	Tale Spin	Cityline at Five	Saved-Bell	
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	Babar	Literature	News-Lehrer	News	News	Northern Exposure	News	Roseanne Show	Young and the Restless	Hm. Again	My Home	Off-Record	News	Flightpath (R)	Judy	Mad Libs	News	Full House
4 PM	Roseanne	Rosie O'Donnell	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order "Ritual"	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey	Young and the Restless	You're So Valn (R)	Pokemon	Hockey	Love	Discovery.ca	Home Imp.	Clarissa	Seinfeld	Fam. Mat.
5 PM	WCW Thunder	News	Destinos	Workshop	Friends	Diagnosis Murder	Biography: Della Reese	Deadliest Storms	News	News	Medical	Rugrats	Billiards: WPBA	Stargate SG-1	Tracks	Wildest Police Videos	Little Lulu	Media.	Wayans
6 PM	WCW Thunder	Seinfeld	Studio BC (R)	Sportsman	Frasier	Turks	Unexplained	Storm of the Century (Part 3 of 3)	News	Star Trek: Voyager "Dark Frontier"	Shadow of the Assassin	Adams	Billiards: WPBA	Turks	Cosmic	Medical Videos	Timon	Movie: "Falling From the Sky"	Harvey
7 PM	Movie: "Striptease" (1996)	Friends	Guerilla	Mystery: Heat	ER "The Storm"	48 Hours	Murder, She Wrote	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Jeopardy!	BoyWorld	System	48 Hours	Codebreakers (R)	Fox Report	Movie: "Nightjohn" (1996)	Movie: "Nightjohn" (1995)	Sky Flight	News
8 PM	Demi Moore, Armand Assante.	Friends	Boys-Hockey	Served	News	News	Law & Order "Discord"	News	Due South (R)	Friends	Medical	Alpha 2	Sportsdesk	News	Discovery.ca (R)	Cops	Flash	Night Party	MacGyver "Humanity"
9 PM	WCW Thunder	Frasier	Echoes	Workshop	Old House	Golf	Biography: Della Reese	Entertain	Exposure	Frasier	Shadow of the Assassin	Addams	Motoring	Real TV	Tracks	Hollywood	Blossom	Movie: "The Naked Gun"	In the Heat of the Night
10 PM	WCW Thunder	Raymond	Team	Old House	Sportsman	Late Late Show	Unexplained (R)	Politically	ER "The Storm"	News	Breaker	Snowtrax	Change	Insectia	Paid Prog.	Muppets	Movie: "Perfect Harmony" (1991)	Leslie Nielsen.	Matlock "The Trial"
11 PM	WCW Thunder "Howard"	National/BC News	Baseball Girls	Michigan	Michigan	Late Night	Unexplained (R)	Howie Mandel	CTV News	Married... Dr. Katz	You're So Valn (R)	Ocean Girl	Sportsdesk	Northern	Codebreakers (R)	Paid Prog.	Mouse	Devils	Paid Prog.

Thursday Movies

- MORNING
- 10:00 am CITY (29) ★★"Give My Regards to Broad Street" (1984, Musical) Paul McCartney. In a dream, a famous musician searches for the master tapes to his new album which he entrusted to an underhanded aide.
 - 11:00 am WTBS (3) ★★"El Condor" (1970, Western) Jim Brown. Two American outlaws head south of the border to stage a suicidal raid on a gold-filled Mexican fortress.
- EVENING
- 7:00 pm WTBS (3) ★★"Striptease" (1996, Comedy-Drama) Demi Moore. A determined mother takes a job at a Miami strip club to raise the necessary funds to regain custody of her daughter.
 - 9:05 pm CITY (29) ★★½"The Naked Gun" (1988, Comedy) Leslie Nielsen. Lt. Frank Drebin ("Police Squad!") attempts to thwart a drug kingpin's plot to assassinate the Queen of England.
 - 10:00 pm FAM (26) ★★½"Perfect Harmony" (1991, Drama) Peter Scolari. A mutual love of music helps a white youth and his black friend break racial barriers at an all-white prep school. (In Stereo)
 - 11:05 pm CITY (29) ★★"Dayton's Devils" (1968, Suspense) Rory Calhoun. An ex-military officer trains a group of specialists to rob the payroll at an Air Force base.
 - 11:25 pm WTBS (3) ★★"Howard the Duck" (1986, Science Fiction) Lea Thompson. George Lucas' tale of an extraterrestrial duck who is mistakenly brought to Cleveland by an experimental laser beam.

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February

- 16 - Royal Purple meeting 8 p.m.
- 17 - Hedley OAPO social 11am to 2 pm and 7 to 10 pm
- 18 - Parents as Preventors workshop Riverside School 7 pm
- 19 - Professional Development Day - schools Princeton OAP potluck supper 5:30 pm
- 20 - Tulameen Snow Golf noon at Wet Willie's
- 21 - Elks, Royal Purple potluck 5:30 Otter Valley Fish & Game regular meeting, clubhouse 7 pm
- 24 - Hedley OAPO social 11 am to 2 pm, and 7 to 10 pm
- 26 - Princeton OAPO meeting 1:30 p.m.
- 27 - Ice fishing derby Allison Lake 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. CAWSTON - Watercolour workshop at The Studio
- 28 - Elks meeting 8 p.m.

March

- 4 - Abracadabra Magic Show PSS
- 6 - Princeton Figure Skating Carnival
- 12 & 13 - Princeton Mammogram Van Town Hall parking lot
- 13 - Keremeos Mammogram Van 1-800-663-9203
- 15 - Keremeos Mammogram - phone for appointment
- 15 - Spring Break for schools starts
- 27 - Youth Ambassador Garage Sale

April

- 2 - Good Friday
- 3 - Youth Ambassador/Cancer Society daffodil sale
- 9 - Celtic Music from Canada's West Coast Princeton Sec. School 8 pm
- 24 - Lions Auction and Flea Market

April 30, May 1, 1999 - Trade Show Princeton

May

- 7 - Professional Development Day - schools
- 13 - Youth Ambassador Fashion Show
- 22,23,24 - Keremeos Elks Rodeo, Cathedral Lakes Powwow
- 27 - Youth Ambassador Speech Night
- 28 - Princeton Graduation ceremonies

June

- 5 - Marauders Car Club Show and Shine
- 10 - Youth Ambassador Talent Night

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Friday Movies

10:00 am CITY 29 ★★☆☆ "The Naked Gun" (1988, Comedy) Leslie Nielsen. Lt. Frank Drebin ("Police Squad!") attempts to thwart a drug kingpin's plot to assassinate the Queen of England.

11:00 am WTBS 3 ★★☆☆ "Duel at Diablo" (1966, Western) James Garner. A vengeful Army scout is determined to transport a load of ammunition through Apache territory at any cost.

AFTERNOON

5:00 pm FAM 26 ★★☆☆ "Cloak and Dagger" (1984, Suspense) Henry Thomas. A boy with an overzealous imagination becomes entangled in a real-life spy adventure when he witnesses a murder. (In Stereo)

WGN 38 ★★☆☆ "A Little Princess" (1995, Drama) Eleanor Bron. The charming daughter of a British officer is mistreated by a cruel headmistress after her father is reportedly killed.

5:05 pm WTBS 3 ★★☆☆ "Coal Miner's Daughter" (1980, Biography) Sissy Spacek. Based on singer Loretta Lynn's autobiography chronicling her childhood in rural Kentucky and her rise to music stardom.

EVENING

6:00 pm WTVS 6 ★★☆☆ "Charade" (1963, Mystery) Cary Grant. A woman is targeted for murder by her dead husband's cronies who believe she knows where a vast fortune is hidden.

CITY 29 ★★☆☆ "Last Man Standing" (1996, Drama) Bruce Willis. A Texas border town erupts into violence when a traveling gunman plays rival gangs of bootleggers against each other.

7:00 pm FAM 26 ★★☆☆ "Return

to Oz" (1985, Fantasy) Fairuzza Balk. L. Frank Baum's novels inspired this tale of Dorothy's second visit to Oz, where she finds the Emerald City in ruins. (In Stereo)

7:55 pm WTBS 3 ★★☆☆ "City Slickers II: The Legend of Curly's Gold" (1994, Comedy) Billy Crystal. The late Curly's twin brother joins Mitch and friends for a rough-and-tumble horseback search for hidden treasure.

8:00 pm KNOW 5 ★★☆☆ "Glory Enough for All" (1988, Drama) (Part 1 of 2) R.H. Thomson. An account of the discovery of insulin, focusing on Dr. Frederick Banting's research into the treatment of diabetes.

9:05 pm CITY 29 ★★☆☆ "Die Hard" (1988, Suspense) Bruce Willis. A police officer's visit to California is interrupted by a terrorist invasion of his estranged wife's office building. (In Stereo)

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FAM 26 ★★☆☆ "Tough Guys" (1986, Comedy) Burt Lancaster. Two small-time criminals unable to adjust to post-prison life return to the line of work they know best -- robbery. (In Stereo)

10:30 pm WTBS 3 ★★☆☆ "Fandango" (1985, Comedy) Kevin Costner. Faced with adulthood and the pull of Vietnam, five college cronies take off across Texas for a last-ditch fling.

11:30 pm CITY 12 ★★☆☆ "Body Snatchers" (1983, Science Fiction) Gabrielle Anwar. A teen confronts an invading army of pod people on an Alabama military base in this remake of the 1956 classic.

ACROSS

- 1. Series about a private eye (2)
8. Rational
9. Fragrance
10. Role for Robert Young, once (2)
14. Mr. Kaplan
15. ___ Joey; 1957 Sinatra movie
16. Whopper
17. Gershwin's namesakes
18. Greek letter
19. RBI or ERA
20. Capitol feature
24. Nancy Walker's role on Rhoda (1974-78)
27. Spoken
28. Clem Kadiddlehopper's portrayer
29. Role on Cheers
32. Makes a selection
33. Series for Josh Charles (2)
36. ___ Blue; '89-'90 Ally Walker series
37. Mowry's namesakes
38. Frank's portrayer on Millennium

DOWN

- 1. ___ Black Sheep (1976-78)
2. Turnoil
3. Last month for Monday Night Football; abbr.
4. Poultry
5. Refreshing drink
6. Esther of Good Times (1974-79)
7. Satellite's path
8. ___ Guy
11. "Moving On ___"; theme song for The Jeffersons
12. Continent; abbr.
13. Cheerleader's cry
14. Joe and comrades; abbr.
20. Neil Patrick Harris' role, once
21. Oliver Twist or Annie
22. Dillon and Williams
23. Railway systems
24. April addressee, for short
25. Ocean measurement
26. Venerate
29. Ending for young or gang
30. Not ___ a Stranger; '55 Sinatra movie
31. Setting for The Mary Tyler Moore Show; abbr.
34. ___ for Your Life (1965-68)
35. ___ a Living (1980-82)

TV CROSSWORD



The identity of the featured celebrity is found within the answers in the puzzle. In order to take the TV Challenge, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION FEBRUARY 2

A grid showing the solution to the crossword puzzle from the previous week. The grid contains words like JOHN, CLUE, JUMBO, ARNAZ, ISA, ROMA, ARI, NT, MAINAND, NM, VITO, AREA, NON, THY, CST, IER, JOSE, NAUT, IO, LIVING, BO, SPA, TINA, EBB, TERES, SULLY, REBA, HALE.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1999

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	WTBS (3)	CHBC (4)	KNOW (5)	WTVS (6)	WTVS (7)	WTOL (8)	A&E (9)	WXYZ (10)	BCTV (11)	CITY (12)	TLC (14)	YTV (15)	TSN (19)	CHCH (22)	DISC (24)	FOX (25)	FAM (26)	CITY (29)	WGN (38)	
6 AM	Funnies (Off Air)	Open Learning Annex	Handy	Newsbeat (5:00)	Grand Tour (R)	Doug (3)	Birdz (3)	Batman	Furniture	Surf's Up!	(5:00) World of Soccer	Guy's Boat	Inquiring	Godzilla	Baber (3)	Indo	Video			
6:30 AM	Funnies	Gadget	Teletubbs	Old House	Saved-Bell	Bunnies	America's Castles (R)	Pepper	News (3)	Animaniac	Home Sav	Dragon Flyz	Snowtrax	Rider	Movie	Knights	Wuzzles	Eye on Asia (In Hindi)	Fishing	
7 AM	National Geographic	Bugs & T.	Wishbone	Workshop	Heng Time	Rhino		Bugs & T.		MeninBick	Home Sav	SpyDogs	Motoring	Makin' B	Movie	Oggy	Madeline			
7:30 AM	Explorer (R) (3)	Potato	Bus	Michigan	One World	Birdz (3)	Biography International	Bugs & T.		Potato	Home Sav	ChannUm	Fishing	Rainbow	Behaving Like Animals	Mad Jack	Wish Kid	Polish Studio	Paid Prog	
8 AM	Explorer (R) (3)	Gadget	Creatures	Fly Fishing	City Guys	Warriors		101 Dalmits		Neverend	Home Sav	Walter M.	Golf	Money		SpyDogs	Gadget		Paid Prog	
9 AM	"Police Academy 2: Their First Assignment"	Godzilla	Art Attack	Sportsman	Hang Time	Food Saver	Investigative Reports	College Basketball: Northwest on at Ohio State (Live)		Godzilla	Hm. Again	Flintstones	Canada Winter Games: Opening Ceremonies	Investmnt	Kids	Honey, I Shrunk	Movie: "Hook" (1992)	Travel	Soul Train	
9:30 AM	Police Academy 2: Their First Assignment	Cryptkeep	Teletubbs	Gr. Lakes	Hide Stuff	Country		College Basketball: Penn State at Purdue (Live) TBA		PinkyBrain	Hm. Again	Jetsons	Investmnt	Busin TV	Insectia	Student	Cityline Home day (R)	Movie: "Taking Care of Business" (1990) (3)		
10 AM	First Assignment	Knights	Sewing	Cars	Alth. Awards	College Basketball: Ky. at Ark. or Miami at Conn.		College Basketball: Penn State at Purdue (Live) TBA		Investors On-Line	Investors On-Line	Toolbelts	Monsters	Investors On-Line	Zambezi Shark (R)	Club Jam	One Day		Movie: "Taking Care of Business" (1990) (3)	
10:30 AM	First Assignment	Batman	Quitting	Your Home				College Basketball: Penn State at Purdue (Live) TBA		Wedding	Commodity	Home Sav	Beavers	Curling: Scott Tournament of Hearts (Live)	University Basketball at Western at McMaster	Movie: "The Hitcher" (1986) C. Thomas Howell	Bill Nye	Electric Circus	Xena: Warrior Princess	
11 AM	Movie: "Meatballs III" (1987)	Robin Hood	Kundalini Yoga: Course	Antiques Roadshow (R)	Track and Field	Ark. or Miami at Conn.		College Basketball: Penn State at Purdue (Live) TBA		House	Computer	Home Sav	Rocko	Curling: Scott Tournament of Hearts (Live)	HMS Brilliant (R)	Movie: "The Hitcher" (1986) C. Thomas Howell	Going Wild	Electric Circus	Xena: Warrior Princess	
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Saturday Movies

MORNING

9:00 am WTBS (3) ★★"Police Academy 2: Their First Assignment" (1985, Comedy) Steve Guttenberg. The zany graduates attempt to stop rampant acts of vandalism when they take to the meanest beat on the streets.

FAM (26) ★★"Heck's Way Home" (1995, Adventure) Michael Riley. A lost border collie must journey across Canada to rejoin his worried family before it leaves for Australia. (In Stereo) (3)

10:00 am WGN (38) ★★"Taking Care of Business" (1990, Comedy) James Belushi. An easy-going ex-convict finds the business portfolio of an uptight ad executive and sets himself up in style. (In Stereo) (3)

11:00 am WTBS (3) ★"Meatballs III" (1987, Comedy) Sally Kellerman. After dying in the throes of sexual ecstasy, a porn star returns to Earth to help a bumbling teen lose his virginity.

FOX (25) ★★"The Hitcher" (1986, Suspense) C. Thomas Howell. A teen-ager on his way to California is terrorized by a mysterious hitchhiker.

AFTERNOON

12:45 pm WTBS (3) ★★"Striptease" (1996, Comedy-Drama) Demi Moore. A determined mother takes a job at a Miami strip club to raise the necessary funds to regain custody of her daughter.

5:00 pm WXYZ (10) CITY (29) ★★"A Very Brady Sequel" (1996, Comedy) Shelley Long. A greedy con man poses as Carol's long-lost first husband to locate a valuable artifact hidden in the Brady residence. (In Stereo) (3)

WGN (38) ★★"Sister Act" (1992, Comedy) Whoopi Goldberg. A Reno lounge singer-

turned-murder witness transforms a group of singing nuns into an unconventional choir.

5:05 pm WTBS (3) ★★"48 HRS." (1982, Comedy-Drama) Nick Nolte. To find the fugitives who killed his partner, a maverick police detective teams up with a temporarily released convict.

EVENING

7:00 pm FAM (26) ★★"Pete's Dragon" (1977, Fantasy) Mickey Rooney. A lonely orphan runs away from his cruel foster family with the help of an invisible dragon named Elliott. (In Stereo) (3)

7:10 pm WTBS (3) ★★"Corrina, Corrina" (1994, Comedy-Drama) Whoopi Goldberg. A vivacious black housekeeper brings happiness back into the lives of a Jewish widower and his troubled young daughter.

8:30 pm WGN (38) ★★"Best of the Best" (1989, Drama) Eric Roberts. Five American martial artists prepare to battle the South Korean champions in the 1988 Seoul Summer Olympics. (In Stereo)

9:00 pm CITY (29) ★★"Saturday Night Fever" (1977, Drama) John Travolta. A Brooklyn disco dancer develops doubts about his lifestyle when he teams up with an ambitious woman for a big contest.

9:15 pm FAM (26) ★★"Bon Voyage!" (1962, Comedy) Fred MacMurray. A pleasure cruiser bound for Europe becomes the scene of memorable moments for a family from the Midwest. (3)

9:30 pm WXYZ (10) ★★"Broadcast News" (1987, Comedy-Drama) William Hurt. James L. Brooks' tale of the love triangle between a TV news producer, an earnest reporter and a vapid anchorman.

9:55 pm WTBS (3) ★"Another

You" (1991, Comedy) Richard Pryor. A con artist smells easy money when the pathological liar entrusted to his care is mistaken for a missing billionaire.

10:00 pm KNOW (5) ★★"8 1/2" (1963, Fantasy) Marcello Mastroianni. Federico Fellini's Oscar-winning account of an over-worked movie director crossing the line between reality and fantasy. (Subtitled)

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11:55 pm WTBS (3) ★★"A Piece of the Action" (1977, Comedy) Sidney Poitier. A retired police officer blackmails two likable crooks into helping him rehabilitate a group of juvenile delinquents.

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Horoscope
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ARIES - This week, you can make your vision become reality if you put your heart into the work required. Something deep within you must change to make this happen. Re-think yourself.

TAURUS - Move ahead now. Focus your energy on positive results. Harness your will power and make every effort to promote change. You can expect to feel better now. Action centers on partnership.

GEMINI - News this week is disheartening and/or challenging. Changes in your career surprise you. Do not sit still and sulk over what you see happening. Move with the change toward positive.

CANCER - Expect to be busy but it's good. Life seems to sweep you along on a roller coaster ride. Whether or not you can see it, everything is happening for your benefit.

LEO - Don't let appearances fool you - there is a lot for you to find out. Take time to see through the challenges and events to find the meaning. Events move ahead swiftly now.

VIRGO - This is a strange week. Expect hard news and difficult choices. A certain period of your life is coming to an end, but a new door will open soon. Find the patience to wait for opportunity.

LIBRA - The fast pace of your life picks up more speed, and events at work may drive you up the wall. The shake-up will work out in new partnerships in a short time.

SCORPIO - Changes now work in your favour. You can take advantage of news you hear this week. The unexpected keeps on happening, to your benefit. Heed last week's warning about excess energy.

SAGITTARIUS - Some piece of information triggers anger in you, and the meaning of what you hear now will create an inner change leading to positive change in your life. Go with what is right.

CAPRICORN - Positive changes force action, but the energy you put into your efforts will pay off. Obstacles seem to dissolve now, but this is no time to relax. Plan for advancement now.

AQUARIUS - This may be a difficult week financially. Be tight-fisted, watch your budget. News in your career sector may tell of permanent change. It is time for you to change. Use imagination.

PISCES - Yes, you want to travel, but the time is still not right. Your money-picture is better next month. Watch out for career problems now. Keep your nose to the grindstone.

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Table with 20 columns (WTBS, CHBC, KNOW, WTVS, WDIV, WTOL, A&E, WXYZ, BCTV, CITY, TLC, YTV, TSN, CHCH, DISC, FOX, FAM, CITY, WGN) and 12 rows of program listings with times and descriptions.

Sunday Movies

MORNING

6:00 am WTBS 3 ★★½ "The Cherokee Kid" (1996, Comedy) Sinbad. A homesteader's mission of revenge leads him into the Old West, where he quickly earns a reputation as a slick outlaw.
7:00 am WTBS 3 ★★ "Moving" (1988, Comedy) Richard Pryor. The promise of lucrative employment drives a former mass-transit engineer and his family on a cross-country move.
9:00 am WTBS 3 ★★ "Brewster's Millions" (1985, Comedy) Richard Pryor. A man goes on a 30-day, \$30 million spending spree - a prerequisite for collecting a \$300 million inheritance.
9:30 am FAM 26 ★★ "The Absent-Minded Professor" (1988, Comedy) Harry Anderson. An eccentric college professor accidentally creates flubber, a compound that makes objects bounce to amazing heights. (In Stereo)
10:00 am A&E 9 ★★ "Stand by Me" (1986, Comedy-Drama) Wil Wheaton. Four friends share what could be their last adventure together as they search for a missing boy's body.
WGN 38 ★★ "Willow" (1988, Fantasy) Val Kilmer. A diminutive Nelwyn attempts to protect an infant princess in his care from the evil queen who's vowed to destroy her. (In Stereo)
11:00 am FAM 26 ★★ "On Promised Land" (1994, Drama) Joan Plowright. A tragic accident gives rise to friendship between a black youngster and a wealthy white widow in the 1950s South. (In Stereo)
11:05 am WTBS 3 ★★ "In the Heat of the Night" (1967, Mystery) Sidney Poitier. Tensions rise when a black detective from Philadelphia arrives in a small

Mississippi town to help solve a murder case.

AFTERNOON

12:00 pm WTVS 6 ★★½ "Charade" (1963, Mystery) Cary Grant. A woman is targeted for murder by her dead husband's cronies who believe she knows where a vast fortune is hidden.
A&E 9 ★★ "Mean Streets" (1973, Drama) Robert De Niro. A small-time hood and his irresponsible friend find plenty of trouble in New York's Little Italy.
CITY 29 ★★ "Mr. Holland's Opus" (1995, Drama) Richard Dreyfuss. A music instructor's failed dreams of composing are replaced by the many joys of a 30-year high-school teaching career.
WGN 38 ★★½ "Sleeping With the Enemy" (1991, Suspense) Julia Roberts. A battered wife fakes her own death and assumes a new identity in a desperate gamble to escape her abusive spouse. (In Stereo)
1:25 pm WTBS 3 ★★ "Glory" (1989, Drama) Matthew Broderick. A Union officer leads America's first all-black regiment in this Oscar-winning account of the Civil War.
2:00 pm WGN 38 ★★ "Thelma & Louise" (1991, Drama) Susan Sarandon. A near-rape plunges two women into an escalating series of misadventures involving their lovers and the law. (In Stereo)
3:00 pm KNOW 5 ★★½ "Glory Enough for All" (1988, Drama) (Part 1 of 2) R.H. Thomson. An account of the discovery of insulin, focusing on Dr. Frederick Banting's research into the treatment of diabetes.
4:00 pm WXYZ 10 ★★ "Mr. Holland's Opus" (1995, Drama) Richard Dreyfuss. A music instruc-

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BCTV 11 ★★ "Sherlock Holmes in Washington" (1943, Mystery) Basil Rathbone. Holmes and Watson recover missing microfilm and a Secret Service agent.
5:00 pm CHBC 4 ★★ "Iron Will" (1994, Adventure) Mackenzie Astin. In 1917, a teenager trains for and enters a grueling 522-mile sled dog race to save his family from financial ruin.
5:30 pm WTBS 3 ★★½ "Miss Evers' Boys" (1997, Drama) Alfre Woodard. African-American syphilis patients are the subjects of a cruel experiment conducted by government doctors in the 1930s.
WDIV 7 CITY 29 ★★½ "Eraser" (1996, Adventure) (PA) Arnold Schwarzenegger. An agent for the Witness Protection Program unearths a mole in his own department while guarding a young woman. (In Stereo)
EVENING
6:00 pm WTOL 8 "Too Rich - The Secret Life of Doris Duke" (1999, Drama) (Part 1 of 2) Lauren Bacall. Premiere. An ongoing quest for true love and happiness marks the turbulent life of exceedingly wealthy heiress Doris Duke. (In Stereo)
CHCH 22 "Border Line" (1999, Mystery) Sherry Stringfield. Premiere. An immigration attorney, a private detective and an INS agent investigate a murder. (In Stereo)
7:00 pm FAM 26 "Zenon: Girl of the 21st Century" (1999, Science Fiction) Kirsten Storms. A mischievous youngster who has spent her whole life in space has a lot of adjusting to do on Earth. (In Stereo)

8:05 pm WTBS 3 ★★ "The Tuskegee Airmen" (1995, Drama) Laurence Fishburne. A law-school graduate serves his country during World War II with America's first all-black squadron of combat pilots.
8:45 pm FAM 26 ★★½ "Greyfriars Bobby" (1961, Drama) Donald Crisp. A Skye terrier's vigil at its master's grave becomes the center of controversy in 1865 Edinburgh. Based on a true story.
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10:15 pm FAM 26 ★★ "The Kid From Brooklyn" (1946, Comedy) Danny Kaye. A mild-mannered milkman is thrust into the world of boxing after he accidentally knocks out a champion fighter.
10:20 pm WTBS 3 ★★ "A Woman Called Moses" (1978, Drama) Cicely Tyson. Based on the life of former slave Harriet Tubman and the underground railroad which brought other slaves to freedom.
10:30 pm FOX 25 ★★½ "Broadcast News" (1987, Comedy-Drama) William Hurt. James L. Brooks' tale of the love triangle between a TV news producer, an earnest reporter and a vapid anchorman.

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6 AM	Little House	(Off Air)	Open Learning Annex	Sesame Street (E)	Maury	Cosby	(5:00) Columbo	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Bingo	Rainmaker	Curling: Scott Tournament of Hearts, (Live)	Travel World	Homeworks Gardener	Love Boat	Busy World	Maury	PinkyBrain
7 AM	Little House	Care Bears	Teletubbs	Mr Rogers	Jerry Springer	Donny & Marie	Equalizer "Prelude"	Martha Stewart Living	(7:10) Canada AM		Big Garage	Lassie		Rosie O'Donnell	Profiles of Nature	Paid Prog.	Goof Troop	Cityline	Batman
8 AM	Griffith	Huntley Street	Art Attack	Zoboo	Jenny Jones	Price Is Right	Murder, She Wrote	Roseanne Show	(Joined in Progress)	100 Huntley Street	Pappyland	Histerial		Price Is Right	Travelers (R)	Paid Prog.	Babar	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Griffith
9 AM	Matlock "The Mother"	Regis & Kathie	Magic	Teletubbs	News	News	Northern Exposure	News	Hollywood	Dinner	Wedding	Couch	Canada Winter Games: Men's Hockey	News	Discovery.ca (R)	Judy Brown	Busy World	News	Matlock
10 AM	Hunter	Robison	Mathshop	Sesame Street (E)	Jeopardy!	Young and the Restless Bold & B.	Law & Order	All My Children	Outreach Children	Dave Rutherford	Reunion	Kitty Cats	Man's Hockey	Movie	Explore Your World (R)	Maury	Franklin	Movie: "The Jewel of the Nile" (1985)	News
11 AM	Movie: "Matlock: The Mayor" (1988, Mystery)	Young and the Restless	Chance Seniors	Creatures Bill Nye	Another World	As the World Turns	Columbo "Etude in Black"	One Life to Live	Highlands: The Series	News	Baby Story	Bananas	Curling: Scott Tournament of Hearts, (Live)	As the World Turns	Design (R)	Martha Stewart Living	Dinosaurs	Howie Mandel	Coach
12 PM	Mama	Pamela Wallin	Medicine Building	Arthur (R)	Sally	Oprah Winfrey	Equalizer "Prelude"	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	Roseanne Show	Home Sav	Couch	Rosie O'Donnell	EXN TV (R)	Rangers	Darkwing	Cityline (R)	Webster	
1 PM	Full House	Corona'n	Playing Couch	News	News	Murder, She Wrote	News	News	Bold & B.	Nanny	Home Sav	Couch	Judy	Invention	Boy-World	Tale Spin	Cityline at Five	Saved-Bell	
2 PM	Fam. Mat.	Babar	Dotto	News-Lehrer	News	News	Northern Exposure	News	Roseanne Show	Young and the Restless	48 Hours (R)	Pokemon Animaniac	Curling: Scott Tournament of Hearts, (Live)	Love Hollywood	Discovery.ca	Home Imp.	Clarissa	Seinfeld	Fam. Mat.
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	MeninBick	Barrier	News	News	News	CBS News	News	Roseanne Show	Young and the Restless	48 Hours (R)	Pokemon Animaniac	Curling: Scott Tournament of Hearts, (Live)	Love Hollywood	Discovery.ca	Home Imp.	Clarissa	Seinfeld	Fam. Mat.
4 PM	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Denver Nuggets	Seinfeld	Profiles	American Experience	Movie: "Border Line" (1999)	Raymond Becker	Investigative Reports	"And the Beat Goes On: Sonny & Cher"	News	Deep Space 9	White-Press	Addams	Raymond	Danger	Ally	Timon	"And the Beat Goes On: Sonny & Cher"	News	
5 PM	Inside NBA	Home Imp.	Travels	Road Taken	48 Hours	Cracker "Pilot"	Fortune	Jeopardy!	King	Jeopardy!	King	Radio	Games	Nightman "Knight Life"	Discover Magazine	Fox Report	"Misadventures of Merlin Jones"	News	
6 PM	Movie: "The Dirty Dozen" (1967, Adventure)	Life and Times	Antiques Roadshow	American Experience	Late Late Show	Late Late Show	Investigative Reports	Cracker "Pilot"	Howie Mandel	TBA	Dr. Katz								
7 PM	Marvin, Ernest Borgnine	National/CBC News	Independent Eye	American Experience	Late Night (10:37)	CBS Up to the Minute													
8 PM	"Dirty Doz"	News	Dotto	Road Taken (R)	Late Night (10:37)	CBS Up to the Minute													

Monday Movies

MORNING

10:00 am CITY (29) ★★½ "The Jewel of the Nile" (1985, Adventure) Kathleen Turner. Novelist Joan Wilder sets out to write the biography of an Arab ruler and runs smack-dab into Middle Eastern intrigue. (E)

11:00 am WTBS (3) ★★½ "Matlock: The Mayor" (1988, Mystery) Andy Griffith. While defending an aging hippie accused of killing Chicago's mayor, Ben uncovers the murdered man's unsavory past.

EVENING

6:00 pm WDIV (7) "Border Line" (1999, Mystery) Sherry Stringfield. Premiere. An immigration attorney, a private detective and an INS agent investigate a murder. (In Stereo) (E)

WXYZ (10) CITY (29) "And the Beat Goes On: The Sonny and Cher Story" (1999, Drama) Jay Underwood. Premiere. Based on the late Sonny Bono's book chronicling his and then-wife Cher's up-and-down ride to entertainment fame. (In Stereo) (E)

7:00 pm FAM (26) ★★½ "The Misadventures of Merlin Jones" (1964, Comedy) Tommy Kirk. A young college student's invention which allows him to read minds causes more than its share of complications. (E)

8:00 pm WTBS (3) ★★½ "The Dirty Dozen" (1967, Adventure) Lee Marvin. A U.S. Army major selects and trains 12 hard-core criminals for a daring raid on an impregnable Nazi chateau.

9:05 pm CITY (29) ★★ "Chastity" (1989, Drama) Cher. While hitchhiking cross-country, a vagabond encounters numerous admirers and winds up in a Mexican bordel-

10:00 pm FAM (26) ★★½ "Nightjohn" (1998, Drama) Carl Lumbly. In the pre-Civil War South, a slave courageously defies the law and teaches plantation workers how to read and write. (In Stereo) (E)

10:50 pm CITY (29) ★★½ "The Jewel of the Nile" (1985, Adventure) Kathleen Turner. Novelist Joan Wilder sets out to write the biography of an Arab ruler and runs smack-dab into Middle Eastern intrigue. (E)

11:20 pm WTBS (3) ★★½ "Dirty Dozen: The Next Mission" (1985, Adventure) Lee Marvin. Renegade Maj. Reisman takes another band of ragtag soldiers behind Nazi lines to thwart a Hitler assassination plot.

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THIS WEEK, LET'S TALK ABOUT "HERITAGE"

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| HISTORY | MYTHS | EDUCATION |
| FAMILY | CUSTOMS | NATIONALITY |
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Senior Citizens Branch 30 welcomed the public to a Valentine Tea and Art Show on Saturday. An excellent lunch was served along with an outstanding display of paintings done by seniors. Some of the painting was done to beautify ordinary items like trays and boxes. The senior artists displayed great talent.

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Elk survey shows few bulls

PRINCETON - There are few bull elks in Princeton area this year, and not surprisingly, few yearling calves. Local Conservation Officer Al Lay spent some time in a helicopter last week doing an elk survey. Fred Harper, Regional Biologist, and Tom Ethier, a biologist from Penticton Ministry of Environment, flew over the area for one hour 40 minutes. They flew over Darcy Mountain,

Allenby, Buffalo Mountain, Similkameen River upstream, Kennedy Lake, Saturday Creek, Fitzgerald Mountain north of Highway 3, China Creek and Miner Mountain. The count was 105 elk, of which there were 17 yearling calves, 81 cows, and seven bulls. Of the bulls, only one was a five-point, and six were spikes. Lay admits the count is likely short by approximately 60 elk.

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<p>5 bedroom, 3 bathroom home on 1/3 ac. located on quiet cul-de-sac on the third bench. Fully finished basement, hot tub sauna, underground sprinklers and much more. \$154,900. MLS.</p>	<p>Well located after 3 + 1 bedroom home with full basement on cul-de-sac in quiet neighbourhood. Features include built-in vacuum & covered deck. \$112,900. MLS.</p>	<p>C2 zoned three bedroom home on Venimill Avenue. Lots of potential, good investment opportunity. Adjoining C2 zoned home and property for sale as well. MLS \$68,500.</p>	<p>Stunning 3 bdrm rancher in very quiet area. Beautiful level & landscaped 1/2 acre property in nice neighbourhood. Includes a Jacuzzi tub and built in vacuum system. Reduced. \$179,500. MLS.</p>
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YBC Juniors - Feb. 3
Boys
 High single - Justin Gee 167
 High triple - Justin Gee 448
 High Ave. - Jonathan Howe 141
Girls
 High single - Nicole Bertrand 272
 High triple - Nicole Bertrand 587
 High Ave. - Erin Lewis 168
Team
 High single - CSR 994
 High triple - CSR 2793
YBC Peewees - Feb. 4
Boys
 High single - Robert Cathro 93
 High double - Robert Cathro 147
 High Ave. - Robert Cathro 71
Girls
 High single - Tamara Wright 91
 High double - Tamara Wright 181
 High Ave. - Tamara Wright 69
Team
 High single - NAK 640
 High double - NAK 1269
YBC Bantams - Feb. 4
Boys
 High single - Clint Freeman 139
 High triple - Clint Freeman 344
 High Ave. - Terence Stadler 103
Girls
 High single - Jennifer Walton 124
 High triple - Jennifer Walton 336
 High Ave. - Justine Pelly 103
Team
 High single - J&J 874
 High triple - J&J 2556
YBC Smurfs
Boys
 High single - Dillon Jensen 106
 High Ave. - Dillon Jensen
Girls
 High single - Skyla LaRose 99
 High Ave. - Skyla LaRose 93
 Team High Single - Rug Rats 811
Team
 High single - MAN 989
 High triple - JJC 2770
YBC PEEWEES Feb. 11
Boys
 High single - Robert Cathro 110
 High double - Nathan Kozlowski 187
 High Ave. - Robert Cathro 72
Girls
 High single - Kelsi Walton 136
 High double - Kelsi Walton 209
 High Ave. - Tamara Wright 72

Team
 High single - NAK 700
 High double - CNN 1342
YBC BANTAMS Feb. 11
Boys
 High single - Cody Lenard 112
 High triple - Cody Lenard 270
 High Ave. - Terence Stadler
Girls
 High single - Kristie McIvor 106
 High triple - Kristie McIvor 301
 High Ave. - Justine Pelly 102
Team
 High single - CJJ 851
 High triple - JJK 2487
YBC SMURFS Feb. 11
Boys

High single - Brady Johnson 116
 High Ave. - Dillon Jensen 103
Girls
 High single - Colby Williams 96
 High Ave. - Skyla LaRose 93
 Team High Single - Rug Rats 774
YBC JUNIORS Feb. 10
Boys
 High single - Justin Gee 204
 High triple - Justin Gee 541
 High Ave. - Jonathan Howe 142
Girls
 High single - Nicole Bertrand 203
 High triple - Nicole Bertrand 556
 High Ave. - Erin Lewis 169



Anna Joiner, left, and Nykayla Stevens practice cheerleading routines for the competition.

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PLP launches big, big contest for consumers

SIMILKAMEEN - Princeton Light and Power has announced the launching of a large 3-month contest to reward all of its customers for learning about the "Power by the Hour" time-of-use rate program which has begun as of February 1, 1999.

The contest will run from March 1, 1999 through to May 31, 1999, and all PLP customers and their families are eligible to enter and as many times as they wish to.

The purpose of this contest is to get PLP customers familiar with how the "Power by the Hour" rates work and how they as PLP customers can benefit by making small changes to the times of day in which they perform duties which use significant electric power.

Every week there will be a question about the cost of electricity printed on the first page of the TV program schedules in this news-

paper. Once you have figured out the correct answer to this question you must call or drop in to either the newspaper office of the PLP office and if your answer is correct, your name will go into the draw barrel.

There will be a draw every Friday for 13 weeks, starting on March 5, 1999.

The weekly draw is for a \$25.00 credit applied to the PLP power bill of your choice, plus there will be a monthly draw on the last Friday of each of the three months. The prize in the monthly draw will be a \$100 credit to the PLP power bill of your choice.

There will be a final Grand Prize Draw on May 28, 1999, for a whopping \$500 credit to the PLP power bill of your choice. What a great present for your Mom and Dad, kids! This contest is for you, too. Enter as often as you wish.

You will need the "power by the

Hour" Resource Kit which is now available at both PLP and this newspaper office in order to get the correct answers to the questions, so pick up a kit today if you have not done so already.

The whole idea of this contest is to have fun and to offer some great rewards for those of you PLP customers who are willing to learn how to use the "Power by the Hour" rates effectively. PLP hopes you will find that using the "Power by the Hour" rates as part of your daily lives continues to be fun even after the contest is over. The real long term fun is that if each person does just one or two things each month to move some consumption out of the "On Peak" RED zones and into the "Off Peak" GREEN zones, everyone on the PLP system will enjoy significant savings - now and forever in the future. There is no need to inconvenience yourselves unnecessarily. Use as much electricity as you want and when you need it, but if you have a choice, use it in the Green zones - that's all it takes!

The real winner from this program is the environment. By lowering peak periods on the transmission systems, we are delaying the need to build more large generating plants and giant transmission lines. Most new plants built will be burning up huge amounts of precious natural gas and creating more "greenhouse gases" in our atmosphere. Presently, 99.9% of all power purchased for you by PLP comes from small hydroelectric plants which are a completely renewable resource and very non-polluting. Working together with "POWER by the HOUR" rates, we can keep it that way for many, many years to come.

Check our TV Guide for the high-priced RED zone times and the lower-priced GREEN zone times marked on the left side of the daily schedule



This is the big chunk of jade Bob Bouvette sent to a New Zealand carver this month, after holding onto it for the past 30 years, waiting for the right buyer.

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The Mayor and Council would like to thank the following for their contributions to the February 12th Business Persons Breakfast Meeting #2:

- The Business people of Princeton for their enthusiastic support.
- North West Mounted Constable Mike Fox, along with his assistants Deputy Kenny McLean and Assistant Deputy Dick Holland who are serious about catching Bill Miner.
- Bill Miner, alias George Edwards for his brief but duly noted appearance.
- The Similkameen News Leader - for making up the Wanted Posters.
- Keith Simmons, Executive Assistant to Harry Lali.
- Steve Brodie & Committee, for their dedication to Highway beautification.
- Colby Logan & Sarah Liberatore for their interest & assistance in setting up the Western display.

Special thanks to Lyle Thomas and Brad Hope for their creative thoughts and for conducting a productive meeting (even though it was disturbed by the late entrance of Miss Kitty).

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OBITUARIES

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The life of a man is hard to put into words, especially when we think of that man as such a unique person. If you were going to sum up Jerry, you might say, there wasn't a job he wouldn't tackle, he was always on the go, and he had a helping hand for so many of us.

Jerry was born in Lewvan, Saskatchewan, to Helen and Leonard Harker. He was an older brother to Kelly Harker, now of Richmond, Myrle Calhoun of Chilliwack, Beulah Vasser of Langley, Ken Harker of Cawston, and Doris Clarke of Chilliwack.

In 1926 the Harker family moved from Lewvan to Chilliwack and it was there Jerry quit school in grade 8, took his old saddle horse, borrowed another horse and started making a living plowing gardens. He then worked away from home hauling lumber to 25 Mile Camp on the Hope-Princeton Highway, logged out of Chilliwack and worked booming cottonwood logs at Minto Landing, a backwash off the Fraser River. Jerry told his brother Ken, "those cottonwoods were heavy, so you didn't walk across them, you ran, or you both would sink".

When in his early 20's, Jerry went to the Cariboo and worked at Green Lake and then in the early 30's he came to Princeton and stayed. Jerry worked at all manner of jobs from hauling freight, putting up hay, breaking and shoeing horses and building roads and bridges. He worked on building the airport and the Granby power house and was an air raid warden during the war. The years where Jerry spent most of his working life was in the bush, first logging with horses in 1934. He worked for Penticton Sawmills, Summerland Box, Western Pines, which later became Northwood Mills. He retired from his 42 years of logging in 1976.

In 1939 he married Tootsie and had 54 years of all the ups and downs a marriage brings any of us. Part of the ups were the births of five children, being grandpa to 12 grandchildren and great-grandpa to 7 great-grandchildren. All of them benefited from his patience in teaching them all he could - from how to sit a horse, to how to drive. After Jerry quit logging, one of the things he enjoyed most was to lead a group of his family to the mountains on a horseback trip. He was really in his element there and each of us have the best of experiences and memories for these times we spent with him.

Five years ago, Jerry began to suffer the effects of Alzheimers disease, and managed to live at home for another year and a half, before going to live at Vernon Lodge. He spent his last year in the Extended Care Unit of Princeton Hospital, where all the staff showed him such extraordinary kindness and care.

He is lovingly remembered by Len, Roy & Myra, Gary & Linda, Louise & Gord, and Susan & Del.

A service was held on February 11, 1999. In lieu of flowers, if friends so wish, donations may be made to the Princeton Hospital & Ridgewood Lodge Foundation, Box 2446, Princeton, BC V0X 1W0.

"It don't matter so much how long a ride you have, as how well you ride it."

PHONE NUMBERS TELL VALLEY LOCATION

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Hedley area phone numbers begin with - 292
Keremeos - Cawston - Olalla area phone numbers begin with - 499

Dorothy M. Duncan (Purdy)

September 30, 1931 - January 30, 1999

passed away at Princeton General Hospital. Beloved wife of the late Bill Duncan sister of the late Robert Purdy. Survived by her faithful companion Jack Gillis. Lovingly remembered by sisters Mae (Oscar) of Pugwash, N.S., and Vern of Amherst, N.S.. Brother Carman (Shirley) Terrace Bay, N.S.. Daughter Sharon, sons Douglas (Barbara), George (Margarita), Daniel (Maria) all of Montreal, P.Q., grandchildren Robert, Douglas (Berta) Michael, Julie, all of Montreal and Dan (Chrissa) Lancaster, P.A.. Great grandchildren Camila, Elisa of Montreal, Tendra of Lancaster, P.A.. Several nieces and nephews. By request no Funeral Service will be held. Donations can be made to Princeton General Hospital & Ridgewood Lodge Foundation in Dorothy's memory.

APPRECIATION

Ron and Joan Reid & Linda and Jack Angstadt give warmest thanks to all of our friends for the help and support you've shown us in the passing of our Mom, Vera Folkes. Your kindness and thoughtfulness will always be remembered. Also to the wonderful staff at Vermillion Court, thank you from the bottoms of our hearts for giving Mom such loving care.

Thank you Bert and Grace for the excellent 'coffee break' you gave the News Leader staff. Grace - nice buns! And thanks to Fred Heck for the donuts! You're a sweetie!

IN MEMORIAM

IN MEMORIAM DONATIONS TO THE CANADIAN CANCER SOCIETY. CONTACT DIANNE GRAHAM AT 295-6648

DONATIONS can be made to Princeton Senior Citizens Drop-in Centre Society, Box 32, Princeton, B.C.. A plaque will be placed on the memorial board. Contact John Sinclair @ 295-3947 or Al Hill @ 295-6635. Income Tax receipt will be issued. Sept/Feb

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NOTICES

"Possibilities"

An intensive 1-day watercolor workshop by Saskatchewan artist Larry Jackson. February 27, 10-4 pm at The Studio, Cawston Phone: 499-2096 F16/27

B.C. GOVERNMENT RETIREE'S

Meet Wednesday, Feb. 24, at the Sandman Inn, Penticton, commencing at 10:00 am. Phyllis Bentley of Penticton will speak on 1999 International Year of Older Persons. For more information call, Jean at 499-2680 or Cameron at 295-3997.

HAVE YOU PAID YOUR LEGION DUES YET?

IF NOT, FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE YOU MAY PAY IN THE LOUNGE EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY FROM NOON UNTIL 5:00 P.M.. THIS ONLY LASTS UNTIL MARCH 15, 1999 SO DON'T DELAY!

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Sunday (open meeting) at 8 p.m. in the health centre. Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the health centre. Ph: 295-7367, 295-6138. (closed meeting). Friday at 8 p.m. in the Tulameen Library. Phone 295-7383, 295-3296. Open Discussion, Saturday 7:30 p.m. Health Unit (closed). Phone 295-3407.

AL-ANON

Wednesday nights, 7:30 p.m. at the Baptist Church Basement Contact Phone Numbers Jenny - 295-7005 Rollic - 295-3784

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Invitation to Tender
In accordance with the Ministry of Transportation and Highways Act, Section 23, sealed tenders are invited for the following:
Project Number: 2-1274-0000
Contract Identification Number: 242MJ2139
Location: Highway 5A, Princeton to Borgeson Lake (20.2 Kilometres)
Description: The project consists of producing/constructing the following quantities: 50,700 tonnes of aggregates; 80,500 m2 of asphalt pavement milling; removing and reconstructing 700 metres of asphalt curb, and 37 metres of concrete curb; placing 36,000 tonnes of new asphalt mixes; shoulder work; removing 760 metres of concrete roadside barrier, replacing 2,080 metres of concrete roadside barrier and placing 2,700 tonnes of Low Temperature Mix.
AWARD OF THIS CONTRACT IS CONTINGENT UPON ALLOCATION TO THE MINISTRY OF SUFFICIENT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY FOR THIS PROJECT.
Sealed tenders, completed in accordance with the Conditions of Tender on the forms provided, will be received by the Ministry of Transportation and Highways at 101-523 Columbia Street, Kamloops, BC V2C 2T9 until 2:00 p.m. (local time) on March 10, 1999, when tenders will be opened in public. Fax revisions to the tendered amount must be sent to (250)828-4205
A bid security will be required in accordance with the Conditions of Tender. A pre-tender meeting has not been scheduled.
All interested parties are required to obtain the consent of the designated contact person prior to conducting any on-site investigation.
Tender documents are available between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, except holidays from the Ministry of Transportation and Highways at 101 - 523 Columbia Street, Kamloops, BC V2C 2T9. Phone: (250)828-4960
Cost: \$33.00 plus 7% GST and 7% PST for a total of \$37.62
Tender documents may be ordered from all Regional and District offices of the Ministry of Transportation and Highways.
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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Regional District of
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requires a**PEST CONTROL ASSISTANT/LABOURER II
(SEASONAL) - Competition No. PW-99-1****DESCRIPTION:**

The successful candidate will assist the Pest Control Field Technician in all aspects of the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen Mosquito Control Program.

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES:

- to assist in all duties required to conduct the mosquito control program
- assist with grounds and facilities maintenance
- to perform other duties as assigned from time to time

QUALIFICATIONS - The successful candidate will:

- be required to obtain a valid Pesticide Applicator's Certificate in the Mosquito and Biting Fly category within two (2) weeks of being appointed to the position.
- be physically fit, highly motivated and capable of carrying a 20 kilogram back pack sprayer
- have experience operating grounds maintenance equipment
- have a valid B.C. Driver's license

Consideration will be given to applicants with previous Regional District work experience.

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This is a seasonal position commencing March 15, 1999 to October 29, 1999.

This position is in the bargaining unit of the BCGEU and offers an hourly rate of \$18.24 per hour including benefits.

Please reply in writing and include a resume with references. Applications will be accepted until February 24, 1999.

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Quote Competition No. PW-99-1.

We appreciate your interest, however, only those under consideration from resume review will be contacted. For further information, please contact our Public Works General Enquiries at (250)490-4112.

News Leader Phone 295-4149

Toll free 1-888-350-9969 Fax 295-4103

Bantam Flyers hosted successful weekend tournament

PRINCETON - Weyerhaeuser Bantams hosted their home tournament on the weekend of February 6 and 7. Teams travelled from Lumby, Penticton, Salmon Arm, Summerland, Surrey and Winfield. All teams were evenly matched. The scoreboard showed a number of ties and one-goal games throughout the weekend.

Princeton played Penticton (Great Canadian Bagel) early Saturday morning, losing by a single goal. Their next opponents were Salmon Arm. The Flyers dominated most of this game, winning 5-3. Summerland was next on the list in the round robin. Both teams played well, keeping the score close right to the final seconds of the match. Summerland earned the 3-2 win in this hard-fought game.

Weyerhaeuser Bantams met Lumby in the D final on Sunday morning. Terrific teamwork and hard playing gave the Flyers and edge in their final game. Lumby was outscored 5-1 by Princeton.

A finals: Surrey defeated Penticton G.C. 3-1

B finals: Salmon Arm won in a shootout to break the 1-1 tie over Penticton Lions.

C finals: Summerland was victorious over Winfield 5-2.

Surrey received the Most Sportsmanlike Team award for least penalties during round robin play.

Weyerhaeuser Bantam Flyers played excellent hockey all weekend and showed they could conduct themselves well on ice or off. Congratulations team and coaches!

Tournament stats: Erik Luchsinger - 3 goals, 3 assists; Justin Hennenfent - 3 goals, 1 assist; Philip LePoidevin and Bobby Nault - 2 goals, 2 assists; Tyler Hogg - 1 goal, 3 assists; Nigel Bertrand - 1 goal, 2 assists; Jared McDonald - 3 assists; David Holloway - 2 goals; Darcy Cherot - 1 goal, 1 assist; Devin Huff - 2 assists; Chris Mowry - 1 goal; Aaron Banks, Chance Lintick and Katie Norman - 1 assist each.

Justin Antonick's awesome goal-tending kept his team in contention for every game.

The team appreciated the support for the tournament give by Weyerhaeuser, who sponsors the team, and the many businesses in town who contributed to the tournament.

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1. **BASIC EXCEL - 4 EVENINGS** STARTS FEBRUARY 23
Introduction to Spreadsheets for processing numbers and sorting data.
2. **FILE MANAGEMENT - 4 EVENINGS** STARTS MARCH 15
OH NO!!! Where did I save it? This is the course for you, computer file and desk top management. Learn to create folders, sub-folders, placing files in folders, wallpaper, screen savers, renaming and much more.
3. **INTRODUCTION TO WORD - 4 EVENINGS**
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4. **MANUAL BOOKKEEPING - FRI. EVENING, SAT. & SUN.**
The course to take if your bookkeeping is limited and you're thinking of taking the Simple Accounting Course.
5. **TRAIN THE TRAINER - SAT. & SUN. (EARLY 1999)**
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Curling Club is shocked at Millionaires' assault on curling tradition

PRINCETON - The Millionaires Hockey Club has brazenly entered a team in the upcoming men's bonspiel this weekend. These rank amateurs have openly stated that "if the game is played on ice, winning should be no problem once somebody explains the game to us."

Team member Paul "Waterhead" Douglas states he has heard that weight has something to do with curling, and he is confident he has enough weight for the whole team.

Ryan O'Neal, another team member, admits he has very little knowledge of the game and therefore he will throw last.

Tyson French and Jeff "Guppy" Douglas have demanded to be in the starting line-up when the first rock is dropped.

The Millionaires squad is concerned about their conditioning though, and say, in order to do a whole bonspiel, they have added a fifth member to their bench - Keith Sulentich.

Curling Club President Sharon Beausoleil, visibly shocked by the Millionaires' arrogant attitude, stated, "What these young ruffians don't understand is that curling is good manners and etiquette. My only hope is that they come up against a team like the Pigs on Tour who, although they sometimes curl in their pink underwear, still manage to display the epitome of curling refinement."

There is no doubt that the pigs will administer a good spanking and send these insolent, audacious, shameless, bumptious and blustering scoundrels back to the ice rink where they belong.

Mighty Pumpkins, long time rivals, agree that the Millionaires are skating on thin ice with their assault on curling traditions. The Pumpkins, who have long felt that the Millionaires deserved a lesson in humility, have offered a bounty of a free refreshment for every team member involved in a Millionaires' spanking (and double for a skunk). The Pumpkins, who claim they have a better understanding of the game, are

confident that penalty minutes alone will ensure the Millionaires play most of the game short-handed.

Curling action is scheduled to start Friday evening. The Pumpkins are eager to see a good crowd turn out to watch them trounce the Millionaires.

There is no competition anywhere but on the dance floor on Saturday night, when hockey skills will be applied to dancing. At the dance, there will be no clear definition of what the goal is nor how scores will be totalled - the object is to invite friends to "shake your booties", starting at 9:00 p.m.

A stroll along the Tulameen River

by Don Burbidge

A record group of 27 naturalists assembled on Saturday February 6 to hike through snow-covered woods along the road from Coalmont to Walter Smart's homestead on the Tulameen River. There were few birds and beasts to be seen, so the hike turned out to be more of a social event with plenty of conversation.

Walt had cleared a patch of snow at a location about four kilometres along the way, and lit a roaring fire, over which wieners, garlic sausage and whole sandwiches were toasted. Lynn Smith brewed a billy can of rich tea. Everything

was flavoured with the taste of wood smoke.

The views of the river were spectacular, and all enjoyed a convivial time in the snow. It is surprising how deep the snow is in Coalmont compared with such a light drift in the vicinity of Princeton. I gather there are about 13 feet of the stuff on top of Thynne Mountain.

The Vermilion Forks Field Naturalists held their annual general meeting on Monday, beginning with a display of fascinating slides and a discussion of mountains and wildlife in New Zealand and Australia, provided by Neil and Sharon Anderson. An executive was elected: President - Don Burbidge, Vice President - Lisa Loepke, Treasurer - Carol Brodie, Secretary - Joan Kelly, Correspondent - Trish Reid, Directors: Madelon Schouten, Janina Wetselaar, Peter Antonick, Margo Sarich, Marion Marsel, Lynn Grantz, John Beltz, and Jerry Herzig.

On Sunday, February 21, Madelon Schouten will lead a hike around the Jura Loops. This is an easy stroll, and since there are few birds around at this time of year, this will be mainly a social outing. Those who wish to go should phone Madelon at 295-7078 and meet at the bus depot at 10 a.m. Sunday.

SOOPA annual meeting

by Laurel Arnold

CAWSTON - On Saturday, Feb 13, at the Cawston Hall, The Similkameen Okanagan Organic Producers Association (SOOPA) held its Annual General Meeting to review committee reports, discuss its guidelines and involvement in the Certified Organic Association of B.C.(COABC), and to elect a new executive: President Andrea Turner, Sec.-Treasurer Donna Stocker. As well, new Board Members were appointed for 2 yr. terms: Irene Hutchinson, Destine Lydiatt, Natalie Carr, Hans Buckler and John Clarke. The rep. to the COABC board is Gordon Bell, and to the Sterile Insect Release Program, Wayne Still. SOOPA also has an 8 member certification committee. An honorary lifetime membership was offered to Gary Judd--an entomologist at the Summerland Research Station who developed the mating disruption program for codling moths. According to Andrea Turner, "Cawston has the highest concentration of certified organic growers in Canada." They sell mostly fresh fruit, both locally

and to a wider market-- Canada, U.S. and Europe.

An Organic Tree Fruits Production Guide--the first comprehensive manual in North America developed for organic tree fruit -- is now available through SOOPA.

SOOPA and COABC will co-sponsor an Organic Growers Forum March 6 in Naramata. Corkey Evans, B.C. Minister of Agriculture will open the event which will include speakers, workshops etc.. on such topics as composting and cover crops, processing, inspector training etc.. call 499-7040 for further info.

CIBC says

CIBC Market Outlook

If the old stock market adage "As goes January, so goes the rest of the year" is true, 1999 will be a good year.

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Princeton's senior basketball teams will be playing in the zone finals this year. Above, the senior girls (in light coloured uniforms) play Osoyoos in Princeton in the last regular league game. The teams travel this weekend for the finals.

Willie Knowles excites crowd

by Mike Bertram

Princeton's Senior Boys basketball team, the Rebels, lost their final league game of the year 64-39 to Osoyoos, who are ranked #6 in the province. The boys played a decent first half, they just were not scoring. We spotted them a 17 point half-time lead. We played well defensively and kept our turnovers down, which are two positives as we head into the valley championships next weekend. We had a great fourth quarter. We out-scored Osoyoos 11-9 and definitely out-hustled them. The boys started to hit the floor for loose balls and pretty soon it was contagious. The bench players got excited, the crowd was excited,

the gym was electrifying for that 10 minute period. Willy Knowles was at the heart of the uproar. He hit the floor for every loose ball, gathered eight rebounds, scored five points, and worked his butt off every second he was in there. The other boys fed off his work ethic. Dustin Pasco scored 11 points

and took seven rebounds. Colin Timms shot excellently from the field, scoring eight points, and Connor Wicks played a good game up front, collecting 10 rebounds and six points.

The boys had a great game to build on for the Okanagan Valley championships.

Serious questions must be asked about Forest Rec

This spring it was revealed by the Ministry of Forests that there would be no money available for maintenance of the Province's Forest Service Recreation sites. After much public outcry, the Ministry managed to find one million of the four million dollars needed to keep most of the Rec sites open. Far fewer were maintained.

As this camping season draws to a close, one can not help but wonder what is in store for these same Rec sites next year. It does not look good!

Both Forest Renewal B.C. and the Ministry of Forests have stated that there will be no money allocated for maintaining Rec sites next year or in the future. Alternatives being discussed include turning over Rec sites within Regional Districts to them to manage, hiring contractors to manage problem sites with a user fee to cover costs, a license fee to cover the remainder of the sites and closing some sites completely.

Several questions must be asked if this is to be the future of our Rec sites. How will license fees be enforced? Will each Rec site be checked? More importantly,

does government want to move once again to unorganized camping? This was the primary reason these sites were established. To get campers into designated areas around lakes so the majority of the riparian would be left undisturbed. One only has to look to Alberta to see that this is exactly what happens when user fees are imposed.

Approximately 80% of British Columbia is public land. These lands are managed for all resources including public recreation. The Forest Service is the primary agency responsible for managing this activity. Forest Service Recreation sites are rustic by design and offer the minimum in conveniences, a camping and outdoor life style that the majority of B.C. residents enjoy.

Perhaps our government should review why Recreation sites were established in the first place, and also check how many people over the age of 18 are using them on a regular basis.

For more information call: 1-800-533-2293, or visit our web site at: www.bcwf.bc.ca
By: Les Husband, President
B.C. Wildlife Federation

Trustee commends senior teams

PRINCETON - School Trustee Ken Heuser commended the senior boys and senior girls basketball teams for their success in attending the zone finals. His comments came at the February 10 school board meeting.

"It has been a long time since we had teams going to the zone finals," Heuser said to Principal L. Stoochnoff. "Please convey my congratulations to the teams."

Stoochnoff attended the meeting to ask for some assistance with funding the February 19-20 finals. The trustees agreed to assist.

Should vegetarians eat animal crackers?

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