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THIS WEEK

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A Weekly Feature of the Gulf Islands Driftwood

## Famous love story on outside stage

By DAWN HAGE

The stage is complete, flags and banners flutter in the breeze, rehearsals are long and intense, and excitement is everywhere as the cast and crew of Romeo and Juliet close in on the last days before opening night on July 20.

As director Scott Hylands rehearses his cast in the meadow at Mouat Park, the image of experience and youth working together to mold and shape the words to perfection exemplifies the spirit and passion apparent everywhere in the making of this play.

"You convey the thought first," he admonishes. "The fact that it just happens to be poetry will follow."

Rehearsal continues and the words shine like polished gems. Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet is full of contrasts, with the beauty and passion of the love story set against the brutality of an ages long feud and a city teeming with violence and danger. With the modern touch of a mafioso setting, the fighting and street scenes needed to be authentic.

Several cast members received coaching in the art of staged fighting from renowned expert Jeffrey Renn. A colleague of Hylands, Renn's lengthy resume includes direction of six productions of Romeo and Juliet. Under his tutelage, action will be intense and realistic, with real bayonets dulled down for safety.

"It's a lot like street fighting," said actor Adam Underwood, a former islander and GISS grad who plays Mercutio. "The fighting is very raw and makes that aspect of the play more vicious."

Although a few scratches and missed punches into trees will be reminders of the learning experience, the first rule for Renn was safety for the actors.

"We are creating the illusion of violence for the audience," said Underwood. "We must be in control of ourselves at all times. If we cross the line, the audience will sense the energy, feel nervous themselves, and be drawn out of the story."

These more intense scenes are balanced by the beauty and innocence of Romeo and Juliet, who re-enact perhaps the most famous love story ever written. Romeo is played by Victoria actor Ryan Hesp, who looks the part, dark and handsome with soulful eyes and an engaging manner. Juliet is played by Pandora Morgan, and the grade 12 GISS student is also perfectly cast, with her willowy youthfulness and passion for the stage.

They both feel that the modernized production of Shakespeare is perfect and "more to the point."

"Shakespeare is so timeless," said Hesp "it's unnecessary to go back to the Elizabethan setting to perform it."

Although mosquitoes and cold have created a few challenges, Morgan really enjoys the outdoor setting.

"The biggest challenge is projecting the voice outside," she said as Hesp nodded agreement. "There is this big open space and you have to work really hard to send your voice out to the back."

The chemistry sparkles between the two thespians and both agree about their favourite scenes.

"The balcony scene is pretty fun," said Morgan.

"And the dance," adds Hesp.

Cast and crew have been working down to dusk for the last two and a half weeks to pull the show together. In addition to fine dramatic acting, fights and comic scenes, audiences will also see some great choreography, created by Sue Newman, and the play will be accompanied by a quartet of musicians led by Monik Nordine, providing the finishing touches to what promises to be an exciting, moving and not to be missed theatrical event.

Performances are July 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, and August 3, 4, 5. All performances begin at 7 p.m. Tickets are available at the ArtSpring box office until 4:30 p.m. and from 6 - 7 p.m. at the gate before every performance.



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# What's On This Week

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<b>live entertainment</b> Bienvenue, Les Batineses. Traditional Quebec folk music. ArtSpring, 8 p.m. Daryl Chonka. West coast world folk music at Tree House Cafe. Oka: Soul Shakedown. Australian trio at Fulford Hall. SOLID benefit dance. \$15. 8 p.m. Open Mic Night. Moby's. 9 p.m.	<b>live entertainment</b> Billie Woods. Samba, bossa nova & more at the Tree House Cafe. Matt and Tom's One Night Stand. Shipstones. 9 p.m. Romeo & Juliet. Graffiti Theatre modern, shorter production in Mouat Park, 7 p.m. Tickets at gate & ArtSpring ( <a href="http://www.artspring.ca">www.artspring.ca</a> ). <b>other activities</b> Mixed Media Kinderkraft. Fables Cottage. Ages 3 - 6. 11 a.m. - noon. Accordions Books. Fables Cottage. 1 - 2 p.m. Artist in Action. Salt Spring Winery hosts Artist in Action. 2 - 4 p.m. African Drumming. Group class with Laurent Boucher. Drop-in Thursdays at United Church, 5-6:30 p.m. Pharmasave Walking Club. Leaves from downtown Pharmasave Thursdays, 9:15 a.m. Vancouver World Peace Forum Report Session with Marion Pape. All welcome. 4 p.m. Info: 537-4567. Core Inn Games Night. Computer, board and role-playing games for youth, 6-9 p.m.	<b>live entertainment</b> Creaking Tree String Quartet. Kickin' pickin' & bowin' acoustic roots band. Part of Sizzling Summer Nights at ArtSpring. <a href="http://www.artspring.ca">www.artspring.ca</a> . Soul Shakedown. Rockin' soul & blues at Tree House Cafe. Timothy Johns with Laughlin Meagher. Barb's Buns. 9 - midnight. Red Shag Carpet. Piano-pop, folk and punk. Live at Moby's. Romeo & Juliet. Graffiti Theatre modern, shorter production in Mouat Park, 7 p.m. Tickets at gate & ArtSpring ( <a href="http://www.artspring.ca">www.artspring.ca</a> ). <b>other activities</b> Hemp Bracelet. Fables Cottage. 1-2 p.m. Kinderkraft Crows Fables Cottage. 11 a.m. - noon. Industry Day. Salt Spring Winery hosts Industry Day with all wines open. Extreme Reading Club. Mary Hawkins Library reading club for ages 5-12 with special guests. 2 p.m.	<b>other activities</b> Leah Stein Dance Company Workshop. Four week dance workshop at The Barn. Info: 537-4678. Extreme Creepy Crawlies. Meet live insects & spiders and their keeper, Jay Patterson. Library, 2 p.m. Core Inn Youth Lounge. Drug and alcohol free youth night club. Live DJ, hip hop, mocktails and more. Doors open at 7 p.m.	<b>other activities</b> Magical Drawings with Sayer Roberts. Fables Cottage. Ages 6+. 1-2 p.m. <b>sun. july 23</b> <b>live entertainment</b> Salt Spring Jazz Fest. Hot Club of Mars, Bob Murphy with Pat Coleman Quartet and more at various island venues. Info: <a href="mailto:Monik--saxgirl@gmail.com">Monik--saxgirl@gmail.com</a> . Alan Moberg. West coast balladeer at Tree House Cafe. "Amazing." Fiddleworks Instructors Showcase Concert. ArtSpring 8 p.m. <b>other activities</b> Picnic Day at Winery. Salt Spring Winery offers picnic supplies. Cheese, pate, smoked oysters and more. Intro to Watercolour. Fables Cottage. All ages. 1-2 p.m.	<b>live entertainment</b> Salt Spring Jazz Fest. Hot Club of Mars, Bob Murphy with Pat Coleman Quartet and more at various island venues. Info: <a href="mailto:Monik--saxgirl@gmail.com">Monik--saxgirl@gmail.com</a> . Synergy. Funky, folksy & fun at Tree House Cafe. <b>other activities</b> Kinderkraft Moving Pictures. Fables Cottage. 11 a.m. - noon. Driftwood Decoupage. Fables Cottage. 1-2 p.m. Eckhart Tolle Practising Presence Group. 7:30 p.m. Drop in. Info: Amrita, 537-2799. Gabrielle Roth's Five Rhythms Meditation. By donation. 5:30 p.m. Details: 537-4837 Tango Classes. Beginner to Advanced. Lions Hall. 7:30 p.m. Fiddleworks Fiddle Camp. An annual favourite for fiddle-players from near and far. On Salt Spring Island. Info: <a href="mailto:jaimet.com">jaimet.com</a> Summer Ecological Exploration Program. Life in the Intertidal Zone. July 24-28 outdoor camp for kids aged 6-10. Info/registration: <a href="http://www.gicel.ca">www.gicel.ca</a> .	<b>live entertainment</b> Salt Spring Jazz Fest. Hot Club of Mars, Bob Murphy with Pat Coleman Quartet and more at various island venues. Info: <a href="mailto:Monik--saxgirl@gmail.com">Monik--saxgirl@gmail.com</a> . <b>other activities</b> Build a Wooden Trimaran. Fables Cottage. 1-2 p.m. Music with Monik. Fables Cottage. 11 a.m. - noon. Chess Club. Tuesdays at Seniors for Seniors Centre. All ages welcome. 7 p.m. Tango Tease. Dance exercise class for women only at North End Fitness. No rubber soles. 6:45-7:45 p.m. Extended Vineyard and Winery Tours. Salt Spring Winery offers extended vineyard and winery tours. Meet at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. SS Local Trust Committee. Meets at ArtSpring. 1 pm "Girls Talk Night." Core Inn. Discussion group for girls ages 12-15. Free pizza. Second floor. 5-6:30 p.m. Fiddleworks Fiddle Camp. An annual favourite for fiddle-players from near and far. On Salt Spring Island. Info: <a href="mailto:jaimet.com">jaimet.com</a> Dahlia Growers Workshop. 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Info: 537-8464.

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### cable TV

The SSTV community broadcast begins at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, July 25 and repeats continuously for 24 hours.

1896 - The Salt Spring Centre School's play that celebrates the 1896 first fall fair on Salt Spring. The Centre School students play the parts of students at the Divide School, newly created in 1896, and, like the Centre School, situated on Blackburn Road. The play includes singing and dancing and a plot that brings to life memorable island characters as it re-enacts moments from the past based on actual people and events.

History of the Burgoyne/Fulford Churches - A Salt Spring Historical Society presentation honouring the spiritual traditions of three churches in the Burgoyne/Fulford valley. Part one of the program features talks by Chris Arnett, Emily Hepburn, Terry Manuck, Bev Cartwright and Sharon Hawk, who recall the origins and histories of St. Paul's Catholic, St. Mary's Anglican and the Burgoyne United churches. Included is a visual presentation of rare photographs assembled by Frank Neumann from the Salt Spring Archives. Part two is a walking tour of each south end church put to music, revealing the scenic qualities of each structure, the old graveyards and connections to the past that make them significant landmarks worthy of preservation. Produced by Peter Prince.

### exhibitions

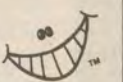
- **Secret City:** Uta Nagel - Photography exhibition. July 18-23 ArtSpring.
- **25N3A71TU3R10E:** Asha Robertson Exhibition at Nicola Whetton Studio Gallery. July 15-30.
- **Views from Saturna:** David Reid Sale and Exhibition at Thunderbird Gallery. July 14-23.
- **S.S. Basketry Guild:** ArtCraft Showcase at Mahon Hall. July 21-Aug. 2. Opening reception July 21 7-9 p.m.
- **Homage:** Karen Reiss sculpture and wall art show at ArtSpring. July 24-29. Opening reception July 24 7-9 p.m.
- **50/50:** Susan Haigh floral paintings show at ArtSpring. 50% of purchase price goes to SSI Conservancy or SOLID. July 24-29. Opening reception July 24 7-9 p.m.
- **The Journey Continues:** Eighth annual art show for Val Konig and students at ArtSpring. Watercolours and acrylics. July 20 - 22. Opening reception July 20 6 - 8:30 p.m.
- **Plates Plus** is a Salt Spring Potters Guild show of plates, platters and two-dimensional ceramics in the windows of Mark's Work Warehouse, July 1-31.
- **Water and Light:** Mixed media paintings by Teresa Gaye Hitch at Moby's. Running until mid August.

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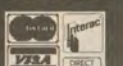
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**WOVEN WONDERS:** The basketry of Lorna Cammaert is among the artwork that will be displayed at Art-Craft, beginning this Friday and running for two weeks.

## Baskets featured at ArtCraft showcase

The baskets of the Salt Spring Basketry Guild will be the focus of an upcoming Artcraft Showcase.

Opening on Friday, July 21, the show runs for two weeks in the Mahon Hall venue.

Featuring traditional and contemporary baskets, wall pieces and more, the show will feature artists Joan Carrigan, Lorna Cammaert, Melanie Thompson, Elna Gravelle, Judy Goodman, Susan Brown and Donna Cochran, plus work from newcomers Harry Warner, Heather Martin-McNabb, Ida Marie Threadkell, Kelly Wilson, Rae Hunter and Mariana Holbrook.

In addition, notes a press release, Fibre artist Gillian Smith will also present her new series of art quilts, providing a harmonious blending of texture and colour as an added enhancement.

Formed in 1997, the S.S. Basketry Guild now boasts over 70 active members.

"This is the guild's eighth annual Showcase and it promises to create a shimmer of excitement in the craft community," says press material.

Opening reception takes place at Mahon Hall on Friday, July 21 from 7-9 p.m. with refreshments and entertainment by Peter Prince.

## Chamber music concert inspires

By **DAWN HAGE**  
Driftwood Contributor

My expectations were high as I entered the mostly full theatre at ArtSpring, clutching my program and three complimentary prints by artist Randy Parker, gifts from sponsor Pegasus Gallery.

As I studied the Happy Birthday, Amadeus program I noted that the first half consisted of two wildly disparate works for the string quartet by Mozart and Shostakovich.

Quartet members — violinists Kai Gleusteen, Hiroko Kagawa, violist David Visentin and cellist Paula Kiffner — are all accomplished musicians and soloists.

Visentin, the Associate Dean of the Glen Gould School at the Royal Conservatory of Music (RCM) in Toronto and wife Kagawa, a Toronto freelance musician and RCM instructor, were performers in the first ArtSpring Festival of the Arts and have returned every summer for the last seven years. Originally from Calgary, Gleusteen is concertmaster of the Orchestre del Gran Teatre del Liceu in Barcelona and soloist Kiffner lives on Salt Spring and instructs at the Victoria Conservatory of Music.

The ensemble began the "Hunt" Quartet by Mozart, written in 1884, and described by Visentin as "an inspired, sunny, humorous and altogether exquisite four-movement work. . . ." It was indeed a delight from beginning to end with the luscious sound of the combined strings managing a phenomenal blend at all times, with every note in every voice clearly present. It was a demonstration of ensemble playing of the highest order. Alive and light, the tone of Gleusteen's 1781 Guadagnini violin is exceptionally fluid.

In the Menuetto and Trio, a simple two note cadence in the cello managed to be breathtakingly perfect. Trading of a motif between Kiff-

ner and Gleusteen in the Adagio was seamless as their rich tones melted together and a light and quick Allegro assai finished the work, with the individual virtuosity of every player apparent in the lush harmonies balanced against flying runs and a breathtaking rush to the finish.

The Shostakovich Quartet No.8 was described by Visentin as "a profoundly moving, ironic and stark work . . . revealing a great artist tortured by life and the conditions of living in the repressive Soviet regime." The five movement, 22 minute work was both draining and exhilarating as the intensity of the slower Largo movements (three in total), contrasted with the raw abandon of the Allegro molto and Allegretto.

Shostakovich has certain compositional qualities that make his music unique and with slashing, primitive chords juxtaposed against a single, haunting note and long, soulful melodies, he manages to communicate the pain, suffering and ultimate redemption of humanity. In the final notes of the work a dissonance grated, lingered and finally gave way to a unison note across the quartet, fading away to nothing. The silence in the hall went on and on...we were together, musicians and audience, in a bubble of shared emotion, creating the longest moment of silence at the end of a work that I have ever experienced.

After intermission the ensemble expanded to include pianist Catherine Ordroneau, who performs extensively as a soloist throughout Europe and North America and in a violin/piano duo with husband Gleusteen.

The Piano Concerto # 1 was originally composed for string quartet and piano by Chopin, who performed this intimate work in the parlors of friends. The musicians chose to create a salon

atmosphere on stage by performing standing (except for cellist Kiffner), encircling Ordroneau and creating a sense of quintet.

The three movement work showcased the solo piano, quartet, and full ensemble in a sparkling and lyrical performance. Ordroneau coaxed sounds out of the ArtSpring Steinway that I have never heard before. Her technique is astoundingly fluid and flawless. The balance between piano and quartet was superb, with the soloist allowed to gently take the dynamic and melodic reins. At times I heard the voices of an orchestra in the lush tutti passages, a horn fifth here, a clarinet line there. It was the perfect intonation of the strings that created harmonics that led to

those phantom qualities of sound.

Every note that Ordroneau played was perfectly placed and exquisite. The diminuendos of all in the ensemble were astonishing...impossibly quiet, never losing control and always in tune. Playful, yet restrained, the piece flowed with lush melodies, virtuosic technique and an ever changing palette of musical colours. A standing ovation and three curtain calls conveyed the delight of the Salt Spring audience and we can only hope that this anniversary performance will lead to the eighth annual appearance at the Festival of the Arts next summer. I know I'll be there.

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**LIGHTING THE WAY:** Kara MacKay looks through her lantern-in-the-making as she attends a workshop in Mouat Park. Numerous people turned out to make lanterns for the upcoming performance of Romeo and Juliet.

Photo by Derrick Lundy

## Festival sizzles with Diallo music

Considered "one of the hottest acts on the current world music scene," singer-guitarist Alpha Yaya Diallo takes the ArtSpring stage next Wednesday night as part of the art centre's Sizzling Summer Nights Festival.

Diallo and his band Bafing promise an exciting evening of both traditional and contemporary music with roots from Guinea, West Africa.

Now based in Vancouver, Diallo writes his own com-

positions and sings with a "supple and beautifully modulated voice," states a press release.

"A uniquely multi-talented artist, Diallo's dexterous acoustic and electric guitar playing with its fluid melodic lines and compelling grooves, places him in the front ranks of African axe men.

"In addition, he is a skilled performer on a variety of percussion instruments, including the balafon (traditional wooden xylophone).

"By successfully uniting the traditional and the contemporary, Diallo has carved a niche for himself beside such West African luminaries as Salif Keita, Baaba Maal, Youssou N'Dour, and Ismael Lo."

Diallo has toured extensively in recent years, crisscrossing Canada and the U.S., and has garnered rave reviews, such as the following from Chris Rubin of Rhythm magazine:

"...whether in lead or ginger picking style, for his musical creativity as well as his expressive voice, Diallo ranks easily as among the most exciting and appealing African artists to ever hit the United States."

Sponsored by Pegasus Gallery, the performance takes place at ArtSpring on July 26 at 8 p.m.

Tickets are available at ArtSpring or phone 537-2102 or e-mail [tickets@art-spring.ca](mailto:tickets@art-spring.ca) to reserve a seat. Tickets cost \$19 for adults and \$8 for students.

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# Haigh to donate 50 % of art sales

Artist Susan Haigh has decided to turn her 50th birthday celebration into a windfall for local non-profit groups as she donates 50 per cent of the purchase price of her paintings at a special ArtSpring show from July 24-29.

The funds will be donated to either the Salt Spring Island Conservancy, which protects local land through stewardship and acquisition, or the Salt Spring Organisation for Life Improvement and Development (SOLID), which assists HIV-AIDS affected families in Africa.

Titled 50/50, the exhibition will be a special showing of Haigh's vibrant floral paintings. She decided to donate the funds out of a concern for the many "man made crises in the world."

"Like many artists, Susan Haigh often struggles to justify her seemingly frivolous art-making while wanting to make a positive contribution to our ailing world," notes a press release.

"One of her goals is to increase appreciation of nature by painting some of nature's ingenious creations in a way that catches the attention of people who are often too busy to notice the details of plant life."

The Salt Spring Conservancy's efforts to educate the public about the wonders of the island's natural environment and protect some of Salt Spring's special places from development are projects that strike a chord with this island born artist, continues the press material.

"Haigh [also] appreciates SOLID's mandate to assist HIV-AIDS affected families by delivering funds directly to the people in need, supporting sustainable community led projects that address health and education and promote economic self-reliance."

Known for her innovative exhibits, last year's Florabundance show was a hit when, with the assistance of The Plant Farm, she brought a garden into the Artspring Gallery.

Haigh will be exhibiting new and recent work at the show, which runs from July 24-29 at the Bateman Gallery in ArtSpring.

Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, the opening reception takes place from 7-9 p.m. July 24. A selection of Haigh's paintings can be viewed at [www.susanhaigh.com](http://www.susanhaigh.com).



**MUSIC TO THE MAX:** Paul Johnson and Lisa Maxx create a dynamic sound as they perform at the Tree House Café's open stage. Photo by Derrick Lundy

## Garcia b-day noted at Barb's Bistro bash

Barb's Bakery and Bistro will rock with the sounds of the Gratefully Deicated on Thursday, July 27 from 9 p.m. to midnight.

The band features musicians Lucky Budd, Chris Van Sickle, Marc Jenkins, Brent Norman, Pharis Patenaude and David Burke.

"Come and celebrate Jerry Garcia's birthday by boogying down with two sets of the Grateful Dead's music," says a press release.

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## Alpha Yaya Diallo



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### Also Coming to ArtSpring

**The Joy of Jazz** • Guitarist Pat Coleman, pianist/drummer Misha Piatagorsky and bassist Neil Swainson offer an intimate evening of jazz standards. **Fri, July 28 (8 pm)**

**Italiano Cabaret** • Performing the best of Italy's pop music from the past three decades, the Simona Colonna Trio surprises and delights. **Sat, Aug 5 (8 pm)**

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## Leah Stein and company back for dance workshop

Dancers, musicians and islanders interested in the creative process of dance making on location will want to participate in an innovative workshop put on by the Leah Stein Dance Company.

Beginning on July 21, the workshop runs for four weeks and takes place at Stowel Lake Farm. Musician Anastacia Wilde will provide live sound for the event.

"Dancing on site is more than a 'frolic in the meadow' for artistic director, choreographer, dancer and teacher Leah Stein," notes a press release.

"With more than 17 years experience as a performing

artist, Stein has developed a highly-tuned, collaborative approach to creating dances that emphasizes a rich creative process.

"Stein's dances are developed in relationship to physical surroundings. She draws out a special connection that allows all the elements of sound, movement, and environment to become orchestrated into a one-of-a-kind performance event. Stein enjoys highlighting individuality in the process."

"I am a believer in the notion that 'the dancer is the dance,'" says Stein. "I love the process of making work and find that the more the

performers contribute, the better."

The workshop is a return engagement for the Leah Stein Dance Company which performed Terraces at ArtSpring in 2001 as part of the Festival of the Arts series.

The dance workshop runs from July 21 to August 20 and participants meet three times a week, beginning at 6 p.m. on Friday, July 20. Taking place at the Barn on Stowel Lake Farm, the first session is open to the public and costs \$20.

For more information and to register call 537-4678 or visit [www.leahsteindance.org](http://www.leahsteindance.org).

## String quartet promises eclectic ArtSpring concert

The Creaking Tree String Quartet will get toes tapping at ArtSpring as it brings "bluegrass jazz with a Gypsy twist" this Friday, as part of the Sizzling Summer Nights series.

"Tight and polished as it is improvisational and exuberant, the music of the Creaking Tree String Quartet crackles with imaginative, high-spirited instrumental interplay," says a press release.

"Four adroit players, 21 strings and a rich repertoire of imaginative instrumentals add up to one heady aural experience for those fortunate enough to see this

Toronto-based quartet in concert.

"Composers all, fiddler John Showman, bassist Brian Kobayakawa, mandolin wizard Andrew Collins and guitarist Brad Keller create energetic arrangements with vibrant textures, subtle nuances and rhythmic adventure."

"It's fun trying to even listen as fast as Keller can flat pick. Showman fiddles audiences down a garden path then turns it inside out. Collins matches him note for note, as well as combining into a solid rhythm sec-

tion with Kobayakawa's bass playing."

Audiences can expect an "innovative and invigorating crossover of folk and world music with classical roots." The quartet will also showcase country, rock, Arabic, flamenco and chamber music in the eclectic performance.

Sponsored by Pegasus Gallery, the Creaking Tree String Quartet performs July 21 at 8 p.m. Tickets are available at ArtSpring, phone 537-2102 or e-mail [tickets@artspring.ca](mailto:tickets@artspring.ca) to reserve tickets priced \$19 for adults and \$8 for students.

## High Mountain Honey at M&M

Music and Munch features newly formed band High Mountain Honey on Wednesday, July 26 at the popular noon hour concert series.

The music is Celtic in style, with spirited jigs and reels from Scotland and Ireland, contemporary folk music and original compositions.

Band members Bob MacIvor, Jonathan Grant and Michael Aronoff are all former members of Triskele. MacIvor sings and plays guitar, fiddle, bouzouki and bodhran. Grant plays guitar, (a 1956 Gibson) banjo and sings lead in the band.

He also contributes original material to their repertoire.

Aronoff sings bass, plays guitar and provides percussion with congas, bodhran, mandolin and mandocello.

Inspiration and favourite singers of band members include Martin Hayes (fiddle), Stan Rogers, Gordon Lightfoot, Bob Dylan and hauntingly beautiful Celtic ballads described by Grant as "exquisite melancholy."

The free concert begins at 12:10 p.m. in All Saints by the Sea and is followed by an optional lunch for \$5.50.

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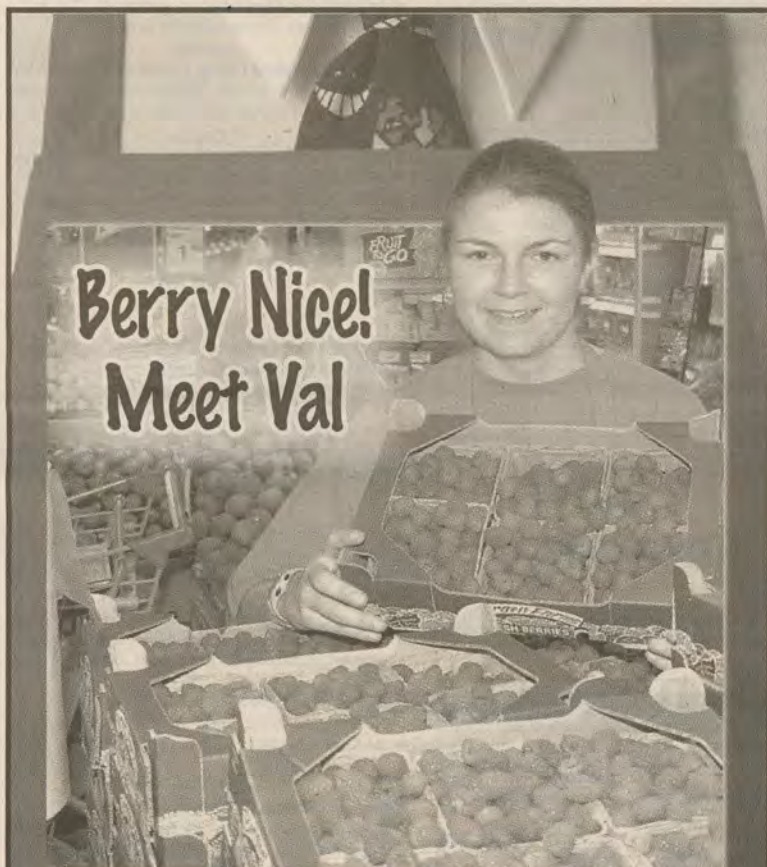
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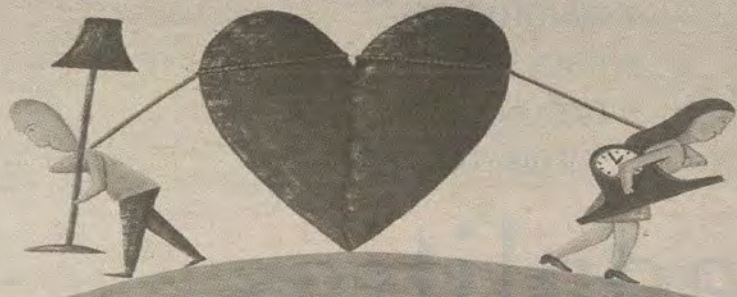
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## resources

If you are having problems in your relationship or are going through a divorce, there are a number of resources available here on the island or close by.

- Salt Spring Island Community Services offers a variety of services free of charge. They can be reached by calling 537-9971.
- Saltspring Women Opposed to Violence and Abuse acts as a referral service and has a library of relevant texts. Call 537-1336.
- Transition House provides a safe house for women and families that are fleeing an abusive relationship and also has a violence and abuse help line. Call 537-0735 or 1-877-435-7544.
- The Victoria Separation and Divorce Resource Centre provides counselling, support, information and a referral service for people of all ages. It can be reached at (250) 386-4331.
- The Ministry of Attorney General's Family Justice Site is designed specifically for use by families going through a separation or divorce and is extremely user-friendly. Go to [www.ag.gov.bc.ca/family-justice](http://www.ag.gov.bc.ca/family-justice). The nearest Family Justice Centre is in Victoria and can be reached by calling (250) 952-4111.
- Legal Services Society has a ton of resources and information booklets available and provides legal aid for those who qualify. Check out their website at [www.lss.bc.ca](http://www.lss.bc.ca) or call them at their Victoria branch at (250) 388-4664.



## Divorce on the Island

by stacy cardigan smith

**When family counsellor Sharon Bronstein first began practicing, she thought all relationships could be saved.**

But after 25 years of counselling, she has changed her mind:

"I don't think divorce is always a bad thing. It is necessary at some times."

She now compares relationships to fire: "Sometimes, when you have the embers, you can get it going again. But sometimes, it's just too late."

But that's not because she's jaded; it's just the opposite, in fact.

Bronstein has learned it is the willingness of the couple that has everything to do with whether a relationship can be saved.

"A big part of it is the will," said Bronstein.

There are a number of issues that can cause a relationship to fizzle.

"I would say lack of a deep connection and common values," said Bronstein.

She also said a lack of communication skills plays a role.

"If you've had a childhood where you, for one reason or another, haven't learned healthy communication [your relationship has a greater chance of failing]."

Judith Boel is another counsellor on the island. She agrees communication skills are important in a relationship.

"Unless you've actually had experience talking through conflict, you won't be able to deal with it."

Boel believes SWOVA's Respectful Relationships program is helping young people build the necessary foundation for good relationships.

Respectful Relationships teaches high school students skills that are relevant for all relationships, including communication and problem solving, and how to set and respect boundaries, said SWOVA's executive director Lynda Laushway.

"It gives young people the skills that are required to maintain healthy long-term relationships," said Laushway.

A good relationship also requires a feeling of safety and the ability to show ones vulnerability, said Bronstein.

Confidence and self-esteem also come into play: "It's hard to feel good about yourself when your intimate partner doesn't like you," she said.

A relationship's success also "depends on how well people know themselves," said Bronstein, and whether a partner has properly dealt with past issues.

"If you don't do some inner work, then it will carry over."

For example, Bronstein said people who grow up around addiction are more likely to end up with an addictive spouse, whatever form that addiction may come in.

Bronstein believes people enter relationships that echo past experiences because their psyche is attempting to "bring out that wounded part because it's on the surface that it has a chance to heal."

Boel said the developmental stages of those involved in the relationship plays a role, as well as the economic standing of the couple and whether they have children.

According to Boel, a relationship is most likely to turn volatile when those involved are 18-24 years of age, have newly left home and are making an income that falls below the poverty line. She calls this the "most dangerous time."

Children can also bring out differences in parenting methods, backgrounds, and role models, said Boel.

Bronstein said the many diverse groups on the island make for interesting unions

that might tend to burn out a little sooner than most.

But, she added, it is important to differentiate between the groups which you discuss.

There are "so many different types of people that have different values" living here on the island, she said.

In some of the alternative groups on the island, "People are quite free about leaving relationships," said Bronstein.

"There's a feeling of people finding themselves, so they don't feel the pressure to stay together."

"They may be more committed to self-discovery and less tolerant."

"Then there's the more traditional folks on the island that might have a lower rate of divorce," she said, citing many of the "pioneer" families of Salt Spring as examples.

Although Boel believes the reasons relationships fail here are much the same as elsewhere, she says the living conditions tend to be extraordinary.

She said she often hears of couples continuing to live together after a break up or moving into a separate cabin on the same property.

"It's such an economic drain on people to have separate living conditions."

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## finding a lawyer

If you do find it necessary to use a lawyer, it is important you hire someone you feel comfortable with and have confidence in.

"It can be the best lawyer in the world, but that doesn't mean they're the right one for you," said Victoria-based lawyer Christine Stretton.

Here are some tips to finding and using a lawyer:

- Ask friends if they know a lawyer they can recommend.
- Try to find someone whose philosophy fits with your own, says Stretton. If you don't want to go to court, find someone who will do their best to keep your case out.
- If your income is low, you may qualify for financial aid. Contact the Legal Services Society in Victoria at (250) 388-4664.
- Understand the legal costs before you sign anything.
- Before you see your lawyer, think about any questions you want answered and make a list. Also make a list of any family assets and your expenses.



# Dealing with legalities

by stacy cardigan smith

So you've decided to call it quits. Whether you are married or living common-law, in a heterosexual or homosexual relationship, there are a number of legal issues which must be dealt with.

For married couples, as soon as you and your spouse are living apart, you are legally separated; it is unnecessary to see a lawyer or get legal documentation that says so.

Although you may not want to divorce right away, you will need to come to a mutual agreement.

According to the federal Divorce Act, "marriage breakdown" must occur for a divorce to be granted. This occurs if the husband and wife legally separate for one year, if either spouse commits adultery, or if either subjects the other to physical or mental cruelty.

Under federal law, a relationship is considered common-law if a couple has been living together for at least one year. A common-law relationship terminates as soon as a couple no longer cohabits.

No matter what type of relationship you have, when that relationship ends, "The big issues, unfortunately, are children and money," said Christine Stretton, a lawyer based out of Victoria who specializes in family law.

If you and your partner have dependent children — usually defined as those under the age of 19 — you will be concerned with custody, guardianship, access and child support.

Custody describes who lives with and is responsible for providing the child with daily care.

"It (custody) depends on the age of the kids, the parent's work schedules," said Stretton.

Sole or joint custody may be granted, but Stretton said joint custody is generally favoured.

"Right now, joint custody is usually the more likely scenario. If the mom (is granted custody of) the kids that was likely how it was during the marriage."

Guardianship refers to the responsibility of looking out for the child's best interests. The guardian of a child is responsible for making decisions concerning education, health care, and religious training, to name a few. The guardian of the child's estate is responsible for managing anything the child owns, such as money. Sole or joint guardianship may also be granted.

Access is the legal word for visiting rights. Natural and legal parents usually have visiting rights, as do other people who play a role in the child's life, such as grandparents.

Child support is the amount one parent must pay to the other to financially support the child. All parents have a legal responsibility to support their children.

If there are children involved in a common-law relationship, both parents may be responsible for supporting the child, regard-

less of whether they are the natural, meaning biological, parent or otherwise.

Like child support, one partner may be required to financially support his or her ex-partner; however, every partner also has a duty to be self-sufficient.

Property, which includes vehicles, homes, insurance policies, and pension ben-

efits, as well as debt are further issues that must be addressed when a relationship ends.

Stretton said that with a long-term marriage, which is generally consid-

ered to be 10 years or longer, the assets are usually divided down the middle.

Although some couples find it necessary to go through court to settle these issues, it is not necessary for all, and avoiding the courts is often a good option for those who are cost conscious.

"Most people with an average financial situation can't afford to go to court," said Stretton.

Many separating couples work together, often with the help of a mediator or a lawyer trained in collaborative law, to reach an agreement outside of court.

With mediation, both couples sit down with a neutral third party who is specifically trained to deal with such matters.

"I would really recommend going through mediation. It's non-confrontational, it works

towards a win-win situation. It's less costly," said Salt Spring Island Community Services program coordinator Ragnhild Flakstad.

Salt Spring family counselor Sharon Bronstein agrees: "Going through the courts can be a very destructive course. It (mediation) gives them (parents) a model to be cooperative co-parents even if they can't live together."

Collaborative law occurs when both parties and their respective lawyers make a formal commitment to solve issues outside court.

Family justice counselors are also available to aid couples who are splitting up. They are accredited family mediators hired by the government and their services are free of charge.

Family justice counselors work out of Family Justice Centres across BC, the nearest of which is located in Victoria.

A separation agreement usually deals with most of the aforementioned items. Although it does not formally end a marriage or a common-law relationship, it is a legal contract and can be filed in court.

If a mutual agreement isn't possible, then court may be necessary.

Family law cases are held in both Provincial and BC Supreme Court. Although the two courts can deal with some of the same issues, such as custody, guardianship, access, and child and spousal support, only the Supreme Court can deal with divorce and division of property.

Many counselors suggest avoiding Supreme Court as much as possible.

"It's costly, it's adversarial to go through Supreme Court. It means you always have to go through a lawyer," said Flakstad.

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## What about the kids?

by stacy cardigan smith

Divorce and separation can be especially problematic when there are children involved, no matter what their age.

"It's like their [the children's] world falls apart. Although they can intellectually understand it, emotionally, it is like the loss of Santa Claus," said family counsellor Sharon Bronstein.

Luckily, there are a number of resources to help both parents and children who are faced with divorce.

Here on the island, Salt Spring Island Community Services offers Caught in the Middle. This free program gives children and parents strategies to cope with the difficulties of separation and divorce, said program coordinator Ragnhild Flakstad.

Parents and children meet in separate settings, and ex-partners are not expected to participate in the same sessions.

"(We discuss) what parents and kids can do to ensure they are aware of behaviour and feeling changes and moods," said Flakstad.

Parents learn the importance of not letting children get caught in the middle of the conflict and not using the children as instruments to get back at their ex-partners.

Bronstein said this triangulation occurs frequently.

"It takes a lot of discipline not to triangulate. It's kind of natural to make barbed comments. If you put down the



other parent, you're actually putting down the child because that parent is a part of them."

Tips to promote healthy communication between parents are also discussed.

Parents are encouraged to make an agenda of the issues they want to discuss with their partner and are told to stick to that agenda.

In addition, they learn to meet in a neutral place if a face-to-face meeting is required, and to not bring up previous grievances and issues.

As children are often required to become more self-sufficient after

a divorce, the children's groups in the program discuss life skills which promote self-resilience and reliance, including how to understand their emotions, simple meal preparation, home safety and basic first aid.

Flakstad estimates the program has helped between 24 to 30 families and approximately 40 children in its six-year history.

Caught in the Middle was last offered approximately a year and a half ago, said Flakstad. Since then, there has not been enough interest to warrant another session; however, funding is in place should more com-

munity members express a need.

Similar programs are also offered throughout the province.

Parenting after Separation is offered at the Victoria Separation and Divorce Resource Centre. (See resources box for contact information, page B9.)

Such programs are becoming very popular and are viewed as beneficial by the courts.

"Now, in a lot of family court situations, families are mandated to attend this sort of a program before their maintenance and custody orders are issued," said Flakstad.

Community Services here on the island also offers one-on-one counselling and a variety of other programs.

Flakstad said a perceived lack of anonymity can dissuade people from using the services available on the island, but she guarantees confidentiality.

Even those who are unsure they can find what they need here on Salt Spring, she said, Community Services can put them in contact with the right people.

By taking the proper steps and seeking help when necessary, families can continue to thrive after a divorce.

"I think kids can come out really healthy," said Bronstein.

By healthy, Bronstein said, she means the children are empowered to set boundaries, have a good sense of who they are, and are not full of themselves. At the same time, they understand their own strengths and talents and have the ability to go after what they want.

### book list

Below is a list of some books that may be helpful for a family going through a separation:

- Joint Custody with a Jerk. Ross, Julie A. & Corcoran, Judy. St. Martin's Griffin New York, 1996
- Surviving Divorce: Daily Affirmations. Sefra Kobrin Pitzele. Health Communications Inc, 1991.
- The Boys and Girls Book about Divorce. Richard Gardner. Bantam, 1985.
- The Family Virtues Guide: Simple ways to bring out the best in our children and ourselves. Popov, Linda Kavelin; Popov, Dan; Kavelin, John. Plume, 1997.
- The Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work. John Gottman. Three Rivers/Random House, 1999.
- The Single Father: A Dad's Guide to Parenting without a Partner. Armin A. Brott. Abbeville Press, 1999.



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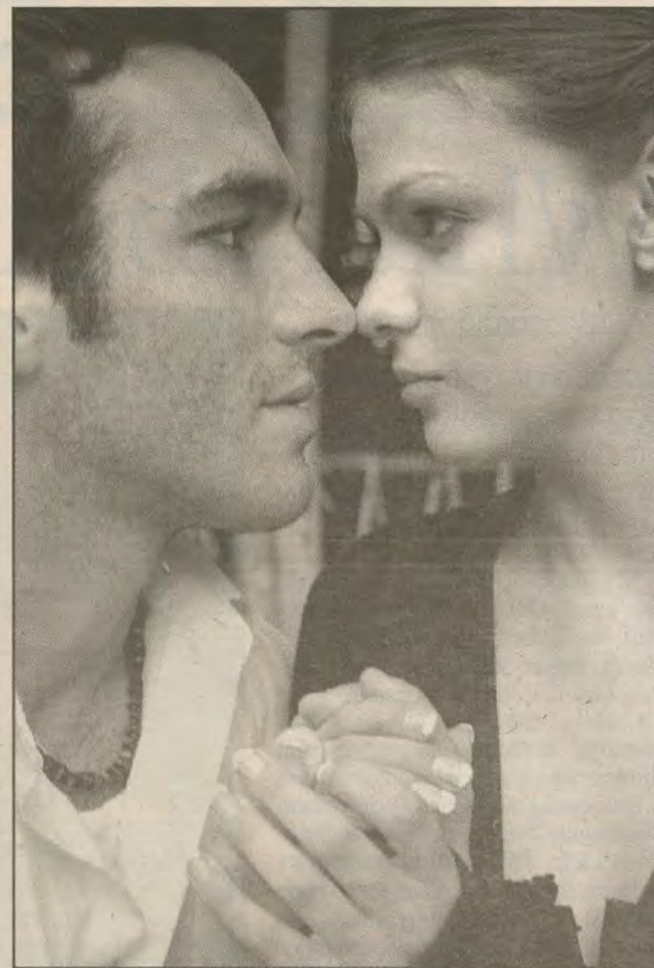


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DEADLINE MONDAY 4PM / TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY DEADLINE: NOON TUESDAY

# Classifieds 537-9933

## Notices

### 6 DEATHS

#### HAYWARD'S FUNERAL SERVICE



**PATRICK BEATTIE**  
Licensed Funeral Director

#22 Merchant Mews  
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SSI, V8K 2V9  
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Deadline MONDAY 4PM

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20 words or less **\$12.50**  
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##### PLACING AN AD

- In person at 328 Lower Ganges Road, Ganges
- By telephone, 250-537-9933, or fax, 250-537-2613
- By email to classified@gulfislands.net (no attachments please)
- By post to Driftwood, 328 Lower Ganges Road, Salt Spring Island, B.C. V8K 2V3.

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### 20 COMING EVENTS

FOR A complete calendar of coming events check the Driftwood Community Calendar, in our office in the Upper Ganges Centre, 328 Lower Ganges Road, or on our website at [www.gulfislands.net](http://www.gulfislands.net). Use the calendar for event planning and to make sure your date doesn't conflict with someone else's.

#### WATERCOLOUR CLASSES

Love drawing? Dabbled in paints? Intermediate watercolour seminars, mornings only July 19 to 23 and August 7th to 11th. Max 6 students in waterfront setting at Seaside Studio with Libby Jutras 537-1952. Be ready for fall classes with more experience. We will use your own photos or paint en plein air.

JUMPER NIGHT: Every Wednesday evening, everyone welcome. Ph. 537-2089 for more information.

#### THAI MASSAGE CLASSES

August 19 - 21 or Oct. 20 - 23, Level 1. Thai massage on the table Oct. 14 & 15. Kristie Straarup R.M.T., 537-1219, [www.academyofmassage.ca](http://www.academyofmassage.ca). Teaching DVD available.

### 20 COMING EVENTS

LIFE FIGURE drawing with Stefanie Denz, Aug. 4- 6. This weekend workshop is an in-depth study of the figure and its proportions. A variety of mediums will be explored. Expect individual guidance & group discussions. All levels welcome. \$130. Phone 653-2018 to register.

MYRANDA'S FINALLY 50! (and leaving the island.) It's Marcia & Juliette's Birthday too! Concert & Jam session, Lions Hall, Sunday, July 30, 7:30 pm. All our friends & fans are invited! Please RSVP Myranda @ 537-9328.

WORKSHOP: WOMEN Writing - Journal Writing for Women. Sunday, Aug. 13, 1 - 4pm., \$15 - 25. Journal writing as catalyst for self-exploration, creativity, authenticity and (ultimately) empowerment. Serene, south-end setting. Future workshops/circles forming. Wendy Judith Cutler - teacher, writer, facilitator. 20 years experience writing in a nurturing environment. Space limited. Simply bring yourself, a journal and a desire to write. 653-4286.

### 20 COMING EVENTS

PERMACULTURE WORKSHOP Series with Brandon Bauer, Ecological Land Consultant/Farmer. Permaculture - "the set of techniques & principles for designing sustainable, ecologically sound, prosperous systems" - enables us to grow more with less, enriching & balancing the environment in the process! Join us for a lively, comprehensive mix of theoretical & hands-on learning, with topics including principles, ecosystems & micro-climates; water; design tools & techniques; home & forest gardens; growing crops, soil & seeds. 9 consecutive Tuesdays, from Aug. 1st, 5:30- 8:30 pm. Ango Farm Retreat, 340 Lepage Rd. SSI. \$30/ class; all 9 classes for \$240. Contact Brandon, 537-0866, or Candace, [angofarm@telus.net](mailto:angofarm@telus.net).

COME DANCING! Australian band "Oka" returns to Fulford Hall tonight (Wednesday). Tribal grooves and sweet melodies for a soul shakedown party. SOLID benefit: \$15, includes film at 8pm, dance at 9pm.

BC PAVILION at EXPO '86 is having a staff reunion the weekend of Friday, October 13th, 2006. If you worked there, come celebrate with old friends!! More info at <http://www.bcpavilion1986.myevent.com>.

### 20 COMING EVENTS

**YOGA EVERYDAY**  
Including Sat & Sun  
**GANGES YOGA STUDIO**  
**537-2444**  
[www.gangesyogastudio.com](http://www.gangesyogastudio.com)  
**DROP-INS WELCOME**

#### Summer Fiesta and Exhibition

July 22nd & 23rd  
10 AM - 5 PM

**OPENING EVENING**  
Friday July 21st  
6 - 9 pm

*Music in the Garden*  
WITH

Alvaro Sanchez  
and his band  
• Chamigos •

- New work by Gary Cherneff
- Floral designs and home decor by Beth
- Flame worked Glass jewelry by Lisa Cherneff

**Stone Ridge Pottery Flowers**  
by Arrangement  
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### 20 COMING EVENTS

**The Artful Bodger - Twig Chair Workshops**  
Build your own twig chairs at a weekend workshop

Jul 8/9 - Jul 22/23 - Aug 19/20

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[www.artfulbodger.ca](http://www.artfulbodger.ca)



**THE DAWN OF UNIVERSAL PEACE**

"Dissension and strife have always been, and shall remain, rejected by God. The Books, the Scriptures, and the Holy Writings of previous ages have all proclaimed the joyful tidings that the purpose underlying this most mighty Revelation, is none other than the rehabilitation of the world and its nations; that perchance the power of utterance may prevail over the power of arms, and the world's affairs be administered through the potency of love."

BAHA'I WRITINGS

537-5071 / 537-9761  
[www.bahai.org](http://www.bahai.org)

**Island Gourmet Safaris**  
presents

#### Saturday Market Cooking Class

Saturday, July 22

**Shop** at the Saturday Market  
**Cook** with Chef John Ashlie  
**Enjoy** an Italian/French Meal  
**Feast** with Local Wine, Beer & Juice

\*99 includes shuttle to cooking location

Phone Wendy Hartnett to book

**537-4118**

#### DANCE & MUSIC WORKSHOP

July 21 - Aug 20

Join Philadelphia based dancer Leah Stein for a 4 week creative workshop to make an original, on-site dance piece on Stowell Lake Farm. All levels welcome. Call 250-537-4678, or visit [www.leahsteindance.org](http://www.leahsteindance.org)

#### ART SHOW

"The Journey Continues" featuring

Val Konig & Students

July 20-22

Thursday 2 - 5 pm

Friday & Saturday 10 - 5 pm

**ArtSpring**

Opening Reception

Thursday, July 20

6:30 - 8 pm

All Welcome

#### FREE EVENT!

**Beat Your Drum**

Experience African drumming in a free workshop with **ALPHA YAYA DIALLO**

Participate or watch, either way you'll have a great time!

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 26 AT 2:30 PM**

ON THE

**ARTSPRING MEADOW**

(Jackson and McPhillips Avenues)

#### BINGO

**MEADEN HALL**  
Royal Canadian Legion

**THURSDAY**

July 20, 7 pm

Early Birds, 6:30 pm

Sponsored by Ladies Auxiliary

Royal Canadian Legion Br. 92

All proceeds to bursaries for Salt Spring Island students.

#### 25 EDUCATION

HEART N' HANDS Montessori now has spaces available in our all day program. For more information contact Denise 537-4944.

#### 29 LOST AND FOUND

LOST: KEYS. Ford Escort keys with leather Dominican Republic key chain. Am getting cabin fever. If found please drop off at the Driftwood or call 537-1045.

FOUND CAT Long haired white female. Twinflower Road. Friendly. Been there for several months. Call the SPCA at 537-2123.

FOUND CAT. Short-haired black female. Rainbow Road. Friendly. Call the SPCA at 537-2123.

FOUND CAT. Long-haired white male. Toynbee Road. Different coloured eyes. Friendly. Been there for several months. Call the SPCA at 537-2123.

LOST: I'M losing it. Brass rhinestone cowboy boot earring. 537-9571.

GLASSES FOUND in Drummond Park in May. Owner may claim at the Driftwood office.

COSMO KNIFE in leather case, lost or taken from my truck. Has initials "SM" carved on the blade. Great sentimental value. 653-4284.

### 8 CARDS OF THANKS



**Lady Minto Hospital Foundation**

#### "YOU WERE JUST WHAT THE DOCTOR ORDERED!"

THANK YOU to the many golfers who supported the Hospital Foundation by participating in our 15th annual "Hewitson Memorial" Charity Golf Tournament on July 8th. Special thanks to **Mouat's Trading Company** and the **Hewitson family** for their generous sponsorship and to **Saunders Subaru** for offering a new Subaru as a Hole in 1 prize.

Once again, we appreciated the registration tent thoughtfully provided by Royal Lepage Salt Spring Realty.

We are very grateful for the wonderful support we received from local businesses and hospital suppliers who donated so many incredible prizes and generously sponsored golf holes. Many thanks also to **The Driftwood** for their help with advertising and publicity.

Thanks also to the staff at the **Falconshead Grill and Lounge** for a great buffet dinner following the tournament and applause to **Steve Marleau** and staff at the **Salt Spring Golf and Country Club** for all their support. A special "wow" to the **Junior Golfers** whose long drives were "rented" by many golfers to boost their scores.

This was our biggest and best tournament ever, raising approximately \$12,000 to help purchase hospital equipment.

#### HOLE SPONSORS

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Salt Spring Island  
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#### PRIZE DONORS

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Hastings House  
Island Savings  
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Island Star Video  
Love My Kitchen

MD Management  
Moby's Marine Pub  
Olympus  
Oystercatcher Seafood Bar & Grill  
Paint Plus  
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Pharmasave  
Salt Spring Coffee Company  
Salt Spring Golf & Country Club  
Sea Change Seafoods  
Seaside Restaurant  
Slegg Lumber  
Steris Canada  
Storz  
Thunderbird Gallery  
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Work World

**A SINCERE THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED TO MAKE THE TOURNAMENT A GREAT SUCCESS. SEE YOU AGAIN NEXT YEAR!**

#### SALT SPRING ECO-HOME TOUR

August 6

10 am - 4 pm

A tour to 10 ecological homes

Tickets at SS Books & Morningside Bakery

**Sustainable Building Forum**

7 pm Sat, Aug. 5

Meaden Hall (Legion)

Info: 538-0318

Sponsored by  
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& Earth Festival  
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**Week Long Workshop Retreats for Women**

Do you Paint? Write? Photograph? Quilt? Sing? Cook? Come do it together on Saturna Island.

Enjoy the four F's...focus, food, fun, female.

**June 29-July 5, July 13-19, August 29-September 5**

\$800 includes everything. On-site accommodation. B&B and lodge stay can be arranged.

10 spaces available. Discounts for early registration. Go to [www.ferrononline.com](http://www.ferrononline.com). Phone 250-539-9852 or 206-853-6215

### 8 CARDS OF THANKS

#### The Salt Spring Antique and Classic Car Club Canada Day Show and Shine 2006

We would like to thank all the organizers in their core group. Al, Bruce, Bob, B., Carol B., Carol F., Clayton, Colten, Dejan, Fenton, John, Judith, Karen, Maggie, Marit, Manv, Oban, Robert, Ross, Sascha, Sue, Tracy, and Tony the Judge.

**Our Sponsors:** Heritage Canada Celebrate Canada, JB Group Salt Spring Auto Parts., PARC, The Salt Spring Chamber of Commerce, The Alberta "A", RCMP, Salt Spring Fire Dept., The Driftwood, George Ehling.

**The merchants that supported us with doorprize donations:** Salt Spring Payless, Island Savings Credit Union, The Fulford Inn, Salt Spring Automotive Services, JB Group Salt Spring Auto Parts, Love My Kitchen, Thrifty Foods, The Compleat Antique, Flowers and Wine, The Source, Johnson's Automotive Services, Luigi's Pizza, The Oystercatcher, Mark's Work Wearhouse, Salt Spring Soapworks, Family Jewels, Mouats, Aroma Crystal Therapy Ltd., The Local, Ganges Village Market, Fables Cottage, The Waterfront Gallery, The House Boat, Ganges Glass Emporium, Pharmasave, Barb's Buns, Fused Glass Jewellery, Big Bear Services, and Paul Crouch.

**Entertainers:** Tom Hooper and The Angry Hippies, Synergy, Obmuck, Salt Spring Concert Band with the Cannon Crew. Les Geezer (Sid Filkow), and Patrice Bowler and her Buskers.

**Trophy winners:** Best in show - #99 Vern Walburn - 1929 Packard, Best Salt Spring Entrant - #23 Terry Smawley - 1998 GMC 1500, Best Visitor Entrant - #92 Dan Craig - 1967 Ford Mustang.

**JB Group Salt Spring Auto Parts - Draw winner:** Eric Weatherby

**We hope you enjoyed the Show, we sure enjoyed presenting it. See you all next year.**

Visit us on the web at

<http://saltspring.gulfislands.com/saccc/>





## Islands Trust SALT SPRING ISLAND LOCAL TRUST COMMITTEE NOTICE OF BUSINESS MEETING

The Salt Spring Island Local Trust Committee will be meeting to consider various matters of general business, such as applications received, bylaw reviews and meeting notes.

DATE: Tuesday,  
July 25, 2006

TIME: 1:00 P.M.

PLACE: ArtSpring  
100 Jackson Avenue

Starting at 1:00 pm up to 45 minutes will be available for the public to discuss local land use matters with the Local Trust Committee. Those who wish to present a more formal petition, or make a delegation to the Committee as an Agenda item, must advise Islands Trust staff at least one week in advance of the meeting so that they can be added to the beginning of the Agenda. For information about the Agenda, please call the Islands Trust at 537-9144.

## 34 NOTICES

IF YOUR Driftwood subscription label has the date highlighted, now is the time to renew!

THE LIONS Directory would like to formally apologize to Dr. Ronald Puhky, Dr. RR Reznick and Dr. Shane Barclay for the error in their listings under Physicians & Surgeons in this year's telephone directory. Please note for your records the correct spelling of their names. Lions Publications

## LIONS X-REF DIRECTORY

The Lions X-Ref Directory is now available. We are offering two different ones: The first one will be only phone no's at a cost of \$15.00. And the completed directory for \$75.00. They both come in a hard cover binder for your convenience. Call the office at 537-2000 or drop by and pick up your copy at 103 Bonnet Avenue.

CAROL YOUNG, you are hereby noticed by appreciative moms & dads for the gentle & respectful nurturance you demonstrated with our blooming babes. Consequently, they are blooming. Thank you darling, Play Group 94.



## GREENWOODS ELDERCARE SOCIETY

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

11 am Thursday,  
July 27<sup>th</sup>

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## 55 HELP WANTED

GENERAL LABOUR workers needed for construction site. Please call 538-5562.

SKILLED CARPENTERS wanted for subcontract siding/soffit, etc. work, must have tools. Please call Chris at 538-5562.

OPENING FOR a career minded individual in our busy general insurance office full or part time. Experience preferred but not necessary. We will train the right candidate. Please forward a resume to Box 26, c/o The Driftwood, 328 Lower Ganges Road, Salt Spring Island, BC, V8K 2V3.

HERITAGE PLACE for Seniors requires 'Occasional' workers available on call. Duties include housekeeping and preparation/serving/cleanup of evening meal. Recipes and ingredients provided. Candidates with experience working with Seniors given preference. Must be a good cook, fastidious, energetic and compassionate. Could become permanent 2 day a week position. Mail resume to Personnel Manager, #600, 120 Crofton Rd., SSI, V8K 2Y4 or email to [manager@heritageplace.info](mailto:manager@heritageplace.info)

ISLAND QUEST Realty requires a full time 'Office Manager' starting approx. Aug. 1 to train for 1 month. The successful candidate will have good typing skills and graphic design sense, plus a good working knowledge of HTML, Dreamweaver, Photoshop, Microsoft Publisher. Must have good math and english skills and able to multi-task. Must be organized, detail oriented and able to work efficiently alone. This valuable member of the Island Quest team will have an excellent telephone manner and present professionally to the public. Competitive salary. E-mail resume to Donna Regen at [expectexcellence@saltspring.com](mailto:expectexcellence@saltspring.com). CHILDCARE PROVIDER needed Sept. 2006, licensed afternoon program for maximum of 10 four and five year olds, 12-2:30 Mon-Thurs. Send resume to Salt Spring Centre School, 355B Blackburn Road, V8K2B8 or fax to 537-9132. Questions? phone Erin at 537-9130.

## HERITAGE PLACE FOR SENIORS

Salt Spring Island, BC [www.heritageplace.info](http://www.heritageplace.info) ...offers independent living to seniors with a hospitality package included in the rent. We require a full time Resident Homemaker for Elm House for this Fall. Duties include housekeeping for common area and residents' suites and preparation; serving; clean-up of evening meal for 10 - 12 residents. Recipes and ingredients provided. Candidates with experience working with Seniors given preference. The right candidate will be a good cook, fastidious, energetic and compassionate. Mail resume to Personnel, Heritage Place, #600, 120 Crofton Rd., Salt Spring Island, BC, V8K 2Y4 or email [manager@heritageplace.info](mailto:manager@heritageplace.info).

## HELP WANTED 1 - 2 days per week for house & garden chores.

Good pay for good work. Experience with gasoline motors needed. Reply to Box 28, c/o The Driftwood, 328 Lower Ganges Rd., Salt Spring Island, BC, V8K 2V3.

TREE HOUSE South seeks delivery & receiver person and a cook. Contact 537-0006 or email [treehouse@saltspring.com](mailto:treehouse@saltspring.com).

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CARPENTER'S ASSISTANT required. Reliable, serious workers only, some experience necessary. Some tools an asset. Valid driver's license. Vehicle supplied. 538-0287 eves.

CERTIFIED DENTAL Assistant required. Please deliver resume to Dr. McGinn in Grace Point Square or call 537-1616.

PART-TIME CLEANING position available. Early evening and some Sunday hours. Will also involve kennel cleaning & dog walking. Would make excellent job for high school student. Bring resume with references to Gulf Islands Veterinary Clinic, 540 Lower Ganges Rd., 537-5334.

MATURE, PERSONABLE receptionist needed. Some automotive knowledge an asset. Computer skills & customer relations a must! Contact Sam at 537-2876.

REQUIRED IMMEDIATELY - We are looking for the right person to join our team. If you are available for part-time, seasonal work, with flexibility, are very organized, enjoy working with the public and have a clean, professional appearance, this job may appeal to you. A good general knowledge of office work is preferable. Please send your application, including references to Box 30, c/o The Driftwood, 328 Lower Ganges Rd., Salt Spring Island, BC, V8K 2V3.

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TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES Journeyman trade persons & general labourers for maintenance shutdown. Tembec Industries Inc., Pulp Division has scheduled a maintenance shutdown for its Skookumchuck mill September 26 - October 6, 2006. During this shutdown the following certified trades persons will be required: millwrights, pipefitters, pressure welders, machinists, electricians, instrumentation mechanics, carpenters. To apply, please submit your written application, together with proof of trades qualifications to: Human Resources Department, Tembec Industries Inc., Skookumchuck Pulpmill, P.O. Box 4000, Cranbrook, BC, V1C 7H7. Fax 250-426-3085. Email [char.wilson@tembec.com](mailto:char.wilson@tembec.com).



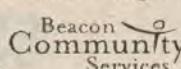
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Contact Arnie by emailing your resume to  
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## 60 WORK WANTED

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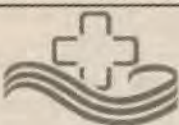
IS YOUR life affected by someone's drinking? Call Al-Anon at 383-4020.

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### 308 AUCTIONS

AUCTION: BAGAL Stop Cafe, 910-1210 Summit Drive, Kamloops. Wednesday, July 26, 11:00am. Selling contents including oven, mixers, w/ cooler, bagal divider & former, all related equipment. See [www.montgomeryauctions.com](http://www.montgomeryauctions.com) or call 1-800-773-6963.

UNRESERVED AUCTION Sale. Bill Stewart Estate, Wardner, BC. Saturday, July 29 at 10am. Photos and complete details at [www.theauctioncompany.ca](http://www.theauctioncompany.ca).

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BALCONY RAILINGS, approx. 95' total length, aluminum, brown colour, exc. cond. asking \$250. Phone 537-5473.

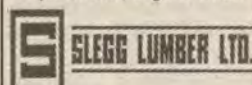
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17' GRUMMAN CANOE (aluminum) with nylon spray deck, 4 wood paddles, 2 life jackets; double bed with frame, wood dresser, 8 drawers, diving weight belt. 538-0044.

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MOTORCYCLE JACKET - new Roadkrome, black leather, size XXL. Paid \$400, asking \$300. Women's Harley riding boots, worn twice, size 9. Paid \$175, asking \$75. Barb 537-4204.

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FREE 3 SECTION breakwater available for removal. 537-5616.

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## 410 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

CONDO FOR sale. 2 bdrm, Dearlodge, Mt. Washington. 250-537-2691. www.saltspring.com/hypex

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### 340 GARAGE SALES

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- 235 SCOTT PT. DR., Saturday, July 22, 9am - 1pm. Downsizing! Household goods, tools, a variety of items. Early birds get the best choice.
- 226 ELIZABETH DRIVE, Thursday - Sunday. Whole household, furniture, camping gear, tools, linens, clothes, tons of household stuff. 537-8864.
- BIG GARAGE Sale, Saturday, July 22, 8:30am - 2pm, 161 Horel Rd. W. (Fulford-Ganges Rd.) Something for everyone.
- FIRST EVER, 2 family sale. Tons of really great stuff at great prices. 129 Hillgrove (up Fort St.), Sat. July 22, 9am - 2pm. No earlier!

### 340 GARAGE SALES

- COMMUNITY ED SOCIETY 234 Scott Point Drive, Saturday, July 22, 9 to 12.. Super stuff! Jewellery, books, china, art supplies, household goods, and electronics - for a good cause!!
- YARD SALE. Sat., July 22, 10am - 2pm. Funky stuff, bellydance costumes & music, artwork, jewelry, CD's, assorted knick-knacks. 180 Lawnhill Dr.
- HUGE GARAGE Sale on Saturday, July 22, 9am - 2pm. Everything must go. No early birds. 232 Isle View Drive.
- 1470 FULFORD-GANGES RD., Saturday, July 22, 9am - 12:30pm. No early birds. Something for everyone.
- 6 FAMILY "RELEASING" Sale! 914 Rainbow Rd., Sat., July 22, 8am - noon. Lots of parking! Satellite system, household items, tools, educational & non-violent children's toys. Way too much to list!
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## This Week's Horoscope

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### Tip of the week:

With summer now in full stride, it is a time for family gatherings and to play. This is what the signs Cancer and Leo invite. With planets in both signs these themes will be strong. As ever, there are deeper cycles and processes that we as individuals may experience that others will not. This is the difference between the generic, 'how's the weather' approach and the specific, 'how are you, really', type of concern kicks in. The generic and the specific, the collective and the individual, are ever seeking harmony. Astrology deeply honors these respective ends of the spectrum. For example, we are all subject to cycles and some of these are generic while others are personal. When they two converge, we really experience changes of a very noticeable kind. Trusting that there is a rhyme and reason to our personal and collective seasons is where Astrology taps into the reality that nature and life in general works on purpose and with design. We simply have to look to nature to see this. Thinking that life is random is a grand illusion of our culture and our times. Play with this understanding and nurture a more secure experience of life.

own parent. In turn, this means loving your self unconditionally as an anchor, yet knowing when to push yourself to tend with practical matters with strength and courage. This is where some 'how to' instruction can help where you gain new skills and tools. Keep an open mind in this regard and be willing to learn some new tricks.

### Libra (Sep 23 - Oct 22)

Taking the initiative to nurture closer bonds somehow is now in focus. Perhaps deepening relations with you yourself is the goal. Perhaps it is about balancing personal, family needs with career and your social life. You have some dreams and you want to make them reality. The question is just how clear are your dreams and visions? If they are vague, you will not be satisfied. However, even if you are ultra clear, life may have different plans. This is where having a balanced approach and perspective is central to health and happiness.

### Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov 21)

Nurturing your vision of the bigger picture is the call now. This may include seeing your friends and lovers for who they really are as opposed to how you would like them to be. On the other front, it includes recognizing that all of humanity and life for that matter is one great big family. Meanwhile, actualizing a more creative and artistic momentum in your life is underway. This will require creative leadership and imagination. Take some risks to be the captain of your ship.

### Sagittarius (Nov 22 - Dec 21)

Clearing the past is now in focus. This is essential for you to nurture new attitudes and actions that will bring in a deeper sense of security. Forgiveness of self and others for past actions is also ideal and perhaps necessary for advancement. If you feel that you are a victim, you have some real work to do. While you may have experienced victimization, you still possess the power of choice in terms of perceptions, attitudes and actions. There is always another way!

### Capricorn (Dec 22 - Jan 19)

Nurturing more wholesome relationships is now in focus. This includes clearing out the old. You are undergoing some rather deep changes and this process will continue until September 2007. In the short term, expect to be working on this quite diligently this summer, especially in August. Associate pleasure to this process as you can intend to communicate clearly and with empathy, without assumptions. This implies knowing your priorities and engaging in full round communication so everyone can get their needs met.

### Aquarius (Jan 20 - Feb 19)

Nurturing a more stable base of operations is probably your style overall and is very active now. However, to do so, you may feel the need to asset yourself especially where you experience the rigid ego patterns of others. Since we cannot change others, intend to make changes within yourself first. At best, this is a very creative, playful and possibly even romantic time for you. Expect to expand your horizons in August.

### Pisces (Feb 20 - Mar 20)

Your creative leadership is now at play, but you may have to work quite diligently to realize it. This includes your willingness to learn new skills, to be coached and educated. Fortunately, you should be enjoying more energy than usual and this will continue all summer. Expanding your perspectives to be able to deeply trust in yourself, others and life may be an important theme. Things will get better in August in this regard so be patient. Perseverance is the golden key to long-term success.

### Aries (Mar 21 - Apr 20)

Summer time is playtime; hopefully you are tuned-in to that. This momentum will continue through August, but you may well be mixing work and play then. On deeper levels, you may be wondering who you are at this juncture of your journey. You are both the only person like you and just like everyone else. This natural paradox is healthy and a necessary part of the drama of life. We may think that your family is holding you back and they may. However, you will soon learn just how important a part of your life they actually are. Embrace your reality!

### Taurus (Apr 21 - May 20)

Thoughts about security continue to dart around in your mind. Turning to your multiple streams of income and/or the potential for more is likely now. Clearing the old to make way for the new is part of the plot. Do you have a space to be creative? You will thrive with this space and will wilt without it. Establishing a creative space that is private and inspiring is the key. If you cannot find your place in the world, create it!

### Gemini (May 21 - Jun 21)

Building a more secure base of operations continues to include the importance of a healthy lifestyle. Since food is the best medicine, look more closely into the quality or lack thereof in your diet. On the other hand, are you getting out enough and do you take time to play? Third, what about you attitude, are you plagued by disappointments due to imposed expectations? Whatever the case, look more closely at your health and intend to take care of yourself on all levels.

### Cancer (Jun 22 - Jul 22)

Your ambitions are growing stronger by the day. However, you may be finding that what you really want is more time and space. Perhaps you would like to spend more time at home and work from there. Everything is a trade-off; however, this would probably suit your needs. Creating more balance and harmony in your life is the general call. The desire to get away from it all - people and situations may be strong now. If you can, take a trip and get away from the familiar.

### Leo (Jul 23 - Aug 23)

Half of you is charging ahead into the unknown while the other half is ready to run-away and hide, escape and/or seek sanctuary. You do want to spend quality time with close friends and family, but you also need to rest and retreat for a while. This may be your last really good chance to do so before a bigger rush of energy pours in, so kick back, listen to meditate, sleep in a little, get lost in a good book or a hobby. You will be back and ready for fuller action later next week.

### Virgo (Aug 24 - Sep 22)

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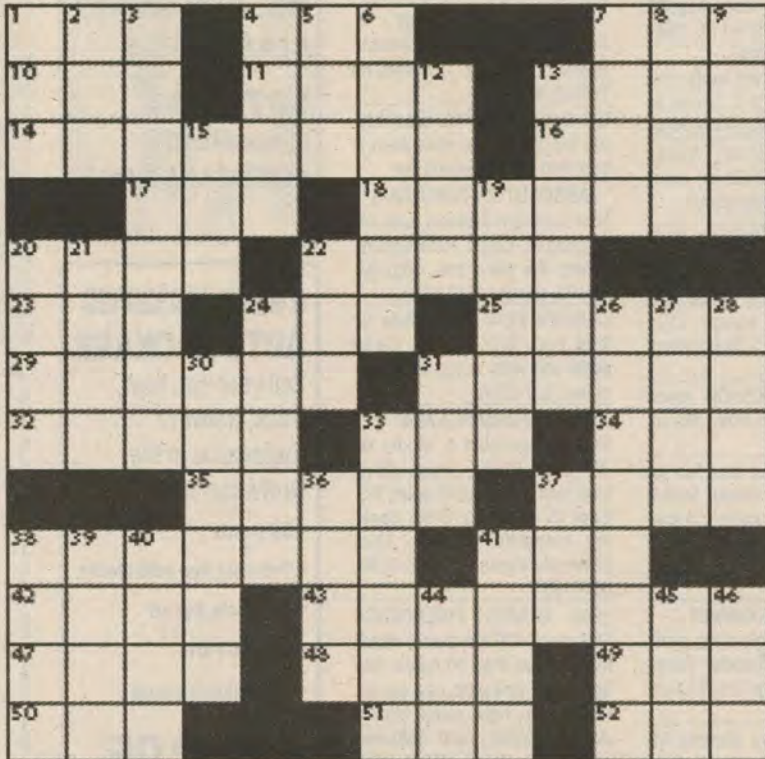
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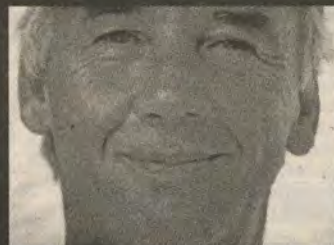
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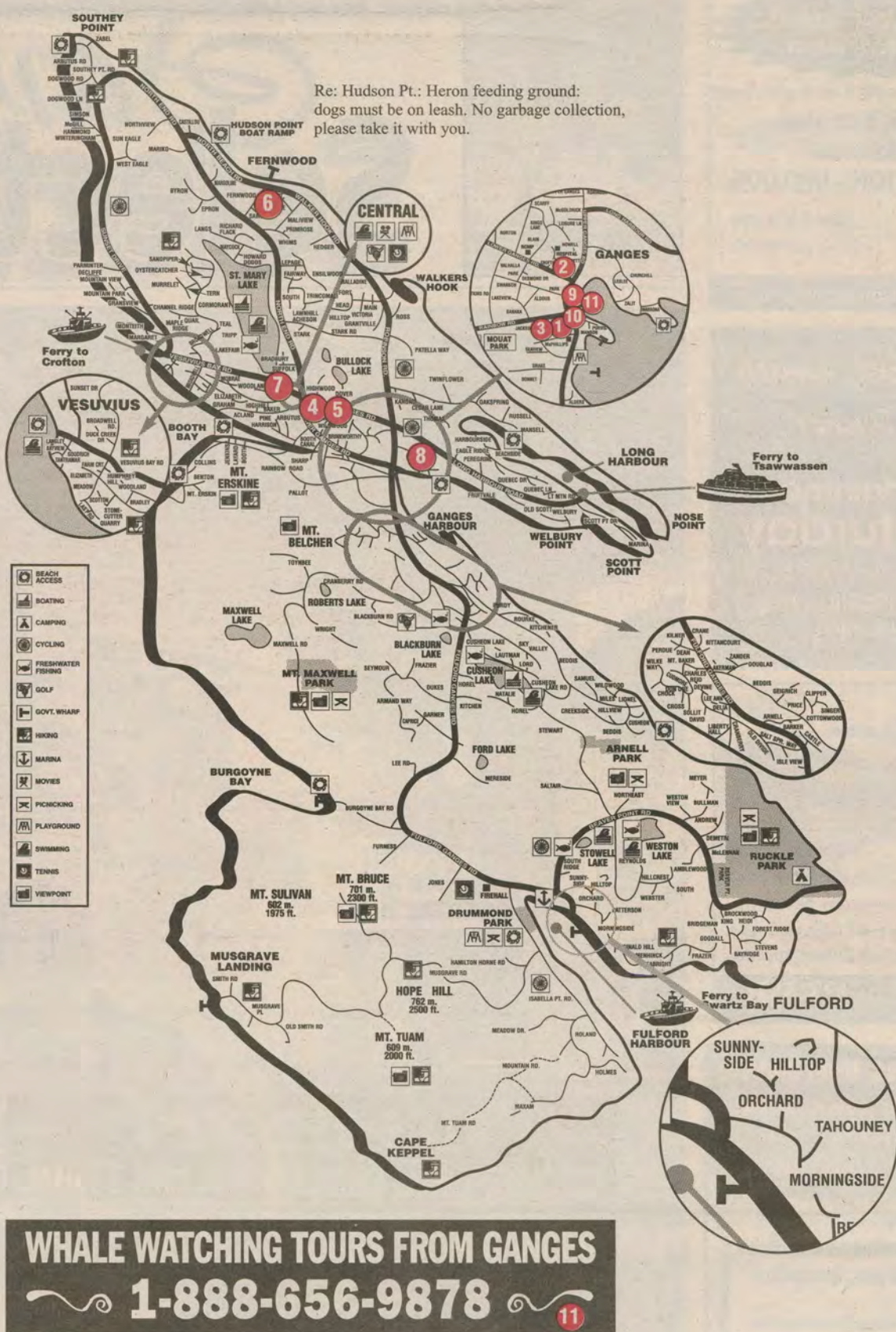
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