

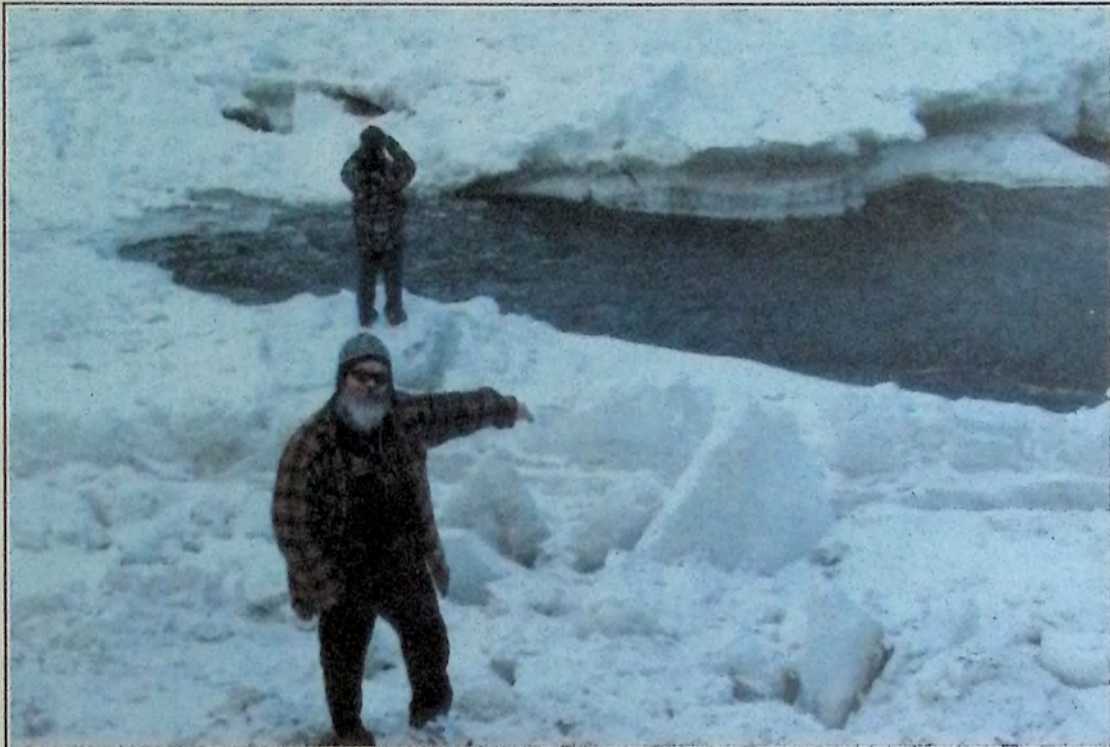


Similkameen News Leader

INCLUDES HST! \$1

Volume 14 Issue 5 #666 ISSN 1712-090X

Tuesday, February 1, 2011



Harley Kovacs (top) takes pictures of the Similkameen River ice jam while his father Zoltan Kovacs admires the large ice chunks. Harley was standing just a few feet from the natural ice bridge that had formed. Similkameen News Leader Warning: "Don't try this at home!" Photo: Arlene Arlow

Rodeo Club moves ahead

Princeton's rodeo will be held May 14 and 15. Club members met on January 24 to expand plans for the rodeo. C Plus Rodeo will bring the stock, and Dennis Halstead will be back again. West Coast Thunder, the ladies drill team, will be part of the grand opening, and the Rodeo queens of Tonasket and Omak will be invited to participate in the grand opening.

Mutton bustin' and a chicken scramble are planned for the youngsters.

Committee managers were appointed. President Ken Crompton will seek sponsors and do advertising. Shirley Campbell will organize

a crew for the gate. Bob Wicks will manage the show. J.R. Russell will take care of the grounds crew. Committee heads have not been confirmed for managing the youngsters' activities, the arena and the concession.

President Crompton expressed disappointment that so few young members attended the meeting, as he would have liked some input on entertainment for Saturday evening.

Dusti Henwood is waiting further information about Little Britches Rodeo, but has tentative scheduled July 23 and 24 for the event, if it meets with the approval of the B.C.

..... continued on Page 7

Mayor issues 'Year in Review'

by Mayor Randy McLean

We will always remember 2010 as the year Princeton won the Gamestown Gold Medal and we will remember the pride our community displayed to earn that recognition. 2010 was a year where we not only celebrated our 150th birthday, but we saw a large number of major projects begin, move towards completion or be declared to be complete.

We saw the mine undertake massive construction with a proposed opening sometime in the late spring, as well we experienced the resultant increased business so welcome to our service and retail industry.

I would like to try to provide a review of the projects and initiatives that took place in 2010.

PROJECTS FUNDED BY THE GAMESTOWN 2010 \$100,000 gold medal award are in various

stages of completion. The bike park was ready last fall, some improvements to the Riverside Centre basketball court have been installed with the rest waiting for warmer weather, as is the playground equipment which has arrived and is awaiting installation.

The lighting on the Trans Canada Trail so far completed looks superb; we can imagine how great the entire trail from the Bridge of Dreams to the tunnel will look when the lighting is completed this spring.

The improvements on the trail welcome visitors from elsewhere but just as important they satisfy a long awaited walking path for our residents and help provide a healthy living and active lifestyle.

THE LIBRARY IS NOW COMPLETED; it is a bright, open and inviting facility that seems to be perfectly situated next to the Veteran's Square which itself saw final completion in time for the Traditional Music Festival last

summer. The library complex provides the library, public washrooms, as well as a conference room that is available for groups and because of the condition of the town hall is being utilized by council for their meetings.

Adjacent to the library is the new Arts Council 'Sunflower Art Gallery' which features art creations for viewing or purchase by a number of gifted local artists, again a perfect location near our town square.

THE RAY JARVIS AIRPORT TERMINAL was completed which reflected Councillor Jarvis's long and unwavering effort to bring improvement to the airport.

The fuel system, another enhancement, brought in \$20,000 in profit. The airport committee is envisioning hangars that will provide non-tax revenue for airport income.

THE MUSEUM EXPANSION AND RENOVATION requests for proposals have been received, since the work is mostly indoors, it is

hoped that construction can begin as soon as possible.

The renovated and expanded museum will feature all of the previous artifacts as well as those that we did not have display space for; in addition initiatives will be taken to bring the collection to life and make the displays more interactive. THE WATER INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS are nearing completion, East Princeton and the airport residences as well as Jacobsen Road are up and running.

The water extension to the Deerview area is very close to completion, and it should be noted that this line coming down from the air-

port enabled us to twin the infrastructure and install sewer capabilities to the airport area at a substantially reduced cost.

We are also completing a GWUDI water supply analysis. GWUDI stands for Ground Water Under Direct Influence and it is a rating of our water system. The analysis will tell us what may be required, if anything, in further protecting our community water system from possible surface water influences, it will also investigate the capacity of our wells and will indicate the time to start establishing a reserve for another well.

..... continued on Page 19

Similkameen News Leader

Follow the News Leader on Twitter @PrincetonBCNews



Similkameen News Leader THIS WEEK:



Skaters Bring Back Ribbons - Page 9

ADVERTISING WORKS... OR YOU WOULDN'T BE READING THIS!

Similkameen News Leader
Phone: 250.295.4149
1-888-350-9969 Toll Free

Similkameen News Leader Bengel Publishing Inc.



Canadian Publications Mail Agreement No. (1299263) • websites: www.thenewsleader.ca • www.thenewsleader.info • www.thenewsleader.net

Published Weekly in Princeton, BC by Bengel Publishing Inc. 226A Bridge Street, PO Box 956, Princeton, BC V0X 1W0

Phone: 250.295.4149 • 1-888-350-9969 • Fax: 250.295.4103

Similkameen
News Leader

WE'RE DIFFERENT, AND WE LIKE THAT.

NEW STORE HOURS

SHOPPERS
DRUG MART

EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 7 - THE STORE WILL BE OPEN
9:00 AM - 7:00 PM Monday - Friday
9:00 AM - 6:00 PM Saturdays 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM Holidays

EFFECTIVE MARCH 14
THE STORE WILL BE OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK
9:00 AM - 7:00 PM Monday - Friday
9:00 AM - 6:00 PM Saturdays 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM Sundays
11:00 AM - 4:00 PM Holidays



Wiltech Developments Inc. of Westbank has been signed as the General Contractor for the Yellow Lake road widening project. You will see their equipment and company logo onsite. Rampaul Dulay of the Interior Regional Office of BC's Transportation Ministry in Kamloops will take over as Project Manager in a couple of weeks. Rampaul confirmed Friday January 21st that timber from the site is being salvaged by Wiltech Developments. Photo: Arlene Arlow

Public open house Integrated System Plan

Your views are important to us

FortisBC is seeking public input as we develop an Integrated System Plan (ISP). The ISP will look ahead 20 years to identify the energy and infrastructure needs of our customers — then set out a five-year business plan to meet these needs.

We invite you to share your thoughts on these topics:

- Capital projects – new projects by region, customer priorities for selecting sites and funds to address social and environmental considerations
- Future resources – planning for electrical generation
- Energy efficiency and conservation measures – advanced metering infrastructure (or “smart meters”) and joint programs with Terasen Gas

Please visit any of the following open houses. Each open house will **begin with a presentation at 6 p.m.** FortisBC representatives will also be available at information stations to answer your individual questions.

- Kelowna:** February 7, 2011 | 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Holiday Inn Express, 2429 Highway 97 N.
- Osoyoos:** February 8, 2011 | 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Osoyoos Senior Centre, 17 Park Place
- Creston:** February 9, 2011 | 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Creston and District Community Complex, 312 19th Ave
- Castlegar:** February 10, 2011 | 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Sandman Hotel, 1944 Columbia Ave

If you can't attend one of the one houses but would like to participate, you are encouraged to review the ISP information, including a video recording of the open house presentation, to be posted on the FortisBC website. Written feedback/comments, should be addressed to FortisBC at Suite 100, 1975 Springfield Road, Kelowna BC V1Y 7V7, Attn: Integrated System Plan.

Feedback received on or before February 25, 2011 will be considered, along with technical and financial information, as FortisBC prepares the Integrated System Plan for submission to the BC Utilities Commission in June 2011.

For more information, call 1-866-4FORTIS (1-866-436-7847) or visit www.fortisbc.com

FortisBC Inc. uses the FortisBC name and logo under license from Fortis Inc.

Energizing your community.

www.fortisbc.com

FORTISBC

Fair Board works on plans

The first meeting of the new year is always a busy time for the Fall Fair Association. Although the fair is nine months in the future, the success of the fair depends on early planning.

The meeting began with an update on who is doing what at the fairgrounds, and when they are doing it. The rodeo is on May 14 and 15. Dusti Henwood reported the Little Britches Rodeo has secured July 23 and 24. John Bey advised of the dates requested for horse racing in Princeton. Racing Days will meet next month on February 24 at Riverside Centre, and dates should be available then. The fair will be held September 10 and 11. The Fall Fair will host flea markets during the warmer months, but no dates have been set.

Terry Inglis advised there will be work parties required as soon as the weather allows, and prior to the rodeo. He gave an update on PXA negotiations with the Town to have a maintenance worker at the grounds this year.

President Keith Olsen distributed copies of the evaluation of the 2010 Fall Fair. These evaluations are made by judges who are delegated by the BC Fairs and Exhibitions Association. Princeton's fair had a better score last year, and there were many favorable comments about the activities at the fair. One criticism was that the grounds were too rocky, but there is little that can be done about that situation.

An increase in rates of vendors who use power was discussed and approved. The 2011 vendor forms will be available soon. Anyone wishing a vendor agreement should contact Lyn Melnechenko or Dusti Henwood at 250.295.7898.

Operation of the concession was discussed, but no definite plans made. Further consultation is required before a decision is made.

Members agreed to book the trick riders again, and will look for additional entertainment with an agricul-

tural element. Heavy horse competition was discussed and will be investigated. There will be a refreshment garden on Saturday evening only, and the remainder of the weekend will be family entertainment in that area, including a gospel sing on Sunday. Sunday will be a real family day.

A list of games for children was presented for consideration. Finding somebody to run games for youngsters may be a problem.

Committee chairs were appointed. Lisa Carleton and Fran Murphy will organize Junior Fair. Leila Bird and Fran will set up the flower exhibits. Rose Flegel will be convenor for Fruit, Vegetables, Home Canning and Baking.

April Earle will be convenor for photography, arts and crafts, and needlework.

Dusti Henwood and Lyn Melnechenko will organize vendors. Dan Kastor, Lyn Melnechenko and Char Smith are in charge of entertainment. The livestock displays will be organized by Vince Milligan and Lyn Melnechenko.

April Earle will be in charge of the prize list booklet production, and Ruby Bey and Dawn Johnson will assist by finding advertisers for the booklet and sponsors for events. Lisa Carleton will be in charge of marketing and posters.

Dan Kastor will be running the horseshoes competition again, and advised the horseshoe pits must be completely renovated.

The work on the grounds and buildings will be done through work parties as soon as weather permits. Painting in the Junior Fair building must wait until summer when the concrete floor is warm enough.

The meeting was a great start to the year. Members were very enthusiastic, looking for new ideas, and enjoying each other's company again. They meet again on February 22 at the public library. Fall Fair meetings are not closed to the public. Anyone is welcome to attend.



Search and rescue volunteers participate in a beacon check before proceeding. - photo submitted

PGSAR trains for avalanche awareness

by Randy Rorvik, PGSAR

Six members of the Princeton Ground Search and Rescue (PGSAR) team along with 15 local snowmobilers spent the weekend of January 15 and 16 taking a Canada Avalanche Centre AST1 course.

The weekend started with an all day classroom session that saw the participants learn how different types of snow conditions develop into what could start an avalanche, how to assess the stability and types of terrain, and finding a route through it.

The students were taught how to do risk analysis, using tools such as Canada Avalanche Centre bulletins (avalanche.ca), the Trip Planner, and Avaluator V2.0™. The day finished up with a discussion on

types of equipment that would allow one to perform a rescue; specifically a beacon, probe, and shovel.

Students found that the newest digital beacons have three antennas verses two antenna, and that the older analog beacons should be replaced. Probes should be sturdy and the wires checked for wear. Shovels should be metal and carried inside your pack.

Students learned the best chance for survival is to avoid potential avalanche terrain, to wear the beacon on your body in the provided harness, and to always wear your pack.

The second day was hands on training in the rain on Rabbit Mountain. The terrible conditions did allow students to see some of

what was taught in the classroom as there were multiple small avalanches along Coalmont Road and signs of potential avalanches along the trail. Students practiced single beacon search, probing and shovelling techniques, and progressed to multiple beacon searches.

They also practiced line probing in the event that someone who wasn't wearing a beacon was buried. Students were then shown how to dig a snow profile test pit and look at how all the different layers and snow types have developed over the season.

The test pits showed the weak layers that caused forecasters to issue a SPAW (Special Public Avalanche Warning) the weekend of January 22 and 23. (They are not made very continued on Page 8



Instructors give direction and show proper use of tools required for avalanche rescue. - photo submitted

You can help keep meter readers safe



Sarah Koehler, Meter Reader, FortisBC

After a snowfall, please clear a path to your meter and brush away any snow to prevent ice buildup. Your efforts help keep our meter readers safe.

For more information visit us online or call FortisBC at **1-866-436-7847** www.fortisbc.com

FortisBC uses the FortisBC name and logo under license from Fortis Inc. (10-342)

FORTISBC

Hired Equipment Registration Okanagan Shuswap District

The Okanagan Shuswap District of the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure is creating its list of registered Equipment For Hire for the fiscal year of 2011/2012, which begins April 1, 2011. This area geographically covers the area from the United States border, east to Osoyoos, west of Princeton and north of Salmon Arm.

All individuals or companies registered in 2010 will have received invitations by mail to re-register hired equipment for 2011. If you have new equipment to be added to your profile, you can register online at www.bcbid.ca or contact the District Office in Kelowna to obtain the appropriate forms. Any individuals who were not registered in 2009/2010, but wish to have equipment listed are hereby invited to contact the District Office, either in person or by phone, to obtain the appropriate registration forms.

Note that while you do not need to have Commercial (Comprehensive) General Liability Insurance, or up-to-date WorkSafe BC coverage to register, you will have to meet these requirements prior to working on any ministry projects.

Only owned or leased-to-own equipment is eligible for registration. Equipment may only be registered in one area in any given year. Seniority is not transferable area to area.

The deadline for new registrations for the 2011/2012 fiscal year is midnight on Friday, March 18, 2011. Late registrations will be accepted, but may appear at the bottom of the open list. Note that there is no charge for registering new equipment, or for changing or deleting equipment information already listed.

Register through the Okanagan Shuswap District Office at 1358 St. Paul Street, Suite 300, Kelowna or call 250 712-3660 or send a fax to 250 712-3669 to have the forms mailed or faxed to you.



Keremeos.net
(Keremeos on the web)

Web page design • POP3 e-mail accounts
Desktop publishing • Computer repair and servicing
Computer tutoring • CD creation
Custom graphic artwork and logos • photographic services

Bryan - webmaster@Keremeos.net

RESUME SERVICE

NEW or UPDATING
- CONFIDENTIALITY GUARANTEED -
AVAILABLE AT:
Similkameen
News Leader
226A Bridge Street, Princeton
Phone: 250.295.4149 - Fax: 250.295.4103

ADVANCED COMFORT
HEAT PUMPS
AIR CONDITIONING
HIGH EFFICIENCY HEATING - COMPLETE GAS FITTING
WATER PURIFICATION

FURNACE SERVICE TIME? CALL FOR YOUR APPOINTMENT

FOR RELIABLE SERVICE CALL
250.295.3966
SALES, SERVICE & INSTALLATION

Carrier
Turn to the Experts

Canada's **BEST**
QuickBooks resource book!
Learn at your own pace...

QuickBooks®
Authored by Arlene Arlow
Local bookkeeper and QuickBooks instructor
Preview the book and place your order at www.addventive.com

Phone: 250.499.5121
e-mail: arlene@addventive.com

Addventive Academy

Keremeos News



Seen here are directors Terry Findlay and John Bachewich; Manager Colleen Christensen; and President Joan McMurray of the Similkameen Country Chamber who met for a focus group with other directors earlier in January. The first initiative is an "Expert Information Series" for chamber members and the general public, Thursday, February 17th at Victory Hall. For a \$2 donation, you can learn (and ask questions) from experts on such things as Succession Planning For Business; Structural Pest Control (rats, birds, wasps); RRSP's; and the new Spotted Wing Drosophila fruit fly threatening soft crop fruits and grapes in the Okanagan and Similkameen valleys. Doors open at 5:00 PM, sessions start at 6:00 PM. Everyone is welcome. Snacks and beverages are included in the price. For information visit www.similkameencountry.org or give the office a call at 250.499.5225. Photo: Arlene Arlow

Village Council meeting report

by Arlene Arlow
The January 24th meeting of Keremeos Village Council saw five members of the general public in attendance. Warren Everton, Finance Minister for the Regional District Okanagan Similkameen presented the pending RDOS 2011 budget figures, including a breakdown of the portion attributable to Keremeos. Mr. Everton pointed out that the budget has only received first reading and as such, is subject to change before its final reading deadline of March 31st. Each

March 31st, a 5-year plan is adopted.

The total 2011 expenditures for the RDOS are slated to be \$40,219,729, up from \$38,822,571 in 2010.

The largest part of the RDOS budget is fire protection at 41%. There are a total of seven volunteer fire departments in Electoral Areas A, B, C, D, E, G and H. Recreation comes in second at 21%. There are ten recreation jurisdictions (societies, commissions, boards, committees...) from Princeton to Naramata. Capital Expenditures are a separate part of the budget, and will increase to \$57,093,008. from the 2010 figures of \$47,758,505.

The overall budget attributable to Keremeos is slated to drop just over 1.3% from 2010 figures, with around \$272,000. in monies going into services and maintenance such as fire protection (\$112,060); recreation facility (\$57,026); refuse site (\$48,080); swimming pool (\$18,985); general government (\$16,364) and 911 emergency call system (\$11,907).

Okanagan College submitted a request for \$600,000. to help fund its facility expansion. Approval for \$300,000. over the next 3 years is being considered.

In an attempt to cut corners, the RDOS is reviewing proposals for the 911 Dispatch Service contract. In late 2010, the RDOS gave

notice that it will not renew the current contract. 911 calls are answered by the RCMP Communications Centre in Kelowna.

They are then categorized as either "fire" or "ambulance": fire calls are dispatched out of the main fire hall in Penticton, and ambulance calls are dispatched out of the BC Ambulance Dispatch in Kamloops.

General business for Keremeos included first reading of the Keremeos Zoning Bylaw No. 778. The bylaw will include zoning for non-domestic pets and livestock; property variances; parking for residential and commercial premises; building permits for residential properties and other important jurisdictions.

Third and final reading on the Bylaw is expected on February 21st. Input can be given at any of the regular council meetings scheduled for February 7th and February 21st. Copies of the proposed bylaw can be picked up at the Village offices.

Council is considering a 1.5% pay increase for councilors and the mayor for 2010, 2011 and 2012. Council indicated that the raise in pay would amount to about \$7.50 a month for a councilor. One council member commented that there aren't many people in the private sector making as little per
..... continued on Page 5

save electricity win tickets

Know the facts. It is a myth that computers use large amounts of energy when starting up, or that constant start-ups damage components or lead to electrical surges. It is much more cost-effective to shut the computer down when you are finished using it, and doing so actually reduces wear on your system.

For more Bright Ideas, visit www.fortisbc.com/powersense or call 1-866-4FORTIS (1-866-436-7847)

Enter to win 2 tickets to the next Princeton Posse home game
7:00 PM Friday, February 4 - Posse vs. North Okanagan

Name: _____
Phone: _____

Mail your entry to: 226A Bridge Street, PO Box 956, Princeton, VOX 1W0
Winners will be notified at least one day before scheduled game.

use your PowerSense

FORTISBC
powersense



Construction at Yellow Lake is back on track after unforeseen delays. Stuart Cox of the Southern Interior Regional Office of BC's Transportation Ministry in Kamloops confirmed Friday, January 21st that blasting will start this week and continue well into the project. Traffic delays are minimal at this time but could be longer once blasting is underway. Photo: Arlene Arlow

..... continued from Page 4 month as they do.

Regarding residential garbage, consideration is being given to limit domestic garbage to one bag per week.

This will likely produce an increase in recyclable garbage. Currently, BFI who purchased Canadian Waste claims ownership of all recyclable materials as soon as they are tossed into the garbage truck. The contractor is permitted to store and sell these items at their discretion.

Garbage invoices for Keremeos residents will be delayed until mid-February. Keremeos and Red Wing Estates will not see much of an increase in garbage fees for 2011. Other areas that BFI serves may see up to a 50% increase. Council decided to delay approval for the 2011 residential garbage rates until the 2010 final numbers are available for comparison.

Question Period is an opportunity

for the general public to voice concerns or offer input into the items that have been discussed within the meeting.

It was suggested to Council that more transparency be required from the garbage contractor who currently does not need to disclose how much (or how little) they profit from the recyclable materials. The attitude on "one bag or two" for garbage seemed to be evenly

split.

It was suggested that Council offer a public forum so that residents can provide a community consensus on "going green".

A concern voiced by three people in the gallery was how the public would perceive an increase in pay for the council and mayor when the local farm wages, construction wages and the Keremeos economy in general are down.

www.thenewsleader.info



HONDA
Power
Equipment



Mac's Auto Parts Ltd.
193 Vermillion Avenue, Princeton
Phone: (250) 295-6944 Fax: (250) 295-7344
HOURS OF OPERATION:
7:00AM - 5:30PM MONDAY - FRIDAY
8:00AM - 5:00PM SATURDAY

LAWN MOWERS
WATER PUMPS
TILLERS - GENERATORS
SNOWBLOWERS

ROCKY RIDGE

Repair & Service

• Auto • Industrial
• Commercial • Agricultural

Parts & Supplies Available

Commercial Vehicle
Inspection Facility



250-292-8393

Gary Lawrence

8km East of Hedley - 4908 Highway 3, Keremeos

FAX SERVICE

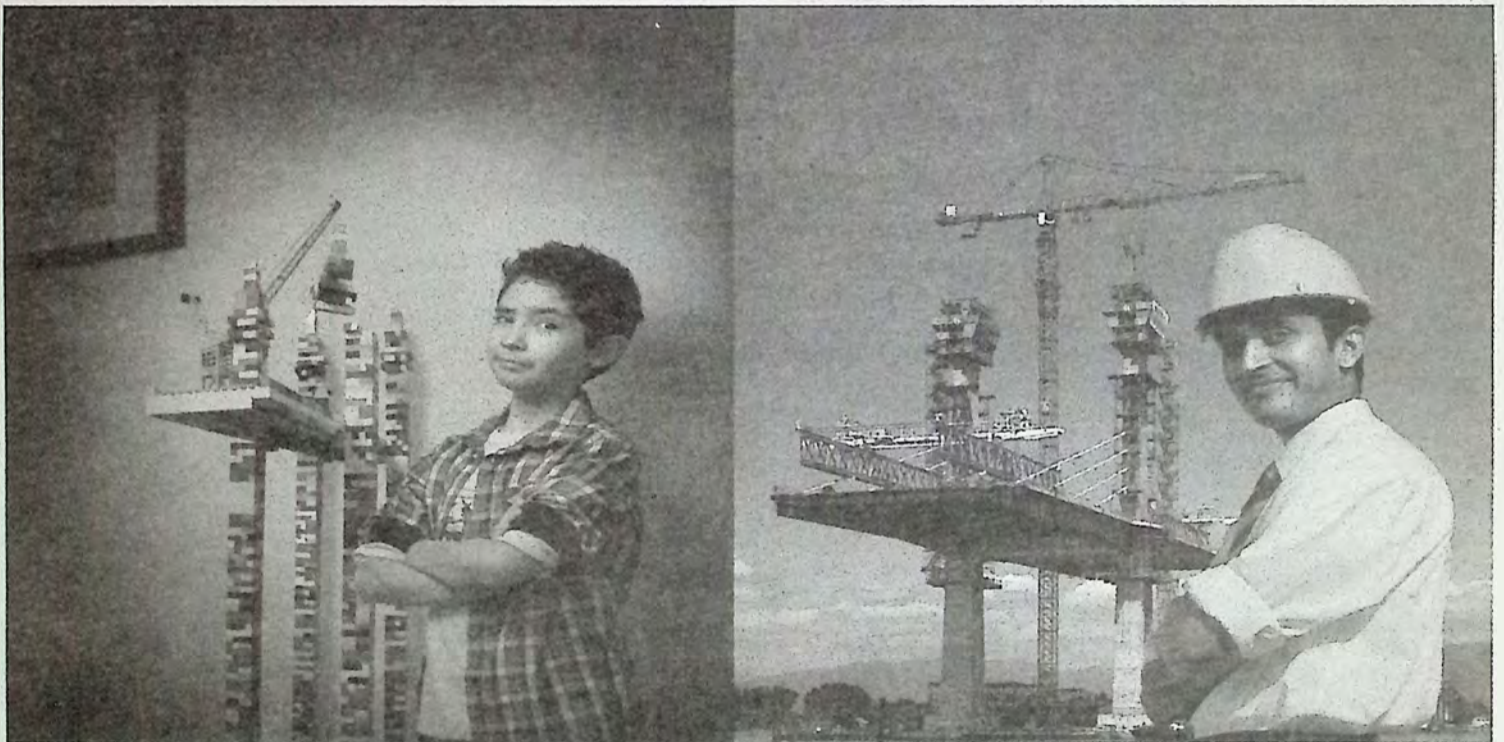


SENDING OR RECEIVING
- CONFIDENTIALITY GUARANTEED -
AVAILABLE AT:

Similkameen
News Leader

226A Bridge Street, Princeton

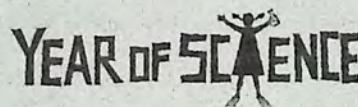
Phone: 250.295.4149 - Fax: 250.295.4103



CHOOSE SCIENCE. GO FAR.

When your child chooses science, they're choosing more than a rewarding career. They're choosing to contribute, achieve and have their thinking recognized. And to start them off right, we're even offering one potential scientist a \$25,000 scholarship.

To learn more, visit yearofsciencebc.ca



Styling Jen's
Hair Salon

JENNIFER PAQUETTE
HAIR STYLIST

#2 195 Bridge St.
SALON HOURS
Mon-Thurs 9am-5pm
Friday 10am-6pm
Weekends & Stat Holidays Closed
250-295-3333

PHOTOCOPY SERVICE

SINGLE or MULTIPLE
- CONFIDENTIALITY GUARANTEED -
AVAILABLE AT:



Similkameen
News Leader

226A Bridge Street, Princeton

Phone: 250.295.4149 - Fax: 250.295.4103

Princeton Area Ghost Towns - The DVD



\$19.99
INCLUDES GST

Available at:
**Similkameen
News Leader**

www.thenewsleader.ca

Explore The History Of Mining - Gold, Copper and Coal



Weyerhaeuser

The future is growing™

DEVELOPMENT OF A PEST MANAGEMENT PLAN

File # 104-965-11/16

Weyerhaeuser (Princeton Timberlands) is developing an Integrated Pest Mgmt Plan under the BC Integrated Pest Management Act and associated regulations. The plan will describe a pest management program using Integrated Pest Management techniques.

The purpose of this IPMP is to ensure effective and safe vegetation control within an integrated pest management program on crown land within the Southern Interior Forest Region, Forest Licenses FLA18674 Okanagan TSA, FLA18970 Boundary TSA, FLA18698 Merritt TSA and TFL 59. This region includes Weyerhaeuser's Princeton Timberlands division's operations on crown land and includes but is not limited to the surrounding areas of Oliver, Okanagan Falls, Penticton, Kelowna, Princeton and Lumby BC.

Under this IPMP, the following are a combination of selectively applied techniques or methods that will be used alone or in combination with one another to suppress and control competitive vegetation. Our approach to prompt site prep and planting with quality seedlings on the best microsites enhances our efforts towards reducing the number of instances where there will be the need for vegetation control. Preventive or minimizing soil disturbance, assessment and early recognition of vegetation problems are also carefully reviewed. Mechanical & Manual applications such as Hand Girdling, Brush and Chain saws, (brushing & weeding), Burning, Site Preparation, biological product Chontrol Peat Paste, Herbicide Application with ground foliar spraying, selective or spot treatment and basal bark. Herbicides proposed for use include, glyphosate (Vantage Forestry / VisionMax), and triclopyr (Garlon RTU).

The proposed effective term of this IPMP is from March 31, 2011 to March 30, 2016.

The proposed IPMP, diagrams and map(s) may be viewed at either of the Weyerhaeuser offices at 1655 Maple Street, Okanagan Falls, BC V0H1R2 or Old Hedley Road, Princeton, BC V0X 1W0. If you wish to review the document please phone for an appointment at 250-497-1223 or 250-295-4274 / Fax 250-497-1281 or you may request to receive further information in regards to this IPMP from the following contact:

E-Qwest Consulting Ltd.
e-qwest@shaw.ca
Phone number 250-766-2677
Fax number 250-766-2677

A person wishing to contribute information about a proposed treatment site, relevant to the development of the Pest Management Plan, may send copies of the information to the applicant at the address above within 30 days of the publication of this notice.

Health / Lifestyle News

Virus prevention—fact or fiction?

(NC)—Modern medicine hasn't found a cure for the common cold, but that doesn't stop the rest of us from trying.

Avoiding getting sick in the first place is better still, and everyone has their own secret remedy. Here are some of the most common remedies, and the scientific consensus on how well they work.

Omega-3**Consensus: credible**

The fatty acids of a daily omega-3 supplement deliver immune-fortifying properties, according to the Institute of Human Nutrition and School of Medicine in Britain. Omega-3 increases the activity of phagocytes, the cells that eat up bacteria.

Additional research also shows that omega-3 increases airflow and protects the lungs from infections. Capsules should contain at least 1 gram of EPA and DHA fish oil to be effective.

Cold-Fx**Consensus: credible**

In a clinical trial published in the Canadian Medical Association Journal, participants who took two daily capsules of Cold-FX caught 25% fewer respiratory infections as a group taking a placebo.

When participants did get sick, their symptoms were 31% less severe and they were sick for 1/3 less time.

This particular ginseng extract contains compounds that increase disease-fighting white blood cells and interleukins, important proteins for the immune system.

Echinacea**Consensus: hype**

While this herb has the potential to shorten the duration and severity of symptoms, the quality of the extract can vary.

Be sure to read the labels so you know what you are taking. Side effects have included wheezing, rash, and diarrhea.

Vitamin D**Consensus: credible**

A recent Harvard study showed that people with the lowest vitamin D levels were 36 percent more likely to catch upper respiratory infections.

An optimum level of the vitamin will produce cathelicidin, a protein with virus-killing qualities. A growing number of studies suggest an intake of at least 1,000 IU every day, which is most easily achieved with a dietary supplement.

Vitamin C**Consensus: hype**

A diet rich in vitamin C is essential to good health, but loading up on supplements for extra protection isn't recommended.

A 2007 review of 30 studies found no evidence that vitamin C supple-

mentation prevents colds in the general population. Megadoses have also been shown to cause kidney stones, upset stomach, and even internal bleeding in children.

Zinc**Consensus: conflicting**

Research continues, but results are underwhelming. Zinc is credited with slowing the spread of germs in the nose and throat.

Some reports show that taking a 30-mg zinc supplement at the very start of a cold will shorten it by about half a day.

On the other hand, more than 50-mg per day can suppress your immune system and block the absorption of other essential minerals.

- www.newsleader.com

THE NEWS LEADER PRESENTS:
What is retirement?

This is the year the boomers start collecting Old Age Pension. This year marks the first wave of the Baby Boom generation which is generally accepted to be those born in 1946 to 1956. They are likely the healthiest, most youthful group of retirees to come along, and how they handle retirement is going to become a social issue.

What is retirement? What do people do with all that free time?

Most people look forward to retirement and have all kinds of plans for leisure activities, but something happens: working people are creatures of habit. Ask any server at local coffee shops, and they will tell

you about the guys who arrive as soon as the place opens and sit together talking, drinking coffee, for an hour or more, before going on with the day's activities. It seems the urge to leave home first thing in the morning is a lifelong habit hard to shake, for men, anyway. Women have different ways of handling retirement.

In the next few months, the News Leader is going to interview people who have been retired for a few years and we intend to find out the pleasures and pitfalls of retired people. Anyone interested in being interviewed should contact Dawn Johnson at 250.295.6063.

Living Past 100

Jungle Provides Exotic Medicine

Saving the rain forest has been a cause for many years, and one of the reasons for the concern is medicine found in the jungle. Have you ever heard of dragon's blood? It's name is sangre de grado, and it has been called a natural miracle. This plant extract strengthens the immune system, heals wounds and fights viruses.

An ointment made from the plant extract proved to be more effective in treating surface lesions of genital herpes than regular medications. Extracts of sangre de grado have proven effective in treating a number of viral infections from flu to hepatitis A and B, to gastric ulcers, severe forms of diarrhea, shingles, and has been shown to have some effect on stomach and colon cancers.

Sangre de grado is actually a tree sap from a tree belonging to the Croton genus. The name comes from the fact that the red sap oozing from the tree during harvest makes the tree look like it is bleeding. This tree is natural to regions of Peru, Ecuador and Mexico, and native peoples of those regions have used the sap for centuries to treat wounds, gastric disorders, and just about any form of inflammation. It may have some cosmetic applications as well undiscovered, as it helps to regenerate skin by increasing collagen production. It is remarkable in healing burns to the surface of the skin.

Sangre de grado has one big drawback for internal use: it tastes awful. Due to its color, it also stains skin and clothing.

If you would like to try this medication, go to www.rain-tree.com. It will cost around \$30 for a two ounce bottle, but that will last quite awhile as it is used sparingly.

Cut Your Debt

By Up To 70%

Canada's Debt Diet®

- Avoid bankruptcy
- 0% Interest
- Know your options
- Relieve stress
- Low monthly payments
- Rebuild your credit

Specializing In Personal & Corporate Financial Restructuring

4 PILLARS
CONSULTING GROUP

Working For YOU, Not Your Creditors

Free No Obligation Consultation
250.499.7126 • www.cutyourdebt.ca

This Week - 10 Years Ago

Celebrating Princeton's History

W. George Elliott - Owner/Publisher Similkameen News Leader

News Leader - January 30, 2001

Similkameen
News Leader
WE'RE DIFFERENT, AND WE LIKE THAT.
www.thenewsleader.info

Need Blinds?
Skyview Blinds & Closets
PLUS
• Drapery • Phantom Screen
• Awnings • Lockers
Thérèse Chickloski
PHONE: 250.492.0555
CELL: 250.809.7542
We service Princeton and Area!
Call us now for your FREE in-home consultation!
www.skyviewblinds.ca

THE SIMILKAMEEN
NEWS LEADER
75 CENTS
INCLUDES GST
VOLUME 4 ISSUE 05
PUBLISHED WEEKLY IN PRINCETON, B.C. CANADA 295-4149 JANUARY 30, 2001

Local mushers host dogsled race



- First dogsled races are free

Pinewood Expeditions and Siba Tribe Tours invite everyone to attend the first dogsled races in the Similkameen Valley. There are now three sled dog owners and trainers in the Princeton area, and they plan to attract people to the Similkameen Valley with dogsled races in the future. However, this year, they are doing demonstration races only. The races will take place on February 10 at 1:00 p.m. at Km 29 on the Osprey Lake Road (Highway 40). Musher's are coming from the Lower Mainland, Princeton and Washington State. The team of dogs from the movies will be at the races. They were canine cast members for *Call of the Wild* and *Kevin of the North*, and *Winter Dance* (being filmed now starring Cuba Gooding, James Cockburn and Whoopee Goldberg). Outfitters will be on hand to show dog sled equipment, and skijoring equipment, for people who want to start in these sports.

Continued on page 2

Drug-free zone

The January 30, 2001 Similkameen News Leader front page. - News Leader archives.

OVF&GC says: "The buck stops here!"

Otter Valley Fish & Game Club hosted the third annual Big Buck Banquet January 27, 2001 in the Princeton Legion Hall.

Hunters and anglers filled the hall for the event where annual awards were presented for the best rack of antlers bagged by a hunter during the previous season.

Roy Folz was the big winner taking home \$1,000.00 and the Ray Brewer Memorial Trophy with antlers, which scored 155 2/8. Nathan Antonick took second place with a score of 153 1/8. He won \$150.00. Tom Price earned third prize, a two-year subscription to Big Buck Magazine, for antlers scoring 150 6/8.

Paul Adams won a prize for the smallest buck and was presented with 'Buddy Buck' amid hoots of laughter. Twelve-year-old Cliff Lindley won a prize for being the youngest hunter. Club President Ron White presented all the prizes.

The first-ever dogsled races in the Similkameen Valley were being planned this time ten years ago. At the time a total of three sled dog owners and trainers were living in the Princeton area and their plan was to attract people to the valley by hosting annual dogsled races.

The first event was planned for 1:00 PM on February 10, 2001 at kilometre 29 on the Osprey Lake Road. Musher's from the Lower Mainland, Washington State and other parts of British Columbia had

expressed interest in attending.

Princeton Rodeo Club elected a new executive for the season at their annual general meeting January 26, 2001. Stan Thompson was returned as President with Patti Harrower as Treasurer and Sharon Johnson as Secretary. The position of Vice President was not filled. Directors included Bob Lind, Ernie Willis, Glen Sellers, Jack Powell and Carol Ruoss. One Director's seat was not filled.

The Club had a busy season planned which included a benefit team roping event May 5 and 6 for

Rodeo Club moves ahead

..... continued from Front Page committee.

PXA Chair Terry Inglis updated Rodeo Club members as to the progress being made and the projects that will have to be done this spring. Projects for the Rodeo Club

injured team roper Dan Lytton and chose not to host another Senior Pro Rodeo to make time to plan for a Canadian Professional Rodeo Association event in 2002.

Two other team-roping events were on the schedule along two seasonal trail rides.

Princeton's first baby of 2001 was Tessa Amber Greyeyes and thieves who broke into Princeton Arena January 26, 2001 must have been hungry. The junk food thieves used the emergency exit to gain entry and made off with candy and potato chips from the concession stand.

include new gates, some work on the pens, and general preparation for the rodeo.

Inglis warned members there will be work parties scheduled. The next meeting was scheduled for February 24 at 7:00 PM at the library.

www.similkameenteen.com

NEED A WEBSITE AND ON A BUDGET?
Call Adam Gullason 250.295.4320
e-mail: info@upnadam.me
AFFORDABLE LOCAL WEB DESIGN
www.upnadam.me



Would you like to reduce your overall tax bill? Are you currently saving for a home, cottage, car or vacation? Have you maxed out your RRSP contributions and looking for another way to shelter investment income from tax?
The new Tax-Free Savings Account (TFSA) will help with all of the above, and more.
Talk to us today to determine how the TFSA could fit into your overall plan. Save for your goals faster and tax free.



Al Anderson, BBA, CFP, TEP
Financial Consultant

Phone: (250) 295-3555
alan.anderson@investorsgroup.com

The Plan
by Investors Group
Investors Group Financial Services Inc.

NORSON CONSTRUCTION LTD.
TEMPORARY VEHICLE AND PEDESTRIAN CHANGES
New Food Store Construction, Bridge Street
Will continue until mid-March 2011

Norson Construction Ltd. will be restricting road access during the construction of a new store on Bridge Street (bordered by Angela and Harold Avenues).

The roads affected are as follows:

- Angela Avenue will be one way entering from Bridge Street only.
- Parking will not be permitted along either side of Angela Avenue
- Parking will not be permitted on the west side of Bridge Street.
- Parking will not be permitted along either side of Harold Avenue.
- The sidewalk on the west side of Bridge Street will be closed.

These closures are expected to impact traffic and pedestrians. The public is being urged to plan their routes accordingly.

We apologize for this inconvenience and appreciate your continued cooperation during construction. Further information can be obtained by contacting:

Rodney Bell - Site Supervisor, Norson Construction at 250.862.6317
James Jones - Project Manager, Norson Construction at 250.769.9324
Patrick Robins - CAO Town of Princeton at 250.295.3135

SINCE 1973

ROBERT R. WICKS
BARRISTER & SOLICITOR
 213 Vermilion Avenue, P.O. Box 760
 Princeton, B.C., V0X 1W0
 Fax: 295-7000 Phone: 295-3123



Avalanche awareness participants watch a pit demo. - photo submitted

UP 'N' ADAM WEB DESIGN

www.upnadam.me

PROFESSIONAL,
CUSTOM-BUILT WEBSITES
AT AFFORDABLE PRICES

CONVENIENT
DOWNTOWN LOCATION
(News Leader Office)
WITH FLEXIBLE HOURS

250.295.4320

info@upnadam.me

..... continued from Page 3 often).

The day finished up performing very realistic scenarios that the attendees will hopefully never encounter.

The first was a multiple burial of 5 snowmobilers that all attendees participated in. It showed the challenges and advantages of having many searchers. In just under 10

minutes, all 'buried' people were found and dug out.

Students then split up into two teams and made up a scenario for the other team. Teams were pretty mischievous, burying 2 beacons on top of each other, observers leaving their beacons on, a beacon left on in the cabin, and one buried 4' deep. It made the students use the knowledge they had gained, and was a great way to end the day.

Everyone agreed that this training was invaluable. Some comments

from long time sledders were "with what I know now, I'm surprised that I never got hit by an avalanche in the past" and "this course should be mandatory for any snowmobiler."

PGSAR would like to thank Reichert Sales and Service for organizing this course, and Carol Savage, Tracy and Kathy Senio, Brad Atkins, and Rob Milne for their great instruction.

For more info on avalanches visit www.avalanche.ca.

Arts Council presents culture plan

At the January 17 public meeting, Town Council had its first look at a draft of Princeton's Cultural Plan. The plan was presented by Princeton Community Arts Council, and briefly reviewed by Vicky Jones, who explained it is a 10 year plan to be implemented gradually.

The draft plan will be reviewed by the public on February 3, and Jones says it will likely be tweaked before it is finalized. It is meant to become part of Princeton's Official Community Plan.

The plan is the result of a survey done last fall, and community consultation. It is comprised of a number of goals such as increased visibility of arts and culture, creating cultural partnerships, ensuring the

sustainability of community events and organizations, showcase and celebrate our heritage, reinforce culture's importance to the growth of our community, and enhance the appeal of the community through improved public spaces.

Councillor Jason Earle praised the Arts Council for developing a plan of action. Councillor Marilyn Harkness praised the group for having a committee to implement the plan.

Mayor Randy McLean asked for a separate document which would state the extent of Council's participation in the plan.

When the plan is finalized, it will be taken to Town Council for adoption, but this is scheduled for March.



COMMUNITY FORUM ON PRINCETON'S CULTURAL PLAN




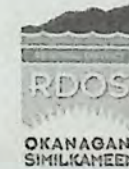
6:30 - 8:00 PM

Thursday, February 3 - Riverside Centre

Please join us for an interactive session to discuss proposed goals for the next ten years for Princeton's arts, culture and heritage future.

For further information visit www.princetonarts.ca
or e-mail vickyjones5@gmail.com

WE WANT YOUR INPUT!

FAX SERVICE

SENDING OR RECEIVING
- CONFIDENTIALITY GUARANTEED -
AVAILABLE AT:

Similkameen

News Leader

226A Bridge Street, Princeton

Phone: 250.295.4149 - Fax: 250.295.4103





News Leader Entertainment

Similkameen News Leader TV Guide Listings - February 1 - 7, 2011



Hanna Gould, left, and Alexia Boyd, right, proudly display ribbons earned in the 2011 Regional Championship along with Princeton Figure Skating Club Coach Janelle Morcombe. - photo submitted

Skaters bring home ribbons

Alexia Boyd and Hanna Gould travelled to Kelowna January 22nd to compete in the 2011 Okanagan Region Championships.

With their coach Janelle Morcombe by their side they entered the Preliminary Elements competition and performed a variety of required elements including jumps, spins and spirals. Both girls did amazingly well for their first competition and placed a very respectable 9th and 12th in their

division.

Sunday had the skaters return to the rink to show their performance dance. Hanna was first in their flight to perform her solo and Alexia was the last skater to take the ice.

Despite the nerves both girls were feeling they skated their hearts out on the ice and made their coach and families proud by both bringing home Silver for their performances.

When asked if they had fun they both replied "Yes! We can't wait to go again next year!"

The skaters would like to thank all the family, friends and neighbors who donated bottles for their fundraising. Thank you also to Janelle for convincing them they can do it and for giving your time to join them. - submitted

WE BELIEVE!



Similkameen
News Leader

PHOTOCOPY SERVICE

SINGLE or MULTIPLE
- CONFIDENTIALITY GUARANTEED -
AVAILABLE AT:



Similkameen
News Leader

226A Bridge Street, Princeton

Phone: 250.295.4149 - Fax: 250.295.4103

Dreaming Up the Ideal Retirement Is Your Job. Helping You Get There Is Ours.

Maybe your idea of retirement is having a second career or working part time, volunteering or indulging in your favourite hobbies. Doing the things you want to do is what retirement should be about.

To learn whether your retirement plan matches your idea of retirement, call for a personal retirement review.



Bill Lott, CFP®
Financial Advisor
#3-9150 Main Street
Osoyoos, BC V0H 1V2
250-495-7255

www.edwardjones.com
Member - Canadian Investor Protection Fund

Edward Jones
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

FINANCIAL FOCUS

Pay The Mortgage or Contribute to an RRSP?

It's a common dilemma for many Canadians — should you pay down your mortgage or contribute to a Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP) instead?

Unfortunately, there's no easy or definitive answer. What works for one person may not work for another. It all depends on your particular circumstances, plus factors related to economic conditions and developments in the financial markets.

To help you determine what might be right for you, here are some issues to consider.

Interest rates — How much will you save by paying down the mortgage? You might find historically low interest rates to be a factor in favour of investing in an RRSP. That's because paying off a low-rate mortgage doesn't offer the same level of savings as paying off a high-rate mortgage. But remember that as rates move up, mortgage savings could take on renewed importance. Higher rates mean higher interest costs, which means you'll probably save more by reducing or eliminating your mortgage principal. When it's time to renew at higher rates, you'll have less of an outstanding mortgage.

Investment returns — How much can you earn on your investments? Remember, an RRSP boosts returns by allowing your investments to grow within a tax-deferred environment. And don't forget the immediate tax break your annual RRSP contribution provides. You need to determine whether the returns from a lump sum put into your RRSP will be greater than the amount saved by paying down the mortgage. This decision needs to be shaped by a long-term view, looking at both interest rates and investment returns.

Other debt — If you have high-interest debt such as credit card balances, it usually makes sense to pay that off before focusing on your mortgage or RRSP.

Your age — Remember that contributions to an RRSP at an early age can make a big difference in helping you reach your long-term financial goals. The earlier you get money into a retirement plan, the longer it will have to grow in a tax-deferred manner.

Other retirement income — If you have a workplace pension that will help finance retirement, or other sources of future income, it may make more sense to pay down the mortgage. Once the mortgage is paid off, you can concentrate on your RRSP.

Missed RRSP contributions — RRSP rules allow you to make up for missed contributions. If you have unused contribution room from past years, that's another consideration to take into account. Again, you'll need to assess whether the returns after making up for those missed contributions will be greater than the amount saved by paying down the mortgage.

Also remember that the mortgage-versus-RRSP decision does not have to be "either-or." The best scenario for many people is contributing to an RRSP as well as paying down the mortgage. For example, you could make your RRSP contribution each year, and then pay down a portion of the mortgage principal using the tax refund generated by your RRSP contribution.

Consult with your financial advisor to help you weigh your options and choose a course of action that makes the most sense for you.

FINANCIAL FOCUS is a presentation of:



Edward Jones®
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

BILL LOTT, CFP FINANCIAL ADVISOR
9150 MAIN STREET, UNIT #3, OSOYOOS, BC V0H 1V2
PHONE (250) 495-7255 • FAX (250) 495-2745
TOLL FREE 1-877-742-4007 • HOME (250) 295-7088
www.edwardjones.com e-mail: bill.lott@edwardjones.com
Edward Jones is a member CIPF

Kung Hay Fat Choy - Happy New Year!

Chinese New Year begins Wednesday, and welcomes the Year of the Rabbit (or Cat). The Chinese assign astrological significance to each year, corresponding to the movement of Jupiter around the Sun. The Chinese say the Year of the Rabbit is good luck for some people and not so good for others.

The Chinese calendar year goes from the new moon in Aquarius one year to the new moon in Aquarius the following year, so it is on a different day from year to year. If you were born after February 1, 1927, February 18, 1939, February 4, 1951, January 24, 1963, February 10, 1975, January 29, 1987, or February 16, 1999, you were born in The Year of the Rabbit.

Rabbit years are believed to be years of world-wide changes. Intellectual activity pays off in Rabbit years, so it is a good year to study, even if it means just taking a course for the sake of expanding your knowledge. The advantage goes to those who have knowledge.

Justice prevails in Rabbit years. It is a good year for police, and a poor year for crooks. Don't even think of doing anything dishonest in a

Rabbit year: you will be caught!

This is a good year for teas, receptions and other social occasions, especially if you entertain at home.

People born in the Year of the Rabbit are dependable friends, they love their homes, and are practical and level-headed. They are very good at avoiding emotional upheaval, and will skirt emotionally charged issues. They hate turmoil, pursue peace of mind, and will get a divorce rather than put up with a mate's temper tantrums or heavy dramatics. They are hard workers, unless surrounded by a messy environment. Rabbit people are good at business, and they are also creative, an unusual combination. Although they may seem mild-mannered and pleasing company, don't underestimate them, and don't take them for granted.

If you were born in The Year of the Rabbit, what can you expect? For you, this is a good year for business, and a good year for the simple pleasures of home and being with friends.

If you know the year you were born, here is some advice for everyone. If you were born in the Year of

the Rat, Ox, Tiger, or Dragon, this is going to be a bland year. Try not to be bored, and don't launch any major projects. If you were born in

the Year of the Snake, Horse, Goat, Dog, or Monkey, this is a good year for you. If you were born in the Year of the Pig (Boar), saying "no!"

can turn it into a lucky year. If you can't say No, even to criticism from within yourself, it can be a troublesome year.



The News Leader's Brenda Engel bribes a neighbourhood rabbit last April. *

Music Festival plans shift into high gear

by Rika Ruebsaat,

Traditional Music Festival Society

If you were on the streets of Princeton on August 20th and 22nd last year you would have experienced streets crowded with smiling people and heard bagpipes, fiddle music, cowboy songs or loggers' poetry wafting through the air. The town square would have been filled with people in strange costumes and blackened faces dancing to button accordion music. This was the First Annual Princeton Traditional Music Festival.

Plans are gearing up for this year's Festival to be held on August 19th to 21st.

"We've had several meetings of the Festival Organizing Committee," says Rika Ruebsaat, Artistic Director of the Festival.

"We plan to invite about 60 musical performing groups and seven dance

troupses."

"This year's Festival will be even bigger than last year's," says Jon Bartlett, Festival organizer.

"It will begin with an outdoor participatory Irish Country dance with a live band and a dance caller on Vermilion Avenue next to the town square on Friday evening. Everyone is welcome - no experience necessary and you don't even have to bring a partner."

There will be music on two stages, one in front of the Museum and one on the town square, from 10:00 AM till 6:00 PM on the Saturday and Sunday. "You'll hear everything from accordions, flutes and banjos to blues and cowboy poetry," says Ruebsaat, "and the streets will be filled with morris dancers."

The Committee would love to involve you in this year's Festival. "Last year's volunteers had a great

time," says Bartlett.

"The people who billeted performers all wanted them back again. We also need people to help with setting

up, dismantling and other tasks."

If you'd like to help out, call Jon and Rika at 250.295.6010. If you want to find out more about the

Festival you can go to the web blog - www.princetonfestival.wordpress.com -- or email them at princetonfestival@telus.net.



BC Southern Interior MP Alex Atamanenko performing at last year's Traditional Music Festival. *

Similkameen
News Leader

Follow the News Leader on Twitter
@PrincetonBCNews

FREE ONLINE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

www.thenewsleader.biz

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2011

Table with 20 columns (WTBS ch.3 to TROP ch.45) and 24 rows (6 AM to 11:30 PM) listing TV programs and channels.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2011

Table with 20 columns (WTBS ch.3 to TROP ch.45) and 24 rows (6 AM to 11:30 PM) listing TV programs and channels for Wednesday, February 2, 2011.

Similkameen News Leader - Horoscopes

February 2 - 9, 2011

Aries - You are under very positive influences until June. You want to expand your world, enjoy life more, and include more good times in your life. This is good in moderation. You could also gain a lot of weight by June! Live sensibly.

Taurus - Your career continues to demand a lot from you. If you have older parents, problems may arise with them, or they may have a lot of complaints to tell you. This is a passing phase, be patient. For peace of mind, take long walks.

Gemini - This is a good time for you to join a group where you can enjoy meeting more people and have fun in expanding your activities with others. Travel may be hazardous. Keep vehicle in good repair, drive cautiously.

Cancer - Your career is going to expand until June, and you can reap real benefits from it. Older people will be generous to you, or bring you benefits. Pay close attention to bank accounts, insurance costs, debts. Read fine print.

Leo - Others will have a lot to say to you that you may not want to hear, but listen anyway, stand your ground if you need to, and keep in mind that some of what you hear is just their ego talking. Pleasure comes from creative work.

Virgo - Your job and your health are still your top concern right now. You may have problems with both, or be somehow affected by both. Focus on doing the job, listen for opportunities on the job. Have fun through creativity, young folk.

Libra - The next five months are good for developing friendships and associates who can do a great deal of good for you. People are in the mood to like you and be generous to you. If single, many opportunities for romance come your way.

Scorpio - Problems with home, family and your property need to be attended to this month. You must actively work on what needs doing. You may have to do some planning about the future of your home and family. Take care of it now.

Sagittarius - Life is good, you want to have fun now, and you could neglect necessary chores in your efforts to enjoy life. You could also feel lazy, or overly romantic. Keep to a schedule for the next few months, be sensible about fun.

Capricorn - For the next few months, home and family will be the source of much enjoyment. You want to make your home more beautiful, and you want to make your family happy. Improvements to your home and property will cost.

Aquarius - Your energy climbs, you want to go places and do things to expand your everyday life. You may come across as too aggressive now as your energy bubbles over. Use your energy to improve your health and fitness. Do work.

Pisces - Your career runs smoothly, but you may have problems with groups you associate with. They may tell you all kinds of complaints. Do not worry about their problems. Your financial matters must be your area of concern.

Small Business 101

CFIB: 2011 Designated 'Year of the Entrepreneur'

This year, 2011, has been officially designated as the Year of the Entrepreneur by the Government of Canada. Both the Canadian Federation of Independent Business (CFIB) and the Canadian Youth Business Foundation (CYBF) were on hand to mark the occasion with government.

Having represented small-and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) for 40 years, CFIB knows British Columbia's and Canada's future depends on the continuing contributions of entrepreneurs.

SMEs account for 98 per cent of all businesses across Canada, including British Columbia, and with more than 19 per cent of owners planning to exit their business within five years, the Year of the Entrepreneur is a great opportunity to highlight the contributions Canada's entrepreneurs have brought Canada - and flag opportunities for future entrepreneurs.

CFIB's Western Canada Vice-President Laura Jones said, "the success of the small- and medium-sized business sector has con-

tributed greatly to the economic and social success of Canada. As CFIB celebrates 40 years of defending small businesses, designating 2011 as the 'Year of the Entrepreneur' is an occasion we should all be proud of."

Closer to home, CFIB is asking the provincial government what it can do to mark this special occasion. "BC's economy has been strong for the past decade thanks to the vibrant

entrepreneurial spirit in this province.

What better way to ensure our long term economic prosperity than to acknowledge the very people that have been driving growth in BC and across the country—entrepreneurs," concluded Jones.

Similkameen News Leader is one of hundreds of small businesses in the Similkameen Valley with a CFIB Membership.

Canada's **BEST**
QuickBooks resource book!
Learn at your own pace...

QuickBooks®

Authored by Arlene Arlow

Local bookkeeper and QuickBooks instructor

Preview the book and place your order at www.addventive.com

Phone: 250.499.5121
e-mail: arlene@addventive.com

Addventive
Academy

Similkameen News Leader

WE'RE DIFFERENT, AND WE LIKE THAT.

www.thenewsleader.info

Tuesday Movies

EVENING

8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "I Know What You Did Last Summer" (1997, Horror) Jennifer Love Hewitt. A killer stalks North Carolina teens who disposed of an auto accident's live victim. (CC)

9:00 pm KNOW ch.5
"Crossing the Line" (2006,

Documentary) Narrated by Christian Slater. U.S. soldier James Dresnok defects to North Korea in 1962; Christian Slater narrates. (CC)

10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "I Know What You Did Last Summer" (1997, Horror) Jennifer Love Hewitt. A killer stalks North Carolina teens who disposed of an auto accident's live victim. (CC)

Wednesday Movies

EVENING

9:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "The Devil's Advocate" (1997, Suspense) Keanu Reeves. After

moving to New York, a lawyer and his wife gradually learn his new employer's true identity. (CC)

Thursday Movies

EVENING

8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Sliding Doors" (1998, Romance-Comedy) Gwyneth Paltrow. After a series of misfortunes, a woman with an unfaithful boyfriend experiences an alternate reality. (CC)

9:00 pm KNOW ch.5 "Smile 'Til It Hurts: The Up With People Story" (2009,

Documentary) Premiere. Filmmaker Lee Storey examines the history of the musical group Up With People. (CC)
10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Sliding Doors" (1998, Romance-Comedy) Gwyneth Paltrow. After a series of misfortunes, a woman with an unfaithful boyfriend experiences an alternate reality. (CC)

Friday Movies

EVENING

7:00 pm YTV ch.18
"Aquamarine" (2006, Comedy-Drama) Sara Paxton. A mermaid washes ashore after a violent storm and enlists the help of two teenage girls in winning the heart of a handsome lifeguard. (In Stereo) (CC)

8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Legally Blonde" (2001, Comedy) Reese Witherspoon. A sorority queen enrolls in Harvard to prove to her former boyfriend that she has more than good looks. (CC)
FAM ch.26 "Disney's The Kid" (2000, Comedy) Bruce Willis. Premiere. An unmarried, apathetic and 40-ish image-consultant magically receives a visit

from his 8-year-old self. (In Stereo) (CC)

10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Legally Blonde" (2001, Comedy) Reese Witherspoon. A sorority queen enrolls in Harvard to prove to her former boyfriend that she has more than good looks. (CC)
10:07 pm FAM ch.26 "Max Keeble's Big Move" (2001, Comedy) Alex D. Linz. When his parents announce they are moving, a schoolboy decides to take revenge against his tormentors. (In Stereo) (CC)

Twitter? @PrincetonBCNews
www.thenewsleader.info

FREE ONLINE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

www.thenewsleader.biz

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2011

	WTBS ch.3	CHBC ch.4	KNOW ch.5	KSPS ch.6	KHQ ch.7	KREM ch.8	A&E ch.9	KXLY ch.10	BCTV ch.11	CITV ch.12	CBC ch.13	YTV ch.18	TSN ch.19	VTV ch.22	DISC ch.24	FAM ch.26	CITY ch.29	SPIKE ch.44	TROP ch.45
6 AM :30	In the Heat of the Night	(5:30) Morning News (N)	Wibbly Pig	Thomas	News (N)	News	CSI: Miami	News	(5:30) Morning News (N)	(4:30) Morning News (N)	CBC News Now	Being Ian	SportsCentre	Canada AM	Mayday	Henry's Feet	CityLine	Entourage	6 Degrees
7 AM :30	Cosby		Hi-5	Arthur	Today	The Early Show (N)	Criminal Minds	Good Morning America			Artzooka	Sidekick	SportsCentre		How/Made	Phineas	The Nate Berkus Show	CSI: Crime Scene	Tracked
8 AM :30	Cash Cab		Magic Bus	Curious	Pigs; party decorations.		Dog			100 Huntley Street	Bo On/Go	Kid vs. Kat	SportsCentre		I Could Do	Hannah	Rachael Ray	CSI: Crime Scene	Whatever
9 AM :30	Family Fd	100 Huntley Street	Clifford	Super Why!		The 700 Club	The First 48	Live With Regis & Kelly	100 Huntley Street	World Vision	Super Why!	To School	SportsCentre	Live With Regis & Kelly	Cash Cab	Mickey	Role	CSI: Crime Scene	Restaurant Makeover
10 AM :30	The Investigators	World Vision	Franklin Spider	Sesame Street (E)		The Price Is Right (N)	The First 48	The View (N)	World Vision	Dead Brides	Poko	Little Bear	Triathlon	The View (N)	Monster Moves	Mickey	EP Daily	CSI: NY	Real Renos
11 AM :30	Forensics	Canada	Rolie Polie	Sid	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Young & Restless	The Sopranos	Paid Prog.	Canada	Noon News Hour (N)	Gofrette	G. Shrinks	Billiards: Trick Shots	Marilyn Denis	Machines	Suite Life	CityLine	CSI: Crime Scene	Gold Girls
12 PM :30	Jim King	Neon News Hour (N)	Arthur	Charlie Rose	Paid Prog.	News	CSI: Miami	All My Children (N)	Noon News Hour (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	CBC News Now (N)	Puppies	Premier League Poker	etalk	River Monsters	Wizards	General Hospital (N)	CSI: Crime Scene	Friends
1 PM :30	Friends	Days of our Lives (N)	Dinosaurs	Painting	Days of our Lives (N)	The Talk	Criminal Minds	One Life to Live (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	The Doctors	Dragons' Den	Viva Piñata		Marilyn Denis	Storm Chasers	Cory	Jdg Judy	CSI: NY	Friends
2 PM :30	Earl King	Young & Restless	Numbjack	Barney	Judge B.	Let's Make a Deal (N)	Dog	General Hospital (N)	Young & Restless	End Leash	Steven and Chris (N)	Monster	Off Record	Dr. Phil	Myth-Busters	Replacem	Access Hollywood Live	CSI: Crime Scene	Gold Girls
3 PM :30	The Office	The Doctors	Mirabelle	WordGirl	The Doctors	Dr. Phil	The First 48	Rachael Ray	The Doctors	Young & Restless	Recipes	Kid vs. Kat	SportsCentre (Live)	(2:59) The Dr. Oz Show	Cash Cab	Life Derek	CityNews at 6 (N)	Pros vs. Joes: All Stars	Restaurant Makeover
4 PM :30	Family Guy	Oprah Winfrey	Rob Robot	Fetch! With Wld Kratts	Jdg Judy	Oprah Winfrey	The First 48	Seinfeld	Oprah Winfrey	Early News	Ghost Whisperer	SpongeBob	NHL Hockey: Carolina Hurricanes at Toronto Maple Leafs.	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Daily Planet (N)	Phineas	How I Met	Pros vs. Joes: All Stars	Real Renos
5 PM :30	Browns	Early News	Dino Dan	BBC World	News (N)	News	The First 48	News	Early News	(4:59) News Hour (N)	CBC News: Vancouver (N)	Parents	CTV News at Five (N)	Assault and Rescue:	Wizards	Community	Pros vs. Joes: All Stars	Friends	
6 PM :30	Law & Order: SVU	Global Nat.	Dogs	PBS News-Hour (N)	News (N)	News	The First 48	News	(5:59) News Hour (N)	ET Canada	Coronation	iCarly	CTV News (N)	Spy Wars	Suite/Deck	How I Met	TNA Wrestling (N)	Friends	
7 PM :30	Seinfeld	Ent	Marine Machines (N)	Playing for the World	Jeopardy!	The Dr. Oz Show (N)	Beyond Scared Straight	Ent	Ent	The Office	Wheel	Weird	SportsCentre (Live)	CSI: Crime Scene	Myth-Busters	Sonny	30 Rock	Family Guy	
8 PM :30	Movie: ** "Sliding Doors"	Wipeout (N)	Palin's New Europe	Hustle "Faking It"	Community	Big Bang	Beyond Scared Straight	Wipeout (N)	Wipeout (N)	Wipeout (N)	The Nature of Things	iCarly	Sports	Big Bang	Daily Planet	Suite/Deck	News	MANswers	Real Renos
9 PM :30	Movie: ** "Sliding Doors" (1998)	Bones (N)	"Smile" "I'll Huru"	M-5 "The Sleeper"	The Office	CSI: Crime Scene	(9:01) The First 48	Grey's Anatomy (N)	Bones (N)	Bones (N)	Doc Zone (N)	8 Rules	Premier League Poker	Grey's Anatomy (N)	Assault and Rescue:	Wingin' It	Work	MANswers	Family Guy
10 PM :30	Movie: ** "Sliding Doors" (1998)	The Office	(10:10) Dream Tower	Pioneers of Television	30 Rock	The Mentalist (N)	(10:01) The First 48	(10:01) Private Practice	The Office	News Hour Final (N)	National	Family Biz	Poker (Taped)	The Mentalist (N)	Spy Wars	Ned's	Justice	Trailers	Friends
11 PM :30		CHBC News Final (N)	Cola Conquest	Charlie Rose (N)	News (N)	News	Beyond Scared Straight	News	News Hour Final (N)	Ent	George S	Prank Ptrl	SportsCentre (Live)	CTV News	Myth-Busters	So Raven	Paid Prog.	Disorderly Conduct	Friends

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2011

	WTBS ch.3	CHBC ch.4	KNOW ch.5	KSPS ch.6	KHQ ch.7	KREM ch.8	A&E ch.9	KXLY ch.10	BCTV ch.11	CITV ch.12	CBC ch.13	YTV ch.18	TSN ch.19	VTV ch.22	DISC ch.24	FAM ch.26	CITY ch.29	SPIKE ch.44	TROP ch.45
6 AM :30	In the Heat of the Night	(5:30) Morning News (N)	Wibbly Pig	Bob Build	News (N)	News	CSI: Miami	News	(5:30) Morning News (N)	(4:30) Morning News (N)	CBC News Now	Being Ian	SportsCentre	Canada AM	Mayday	Henry's Feet	CityLine	Entourage	Comeback
7 AM :30	Cosby		Hi-5	Arthur	Today	The Early Show (N)	Criminal Minds	Good Morning America			Artzooka	Beyblade	SportsCentre		How/Made	Phineas	The Nate Berkus Show	CSI: Crime Scene	Torrens
8 AM :30	Cash Cab		Magic Bus	Curious	ads; budget planning. (N)		Criminal Minds			100 Huntley Street	Bo On/Go	Kid vs. Kat	SportsCentre		Myth-Busters	Hannah	Rachael Ray	CSI: Crime Scene	Whatever
9 AM :30	Family Fd	100 Huntley Street	Clifford	Super Why!		The 700 Club	Criminal Minds	Live With Regis & Kelly	100 Huntley Street	Canada	Super Why!	Timothy	SportsCentre	Live With Regis & Kelly	Cash Cab	Mickey	Role	CSI: Crime Scene	Restaurant Makeover
10 AM :30	The Investigators	World Vision	Franklin Spider	Sesame Street (E)		The Price Is Right (N)	Criminal Minds	The View (N)	World Vision	Handyman Superstar	Poko	Little Bear	Darts: 2010 Grand Slam. (Taped)	The View (N)	Monster Moves	Mickey	EP Daily	CSI: NY	Torrens
11 AM :30	Forensics	PLAN	Rolie Polie	Sid	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Young & Restless	The Sopranos	Paid Prog.	PLAN	Noon News Hour (N)	Gofrette	Babar		Marilyn Denis	Deadliest Catch	Suite Life	CityLine	CSI: Crime Scene	Gold Girls
12 PM :30	Jim King	Neon News Hour (N)	Arthur	Charlie Rose	Paid Prog.	News	CSI: Miami	All My Children (N)	Noon News Hour (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	CBC News Now (N)	Almost Na	Premier League Poker	etalk	Assault and Rescue:	Wizards	General Hospital (N)	CSI: Crime Scene	70s Show
1 PM :30	Friends	Days of our Lives (N)	Dinosaurs	Painting	Days of our Lives (N)	The Talk	Criminal Minds	One Life to Live (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	The Doctors	Dragons' Den	Viva Piñata		Marilyn Denis	Spy Wars	Cory	Jdg Judy	CSI: Crime Scene	King
2 PM :30	Earl King	Young & Restless	Charlie	Barney	Judge B.	Let's Make a Deal (N)	Criminal Minds	General Hospital (N)	Young & Restless	End/Leash	Steven and Chris (N)	Monster	Off Record	Dr. Phil	Myth-Busters	Replacem	Access Hollywood Live	CSI: Crime Scene	Gold Girls
3 PM :30	The Office	The Doctors	Mirabelle	WordGirl	The Doctors	Dr. Phil	Criminal Minds	Rachael Ray	The Doctors	Young & Restless	Recipes	Kid vs. Kat	SportsCentre (Live)	(2:59) The Dr. Oz Show	Cash Cab	Life Derek	CityNews at 6 (N)	CSI: Crime Scene	Restaurant Makeover
4 PM :30	Family Guy	Oprah Winfrey	Rob Robot	Biz Kid\$	Jdg Judy	Oprah Winfrey	Criminal Minds	Seinfeld	Oprah Winfrey	Early News	Ghost Whisperer	SpongeBob	NBA Basketball: Minnesota Timberwolves at Toronto Raptors.	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Daily Planet (N)	Phineas	How I Met	Ways Die	Tube Tales
5 PM :30	Browns	Early News	Dino Dan	BBC World	News (N)	News	Criminal Minds	News	Early News	(4:59) News Hour (N)	CBC News: Vancouver (N)	Parents	CTV News at Five (N)	Brew Masters	Wizards	Who Do You	Ways Die	70s Show	
6 PM :30	Law & Order: SVU	Global Nat.	Dogs	PBS News-Hour (N)	News (N)	News	Criminal Minds	News	(5:59) News Hour (N)	ET Canada	Coronation	Victorious	Sports	CTV News (N)	An Idiot Abroad (N)	Suite/Deck	Fringe (N)	Ways Die	
7 PM :30	Seinfeld	Ent	For King and Empire	Wash. News	Jeopardy!	The Dr. Oz Show (N)	Criminal Minds	Ent	Ent	90210 (N)	Wheel	Movie: ** "Aquamarine" (2006)	NHL Hockey: Chicago Blackhawks at Vancouver Canucks.	etalk	The Colony (N)	Good Luck	Mantracker	Ways Die	Family Guy
8 PM :30	Movie: ** "Legally Blonde" (2001)	Kitchen Nightmares (N)	Bleak House (N)	Need to Know (N)	Who Do You	The Defenders (N)	Criminal Minds	Supernanny (N)	Kitchen Nightmares (N)	Kitchen Nightmares (N)	M'kplace			The Defenders (N)	Daily Planet	Movie: ** "Disney's The Kid"	News	Entourage	Torrens
9 PM :30		Haven "Harmony"	Mysterious Murder	Lark Rise to Candleford	Dateline NBC	Super Bowl's Greatest	(9:01) Criminal Minds	Primetime: What Would	Haven "Harmony"	Haven "Harmony"	fifth estate	SpongeBob		CSI: NY	An Idiot Abroad	Connor	Without a Trace	Ways Die	Family Guy
10 PM :30	Movie: ** "Legally Blonde" (2001)	90210 (N)	Stephen Fry in America	Doc Martin		CSI: NY "Party Down"	(10:01) Criminal Minds	Matter of Life	90210 (N)	News Hour Final (N)	National	Life Unexpected (N)	Welcome to the NFL	CSI: NY "Party Down"	Brew Masters	(10:07) "Max Keeble's Big Move"	Justice	Ways Die	70s Show
11 PM :30		CHBC News Final (N)	Riviera Cocktail	Charlie Rose (N)	News (N)	News	(11:01) Criminal Minds	News	News Hour Final (N)	Ent	George S	Prank Ptrl	SportsCentre (Live)	CTV News	The Colony	Life Derek	Paid Prog.	Entourage	King

Puzzle Page

CARTER'S Sudoku Challenge

CREATED FOR THE NEWS LEADER BY CARTER BOSWELL

HOW TO PLAY:

Sudoku is a game of logic. There is no math involved. The object of the game is to fill the grid so that the numbers 1 through 9 appear only once in each row, column and 3 x 3 box. The numbers can appear in any order and Carter has left you some clues below.

CHALLENGE #336 - Rated Medium

	8			5	4	1	9	
5		9	2					8
	4					2		
7				3				
		1	4		6	3	7	5
2				8				
	7					5		
9		5	8					1
	1			9	7	8	3	

THIS WEEK'S SOLUTION: Page 18

Carter's Sudoku Challenge grids, puzzles and solutions copyright 2010 Carter Boswell, Princeton, BC and published by Similkameen News Leader

IS IT TIME TO SUBSCRIBE TO THE NEWS LEADER?

Similkameen Valley Mail - \$40.00
(Seniors Pay Only \$35.00)
ALL PRICES INCLUDE TAXES

Elsewhere in Canada Mail - \$54.00
(Seniors Pay Only \$48.00)
ALL PRICES INCLUDE TAXES

CALL FOR DETAILS
Similkameen News Leader
(250) 295-4149

Saturday Movies

MORNING

8:00 am WTBS ch.3 "Eddie" (1996, Comedy) Whoopi Goldberg. An avid basketball fan becomes head coach after a Texas tycoon buys the New York Knicks. (CC)

11:00 am CITY ch.12 "Catwoman" (2004, Action) Halle Berry. Premiere. A shy artist acquires feline speed, agility and keen senses following a brush with death. (CC)

AFTERNOON

12:00 pm FAM ch.26 "Starstruck" (2010, Drama) Sterling Knight. A Midwestern girl visits Los Angeles and spends time with a rising Hollywood pop star. (In Stereo) (CC)

1:00 pm CHBC ch.4 BCTV ch.11 "Catwoman" (2004, Action) Halle Berry. Premiere. A shy artist acquires feline speed, agility and keen senses following a brush with death. (CC)

1:30 pm FAM ch.26 "Life Is Ruff" (2005, Comedy) Kyle Massey. A teenage slacker adopts a stray as part of a plan to win a large cash prize at an upcoming dog show. (In Stereo) (CC)

5:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "10,000

B.C." (2008, Adventure) Steven Strait. A young mammoth-hunter leads a small band of tribesmen on a journey to the ends of the Earth on a mission to save his beloved from her warlord kidnappers. (CC)

EVENING

6:00 pm CITY ch.29 "The Rendering" (2002, Suspense) Shannen Doherty. A sketch artist must prove her jailed husband's innocence before a deranged inmate kills him. (CC) (DVS)

7:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "The Postman" (1997, Drama) Kevin Costner. Seeking refuge from a post-apocalypse dictator, a way-farer gives others hope by taking on the role of postmaster. (CC)

CITY ch.12 "American Sunset" (2009, Suspense) Corey Haim. Tom wakes up to find his wife has gone missing and has to find her by solving a series of riddles left by her abductor. (CC)

8:00 pm CHBC ch.4 BCTV ch.11 "American Sunset" (2009, Suspense) Corey Haim. Premiere. Tom wakes up to find his wife has gone missing and has to find her by solving a series of riddles left by her

abductor. (CC) KSPS ch.6 "House of Games" (1987, Suspense) Lindsay Crouse. David Mamet wrote and directed this twist-laden tale of a psychiatrist who becomes involved with a master con artist. (In Stereo) (CC)

9:00 pm KXLY ch.10 "Shrek the Third" (2007, Comedy) Voices of Mike Myers. Animated. Shrek and friends set out to find Fiona's slacker cousin, Artie, and bring him back to rule the land of Far, Far Away. (In Stereo) (CC) FAM ch.26 "Good Boy!" (2003, Comedy) Molly Shannon. After adopting a dog, a 12-year-old learns the animal is an inter-planetary scout sent to investigate other canines. (In Stereo) (CC)

10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Eddie" (1996, Comedy) Whoopi Goldberg. An avid basketball fan becomes head coach after a Texas tycoon buys the New York Knicks. (CC) 10:30 pm FAM ch.26 "Roxy Hunter: The Myth of the Mermaid" (2008, Mystery) Aria Wallace. A girl realizes that a mysterious amnesiac is a mermaid who needs to find her way home. (In Stereo) (CC)

Sunday Movies

MORNING

6:00 am SPIKE ch.44 "The Glimmer Man" (1996, Action) Steven Seagal. Premiere. An LAPD detective links murders blamed on a serial killer to a tycoon eliminating business associates. (In Stereo) (CC)

7:00 am A&E ch.9 "Road House" (1989, Action) Patrick Swayze. Hired to tame a rowdy Missouri bar, a Ph.D. bouncer romances a doctor and tames the whole town. (CC)

8:00 am WTBS ch.3 "Flubber" (1997, Comedy) Robin Williams. Enemies try to steal an absent-minded inventor's flying rubber creation and his fiancée.

10:00 am WTBS ch.3 "Election" (1999, Comedy) Matthew Broderick. When a school's goody-two-shoes runs for class president, a teacher/adviser schemes to keep her from winning.

11:00 am CITY ch.12 "The Whole Ten Yards" (2004, Comedy) Bruce Willis. Premiere. A retired hit man, his wife and a dentist face the wrath of a mobster just released from prison. (CC)

AFTERNOON

12:00 pm FAM ch.26 "Disney's The Kid" (2000, Comedy) Bruce Willis. An unmarried, apathetic and 40-ish image-consultant magically receives a visit from his 8-year-old self. (In Stereo) (CC)

1:00 pm CHBC ch.4 BCTV ch.11 "The Whole Ten Yards" (2004, Comedy) Bruce Willis. Premiere. A retired hit man, his wife and a dentist face the wrath of a mobster just released from prison.

(CC)

1:44 pm FAM ch.26 "The Big Green" (1995, Comedy) Steve Guttenberg. A sheriff helps a British teacher coach a grade-school soccer team of misfits in a dying Texas town. (In Stereo) (CC)

2:00 pm YTV ch.18 "Rugrats Go Wild" (2003, Comedy) Voices of Bruce Willis. Animated. The toddlers meet the Thornberry family after an accident leaves them stranded on a tropical island. (In Stereo) (CC)

4:00 pm YTV ch.18 "Open Season" (2006, Comedy) Voices of Martin Lawrence. Animated. Stranded in the wilderness, a mule deer and a domesticated bear try to make their way back to the safety of a town preserve before a hunter catches them. (In Stereo) (CC)

5:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "28 Days" (2000, Comedy-Drama) Sandra Bullock. When a court order sends a New York journalist to a rehabilitation center for substance abusers, she meets a ballplayer.

CBC ch.13 "Mouse Hunt" (1997, Comedy) Nathan Lane. Brothers inherit a dilapidated mansion inhabited by a resourceful rodent that refuses to leave. (CC)

EVENING

6:00 pm YTV ch.18 "Open Season 2" (2008, Comedy) Voices of Mike Epps. Premiere. Animated. Animals band together to rescue a kidnapped dachshund from a group of domesticated pets. (In Stereo) (CC)

7:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "28 Days" (2000, Comedy-Drama) Sandra

Bullock. When a court order sends a New York journalist to a rehabilitation center for substance abusers, she meets a ballplayer.

8:00 pm CBC ch.13 "Why Didn't They Ask Evans?" (1980, Mystery) Francesca Annis. Based on a novel by Agatha Christie. Two amateur sleuths probe the mystery behind a dying man's final words. (In Stereo) (CC)

9:00 pm KXLY ch.10 "Knocked Up" (2007, Romance-Comedy) Seth Rogen. A rising journalist and an irresponsible slacker ponder their future after a boozy one-night stand results in a pregnancy. (In Stereo) (CC)

FAM ch.26 "My Dog Skip" (2000, Drama) Frankie Muniz. In 1942 a shy boy receives an exuberant Jack Russell terrier that plays matchmaker and helps protect him from bullies. (In Stereo) (CC)

10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Election" (1999, Comedy) Matthew Broderick. When a school's goody-two-shoes runs for class president, a teacher/adviser schemes to keep her from winning.

10:35 pm FAM ch.26 "Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-Off" (2003, Comedy) Taylor Ball. A 14-year-old baseball prodigy tries to juggle the playoffs and a cooking contest in the same day. (In Stereo) (CC)

11:00 pm KNOW ch.5 "Smile 'Til It Hurts: The Up With People Story" (2009, Documentary) Filmmaker Lee Storey examines the history of the musical group Up With People. (CC)

FREE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING ONLINE?

www.thenewsleader.biz

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2011

Table with 20 columns (WTBS ch.3 to TROP ch.45) and 24 rows (6 AM to 11:30 PM) listing TV programs and channels for Saturday, February 5, 2011.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2011

Table with 20 columns (WTBS ch.3 to TROP ch.45) and 24 rows (6 AM to 11:30 PM) listing TV programs and channels for Sunday, February 6, 2011.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2011

	WTBS ch.3	CHBC ch.4	KNOW ch.5	KSPS ch.6	KHQ ch.7	KREM ch.8	A&E ch.9	KXLY ch.10	BCTV ch.11	CITY ch.12	CBC ch.13	YTV ch.18	TSN ch.19	VTV ch.22	DISC ch.24	FAM ch.26	CITY ch.29	SPIKE ch.44	TROP ch.45
6 AM	In the Heat of the Night	(5:30) Morning News (N)	Wibbly Pig	Bob Build	News (N)	News	CSI: Miami	News	(5:30) Morning News (N)	(4:30) Morning News (N)	CBC News Now	Being Ian	SportsCentre	Canada AM	Mayday	Henry's Feet	CityLine	Entourage	Spoiled
7 AM	Cosby		Hi-5	Arthur	Today (N)	The Early Show (N)	Criminal Minds	Good Morning America			Artzooka	Beyblade	SportsCentre		How/Made	Phineas	The Nate Berkus Show	CSI: Crime Scene	Tooned
8 AM	Cash Cab		Magic Bus	Curious			Dog		100 Huntley Street		Bo On/Go	Kid vs. Kat	SportsCentre		Auction	Hannah	Rachael Ray	CSI: Crime Scene	Whatever
9 AM	Family Fd	100 Huntley Street	Clifford	Super Why!		The 700 Club	The First 48	Live With Regis & Kelly	100 Huntley Street	World Vision	Super Why!	To School	SportsCentre	Live With Regis & Kelly	Canada's Worst Driver	Mickey	Role	CSI: Crime Scene	Restaurant Makeover
10 AM	The Investigators	Canada	Franklin	Sesame Street		The Price Is Right (N)	The First 48 "Gone"	The View (N)	Canada	X-Weighted "Jill"	Poko	Little Bear	Sportfish	The View (N)	Worst Handyman	Mickey	EP Daily	CSI: NY	Grace
11 AM	Forensics Evidence	World Vision	Rolla Polio	Sit & Be Fit	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Young & Restless	The Sopranos	Paid Prog.	World Vision	Noon News Hour (N)	Gofrette	Babar	PBA Bowling	Marilyn Denis	Junk Raiders	Suite Life	CityLine	CSI: Crime Scene	Gold Girls
12 PM	Jim King	Noon News Hour (N)	Arthur	Charlie Rose	Paid Prog.	News	CSI: Miami	All My Children (N)	Noon News Hour (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	CBC News Now (N)	Sidekick		etalk	License to Drill	Wizards	General Hospital (N)	Knockout	Wipeout
1 PM	Friends	Days of our Lives (N)	Dinosaurs	Paint This	Days of our Lives (N)	The Talk	Criminal Minds	One Life to Live (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	The Doctors	Dragons' Den	Viva Piñata	30 for 30	Marilyn Denis	Breakout	Cory	Jdg Judy	Knockout	Wipeout
2 PM	Earl King	Young & Restless	The Ocean	Barney	Judge B.	Let's Make a Deal (N)	Dog	General Hospital (N)	Young & Restless	End Leash Debt Part	Steven and Chris (N)	Monster	Off Record	Dr. Phil	Myth-Busters	Replacemn	Access Hollywood Live	Knockout	Gold Girls
3 PM	The Office	The Doctors	Mirabelle	WordGirl	The Doctors	Dr. Phil	The First 48	Rachael Ray	The Doctors	Young & Restless	Recipes	Kid vs. Kat	SportsCentre (Live)	(2:59) The Dr. Oz Show	Worst Handyman	Life Derek	CityNews at 6 (N)	UFC Unleashed	Restaurant Makeover
4 PM	Family Guy	Oprah Winfrey	Rob Robot	Fetch! With George S.	Jdg Judy	Oprah Winfrey	The First 48 "Gone"	Seinfeld	Oprah Winfrey	Early News Global Nat.	Ghost Whisperer	SpongeBob	Hockey	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Daily Planet (N)	Phineas	How I Met The Office	UFC Fight Night	Instant
5 PM	Browns	Early News	Dino Dan	BBC World	News (N)	News	Intervention	News	Early News	(4:59) News Hour (N)	CBC News: Vancouver (N)	Parents	Olympic Documentary	CTV News at Five (N)	Myth-Busters	Wizards	The Bachelor (N)		Wipeout
6 PM	Law & Order: SVU	Global Nat.	Dogs	PBS News-Hour	News (N)	News	Intervention "Benny"	News	(5:59) News Hour (N)	ET Canada	Coronation	Big Time	Into the Wind	CTV News (N)	Dirty Jobs (N)	Suite/Deck	Wizards	Knockout	Wipeout
7 PM	Seinfeld	Ent	Be the Creature (N)	Old Guys	Jeopardy!	The Dr. Oz Show	Heavy "Travis; Lindy"	Ent	Ent	Hawaii Five-0 (N)	Wheel	Weird	SportsCentre (Live)	etalk	Brew Masters (N)	Sonny	Harry's Law (N)	Disorderly Con.	Instant
8 PM	Movie: "Boat Trip" (2003) Horatio Sanz	House (N)	Russia: Journey	Antiques Roadshow (N)	Chuck (N)	How I Met Rules	Heavy "Sharon; Ashley"	The Bachelor (N)	House (N)	House (N)	Mosque	Unnatural History (N)	Off Record	Sunshine	Daily Planet	Suite/Deck	News	Jail	Tooned
9 PM	PM	The Chicago Code	Power of Art	American Experience "Reagan: Lifeguard"	The Cape (N)	Two Men Mike	(9:01) Intervention		The Chicago Code	The Chicago Code	Village on a Diet (N)	Kyle XY	Motoring	Two Men	Myth-Busters	Sonny	Overruled!	UFC 89: Blasing vs Leben Blasing takes on Leben. From England.	Parking
10 PM	Movie: "Boat Trip" (2003) Horatio Sanz	Hawaii Five-0 (N)	Takao Tanabe		Harry's Law (N)	Hawaii Five-0 (N)	(10:01) Intervention	(10:01) Castle (N)	Hawaii Five-0 (N)	News Hour Final (N)	National	Family Biz	Billiards	(10:01) Castle (N)	Brew Masters	Ned's	Justice		Wipeout
11 PM	CHBC News Final (N)	Commanding Heights	Charlie Rose (N)	News (N)	News	News	(11:01) Heavy	News	News Hour Final (N)	Ent	George S	Prank Ptr	SportsCentre (Live)	CTV News	Dirty Jobs	So Raven	Paid Prog.		Wipeout

Monday Movies

EVENING

8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Boat Trip" (2003, Comedy) Cuba Gooding Jr. Two skirt-chasing buddies discover too late that their travel agent has booked them on an all-gay cruise.

10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Boat Trip" (2003, Comedy) Cuba Gooding Jr. Two skirt-chasing buddies discover too late that their travel agent has booked them on an all-gay cruise.

www.thenewsleader.ca

LOCAL NEWS/SPORTS - LETTERS TO THE EDITOR - EDITORIALS
COURT NEWS - CLASSIFIEDS - WEATHER - ROADS

Similkameen Souvenirs

TAKE HOME A UNIQUE SOUVENIR FROM YOUR VISIT!

Bryan Smith's "Similkameen" DVD
\$15.00
Featuring 200 Photos of the Similkameen Valley



George Elliott's "Princeton Posse" DVD
\$19.99
Featuring 400+ photos from the 2006/07 season!



George Elliott's "Ghost Towns" DVD
\$19.99
Take a guided tour of the history of mining!

AVAILABLE AT:
Similkameen News Leader
226A Bridge Street, Princeton
(250) 295-4149 1-888-350-9969

Similkameen News Leader

WE'RE DIFFERENT, AND WE LIKE THAT.

www.thenewsleader.info

NEED A WEBSITE AND ON A BUDGET?

Adam Gullason - 250.295.4320

info@upnadam.me

AFFORDABLE LOCAL WEB DESIGN

www.upnadam.me



News Leader Classified Ads

25 Words - \$8.00 (includes taxes) - Pay for two weeks, the third week is FREE!

notices

The Annual General Meeting of the Similkameen Improvement District will be held at 7:00 PM February 15, 2011 at the residence of the Manager at 2794 River Road in Keremeos.

notices

ADVERTISING WORKS
OR YOU WOULDN'T BE READING THIS!
Similkameen News Leader
250.295.4149


for sale

Mobile home axle, 3,500 lbs., electric brakes, no springs. Call 250.295.0420. Jan 25 - Feb 08

Will move irrigation hand lines once a day, in the afternoon. Must be very close to Princeton. Call 250.295.4149 and ask for Brenda.

help wanted

help wanted

 **SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 58 (NICOLA-SIMILKAMEEN)**
RELIEF SPECIAL EDUCATION ASSISTANT

Applications are invited for the position of Relief Special Education Assistant with School District No. 58 (Nicola-Similkameen) in Princeton.

Applicants for relief Special Education Assistants will work with special needs student(s) in various schools in the District. Qualification requirements will vary subject to the needs of the student(s).

The district has a high percentage of First Nations and other multicultural students and so being sensitive to cultural diversities would be an asset.

Application forms are available at Princeton Secondary School, 201 Old Merritt Road, or you can apply on-line at www.sd58.bc.ca, click on Jobs, Support Positions, How to Apply for an application. Applications, including a detailed resume with a minimum of three references, will be accepted until **February 11, 2011**.

Please forward to:
Attn: Secretary Treasurer
School District No. 58 (Nicola-Similkameen)
P. O. Box 4100, 1550 Chapman Street
Merritt, BC V1K 1B8
Fax: (250) 378-6263

Only those applicants being interviewed will be contacted.

NEED A WEBSITE AND ON A BUDGET?
Call Adam Gullason 250.295.4320

e-mail: info@upnadam.me
AFFORDABLE LOCAL WEB DESIGN
www.upnadam.me


for rent

Luxury rooms, own jacuzzi tub, fridge and microwave, \$300 - \$350/week. Large chalet 3-bedroom plus loft, call for more information. Princeton Castle Resort. (250) 295-7988. Sep 22 - 08

In Keremeos - 1-bedroom mobile with wood stove, office space, washer/dryer, deck, garage, large fenced yard on large lot. Approximately 40-minutes from Princeton. \$850/month. No pets. Call Bronwyn at Royal LePage 250.497.5541. Jan 18 - Feb 01

looking to rent

50+ lady looking for a 1-bedroom, unfurnished, upper level suite with utilities and storage for \$567.50/month for non-smoker, non-drinker with no pets. Please leave a message for Glenda Jones at 250.295.6936. th

 **SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 58 (NICOLA-SIMILKAMEEN)**

REQUEST FOR TENDERS
House of Honour Project Overview

Name: House of Honour, Merritt Secondary School
Location: Merritt Secondary School, Merritt, British Columbia
Building Type: Free standing, one room, Cultural Centre
Work Type: New
Plans & Specs: Available 10:30 AM, Wednesday, February 16, 2011 via e-mail or facsimile
Project Description: Construction of a new single storey, sprinklered, wood frame, slab-on-grade building for assembly, occupancy of approximately 1,200 square feet
Project Participants: School District 58 (Nicola-Similkameen) and Iredale Group Architecture
Project Tender Key Dates:
1. Bidders to confirm their participation in the Tender by **2:00 PM Monday, February 14** via e-mail to the Owner's representative: btisdale@sd58.bc.ca
2. Tender begins **Wednesday, February 16 at 10:30 AM** (local time)
3. Optional site meeting will be held for all General Contractors on **Thursday, February 17, 2011 at 3:00 PM** (local time)
4. Tender Close **Wednesday, March 2 at 2:00 PM** (local time)
Project Contact: Please direct questions to Iredale Group Architecture: E-mail address: architect@iredale.ca E-mail subject line: House of Honour

Congratulations!
George Elliott
(Bengel Publishing Inc.)
on your **7th Anniversary**
(February 1) of owning the
Similkameen News Leader
Best Wishes from your Family & Friends

WE BELIEVE!

Similkameen News Leader


www.thenewsleader.ca

wanted

wanted

BUYING GOLD
LOANS ON GOLD
JEWELLERY, NUGGETS, BROKEN, UNWANTED
*** SILVER COINS ***
TESTED/APPRaised AS YOU WAIT
IMMEDIATE CASH
GARY - Bridge Street Family Pawn
302 Bridge Street, Princeton 250.295.7900

Classified Ad Deadline: 12 Noon Fridays • All Classified Ads MUST be paid in advance
Payment Options: Cash, Cheque, Debit, Visa, Mastercard
Phone: (250) 295-4149 • 1-888-350-9969 • Fax: (250) 295-4103 • e-mail: george@thenewsleader.ca

notices

**MONDAY NIGHT BINGO
IN PRINCETON
SENIOR CITIZENS BR. #30**

162 Angela Avenue
4:30 PM Sales Start
5:30 PM 1st 47 Bonanza #'s
SPECIALS, REGULAR GAMES, ODD &
EVEN, PROGRESSIVE SNOWBALL &
LOONIE POT, "LUCKY 7" WON EVERY
MONDAY (MIN. \$50.00 GUARANTEED)
BC Gaming License #25784
"KNOW YOUR LIMIT. PLAY WITHIN IT"

Narcotics Anonymous

OPEN MEETINGS
Wednesdays 7:30 PM

160 Old Hedley Road
Baptist Church Basement
(USE BACK DOOR)
Sundays 7:30 PM
Living Water Foursquare Church, Kenley Avenue

Info: (250) 295-7919 OR 295-6531, 295-6723

**INDIVIDUALLY
PREPARED
HOROSCOPE**

Natural
character chart - \$25.
Basic chart plus
predictive - \$50.

Phone 295-6063
Completely confidential

sudoku

CARTER'S
Sudoku
Challenge

SOLUTIONS TO PUZZLES ON PAGE 14

CHALLENGE #336

682 354 197
539 271 684
147 968 253

764 135 928
891 426 375
253 789 461

378 612 549
925 843 716
416 597 832

**ADVERTISING
WORKS...**

OR YOU WOULDN'T BE READING THIS!

Similkameen News Leader
Phone: (250) 295-4149
1-888-350-9969 Toll Free
Fax: (250) 295-4103

Drinking a problem?

Alcoholics Anonymous
Meets 7:30 PM Thursdays
Princeton Baptist Church
160 Old Hedley Road
Fred 295-7272/Marena 295-7663

souvenirs

souvenirs

souvenirs

Similkameen Souvenirs

TAKE HOME A UNIQUE SOUVENIR FROM YOUR VISIT!

**Bryan Smith's
"Similkameen" DVD**

\$15.00

Featuring 200 Photos of
the Similkameen Valley



**George Elliott's
"Princeton Posse" DVD**

\$19.99

Featuring 400+ photos
from the 2006/07 season!



**George Elliott's
"Ghost Towns" DVD**

\$19.99

Take a guided tour of
the history of mining!

AVAILABLE AT:

Similkameen News Leader
226A Bridge Street, Princeton
(250) 295-4149 1-888-350-9969

help wanted

help wanted

**Is debt turning your world
upside down?
Relief is only a call away!**

Call Anne Hamilton, Estate Administrator (12 years experience)
at 1-800-661-3661 today to set up your FREE consultation.

Jim Gilchrist, CA, CIRP, KPMG Inc. Trustee in Bankruptcy,
#300-1674 Bertram Street, Kelowna, BC V1Y 9G4

www.thenewsleader.info

YARD WORK - PLUS MORE

— A GUY FOR ALL SEASONS —

Raking - Snow Shoveling - Snow Removal - Weeding
Cutting Lawns - Gardening (Planting) - Maintenance
Watering - House Sitting - Painting

Call Paul 295-7820 or 295-1687 and leave message

NEED A WEBSITE AND ON A BUDGET?

Adam Gullason - 250.295.4320

info@upnadam.me

AFFORDABLE LOCAL WEB DESIGN

www.upnadam.me

Similkameen News Leader - Recipe Corner

Recipe #358

Blooming Brie Bowl

(NC)—Here is a recipe for you from Club House, a brand name long associated with spicing things up.

Ingredients

- 1/2 tsp (7 mL) Club House chili powder
- 1/2 tsp (2 mL) Club House garlic powder
- 1/2 tsp (2 mL) Club House mustard, ground
- 1/2 tsp (2 mL) sugar
- 1 loaf round sourdough bread (about 1 lb / 500 g)
- 1 tbsp (15 mL) butter, softened
- 1 round (8 oz / 250 g) brie cheese

Preheat oven to 350°F (180°C). Mix spices and sugar in small bowl. Set aside. Place bread on baking sheet. Cut circle in top of bread and remove bread center to make room for the brie.

Spread butter on bread. Sprinkle with 2 tsp (10 mL) spice mixture. With knife, make 2 in (5 cm) cuts at 1 in (2 cm) intervals around edge of bread. Remove rind from brie and place in bread. Sprinkle brie with remaining spice mixture. Replace top of bread.

Bake 20 to 30 minutes. To serve, remove bread top and break into bite size pieces. Dip bread pieces in hot brie.

Makes 8 servings

Nutrition per serving: 290 Cal., 11 g Total Fat (6 g saturated fat), 35 mg Cholesterol, 590 mg Sodium, 31 g Carbohydrate, 1 g Fibre, 2 g Sugars, 12 g Protein.

www.newscanada.com

If you have a favourite recipe you would like to share, contact us for details!

226A Bridge Street, Princeton

Mayor Randy McLean reviews 2010

..... continued from Front Page

The other relevant aspect is Princeton's water use, which is somewhere near 4 times the national per capita average and underscores the commitment we must have to deal with that excessive consumption.

THE INDUSTRIAL PARK awaits only the final stages of the sewer line and natural gas installations, the lots will then feature all utilities.

We are pleasantly surprised with the interest shown this early on; we are negotiating on 2, have accepted offers on 1 and have closed on 2 properties. I would someday like to see a wood burning green-energy facility reducing Weyerhaeuser and Princeton Co-gen's substantial utility bills as well as supplying economical green heat to industries situated above in our industrial park.

Princeton Industrial Estates now features the intersection of Laurie

Currie Way and David Brown Way, a tribute to two men who spent much of their lives making Princeton a better place to live.

OUR SEWER SYSTEM CAPACITY AND EVALUATION REVIEW is expected shortly. We are confident that the system is quite adequate for the present.

However, if there are improvements forecast for the future we need to start planning and saving for them now.

Recognizing that we wish to be a green municipality and that Princeton is situated on the confluence of two rivers, our council has undertaken a policy of requiring sewer service rather than septic in new developments and as a result we require a full understanding of our municipal sewer system efficiency and capacity.

2010 SAW THE GRANTING OF A COMMUNITY FOREST LICENSE to Princeton, Area H

and the Upper Similkameen Indian Band. This is an area based license and will enable the three partners to harvest 20,000 cubic meters a year as well as pine beetle affected timber in our operating area.

Weyerhaeuser will manage the harvesting and silviculture as they did with our previous license yet we will require community input to enhance recreational and outdoor activities wherever possible. Harvesting is expected to begin immediately following breakup, approximately the month of June. **THOMPSON RIVERS UNIVERSITY CONDUCTED A TOURISM STRATEGY** for Princeton this past year with funding provided by SIBAC and the federal Western Economic Diversification fund.

Mapping of our tourism assets, suggestions for signage, marketing with a particular emphasis on the internet as well as direction in highlighting all the features of China

Ridge Recreation Area were some of the proposals that were highlighted. Work will continue with marketing and promotion of a China Ridge winter weekend filled with activities.

As well, the tourism strategy has revealed a number of worthwhile project concepts and initiatives for Council and the Chamber to consider.

THE OLD HIGHWAYS MAINTENANCE PROPERTY was sold to Jacobs and Willis Co. developers, and construction has begun on the development which will provide residential lots as well as townhouse and condominium housing adjacent to our downtown. Phase 1 residential lots are on the market and will be ready for early spring housing construction.

Off-site infrastructure construction on adjacent Rocklin Avenue will be undertaken as soon as weather allows. We continue to work with the Yard and other potential residential developments to provide reasonably priced lots for new employees in the community.

Although there were unforeseen difficulties with the excess airport property we hope to develop residential lots sometime in the future. **THE POSSIBILITY OF A SIMILKAMEEN RIVER DAM** was the subject of two presentations made to us by Fortis; they were describing where they were in the feasibility process.

It will be a long process in any case but the positive benefits seem endless, a more steady year-round flow of water for ground water down our valley, less chance for flooding due to the stable release of water, a recreational lake some 14 kilometers in length, a power producing installation which will benefit the mine both through adjacent energy and lower pumping costs as a result of the height of the reservoir.

Discussions are taking place with the Americans which could mean joint funding for the controlled water supply our dam would create for their power projects and irrigation as well as a reduction in their Shanker's Bend dam options, the largest which would have involved very controversial flooding of the Similkameen Valley towards Castwon.

The low rainfall trends we are

experiencing in recent years really lends itself to storing water and releasing it steadily year round rather than a huge percentage of the volume travelling by during the month or so of the high water freshet.

RECENTLY WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO UNDERTAKE A NUMBER OF SIGNIFICANT PROJECTS in our community and there are a number of reasons for that. The federal and provincial extensive grant funding, the competency of our senior staff in satisfying grant requirements, and the fact the municipality held enough in reserves to take advantage of the funding without having to borrow and pay interest.

This was no accident; in our financial plan we determined some time ago that a municipality our size required a certain level of reserves and those levels need to be maintained in order to forego any unforeseen circumstances as well as take advantage of funding opportunities

WE ARE ENDEAVOURING TO CONSOLIDATE FUNDING in the near future in order to construct a town hall and move away from the spiraling costs of maintaining our present building. **FINALLY IN REGARDS TO THE AQUATIC CENTRE PROPOSAL** it is our intention to have all pertinent information presented in order to hold a referendum that will provide council and Area H with direction.

We have had preliminary discussions with the Premier as well as federal MP's and provincial MLA's in order to determine a level of funding they might be able to make available, however the economic times indicate that those funds will really have to be lobbied for.

In order to realistically obtain any commitment from upper level government we will need a positive referendum result from the town and Area H to show the level of commitment if that is the wish of the people.

ALL IN ALL the accomplishments of community groups and organizations, together with council initiatives resulted in a highly exciting and productive year and with their continued support we will strive to move forward to take advantage of the many positive changes we are experiencing.

Princeton Posse 2010/11

CLIP 'N' SAVE
Game Schedule

PRESENTED BY:

Similkameen
News Leader

WE'RE DIFFERENT, AND WE LIKE THAT.

HOME

- 5-3 L SUN SEP 12 - vs Kelowna 2:00 PM
- 2-1 W SAT SEP 18 - vs Spokane 7:00 PM
- 5-3 W FRI SEP 24 - vs Kamloops 7:00 PM
- 6-6 T FRI OCT 01 - vs Osoyoos 7:00 PM
- 4-2 L SAT OCT 16 - vs Sicamous 7:00 PM
- 4-1 L TUE OCT 19 - vs Osoyoos 7:00 PM
- 5-4 L FRI OCT 22 - vs Beaver Valley 7:00 PM
- 4-0 L SUN OCT 24 - vs Creston 2:00 PM
- 5-2 L FRI OCT 29 - vs Kelowna 7:00 PM
- 6-5 OTL SAT OCT 30 - vs Penticton 7:00 PM
- 6-4 L FRI NOV 05 - vs Golden 7:00 PM
- 4-0 L SUN NOV 07 - vs Osoyoos 2:00 PM
- 4-1 L FRI NOV 12 - vs Revelstoke 7:00 PM
- 5-4 L SAT NOV 13 - vs Revelstoke 7:00 PM
- 6-5 OTW SUN NOV 21 - vs Osoyoos 2:00 PM
- 5-2 W FRI NOV 26 - vs Kelowna 7:00 PM
- 5-1 W FRI DEC 03 - vs N Okanagan 7:00 PM
- 4-1 L SUN DEC 05 - vs Kelowna 2:00 PM
- 6-2 W FRI DEC 10 - vs Columbia Valley 7 PM
- 5-0 W WED DEC 15 - vs Penticton 7:00 PM
- 6-3 W SAT JAN 01 - vs Penticton 7:00 PM
- 5-4 OTL FRI JAN 07 - vs Penticton 7:00 PM
- 6-4 W FRI JAN 21 - vs Kamloops 7:00 PM
- FRI FEB 04 - vs N Okanagan 7:00 PM
- FRI FEB 11 - vs Sicamous 7:00 PM

AWAY

- 5-1 L SAT SEP 11 - at Kamloops 7:00 PM
- 6-3 L FRI SEP 17 - at Sicamous 7:00 PM
- 8-3 L SUN SEP 19 - at Osoyoos 2:00 PM
- 7-0 L TUE SEP 21 - at Kelowna 7:00 PM
- 5-0 L FRI OCT 08 - at Fernie 7:30 PM
- 5-3 W SAT OCT 09 - at Kimberley 7:30 PM
- 2-0 L SUN OCT 10 - at Nelson 1:00 PM
- 5-4 L FRI OCT 15 - at N Okanagan 7:30 PM
- 4-1 W WED NOV 03 - at Penticton 7:00 PM
- 6-4 W SAT NOV 06 - at N Okanagan 7:30 PM
- 6-2 L FRI NOV 19 - at Kelowna 7:00 PM
- 3-3 T SAT DEC 04 - at Kelowna 7:00 PM
- 5-2 W SAT DEC 11 - at Kamloops 7:00 PM
- 3-3 T SUN DEC 12 - at Osoyoos 2:00 PM
- 5-1 L FRI DEC 17 - at Revelstoke 7:00 PM
- 3-2 OTL SAT DEC 18 - at Revelstoke 7:00 PM
- 4-0 L FRI DEC 31 - at Osoyoos 7:00 PM
- 5-1 L TUE JAN 04 - at Kelowna 7:00 PM
- 3-2 W SAT JAN 08 - at Penticton 7:00 PM
- 7-2 L WED JAN 19 - at Osoyoos 7:00 PM
- 3-2 L SAT JAN 22 - at Sicamous 7:00 PM
- SAT JAN 29 - at Castlegar 7:30 PM
- SUN JAN 30 - at Grand Forks - 1:00 PM
- SAT FEB 05 - at Penticton 7:00 PM
- SAT FEB 12 - at Penticton

FOLLOW THE PRINCETON POSSE ONLINE AT;

www.princetonposse.org

THE TIN MAN METAL ROOFING



Sales & Installation
Galvanized & Coloured

METAL ROOFING &
CUSTOM FLASHINGS

TOLL FREE
1-888-647-3377

250.295.3743

FAX
250.295.3716



Editorial Page News Leader

Similkameen News Leader, 226A Bridge Street, PO Box 956, Princeton, BC V0X 1W0

My Turn...

It's Still Not A Job To Me

This week I mark seven years in the Owner/Publisher seat of the Similkameen News Leader. I've been part of this newspaper for almost eleven years in total.

What I like about what I do is that no two days are the same.

Sure, I have 1,680 column inches to fill with stories, photos, advertising and information, but there has not been a single time over the 358 issues of the News Leader I have laid out where I thought, "Gee, didn't we do that last week?"

A typical week for me starts on Tuesday. That's when I download the TV Guide section and work on that part of the paper. Wednesdays I work on regular feature sections and look at how much advertising is already in place for that week's issue.

Thursdays I lay out more pages, build ads and generally tie up loose ends.

By Friday most of the paper should be finished, unless there's activities or events taking place over the weekend. It's at this time I reserve space for them.

Saturdays I usually tidy up anything left over and if I have to come in on Sunday, it's to finish the one or two pages I saved for weekend activities. The paper gets printed on Mondays and if I'm not out of town picking them up I'm in the office tearing down the just finished paper and getting ready for the next week's issue.

Aside from this basic routine I try to follow weekly I have no idea what to expect one day to the next and that's what keeps what I do so exciting for me.

I say it quit being a job long ago and I truly believe that. I get so much enjoyment out of what I do I can't call it a job.

And it thrills me to no end when I'm out delivering the News Leader Monday afternoons around town and someone asks for a copy while I'm restocking local newsstands.

It's obvious to me you enjoy what we produce and I can't tell you how much we appreciate your support.

Thank you for making the Similkameen News Leader part of your week.

Similkameen News Leader

W. George Elliott - Owner/Publisher
Brenda Engel - Office Manager
Dawn Johnson - Reporter
John Gillis - Advertising Sales
Lynette Boyd - Office Assistant
Desiree Cosman - Youth Rep
Adam Gullason - Website Development

EDITORIAL GUIDE

We would like you to write to us, but please remember to abide by anti-discrimination laws. The News Leader reserves the right to refuse to print any letter which is not signed by the writer or is slanderous, libelous or of uncommon sense. The Editor reserves the right to condense any letter or to substitute proper language for improper language.



They say that a picture is worth 1,000 words so we thought we'd leave it up to you to describe this scene - photographed last week at the Princeton Co-Gen property on Old Hedley Road. Photo: Brenda Engel

...Your Turn

The Wild Life - Similkameen Style!

To The Editor;

Enjoying the leisure life in Resort Similkameen isn't tough. Spent Christmas Day with family in Tulameen.

A spectacular Boxing Day dawned with a dusting of snow on the sparkling laden trees in the brilliant sunrise. A perfect outdoor activity day.

Maybe a vague glimpse of the hereafter.

New Year's Eve we walked a block in the -22C clear night to the Tulameen Community Dance Hall where we thawed out on one loaded raucous dance floor. It was a real change and an awful lot of fun. The music was great, constant and loud - blew the battery out of the hearing aid.

We did a lot of jumping up and down, coming down it was not unusual to find a different partner and never out of step.

No Lawrence Welk. Midnight there was lots handshaking, hugging and stuff.

One lady actually even kissed the one centre post. Maybe it was bet-

ter looking than her partner or maybe she saw a stable relationship.

Evening was capped off with beef on a bun, dessert and coffee. A happy night for \$25.00 which after walking home in the crisp moon light will forever be frozen in our memory.

Three days later I came down with a bad bronchial shaking three week flu. The eyes were sealed shut. The normal bags under the eyes expanded half way down the cheeks with greenie things all over them.

I looked grotesque and asked

Sweetie to dump me. She said no, City Hall would charge a fee for the dumping permit and we didn't get our pension raise from P.M. Harper because he used it for flying lessons from George Bush after buying a bunch of jets.

The prescribed anti-biotics insure you enjoy your kingdom by keeping you on your throne for some time.

However, if you get an invitation for the flu, take it. The flu is a free split second experience in Hell.

That's what your aiming for?

And yes we are still here!

- Joe Schwarz, Princeton

PHOTOCOPY SERVICE



SINGLE or MULTIPLE
- CONFIDENTIALITY GUARANTEED -
AVAILABLE AT:

Similkameen
News Leader

226A Bridge Street, Princeton

Phone: 250.295.4149 - Fax: 250.295.4103

Current Comment

Is This A Leadership Cult?



Dawn Johnson
editor@thenewsleader.ca

I don't know what the rest of you think of the posturing and performing that has accompanied the leadership races for B.C.'s two dominant parties, but as a voter, I am sick of it.

I believe political party leadership races should be important events within the party. The selection of a party leader is important to non-partisan voters as well as card-carrying party members. However, what I have seen portrayed on television news has not impressed me one whit.

It seems to me there is too much emphasis on personality and personal attitudes among the contenders for leadership in both parties.

I do not like this at all. It smacks of the American cult of leadership and executive powers, and our Legislative Assembly is supposed to be a group effort, with the leader doing the leading on the basis of principles and policies. Adherence to those principles and policies should be the basis for selection of a leader, not whether the leader has a good personality.

Personality is interesting, and can help sell a policy, but personality changes with time and experience (or it should). Decisions about leadership candidates should be based on character. Character is that unchanging part of a person based on beliefs, morals, princi-

ples, attitudes.

When considering leadership material, I would want to know whether a candidate is self-seeking and using politics to further his or her own agenda for his or her own benefit, or whether he or she can express a deep dedication to the stated policies and principles the party claims to have.

All of us have seen and heard of the domination of cabinet and caucus that some political party leaders have exercised. I would not want to elect such a person, because it means one person's agenda is served. Any political leader is supposed to be serving the voters, not pursuing a personal agenda.

If I were selecting a leader of a party, I would want to know whether this person is a heavy drinker, or doing drugs (we did have one leader who had to be dried out every few months). I would want to know what this potential leader did for a living before he or she became a politician, and whether that was an elitist job or whether it put him or her in touch with the ordinary people who make up the majority.

I would want to know how the potential leader would address the issues of homelessness, lack of decent affordable housing, the economic factors forcing people to rely on food banks, and the need for more training money for health care professionals.

I would want to know whether this leader really understood where the wealth of this province comes from, and whether it is really distributed fairly to those

areas of the province where this wealth is generated.

I would want to know more about this leadership candidate than whether he or she is charming, looks good or has a nice personality.

Any good politician is likely to have all of those attributes just to be considered a viable candidate. The character of the person is far more important.

Will BC politics deteriorate further into a cultish personality contest, or will it grow into a serious consideration of principles, policies and practical implementation of those principles and policies? For example, would this candidate give more weight to the environmental issues than to industrial development, or would he or she give weight to both and insist on industrial development with environmental protection? Would this candidate value health care and education and insist on the best standards for both?

My list for evaluating a potential leader would be much longer, of course, but my main concern would be the quality of the individual and his or her full adoption of party principles and policies. I would like some indication of how honest and trustworthy the candidate is, and how much effort he or she would put into maintaining that honesty and trustworthiness if elected.

I haven't heard too many of my questions answered in these leadership races.

I hope they will be answered when it comes time to elect the next government.

News Leader

WE'RE DIFFERENT, AND WE LIKE THAT.



George Elliott
OWNER/PUBLISHER
george@thenewsleader.ca

Brenda Engel
OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR
brenda@thenewsleader.ca

226A Bridge Street
P. O. Box 956, Princeton, B. C., V0X 1W0
Phone: 250.295.4149 • Fax 250.295.4103

INVITATION TO WORSHIP

LIVING WATER
FOURSQUARE CHURCH
38 Kenley Avenue
Join Us for a time of Contemporary Worship Sundays at 10:30 AM (FOLLOWED BY COFFEE)
PASTOR DREW & LYNN LACEY
www.livingwater4sqchurch.com

Princeton Pentecostal Church
(The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada)
Invites you to join us in **SUNDAY WORSHIP**
10:30 AM - Morning Worship
165 Vermillion Avenue (BESIDE THE MUSEUM)
250.295.7951

BAPTIST CHURCH OF PRINCETON
Family Worship 10:00 AM
Praise & Prayer - 7:00 PM
Wednesdays
COME AND JOIN US!
ACROSS FROM ARENA
OLD HEDLEY ROAD
250.295.7752

St. Paul's United Church
Office Hours
Tue / Thu 9:30AM - 12 NOON
WORSHIP SERVICE
10:30 AM
190-1st Street (BEHIND COURT HOUSE)
Phone: 250.295.7714
Also serving the Anglican Community

St. Peter's Roman Catholic Parish
SUNDAY MASS
6:00 PM - Saturday
11:30 AM - Sunday
43 Billiter Avenue, Princeton
250.295.3541

Hedley Grace Church
856 Ellis Avenue
Hedley BC
Sunday Service 9:30 AM
Pastor Graham Gore
(250) 292-8444

Similkameen **News Leader**
WE'RE DIFFERENT, AND WE LIKE THAT.
www.thenewsleader.info

FIND US ONLINE!
Similkameen News Leader
www.thenewsleader.ca
www.thenewsleader.info
www.thenewsleader.mobi
www.thenewsleader.biz

Broadband?
High-Speed Internet is NOW available in Coalmont and Tulameen!
For Information contact:
China Creek Internet Service 250.295.7944

C.J.M. Plumbing
 COMPETITIVE SALES AND SERVICE

New Fixtures Supplied and Installed
Drain and Sewer Cleaning - Service Repair
Hot Water Tanks - Hot Water Heating

Emergency Service **295-7085**
Fully Licensed **Dave Mack**

REALTY EXECUTIVES PRINCETON - Gateway to the Okanagan



Susan C. Collins BSW
 Licensed Sales Representative

Phone: 250-295-1811
 Susan.collins@nethop.net

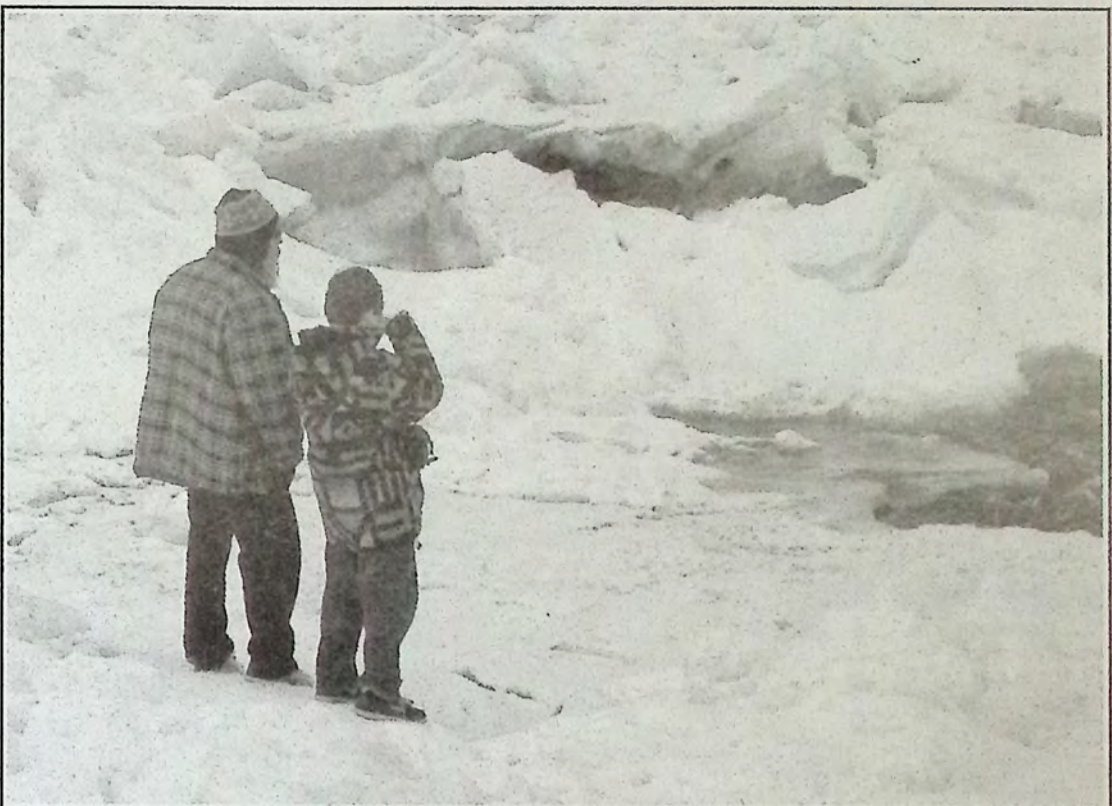
Phone: 250-295-5359
 250-292-8430
 Fax: 250-295-1851
 48-136 Tipton Ave. Box 150,
 Princeton, BC V0X 1W0



RESUME SERVICE

NEW or UPDATING
 -CONFIDENTIALITY GUARANTEED -
 AVAILABLE AT:

Similkameen
News Leader
 226A Bridge Street, Princeton
 Phone: 250.295.4149 - Fax: 250.295.4103

Zoltan Kovacs and son Harley Kovacs were brazen enough to get a front-row seat of the Similkameen River ice on January 22. Zoltan and Harley were returning home to Grand Forks after checking out the annual Vancouver Motorcycle Show in Abbotsford. Photo: Arlene Arlow

Gospel band stops in Princeton

Canada's Double Portion from North Battleford, Saskatchewan, will be ministering in song here in Princeton on Tuesday, February 8th.

They will be appearing at the Princeton Pentecostal Church, located next to the museum, at 7:00

PM. Admission is free, but a free-will offering will be received and then presented to them. CDs and tapes of their recordings will also be available for sale at that time.

This 11 member Gospel band is comprised of Duncan and Debbie Hemmerling, with their 9 children. Double Portion has become one of the busiest Canadian Gospel groups since its formation in 1982.

They've crisscrossed the country from Newfoundland to British Columbia, and the USA from Nashville to Alaska, performing to thousands of people.

This appearance in Princeton is by no means their first, as they have visited here several times before. They have always been well-received here in town, and that's why they're keen to return.

They have appeared at the Grand Ole Opry, and were guest artists of the legendary Johnny Cash. They have performed numerous times at the National Quartet Convention in Louisville, Kentucky, and at the Canadian Gospel Music Showcase and Convention. They have appeared on many local, national and international television specials.

Abundant songwriting talent has resulted in ten albums. They have been honoured with the Country Gospel Song of the Year, Album of the Year and Live Band of the Year awards.

You won't want to miss this talented Gospel group. Bring your family and friends, and enjoy an evening of great music and singing.

-submitted

OPERATION RENOVATION!
 On Now At Windsor Plywood!



ALL IN STOCK WALL PANELLING

These 4' x 8' sheets are easy to install and have the look of designer wall coverings. Available in a good selection of patterns and colours.
 Buy Now & Save...

200
 OFF REG PRICES

ALL IN STOCK RICHELIEU CABINET PULLS & KNOBS
 Richelieu only.



15%
 OFF REG

ALL IN STOCK MOULDINGS
 Many styles & species to choose from.



15%
 OFF REG

PARA PAINTS

PRIMER/SEALER **18⁹⁹** 4L
 PROFESSIONAL FLAT **19⁹⁹** 4L

WINDSOR SAW BLADES
 Carbide Blades

7 1/4" 40 TOOTH **7⁹⁹** EA
 10" 40 TOOTH **19⁹⁹** EA

EVERTITE WHITE GLUE
 Provides a strong initial tack.



15⁹⁹ 4L

Prices may vary after Feb 12, 2011

174 INDUSTRIAL PLAGE PENTICTON • 492-8646
 Mon - Fri: 7:30am - 5:30pm
 Sat: 8:30am - 5:00pm • Closed Sun
 www.windsorplywood.com

Proud supporters of the Centre of Excellence at Okanagan College



The experts you need to know!

Windsor Plywood

Town Council News

Mayor asks for census cooperation

Town Council has been advised the Canada Census will be taken in May this year.

Mayor Randy McLean asked local residents to cooperate in filling out the forms, as census information is extremely important to the income of the Town.

Funds are allocated by senior governments in accordance with the results of the census. He asked that every person in town be available to the census takers, fill out the documents and return them, and in all ways cooperate.

Armitage praises Posse Board

Councillor Frank Armitage was generous in his praise for the Board of Directors of the Princeton Posse. He commended them for their excellent efforts in controlling their finances and disposing of past debt.

Councillor Armitage added some words of encouragement to the public, asking them to turn out to Posse games in the next few weeks.

He noted crowds are down a bit, and the play-offs are coming. He urged local hockey fans to get out to the games and cheer for the Posse.

Council says 'No,' we'll do it

A request from Pitch-In Canada for \$350 to join the organization met with a refusal by Town Council. The refusal was based on past experience. Councillors feel they did not receive enough in return for their joining Pitch-In Canada.

Town Council believes local citizens who have organized and carried out community spring clean-up events have done an excellent job, and the \$350 would be better spent in support of a locally organized clean-up day.

Town Council believes local citizens who have organized and carried out community spring clean-up events have done an excellent job, and the \$350 would be better spent in support of a locally organized clean-up day.



The Princeton Ground Search & Rescue (PGSAR) team participated in a recent Avalanche Awareness program. The event attracted many winter activity enthusiasts keen on learning safety skills. - photo submitted

CMMC announces bought deal financing

Copper Mountain Mining Corporation (TSX: CUM) ("Copper Mountain" or the "Company") announced January 19th that it has entered into an agreement with Wellington West Capital Markets Inc. as a lead underwriter on behalf of a syndicate of underwriters to be formed (the "Underwriters"), for the issuance of 4,980,000 common shares (the "Shares") of the Company, on a bought deal basis, at a price of Cdn\$7.05 per Share for gross proceeds of Cdn\$35,109,000.

The Underwriters also have the option to increase the size of the Offering by up to an additional 700,000 Shares (the "Underwriters' Option"), for aggregate gross proceeds under the Offering of \$40,044,000 if the Underwriters' Option is exercised in full.

Copper Mountain plans to use the net proceeds of this financing for general corporate purposes.

The Shares will be offered by way of a short form prospectus to be filed in certain provinces of Canada, other than Quebec, pursuant to National Instrument 44-101 Short Form Prospectus Distributions.

The offering is scheduled to close on or about February 8, 2011 and is subject to certain conditions including, but not limited to, the receipt of all necessary approvals including the approval of the Toronto Stock Exchange and the securities regulatory authorities.

This news release does not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy any of the securities in the United States. The securities have not been and will not be registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "1933 Act"), or any state securities laws and may not be offered or sold within the United States or to, or for the account or benefit of U.S.

persons (as defined in Regulation S under the 1933 Act) absent such registration or an applicable exemption from such registration requirements.

About Copper Mountain Mining Corporation

Copper Mountain is a Canadian resource company managed by an experienced team of professionals with a solid track record of exploration and development success. The Company's shares trade on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the

symbol "CUM".

Copper Mountain owns 75% and Mitsubishi Materials Corporation owns 25% of the Copper Mountain Project. The 18,000 acre mine site is located 20 km south of Princeton.

The Copper Mountain Project has a current resource of approximately 5 billion pounds of copper, the project is fully financed (\$438M) and in construction and on schedule for the mine to produce approximately 100 million pounds of copper per year by mid 2011. - submitted

Man pays for collision

Andrew C. Ottie appeared in Provincial Court in Princeton on January 19 to plead guilty to a charge of driving without due care and attention.

He was charged following a collision near the bridge in Hedley. He collided with a motorcycle driven

by Wade Badari. On July 13, 2009, Ottie was ordered to pay a \$2,000 fine.

On another matter related to the collision, Ottie agreed to enter a one year peace bond with the condition he have no contact with Wade Badari.

RCMP warn residents

"It has recently come to the attention of Princeton RCMP that an unknown person or persons is phoning Princeton area residents and claiming to collect money for a RCMP program called Cops 4 Kids Safety," states Cst. P. Bolt of Princeton Detachment.

"Princeton RCMP would like to remind the public that the RCMP

does not solicit donations by phone for any RCMP sponsored programs."

Police say that if you receive a similar phone call, do not provide any personal details or banking details to the person and immediately contact PhoneBusters at 1-888-495-8501 and report the incident. - submitted

NEED A WEBSITE AND ON A BUDGET?
Call Adam Gullason 250.295.4320

e-mail: info@upnadam.me

AFFORDABLE LOCAL WEB DESIGN

www.upnadam.me

Similkameen News Leader

WE'RE DIFFERENT, AND WE LIKE THAT.

Wednesday Evenings at 7:00 PM
Royal Canadian Legion - Br. 56 PRESENTS:



THE BIG SLICK POKER TOUR!

COST: FREE
FOR INFORMATION CALL
250-295-6060
See You At The Legion!

PRINCETON TAXI

Quick Service
Jumpstart Service
Home Delivery Service

250-295-2727

Princeton Area Ghost Towns - The DVD



\$19.99
INCLUDES TAX

Available at:
Similkameen News Leader
www.thenewsleader.ca

Explore The History Of Mining - Gold, Copper and Coal



Doctors EyeCare
MERRITT - PRINCETON
sunglass

Dr. C. L. Snee

PRINCETON
131 Vermilion Avenue
250.295.6640

MERRITT
2177 Quilchena Avenue
250-378-2020

1-877-222-2020

Q: How can I maximize my visual function in the workplace?

A: Help preserve your vision by planning a regular visit to the optometrist for a complete eye examination. Just as a doctor assesses your overall health, the optometrist will assess your eye health and can detect changes in your eyes that you might not have realized.

IN THE OFFICE - Minimizing eyestrain will increase your comfort and productivity levels and help to reduce ailments, such as headaches, that may keep you from working. Learn more about computer vision syndrome.

INDUSTRIAL WORK - The human eye is one of the most intricate organs of the body. It has come equipped with some basic anatomical and protective mechanisms, which help protect it every day, such as eyelids and eyelashes. But the rigors of industrial and construction work are more than what the regular eye defences can handle. It is critical that workers protect their eyes to avoid a severe eye injury including blindness. When you are putting on your hardhat, work gloves and safety boots, remember to slip on proper protective eyewear that is CSA approved. To help prevent eye related injuries assess the following at your worksite:

DISTANCE OF WORK - Is it close to you, arm's length away, fixed or changing?
WORK AREA SIZE - Is it large or small, restrictive, open area?
SPEED AND MOTION OF OBJECTS - Are they rapid, slow, fixed, rotating?
LIGHTING - Is the area well lit, contrast, is there glare?
SURFACE OF WORK - Is it secure, unstable, slippery, coated or ergonomic?
POTENTIAL EYE HAZARDS - Is there debris, dust, metal, lasers?
ASSESS YOURSELF - Clean your visors and protective goggles, avoid scratching your protective eyewear (scratches create strain on the eyes and might make it difficult to see your work properly), report any unsafe conditions or broken eyewear to your Health and Safety team.

Brenda Crawford

Susan Collins

April Earle

Sandra Simpson



brenda@bcland.net
(250) 295-8182



susan_collins@nethop.net
(250) 295-5359



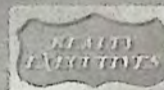
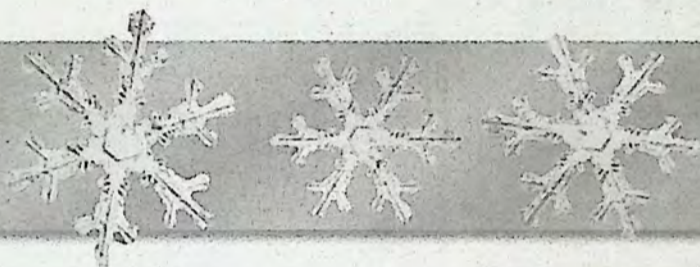
april@bcland.net
(250) 295-5346



sandra@bcland.net
(250) 499-9414

EXPERIENCE the advantages...

Buying? Selling?
Talk to us!



where the experts are

...of working with an **EXECUTIVE!**

For your
convenience
we are open
Sundays
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

82 Halliford Avenue



NEW!

Located in the heart of Princeton, this quaint house is the perfect place to call home. Alley access affords you the opportunity to expand your parking and storage options, while the attic has the possibility of added living space. Many updates have been completed in the last few years, including carpet, countertops, fixtures, stucco, wiring, plumbing and much more! **MLS © 112490 \$167,500**

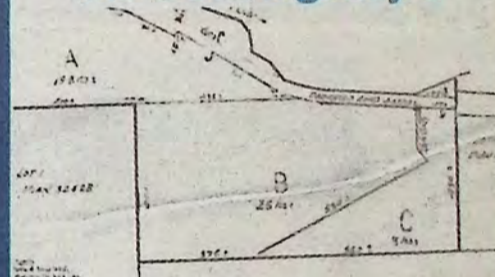
#203-66 Angela Avenue



NEW!

Easy care living at it's best! Don't miss your opportunity to own a great 1-bedroom unit at Copper Creek Living Apartments. New windows, bathroom and hot water tank. Comes with refrigerator and stove. Shared laundry just down the hall. Walking distance to town and just a few steps away from the Tulameen River. Investment opportunity as tenants are in place. **MLS © 112524 \$139,000**

Lot C-661 Highway 3



NEW!

CONTINGENT-SUBJECT TO FINAL REGISTRATION. View acreage with riverfront! Priced for quick sale. This is a must see property just outside of Princeton featuring a large flat bench perfect for the dream house, the cabin or simply to park the travel trailer 'til you're ready to build. The site is positioned perfectly to take in the views of the river, hayfields and mountains! **MLS © 112323 \$239,900**

Lot B 28km Summers Cr Rd



Run, don't walk to see this incredible property! 24+ acres just a few minutes from Missezula Lake. Power boats, sea-does, waterskiing or just a good day out fishing are all possible. Summers Creek flows gently through the acreage bringing wildlife to your doorstep. Surrounded by Crown Land means there are limitless trails for exploring on ATV, snow machines or just a good hike! **MLS © 111409 \$169,900**

4028 Princeton/S'land Rd



Just across from Osprey Lake on a well-kept paved road, this home is much more than recreational property - this is a Krastel designed rancher and boasts an open floor plan, plenty of natural light in every room and the finishing details are clearly exceptional! This large property allows for easy access to Crown Land providing you with hours of horseback riding, hiking or ATVing fun! **MLS © 111532 \$389,600**

313-9th Avenue



Character, charm and a country setting describe this well cared for home. Perennial gardens, low maintenance lawn, greenhouse and an extra building currently being used as a studio, complete with sliding doors to garden area. Once was a garage, so lots of choices. The main floor is light and bright with enclosed entry for coats and shoes. Large windows with deck area! **MLS © 111552 \$199,000**

REALTY EXECUTIVES PRINCETON
Gateway to the Okanagan

#8-136 Tipton Avenue (Princeton Plaza)
Office: (250) 295-1811 Fax: (250) 295-1851 www.bcland.net
EACH OFFICE INDEPENDENTLY OWNED AND OPERATED



PRINCETON