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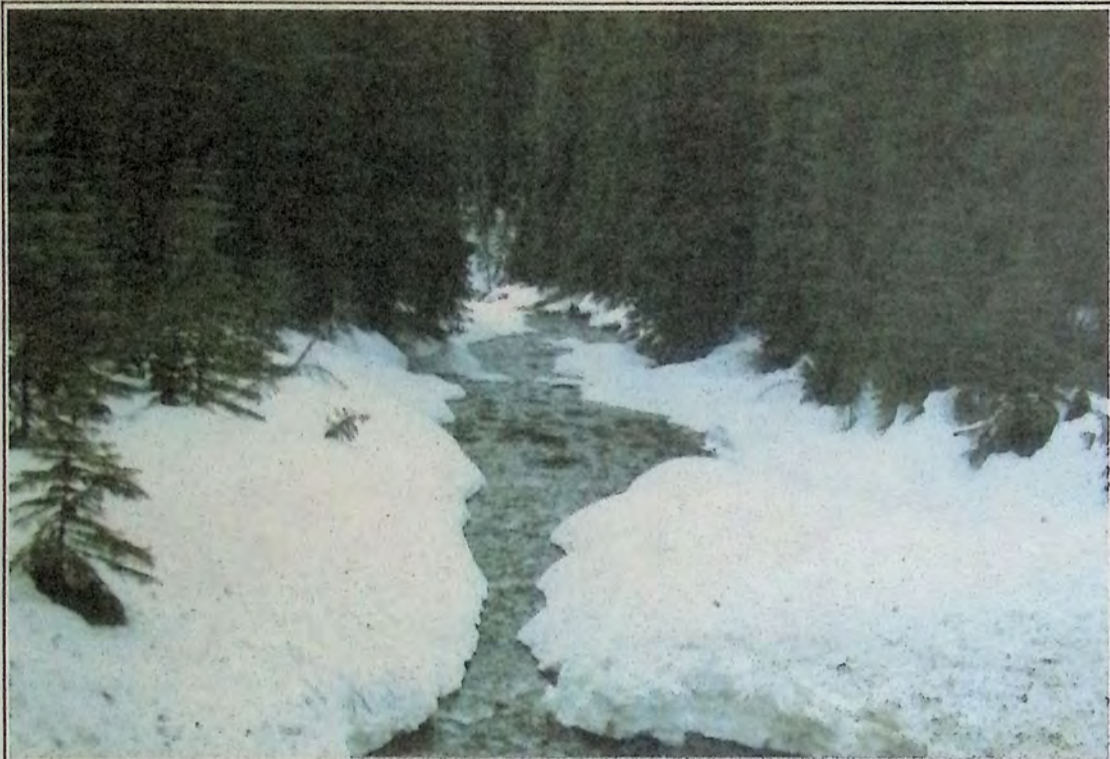
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Who's Working For You? See Below!



Similkameen River May 7 in Manning Park - before the melt. More photos on Page 8. *

Mayor issues river warning

by Mayor Randy McLean

We are at the beginning of the spring run-off, and we have a higher than normal snow pack as well as temperatures that have been rising very slowly. In discussion with ministry officials we have been advised that although they are not expecting flood conditions, sudden high temperatures and or heavy rainfall could alter that assessment.

In order to undertake normal safety measures our administration is initiating meetings with key emergency response agencies to consider the analysis and preparedness of emergency planning and stockpiling of supplies. I would take this opportunity to advise parents that the river at high water is not the normal safe place to play that it usually is.

As well pet owners whose animals normally go for a swim in the river should be avoiding it for the next few weeks. Town and area residents with equipment or material stored next to the rivers or streams may want to move them a little further away in case of higher water levels.

On a much more positive note, have you observed the look of the trail between the bridges during the evening? The lights look fantastic and there is more work to come with the proposed lighting of the

Bridge of Dreams. Congratulations to the trail committee and the contractors who are making our town look that much more attractive.

Other Gamestown funded projects are nearing completion, the town crew has installed the new playground equipment at Rotary Park, the basketball court enhancement at Riverside Centre continues with the completion of the improved lighting for evening shooting and as well it seems the bike park is ready for action.

The cleanup in the former post and rail plant area near the tunnel is scheduled to begin next week, and with the rezoning and the notification to the Crown which owns the area we are hopeful that the days of industrial activity on that acreage are at an end.

Together with the pending subdivision interest for the Similkameen Avenue area and the trail enhancement we are moving from the old industrial tunnel vision to the residential vision that was put forward by community members during our Official Community Plan.

Hopefully we can continue to transform that entire area as well as the entire community to achieve the ultimate vision that the OCP spoke to.

Trustees hear good news

Students and teachers made the May 11 Board of Education meeting full of interest. Students and teachers presented an overview of industrial training for youth, along with a pamphlet featuring Frankie Reichert on the front. She is learning all about concrete finishing. Other students are learning carpentry, electrical and plumbing. Apprenticeship work is begun in secondary school, leading to full-fledged trades training in post-secondary.

Another group of students was eager to tell about their trip to England this spring. They thoroughly enjoyed the experience and learned a great deal. They told trustees the experience was worthwhile and thanked the Board for giving permission for the trip.

Vermilion Forks Elementary

School Principal Barry Clarke presented a video showing what students at his school have done as part of their physical education. Students learned to curl, bowl, ski and snowboard at Apex and cross country ski at China Ridge, and learned hip hop dancing. These activities are good exercise, and the ability to do these sports can keep them active for a lifetime.

One special feature of the meeting was a model of a Greek war ship. It was built by Tristan Vandermuell as part of a study of ancient Greece. Assistant Superintendent Steve McNiven told the News Leader there is a model of the Trojan horse built by students. These items will be displayed at the school.

French language training is an option for Vermilion Forks grade

seven students this year.

They learn online, with occasional help from teachers. Students have access to the program at any time and can work at their own pace. Another innovation will begin in September.

The school has purchased iPad2 technology for the students as a way of reinforcing their daily lessons.

School Superintendent Robert Peacock praised principals and teachers for the excellent programs established for students.

School District budget approved

The 2011/2012 school district budget totals \$26,164,639, a slight decrease from last year's budget. The district is still operating with input of some surplus funds from the past.

The largest expense is for salaries for 110 teachers, 105 principals and

vice-principals, 123 educational assistants, 120 support staff, 130 other professionals, and 140 substitute teachers. Services and supplies make up \$3,516,545 of the budget, and capital projects costs are very limited.

When asked how this budget will affect property taxes, Treasurer Bruce Tisdale stated they have no relative impact on taxes, as the provincial government determines what the tax rate will be right across the province.

Board of Education Chair Gordon Comeau said there is no way a small district can fund the educational programs on local property taxes alone.

The cost of education is funded through provincial general revenue. The provincial government then allocates a certain amount per student, and the district sets its budget according to how many students are enrolled.

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CMMC's Jim O'Rourke shares MABC award

The Mining Association of British Columbia (MABC) announced May 9th this year's recipients of the Mining Person(s) of the Year

award: Jim O'Rourke and Robert Pease. "This year MABC honours two outstanding contributors to BC's

mining sector," stated John McManus, Chair of the MABC and Senior Vice President, Taseko Mines Ltd.

"Both Jim and Rob have played major roles in ushering in BC's mining renaissance, leading the developments of the Copper Mountain and Mt. Milligan mines, respectively, both now in construction."

Jim O'Rourke was instrumental leading the Copper Mountain management team in completing the final updated feasibility study confirming the economics of the proposed Copper Mountain Mine development.

O'Rourke played a vital role in arranging a strategic alliance with Mitsubishi Material Corporation, an international diversified materials company.

This alliance was essential for the \$438 million project to be financed that allowed for the development of the 35,000 tpd copper-gold porphyry Copper Mountain mine that is on track for production startup in June 2011.

This new mine will bring 272 well-paying jobs to the community of Princeton, as well as economic growth to the region with spin-off benefits.

Through an Impact Benefit Agreement with the Upper Similkameen Indian Band, the Copper Mountain project will also bring important benefits to local

First Nations. As President & CEO of Terrane Metals, Robert (Rob) Pease successfully obtained in 2010 all federal and provincial approvals to develop the Mt. Milligan mine in central BC, while simultaneously leading the friendly takeover of Terrane Metals by Thompson Creek Mining, thus enabling the 60,000 TPD, 400-employee project to proceed to production by 2013.

The Mt. Milligan Mine will be an important employer and economic driver for central British Columbia for potentially multiple generations.

The Mt. Milligan mine is only the second in the province to include a revenue sharing agreement between the Province and local First Nations.

"It is rare that MABC is in a position to honour two remarkable individuals in the same year," added Pierre Gratton, President and CEO of MABC.

"The significant economic activity now taking place in Princeton and north central BC as a result of both projects is exciting. The successes of these men to successfully advance both mining projects will benefit British Columbians for decades to come."



2011 Mining Association of British Columbia Mining Person(s) of the Year, Jim O'Rourke, left, and Robert Pease, right. MABC President and CEO Pierre Gratton joins them. Photo: Flora Gordon

Princeton Town Hall News

PRE-TEEN & FAMILY BUS TOURS

THE GREAT SUMMER ADVENTURE TOURS

Princeton Parks, Recreation and Culture have teamed up with the Princeton Posse Tour Bus to offer a variety of trips that are great for kids, youth and families. Kamloops Cliffside Climbing, Cultus Lake Water-slides, a sleepover at Vancouver Aquarium and more trips are waiting for you to sign up.



Pre-teens/youth aged 10-18 years may sign up on their own to hang out with our summer leaders. Families are welcome to sign up to get in on the great group rates and let us do the driving. Call 250-295-6067 or email: recreation@princeton.ca to learn more.

NO FIRES!

A reminder that fires are not permitted within the town limits from April 15 to October 15. The Town of Princeton thanks you for your cooperation in this matter.



FINANCIAL PLAN

The 2011 - 2015 Financial Plan Highlights Brochure has been sent out in the mail. Please come into Town Office and pick up a copy if you have not yet received one.

WATER RESTRICTIONS

Water Restrictions will be in effect May 15, 2011.

By conserving today, we reduce the need for expanded facilities and costly upgrades to the water system.

What are the rules?

- Lawn sprinkling regulations are in effect from May 15 to September 30 every year.
- There are four stages of restrictions, each stage allowing less water use.
- Stage 1 comes into effect automatically on May 15 of every year unless more stringent water conservation measures are needed. Stages 2, 3 and 4 are implemented according to the severity of the water shortage. Each level requires increasingly larger reductions in water use.
- Residential, multi-family, commercial, industrial, institutional and public properties are all required to follow the regulations.

Stage 1 Restrictions will be in effect May 15th.

- Even numbered civic addresses may water on Wednesdays, Friday and Sundays.
- Odd numbered civic addresses may water on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
- No watering is permitted between Noon and 6:00 pm.
- Watering is not permitted on Mondays.
- Washing of boats or motor vehicles with a hose is permitted only if using a hose with an automatic shut-off device.
- Public sector entities are restricted to three days per week at any time.

Bylaw Enforcement Officers will enforce all levels of the water restrictions bylaw. A person who contravenes the bylaw commits an offence under the Offence Act and is subject to a fine.

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Keremeos News



Edwin Drohomereski of Keremeos took advantage of the warmth and sun on May 8th. He opened up his garage and spent the afternoon cutting and painting pieces for a compost box. Both Edwin and his wife enjoy working in the garden. Edwin advises that adding just a bit of humus to the soil each year makes the garden soil a lot easier to work. Otherwise, the dirt becomes hard and compacted. Photo: Arlene Arlow

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Sizzle firms committee structure

The Similkameen Sizzle Planning Committee met May 11th to review newly developed sub-committees drawn up to assist organizers in future planning.

Sizzle Chair Vicki Morgan pointed out during the meeting that although there is no charge to attend the annual PepperFest in Memorial Park, it still costs Similkameen Country around 8-thousand dollars to put on the one-day event.

She also announced that Valley First Credit Union has committed to another three years as the event's title sponsor. Another handful of sponsors are entering their third and final year with the

2011 event.

Similkameen Sizzle will take place on Saturday, September 17th this year, which will also mark the tenth anniversary of the celebration.

Committees in place so far include: Set-Up & Vendor - chaired by John Bachewich, Breakfast - chaired by Walter Despot, Sear Factor - chaired by George Elliott, Beverage Garden - chaired by Tuesday McDonald and Chili Cook Off - chaired by

Eleanor Keys. Each committee chair is responsible for organizing their part of Similkameen Sizzle. Other committees yet to be taken on include Tenth Anniversary, Cash Handling, Entertainment, Raffle & Merchandise and Advertising/Sponsorships.

Volunteers are always welcome and are asked to contact the Similkameen Country InfoCentre at 250.499.5225 or via e-mail at siminfo@nethop.net for more information.

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An early morning fire May 8th destroyed the K-Mountain Winery and former Gerry's Fruit Stand in Keremeos. No one was injured in the blaze, which is still under investigation. Photo: Brenda Engel



Ashley Gould compared agricultural methods for her Socials Fair project last week. Photo: Des Cosman

Princeton Court News

News Leader Court Reporter - Dawn Johnson

Guilty driver fails to appear

Sammy Holmes did not attend his trial, but that did not stop the trial from proceeding as planned. A civilian witness who filed a report of a possible impaired driver on April 2, 2010, testified what had led her to make the report. She said she saw a Ford Mustang westbound on Highway 3 crossing the center line and speeding.

The RCMP officer who responded to the call drove into Princeton in search of the vehicle and was waved to a stop by the civilian who advised where the vehicle was located. The officer went to that location and found a man in the driver's seat. When asked for his driver's licence, the man produced a valid BC driver's licence issued to Sammy Holmes.

The officer asked Holmes to step out of the vehicle, and noted Holmes showed signs of impairment. After reading Holmes his rights, the officer took Holmes to the Princeton detachment office and made a breath demand. Holmes complied and two tests were run, one reading .230 alcohol level, and the second reading .220, nearly three times the legal limit.

Judge G. Sinclair found Holmes guilty of impaired driving, and gave an order for Holmes to appear in court for sentencing.

Judge acquits on reasonable doubt

William Gibson appeared in Provincial Court in Princeton on May 12 to stand trial on a charge of assault causing bodily harm. The incident occurred at a bush party in the early hours of April 1, 2010.

Darcy Brewer told the court he was playing his guitar at the party when Gibson attacked him, knocking him to the ground and punching him in

the face. During the scuffle, Brewer's ankle was dislocated and one leg bone was broken. He appeared to hold Gibson blameless for the leg injury, saying it could have happened due to the way he fell when Gibson hit him.

There was no doubt there were punches thrown at Brewer's head, as photographs showed the damage done to Brewer's face. Gibson was pulled off Brewer, and Brewer was taken to hospital.

Gibson claimed Brewer was looking for a fight. Brewer had refused to play a song Gibson had requested, and had responded to the request in what Gibson considered an insulting way. Gibson said Brewer followed that with staring at him, even when asked to stop. Gibson told the court he had challenged Brewer, saying, "Let's go, let's do it." Then Gibson moved in and started hitting Brewer, who went down immediately.

The decision Judge Sinclair had to make was whether or not Gibson had assaulted Brewer, or whether they had both provoked a fight with each other.

Judge G. Sinclair declared a brief recess to consider his decision. On his return to the bench, Judge Sinclair reviewed the statements of both Gibson and Brewer, then said he must acquit Gibson on the grounds of reasonable doubt.

Man pays for breach

Lorne D. Shalanski appeared in Provincial Court in Princeton on May 12 to deal with a matter that had taken place in Lethbridge, Alberta last year. Shalanski had been under a "no contact" order and an 18 month recognizance when he had banged on the window of his ex-girlfriend's vehicle and demanded to speak to her. He was apprehended and charge

with the breach, but has since moved to Princeton. Judge Sinclair ordered him to pay a \$350 fine.

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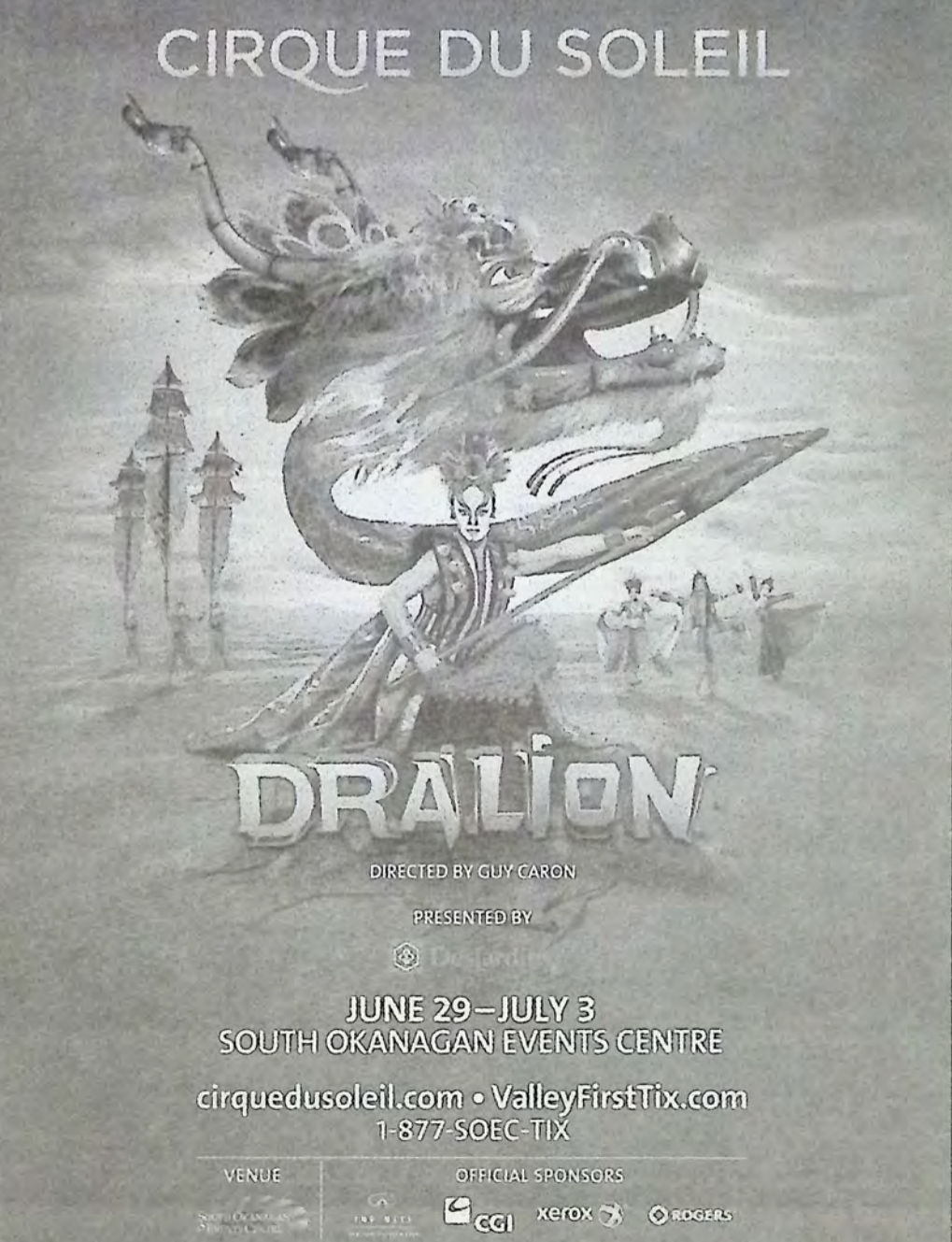
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Health / Lifestyle News

Communication disorders affect millions

(NC)—Imagine going through life not being able to understand what people are saying to you, having to constantly ask people to repeat themselves, not knowing what's expected of you or how to behave. Imagine what it's like when you can't express your feelings to your family, friends or, especially, strangers. Imagine the sense of isolation, frustration, anger.

For millions of Canadians who live with a speech, language or hearing difficulty, these experiences can be an everyday occurrence. But it doesn't have to be that way.

The ability to hear, understand and be understood is fundamental to our development as productive citizens and when hearing and speech prob-

lems go undetected and untreated, the results can be severe.

According to the Canadian Association of Speech-Language Pathologists and Audiologists (CASLPA), the organization that represents 5,700 speech, language and hearing professionals across Canada, dealing with this crisis is an up-hill battle.

One of the biggest challenges is getting referrals—being put in touch with people who need help. Often, individuals with hearing or speech disorders are labeled as having some type of behavioural problem. They're seen as either uncooperative or withdrawn, or unpredictable and hostile. This can be especially true with children. In many cases, this

kind of behaviour is often merely the symptom of a more profound hearing or speech disorder and unless these individuals are referred to a hearing or speech specialist, the problem can go undetected and untreated.

Daycare workers, teachers, social workers, public health nurses and doctors need to understand that behavioural problems that appear to be purely psychological can often be traced to a hearing or speech disorder.

Call in the experts — they know what to look for — the subtle signs that are so often missed by professionals in other disciplines.

CASLPA acknowledges that there are currently an insufficient number of the professionals that are needed to provide Canadians with an adequate level of service. Wait times can be long, but CASLPA has released national recommended wait times for public reference. You can find them at www.speechandhearing.ca.

Primary healthcare is a team effort, and while S-LPs and audiologists are an important part of that team, they are only one player, counting on the other members of the team—doctors, nurses, educators, social workers and other rehabilitation professionals — to help them help others in need.

BC business confidence rises

Confidence among British Columbia's small- and mid-sized business owners rose slightly in April to 72.6 from its level of 71.4 in March.

The national average was also up last month, to 70.7, a point and a half above its March level of 69.2 and its highest in 6 years.

With respect to employment plans in British Columbia, most employers do not plan to make changes to full-time employment levels (63 per cent), while 20 per cent plan to increase full-time employment and 17 per cent plan to decrease.

More highlights:

- 52 per cent of businesses in BC say the overall state of business is satis-

factory, 28 per cent say it is good, and 20 per cent say it is bad.

- 64 per cent of businesses now say fuel/energy costs are the most significant cost pressure in BC, followed by tax and regulatory costs (53 per cent) and insurance costs (48 per cent).

- 55 per cent of BC small businesses still say that insufficient domestic demand is their greatest business constraint, followed by management skills/time constraints, shortage of working capital and shortage of skilled labour (all 27 per cent).

Living Past 100

Diagnosis Cancer: Are There Alternatives?

Many people today, familiar with traditional cancer treatments of radiation and chemotherapy, would like to look at alternatives. There are a surprisingly high number of alternative therapies which have good reputations. Never go for an alternative that has no history of success. Do your own research on the subject. You can find books at your health food store, your public library, or you can go to alternativecancer.net on your computer.

Most alternative therapies include removal of toxins from your body, and this is something you can do at home through diet and chelation. Chelation (pronounced kee-lay-shun) is the removal of toxic minerals from your body. This can be done intravenously (very expensive) or orally with tablets. Removal of toxins is very important to overall health and building a healthy immune system. Along with oral chelation, try going on an immune-boosting diet: cut back on meats, cut out sugar, dairy products, soft drinks and bleached flour products, and eat a lot of raw vegetables and fruits. Do this for two weeks. The first thing that will happen is weight loss if you are overweight. The second thing you will notice is increased energy.

The cancer treatment your doctor and specialist will recommend, that is, individually or in combination, surgery, radiation and chemotherapy, will tend to depress your immune system. To fight off cancer, you need a strong immune system, and eating properly is the first step. There are immune boosting supplements you can buy, and whether you go for the treatment your doctor recommends, or opt for alternatives, ask your doctor or pharmacist to recommend an immune booster supplement.

Being diagnosed as having cancer is not the end of the world, but it is the beginning of a serious health treatment. If you go for alternative treatments, it will not be covered by your BC medical and health insurance. On the other hand, there are a lot of regular treatment cost that will not be covered, so you need to weigh the costs, including travel costs, for treatments. The choice is always up to the patient, but the patient should be well informed.

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The PSS Grade 8's did it again! More great displays from Social Studies class. Photo: Des Cosman



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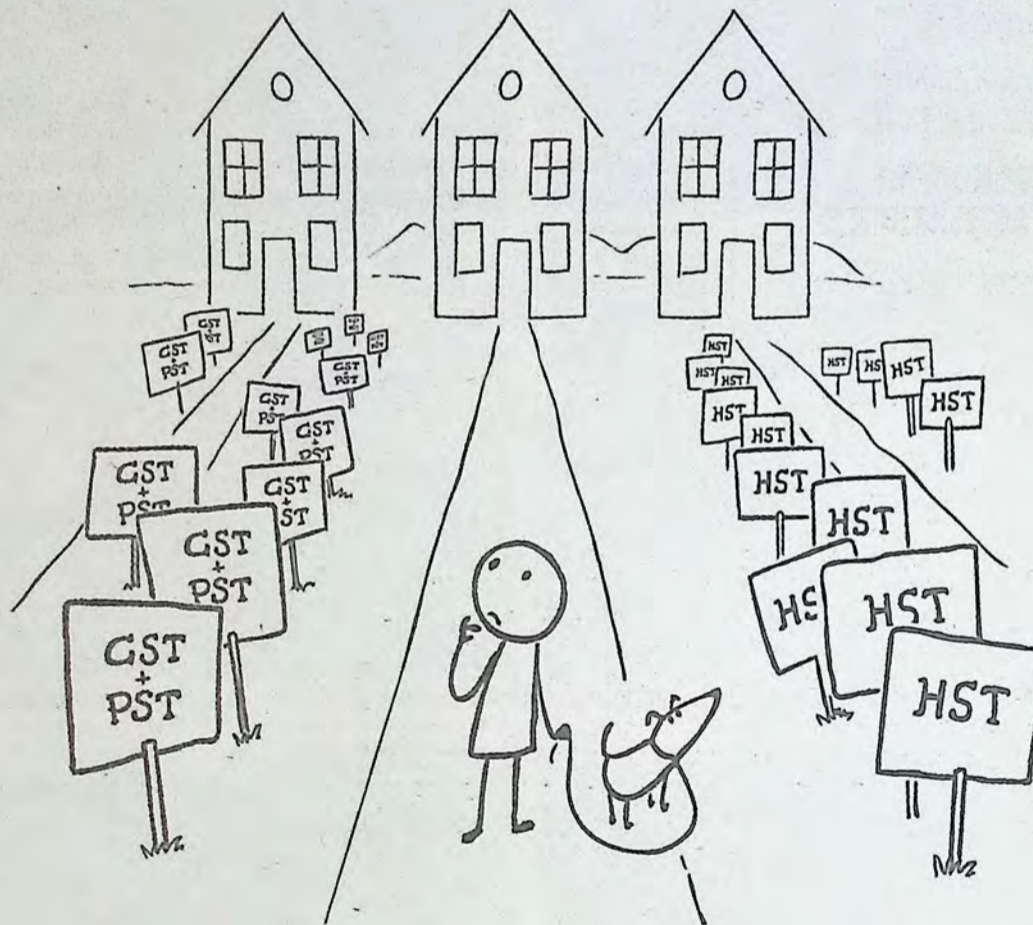
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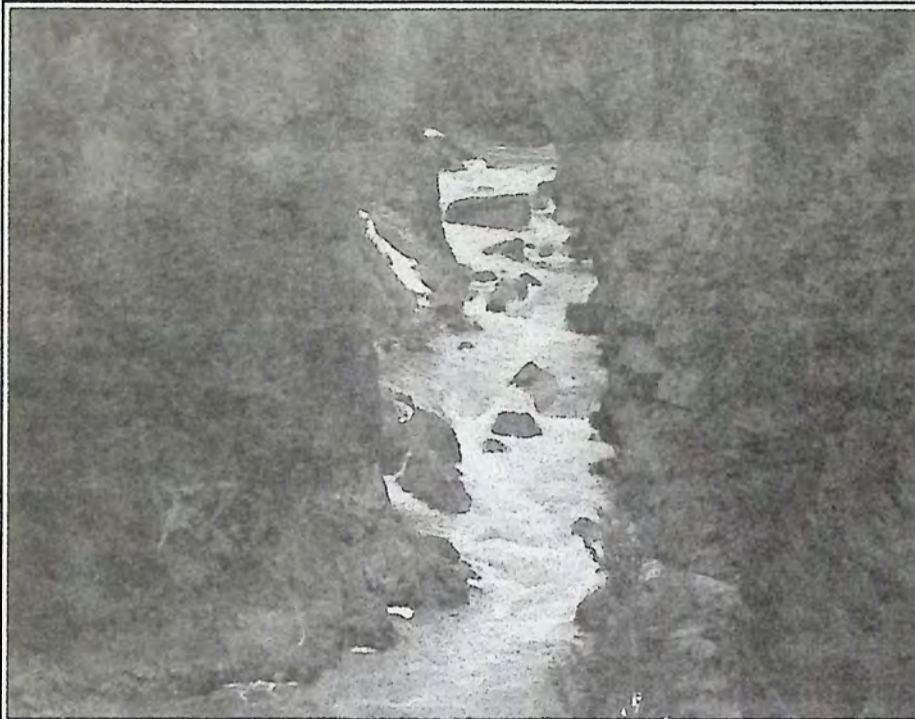


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Still Lots of Snow In Manning Park



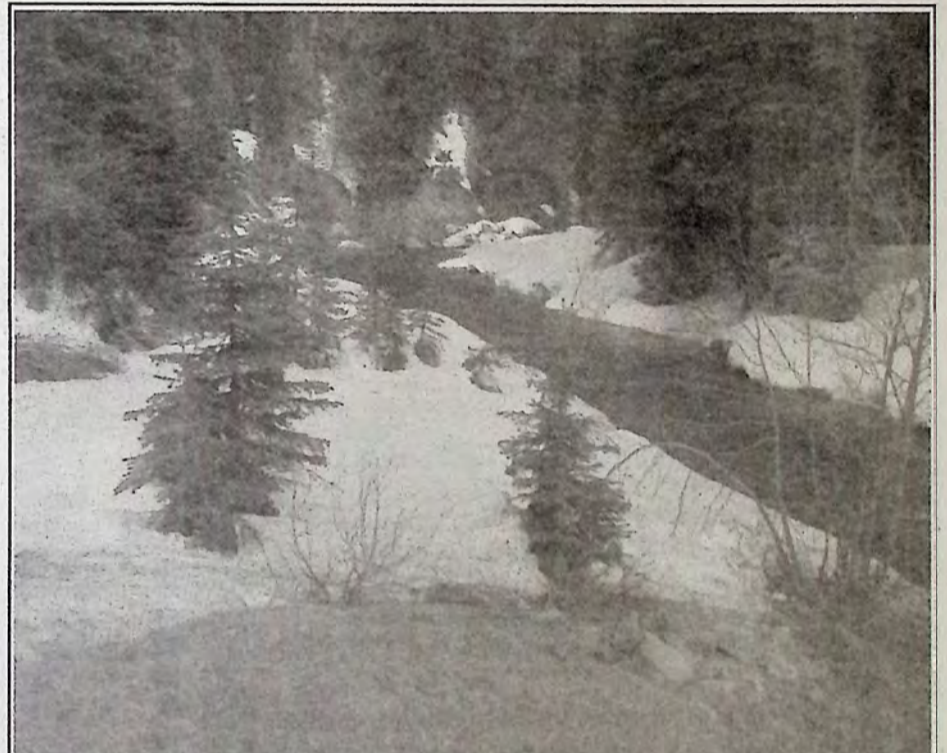
The volume of water rushing down through Similkameen Falls, west of Princeton, did not seem out of the ordinary on May 7th. Melting since then has changed this. *



Allison Pass still had lots of snow on May 7th. *



The banks of the Similkameen River in Manning Park had lots of snow on May 7th. *



Another view of the Similkameen River in Manning Park on May 7th. *



A lot of snow on the ground at Manning Park Lodge on May 7th. *



The ground squirrels were out at Manning Park Lodge looking for snacks. *



News Leader Entertainment

Similkameen News Leader TV Guide Listings - May 17 - 23, 2011



Princeton Rodeo Queen Taneesha Beaupre rounds her last barrel in Junior Barrel Racing. *

Rodeo Club hosts another winner!

Saturday, May 14th was Stan Thompson Day during the first day of the annual Princeton Rodeo. The Club honoured 'Mr. Rodeo' in fine fashion and stories ended up being swapped well into the evening.

Sunday, May 15th was Tough Enough To Wear Pink Day, a way of acknowledging the efforts in fighting breast cancer across the globe. And there were a lot of cowboys in pink shirts showing their support along with a sea of pink visible in the spectators area of Princeton Fairgrounds.

Rodeo Results are as follows:

Saturday, May 14 Afternoon Performance

Bareback - Steve Hohmann 77, Christoph Muigg 56
Tie-Down Roping - Ryan Marchant 10.2, Cody Braaten 10.4, Jonah Antoine 12.0
Saddle Bronc - No qualifying rides
Steer Wrestling - Willie Twan 8.0, Jonah Antoine 14.8
Breakaway Roping - Debbie Freemantle 4.3, Janet O'Neil 7.1, Bailey Poffenroth 13.2
Junior Steer Riding - Dustin Spiers 76

Ladies Barrel Racing - Kellie Lee Noble 17.930, Dakota Conley 17.944, Darcy Willis 18.399
Junior Barrel Racing - Sharla Hancock 18.603, Rachele Hancock 18.852, Madison Smith 18.954
Junior Breakaway Roping - Rachele Hancock 5.5, Chad Braaten 12.7
Team Roping - Keegan Smith/Colby Stewart 11.4, Joel

Isnardy/Jonah Antoine 11.8
Bull Riding - Brandon Daniel 78
Sunday, May 15 - Morning Slack
Tie-Down Roping - No qualifying times.

Steer Wrestling - Riley Isnardy 5.0, Mike Gill 11.5
Junior Breakaway Roping - Kyle Bell 4.3, Mckenzie Wills 9.3
Ladies Barrel Racing - Brooke Wills 17.811, Pamela Morrison 17.812, Melanie Beeton 18.078
Junior Barrel Racing - Mckenzie Wills 18.215, Jessica May 18.310, Lane Wills 18.782
Team Roping - Cash Isnardy/Spencer Rutherford 5.4, Josh Cahill/Rod Spiers 6.5, Tim Terepoki/Jeff Wills 6.8

Sunday, May 15 - Afternoon Performance

Bareback - Cash Kerner 83, Greg Vanwinkle 73
Tie-Down Roping - Steve Pozzobon 11.0, Jerry Tucker 11.4, Dustin Shields 13.6
Saddle Bronc - Rod Rimmer 76, Kaila Mussell 76 (tie), Garrett Madley 65

Steer Wrestling - John Davies 4.9, Wade McNolty 5.6, Rob Everett 7.0
Breakaway Roping - Charlie Soffel 3.2, Allison Everett 3.6, Rayell Bremner 13.3
Princeton's Ed Nault and Mike Theal both finished the event without qualifying times

Junior Steer Riding - Sterling Peterson 64
Ladies Barrel Racing - Monica Oram 17.903, Gaylene Buff 17.904, Kirsten Gjerde 18.174
Junior Barrel Racing - Mariah Mannering 18.834, Sofeya Smith 20.013, Taylor Cathcart 20.472.
Princeton's Taneesha Beaupre finished the event with a time of 24.515

Junior Breakaway Roping - Princeton's Taneesha Beaupre 7.3, Mariah Mannering 8.6
Team Roping - Roger Love and Princeton's Ernie Willis 8.6, Aaron Palmer/Garrett Hinsche 10.4, Allison Everett/Garrett Hinsche 10.6.
Princeton's Ernie Willis also earned a time of 13.6 seconds teamed up with Rod Lewis.
Bull Riding - Mike Gill 73.

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ATTENTION: Hockey Parents & Fans

Princeton District Minor Hockey Association must fill vacant positions on the executive board by Monday, May 30, 2011 in order to continue with the 2011/12 hockey season.

Vacant positions: President, Vice President, Tournament Director, Ice Ambassador, Qualified Head Coach. Decisions for the upcoming season must be made soon and by a complete executive.

NO EXECUTIVE = NO HOCKEY

Please contact Deanne Kary, Secretary and leave a message (250.295.3075) by Monday, May 30.

The future of the 2011/12 season will be announced in the News Leader following the deadline date.

Similkameen News Leader - Horoscopes

May 18 - 25, 2011

Aries - The long weekend could be challenging if you want to do everything you plan to do. You are talking forcefully about what you value, and you resist any opposition. Avoid the temptation to spend a lot of money. Conserve, save.

Taurus - You're just so full of yourself that others may find you hard to take. You want to have fun but be the center of attention. Cool the ego, use your energy to achieve, and to be charming and gracious. Be the catalyst of fun.

Gemini - You may be enjoying some lusty dreams, or you may be worrying that such dreams may never come true. Either way, you could feel a sense of frustration. Your dreams of a better career need work to come true. Do it.

Cancer - Being with groups of people you like would be the best way to spend this long weekend. Work at home can wait this weekend while you enjoy the relaxation of good companions. You can be the group's moving force now.

Leo - Career and fun can mix this weekend. Is your company having a get-together, or are you doing the inviting? Spending time with work mates can be fun and can help your career now. Do be cautious about revealing secrets.

Virgo - A travel opportunity proves to be a lot of fun this long weekend, or perhaps visitors travel to your house? Either way, it looks like a busy but happy time. You still need to be cautious about spending, so don't go overboard.

Libra - Surprising benefits may come to you through others sharing with you. A very special woman may tell you something important that will bring you benefits from others. Discuss finances with anyone affecting your lifestyle.

Scorpio - This long weekend could bring words of love and even lust from a partner or a new romantic interest if you're single. The weekend holds the potential for romance and lusty interaction if you're interested. Enjoy!

Sagittarius - You will be on the job this week, but you can enjoy it but combining work with fun. Otherwise, it could be frustration. Take some time for healthy exercise, but don't overdo, as you could injure yourself.

Capricorn - If ever there was a time to enjoy some romance in your life, this is it. You can thoroughly enjoy a lover, and children, and pets this weekend, and have a lot of fun just being full of fun and enjoying activities with loved ones.

Aquarius - Spend this long weekend enjoying your home, even if it means being busy at work around your home and property. This may be challenging in some respects, but it will be rewarding as you improve your home's appearance.

Pisces - You can make the most of this long weekend by doing errands you've postponed, spending time in your own neighbourhood, and talking to siblings. Do keep a clear head and avoid the temptation to daydream this week.

Small Business 101

Small Businesses Build Community

by Laura Jones
CFIB Vice President,
Western Canada

Early last Friday morning, I woke my kids to watch Prince William marry Kate. As we held an impromptu tea party on the living room floor to honour the newlyweds, we marvelled at the crowds and the idea that a quarter of the world's population was watching the wedding.

The next morning, at a more civilized hour, we took part in a neighbourhood little-league baseball parade, thanks to my daughter's preschool.

Both events, one global and one local, underscore the importance of community -the value people place on coming together to share experiences. Each shows the generosity of spirit people have for each other, whether to share in the joy of a royal marriage or the start of a little league season.

While we can thank the British monarchy for the wide opportunity to celebrate global community, neighbourhood small-business

owners deserve as much thanks for the opportunities they provide at the local level.

The little-league teams in the parade were sponsored by local businesses, including a sushi restaurant, security company, and automotive repair business to name a few. To the delight of my kids, businesses also handed out balloons, colouring books and popcorn.

Perhaps it's not surprising that small business owners, like many of the rest of us, contribute to their local communities in many ways. Those contributions extend far beyond the ones we typically think about such as creating jobs and providing goods and services.

Even the smallest of small businesses stretch themselves to support local causes. A recent survey by the Canadian Federation of Independent Business shows a strong link between business owners and communities.

Ninety-nine per cent of the respondents in B.C. reported some involvement in local activities and causes. Seventy-seven per cent donate

goods and services, 76 per cent contribute financially, 55 per cent sponsor sports teams, 50 per cent donate their own time, 47 per cent promote local charities, and 24 per cent donate employees' time.

In survey comments, many owners talk about the importance of trust and honesty -values that make them role models.

The men and women who run small businesses take financial risks most of us are unprepared to take. In doing so, they enrich our communities enormously.

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Tuesday Movies

EVENING

8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Playing God" (1997, Drama) David Duchovny. A decertified surgeon accepts a job as personal doctor for a Los Angeles mobster sought by the FBI. (CC)

10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Jakob the Liar" (1999, Comedy-Drama) Robin Williams. A Jew gives hope to others in a Polish ghetto by saying he has a radio which gives reports of Russian victories over the Nazis.

Wednesday Movies

AFTERNOON

5:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Rush Hour 3" (2007, Action) Jackie Chan. The assassination of a Chinese ambassador reunites Lee and Carter, who tangle with Triad gangsters in France.

Hour 3" (2007, Action) Jackie Chan. The assassination of a Chinese ambassador reunites Lee and Carter, who tangle with Triad gangsters in France. KSPS ch.6 "The Fire Below Us: Remembering Mount St. Helens" (1995, Documentary) Filmmaker Michael Lienau presents actual footage from the 1980 explosion, re-creations and his own story of survival.

EVENING

9:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Rush

Thursday Movies

EVENING

8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "L.A. Confidential" (1997, Crime Drama) Kevin Spacey.

Policemen become immersed in corruption, scandal, politics and prostitution in 1950s Hollywood. (CC) (DVS)

Friday Movies

EVENING

7:00 pm YTV ch.18 "Taking 5" (2007, Comedy) Alona Tal. Two fans of a boy band hatch a kidnapping scheme. (In Stereo) (CC)
8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "The General's Daughter" (1999, Suspense) John Travolta. Army investigators probe an officer's brutal slaying. (CC)
FAM ch.26 "Avalon High" (2010, Fantasy) Britt Robertson. A high-school student believes that her new classmates are rein-

arnations of King Arthur and members of his court. (In Stereo) (CC)
10:00 pm FAM ch.26 "Double Teamed" (2002, Docudrama) Poppi Monroe. Twins Heather and Heidi Burge develop a rivalry in high school and make it to the WNBA. (In Stereo) (CC)
10:30 pm WTBS ch.3 "Hard Rain" (1998, Action) Morgan Freeman. A thief, a sheriff and the nephew of an armored-truck driver seek money bags in a flooding Indiana town. (CC)

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6 AM :30	In the Heat of the Night	(5:30) Morning News (N)	Wibbly Pig	Thomas	News (N)	News	The Glades	News	(5:30) Morning News (N)	(4:30) Morning News (N)	CBC News Now	Being Ian	SportsCentre	Canada AM	Mayday	Henry's	CityLine	CSI: NY	Real Renos	
7 AM :30	Cosby		HI-5	Arthur	Today Mario Bataki, Christina Perri (N)	The Early Show (N)	Criminal Minds	Good Morning America			Artzooka	Yu-Gi-Oh!	SportsCentre		How/Made	Phineas	The Nate Berkus Show	CSI: Crime Scene	Buy Me	
8 AM :30	Cash Cab		Magie Bus	Curious			Dog		100 Huntley Street		Bo On/Go	Super Evil	SportsCentre		Worst Handyman	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!	Timothy	SportsCentre	Live With Regis & Kelly	Cash Cab	Mickey	Role	CSI: Crime Scene	Restaurant Makeover	
10 AM :30	The Investigators	World Vision	Mag Fero	Sesame Street	The Price Is Right (N)	The First 48	The View (N)	World Vision	Big Flip	Poko	Little Bear	Fish Flats	The View (N)	Super Ships	Mickey	EP Daily	Out There	CSI: NY	The Nanny	
11 AM :30	Forensics	World Vision	Rolie Polie	Sid	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Young & Restless	The Sopranos	Paid Prog.	World Vision	Noon News Hour (N)	Gofrette	G. Shrinks	Billiards	Marilyn Denis	Breakout	Suite Life	CityLine	CSI: Crime Scene	Gold Girls	
12 PM :30	Jim King	Noon News Hour (N)	Arthur	Charlie Rose	Paid Prog.	News	The Glades	All My Children (N)	Noon News Hour (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	CBC News Now (N)	Puppies	Boxing: Fight Night Club	etalk	Mighty Ships	Wizards	General Hospital (N)	Ways Die	Funny Kids	
1 PM :30	King Earl	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	Wheel	Viva Piñata		Marilyn Denis	Worst Handyman	Cory	Jdg Judy	Ways Die	Four	
2 PM :30	Friends	Young & Restless	The Ocean	Barney	Pearlie (E)	Let's Make a Deal (N)	Dog	General Hospital (N)	Young & Restless	End/Leash	Steven and Chris	Monster	Off Record	Dr. Phil	Myth-Busters	Replacem	Access Hollywood Live	Ways Die	Gold Girls	
3 PM :30	Family Guy	The Doctors	Mirabelle	WordGirl	The Doctors	Dr. Phil	The First 48	Rachael Ray	The Doctors	Young & Restless	Recipes	Kid vs. Kat	SportsCentre (N)	(2:59) The Dr. Oz Show	Cash Cab	Life Derek	CityNews at 6 (N)	Ways Die	Restaurant Makeover	
4 PM :30	The Office	Oprah Winfrey	Rob Robot	Fetch! With G. Shrinks	Jdg Judy	Oprah Winfrey	The First 48	Seinfeld	Oprah Winfrey	Early News	NHL Hockey: Conference Final: Teams TBA (N) (Live)	SpongeBob	Hockey	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Daily Planet (N)	Phineas	How I Met	Auction	Buy Me	
5 PM :30	Browns	Early News	Dino Dan	News	News (N)	News	The First 48	News	Early News	(4:59) News Hour (N)	Final: Teams TBA (N) (Live)	Parents		CTV News at Five (N)	Auction	Wizards	The Biggest Loser	Repo	Funny Kids	
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		ICarly	NBA Basketball: Playoffs: Teams TBA (N Subject to Blackout)	CTV News (N)	Destroyed	Suite/Deck	Wizards	Ways Die	One Born Every Minute	
7 PM :30	Seinfeld	Ent	Blue Realm (DVS)	Space-NASA	Jeopardy!	The Dr. Oz Show	The First 48	Ent	The Good Wife	News	ICarly	Indie		etalk	Deadliest Catch (N)	Sonny	(7:01) Body of Proof (N)	Auction	Four	
8 PM :30	Movie: * "Playing God" (1997)	Glee "Funeral" (N)	Picture This	Secrets of the Dead (N)	The Biggest Loser	NCIS "Pyramid" (N)	The First 48	Dancing With the Stars	Glee "Funeral" (N)	Glee "Funeral" (N)	To Be Announced	Chris	SportsCentre (N)	Law & Order: SVU	Daily Planet	Suite/Deck	Kings	EP Daily	Auction	ET Canada
9 PM :30	NCIS: Los Angeles	Amnesty! When They	Frontline (DVS)	Competition (N)	NCIS: Los Angeles	(9:01) The First 48	Dancing With the Stars	NCIS: Los Angeles	To Be Announced	8 Rules	Indie	Million Dollar		Dancing With the Stars	Destroyed	Wingin' It	The Flavor of Love	Ways Die	One Born Every Minute	
10 PM :30	Movie: ** "Jakob the Liar" (1999)	The Good Wife	The Ungrateful Dead	Independent Lens (N)	The Voice (N)	The Good Wife	(10:01) The First 48	(10:01) Body of Proof	The Good Wife	News Hour Final (N)	National	Family Biz		The Voice (N)	Deadliest Catch	Ned's	Justice	MANswers	Funny Kids	
11 PM :30	Alan Arkin	CHBC News Final (N)	Chiefs "Sitting Bull"	Charlie Rose (N)	News (N)	News	(11:01) The First 48	News	News Hour Final (N)	Ent	George S	Prank Ptrl	SportsCentre (N)	CTV News	Auction	So Raven	Paid Prog.	Most Amazing Videos	Four	

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7 AM :30	Cosby		HI-5	Arthur	Today Frankie Valli; Martha Stewart; Sam Zien (N)	The Early Show (N)	Criminal Minds	Good Morning America			Artzooka	Beyblade	SportsCentre		How/Made	Phineas	The Nate Berkus Show	CSI: Crime Scene	End/Leash	
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10 AM :30	The Investigators	World Vision	Mag Fero	Sesame Street	The Price Is Right (N)	The First 48	The View (N)	World Vision	Disaster Stagers	Poko	Little Bear	Drag Racing: NHRA Southern Nationals. (Taped)	The View (N)	Canada's Worst Driver	Mickey	EP Daily	Out There	CSI: NY	Roseanne	
11 AM :30	Forensics	World Vision	Rolie Polie	Sid	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Young & Restless	The Sopranos	Paid Prog.	World Vision	Noon News Hour (N)	Gofrette	G. Shrinks	Billiards	Marilyn Denis	Destroyed	Suite Life	CityLine	CSI: Crime Scene	Gold Girls	
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7 PM :30	Seinfeld	Ent	Gardens	Secrets of the Dead	Jeopardy!	The Dr. Oz Show	Storage	Ent	Ent	Friday Night Lights (N)	News	ICarly		etalk	American Loggers (N)	Sonny	Happy	Repo	Wipeout Canada	
8 PM :30	Law & Order: SVU	Bones (PA)	I Want to Grow	NOVA (DVS)	Minute to Win It (N)	Criminal Minds "Coda"	The Middle	Bones (PA)	Bones (PA)	To Be Announced	ICarly	Chris	SportsCentre (N)	American Idol The finalists perform.	Daily Planet	Suite/Deck	Wizards	EP Daily	The Ultimate Fighter	Instant
9 PM :30	Movie: * "Rush Hour 3" (2007)	NCIS "Pyramid"	Stravinsky In Concert	"Fire Below Us..."	Minute to Win It	Criminal Minds	Beyond Scared Straight	Family Cougar	NCIS "Pyramid"	NCIS "Pyramid"	To Be Announced	8 Rules	Boxing: Amir Khan vs. Paul McCloskey	Breaking In	American Loggers	Hannah	Frank the Entertainer	UFC Unleashed	Wipeout Canada	
10 PM :30	Jackie Chan	Friday Night Lights (N)	Ode to a Requiem	Space-NASA	Law & Order: SVU	C.M.: Suspect	Storage	Happy	Friday Night Lights (N)	News Hour Final (N)	National	Family Biz		C.M.: Suspect	Mighty Ships	Ned's	Justice	MANswers	Fear Factor	
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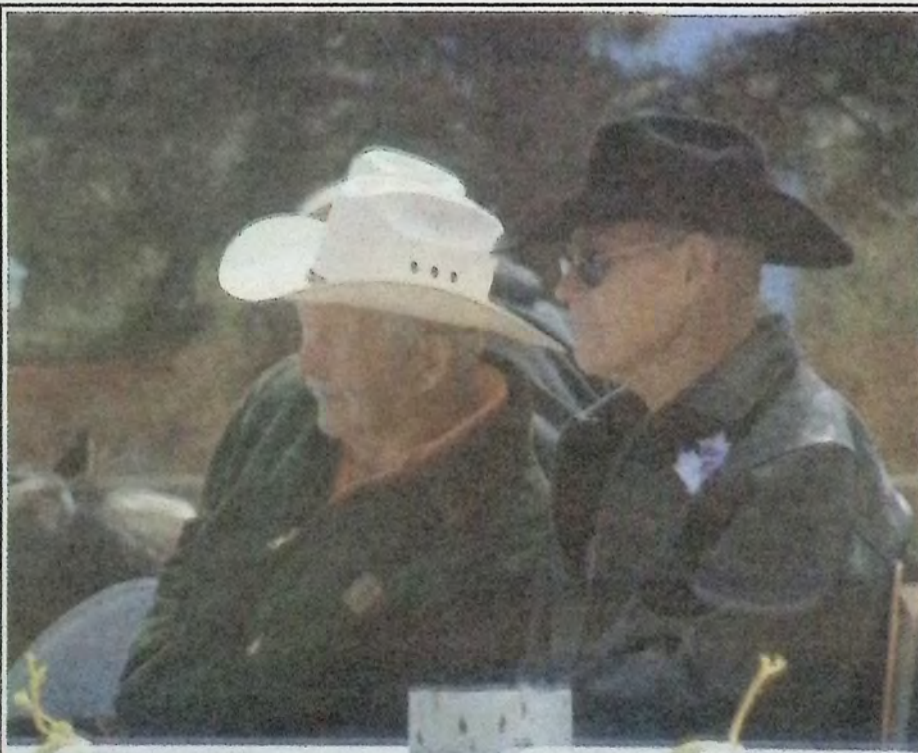
This is how you win the Wild Horse Race - should anyone ask. *



Matt Urhausen of Kettle Falls gets a little bit of air time. *



Princeton's Ed Nault gives Breakaway Roping his best try. *



Two old friends, Bob Lind and Stan Thompson, watch the action. *



Catching a quick nap between rides. *

THURSDAY, MAY 19, 2011

Table with 20 columns (WTBS ch.3 to TROP ch.45) and 24 rows (6 AM to 11 PM) showing TV schedules for Thursday, May 19, 2011.

FRIDAY, MAY 20, 2011

Table with 20 columns (WTBS ch.3 to TROP ch.45) and 24 rows (6 AM to 11 PM) showing TV schedules for Friday, May 20, 2011.

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 #351 - Rated Medium

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Saturday Movies

MORNING

8:00 am WTBS ch.3 "The Forbidden Kingdom" (2008, Action) Jackie Chan. A teenage fan of Hong Kong cinema finds a Chinese relic and travels back in time to help legendary martial-artists free the Monkey King. (CC)
10:00 am WTBS ch.3 "The General's Daughter" (1999, Suspense) John Travolta. Army investigators probe an officer's brutal slaying. (CC)

AFTERNOON

12:00 pm FAM ch.26 "Daddy Day Care" (2003, Comedy) Eddie Murphy. After company downsizing, two former executives decide to open a day-care center for kids in their neighborhood. (In Stereo) (CC)
1:32 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)
5:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Clear and

Present Danger" (1994, Suspense) Harrison Ford. An acting CIA chief learns the president has triggered a war with Colombian drug cartels. (CC)

EVENING

6:00 pm CITY ch.29 "Deception" (2003, Suspense) Dina Meyer. A detective asks an aspiring actress to help him solve a case. (CC) (DVS)
7:00 pm CITY ch.12 "Spider-Man 3" (2007, Action) Tobey Maguire. Premiere. Peter Parker undergoes an ominous transformation when his Spider-Man suit turns black and brings out the dark, vengeful side of his personality. (In Stereo) (CC)
8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Poseidon" (2006, Adventure) Josh Lucas. Survivors aboard a capsized ocean liner band together in a fight for their lives, seeking safety through an upside-down maze.
CHBC ch.4 KXLY ch.10 BCTV ch.11 "Spider-Man 3" (2007, Action) Tobey Maguire. Premiere. Peter Parker undergoes an ominous transformation

when his Spider-Man suit turns black and brings out the dark, vengeful side of his personality. (In Stereo) (CC)
KSPS ch.6 "When Harry Met Sally" (1989, Romance-Comedy) Billy Crystal. Two Manhattan careerists first hate, then like and eventually love each other over the course of 12 years. (In Stereo) (CC)
9:00 pm FAM ch.26 "The Kid" (2000, Drama) Voices of Edward Asner. Animated. A 10-year-old boy lives a carefree existence. Based on characters created by Gahan Wilson. (In Stereo) (CC)
10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Clear and Present Danger" (1994, Suspense) Harrison Ford. An acting CIA chief learns the president has triggered a war with Colombian drug cartels. (CC)
10:44 pm FAM ch.26 "Snow Dogs" (2002, Comedy) Cuba Gooding Jr. A Miami dentist travels to Alaska to claim his inheritance, a mischievous team of sled dogs. (In Stereo) (CC)

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Sunday Movies

MORNING

8:00 am WTBS ch.3 "Stuck on You" (2003, Comedy) Matt Damon. Conjoined twins go to Hollywood and land a role on a television show starring Cher.
A&E ch.9 "GoodFellas" (1990, Crime Drama) Robert De Niro. In the 1950s an Irish-Italian hoodlum joins the New York Mafia, but his mob career is not what he expected. (CC)
10:00 am WTBS ch.3 "The Forbidden Kingdom" (2008, Action) Jackie Chan. A teenage fan of Hong Kong cinema finds a Chinese relic and travels back in time to help legendary martial-artists free the Monkey King.

AFTERNOON

12:00 pm FAM ch.26 "Inspector Gadget" (1999, Comedy) Matthew Broderick. A beautiful scientist uses gadgets to put a security guard back together after wicked Dr. Claw blows him up. (In Stereo)
1:30 pm FAM ch.26 "16 Wishes" (2010, Comedy) Debby Ryan. The wishes of a teenager magically come true on her 16th birthday. (In Stereo) (CC)

3:00 pm VTV ch.22 "The Man Who Lost Himself" (2005, Docudrama) David James Elliott. Canadian football player Terry Evanshen awakens from a coma with no memory of his life or loved ones. (In Stereo) (CC) (DVS)
4:00 pm YTV ch.18 "The Road to El Dorado" (2000, Musical) Voices of Kevin Kline. Animated. Two Spanish rogues find the fabled city of gold, where the natives proclaim them to be gods. (In Stereo) (CC)
5:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Nick and Norah's Infinite Playlist" (2008, Comedy) Michael Cera. A chance encounter leads to two music lovers setting out together on a quest to find a legendary band's secret show. (CC)
CBC ch.13 "The Wizard of Oz" (1939, Fantasy) Judy Garland. After a tornado whisks Kansas farm girl Dorothy to a magic land, she must travel to the Emerald City for help in getting back home. (In Stereo) (CC)

EVENING

6:00 pm YTV ch.18 "Kung Fu Panda" (2008, Comedy) Voices of Jack Black. Animated. Chosen to

fulfill an ancient prophecy, a clumsy panda must become a martial-arts master and defend his people from a villainous snow leopard. (In Stereo) (CC)
7:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Nick and Norah's Infinite Playlist" (2008, Comedy) Michael Cera. A chance encounter leads to two music lovers setting out together on a quest to find a legendary band's secret show. (CC)
9:00 pm KREM ch.8 "Jesse Stone: Innocents Lost" (2011, Crime Drama) Tom Selleck. Premiere. A reinstated police chief battles his own demons while investigating the death of a teenage girl. (In Stereo) (CC)
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)
10:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Stardust" (2007, Fantasy) Claire Danes. To win the heart of his beloved, a young man ventures into the realm of fairies to retrieve a fallen star.
10:32 pm FAM ch.26 "My Brother The Pig" (2000, Comedy) Scarlett Johansson. When a spell turns an 8-year-old boy into a swine his sister and best friend race to find the cure. (In Stereo) (CC)

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MONDAY, MAY 23, 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	Builder	News (N)	News	The Glades	News	(5:30) Morning News (N)	Crash Test Mommy	CBC News	Being Ian	SportsCentre	Canada AM	Mayday "Lost"	Henry's	CityLine (N)	CSI: NY	Spoiled
7 AM	Cosby		Hi-5	Arthur	Today (N)	The Early Show (N)	Criminal Minds	Good Morning America (N)		The Mom Show	Artzooka	Bayblade	2011 French Open		How/Made	Phineas	The Nate Berkus Show	CSI: Crime Scene	Tooned
8 AM	Cash Cab		Magle Bus	Curious			Dog		100 Huntley Street	Bo On/Go	Super Evil	Tennis: Early Round Coverage		Machines	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 Vi-sion	Super Why!	Timothy	Day 2. From Roland Garros Stadium in Paris. (N)	Live With Regis & Kelly	Canada's Worst Driver	Suite/Deck	Rolo	CSI: Crime Scene	Restaurant Makeover
10 AM	The Investi-gators	World Vi-sion	Mag Fero Spider	Sesame Street (EI)		The Price Is Right (N)	The First 48	The View (N)	World Vi-sion	X-Weighted "Nikki"	Poko	Little Bear		The View (N)	Breaking Point "Bus"	Suite/Deck	EP Daily	CSI: NY	Kitchen Nightmares
11 AM	Forensics Evidence	World Vi-sion	Rolie Polie Berenstain	Sid Sit-Be Fit	Ellen DeGeneres Show	Young & Restless	The Sopra-nos "Boca"	Paid Prog.	World Vi-sion	Debt/Part ET Canada	Gofrette	Babar	Sportfish	Marilyn Denls	Extreme Peril	Suite/Deck	CityLine	CSI: Crime Scene	Kitchen Nightmares
12 PM	Jim King	Noon News Hour (N)	Arthur Dinosaur	Charlie Rose	Paid Prog.	News	The Glades	All My Children (N)	Noon News Hour (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	CBC News	SpongeBob	Boxing: Friday Night Fights	etalk	Mayday	Suite/Deck	General Hospital (N)	Jail	Kitchen Nightmares
1 PM	King Earl	Days of our Lives (N)	Dinosaurs Wibbly Pig	Paint This Sewing	Days of our Lives (N)	The Talk	Criminal Minds	One Life to Live (N)	Days of our Lives (N)	The Doc-tors	Wheel Jeopardy!	SpongeBob		Marilyn Denls	Breakout	Suite/Deck	Jdg Judy	Jail	Kitchen Nightmares
2 PM	Friends	Young & Restless	The Ocean Mr. Moon	Barney WordWorld	Judge B.	Let's Make a Deal (N)	Dog	General Hospital (N)	Young & Restless	End/Leash Debt/Part	Ghost Whisperer	Parents	Off Record	Dr. Phil	Myth-Busters	Suite/Deck	Access Hollywood Live	Jail	Kitchen Nightmares
3 PM	Family Guy	The Doc-tors	Mirabelle WordWorld	WordGirl Electric	The Doc-tors	Dr. Phil	The First 48	Rachael Ray	The Doc-tors	Young & Restless	Recipes Coronation	SpongeBob	SportsCentre (N)	(2:59) The Dr. Oz Show	Worst Handyman	Suite/Deck	CityNews at 6 (N)	Jail	Restaurant Makeover
4 PM	The Office	Oprah Winfrey	Rob Robot G. Shrinks	Fetch! With Wild Kratts	Jdg Judy	Oprah Winfrey	The First 48	Seinfeld	Oprah Winfrey	Early News Global Nat.	NHL Hockey: Conference Final: Teams TBA. (N) (Live)	Parents	Hockey	Ellen DeGeneres Show	To Be An-nounced	Suite/Deck	How I Met Two Men	Auction	Instant
5 PM	Browns	Early News	Dino Dan	News	News (N)	News	Criminal Minds	News	Early News	(4:59) News Hour (N)	Parents	SpongeBob	Wide World of Fights	CTV News at Five (N)	Myth-Busters "Blue Ice"	Suite/Deck	How I Met	Auction	Kitchen Nightmares
6 PM	Law & Order: SVU	Global Nat.	Dogs Parks	PBS News-Hour (N)	News (N)	News	Criminal Minds	News	(5:59) News Hour (N)	ET Canada	iCarly	Big Time	NBA Basketball: Playoffs: Teams TBA. (N Subject to Blackout)	CTV News (N)	Dirty Jobs	Suite/Deck	The Bachelor Twenty-five eligible men arrive.	Auction	Kitchen Nightmares
7 PM	Seinfeld	Ent	Be the Creature	Outnumbr Europe	Jeopardy!	The Dr. Oz Show	Criminal Minds	Ent	Ent	Commer-cials	News	Splatalot	etalk	Worst Handyman	Suite/Deck	News	CSI: Crime Scene	Instant	ET Canada
8 PM	Movie: "Rent" (2005)	House "Moving On"	The History of Scotland	Antiques Roadshow (N)	Minute to Win It (N)	How I Met How I Met	Criminal Minds	Dancing With the Stars	House "Moving On"	House "Moving On"	To Be An-nounced	iCarly	Chris	SportsCentre (N)	Dancing With the Stars	To Be An-nounced	A.N.T.	EP Daily	Tooned
9 PM	Rosario Dawson, Taye Diggs.	The Chicago Code	Harlem in Montmartre	American Experience J. Robert Oppenheimer	The Event "Arrival"	Two Men Mike	(9:01) Criminal Minds	The Bachelor Twenty-five eligible men arrive.	The Chicago Code	The Chicago Code	To Be An-nounced	8 Rules	Indie	Speed	Two Men Mike	Myth-Busters "Blue Ice"	Sonny Overruled!	Work	Parking
10 PM	Movie: "Save the Last Dance"	Commer-cials	Architects of Change	Law & Order: LA	Commer-cials	(10:01) Criminal Minds	(11:01) Criminal Minds	News	News Hour Final (N)	Ent	George S	Prank Ptrl	SportsCentre (N)	CTV News	Dirty Jobs	Ned's Stone	Justice Judge B.	MANswers	Kitchen Nightmares
11 PM	CHBC News Final (N)	Childhood Lost	Charlie Rose (N)	News (N)	News	(11:01) Criminal Minds	News	News Hour Final (N)	ET Canada	Mercer	Prank Ptrl	SportsCentre (N)	CTV News	CTV News	So Raven Life Derek	Paid Prog.	Most Amazing Videos	Kitchen Nightmares	

Monday Movies

EVENING

8:00 pm WTBS ch.3 "Rent" (2005, Musical) Rosario Dawson. Artists, junkies and misfits in New York's East Village struggle with poverty, illness and the AIDS epidemic.

10:30 pm WTBS ch.3 "Save the Last Dance" (2001, Romance) Julia Stiles. A white teenager moves to Chicago after her mother's death and falls for a black student who shares her love of dance. (CC)

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Her service will be held Saturday, May 21st at 1:00 PM in the Tri-Admiral Hall, 506 Lower Ganges Road, Salt Spring Island. Flowers gratefully declined. If desired a donation could be given to the BC Cancer Fund or the Heart and Stroke Fund. Who has seen the wind? Neither you nor I. But when the trees bend down their heads, The wind is passing by.

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Recipe #373

Warm Caprese Salad

Ingredients

- 4 Plum tomato, stem end trimmed, and cut in quarters lengthwise
- 6 cups (1.5 L) Organics Field Greens Salad Mix
- 2 tbsp (25 mL) PC 100% Greek Extra Virgin Olive Oil
- 1 cup (250 mL) Drained mini bocconcini ball
- 1/4 tsp PC Sea Salt Gringer
- 2 tbsp (25 mL) PC Fresh Frozen Chopped - Basil

Instructions

1. Preheat oven to 400°F (200°C).
2. Place quartered tomatoes in 8-inch (2 L) square glass baking dish. Drizzle with 1 tbsp (15 mL) of the oil. Arrange tomatoes skin side down. Roast for 5 minutes. Reduce oven temperature to 300°F (150°C). Roast for 1 hour.
3. In small bowl, stir together remaining 2 tbsp (25 mL) oil and basil. Set aside.
4. Arrange mixed greens on large platter. Place warm tomatoes on top of greens. Scatter with mini bocconcini balls. Drizzle with basil mixture. Sprinkle with sea salt. Serve while warm.

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

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PSS Grade 8 students examined the Middle Ages last week in Social Studies. Sarah Nelson's project looked at castles and their significance during medieval times. Photo: Des Cosman

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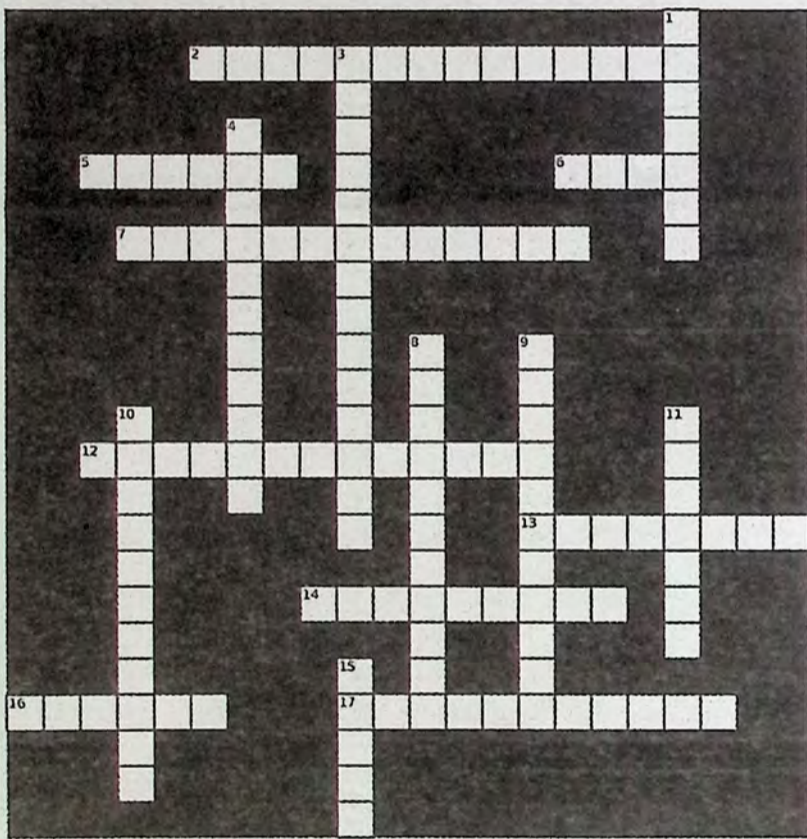
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Use the May 10 News Leader to find Answers Below...



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| <p>Across</p> <p>2 Who won the BC Southern Interior Riding?</p> <p>5 What is the Celebration of Traditions?</p> <p>6 How many cabins are planned for Agur Lake?</p> <p>7 What summer position is School District 58 trying to fill?</p> <p>12 What did the Town of Princeton approve at their May 2nd meeting?</p> <p>13 What Camp is located 20 km west of Summerland?</p> <p>14 Who is playing harmonica in the photo on page 2?</p> <p>16 What is the main ingredient in the recipe on page 18?</p> <p>17 What age does the Caveman Diet come from?</p> | <p>Down</p> <p>1 Name the new store opening soon in Princeton</p> <p>3 What position in KSSC looking for?</p> <p>4 What are they doing in the photo on page 5?</p> <p>8 Who came in second in the BC Southern Interior Riding?</p> <p>9 Who makes the News Leader Puzzler?</p> <p>10 What is the name of the bicycle journey that started in Port Hardy</p> <p>11 CirqueDuSoleil event in Penticton</p> <p>15 Which month was peculiar?</p> |
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My Turn...

Lost In The Translation

I was on the road one day last week and had a conversation that I have thought about many times since.

I was basically promoting the many good things happening in Princeton and mentioned the excitement many appear to have about the new Cooper's Foods store opening this week.

"Well, finally you've got some competition for Overwaitea," was the response.

To say I was a touch amazed that this person was not aware of the fact that it was the same company basically replacing an old building with a bigger, newer one would be an understatement.

And I guess you'd also have to live in Princeton to get that joke.

The fact that this person had no clue that Cooper's and Overwaitea are the same company made me wonder how that could be possible.

But then again, it took me a while to pick up on the fact that Rogers own most of the magazines I read. It makes me wonder why a cable/phone company would buy into the publishing industry until you flip through one of their magazines and discover coupons and ads promoting other Rogers products.

Since I'm in the advertising business I'd have to admit that's pretty good – and no doubt cost effective – cross promotion. It's a lot like what we do here at the News Leader when promoting our stable of websites.

But not knowing Cooper's and Overwaitea are the same company?

They were serious, too.

Which makes it all that much harder for me to understand how someone could miss that.

Of course, now that I've said it someone will come into my office in the next week and try to convince me the same company that owns most of the highway billboards across British Columbia is also into groceries.

Welcome to Princeton, Cooper's Foods!

...Your Turn

Princeton Fairgrounds - Round 2

To The Editor;
P.X.A. - MY TURN TO TELL THINGS - Part 2

On November 16, 2009 I sent the following letter to Princeton Town Council...

ATTENTION: TOWN COUNCIL

We are sending this letter asking that the Town of Princeton consider paving the road known as Laurie Currie Way. This is the road that runs in front of the P.X.A. grounds, starting from where it joins the Princeton-Summerland Road going west to the Merritt Highway or Highway 5A.

We feel that this would be a great advantage for the Town, the P.X.A. user groups, the industrial park and those that live out the Princeton-Summerland Road.

There would be less signage used if this road was paved as the public would not have to come off the Merritt Highway and go up the hill past the dump. There are a lot of people that use this road and sometimes the pot holes in it are something to be desired.

Another advantage is that people would not have to go down the hill past the dump when that road is slippery in the winter time, they would be able to just go straight through to the Merritt Highway on the Laurie Currie Way road and then into town. Also, the school bus would be able to come straight from the road by the airport and onto Laurie Currie Way and then out the Princeton-Summerland Road.

Once the industrial park is up and running it would be a bonus for the vehicles to come in that way also and would be an added feature for people looking to build in the industrial park. The larger trucks would not have to worry about stopping at the bottom of the dump hill waiting for vehicles coming from the mill in order to go up the hill past the dump to the industrial park.

The businesses there would be able to instruct their clients (especially the ones from out of town) that they go up the Merritt Highway till they see the Laurie Currie Way sign and also there could be a large sign at that point

will all the businesses listed on it that are in the industrial park with a small map showing exactly where they are located in the park.

With such a sign there, you are also advertising for the businesses and letting people know that the Town of Princeton is growing and offering more for those wishing to move here or start up a business here. We know that the town sprays this road with a dust deterrent, but when it rains there are sections of this road that look like lakes.

Also, we feel that we would not have the problem of the large rocks on the sides of the road. When we have an event going on at the P.X.A. grounds we need the side of the road closest to the fence in the front free for handicap parking and it is very difficult for people to park there when there are large rocks all over the place.

We are hoping that you will seriously consider this as an added feature to the future of our town and find a place in the 2010 budget for this request. Yours truly, Carol Ruoss - Secretary P.X.A. The following is from the P.X.A. minutes of February 9, 2010.

PAVING LAURIE CURRIE WAY - We sent a letter to the Town requesting the paving of Laurie Currie Way and telling them the advantages that it would be for the industrial park, plus the P.X.A. grounds. We received a letter back in answer to our letter stating that this request has been referred to the 2010 budget. John Bey met with Mayor Randy McLean, Frank Armitage, Stan Thompson and Patrick Robins up at the track and discussed this matter and they seemed to be in full agreement with this suggestion.

Then the following is from the P.X.A. minutes of May 18, 2010. KRAFT COMMUNITY TOUR - Jason Earle, our representative from the town, told us about a new contest where 10 communities will receive a prize of \$25,000.00.

If you go on tsn.ca you can see the details about the contest. Jason also suggested that Carol Ruoss was good at writing articles and maybe she would like to write in for this and Carol told Jason that she is tired of trying to get funding for the P.X.A. grounds when the town doesn't follow the rules pertaining to the contest. She said that after all the hard work we go through it is like a slap in the face when you are turned down. Example is she wrote a letter about having Laurie Currie Way paved from the track to the Merritt Highway and now she hears that the town feels they should look after the streets in town rather than a road outside of town.

As you can see our suggestion was again turned down by the town. What I would like to know is if the town feels that they should look after the streets in town - WHICH TOWN ARE THEY TALKING ABOUT?

When you come out of the Overwaitea parking lot on the south side, which is Billiter Avenue, you have to be careful that you don't lose your tire in the canyon that is on the road NOT THE SIDEWALK!

Then as you drive down Bridge Street you have to maneuver around the holes that are in front of the sporting goods store and then you get to the intersection of Highway 5A and Bridge Street and it feels like you are on a railway track.

Then as you are coming off of Highway 3 west onto Ridgeway Drive right by the new park you will soon be able to see China if the holes get any bigger on the side of the road.

I would like to know from the Town of Princeton, seeing that they didn't want to pave Laurie Currie Way, then what are they going to be paving with whatever money they had put away for this purpose?

- Carol Ruoss, Princeton

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Current Comment

No, Friend, It's Not Lunatic



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My stance on the recent election had an unusual reaction. I told an old friend about my vote going to the Green Party. By his reaction to it, I would say he thought I had joined the lunatic fringe or suddenly dropped into senility. He went on about how nuclear energy is so needed, is clean and efficient, and is safe. It provides thousands of jobs, he said, and these jobs were endangered by people like me who want an end to the whole nuclear industry.

I had an equal reaction to his reaction. I have always thought he is an intelligent, well-read person who would look at facts and draw sensible conclusions. Then I thought maybe some of you, my faithful readers, might be thinking I joined the lunatic fringe, too. I am going to try to persuade you I have not.

The first thing I want to say is this: big corporations that own nuclear power plants are investing in solar and wind energy. Alternative energy companies are expanding, providing increasing numbers of jobs. These alternative energy companies can find financial backing and can get insurance, which nuclear power plants cannot do these days. Without government financing and assurances of coming to aid if there is an accident, these nuclear power plants could not operate. It is too bad the government does not get a bigger share of the profits.

I will deal with another aspect of nuclear power: it is not efficient. To determine efficiency, you have to figure in the initial cost of building the facility that produces the power. Nuclear energy costs 15 cents per kilowatt hour just to build. It is the most expensive way to create electricity. Albert Einstein commented, "It's a hell of a way to boil water." Essentially,

that is what nuclear power facilities do: they get electricity from boiling water, using uranium as the fuel. Wind energy and solar energy sources pay nothing for the fuel: wind and sun are free. Natural gas and coal facilities pay much less for fuel, and do not have the very expensive transportation costs of moving radioactive fuel rods. Hydroelectric dams are costly to build, but cheaper than nuclear power plants, and the water is free. There is an added charge to all electrical power facilities for transmission of electricity, but none of them have to charge customers extra for waste disposal. Every customer using nuclear power electricity pays an extra charge per Kwh to cover the cost of nuclear waste disposal. How efficient is that?

The nuclear power industry is great at "spin". Spin is the word used in advertising to convince you of something that you really do not believe. Spin is the teaspoon of sugar that helps the bad-tasting medicine go down. The nuclear power industry has used spin to assure us nuclear power is 'clean'. Even if you do not count how dirty nuclear waste is, think about the carbon dioxide emissions. Bet you didn't know nuclear power plants emit carbon dioxide, did you? Environment groups get all excited about the thought of a natural gas or coal-fired power plant being build because of all of the emissions of carbon dioxide. Well, think about this: a nuclear power plant operator in the USA recently promised to reduce emissions in one power plant by two million metric tonnes a year of carbon dioxide. If that is the reduction, what might the total emission be?

Now, I come to "safe". The nuclear industry is forever assuring us they have a good safety record. I looked up civilian nuclear accidents and found a list of 25 official accidents, ranging from meltdown as in Three Mile

Island to hydrogen explosions as in Chalk River, to burning fuel rods, to pipes leaking contaminated water. While we are dealing with this, one of the "accidents" was at a plant in Japan in 1999, when an operator error caused an uncontrolled reaction. This accident was covered up by the plant owner and was not reported until 2007, with no details available.

Add to this list the 34 American nuclear power plants that have been shut down due to partial meltdown, due to high cost of retrofitting for earthquakes, or the high cost of replacing defective or worn out equipment. Others were shut down because it was not economic to keep operating. Some were shut down with no explanation given. Remember, this is just the United States. Every shut down plant is another contaminated site that must be guarded, year after year. How safe is that?

In addition to the list above, count in 63 military nuclear accidents, which include worldwide statistics of known accidents ranging from improper handling of radioactive materials, leakages of radioactive materials being moved from place to place, and reactor meltdowns on a couple of nuclear submarines and ships.

The list is not finished, and keep in mind I am giving you only the "official" list, which is only those reported or detected. Now we come to military weapons accidents. These total 233, ranging from accidental or inadvertent detonation of nuclear weapons and mishandling of radioactive materials (all this information is available on the net).

While on the topic of military nuclear accidents, I should mention the 30 independent scientists who compiled a report for the European Committee on Radiation Risk. Their report stated radiation fallout from weapons had caused, or would cause, 65 million deaths worldwide. Gee, continued on Page 22

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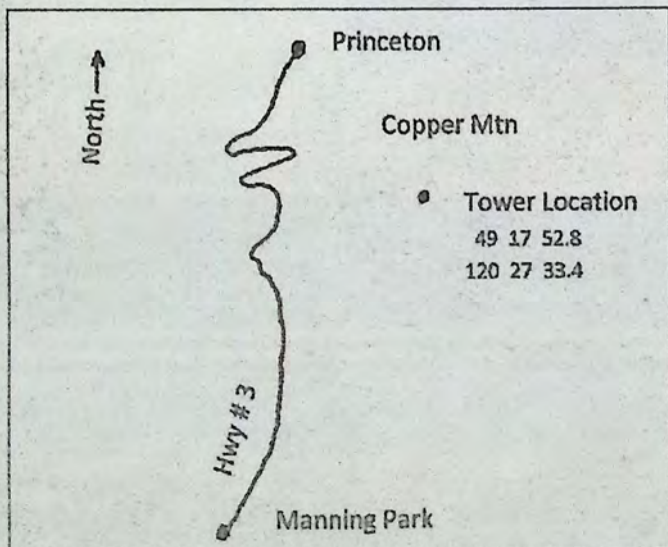
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Justeen McIntosh looked at entertainment in her Socials 8 project. Photo: Des Cosman

Hedley hosts annual Stamp Mill Day

Did you ever live in Hedley? Welcome back!

This year, Hedley's Stamp Mill Day will honour our old timers and former residents and offer friends and visitors a full day of small-town fun. The celebration will be held May 21st.

Hedley OAP starts the day with a pancake breakfast. The Museum offers beef-on-a-bun for lunch, and the Community Club ends the day with a chicken barbecue in the park.

The Museum offers an old-timers' room where we hope people will rest, visit, share memories and show off photos and other keepsakes. The yard will have live music by The Seniors, and gold panning practice with a bit of real gold for a small charge.

Guided bus tours to the Stamp Mill ruins on the mountainside at 10:30 and 11:30 AM and a 2:30 PM walking tour of Old Hedley will be free and will leave from the Museum.

Hedley Community Club will welcome people to Woodlie Park in Hedley's centre for a free afternoon of live entertainment, games, and a pie eating contest at 3:00 PM, followed- not too closely- by the barbecue.

What's new?

The Similkameen Band's Snaza'ist

Centre re-opens for the season with a beautifully expanded gallery. The Mascot tours are delayed by snow pack on the mountain, so they are providing their bus to take people up to the Stamp Mill. This is a deceptively long walk that not many people make.

The Snaza'ist Archeology Program, a one hour combination of talk, film and guided tour for all ages, will be available on demand.

There is a \$5 single charge or family rate.

The new Hedley Inn and Hostel will hold an open house.

Old St. John's Church has been locked for many years, and will be opened to host the annual Silent Auction, a fundraiser for the Museum. Take home a church pew! This year's auction featured item is a set of six massive, 10' long fir church pews. -submitted

Current Comment

..... continued from Page 21 we thought the Nazis were evil when they killed six million Jews and a couple more million soldiers and civilians!

Finally, we come to the most modern contamination reports, not counting Fukushima. NATO soldiers in Bosnia were exposed to depleted uranium (nuclear waste from nuclear power plants) used in the manufacture of artillery shells of various kinds, but especially those missiles fired from aircraft. Although the American military was hesitant to admit it, when these weapons exploded, particles of depleted uranium were inhaled by soldiers and civilians. This same

weaponry was used in the Gulf War. Independent medical results indicate the fallout was 778 times the allowable limit. The depleted uranium particles could remain in the lungs for 10 to 20 years. Between 1,500 and 10,500 British veterans are expected to develop cancer from this exposure. I could find no figures for American veterans, but I did find out that in Kuwait, where these depleted uranium weapons were used in the Gulf War, radiation levels are still higher than in Baghdad and the radioactive particles still hover in the air when the wind blows over the old Desert Storm battlefield.

As an aside, isn't it interesting that General Electric, one of the big players in the nuclear power industry, is also a big weapons manufacturer? Do you suppose they found a cheap way to get rid of some of the nuclear waste?

Now, I ask you, am I crazy for taking a stand to get rid of the nuclear industry?

HEDLEY STAMP MILL DAY AND OLD TIMERS GET TOGETHER Saturday, May 21st

Welcome to former residents! - Events marked F are Free!

- OAP Hall: Miners' Pancake Breakfast 8:00 - 10:00 AM
- Museum: Old Timers' Day: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- F Old Timers' Lounge with coffee, tea, etc- a place to meet, chat and relax. All day. Bring souvenirs, photos, and stories to share with friends and museum volunteers.
- F Bus tours to stamp mill foundations leave from the museum 10:30 and 11:30 AM
- Roast Beef Barbecue 12 Noon - 2:00 PM Music by The Seniors
- F Guided walking tour of old Hedley - 2:30 PM
- F+ Gold panning practice - Pokes with a bit of real gold for sale
- St. John's Church: Silent Auction 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Amazing collectables.
- Woodlie Park: Hedley Community Club activities
- F Fun and games - 2:00 PM - F Pie eating contest - 3:00 PM
- F Entertainment Bring something to sit on.
- Barbecue chicken dinner - 4:00 - 5:00 PM
- Hedley Inn: Open House
- Snaza'ist Centre: Open 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM by donation
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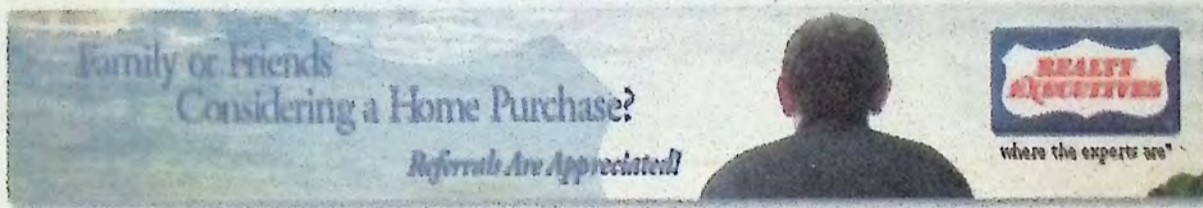
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