

Ranchers tell other side of Trail



The gifts are handed out to the cowboys and cowgirls who helped establish the rodeo at Chopaka. They worked with Barney Allison through the years. Blankets were given out by John Terbasket (hidden by horse and rider far left). Dignitaries arrived on the Welby Stage as part of the grand entry and ceremony. See story page 24.

Club honours ranchers

PRINCETON - The ranching community will turn out Wednesday night to honour more of their own at the Rodeo Club Heritage Dinner.

The Worthingtons

Ted and Katie Worthington are among those to be recognized for their contributions to ranching. Katie Ferguson was a rancher when Worthington met her. She ranched with her parents, Wes and Edna Smith, on a ranch along Highway 5A. When Ted and Katie started dating, Ted started learning about ranching. They moved to the ranch in 1974 and Ted became fully trained. Both Katie and Ted worked at the local copper mine, but they did their part on the ranch. Wes Smith, "a real oldtime rancher", taught Ted how to repair things when they broke down.

Katie and Ted bought the ranch in 1985, and the old folks retired. They still live on the 110 acre ranch, and run 37 head of Herefords and Limousin bulls. They plan to increase the herd to 50 head in 2000.

"I still find ranching just as inter-

esting as it was the first day," says Ted, "I still love to see those new calves."

The Cromartys

Bill and Bernice Cromarty sold their place last year and moved, after 43 years. They bought their place on Highway 40 in 1955. They had a survival test in the winter of 1955-56 when they were snowed in for six weeks and

the temperature dropped to -45F. They had come from Chilliwack with two small children. Bill went logging at Hope the first autumn, leaving Bernice and the children on their own.

"Spring never came until April," Bernice recalls, "We would've moved back to Chilliwack but we couldn't afford it."

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Weather Watch

Princeton area Keremeos area

	March High	Low	Precip		High	Low	Precip
29	10.4	-2.3	0.2 cm snow		12	2	
30	8.4	-1			11	0	
31	10	-3.5			14	-1	
April 1	13.1	-5.1			17	0	
2	13.4	-5.1	.6 mm rain	4.4 cm	19	1	
3	4.7	0.1	trace rain		8	3	
4	5.2	-0.6	0.6 cm snow		10	4	1 mm rain

FORECAST:

Wed- Mainly cloudy, 40% chance rain, low 3, high 13

Thurs- Mainly cloudy, 60% chance rain, low 2, high 12

Fri- Mainly cloudy, 30% chance rain, low 1, high 13

Normals: low 0, high 14.

April 2 - Sunrise 6:30 a.m. Sunset: 7:40 p.m. Daylight: 12:56 hrs. equal to September 1.

PRINCETON - The Kettle Valley Railroad right of way as a recreational corridor has brought some opposition from local ranchers and rural property owners. They feel their concerns are important, and have not been adequately dealt with.

How would you feel if you had people traipsing through your yard, dropping garbage where they felt like dropping it, letting their dogs run loose, and damaging your possessions? The average homeowner would likely call the police and press charges against the intruders. This is what ranchers and rural property owners have experienced with people using the old railbed as a hiking and biking trail.

"I don't mean everybody is a yahoo," says Brenda Crimmon, "I've met some wonderful people who used the trail. I'm not even opposed to the trail, but I don't want it through my property."

The Crimmon ranch is located northeast of Princeton, and the Crimmons are stuck with 18 kilometres of fence to maintain along the old railbed. Brenda was angry when trail users on snow machines cut the fence, knocked down the wire, and used the Crimmon pasture as a playground. The fence is still down, frozen to the ground.

Ranchers have genuine apprehension about hikers and bikers losing control of their dogs along the trail.

Crimmons lost a cow because a dog ripped the udder off the cow. The dog could have been shot for attacking the cow, but as Crimmon says, "You have to see it while it's happening."

Pam Thomas raises sheep. A dog running her ewes would mean a loss of next year's lamb crop.

"When a dog runs a pregnant ewe, she aborts," Thomas says.

Gates and fences mean very little to many who use the trails. Every rancher has a story about somebody who refused to recognize the difference between public and private property. Thomas and Leona Brewer tell of people simply ignoring the gates and driving right past their homes to gain access to the trail. People think nothing of trampling standing hay, or camping on ranchers' properties.

Ranchers can put up 'No trespassing' signs and any other kind of sign to inform trail users, but the signs do not last long.

Property owners do not see why they must foot the bill for repairs and more signs.

Disease is a concern, especially in regard to foreign tourists, who may bring diseases with them on their shoes or themselves. Hikers track weed seeds as well, helping spread knapweed, hound's tongue and toad flax.

What is the difference between a train and people?

Larry Kohler, of Tulameen, spells it out: "You know when the train is coming."

Ranchers do not know when the hikers, bikers, snowmobilers or ATV drivers are coming through. They could come through in the middle of the night.

The trains did not stop on the ranches and unload passengers. The train owners maintained the fences, sprayed for weeds, kept the dry grass down to prevent fires. The trains did not cut fences, or trample hay, or camp, or leave gates open, nor chase the livestock.

The solution to the problem is to find an alternative route. On Vancouver Island, the Trans Canada Trail will go through Crown timber land under an approval from the Ministry of Forests. There is no reason why Crown land here could not be used as alternative routes around ranches, rather than through them, but no effort has been made by local trails groups to address the issue of alternative routes.

One of the deterrents to the alternative route idea stems from the idea that legal title to the route must be changed. Ranchers say there need not be changes in titles. The transportation corridor can remain in place, and the trail would simply veer off around the ranch and through Crown land.

"The trail is a good thing to bring people here," says Larry Kohler, who is a member of Vermilion Trails Society, as well as a rancher. "Everybody should be able to enjoy the outdoors. All we want is to protect our property, not stop people from enjoying a hiking trail."

Ranchers agree there are always those who will fail to respect private property, although the majority are good. Policing the trail is not the ranchers' job, and there is simply too much trail and too little money to make any policing truly effective. Alternative routes seem to be the best solution.



So, you thought Bill Miner was just a piece of local history? Think again! Here he is, large as life and just as sassy, right here in the Similkameen Valley. John Sandness snapped this photo of Miner as a wondering local person tries to make Bill admit he is the man on the WANTED poster. Bill just laughed. Constable Fox and Deputy McLean were busy with other duties at the time and did not respond to the message that Miner was in the neighbourhood. Unconfirmed information says Miner is holed up at the castle, waiting for the next stage-coach to roll in.

Ranchers honoured

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Bernice did most of the cattle raising while Bill was logging. In time, they were running 50 head. They raised steers during the 1980's, usually 25 to 30 head.

"It's heavy work," Bernice says, "I couldn't do it anymore."

With the sale of their property and the move, the Cromartys have finally retired.

John and Ruby Bey

Ruby Bey was raised on a ranch and still is happy living on a ranch. She and her husband, John, have a ranch along Highway 5A, and run 60 head of beef.

They started out on Ruby's parent's ranch, raising horses and kids. John had a machine shop in town, and Ruby worked for BC Tel for awhile, and for Princeton Light and Power. The children are grown. Their son lives in Calgary (3 grandchildren) and their daughter lives in England (2 grandchildren).

They bought the ranch on Highway 5A in 1983. During the years, John worked for the mine, for logging outfits, and for Weyerhaeuser, retiring last fall. They grow hay for sale as well as for their own stock, and Ruby is active with the Fall Fair Association and Princeton Exhibition Association, and helps out at other rural events.

Jack Powell was born and raised here, and has been associated with the ranching/horse racing industry for a lifetime. He and his wife, Sonja, have a home-along Allison Creek, north of Princeton.

Dan Rice has spent a lifetime in the Tulameen Valley. He is a descendant of the Rabbitt family, early settlers at Tulameen. The family has always been involved in ranching.

Gene and Edith Rice have likewise spent a lifetime in the ranching business in the Tulameen Valley. If you talk to them about floods, forest fires, and being snowed in, they can tell you some history they lived through and survived.

Protect against bear

PRINCETON - People can expect to see bears soon. These animals are starting to come out of hibernation. Conservation Officer Al Lay warns local residents to take precautions similar to last fall. Do not leave garbage where it can attract bears, and do not feed pets outdoors where bears will be attracted to the pet food. Do not approach the bears under any circumstances.

Recycling succeeds

SIMILKAMEEN - In 1998, organizations, businesses, and residents of the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen diverted over 15,000 kilograms of waste through the Recycling Council of British Columbia's BC Materials Exchange program.

The BC Materials Exchange Program is like a dating service for waste - it provides a way for two parties to find each other and exchange waste. As the saying goes: one person's waste may be another person's gold.

The Regional District encourages its residents to continue using this valuable service. Therefore, if any organization, business, or resident generates a reusable by-product that normally is discarded, they should contact the Recycling Council of British Columbia (RCBC) to find another party that may be able to reuse it. Alternatively, organizations, businesses and residents should also contact RCBC if they are looking for a reusable by-product.

Burglar tries theft

Princeton RCMP responded to an audible alarm at Elgered TV, located on Bridge Street in Princeton. The store had been broken into, activating the alarm. The break-in occurred at 4:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 31.

The intruder tried unsuccessfully to disconnect the audible alarm.

Anyone with information pertaining to this break-in are asked to contact Princeton RCMP at 295-6911 or CrimeStoppers.



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Princeton's Youth Ambassadors and reigning royalty helped with the Cancer Society fundraiser on April 1 by selling daffodils around town. Left to right: Miss Dairy Queen Jenn McConnell, Miss Weyerhaeuser Candace Smith, Miss Rotary Krista Szymczak, Miss Princeton Alison Aspinall, Princess Laine Westran, Miss Lions Melissa Bowen, Miss Argo Road Maintenance Mary Bowden, Miss Valley First Credit Union Kristan Boyce, and Miss Royal Canadian Legion Kayla Kinloch.

April is Cancer Month

Facts about cancer today

April is Cancer Month. Donations go to cancer research. The symbol is the daffodil. People still get cancer. One in three people will experience cancer in their lifetimes. Of the

129,200 new cases of cancer in Canada in 1998, 71 per cent were people over 60 years old. Of the 62,712 deaths from cancer in 1998, 81 per cent were people over 60 years old.

Are we making progress? Yes! Since the early 1970's, the survival rate has grown from 52 per cent to 72 per cent.

The Canadian Cancer Society is worthy of public support. It is the largest volunteer organization in Canada. Volunteers provide support services to cancer patients in nearly every community in B.C. British Columbians are the most generous funders, raising \$5.2 million. The society provided accommodation for 2300 people at cancer lodges in Vancouver, Victoria and Kelowna.

The Canadian Cancer Society provided direct services to the people of Lytton, Merritt and Princeton in 1998 by providing \$7,210 in Emergency Aid to people with cancer, along with 23 patient stays in cancer lodges, and 27 attendees of cancer support groups.

In 1998, the Lytton, Merritt and Princeton areas raised \$25,617 through the efforts of 263 volunteers.



Jean Marlin, center, age 80, has decided to take life easy for awhile after years of volunteer work at Adult Day Care. Joyce Fraser (right) and Jenny Liss presented Jean with a bouquet and thanks. Jean says volunteering has its own rewards.

PRINCETON LEGION BRANCH #56 ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE

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4 EASTER SUNDAY LOUNGE CLOSED	5 CRIB 11:30 am	6 HI-BALL SPECIAL	7 FREE BINGO 2 pm	8 EXECUTIVE MEETING Darts & Line Dancing 7 pm	9 CRIB 6:00 pm	10 MEAT DRAW 2:30 pm
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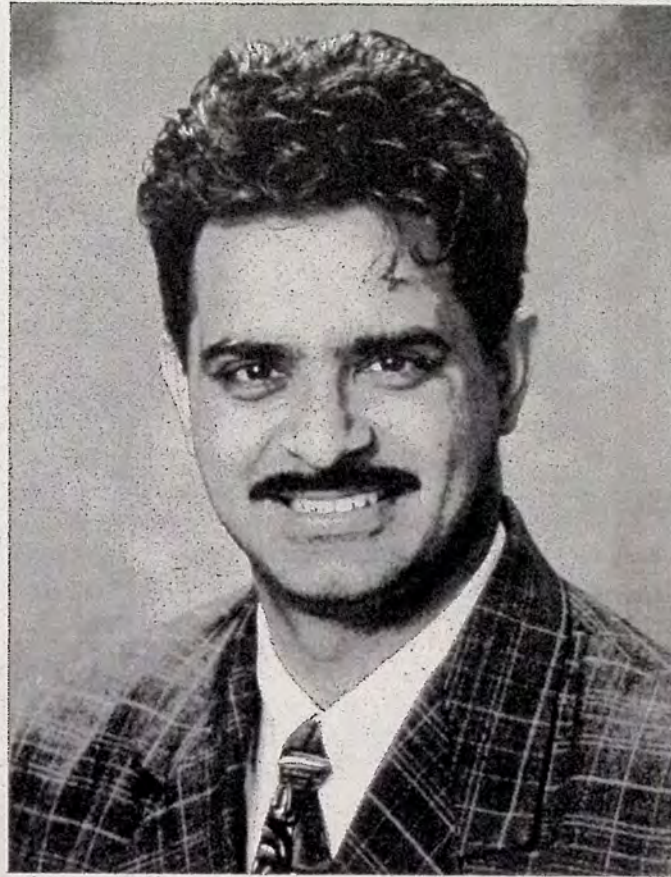
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Young people help Korea

PRINCETON - What is a starvation diet? It is 100 grams of rice per day. Girl Guides, Pathfinders, Sparks, and Brownies attended a

workshop last week where they learned what North Korean people have to eat. All local units collected bottles,

and donated \$50 to help relieve starvation in North Korea. After a devastating flood in 1995, followed by drought, food shortages became critical in that country.

At the workshop, the girls learned how little rice is 100 grams a day, and they learned that a person cannot live on that small amount of food for more than six months. Girl Guides of Canada have sent \$100,000 to Red Cross International for the North Korean Relief Operation to help alleviate food shortages, but the real truth about a starvation diet hit home as the girls sampled plain rice and saw it as their full day's ration.

Marjorie Brewer, a local teacher, showed slides and a number of Korean items she had kept from her trip to a Girl Guide Jamboree in Korea. She told the girls about daily life in Korea, and showed them how Koreans must make sure they obtain clean water for cooking.

As part of the workshop activities, each girl learned how to make a fan, Korean-style, using the North Korean national colours.



Guider Carol Mack, left, explains starvation diet of rice to J-Lee White, center, and her sister, Cori White.



Marjorie Brewer shows slides and small items from the time when she travelled to Korea for a Girl Guide International Jamboree.

Don't feed the deer

PRINCETON - Conservation Officer Al Lay requests Princeton residents stop feeding deer in residential areas.

"It creates more problems than it solves," Lay says. "Feeding the deer brings predators to the neighbourhood."

Another problem he identifies is the deer becoming too accustomed to people and vehicles. Then, deer pay no attention to what people are doing, and they are hit by cars.

Deer can be dangerous, especially when they have young with them. Deer, if they feel threatened or feel that their young are threatened, will slash at people with their front hooves. Small children would be in extreme danger.

Lay warns, "If the deer in town become too much of a nuisance, they will be put down."

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POINTS OF VIEW

OUR VIEW

History repeats

Our nation is involved in a war in Europe, for the first time in fifty-four years. This is no "peace-keeping" operation, it is a war, and many of us see some strong similarities between the regime in Yugoslavia and the Nazi regime of the Third Reich. Furthermore, few of us understand why the "ethnic cleansing" seems so important to the Serbs.

The Serbs' are not engaged in a "final solution" identical to the destruction of the Jews, but the fact that the Serbs are ridding their territory of anybody who is not a Serb strikes a distinct chord of a tune we have heard before and never wanted to hear again.

The Serbs are de-stabilizing Europe. The refugees from Kosovo now number close to one hundred thousand, and more are being driven out daily. At least, this time, the persecuted people have somewhere to go, unlike the Jews of Nazi Germany. The next question is: how many refugees can Macedonia and Albania absorb? When do food and shelter become so scarce they must either cease taking people or turn their guns on the Serbs and claim back the land?

April 13 is Holocaust Awareness Day, and it is ironic that we are seeing a form of holocaust repeated in Yugoslavia. To us North Americans, who live side by side with all races and religions, respecting the right to be and believe according to individual rights and freedom, there is no reasonable explanation for what the Serbs are doing. All of the Yugoslavs look alike to us. We can see all of it on television. We see some people called Serbs and we see some people called "ethnic" Albanians, but we cannot see any difference.

According to one news report, this war is about some Serb king whose army was defeated by the Turks six hundred years ago. Our question is "so what?" Is that any reason to go to war today?



YOUR VIEW

Trails create ranch problems

Dear Editor;

Agriculture is British Columbia's number one industry at this time. This is an industry that depends upon utilizing the less than 3.7% arable land that British Columbia contains. The farmers and ranchers who make their living from this land are, for the most part, conscientious stewards of the land who are dedicated to protecting this small land base for food production both now and in the future. The only land we British Columbians can grow food on is under constant pressure from various sides, and more and more of this land is being lost to non-farm uses. The government commissioned a report on the agricultural land in the province, and this Quayle report emphasized the need for all of us to protect and preserve the little farmland we have. Our grandchildren and their grandchildren will always need food. The farmers and ranchers in this area have tried to get the government to listen to their concerns over the recreational use of the approximately 600 agricultural acres that make up part of the KVR, with many thousands more acres of farmland being impacted by this corridor.

In the several years since this corridor has been abandoned by the railroad, the adjacent landowners have had many experiences with both the government as steward of this land and with the public as recreation-

al users of this corridor. These experiences have caused us to have many concerns about the projected use of this land as part of the Trans Canada Trail. Some of these problems include

- the spread of noxious weeds that endanger pastures and fields
- the lack of repair and maintenance of culverts and trestles, causing erosion and flooding of fields
- disturbing livestock
- destroying field crops
- vandalizing machinery, buildings and fences
- contamination of fields, rivers and forested areas with human waste and litter
- trespassing, camping, lighting and leaving fires
- theft
- discharging firearms, hunting in restricted areas, poaching

As adjacent landowners to the KVR bed, we are constantly being required to monitor the activity that takes place along the right-of-way, as well as the unauthorized activities that occur on our private properties. This adds an unnecessary burden to the farmers and ranchers trying to raise crops and care for livestock. It doesn't take much imagination to see how a Trail through a mill yard would have a negative impact on the mill's production. It is just the same for the farmers and ranchers whose industry takes place on these lands.

While it is most likely possible that the majority of trail users

could be educated to treating the adjacent land with respect and using the Trail conscientiously, there would undoubtedly still be those whose pursuit of recreational pleasure causes problems. It seems unlikely that the presence of a police officer many, many kilometres away would be considered a serious deterrent to unacceptable behaviour.

The government has not investigated the individual merits of each parcel that makes up the KVR lands, but has made a blanket pronouncement that the KVR will be part of the Trans Canada Trail. In this province, the Agricultural Land Commission is the government agency responsible for protecting our food lands through the Agricultural Land Reserve, and has the authority to change the designation of agricultural land for non-agricultural uses. To date this has not been done, and the adjacent agricultural landowners believe that each parcel should be treated specifically before any change in designation takes place. We do not support the government's current trend of ignoring the informed opinions of those who will be most affected by decisions made through the influence of those who, at best, will have only a brief encounter with the results of the decision.

Farmers and ranchers support the activities that celebrate the

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Little Scoop: Finding a summer job

It is getting close to that time again students, the weather is getting nice (well nicer anyway) and its getting close to April, do you know what that means? Well, yes summer, but it also means summer job time! You know your parents aren't going to let you sit around the house all summer and to get a decent summer job you have to start looking now. So where do you start? Well, if this is your first time reading a newspaper, immediately following my little story here (if it gets placed where it usually does) is a section called the "Classifieds" and in their they list employers looking for help in the "help wanted" ads.

If you have ever even thought about getting a job, you probably know all that so here are some real tips for getting a good summer job:

1. As I already said, start looking now. To assure yourself a summer job, you have to give yourself as many opportunities as possible. So start reading the papers and

getting those applications out there.

2. Know what you can and can't do. If it says "legal clerk, 3-5 years experience necessary" don't waste your time or the employers time even sending them your application. Find something you know you can do and go after that job. One of the joys of student summer employment is you often end up working in the low end, no experience necessary jobs in which prior "mopping" experience will be your greatest asset. Hey, everybody has to start somewhere and just think about the extra spending money.

3. Get a neat, sharp looking resume together. Most of you will have made one before in school (at least once!) and you know the general format, but sit down in front of the computer and type out a well thought out cover letter and a quality resume. Take your time and do your best to be honest, but focus on your strengths and try to "sell" yourself as an employee.

Most employers aren't looking for there next vice president, but they are looking for someone they can trust to do a good job, so let them know you are willing to work hard and do a good job.

4. Sell yourself. Not literally, or I am going to get sued in a hurry! Go out and drop off resumes, ask to see the manager of each place you apply and make sure you are not shy with them, especially when it comes to service industry jobs. The employer wants someone who is going to look the customers in the eyes and be friendly and helpful, so try to convey that when you enter each place you hope to find work.

It might sound like I am trying to be a know it all, but these are all things I have heard from employers, most of it from employers explaining why I DIDN'T get the job. So take this to heart and get out there, its time to make some cash!

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We support our local economy

Dear Editor;

In the past few months, I have read in this newspaper a lot of concern regarding the town's economy.

The efforts of most of the business community and local citizens to revitalize the town, i.e. the western theme, Billy Miner, village clean-up, and beautification are all to be commended.

Ranchers

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historical significance of farming and ranching in this area. Activities such as Racing Days, Pony Express Rides, Rodeos and Fall Fairs all contribute to the Western theme that the Town of Princeton is cultivating as its own theme. As the Trans Canada Trail is also considered to be advantageous to this area, the adjacent landowners have identified alternate routes around agricultural lands that would still bring the Trail to Princeton, Coalmont and Tulameen. It is our hope that our town neighbours and friends will join us in our efforts to have the viability of alternate routes acknowledged and supported.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kohler

The way the community bands together over the perceived danger of losing hospital beds, is another case in point, which brings me to the reason for this letter.

There are two small locally-owned grocery stores in this town, and the public's apathy toward these businesses is appalling. The quality and prices at one are comparable and often better than the large chain store. They are desperately hanging in there. All they need is customers. The other store also needs customers to stay in business, their shelves are getting depleted. If they got your business, dear reader, their shelves would quickly be

restocked. They guarantee it.

Meanwhile, the chain store seems to have a monopoly. The owner of the chain store recently moved another company to Calgary. The few dollars he will save in corporate taxes will no doubt fill his piggy bank. No, I do not forget the people who work at the chain store. The population remains static and we all need to eat. In other words, we still need service personnel.

The best part of this scenario is that all the wages and profits stay right here.

No, I do not have an interest in either store, except as a customer. See you there!

H.P. Toews.

Heart Food

by Dave Machin



There is something happening these days that seems to be occurring with more than comfortable frequency. They call it "home invasions", where someone knocks on the door of your residence and when you answer, they forcibly invite themselves in with the intent of robbing you or possibly something worse. My thought today stems from a verse found in Revelations 3:20 which says "Behold I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and open the door I will come in to Him and dine with Him and He with me." You can rest assured that God will never be involved in an invasion of your home. However, He does make house calls and is doing so today. Can you imagine the God of all the universe actually coming to visit you? The door He is knocking on is the door to your heart. As He knocks, He is calling your name, not usually in an audible voice but in a quiet unobtrusive way, trying to get your attention. He desires to have a relationship with you personally but because He is a perfect gentleman: He will not force Himself in. He is waiting for you to answer and invite Him in to talk to you about the condition of your heart and actually direct your heart into the love of God and His goodness toward you. Relationship with God is not based upon religion or being good or doing good things. It is based upon people like you and me having heart surgery. God wants to give you a new heart spiritually speaking, so that the relationship between Him and you can be on a heart to heart level. All over the world today, people just like you are answering His knock and allowing Him to change their old stony heart with a brand new one. Do you hear Him knocking today? If so, open the door, for He has something good for you. God is good all the time.

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Wed. April 14th	Princeton School Board Office
Wed. April 28th	Merritt School Board Office
Wed. May 12th	Tulameen Elementary School
Wed. May 26th	Coquihalla Middle School
Wed. June 9th	Princeton School Board Office
Wed. June 23rd	Merritt School Board Office

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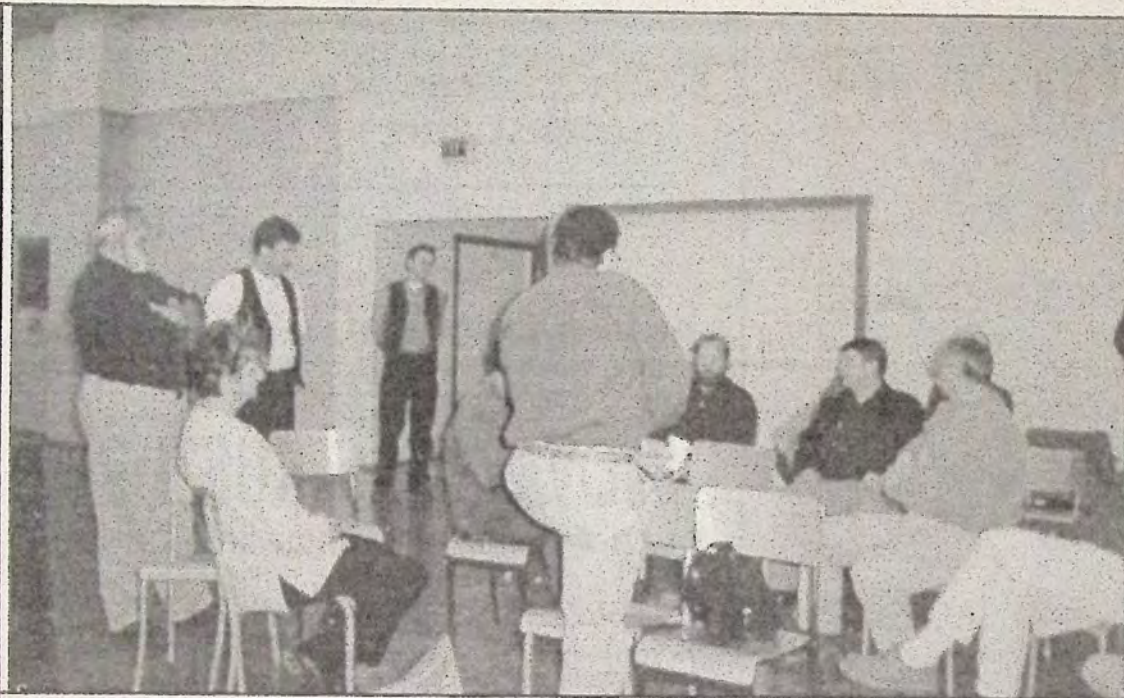
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Ed Grifone, center, facing audience, Senior Consultant for Planning and Development for Urban Systems of Kelowna, gives final draft report of the South Similkameen Profile and Economic Development Strategy to members of the South Similkameen Economic Development Commission and others on March 25 at Victory Hall in Keremeos.

South Similkameen Economic Development plan moves forward

by Laurel Arnold

SIMILKAMEEN - About 25 people came out, March 25 at the Victory Hall, to hear Ed A. Grifone, Senior Consultant for Planning and Development for Urban Systems of Kelowna, give the final draft report of the South Similkameen Profile and Economic Development Strategy. Requested by the Keremeos and South Similkameen Economic Development Commission, an organization initiated in Keremeos in 1997, the profile and strategy, funded by Human Resources Development Canada, has cost about \$26,000 and taken about one year to compile. It gives an overview of economic possibilities and suggests practical steps that can be taken in the area which includes Keremeos, the Upper and Lower Similkameen Indian Bands, and Area B and G of the Regional District, a total population of over 5,000. Members of the Economic Development Commission--Judy Chisholm, Ken Randle, Chuck Casperson and David Prest--Regional District Directors Bill Bush of Area B (Cawston) and Roger Mayer of Area G (Keremeos Rural and Hedley), Keremeos Councillors Hecoeks and Holley, members of various regional committees, Wayne Beggs of Community Futures Development Corp. from Penticton, and concerned members of the general public attended. Though representatives from both Native Bands were not present, Judy Chisholm, Chairman of the Economic Development Commission (EDC), reported that they are on board.

The South Similkameen Economic Development Strategy final draft report basically outlines the study area, why the need

for a strategy, the region's economic base and strengths and weaknesses, key issues expressed by residents during the study process, key areas or factors of the local economy traditionally targeted for growth or enhancement, and the Economic Development Strategy itself, which identifies regional goals and objectives, an action plan with suggested levels of priority, ideas for a regional marketing approach, a framework for performance evaluation, and a recommended Organizational Administrative model for the Economic Development Commission. Ed Grifone mentioned that local and regional Economic Development offices and organizations have been created across Canada. He cited Alberta's success and pointed out that B.C. is well behind the times compared to other parts of the country. The Strategy outlines a sample one year budget for the South Similkameen Economic Development Commission Office that includes a full time co-ordinator, salary \$40,000, permanent part-time assistant/secretary, salary \$15,000 with benefits, and a range of administrative expenses, bringing the total to \$88,000 for each of the first two years. A recommended third year increase would bring the three year total to between \$240,000 and \$300,000.

Recommended funding sources? -Two Native Bands together, 12.5%, Village of Keremeos 12.5%, Regional District 25%, and Provincial/Federal Gov't. 50%. The option of a less expensive, part-time office that would focus on a few activities was also discussed. In this case, Wayne Beggs suggested it would be up to the volunteers to narrow down the activity choices.

After Mr. Grifone's presentation, one of the issues discussed by both speaker and audience was the Agricultural Land Reserve as a barrier to Industrial Commercial land use. Mr. Grifone recommended that a forum be held to address this matter. Bill Bush said when he brought this issue to the people of Cawston 5 years ago they said no. An audience member suggested that maybe it's time to try again.

Judy Chisholm is inviting people who have expressed an interest in forming a new EDC to come to her home Tuesday, April 6, at 7:00 p.m. Judy believes that just as having a film commissioner has brought more film making to the area, having an economic development person would bring economic improvements. She believes change is coming, and it's much better to be pro-active than reactive. Call Judy at 499-7797.

GST looks at barter

OTTAWA - The hated Goods and Services Tax, which the Liberal government promised to abolish, is now developing regulations which will make the tax even more intrusive into the lives of ordinary Canadians. One of the areas tax collectors are aiming the GST at now is bartering networks, which have managed to

avoid GST.

Other GST changes may prove beneficial to some companies and/or individuals, but the expansion of the regulations and the target subjects for revision is a clear

indication there is no plan for abolition of the tax in the foreseeable future.

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Fire damages home

by Laurel Arnold

CAWSTON - On Sunday March 28, at about 8:30 am, fire damaged a rental home on Newton Rd in Cawston. The Keremeos and District Fire Dept, who attended the fire, didn't find anything suspicious. They suspect an electric heater as the cause. Fire Chief Jordy Bosscha is investigating. The neighbour who reported the fire wasn't sure if people were inside or not. A B.C. Tel. repairman who was just passing by stopped and was trying to check the place out when the Fire Dept.

arrived. According to Doug Macleod, fire dept. training officer, the telephone repairman had a fire extinguisher and was attempting to do what he could, but there was too much smoke for him to go in. The first fire crew went in with air packs to look for occupants. Once they determined no one was there, they put out the fire and tried to minimize the smoke and water damage. Doug Macleod says, though the fire was confined to a small area of the house, smoke and heat damage is

extensive throughout the home. The house interior is black, even clothing in drawers. The renters can't live there and they have to salvage what they can. Fortunately for the owner, the structure was insured. According to Fire Chief Jordy Bosscha, the fire caused roughly \$30,000 damage to structure and contents. This was the second fire on Newton road in the last month. The previous one, on March 1, completely destroyed a vacant home and was deemed suspicious.

The Fire Dept. always responds to an alarm unless they are advised that it is false. An alarm at the Similkameen High School malfunctioned around midday on Monday, March 29, causing the Fire Dept. to be called out twice. The problem with the school alarm is being worked on.

Village Council reviews finances

by Laurel Arnold

KEREMEOS - A representative of BDO Dunwoody Chartered Accountants and Consultants was on hand at Municipal Council's regular meeting March 15, 1999, to present and answer questions on the 1998 financial statements they had prepared for the Village using the accrual basis of accounting. This method recognizes revenue when billed, and expenses when incurred. The Village Operating Fund Balance at the beginning of 1998 was \$236,249. The surplus after all Revenue and Expenditures was \$95,599, making the Operating Fund Balance, at the end of the year, \$331,848. The Village collected \$935,467 in taxes, for general Municipal and other purposes, from the following 835 properties within the Village--658 residential, 9 utility, 4 light industry, 133 business, 9 recreational non-profit, and 22 farm. Of this, \$636,371 was transferred to Provincial Education, the Regional District, the Regional Hospital District, the B.C. Assessment Authority and the Municipal Finance Authority, leaving the Net General

Municipal Taxes at \$299,096. Added to this Municipal tax total were Frontage and Parcel Taxes for the Water system, collected from the downtown core at \$12,880, and the Sewer System, collected from most of the lower level of the Village at \$108,210, making a final total of \$420,186.

From the Village's total outstanding long term debt of \$868,727, the Street Sweeper portion of \$4,950, will no longer be owed after 1999. The Sewer System makes up the rest, \$863,777. In 1998, the Village paid \$64,553 on principal and \$205,432 in interest on the Sewer debt. In 1998, Village and ratepayers received, from the Provincial Government, a sewer facilities assistance grant of \$170,831 for the debt, and, from Provincial and Federal Governments together, a sewer infrastructure grant of \$42,283.

Total remuneration and expenses paid to Council Members in 1998 was \$23,825.44. Total Employee Remuneration and Expenses for Administration and Public Works was \$237,138.93. The complete 1998 Financial Statements can be viewed at the Village Office.

Keremeos Council approves "Village Clean - up Week"

by Laurel Arnold

KEREMEOS - At its March 15 regular meeting, Village Council gave approval to sponsor its traditional "Village Clean-Up Week," which includes a pruning pick-up service to residents. Prunings must be at the curb side by 8:00 a.m on either or both days, Tuesday, April 6 or Thursday, April 8, and must be no longer than 4 feet. Leaves and other small garden debris must be bagged. Though open burning of dry garden waste and prunings is allowed in Keremeos until April

14, for safety and air quality, it's better to have them picked up.

On March 15, Village Council approved the removal of 5 vehicles and a mobile home from a downtown 8th Ave. property. These items were in an extreme state of disrepair and in violation of a property maintenance by-law. The owners had been notified several times by the Village Office over a 6 month period and had been asked to remove them, but as of March 12, 1999, they had not complied with the Village request.

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KEREMEOS LANDFILL

Effective May 15, 1999, the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen is implementing a user-fee system at the Keremeos Landfill, whereby landfill users will be charged a fee for waste disposal. Typical user-fees are as follows:

Vehicle	Fee per Load
Any vehicle with three (3) or less standard size garbage bags/receptacles	\$ 5.00 (minimum fee)
Automobile, including cars, mini-vans and station wagons	\$ 5.00
Pick-up Truck with factory box	\$ 10.00

WHY IMPLEMENT A USER-FEE SYSTEM?

If residents have to pay the true cost of waste disposal as reflected in user-fees, they have a greater incentive to reduce the volume of waste they generate. In fact, refuse disposal user-fee systems have proven to:

- 1) reduce the overall cost of waste management by reducing waste volumes;
- 2) extend the lifespan of waste disposal facilities; and,
- 3) promote source reduction, reuse, recycling, and composting.

Additionally, user-fee systems are fairer in the sense that residents will have to pay according to the amount of refuse they generate. The more refuse you generate, the more you pay for disposal. Conversely, the less refuse you generate, the less you pay for disposal.

AREN'T USER-FEES ANOTHER FORM OF TAXATION?

User-fees are not another form of taxation. In fact, the 1999 tax requisition for the Keremeos landfill has been significantly reduced due to the implementation of the user-fee system, as shown below:

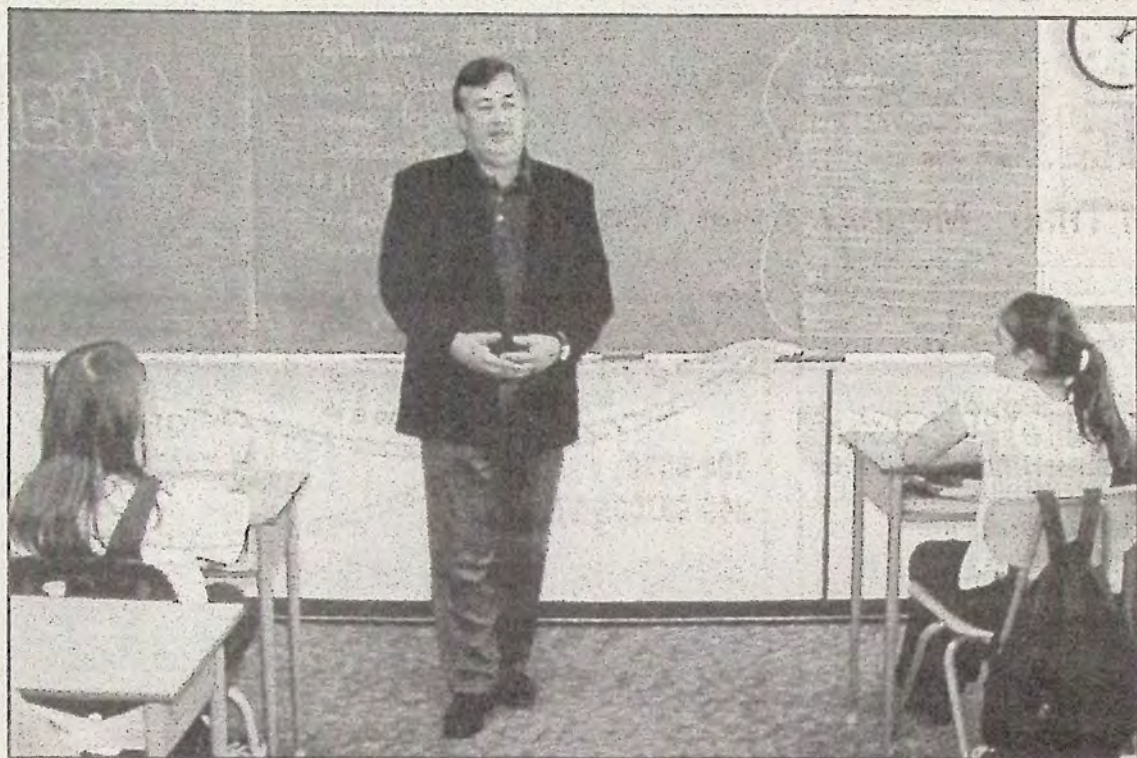
Area	1998	1999
Keremeos	\$ 61,000	\$ 28,000
Electoral Areas B & G	\$102,000	\$ 45,000
Total Tax Requisition	\$163,000	\$ 73,000

HOW CAN I REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF WASTE I GENERATE?

The amount of waste you generate can be significantly decreased if you remember to diligently practice the 3Rs (REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE) and COMPOST. Follow these simple guidelines:

- REDUCE the amount of waste you generate. For example, bring your own shopping bags to the store and buy minimally packaged articles.
- REUSE what you can. Perhaps you could buy milk in glass bottles and return them to the store.
- RECYCLE those materials that are accepted in local community recycling programs. The Regional District is currently investigating opportunities for further local recycling program expansions.
- COMPOST organic materials such as food, yard, and garden waste. These materials comprise roughly 25% of the typical household waste stream. Therefore, composting is a very effective and inexpensive way to reduce the amount of refuse that requires landfill disposal.

For further waste reduction information, please contact the Public Works Department at (250)490-4112 or the Recycling Council of British Columbia at 1-800-667-4321 or visit their web-site at www.rcbc.bc.ca.



Jim Hart, Member of Parliament for Okanagan-Coquihalla, was guest teacher at John Allison Elementary School last week. He talked to the Grade 5 class about his job in Ottawa.

Max and Susan De Beeson

Local Tune-Agers ready for Showcase

The longstanding seniors' musical group called the Tune-Agers has acquired some new blood from Princeton. Max and Susan DeBeeson have been playing in the group since last year and travel to Penticton regularly to do so. Max plays cello and Susan, the violin. They have enjoyed this outlet for their musical talents as well as being able to contribute to the Tune-Agers. They are getting ready for Showcase '99, a concert to be held in Cleland Community Theatre in Penticton at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 20. Tickets are \$10 and are available from the De Beeson, or the Pantry Restaurant in Penticton, or at the door. Last year's concert was sold out, so don't depend on getting them at

the last minute. The Tune-Agers are a 72 member singing group/orchestra under the direction of Helene Scott and range in age from 53 to 90 plus. They have been performing concerts locally and abroad for over 25 years. Their tours have taken them from Europe to Australia. They are a lively, energetic group who are far from dull in their performance of a variety of music,

from show tunes to classics. Members travel from as far away as Kelowna and Princeton. There are some solo performers, including a cello solo by Max. The group invites everyone to enjoy an evening of fun and good music. Funds raised help to offset the costs of the professionally arranged scores and sheet music. Phone 295-7910 for tickets and information.

Dogs chase deer

PRINCETON - Al Lay, Conservation Officer for Princeton area, warns there are dogs chasing deer along Old Hedley Road near Hayes Creek, at the airport, and around Tulameen. Does are heavy with fawn at this time of year. He says owners must keep their dogs under control.

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6 AM	Little House	(Off Air)	Open Learning Annex	Sesame Street (EI)	Maury Gold diggers.	Cosby	Quincy	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Bingo	Kitty Cats	(5:00) Curling: World	Style	Gardener	Love Boat (Part 2 of 2)	Busy World	Maury Gold diggers.	PinkyBrain
7 AM	Little House	Care Bears	Teletubbs	Mr Rogers	Jerry Springer	Donny & Marie	Equalizer	Martha Stewart Living	(7:10) Canada AM		Big Garage	Lassie	Champion ships. (Live)	Rosie O'Donnell	Insectia: Tracks	Paid Prog. Hollywood	Goof Troop	Cityline 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 Huntley Street	Pappyland	Histerial	Sportsdesk (R)	Price Is Right	Travelers (R)	Paid Prog. Match	Babar	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Griffith
9 AM	Matlock	Regis & Kathie	Magic Kitty Cats	Teletubbs	News	News	Simon & Simon	News	Hollywood	Dinner	Wedding	Big Comfy Couch (R)	Off-Record	News	Discovery .ca (R)	Judy Brown	Busy World	News	Matlock
10 AM	Hunter	Roblson	Snoops	Days of Our Lives	Young and the Restless	Law & Order "Profile"	All My Children	Movie Home	Dave Rutherford	Reunion	Reunion	Grounding	From Saint John, N.B. (Live)	Movie	Eco-Challenge (R)	Maury Gold diggers.	Franklin	Fashion-Oscars	News
11 AM	Movie: "Jaws 2" (1978)	Young and the Restless	Colour Human	Creatures	Another World	As the World Turns	Northern Exposure	One Life to Live	Highlander: The Series	News	Baby Story	Bananas	From Saint John, N.B. (Live)	As the World Turns	Design (R)	Martha Stewart Living	Dinosaurs	Award Fashion	Hawaii Five-0
12 PM	Honor Roy Scheider, Lorraine Gary.	News	Lead	Zoom	Montel Williams (R)	Gulding Light	Quincy	General Hospital	News	Days of Our Lives	Wedding	Dragon	Roseanne Show	Danger	Spider-Man	Art Attack	Howl Mandel (R)	Coach	
1 PM	Mama	Pamela Wallin	Gaining Woman	Arthur (R)	Sally (R)	Oprah Winfrey	Equalizer	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	Roseanne Show	Home Sav	Couch	World Wrestling Federation: Raw Is War (R)	Rosie O'Donnell	Dotto's	Rangers	Darkwing Bonkers	Cityline Therapy day.	Webster
2 PM	Full House	Coronat'n	Digital	Couch	News	News	Murder, She Wrote	News	Bold & B.	Nanny	Home Sav	Kitty Cats	World Wrestling Federation: Raw Is War (R)	Judy	Invention	Boy-World	Tale Spln	Cityline at Five	Saved-Bell
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	Babar	20 Minutes	News-Lehrer	News	News	Simon & Simon	News	Roseanne Show	Young and the Restless	Trauma	Pokemon	Off-Record	News	Discover Magazine (R)	Simpsons	OfftheWall	News	Full House
4 PM	Roseanne	Rosie O'Donnell	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order "Profile"	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey	News	Trauma	Antmanlac	Curling: World Champion ships.	Love	Discovery .ca	Home Imp.	Clarissa	Seinfeld	Fam. Mat.
5 PM	League Baseball: Philadelphia Phillies at Atlanta Braves. (Live)	Major League Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Minnesota Twins. (Live)	Power Business	Nova (R)	Frasler (R)	JAG "The Black Jet"	Biography: Ford	Home Imp.	News	News	Trauma: Life in the ER	Rugrats	From Saint John, N.B. (Live)	Maggie	Kingdoms of Survival	King of Hill	Little Lulu	Deep Space 9	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros. (Live)
6 PM	Movie: "The Final Countdown" (1980)	Friends	Kash Shirley	Frontline (R)	Just Shoot!	Movie: "Something Borrowed, Something Blue"	Horatio Hornblower: "The Duel" (R)	Spln City	News	Magician Code	Alr Disasters (R)	Odyssey	Will-Grace	Just Shoot!	Exhibit A	PJs	Timon	Movie: "Something Borrowed, Something Blue"	Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros. (Live)
7 PM	Movie: "The Final Countdown" (1980)	Friends	Medicine	Journey to Planet Earth	Dateline	Movie: "Something Borrowed, Something Blue"	NYPD Blue (PA)	Fortune	News	Just Shoot!	Speed Demons	Animorphs	Total Recall 2070	Flightpath "Osprey"	Fox Report	Movie: "Napoleon and Samantha"	News	News	News
8 PM	Movie: "The Final Countdown" (1980)	Friends	Cosmo	Chefi	Tonight Show	(8:35) Late Show	Biography: Ford	Nightline	Nanny	Payne	Trauma: Life in the ER	Reboot	NBA Basketball: Utah Jazz at Los Angeles Lakers. (Live)	Real TV	Kingdoms of Survival	Hollywood	Blossom	Movie: "The Last of the Finest" (1990)	Matlock
9 PM	Movie: "The Final Countdown" (1980)	Friends	Wild South	Nova (R)	Jenny Jones	Late Late Show	Horatio Hornblower: "The Duel" (R)	Politically	City "Surviving"	News	Speed Demons	Student Odyssey	Post-Game	Brown	Exhibit A	Xena: Warrior Princess	"Misadventures of Merlin Jones"	Brian Dennehy	Matlock
10 PM	Movie: "The Final Countdown" (1980)	Friends	Mind Travellers	Frontline (R)	Late Night	Paid Prog.	Horatio Hornblower: "The Duel" (R)	Howl Mandel (R)	CTV News	Marrd...	Trauma	Ocean Girl	Sportsdesk	Access	Flightpath "Osprey" (R)	I Spy	Mouse	"Back	Paid Prog.
11 PM	Movie: "The Final Countdown" (1980)	Friends	Packing Heat	Journey to Planet Earth	Later	CBS Up to the Minute	Thane's	News	Dr. Katz	Trauma	Afraid?	Sportsdesk	Night	Night	I Spy	Mouse	"Back	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.

MORNING

11:00 am WTBS (3) ★★½ "Jaws 2" (1978, Horror) Roy Scheider. Another man-eating great white shark resurfaces off the coast of Amity.

EVENING

6:00 pm WTOL (8) CITY (29) "Something Borrowed, Something Blue" (1997, Drama) Connie Sellecca. Three brides-to-be find their marriage plans in jeopardy as secrets from their pasts are revealed. (In Stereo) (E)

7:00 pm FAM (26) ★★ "Napoleon and Samantha" (1972, Adventure) Michael Douglas. The safety of a friend's mountain

retreat spurs two youngsters and their adopted lion to brave the Oregon wilderness. (E)

7:35 pm WTBS (3) ★★½ "The Final Countdown" (1980, Science Fiction) Kirk Douglas. Time Approximate. An atomic-powered aircraft carrier is transported back to the Pacific Ocean hours before the attack on Pearl Harbor.

9:05 pm CITY (29) ★★ "The Last of the Finest" (1990, Drama) Brian Dennehy. Three suspended cops uncover a widespread conspiracy when they are forced outside the law to avenge a partner's death. (E)

9:45 pm WTBS (3) ★★ "Tank"

(1983, Drama) James Garner. Time Approximate. An Army sergeant uses his private Sherman tank to rescue his son from a Southern labor camp.

10:00 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)

11:20 pm CITY (29) ★★ "Backstreet Dreams" (1990, Drama) Brooke Shields. A child psychologist tries to convince a gangster that his life of crime is threatening his autistic son's future.

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Wednesday Movies

- MORNING
7:05 pm WTBS 'Downtown' (1990, Comedy) Anthony Edwards.
11:00 am CITY 'Maxie' (1985, Comedy) Glenn Close.
11:00 am WTBS 'They Live' (1988, Science Fiction) Roddy Piper.
EVENING
6:00 pm CITY 'Louis 19th: King of the Airwaves' (1994, Comedy) Martin Drainville.
7:00 pm A&E 'The Secret of Bay 5B' (1988, Mystery) (Part 1 of 2) John Thaw.

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6 AM	Little House	(Off Air)	Open Learning Annex	Sesame Street (EI)	Maury (R)	Cosby	Quincy	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Bingo	Kitty Cats	(5:00) Curling: World	Home	Gardener	Love Boat	Busy World	Maury (R)	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	Hamster	Champion ships.	Rosie O'Donnell	Country	(Part 2 of 2)	Franklin		Historial
8 AM	Griffith	Huntley Street	Art Attack	Zoboo	Jenny Jones (R)	Price Is Right	Murder, She Wrote	Roseanne Show	(Joined in Progress)	100 Huntley Street	Pappyland	Historial	Sportsdesks	Price Is Right	Trails	Hollywood	Chip-Dale	Cityline	Batman
9 AM	Matlock	Regis & Kathie	Magie	Teletubbs	News	News	Simon & Simon	News	Hollywood	Dinner	Wedding	Couch	Curling: World	News	Discovery	Judy	Busy World	News	Matlock
10 AM	Hunter	Robison	French	Sesame Street (EI)	Days of Our Lives	Young and the Restless	Law & Order	All My Children	Movie	Dave Rutherford	Reunion	Kitty Cats	From Saint John, N.B.	Movie	Eco-Challenge	Maury (R)	Franklin	Movie: Next Gener.	News
11 AM	Movie: "Assassination"	Young and the Restless	Global Economy	Creatures	Another World	As the World Turns	Northern Exposure	One Life to Live	Highland	News	Baby Story	Bananas	WineTour	As the World Turns	Design	Martha Stewart Living	Dinosaurs	Movie: "Louis 19th: King of the Airwaves" (1994)	Hawaii Five-0
12 PM	Charles Bronson	News	Caller's Choice	Zoom (R)	Montel Williams (R)	Gulding Light	Quincy	General Hospital	News	Days of Our Lives	Wedding	Dragon	Masters	Roseanne Show	Insectia	Spider-Man	Art Attack	Howie Mandel	Coach
1 PM	Mama	Pamela Wallin	Learning Masters	Arthur (R)	Sally (R)	Oprah Winfrey	Equalizer	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	Roseanne Show	Home Sav	Couch	Golf: The Masters -- First Round.	Rosie O'Donnell	Dotto's	Rangers	Darkwing	Cityline	Webster
2 PM	Full House	Coronal'n	Journeys	Couch	News	News	Murder, She Wrote	News	Bold & B.	Nanny	Home Sav	Kitty Cats	Round.	Judy	Invention	Boy-World	Tale Spin	Cityline at Five	Saved-Bell
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	Babar	Shakespe.	News-Lehrer	News	News	Simon & Simon	News	Roseanne Show	Young and the Restless	Hm. Again	My Home	Sportsdesk	News	Wings: Eagles	Judy	Mad Libs	News	Full House
4 PM	Roseanne	Rosie O'Donnell	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey	News	Trauma	Pokemon	Curling: World	Love	Discovery	Home Imp.	Clarissa	Seinfeld	Fam. Mat.
5 PM	Baseball: Philadelphia Phillies at Atlanta Braves.	News	Destinos	Workshop	Friends	Promised Land	Biography	Videos	News	News	Medical	Rugrats	From Saint John, N.B.	Stargate SG-1	Tracks	Wildest Police Videos	Little Lulu	Media	Buffy Vampire
6 PM	From Turner Field	Seinfeld	Studio BC (R)	Sportsman	Frasier	Turks "Siege"	Unexplain ed (R)	Century: Coming Apart	News	Star Trek: Voyager (R)	A Wing and a Prayer	Addams	From Saint John, N.B.	Turks "Siege"	Cosmic	Fox Files	Timon	Crow-Stairway	Felicity (R)
7 PM	Movie: "Hank Aaron: Chasing the Dream" (1995)	Friends	Picturing a People	Served	News	News	Law & Order	News	Mother's Love-Joyce	Friends	Medical	Alpha 2	Sportsdesks	48 Hours: Guinea Pigs	Nothing to Hide	Fox Report	Movie: "Candleshoe" (1977)	TV Frames: Salvador	News
8 PM	Chasing the Dream (1995)	Frasier	Life on the Vertical	Workshop	Tonight Show	(8:35) Masters	Law & Order	News	Greatst Hoaxes	Frasier	A Wing and a Prayer	Addams	Golf: The Masters -- First Round.	News	Discovery	Cops	Jodie Foster	Night Party	MacGyver
9 PM	Movie: "One in a Million: The Ron LeFlore Story"	CBC News	Soul	Sportsman	Jenny Jones (R)	(9:52) Late Late Show	Unexplain ed (R)	Politically	ER "Point of Origin"	News	Jungle (R)	Student	Round.	Model	Cosmic	S.O.F.	Movie: "Off Beat" (1986)	Movie: "Embrace of the Vampire" (1995)	Harvey
10 PM	The Ron LeFlore Story	News	Money	Mystery: Morse	Late Night	Minute	"The Secret of Bay 5B"	Enforma	News	Dr. Katz	Trauma: Life in the ER	Ocean Girl	Sportsdesks	Northern	Nothing to Hide	Paid Prog.	Mag Tilly	Movie: "Sonatine"	Paid Prog.

Thursday Movies

MORNING

10:00 am CITY (29) ★★"Louis 19th: King of the Airwaves" (1994, Comedy) Martin Drainville. A young salesman is transformed into a media celebrity after he becomes the subject of a TV soap opera. (Dubbed)

11:00 am WTBS (3) ★★"Assassination" (1987, Drama) Charles Bronson. A Secret Service agent is kept busy thwarting an apparent assassination plot against the first lady.

EVENING

7:00 pm A&E (9) "The Secret of Bay 5B" (1988, Mystery) (Part 2 of 2) John Thaw. Inspector Morse tackles the case of a car-park murder in which the only clues are a diary and a parking ticket.

8:00 pm WTBS (3) ★★"Hank Aaron: Chasing the Dream" (1995, Documentary) Time Approximate. A look at the baseball superstar's 715th home run and the obstacles he overcame to break Babe Ruth's record.

9:05 pm CITY (29) ★★"Embrace of the Vampire" (1995, Horror) Alyssa Milano. An innocent college student is torn between romance and lust when a seductive vampire seeks possession of her soul.

10:00 pm FAM (26) ★★"Off Beat" (1986, Comedy) Judge Reinhold. A librarian gets more than he bargained for when a favor for a friend leads to a secret career as a police officer.

10:05 pm WTBS (3) ★★"One in a Million: The Ron LeFlore Story" (1978, Biography) LeVar Burton. This drama chronicles the incredible rise of Detroit Tiger centerfielder Ron LeFlore from prison to the major leagues.

11:00 pm A&E (9) "The Secret of Bay 5B" (1988, Mystery) (Part 2 of 2) John Thaw. Inspector Morse tackles the case of a car-park murder in which the only clues are a diary and a parking ticket.

11:05 pm CITY (29) ★★"Sonatine" (1984, Drama) Pascale Bussieres. Two teenagers take drastic steps to gain attention in this award-winning Canadian film.

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ARIES - This week starts with some surprises, as unexpected, unpredictable elements shake up your life. This may be a turning point for you. Pay attention.

TAURUS - You need to do a lot of thinking and you need to take a positive attitude. You have no illusions now. See things for what they are without being discouraged.

GEMINI - Information you needed is available this week, but it may upset you. Some of your plans are blocked as reality dictates a firm approach to facts.

CANCER - Life is challenging in a good way this week. Do not overindulge in anything. The temptation is there strongly. Moderation is the key now. Use energy effectively.

LEO - This is a fairly good week for you, but the big trends demand you see life in a factual way. Don't kid yourself about what is happening. The challenges are still there.

VIRGO - You may feel more relaxed, but keep your nose to the grindstone. Others are willing to help, but success depends on your efforts. You have plenty of energy and shared resources are available.

LIBRA - Partnerships can bring you benefits now, but nothing is simple. Dealing with banks and government is demanding of time and effort. Persevere.

SCORPIO - Your energy intensifies now and becomes internalized. The effect is increased drive and stronger motivation. Work sensibly, stay balanced between physical and mental.

SAGITTARIUS - Information you were waiting for comes to you now. Things begin to look more favourable. This is a good week to make gains. Positive influences are at work inside you.

CAPRICORN - Hold steady, move ahead at a sensible pace. This week can be beneficial but don't expect miracles. Be firm, but gracious. This week requires strength.

AQUARIUS - Caution is your keynote now. Don't be carried away by expecting a silver lining. Your life is too unpredictable these days.

PISCES - You can catch up on paperwork this week, and work seems to flow more smoothly. Siblings are a source of goodwill. You should make contact with them and share good feelings.

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Friday Movies

MORNING

10:00 am CITY (29) *** "Strictly Ballroom" (1992, Musical) Paul Mercurio. A dancer with a penchant for breaking the rules takes on a like-minded new partner in preparation for a big contest. (E)

EVENING

6:00 pm WTBS (6) *** "2001: A Space Odyssey" (1968, Science Fiction) Keir Dullea. A renegade computer jeopardizes interplanetary explorers in Stanley Kubrick's groundbreaking space saga.

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ACROSS

- 1. Word in the title of Chuck Norris' series
5. Series for Christina Applegate
9. Initials for Winona
10. Most popular show of the '83-'84 season
13. Word in the title of Leah Remini's sitcom
14. "Who's Talking"; '89 John Travolta film
15. "___ Blue Eyes"
17. Brian ___
19. ___ & Mrs. C (1986-87)
20. Buddy ___
22. Dutch export
24. Island ___ (1989-90)
25. Cali's place
26. Laura ___ Giacomo
27. Fall behind
28. Rather long skirt
29. Flower with 3 petals
31. That is: abbr.
32. Half of the title of Glendon Headly's series
37. Visitor from afar
38. Grand Ole ___
39. Role in The Wizard of Oz
41. David Hart's role on In the Heat of the Night
43. Initials for Leno's rival
44. Buffy's portrayer
45. Actor on Just Shoot Me

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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- 1. ___ a Kind
2. Series set in Chicago
3. Commercial
4. Laughs for ___ '63 comedy series
5. Joe Penny's title role in his '87-'92 series
8. Monogram for Elke
7. My ___ Called Life (1994-95)
8. Star of The FBI (1965-74)
11. ___ Chaney Jr.
12. Hit a ball
16. Series that ran for 17 seasons
17. Franklin or Hunt

- 18. Little House on the Prairie role
19. Faith's character
21. The ___ West (1966-67)
23. ___ John (1988-92)
28. Grant Shaud's role on Murphy Brown
30. ___ the Beaver (1985-86)
33. Actor Wyle
34. Lifesaving technique, for short
35. Mork's home
36. Deli purchases
40. Barker, for one
41. Zeb, to John Walton Sr.
42. Prefix for lease or start
43. The ___; '71-'72 Robert Conrad series

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6 AM	Family Ties	(Off Air)	Open Learning Annex	Router	News Today Saturday	(5:00) News	Hist-Homes	Doug	Birdz	Batman	Furniture	Surf's Up!	(5:00) World of Soccer	Guys Boat	Inquiring	Godzilla	Babar	Indo	Video Computer Store	
6:30 AM	Family Ties	Gadget	Bugs & T. Teletubbs	Old House	Saved-Bell	Bunnies	America's Castles (R)	Pepper	News	Animaniac	Home Sav	Dragn Flyz	Fishing	Cooking	Movie	Magician	Wuzzles	Eye on Asia (In Hindi)	Fishing	
7 AM	Movie: "Drop Dead Fred" (1991)	Bugs & T. Wishbone	Workshop	Hang Time	Rhino			Bugs & T.		MeninBlick	Home Sav	SpyDogs	Motoring	Q Scene	Movie	Rangers	Madeline	Asia (In Hindi)	Paid Prog.	
7:30 AM	Phoebe Cates.	Gadget	Creatures	Fly Fishing	City Guys	Warriors		101Dalmits		Morane	Home Sav	ChannUm	Be-Player	Rainbow	Dotto's	Mad Jack	Wish Kid	Polish Studio	Paid Prog.	
8 AM	Movie: "Hiding Out" (1987, Comedy)	Godzilla	Art Attack	Sportsman	Hang Time	TBA	New Explorers (R)	Pooh		Godzilla	Hm. Again	Flintstones	Auto Race	Money	EXN TV (R)	SpyDogs	Gadget	Travel	Soul Train (R)	
8:30 AM	Jon Cryer.	Cryptkeep.	Teletubbs	Gr. Lakes	Inside Stuff	TBA		Squiggie		PinkyBrain	Hm. Again	Jetsons	Auto Racing	Investmnt	Planes	Honey, I Shrunk	"The World's Greatest Athlete"	Cityline Home day (R)	Griffith	
9 AM	Movie: "Weird Science" (1985), Kelly LeBrock	MeninBlick	Sewing	Cars	Video Time	TBA	Christianity: The First 1000 Years (R)	Movie: "Hidden in Silence" (1996) Kellie Martin	Investors On-Line	Investors On-Line	Toolbelts	Monsters	Major League Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Baltimore Orioles. (Live) (R)	Investors On-Line	Nothing to Hide (R)	Student	Club Jam	My-Martian	CHUM FM 30	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates.
9:30 AM	Movie: "The Breakfast Club" (1985)	Potato	Tal Chi	Antiques Roadshow	Criminals	Legends of the Spring	Investigative Reports	Movie: "Final Shot: The Hank Gathers Story" (1995) American Justice (R)	News	Car Guys	Paramedics (R)	Top 10	Blue Jays at Baltimore Orioles. (Live) (R)	Movie: "Mad Dog and Glory" (1993) (R)	Sir Peter Ustinov (R)	Movie: "The Inkwell" (1994, Drama) Larenz Tate.	Bill Nye	Going Wild	Electric Circus	
10 AM	Movie: "The Road Warrior" (1981) Mel Gibson, Bruce Spence.	Curling: World Champion ships -- Women's. From Saint John, N.B. (Live)	Nanny	Cooking	Sports	Golf: The Masters -- Third Round. (Live) (R)	American Justice (R)	Movie: "Final Shot: The Hank Gathers Story" (1995) American Justice (R)	Snowboarding: Canadian Ch. Pet Guys	Car Guys	Paramedics (R)	Top 10	Blue Jays at Baltimore Orioles. (Live) (R)	Movie: "Mad Dog and Glory" (1993) (R)	Sir Peter Ustinov (R)	Movie: "The Inkwell" (1994, Drama) Larenz Tate.	Bill Nye	Going Wild	Electric Circus	
10:30 AM	WCW Saturday Night	Fish'n Hockey	Guerilla	Lawrence Welk Show	NBC News	CBS News	City Confidential (R)	News	Wrestling: ShoGUN	Travel Style	Andy Griffith	Dexter	Spider-Man	Sportsdesk	Highlander: The Series	Godspeed, John Glenn	Hercules-Jrmys.	Goof Troop	News	Earth: Final Conflict (R)
11 AM	Major League Baseball: Arizona Diamondbacks at Atlanta Braves. (R)	NHL Hockey: Florida Panthers at Toronto Maple Leafs. (Live) (R)	Pick-Day	Ballykissangel	Fortune	ER	Mysteries of the Bible	Entertainment Tonight	Roads	Bordertown	Star Trek Log	Felix-Cat System	Masters Primetime	Pensacola-Wing Champions	Connection	Xena: Warrior Princess	Believe It	Ooh La La	Ill. Luckiest	
11:30 AM	Arizona Diamondbacks at Atlanta Braves. (R)	NHL Hockey: Edmonton Oilers at Vancouver Canucks. (Live) (R)	Teletubbs	Natural World	Pretender	For the World. (Taped)	Polrot "The ABC Murders"	Century: The Evolution of Revolution	News	Traders	America's Most Wanted	Freaky Addams	World Wrestling Federation: Raw is War (R)	Pretender	Dolphin Stories	America's Most Wanted	Clarissa Blossom	Movie: "The Stupids" (1996) Tom Arnold.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Chicago Bulls. (Live)	
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Saturday Movies

MORNING

7:00 am WTBS (3) ★★"Drop Dead Fred" (1991, Comedy) Phoebe Cates. An imaginary friend returns to help a woman out of her melancholy state by wreaking havoc on an unsuspecting public.

9:00 am WTBS (3) ★★"Hiding Out" (1987, Comedy) Jon Cryer. A frightened stockbroker tries to elude the gangsters on his trail by posing as a student at a high school.

FAM (26) ★★"The World's Greatest Athlete" (1973, Comedy) Jan-Michael Vincent. A jungle-raised youth is carried off to America for potential athletic glory.

10:00 am WXYZ (10) "Hidden in Silence" (1996, Drama) Kellie Martin. In 1940s Poland, a courageous Catholic teen-ager risks her life to hide 13 Jews from the Nazis. Based on a true story.

11:00 am WTBS (3) ★★"Weird Science" (1985, Comedy) Anthony Michael Hall. Two high-school nerds accidentally create the woman of their dreams when an electrical storm zaps their home computer.

CHCH (22) ★★"Mad Dog and Glory" (1993, Comedy-Drama) Robert De Niro. Love enters the life of a lonely photographer when the gangster whose life he saved rewards him with a woman.

FOX (25) ★★"The Inkwell" (1994, Drama) Larenz Tate. A teen-ager finds love while trying to make the best of a family vacation on Martha's Vineyard in the summer of 1976.

AFTERNOON

12:00 pm WXYZ (10) ★★"Final Shot: The Hank Gathers Story" (1992, Drama) Victor Love. An account of the Loyola Marymount University basketball star whose life was cut short by a fatal heart ailment.

1:00 pm WTBS (3) ★★"The Breakfast Club" (1985, Comedy-Drama) Emilio Estevez. Five high-school students learn about themselves and one another when they are forced to spend a Saturday in detention.

EVENING

6:00 pm CITY (29) ★★"The Stupids" (1996, Comedy) Tom Arnold. The head of a dimwitted suburban family stumbles onto a secret plot involving arms sales to international terrorists.

7:00 pm FAM (26) ★★"Perfect Harmony" (1991, Drama) Peter Scolar. A mutual love of music helps a white youth and his black friend break racial barriers at an all-white prep school. (In Stereo)

7:05 pm WTBS (3) ★★"The Road Warrior" (1981, Adventure) Mel Gibson. Time Approximate. In post-apocalyptic Australia, a former highway cop sides with an oil-producing community against sadistic nomads.

8:30 pm WGN (33) ★★"The Gauntlet" (1977, Drama) Clint Eastwood. A determined detective attempts to survive a setup while delivering an uncooperative key witness to a syndicate trial.

8:35 pm FAM (26) ★★"Country" (1984, Drama) Jessica Lange. Threatened with foreclosure of her farm, an Iowa woman struggles to hold onto her land and keep her family together. (In Stereo)

9:00 pm CITY (29) ★★"Fear of a Black Hat" (1993, Satire) Rusty Cundieff. An interviewer chronicles the misadventures of an outspoken rap group that preaches one thing but practices another.

9:25 pm WTBS (3) ★★"Bad Moon" (1996, Horror) Mariel Hemingway. A lawyer and her child unwittingly put themselves in danger when they admit a lycanthropic relative into their home.

9:30 pm WXYZ (10) ★★"One Man's Justice" (1995, Drama) Brian Bosworth. An Army drill sergeant uses street savvy and combat skills to take revenge on the arms brokers who murdered his family.

10:30 pm FAM (26) ★★"The Richest Girl in the World" (1934, Comedy) Miriam Hopkins. A wealthy woman switches places with her secretary to find a man who will love her for herself and not her money. (In Stereo)

11:00 pm CITY (29) ★★"Blackbelt" (1992, Adventure) Don "The Dragon" Wilson. A rock star hires a

marial artist and a former police officer to protect her from an unknown assailant.

11:10 pm WTBS (3) ★★"Weird Science" (1985, Comedy) Anthony Michael Hall. Two high-school nerds accidentally create the woman of their dreams when an electrical storm zaps their home computer.

11:30 pm WXYZ (10) ★★"Black Widow" (1987, Drama) Debra Winger. An investigator delves into the apparent link she sees between a mysterious woman and the deaths of several rich men.

11:45 pm CHBC (4) ★★"Gigi" (1958, Musical) Maurice Chevalier. A wealthy heir finds himself falling in love with the young Frenchwoman being groomed to become his mistress.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 11, 1999

RED ZONES - HIGH COST

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Table with 19 columns (WTBS to WGN) and 12 rows (6 AM to 11 PM) listing TV programs and their corresponding channels.

Sunday Movies

MORNING

7:05 am WTBS (3) Hook (1991, Fantasy) Robin Williams, Steven Spielberg's update of Peter Pan finds adult Peter back in Neverland to rescue his children from Captain Hook.
9:00 am WDIV (7) The Acorn People (1981, Drama) Ted Bessell. A counselor at a summer camp for severely handicapped children develops an unusual and strong bond with his charges.
9:30 am FAM (26) Pufnstuf (1970, Fantasy) Jack Wild. Talking animals and bumbling witches await a boy with a magic flute in this adaptation of the "H.R. Pufnstuf" series.
11:05 am FAM (26) The Sign of Zorro (1960, Adventure) Guy Williams. A masked avenger in Old California battles a corrupt commandant by night while masquerading as an aristocrat by day.

AFTERNOON

12:00 pm WTBS (6) 2001: A Space Odyssey (1968, Science Fiction) Keir Dullea. A renegade computer jeopardizes interplanetary explorers in Stanley Kubrick's groundbreaking space saga.
12:30 pm A&E (9) The Drowning Pool (1975, Mystery) Paul Newman. A private investigator is hired by a wealthy oil heiress to discover the identity of an incriminating letter's author.
1:00 pm CITY (29) The Stupids (1996, Comedy) Tom Arnold. The head of a dimwitted suburban family stumbles onto a secret plot involving arms sales to international terrorists.
2:00 pm WTBS (3) Date With an Angel (1987, Fantasy) Michael E. Knight. A young composer's wedding plans go awry when an angel crash-lands in his swimming pool.
2:30 pm A&E (9) Cool Hand Luke (1967, Drama) Paul Newman. A gutsy prisoner earns the admiration of inmates and the wrath of guards by constant defiance and bids for freedom.
4:00 pm WTBS (3) The Cutting Edge (1992, Comedy) D.B. Sweeney. A spoiled figure

skater and her new partner try to disguise their mutual dislike as they strive for Olympic gold.
WXYZ (10) CITY (29) Harriet the Spy (1996, Comedy) Michelle Trachtenberg. A precocious child who hopes to be a writer lands in hot water with her classmates after her secret notebook is stolen. (In Stereo)
BCTV (11) Perry Mason: The Case of the Reckless Romeo (1992, Mystery) Raymond Burr. An actress is charged with murdering a TV personality who revealed intimate details of their affair in his tell-all book.

EVENING

6:00 pm WTBS (3) Honeymoon in Vegas (1992, Comedy) James Caan. An offbeat triangle forms among a private eye, his fiancée and the gambler who won the bride-to-be in a poker game.
WDIV (7) Wyatt Earp (1994, Western) (Part 1 of 2) Kevin Costner. The life of the frontier marshal is chronicled from his childhood to the famous gunfight at the O.K. Corral. (In Stereo)
WTOL (8) Blue Moon (1999, Drama) Sharon Lawrence. Premiere. A restaurant manager clings to tradition as the winds of change threaten her marriage and her family's business. (In Stereo)
CHCH (22) Love Letters (1999, Drama) Laura Linney. Premiere. Based on the play by A.R. Gurney. A romance begun in childhood continues into two people's adult lives via the mail. (In Stereo)
CITY (29) Judge Dredd (1995, Science Fiction) Sylvester Stallone. A gun-toting dispenser of law and order faces a former nemesis intent on pushing their futuristic society into chaos.
7:00 pm FAM (26) Dead Poets Society (1989, Drama) Robin Williams. A teacher at a New England prep school uses unconventional methods to instill spirit into the lives of his students. (In Stereo)
8:05 pm WTBS (3) Viva Las Vegas (1964, Musical) Elvis Presley. A curvaceous swimming

instructor revs the engine of a race-car driver who is moonlighting as a casino waiter.
9:00 pm BCTV (11) Milgaard (1999, Drama) Ian Tracey. Premiere. Based on the true story of David Milgaard, who spent 28 years in prison for a rape and murder he did not commit. (In Stereo)
CITY (29) State of Grace (1990, Drama) Sean Penn. Love complicates a cop's mission to infiltrate his former gang - mobsters battling for the Hell's Kitchen drug trade.
9:15 pm FAM (26) Sayonara (1957, Drama) Marlon Brando. An American jet ace has a poignant affair with the star performer of a famed Japanese acting company.
10:00 pm WTBS (3) Blue Hawaii (1962, Musical) Elvis Presley. After returning to his Hawaiian home, a soldier takes a job with a tourist bureau against the advice of his parents.
10:30 pm FOX (29) The Super (1991, Comedy) Joe Pesci. An uncaring slumlord gets a taste of his own medicine when he is sentenced to live in one of his dilapidated buildings.
11:55 pm CITY (29) Oliver Twist (1948, Drama) Alec Guinness. David Lean's version of the Dickens classic about a 19th-century London wail and his adventures with young pickpockets.

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Community Datebook

- April
6 - Royal Purple meeting Princeton 8 pm
7 - Heritage Dinner Princeton Rodeo Club
9 - Celtic Music from Canada's West Coast- Princeton Sec. School 8 pm
10 - Youth Ambassador garage sale Elks Hall
11 - Elks meeting Princeton 8 pm
14 - Fall Fair meeting 7 pm Town Hall
19 - Stopping Violence Against Women Week - art exhibit at Community Skills Centre
20 - Royal Purple meeting Princeton 8 pm
23 - Book sale, Keremeos Victory Hall, 10 am to 4 pm. sponsored by KEREMEOS Friends of the Library
24 - Lions Auction and Flea Market Princeton
25 - Elks meeting Princeton 8 pm
27 - BPW Club AGM
April 30, May 1, 1999 - Trade Show Princeton
May
1 - Bunchgrass Quilters lessons contact 295-6429
7 - Professional Development Day - schools Hospital Auxiliary Fashion Show and Strawberry Tea
13 - Youth Ambassador Fashion Show
22,23,24 - Keremeos Elks Rodeo, Cathedral Lakes Powwow
27 - Youth Ambassador Speech Night
29 - Princeton Graduation ceremonies Senior Pro Rodeo Princeton
June
4 - Pony Express Ride Princeton, Hedley, Keremeos, Tonasket
5 - Marauders Car Club Show and Shine
10 - Youth Ambassador Talent Night
12 - Route 66 Third Annual Cruise
19,20 - Father's Day Pike Mountain fishing derby
29 - Last day of school
July
9,10, 11 - Harmon Lake fishing derby and campout Otter Valley Fish & Game Club
September
9,10,11 & 12 - Princeton and District Fall Agricultural Fair

MONDAY, APRIL 12, 1999

RED ZONES - HIGH COST

GREEN ZONES - LOW COST

	WTBS (3)	CHBC (4)	KNOW (5)	WTVS (6)	WDIV (7)	WTOL (8)	A&E (9)	WXYZ (10)	BCTV (11)	CITY (12)	TLC (14)	YTV (18)	TSN (19)	CHCH (22)	DISC (24)	FOX (25)	FAM (26)	CITY (29)	WGN (38)	
6 AM	Little House	(Off Air)	Open Learning Annex	Sesame Street (R)	Maury	Cosby	Quincy "Cover-Up"	Regis & Kathie	(5:30) News	(5:00) News	Bingo	Rainmaker	Sportsdesk (R)	Travel World	Gardener	Love Boat (Part 2 of 2)	Busy World	Maury	PinkyBrain	
7 AM	Little House	Care Bears	Teletubbs	Mr Rogers	Jerry Springer	Donny & Marie	Equalizer	Martha Stewart Living	(7:10) Canada AM		Salty's	Incredible	k (R)	World	Country		Franklin		Historial	
8 AM	Griffith	100 Huntley Street	Magic Bus	Barney							Big Garage	Lassie	Sportsdesk (R)	Rosie O'Donnell	Profiles of Nature	Paid Prog.	Goof Troop	Cityline	Batman	
9 AM	Matlock	Regis & Kathie	Magic	Teletubbs	News	News	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	
10 AM	Hunter	Robison	Mathshop	Sesame Street (R)	Jeopardy!	Young and the Restless	Law & Order "Expert"	All My Children	Heart	Dave Rutherford	Reunion	Kitty Cats	Racing: Brazilian Grand Prix	Movie	Explore Your World	Maury	Franklin	Movie: "Harriet the Spy" (1996, Comedy)	News	
11 AM	Movie: "Legal Eagles" (1986)	Young and the Restless	Mark and Image	Creatures	Another World	As the World Turns	Northern Exposure	One Life to Live	Highlands: The Series	News	Baby Story	Bananas		As the World Turns	Design (R)	Martha Stewart Living	Dinosaurs	Quack	Howie Mandel (R)	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs. (Live)
12 PM	Robert Redford	News	Earth	Zoom (R)	Montel Williams (R)	Guiding Light	Quincy "Cover-Up"	General Hospital	News	Days of Our Lives	Wedding	Dragon	Be-Player	Roseanne Show	Nature Stories	Spider-Man	Art Attack	Howie Mandel (R)	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs. (Live)	
1 PM	Mama	Pamela Wallin	Medicine Home	Arthur (R)	Sally	Oprah Winfrey	Equalizer	Oprah Winfrey	Another World	Roseanne Show	Home Sav	Couch	Bowling: 10 Pin	Rosie O'Donnell	Dotto's	Rangers	Darkwing	Cityline (R)	Living	
2 PM	Full House	Corona'n	Forbidden	Couch	News	News	Murder, She Wrote	News	Bold & B.	Nanny	Hometime	Kitty Cats	NBA	Judy	Invention	Boy-World	Tale Spin	Cityline at Five	Blossom	
3 PM	Fam. Mat.	Babar	Dotto	News-Lehrer	News	News	Simon & Simon	News	Roseanne Show	Young and the Restless	48 Hours	Pokemon	Major League Baseball: Tampa Bay Devil Rays at Toronto Blue Jays.	Love	Behaving Like Animals	Melrose Place	Little Lulu	V.I.P. (R)	7th Heaven	
4 PM	Roseanne	Rosie O'Donnell	Creatures	Business	Fortune	Fortune	Law & Order "Expert"	ABC News	Oprah Winfrey	News	News	Savage	Rugrats	Suddenly	Behaving Like Animals	Melrose Place	Little Lulu	V.I.P. (R)	7th Heaven	
5 PM	NBA Basketball: Rockets	News	French	Antiques Roadshow	Movie: "Wyatt Earp" (1994)	Cosby	Biography: Heinz	20/20	News	News	News	Storms	PinkyBrain	King	Behaving Like Animals	Melrose Place	Little Lulu	V.I.P. (R)	7th Heaven	
6 PM	Timberwolves	Seinfeld	Westland	American Experience: Holocaust	Kevin Costner	Becker	Investigative Reports	Movie: "Love Letters" (1999)	Fortune	Gosby	Lost Continent	Incredible	Blue Jays	Nightman	Eco-Challenge	Fox Report	Movie: "The Neverending Story"	News	MacGyver	
7 PM	Insde NBA	Home Imp.	Money	Lost Sqdm	L.A. Doctors	Doctors	Polrot	Laura Linney	Jeopardy!	King	Continental	Radio	Off-Record	News	Discovery.ca (R)	Cops	Flash	FashionTV		
8 PM	Movie: "Maximum Overdrive" (1986)	Sketchcom	History	Keep Up	News (8:35)	News (8:35)	Law & Order	News	Power Play (R)	Suddenly	Savage	Lassie	Sportsdesk	News	Discovery.ca (R)	Cops	Flash	FashionTV		
9 PM	Pat Hingle	Life and Times	Hogarth's Progress	Antiques Roadshow	Tonight Show (9:37)	Late Show (9:37)	Biography: Heinz	Entertain	Aly McBeal (R)	Becker	Bermuda Triangle	Addams Breaker	World Wrestling Federation: Raw Is War	Change	Behaving Like Animals	Hollywood	Blossom	Movie: "Miami Blues" (1990)	In the Heat of the Night	
10 PM	Movie: "Fletch" (1985, Comedy)	CBC News	Independent Eye III	American Experience: Holocaust	Jenny Jones (10:37)	Late Night (11:07)	Investigative Reports	Howe Mandel (R)	Politically	L.A. Doctors	Lost Continent	Student Odyssey	Sportsdesk	Brown	Champion	Hercules-Jrny.	Movie: "The Four Diamonds" (1995)	Alec Baldwin	Paid Prog.	
11 PM	Chevy Chase	News	Dotto's	Holocaust	Late Night	Late Night	Polrot	Enforma	News	Dr. Katz	48 Hours (R)	Ocean Girl	Sportsdesk	Access	Eco-Challenge (R)	I Spy	Mouse		Paid Prog.	

Monday Movies

MORNING

10:00 am CITY (29) ★★½ "Harriet the Spy" (1996, Comedy) Michelle Trachtenberg. A precocious child who hopes to be a writer lands in hot water with her classmates after her secret notebook is stolen. (In Stereo) (R)

11:00 am WTBS (3) ★★½ "Legal Eagles" (1986, Comedy) Robert Redford. Two Manhattan lawyers employ unorthodox methods to prove the innocence of their client, an artist accused of murder.

AFTERNOON

5:00 pm WDIV (7) ★★½ "Wyatt Earp" (1994, Western) (Part 2 of 2) Kevin Costner. The life of the frontier marshal is chronicled from his childhood to the famous gunfight at the O.K. Corral. (In Stereo) (R)

EVENING

6:00 pm WXYZ (10) "Love Letters" (1999, Drama) Laura Linney. Premiere. Based on the play by A.R. Gurney. A romance begun in childhood continues into two people's adult lives via the mail. (In Stereo) (R)

7:00 pm CITY (29) "More Tales of the City" (1998, Drama) (Part 1 of 2) Laura Linney. Based on the book by Armistead Maupin about the continuing adventures of the residents of San Francisco's Barbary

Lane. (R)

7:00 pm FAM (26) ★★½ "The Neverending Story" (1984, Fantasy) Noah Hathaway. An imaginative boy is transported to a magical kingdom in danger of destruction.

8:00 pm WTBS (3) ★ "Maximum Overdrive" (1986, Horror) Emilio Estevez. A passing comet has an unusual effect on inanimate objects in Stephen King's directorial debut of his own short story.

9:05 pm CITY (29) ★★½ "Miami Blues" (1990, Drama) Alec Baldwin. A detective pursues a psychotic thief who is using his stolen badge and gun to carry out a series of daring crimes.

10:00 pm FAM (26) "The Four Diamonds" (1995, Drama) Christine Lahti. A boy weaves fantastic tales populated by people from his real life as a way of coping with a serious illness. (In Stereo) (R)

10:05 pm WTBS (3) ★★½ "Fletch" (1985, Comedy) Chevy Chase. A reporter with an array of disguises unravels a plot involving a wealthy businessman who contracts his own murder.

11:05 pm CITY (29) ★★½ "Eversmile New Jersey" (1989, Comedy-Drama) Daniel Day-Lewis. An emissary of dental health and his new assistant motorbike through Patagonia to spread the word about oral hygiene.

Puzzles of the Past

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CUPE's Pam Jones elected to B.C. Labour Federation

Pam Jones, a longtime CUPE activist from Princeton, was elected to the Executive of the BC Federation of Labour at the recent Federation annual convention.

Pam has worked with CUPE local 847 as part of her employment with the school district in Princeton. She has worked as a temporary servicing representative out of both the BC Regional Office and the Terrace Area Office, and is a Co-Chair of CUPE BC's Committee Against Racism and Discrimination. With her election, Pam becomes the first-ever woman of colour elected to the Executive of the BC Federation of Labour.

Dateline Tulameen: The Three Sisters

by Joe Schwarz, local philosopher and humorist

We've heard about the high costs and problems of health care. A vivid insight was given while on a recent flight to Palm Springs by two retired ladies from Burnaby seated beside me. Having received word that their sister, who had recent heart surgery, had made a turn for the worse, they immediately caught this flight (Alaska Airline) at a cost for one week return of \$845.72 each, compared to Shirley's and my tickets bought in advance for approximately \$189.00 each plus taxes, for a total of \$253.43 each. The sister who is ill, a Canadian, lives part time in Palm Desert, one of several communities near Palm Springs, known to our snowbirds who have diminished

in number of late because of the low Canadian dollar. She required an immediate heart operation. The cost was \$87,000.00. Her travel insurance would not pay the cost because her records showed she had a heart murmur, a "pre-existing condition" (in fine print). Before they would operate, she had to put up \$50,000, which between her and her friends they somehow did.

The BC health plan put up 20 per cent. Her doctor was a transplanted Canadian from Winnipeg, but as the two sisters said, some doctors are returning to Canada because of the number of high cost lawsuits and the high cost of malpractice insurance.

As the sister said, supposing the ill sister had been in Canada, what would have happened?

It's hard to say, because they also have a friend that has been on the waiting list here for heart surgery for 16 months. Health care is a very big problem everywhere whether it is public or private. Some of California's large private health care groups have just collapsed. In any event, once you're born, there's a good chance you're going to eventually pass on and it's just a question of when, but it would be kind of nice to be in somewhat of a comfortable condition as you pass through.



They're at it again in Tulameen - construction of new homes is underway. Three more housing starts are scheduled for this spring in Tulameen.

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Harley Biddlecombe, President and Chief Executive Officer of Valley First Credit Union, is pleased to announce the appointment of Jim Riederer as the new Manager of the Princeton Branch of Valley First Credit Union.

A seasoned banker with over 30 years' experience, Mr. Riederer fulfilled several Royal Bank positions throughout British Columbia, including Branch Manager Nelson; Manager Retail Marketing, Vancouver Island; Area Manager, Maple Ridge; and Manager of Independent Business at the Burnaby Area Office.

Seeking a more relaxed lifestyle, Jim and wife Elaine moved to Princeton in 1994, where he has since become actively involved in the community. Among other interests, Jim is current President of the Vintage Car Club of Canada.

The appointment of Mr. Riederer follows the earlier promotion of former Valley First Manager Jerry McKenna. Please feel free to call upon Jim Riederer for any of your Valley First banking, savings or investment requirements.



Seniors keep a busy schedule

by Monty Raine

PRINCETON - There is plenty of vitality being generated at Senior Citizens Branch 30 these days.

The last pot luck supper of Friday, March 26, was attended by 56 members and featured after-dinner entertainment by the Movers and Shakers, highlighted by a duet sung by Peggy Coyne and Judy Rogers. Two Easter Bunnies (Sandy Stenvold and Barb Ryan) pranced and hopped superbly among the crowd to the tune of Peter Cottontail. The two bunnies were then presented with bouquets of chocolates and carrots. Many present wore their special Easter bonnets, some traditional and some quite outrageous. Prizes were awarded:

Smallest - Peggy Coyne; Prettiest - Doreen Robbins; Most Ridiculous - Al Hill; Most Ugly - Monty Raine; Most Original - Judy Rogers.

Thank goodness for having a sense of humour, wouldn't you say?

The Movers and Shakers and on Easter Bunny (Sandy Stenvold) then changed venues and put on a show the following Tuesday for the folks at Vermilion Court.

The pool tables are always being

well-used. On Saturday, March 20, the challenge match against Keremeos was played in Princeton. There were 13 players on each team and after the smoke cleared, Princeton won by two points, 40-38.

Sunday, March 21, was the day for the monthly George Lind mixed event. After some excellent play, the partnership of Marshall Johnson and John Sinclair came out on top.

Saturday, March 27, was the ladies' turn to compete against each other in their monthly tourney and Darlene Lind outlasted Betty Jarvis in a tie-breaker situation.

The Health Club is thriving. Approximately 32 members are involved in the Monday morning sessions with weigh-in at 9:30-10:00 and then exercise. Prizes for good behaviour (weight loss) recently included fruit baskets for Smudge Rubis and Dorothy Stenvold. March winner for greatest weight loss was Lilia Tilburt. The three-month winners were Isabella Johnson and Tom Sheppard.

At present, the Health Club is having instruction in the Food Safe Level 1, which is a seven-

week course. This is being conducted by Diane Huey. Certification can be obtained at the end of the course.

Crafts is held every Thursday morning at 10:00 a.m. Right now the crafters are making cute bed dolls for decorations on pillows. The draw for the Easter Basket Raffle was won by Nita Huff.

Betty Golovin and Darlene Lind are as busy as ever on the Ways and Means Committee. A very successful Pancake Breakfast was held on Sunday, March 14, with 61 people attending. President Ray Jarvis made the pancakes, Fred Robbins cooked the eggs and John Golovin the bacon. Many lady members were dressed very nicely and performed waitressing duties.

A Crib and Whist Party was attended by 36 players. The winner in the crib was Ernie Pearson and John Sinclair was runner-up. In whist, it was Dorothy Castle first and Dennis Smith second.

A full slate of happenings is planned for April, including painting every Friday at 10:00 a.m. Instructor Linda Anderson will be in attendance on April 9 and 23.


The next general meeting is at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 14. Anyone can come down to the hall at any time to ask about our activities.



Meagan Thomas, left, won the coveted Maple Beanie Baby, presented by Lynore Krenn, owner of Forget-Me-Not Antiques. This Baby is available only in Canada.

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Trout Talk: when the bobber goes down

by John Sandness, Similkameen Valley outdoorsman

Three of us were sitting on the dock. Our "secret lake" was supposed to be "it" for big brook trout. We had travelled 80 miles to get to this hotspot and it looked like it was going to be well worth the trip. It even smelled fishy, if you know what I mean.

We had baited our hooks with nightcrawlers and set the bobbers for six feet, which is about as deep as you can, without wrapping the line around your head when you cast. I recall we waited some time before the bobber went down.

Somebody yelled, "A bobber is down!" Two of us picked up our spinning rods and pulled. The third fellow was a little late getting to his rod, and just about that time his red and white bobber bounced back to the surface. Isn't that the way it always goes!

Another day, Mel Schauer and I were casting bobbers and garden hackle from shore. As soon as our bobbers would hit the water, they would go under. Time after time this happened! We ended up with a beautiful catch of cutthroat trout. A day to remember, and I do, after 35 years!

Al Olson and I had taken off 3:55 for Rocky Lake. Al still had school clothes on - suit and tie - under his old grey sweatshirt. He always kept it in his truck, along with the spinning rod and can of worms. We would leave right when the bell rang, and sometimes pass the kids who were going out the door. It was a crisp fall evening in October. It raised our hopes of catching a couple of nice rainbow trout.

Another report recently about fishing comes to me from Harry Day. Harry is a veteran fisherman in our area. He has been fishing in McKenzie (Laird) Lake and catching brook trout on shrimp and worms.

So I hope you can get out there and enjoy some ice fishing, too. When the bobber goes down, you never know. But the anticipation is great, and the fish sure taste good this time of year!

Each of us had a favourite place to cast from, and as we sat down on the rocky shoreline to watch

our bobbers, we savoured the surroundings. Soon, Al's bobber started to make a few tentative dips. Little circles formed and moved out, then down it went. With a vigorous "reef" on his rod, Al set the hook. It turned out to be too vigorous, or perhaps Al's line was weak with age - anyway, it broke. A sixteen-or-so inch long rainbow trout went off down the lake, jumping every three or four minutes. Dancing along right behind it was Al's red and white bobber! The line had broken above the bobber! Every time the fish cruised by our spot, we would hopefully cast for the bobber, trying to snag his line below it. We caught other trout, but never did catch our Moby Dick and his bobber.

Recently, I've had reports from other bobber-watchers. Peter Antonick tells me that he has

been getting nice trout at Allison Lake. Having fished with Peter, I know he is a master at catching them in the winter. He and his dad used to have a big ice fishing house on Allison. I would go out with him and he would catch three times as many fish as Bob Johnston or I.

He showed me how to tip a fluorescent ice fishing fly with a worm and really hook fish. That was the first time I've ever seen that, and I've used it successfully many times since. It is a good thing that Peter was catching all those fish, because Big Frank, Peter, Bob Johnston and I were eating them, hot off the griddle. Peter brought along his Coleman stove and a half-pound of butter, and the old cast iron frying pan. Trout don't taste much better than those caught in winter and popped right into the frying pan.



Dan Wissman in Kamloops with 17 1/2 lb. Fish

RCMP news

During the late morning of March 30, a wallet was lost. The owner believes he left the wallet on the roof of his car and it fell off in the area of the Esso bulk station or the Subway, located near Burton Avenue. The wallet contains the owner's identification.

Between March 29 and April 1, somebody gained entry to a home on Kenley Avenue and left with some of the homeowner's property. The incident occurred in broad daylight. There were two people upstairs in the home during the day and they did not hear anyone come inside. The culprit(s) stole a Sony Playstation and a Panasonic VCR.

During the past two weeks, thieves entered a home on the Chuchuwaya Indian Reserve located at Hedley, and stole three rifles stored in the residence. The rifles were all in working condition. They were described as a British .303, a .300 Magnum with shoulder strap and scope, and an antique 2535 calibre rifle. The theft occurred in daytime.

If anyone has information regarding these crimes, call Princeton RCMP at 295-6911 or Crimestoppers.

Road swap

PRINCETON - At the March 15 Town Council meeting, the Town of Princeton agreed to allow access to the owners of D.L. 2258s through D.L. 2257s in order to effect a closure of Berg Road.

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**Small Business Forest Enterprise Program
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A Small Business Registrants meeting is scheduled for April 23, 1999, commencing at 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon, with the \$100 a Fire Re-currency Training following for S.B.F.E.P. registrants on April 23, 1999 from 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. at the Nicola Base Training Center classroom #1.

Maximum number: 30
Minimum number: 15 - which must be reached by April 16, 1999.
\$100a training course cost is \$30.00 per person - payable by cheque or money order to the Minister of Finance.

Contact: Joe Gilchrist at 378-6402 to register. Also, please indicate if you will be attending the registrants meeting in the morning.

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NOTICE INVITING APPLICATIONS FOR SILVICULTURE SURVEY CONTRACT

Sealed tenders for the following Survey contract will be received by the District Manager, Ministry of Forests, Highway 5A and Airport Road, Merritt, B.C., on the date shown below:

Contract: SU2000DME0001 Location: Merritt 917ha

An office viewing is mandatory prior to submitting a bid. The office viewing will be held Wednesday, April 21, 1999 at 9:00 am, at which time the tender packages will be distributed. If you receive a package on March 31, 1999, you do NOT need to attend this viewing.

Deadline for receipt of tenders is 14:00 hours on Wednesday, April 28, 1999, at which time all tenders will be opened. To be eligible to bid, contractors must meet the following qualifications:

- must have successfully completed five (5) related Survey contracts in the Southern Interior and must be able to provide proof of such; two (2) of which must have been 500 ha or greater in size;
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- must not have had any major reworks on a Ministry Silviculture Survey Contract in the last two years;
- a ratio of one certified silviculture surveyor for every three (3) non certified surveyors on the crew is required.

Tenders must be submitted on the form and in the envelopes supplied, which with particulars, may be obtained from the Ministry of Forests as indicated above.

PROPOSED RANGE USE PLANS

Notice is hereby given that Steve White, within the Merritt Forest District, will make available for public viewing a proposed range use plan for the area located in the vicinity of Darcy Mountain.

The proposed plan contains the location of the grazing area, proposed levels of use, grazing schedules that detail livestock number, nature and duration of use, location of any proposed range developments and actions required to meet objectives for integrated resource management. The plan is available for review by resource agencies and the public before approval is considered by the Ministry of Forests.

The proposed range use plans will be made available for public viewing until April 30, 1999 by appointment. Please phone 295-7940 between 9:00am & 3:00pm.

Your written comments must be made to Steve White at Box 1148, Princeton, BC VOX 1W0 by the above-noted date to ensure consideration.

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**Young men:
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by Jane Beulah, Public Health Nurse.

Testicular cancer is when a tumor forms within the testes (scrotum). Cancer is a group of diseases in which malignant (harmful) cells grow out of control and spread to other parts of the body.

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- * white
- * mother who took estrogen during her pregnancy
- * family history of testicular cancer

Signs and symptoms:

Most often the signs of testicular cancer go unnoticed. Why?

1. Men see a doctor rarely after age 18
2. Embarrassment may keep a man from seeing his physician.
3. Many men are unaware that they should be doing testicular examination routinely. Self breast exam is talked about quite openly for females, but male genitals are not mentioned as readily.

Self examination:

Have a warm shower so the skin on the scrotum is softer and easier to feel the testes inside. Cradle the scrotum in the palm of your hand. Feel the difference between the testes, one is larger and one lying lower. Gently roll each testicle between the thumb and forefinger. It should be smooth. Check for any lumps or swelling. If you feel anything out of the ordinary, check with your doctor. A lump may be painless but still needs to be investigated.

Treatment:

If discovered in time, it is nearly totally curable. In 1970, the survival rate was 10 per cent, today it is 90 per cent. Surgery along with radiation and chemotherapy have led to the current high survival rate. Removal of one testicle does not cause impotence or infertility because the remaining testicle can maintain the body's normal sexual and hormone production functions. Contact your physician or the public health unit for further information.

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Merritt Forest District

Small Business Forest Enterprise Program Sponsored Training

Forest Practices Code Streamlining For Small Business

The Small Business Forest Enterprise Program will deliver Forest Practice Code Training on Saturday, April 10, 1999 at the Nicola Fire Base. Start time is 09:00 a.m. and ends at 4:30 p.m. Training will focus on recent changes to the Code and is directed towards SBFEP loggers. Pre-registration is mandatory, seating is limited to 30. Should numbers exceed 30, additional courses may be considered. Final day for registration is April 8th. If registrations do not exceed 10, the course will be canceled. Please contact Len Marsh to register, phone: (250)378-8400.



SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 58 (Nicola Similkameen)

STUDENT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES INVITATION TO TENDER

School District No. 58 (Nicola-Similkameen) invites tenders for its Student Transportation Services in Princeton, B.C. which is currently under contract. This contract will be effective for three years and will commence July 1, 1999.

For inquiries please contact the Secretary-Treasurer at (250)378-5161 or Fax: (250)378-6263.

Sealed tenders, marked "School District No. 58 Busing Contract" will be received at the School Board Office in Princeton, 170 Vermilion Avenue, Princeton, B.C. up until 11:00 am on April 20, 1999.

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Town of Princeton

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INVITATION TO QUOTE

The Merritt Forest District is inviting quotes from qualified contractors for Wildlife/Danger tree assessment and danger tree falling for the 1999 field season.

In order for quotes to be considered, contractors must contact the Merritt Forest District office at PO Box 4400, Station Main, Highway 5A & Airport Road, Merritt, British Columbia V1K 1B8, telephone (250)378-8400, to obtain an information package which will specify terms and conditions for this activity. The District contact is Dave Cornwell.

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Cold Easter weekend did not chill the warmth of Chopaka

Easter weekend was so cold and snowy the Easter bunny must have been a snowshoe hare, but nothing puts a stop to the Barney Allison Memorial Rodeo at Chopaka, nor the warmth of the three or four hundred people who attended.

There was a special ceremony on Sunday, featuring the Welby Stage in the grand entry. Gifts of blankets were given to all of the cowboys and others who helped with the Chopaka rodeo through the years. In a way, this was part of the tribute to the memory of Barney Allison, who inspired so many others to help him put together the rodeo grounds on the Chopaka Indian Reserve.

The competitors make the show, and they never had time to feel the chill. The action was great. Archie Jack's bucking stock was its customary high-leaping best,

and the calves were almost too tough for the ropers. They were the fightingest targets any calf-ropers ever faced, and top score for the weekend was 15:09 seconds, which likely would not have won anywhere else.

There were plenty of spills in the bull riding, and a high percentage of cowboys made no time. There were quite a few laughs, too, especially during the calf-roping.

The youngest, and smallest, cowboy in the bull riding was Cole Pozzobon, who took on a bull named Thumper and lost. Cole required medical aid after the bull bucked him off in grand style.

The rodeo sponsors were excellent, ranging from big names like Weyerhaeuser and Gorman Brothers to family sponsorships from Allisons, Terbaskets, Gabriels, Chillihitza, Louie, Montgomery and Principe. There

was good support from Keremeos and Cawston businesses.

With a little luck, next year will be warmer, but the warmth of the Chopaka rodeo does not depend on the weather. It is a place to meet old friends and share in the fun of rodeo. This year's rodeo had the added touch of being dedicated to the memory of Barney Allison, one of the most respected men of the Similkameen Valley, who passed away in 1998.

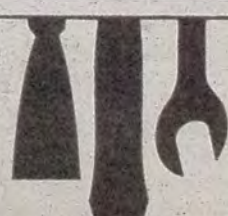
To quote Stan Thompson, who remembers Barney with admiration, "He was a man who crossed all the lines and made friends everywhere. People respected Barney, young and old, white and Indian, businessmen and cowboys."

The Easter rodeo will go on for many years to come, keeping the memory of Barney Allison ever green.



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The successful applicant will complete street and crosswalk line painting by May 31, 1999 - weather permitting.

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.



Kirk McConnell (center) had the pleasure of handing out \$400 cheques to Talia Darel (left) representing Princeton Figure Skating Club and Michelle Wilkinson, President of Princeton Minor Hockey Association. The men's leagues joined together in a tournament early in the year and raised enough money to help the two clubs promoting ice sports for youth.

BCWF: "user fees are an insult"

SURREY, B.C. -- BC Wildlife Federation (BCWF) President Les Husband says he is instructing his 35,000 members to ignore the BC government's new fees for accessing Forest Service recreation sites. "Enough is enough," says Husband, "Government believes it can continue to raise moneys while providing nothing and in some cases reducing services".

"First the Clark government raised resident angling license fees substantially," he says, "while drastically reducing the conservation and habitat services provided by the Fish and Wildlife Branch." "Now they propose to rip us off again by charging fees to camp at non-serviced Forest Service recreation sites. The Government knows that the Forest Service cannot provide consistent collection and enforcement of these fees, especially at remote sites, yet they still intend to punish those anglers that camp near population centers".

Husband cites a Statistics Canada

study showing that resident sport anglers spend some \$75 per day on their activity, most of which is spent in the B.C. Interior. "This government believes that tourism begins and ends on the cruise ship docks of Vancouver," says Husband. "The trouble is," he says, "that governments have never valued the economic activity generated by BC's 600,000 sports anglers - ignoring the tax benefits the province derives from this important recreational activity."

Phil Hallinan, BCWF Forestry Chair, says that the \$4,000,000 annual cost of servicing the Forest Services recreational program is a pittance compared with the \$1.5 billion plus annual revenue the government receives from stumpage - even in a depressed market. "The Provincial forests belong to the people of British Columbia and they are used for a lot more than producing logs for sawmill lumber," he says. "There are upwards of 47,000,000 visitor days of use in provincial forests

each year. Residents and visitors spend some \$2.4 billion annually, generated by enjoying our province's outstanding outdoor recreation opportunities.

"The Forest Service Recreation program was instituted in 1971 to protect important lakefront recreational and habitat values from excessive safety, sanitation and riparian destruction problems that occurred with unrestricted camping. "The program has always been supported by the forest industry, which has played a key role in developing some important sites" Hallinan says.

"The new fee structure," Hallinan says, "makes a mockery of the thousands of hours our members have spent voluntarily working on the NDP government's Protected Areas Strategy and land use planning processes."

BCWF President Husband says the Federation is reviewing its options for ways and means to persuade the government to rethink its new fee structure.

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Grads blank RCMP



Staying on top of the game was really hard for some of the players in the Grad-RCMP hockey game last Wednesday in Princeton. Some hit the ice gracefully, while others, such as Giles Gosselin (left) were extremely dramatic (consider his cultural heritage!).

PRINCETON, - The Princeton Secondary School 1999 grads met the RCMP on the ice on March 31. The grad line-up was extensive, but the local RCMP had a real problem mustering a team.

Keremeos RCMP officers Dionne, Sanchez, Eccles and Lindsay, along with some auxiliary members from Princeton, and a mysterious draft player from Kelowna filled out a lean team.

Cst. Mike Fox guarded the RCMP goal. It was his birthday and at half-time (yes, that's what they called it) he was serenaded and given a whipped cream birthday cake, smack in the kisser.

The grads were no match, at first, for the relentless RCMP, who always got their goal. The grads solved the problem by wrapping their net in plastic wrap. Cst. Fox made a point of skating all the way down the ice to poke holes in the plastic wrap.

Former resident heads Alberta Veterinarians

Dr. Tim Keogan, who attended school in Princeton during the 1970's and managed a local ranch, is now President of Alberta Veterinary Medical Association. He is the son of Florence Mason and stepson of Dr. Bernie Mason, of Princeton.

Keogan lives in Brooks, Alberta, where he works at the Newell Veterinary Clinic. He graduated from Western College in Saskatoon in 1991 and has been practicing veterinary medicine in Brooks since his graduation. He is married to Dr. Cathy Olsen, who is a veterinarian, and they have three children: April, age 14, Neil,

The grads soon made progress as the RCMP were sent to the penalty box for a variety of unusual misdemeanors. Penalties were issued for improperly laying a spike belt, a photoradar violation (details to follow by mail) and a serious penalty to Ron Roche, who knocked his daughter, Renee, to the ice, and did two minutes for child abuse.

The RCMP put on a great show of muscle, but the grads' goalie was awesome.

Revealing the score for this game would be pointless, as the scorekeeper was clearly biased against the police, and gave the grads a point whenever anything seemed to warrant it.

It was all great fun, and the grads went home with a big jar of money to help pay for their graduation celebration.

age 10 and Jill, age 6.

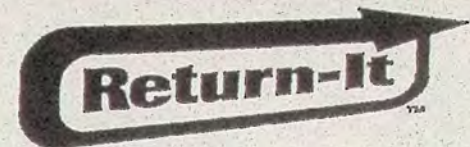
Dr. Keogan credits his years of ranching in Princeton as the motivation for studying veterinary medicine.

"I was involved in the cattle industry for quite some time and I guess that sparked my interest in large animal medicine," Keogan says.

As president of the AVMA, Keogan sees his role as a mediator between veterinarians and the public, especially in conflict situations. Treatment of pets can be such an area. Keogan notes there are few complaints against veterinarians, and most complaints are the result of misunderstandings.

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Gunn goes to B.C. Best Ever

PRINCETON - Tyler Gunn has been selected for BC Amateur Hockey's B.C.'s Best Ever (under 16 program). On March 27 and 28, he attended the district try-out camp at Summerland and became a member of Team Okanagan.

It was recommended Gunn be scouted and the recommendation paid off: Gunn earned his place on the team from among 50 boys. He now has the chance to play in the BC Cup tournament on April 15, 16 and 17 in Duncan, B.C. It is B.C.'s Best Ever showcase tournament, where Team BC will be selected.

Gunn goes to Kamloops April 10 and 11 for a work camp with Team Okanagan.

Ed Nault, who coached Gunn in Midgets, says, "Some players bring just one thing to the game. Tyler brings two or three dimensions."

Princeton has had other young hockey players selected for B.C.'s Best Ever. Kory Krenn, Kurt Krenn, Tyler Willis and Clay Simmons were Princeton's stars.

Simmons is the most recent Princeton player to go through the B.C. Best Ever program. Simmons now plays for the Penticton Panthers. Willis plays for the Worchester Ice Cats.

Simmons told Gunn, "Participating in the B.C. Best Ever program is an experience you will never forget. Be yourself, do what the people who believe in you and support you know you can do, and have fun."

Tyler Gunn, age 15, stands six foot one inch, and is still growing. His immediate goal is to go to Summerland Junior B team or some other Junior B team. His longterm goal is to play in the National Hockey League. He wants to be the #1 draft pick one of these days.

"That's all I look forward to is hockey. Hockey and school are the most important things, the rest is all behind me," says Gunn.

He admits he has little time for the usual teenage pursuits, including girls. He is "very focused" on hockey.

"I look forward to stepping on the ice every time."

College and university are in his plans for the future. He hopes to win a hockey scholarship.

Tyler Gunn does not believe he has done it all on his own.

"I give lots of thanks to Ed and Sally Nault, and my parents, for all the great coaching and support."

There is one more source of community support for Gunn: the

Kurt Krenn Legacy Fund, paying Gunn's expenses for his participation in BC Best Ever. Krenn's family established two funds in memory of Kurt, who was one of BC's Best Ever selections, and who died in March, 1998, in a car accident. One fund was for his son, and the other was to contribute to minor hockey.

"We are so pleased, as a family, to be able to do this," says Kurt Krenn's sister, Linnea Stevens.

Gunn has a long way to go to reach the NHL, but he has proven he has what it takes to make the first step.

Cyclists wanted: fun!

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Do you want to be part of a group who enjoy no business, no politics, no paperwork, just a chance to ride with friends?

If you are interested in a group like this, you might like to join the group meeting at Backroads Bike Shop on Thursday, April 8 at 7:00 p.m. to talk about a schedule of rides and a contact system. For further information, phone Kevin at 295-3625 or Jim at 295-3722.

Will minor ball go on?

PRINCETON - Registrations for Princeton Minor Ball 1999 took place last week, and the numbers generated some concern. There are enough of the younger children to form teams, but Midgets and Bantams are in doubt. The numbers are not there.

Minor Ball President Jim Emmons says the association will be looking carefully at the numbers generated at the next round of registrations, to take place at Garden Fresh Produce on April 8, 9 and 10, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. on the first two days and 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on April 10.

There will be a meeting of Princeton Minor Ball executive on April 12 to review the registration numbers, so there is nothing definite at this time.

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Tyler Gunn, left, is going to the B.C. Cup after being chosen for the Okanagan Best Ever. With him is Princeton's Clay Simmons, the previous Princeton Best Ever selection, now playing for the Penticton Panthers. See story.

PRINCETON MINOR HOCKEY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
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Tyler Gunn, centre left, presents a bouquet to Linnea Stevens in appreciation for the \$575 cheque from the Kurt Krenn Legacy Fund, managed for the Krenn family by Al Anderson (far right) of Investors Group. Far left, Michelle Wilkinson, President of Princeton Minor Hockey Association, congratulates Gunn on being selected for BC's Best Ever.

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These youngsters at CJ's Daycare wore bunny hats for their Easter project - a bunny hop to raise money for children with Muscular Dystrophy. With the children are Colleen Stevens (left) and Lorna Coyne (far right). Each child is asked to jump as long as possible to earn pledge money. It is good exercise and the children like trying to be bunnies.

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