Secondary School bands set concert

a concert in Centennial Park on Friday, May 15, from 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

(weather permitting).

The Gold Band is a concert band made up of more advanced students in Grades Nine through 12. The Stage Band is a smaller jazz/rock group comprised mainly of Grade 12 students. Both bands are under the direction

Island student's work accepted for exhibition

A young Salt Spring Island resident's artwork has been accepted for inclusion in a province-wide exhibition.

Kirstie Chalmers, 10, was one of 141 entrants whose work has been selected for the B. C. Young Artists' Exhibition, sponsored every two years by the Emily Carr School of Fine Arts.

Over 2,600 entries were submitted for consideration for the exhibition, which will open at the Vancouver Art Gallery on September 13 and later tour 21 B. C. centres, including Victoria.

Chalmers, who studies art at ne Salt Spring Centre School,

was one of several local students who applied for inclusion in the exhibition and the only one whose entry was accepted. Salt Spring Centre School principal Usha Rautenbach said her pupil's success should encourage others to continue submitting their works.

Chalmers is the second Salt Spring resident in two years to have works included in the exhibition. In 1985, Uma Emery was a successful applicant whose entry later toured the world and is now on permanent display in Norway. Emery, now a Salt Spring Elementary School student, also studied at the Salt Spring Centre

'Oracle' workshop slated

An oracle will visit Off Centre Stage for a two-day workshop on May 23 and 24.

Lasqueti Island resident Rosalie Miles will lead the workshop, using a tool of divination she synthesized from the I Ching and astrology.

Miles will also talk about the

underlying patterns intristic to Being as an introduction to casting and interpreting the oracle.

On Sunday, workshop participants will "play the game of

Cost of both days of the workshop is \$15. For further information, and to pre-register, call Off Centre Stage at 537-5211.

Guild show set for Mahon Hall

Local residents and visitors to Salt Spring can take in the eighth annual Salt Spring Painters' Guild spring show this weekend in Mahon Hall.

The show, scheduled for May 16 to 18, will feature works created by guild members. This is not a juried event, and beginning artists are encouraged to display their efforts.

Art completed by guild mem-bers will be available for sale at the show. Although the guild considers this weekend's show and sale to be one of its major fund-raisers, president Bev Peden noted it is designed primarily to give local artists and their work some exposure on the island.

Dozens of paintings and other works will be on display. In addition to these pieces, others have been donated specifically for the show. Local artist Brien Foerster, for example, has given one of his prints to the guild and it is being offered as a raffle prize.

Peden says money raised through this weekend's show will be used by the guild to offer additional workshops and artrelated programs here.

The Salt Spring Island Painters' Guild meets each week in Mahon Hall. Membership in the organization costs \$5.



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New comet to light up night skies

By ANDREW GIBSON

Astronomically speaking, we haven't had much luck in the northern hemisphere lately. The Halley's Comet of 1985 was hardly the show-stopper that Harold of England saw in 1066. Indeed, since binoculars hadn't been invented, he wouldn't have seen it at all, wouldn't have got bad vibes from it, and might have felt up enough for the Battle of Hastings that he'd have won it, and history would be quite different.

Comet Kohoutek, of a few years ago, also got a big billing but turned out, like Halley's, to be no more than a small fuzzy patch. And, worst of all, we in the north have missed out on the most exciting astronomical event of the decade - the Magellanic Cloud supernova, in a small southern galaxy some 100,000 light years away. It is so bright that it is visible to the naked eye, its catastrophic explosion outshining all of the rest of the billion-star galaxy. But this rare event, seen only every few centuries in our own galaxy, and in others only by astronomers, is hidden from our latitude.

The same bad luck extends to the newest comet to zero in on our sun - comet Wilson, named after its discoverer, Christine Wilson, a Cal Tech student. It has spent almost all of its time down south, too, and will be fading quickly before it reaches far enough north for us to get a glimpse of it. At the end of May and the beginning of June there may be a chance of seeing it low in the southwest after sunset, but high ground, good binoculars, a very clear sky and lots of patience will be needed. It also will only be a fuzzy patch, but for star-gazers it's still a thrill.

Our northern luck has to change. Maybe next week, or next month, there'll be another comet or supernova best seen by the lucky people in the Gulf Islands.



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John Nolan as Clarence Darrow

Life of acclaimed lawyer coming to Salt Spring stage

John Nolan's portrayal of Clarence Darrow, the famed American lawyer, is coming to Salt Spring Island in mid-May.

Nolan, a Nanaimo resident, will perform the work at Off Centre Stage on Friday, May 15, and Saturday, May 16. Show time is 8 pm each night.

Tickets for the play are available at et cetera or the door, or by calling Off Centre Stage (537-5211).

The two-hour, one-man show has been compared favourably with Hal Holbrook's Mark Train Monologues and has won awards

for its set and lighting design.

The play, written by David Rintel, is based on Darrow's legal career, which spanned 50 years. Darrow was a successful defence attorney who worked to change the social injustices of his time he defended trade unionists for 17 years, for instance, and through his efforts brought about improved working conditions, including the eight-hour working day and child labour laws.

During his career, Darrow also defended 102 men accused of murder and none received the death penalty - which the lawyer opposed. He was also the first lawyer to use mental illness (not insanity) as a legal defence, and to effectively use plea bargaining as a defence tool.

Darrow was also known for his defence of freedom of speech, liberty and freedom itself. For instance, his career saw him consistently act for Negros facing the prejudices of society.

Another hallmark of Darrow's career was his ability to reduce complex legal arguments into easily-understood terms.

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Off Centre Stage sets schedule for May acts

Off Centre Stage has released a calendar of events covering the next 10 days. It is as follows:

- Thursday, May 14: Jazz Night with Ken Speller and cohorts, featuring Miles Black. Doors open at 7 pm, players begin at 8:30 pm.
- Friday, May 15: Clarence Darrow, a one-man play about America's greatest defence lawyer. Tickets \$6, show begins at 8 pm.

• Saturday, May 16: Clarence Darrow. Same as above.

• Sunday, May 17: TheatreSports workshop from 3 pm to 6 pm, \$10. Performance at 8 pm, \$2.

• Friday, May 22: To A Modern Venus, Angela Brown's multi-disciplinary show depicting women in the 20th Century. Show

• Saturday, May 23: Oracle Workshop with Rosalie Miles, 10 am to 5 pm. To A Modern Venus, same as above.

• Sunday, May 24: Oracle Workshop with Rosalie Miles, second day

of two day workshop, 10 am to 2 pm.

Beaver Point artworks to be exhibited

The Beaver Point Hall will feature an exhibition by four south Salt Spring Island artists this weekend.

Entitled Break Through, the May 15-to-18 event will include a display of fine art by Anne Goodall-Prosk, Paul Hart, Robert Rustad and Ian Thomas. Sculpture, photography and painting by these artists will be available for viewing throughout the

The exhibition opens Friday (May 15) at 7 pm. On Saturday and Sunday, the public is welcome to view the work between 1 pm and 9 pm. The exhibition continues Monday between 1 pm and 5 pm.

Rustad, one of the exhibition's organizers, stressed that this weekend's event is not commercially-oriented. Any donations made by the public will be turned over to the Beaver Point Hall committee.

"This is not a crafts fair," he stressed. "This is not an event that will earn us any money. We just want to show people what we've been doing.

Rustad said it is hoped Break Through will become an annual exhibition of local fine art. Artists living throughout the area will be encouraged to participate in future years, he added.

> Erica and Anthony's Grandma will be 65 on May 16.



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Hospital Day a major event during island's early years

By MIKE TURKKI Hospital Day (May 12) has a long history in British Columbia, particularly in the Gulf Islands.

On Salt Spring, the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital auxiliary has kept the tradition of Hospital Day alive for decades. Even in the 1980s, auxiliary members organize a small celebration each year to mark the occasion; yesterday, for example, a special cake was prepared for hospital staff.

Although Hospital Day is now used by auxiliary members to recognize the important contributions of local health care workers, it once played a far more important role in Salt Spring community

Notes written in 1965 by one of the island's early settlers, obtained last week by hospital auxiliary president Betty Galt, describe the significance of Hospital Day during the island's pioneer period.

According to the early settler who Galt has requested not be identified - Hospital Day was a major social event in the early 1900s, when Lady Minto was operated by a private society and cated in the two-storey building ow occupied by Salt Spring's Community Centre. Fund-raisers were held annually on that date to ensure the hospital had adequate financial resources.

During the years immediately following Lady Minto Hospital's establishment in 1914, for example, Pound Day was held each year to keep the institution in supplies.

Subscribers arrived with a pound of tea or a pound of soap or a pound of meat to help offset the expenses of the new venture (the hospital)," wrote the early settler in her faded Hilroy school note-book. "During the '20s, the name changed to Hospital Day and the event was advertised as a shower d silver tea. Usually, it was ore of a shower than a silver collection, as in 1934 only \$7 was collected. The hospital auxiliary would report what items were in short supply, and hopefully these articles would be donated.

"The scent of lilac always takes me back to Hospital Day," she wrote. "This was a social highlight in Ganges in the days that the community centre on Ganges Hill was the Lady Minto Hospital. "Often the hospital board had great difficulty in getting enough subscribers to cover the operating costs . . . Because the margin of error was so slim, the value of Hospital Day cannot be overlooked. On this occasion, all the islanders who were able would take a gift to the hospital usually food, linen or money. In return, the visitors would be shown over the hospital by the staff, often to admire some new addition to the building or grounds, and have a cup of tea."

Hospital Day, recalled the island settler, was always held on or near the May birthdate of famous nurse Florence Nightingale. The week preceeding this event was a hectic one for Lady Minto staff, who took great pride in the hospital and their work.

"In my day, all week the nurses

'Often the hospital board had great difficulty in getting enough subscribers to cover the operating costs.

would help Lassie Dodds make sure everything was as clean as soap and elbow grease could make it. The cook would have fresh paper on all shelves in the kitchen, and everyone hoped the tempermental stove wouldn't need Spike Alexander to keep it alight on that day of all days (Hospital Day).

"The day of the tea, long tables were set up in the central corridor, and out on the screened porch went the tea tables for the visitors. The auxiliary members brought gleaming silver tea services, their own bone china cups and saucers, and beautifully embroidered tea cloths. Then came the flowers, great bowls of lilac and tulips and narcissi. Flowers were everywhere: in the patients' room, the corridor, the veranda, the dining room. The nurses had each patient in clean linen from top to toe . . . At lunch time, the staff changed to fresh uniforms and the nurses wore their graduation uniforms with starched collars, long sleeves, and bibs and

Donations received from community members on Hospital Day were carefully recorded by Lady Minto officials. The list for 1936, in part, reads: "Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton (donated) pillow cases, towels, vase; Mrs. F.C. Turner gave a tablecloth; Mrs. R. Nichols, bottled fruits and jams; Miss Beddis, cornstarch." More than 100 gifts were donated to the hospital on that date, in addition to produce contributed on a daily basis throughout the year.

Hospital Day, 1940, stood out in the settler's mind as one of the most memorable of such occa-

"That year, Peggy Mouat and Bev Smith had a candy stall and sold raffle tickets on a box of fudge made by the (hospital) matron, Miss M. Ross," noted the woman. "Miss Mary Lees presided over a stall of baby clothes and knitted articles. One of the specialties of Miss Anna and Miss Mary Lees was charming knitted kangaroos about four inches high, each with a tiny joey in its pouch. (The sale of) these gay toys raised many dollars for the Lady Minto and the Red Cross. That year, too, there was a teacup reader, Mrs. George West, and Miss S. Halley told

The provincial government assumed responsibility for Lady Minto hospital after the Second World War. The diary's author, while recognizing the benefits of a government-operated health care system, expressed sadness at the negative impact this had on community-based support for La-dy Minto. Hospital Day, she noted, was never quite the same

"After the government took over . . . it was hard to keep up the same enthusiasm for the hospital. No longer was it necessary to put a plea in the newspaper for babies' nightgowns - now the government would see that the cupboards were stacked with linen, food, china.

"Undoubtedly, the hospital has lost something of the intimacy it once had with its early subscribers. Now, if the hospital needs something, the board can budget for it. Much more efficient, but somehow a little less ours when we no longer need that charming, lilac-scented day of sharing -Hospital Day."

Group discusses Life Skills events

Thirteen members of the Life Skills program support group met May 5 to discuss activities planned for the Gulf Islands Secondary School students.

The meeting, hosted by Val Blackburn and Ethel Mangnus, was told that a picnic planned for Saturday, May 9, had to be postponed until the end of the school term. The event, an openair barbecue, will be held at Booth Bay Resort at a time and date to be determined later.

It was noted that the wheelchair relay, held May 2 in support of the Rick Hansen Man In Motion fund for spinal cord research, raised over \$3,000 in contributions. Support group members were told that the sum represented "a super effort on the part of the group and the community," and were reminded to see that all pledges are promptly collected by students.

The proposed trip to meet

Hansen is on, meanwhile. The support group has received and confirmed its acceptance of an invitation to the welcome-home event planned for Hansen in Coquitlam, where Salt Spring contributions will be presented to the marathoner.

It was decided that Life Skills Program students will rely on public transportation while on the trip, and will be accommodated at an Edith Carell School.

The group leaves for Coquitlam on May 21 and returns to Salt Spring on May 23.

The meeting was also told that individual meetings with parents, regarding student programs and placements, will be held from June 15 to June 19.

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Advocates form their own organization

Tourism business growing on Galiano Island

By BASIL and KATHLYN BENGER

Tourism on Galiano is big business and getting bigger. Its advocates are vocal and have their own organization, GIVA. There are, however, many residents of Galiano to whom tourism means nothing — or a pain in the neck. Very few seniors stand to gain anything from the summer influx of visitors. The attitudes of island residents range from the 'full lifeboat syndrome' to the 'buck imperative.

The first hypothesis likens the island to a boat which is being used to escape from a sinking world. Some people think that the boat is already loaded to capacity, and if more 'refugees' attempt to get on board the boat will sink - or turn into something else like a Coney Island or a Lower Mainland suburb. Zero growth is a concept with long antecedents such as Malthusianism, and is now supported by an impressive array of intellectual Jeremiahs predicting environmental apocalypse. Those in the second category ask first, "What's in it for me?" A minority involved in the tourism industry do give the impression that the maximization of profit overrides every other consideration.

It is probable that the distribution of islanders' opinion about tourism fits the normal bellshaped curve between the two extremes. That is, that most people accept some degree of tourism, but not too much. Most people recognize that it is a privilege to live in such a beautiful environment, and that it would be selfish in the extreme to prevent others from sharing it.

However, this benevolence must be tempered with vigilance, lest the qualities that make Galiano so attractive be destroyed in the enjoying of them. So most islanders are probably schizophrenic about tourism. They welcome friends and even strangers into their homes and onto the island, but feel uneasy and uncomfortable with overenthusiastic and excessive promotion of Galiano.

This situation presents a problem for the Chamber of Commerce, which on Galiano is atypical and functions more as a representative council, a channel of communication from islanders in general (not just those engaged in commerce) to government or public bodies on such matters as ferry schedules. Within the chamber there is a strong lobby on behalf of the tourist industry, but members of the chamber's executive must be aware that there is a large, but unorganized and so far silent group of residents opposed to further and more vigorous promotion of tourism. That the members of this group are in the majority is probable; that they are relatively silent might be in consideration for their neighbours and friends, who stand

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to benefit from increased tourism. Nevertheless, it might be better if the 'majority' were less silent and not let the vocal 'minority' give the impression that everyone on Galiano needs and loves tourists.

Sinclair Exhibition

The Irving Sinclair retrospective at the Galiano Hall on Sunday, May 3, was more fascinating as a biography of the artist than as an art exhibition, although that held great interest for which the organizers, Margaret Robson and Christa Weiss, are to be commended. They had assembled a varied collection of Sinclair's paintings illustrating many periods of the artist's life and development, thanks to a considerable contribution from Irving's niece, Marie Mackie of Saturna. A good representative collection of black and white photographs of earlier paintings hung in the City of Paris Gallery in San Francisco added historical perspective.

Portrait painting was the artist's forte. Portraits of the rich, famous and glamorous, including such diverse subjects as Eisenhower and Greta Garbo, were the incomeproducing efforts of a skilled professional. The Galiano portraits showed the artist as a student of character. The ones of his mother and wife were most revealing, but his Georgeson series were of more local interest. Archie Georgeson and young Rosemary are the subjects of delightful portraits - it is a pity that the one of Mary Harding was sold off the

In mid-career Sinclair favoured landscapes and during his annual summer vacation on Galiano painted the conventional favourite views around Active Pass. His view of the Sturdies Bay wharf with the old Princess Mary tied alongside will remind old-timers of the days when ferry schedules were even more elastic and provocative.

Sinclair himself considered the Crucifixion painting now hanging above the altar in St. Margaret's Church to be his masterpiece. This is a sombre and powerful work. The background is a realistic landscape with a gloomy sky lit by shafts of sunlight with veils of virga falling from the storm clouds. Christ on the cross dominates the picture with its central position. Some parishioners would prefer a more hopeful and less morbid picture, but it is a matter of theological interpretation whether the Crucifixion or the Resurrection is more central to Christian belief.

Sinclair was a master of the oil on canvas technique. He briefly tried acrylic in the 1960s, but returned to oils which he continued to use until the end of his painting life. In his later years he turned out large numbers of

still-lifes and flower arrangements, often completed very rapidly with a pallet knife

The most poignant exhibit in the show was a portrait of Fred Robson begun in 1968. In one sitting the head and face had been completed to perfection. The body was just hinted at in sketch lines. At this point Sinclair became ill and had to go to Lady Minto Hospital where he learned that his illness was terminal. The portrait was never completed.

Fire Prevention

The dry, hot spell should remind us that the 'fire season' is upon us and that any burning without a permit is prohibited. Conditions under which burning is allowed may be ascertained from the North and South Galiano fire chiefs. Last fall the North Galiano New Horizons Fire Services Committee published and distributed a booklet entitled Galiano Island -Fire Prevention. This simply but well-written and indexed 14-page booklet was approved by the B.C. Fire Commissioner and officials of the ministry of forests.

It has been learned that some residents were missed in the mailing. If you have not received your copy ask for one from Chester Williams (2461) if you live in the South Galiano Fire Protection District, or Edith Wishart (2958) for the rest of the

Scottish Dance-Fest

The Scottish Country Dancing season drew to a dramatic close this last weekend, when our local dancers hosted 59 Delta Borderers. All took part in an afternoon workshop and evening party at South Galiano Community Hall conducted by Delta teacher Ruth Jappy to live music of accordion, synthesizer and drum supplied by her husband and daughter, with the miniature mascot of her diminutively-kilted two-year-old grandson.

Before they caught the Sunday ferry home, several dancers played golf, explored Galiano and partook of a delicious Mother's Day breakfast, ably organized by

Coming Events

· On Saturday, May 16, two important events will occur close together in time and space. The W.A. to the South Fire Department will hold their annual Fire Sale in and around the fire hall from 10:30 am until 2:30 pm. Refreshments will be available. At the South Community Hall, officers of the CRD will hold an open house to discuss garbage disposal and reduction, between 12:30 and 2:30 pm.

• On Sunday, Dr. Stuart MacLeod will conduct a United Church Service at St. Margaret's beginning at 11 am.

• Tickets (\$5) for the Galiano School of Arts May 23 Festival Evening Benefit are available now at the GSA office, Burrill Brothers

Store, Corner Store and Spanish Hills Store. Proceeds will go to the Summer Adventures '87 program.

Local History

Last Friday, Gulf Islands historians met at Robert's Chocolate Factory to hear about the geology of Mayne Island from local authoress Marie Elliott. Any Galiano-ite who is willing to act on a short term committee on heritage preservation, please volunteer without delay to Benger at 5702. The next meeting of the Gulf Islands branch will be on Wednesday, June 3, to tour Royal Roads Gardens and Hatley Castle.

the North Galiano Community Association.

Information

Islanders are invited to visit the recently moved and spring-cleaned Tourist Information Centre near Sturdies Bay Ferry Terminal, open at weekend ferry times until the end of June, and then hopefully seven days a week during July and August. To make the timetable a reality, adult helpers are asked to volunteer to manager Wendy Hales at 2735. Wendy wishes to thank Peter Estabrock, Fred Stevens, Peter Rabatich and Bill Calloway for their efforts to relocate and re-furbish the centre.



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Pender Island to host annual Christian Retreat

PENDER ISLANDS — The 11th annual Christrian Retreat will be held from May 29 to 31 at Hope Bay Bible Camp on Pender Island.

Logistical problems caused by ferry schedules have caused some programming wrinkles, retreat organizers said last week. People hoping to take in the full retreat must catch the 6:30 pm ferry to Otter Bay from Swartz Bay, and similar limits when leaving Pen-

Logistical problems cause some program changes

der for Salt Spring on Sunday.

The retreat officially opens at 7:30 pm on Friday, May 21, and continues until after lunch on Sunday, May 31, but a special concentration has been made for the Saturday session "so that islanders can arrive early at Pender in time for breakfast,

spend the day and leave late in the evening, reaching home by a direct ferry," organizers said. "One day is better than none."

Speakers at this year's retreat will be Alvin and Mary Hamill from Victoria. The theme is Prayer: The Key To Renewal And Revival

The retreat features separate adult and youth programs, child care, special music and food. All meals are supplied at the Hope Bay camp. At the campsite, there are unheated cabins, camper and tent spaces. Billets in Pender Island homes are also available.

The retreat is a nondenominational event which costs \$5 per participant, with children under the age of six years being admitted free of charge. There will be a free-will collection to cover expenses.

Pre-registration is through Mrs. MacGregor (629-6117). Further information is available from Bill Sawyer (539-5551). Watch the *Driftwood* classifieds for details.

Mayne Island man ordained as priest

Last month's Easter services were doubly significant for parishioners at Mayne Island's St. Mary Magdalene Parish Church.

Along with celebrating a religious occasion, the service marked the acceptance of a Mayne Island resident into the priesthood.

Congregation member Larry Greig recently completed his studies at the University of B.C.'s Vancouver School of Theology and, on May 1, was ordained into the ministry at Christ Church Cathedral.

"As far as is known from the church records, which date back to 1896, Larry will be the first person to enter the ministry from Mayne Island," reports Denis Simmons, People's Warden at St. Mary Magdelene.

"It is also a major achievement as he retired from the Canadian Armed Forces, after long service, to take up this new challenge in the service of his church."

Greig has always been active in St. Mary's Church as a lay reader, Simmons added, especially during the three years he spent at URC

In appreciation of that service, the Easter service at St. Mary Magdelene saw members of the congregation present Greig with a Concordance, a set of Stoles and a leather-bound book of prayer. The women's auxiliary to the church and the Mayne Island branch of the Royal Canadian Legion added a monetary gift.

Following the presentation, a coffee hour was held.

Bev O'Sullivan

Physiotherapist talks at care group meeting

By ELEANOR HARRISON

PENDER ISLANDS — The Palliative Care Society had an interesting speaker at its last regular monthly meeting, held April 27.

Bev O'Sullivan, Pender Islands Health Care Society's physiotherapist, spoke for over an hour and demonstrated an assortment of aids. She showed the audience crutches, canes, pillows, an ultrasound machine, balance board, a trancutaneous nerve stimulator, back rests and bolsters and explained the value of each in assisting home bed-ridden patients.

In line with this, she also explained quite a number of home-made articles that can be easily used to help bed-ridden patients to be more comfortable, such as a rope ladder which assists the patient to change positions in bed himself, a bicycle inner tube used in exercising, and a large bath towel wrapped around the patients to assist in getting in and out of the bathtub. She stressed there are many self-help devices commercially available and many ideas for home-made devices today.

O'Sullivan said that physiotherapists deal with the muscular system of the body and can do much for ill people by helping them to be more comfortable, more able to cope with their situation and better able to use the capabilities they have to improve the quality of their life.

Exercise and movement is necessary even in older people — it helps them survive longer in a better atmosphere, she said. Physiotherapists, by definition, work primarily with rehabilit-

ation, but the mind and the body cannot work separately.

The ultra-sound machine works well for acute and inflammatory conditions, and a home unit is available. The patient in bed for only a week will notice the quad muscles in the front of the legs weaken; these are the major muscles for standing. He may also feel dizzy — the balance board which can be made at home is excellent therapy here.

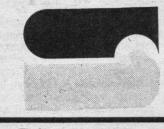
With canes and crutches it is imperative that they be the correct height

The care-giver should do proper exercises herself, encourage the patient to exercise in bed, increasingly progressively and make it a fun challenge where possible.

O'Sullivan spoke about chronic pain and many newer studies and books are available on handling this. She showed some biofeedback devices available, which have been used with success. This is where the trancutaneous nerve stimulator comes into play — it works on a principle similar to acupuncture.

Altogether, O'Sullivan's talk was an enlightening and stimulating hour for the 30 members of the Palliative Care Society who attended.





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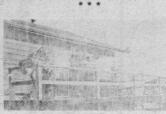
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We have a new student at Saturna School. Brian Carpenter, David's son, now lives on Saturna. Brian loves horses and does a really good job handling the lawnmower at this grandparents'

Yesterday, I arrived at the recycling depot on the right day but during the wrong hours. So I thought I would print the schedule again: Sunday or holiday Mondays (not both), 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm; Thursdays, 10 am to 12

Erin Boser has a new horse. Ken Gillespie sold her Georgie and Erin is very happy. Georgie has gotten right to work and carries Erin up and down to Campbell's every day. Erin will be working there for the next eight weeks, doing all-around farming activities. For Erin, an employment opportunity like this is Heaven.

Later this week is the Saturna Island Volunteer Fire Department's pig barbecue and dance.

saturna scene

by priscilla janszen

That's Saturday, May 16, at the community hall. The schedule of events is: bar opens at 4:30 pm, dinner starts at 6:30 pm, dance is at 8 pm. Cost for adults is \$8 for the dinner and dance, \$4 for kids.

I really enjoy the spring barbecue. The evening is almost always soft and warm, the women wear fancy summery things and the kids play in front of the hall while the adults gab and visit, and succulent pork smells waft around. Lots of people turn out, and it is always a wonderful gettogether.

Come down early, view the dinner cooking (Jon Guy barbecues the homegrown pig in front of the hall) and visit.

The OAP had a marvellous meeting early last week. About 40 people came to share the meal and meeting. Ed West returned to take up the president's chair.

Joan Robertson, the vicepresident, received a hearty round of applause for chairing the meeting while Ed was away.

Melanie Gaines is back teaching at school after a long medical leave. Louise Perimaki, Dawne Milligan, Michael Groblar and Gail Trafford shifted schedules and hours and everything ran smoothly in Melanie's absence. I'm sure the kids enjoyed the change and I'm sure they're glad Melanie is back healthy and

The spring weather has been simply extravagant with sunshine and warmth. Islanders are looking toasty brown with garden dirt and suntans.

My roses are blooming, irises are jumping out, and the grass grows and grows. I know it's time to shear the sheep but the carrots need to go in and the paths need weeding and the cucumbers need to be potted up and the apple trees need to be sprayed for tent caterpillars and who wants to go in the house and do the dishes?

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Helijet Airways will have a new and quieter helicopter operating on its Vancouver-to-Victoria commuter flight next week.

A spokesman for the company said last week that Helijet has received its first Sikorsky S-76 helicopter and will have it in operation by mid-May. The new machine will replace the Bell 412 currently used by Helijet on its Vancouver-Victoria run.

Residents of the Outer Islands who live under Helijet's flight path have complained about noise created by the Bell 412 on its eight daily commuter flights between B.C.'s two largest cities. The company spokesman said Helijet hopes that use of the 12-passenger Sikorskys will alleviate the noise problem.

Daniel Sitnam, president of Helijet, said recently that in addition to addressing the concerns of island residents, the new helicopter will enable the company to meet increasing demands

for its service.
"The Sikorskys are recognized as leaders in helicopter technology," Sitnam said. "Passengers and residents along our route will notice they are quieter than our present Bell 412.

"Advanced engineering has

reduced vibration to a minimum,

resulting in a smoother ride, and its sleek aerodynamic design brings speed, comfort and fuel efficiency advantages. They also have retractable wheels, which permits the required taxiing to and from terminal gates at the international airport.

The new helicopter is the first of three Sikorskys to be acquired by Helijet. The second Sikorsky is scheduled to arrive in early June, and will be put into service almost immediately. A third aircraft, to be acquired at the end of June, will add four flights daily during peak morning and afternoon

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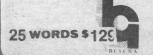


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continuous aluminum eavestrough, downspouts, fascia cover. We also have vented aluminum soffit, you'll never have to paint again. Call Gordon Swan, res: 653-9518; mess: 537-2786. Free estimates, satisfaction quaranteed.

Gravel, immediate delivery, road repair, grading septi fields. 653-9258. 19-tfn

Want to pull a small boat, up to long, up a bank? I have a 110 v motor, reduction gear and drum mounted on a metal base ready to be fastened down and put to work. Take a look. At \$300 you can't go wrong. Offers welcome. Also 21/2-3 hp. Seagull Outboard in good condition, \$150. 537-2925.

LUMBER

CEDAR: Siding-wain edge or common; beams; slabs.

Mel's Mill 397 Musgrave Rd., Fulford

653-4272

oak desk, Maple Kitchen Hoosier, 'Monarch' water pump with 3 horse bike with light set, as new, 1/2 power Briggs & Stratton engine, near new condition. 537-9252.

For Sale

WE BUY & SELL **NEW & USED CHAINSAWS**

Ross & Ganges 537-4204, Harbour's End

Garage Sales

State of the art 2 family garage only. \$2900. 537-5604. sale! Table saw, belt sander, 14" chainsaw, hand saws, 25" metal break, garden tools, weedeaters, lawn baron, push mower, floor polisher, hobby and household stuff galore, even a utility trailer and reliable pickup with canopy to carry it away. Saturday, May 16th, 10 - 4 pm. 272 Rainbow

Saturday, May 16th, Drake Road (above bakery), 10 am. Tent trailer, livestock trailer, sports equipment, skis, English saddle, western saddle, stone crock, carboys, twin beds, crib, roller skates, bikes and trikes Lots of miscellaneous, all cheap. No early birds please.

Sorry folks, due to illness we had to cancel our garage sale. We will try again! Saturday and Sunday, May 23-24, 9 - 3 pm. 760 Sunset Drive. Something for everyone.

Sunday, May 17th, 9 am. to 1 pm. First house on Churchill Road. Fridge, ancient typewriter, BBQ, linens, curtains, night tables and other goodies.

Moving - bargains galore! Gigantic patio sale, May 16-17. 10 am. 950 Walker Hook Rd.

Salt Spring Island Lions Club **GARAGE SALE** SATURDAY, JUNE 6

Anyone having articles to donate for our sale, please phone 537-9525 for pickup by club members.

Saturday, May 16th, 10 - 2 pm. 200 gal. tank, import truck rack, misc. plumbing & electrical, toys, camping stuff, flooring, exhaust fans, desk, very large sets of G. I. Joe and Star Wars toys available to highest offer. Tools, canning stuff & on, & on... 230 Old Divide Rd.

Yard sale household furniture, 74 Galaxie, small and large elec. appliances & misc. items. Saturday, May 16, 10 am. at 131 Leisure Lane.

Cars, Trucks

1970 Plymouth Fury III, air conditioning, power steering, power brakes, overall excellent condition. 4 door sedan \$1200. 537-2406. 19-02

Scrap car pickup. Cash for Phone Walt, 537-9829 or 537-2428.

Blue 1970 Toyota station-wagon, good running condi-\$800 or best offer. Call 653-4506.

1967 Ford pickup, no rust, no dents, new radials. Excellent shape. \$1,000. 537-5631.

78 Volvo 244 DL, 80,000 orig. miles, 2nd owner, all records Exc. mechanical condition, some rust. \$3,500. Phone collect 629-3739 (Pender Island).

1974 Toyota Landcruiser 4 x 4, 4000 km. on rebuilt motor, removable hard top, \$1900. 1975 Saab 99LE, good shape, asking \$1700 obo. 537-5160.

Cars, Trucks

1980 - 400 cc Honda Hawk motorcycle, \$700 obo. 653-4438 after 5 pm.

1972 Mazda 618 - 4 spd. runs well. Stereo, AM/FM cassette, \$600. 537-5124.

1980 Datsun pickup truck, exc. running cond. Low mileage, heater, radio, camper top. Saturday 16th, Sunday 17th,

1976 Dodge Maxi-van, rebuilt auto. trans. New radials, good cond. \$1300 obo. 1972 Volvo 144S, rebuilt motor, good cond. \$1100 obo. 537-2430.

1983 Honda Accord LX, 4 door Excellent condition, \$7,800. 537-2347 eves.

1972 GMC Spring (Camino), \$1000. 1972 Toyota Corolla 1200, 66,000 mis. \$1200 firm. 537-5957 eves.

Mobiles, Trailers

1973 Bendix Citation travel 18 ft. In immaculate condition. Fridge, stove, toilet. Ready to go anywhere. Only 2800 lbs. gross. \$3500, 537

22 ft. Scamper, Class A, motorhome, 1972. Sleeps 4, good running condition. Phone 537-2942. Price \$11,900.

Superior R.V. Centre Ltd., in Sidney, is looking for R.V. consignments. We will pick up from the Gulf Islands. Phone 656-9434

Trailer, tandem axle 21' selfcontained 1969 Kensil. Toilet, fridge, stove, furnace, sleeps 4. \$2,800. 537-4106.

Triangle R. V. Centre offers excellent highway exposure for your consignment vehicle. Also, parts, service, propane, sani-station, and 24-hour car & R. V. Wash. Your complete R.V. Centre. Triangle Homes Ltd., Sidney. Your first Centre off the ferry. 656-1122 DI 5916.

Livestock

Jumbo Ring Necks wild turkeys, fancy chickens and pheasants. Day old chicks or started. Phone 1-479-1889 Victoria. Leave message if necessary.

Horse for sale, 12 yr. old registered mare, trained English and Western, (may board here), \$1000.537-5124.

Estate sale Roberts 34 sailboat. Well built for serious sailors. Has sails, mast, motor, but needs finishing touches. \$28,000 obo. 537-2130.

19½' Glasply hardtop, Volvo 170, 280 leg, completely equipped, Road Runner trailer, recent survey, Coast Guard inspected, excellent shape, \$7800. 537-9576.

16' Fibreglass canoe "Woodstream", \$350. 537-2282. 1

20 hp. Mercury outboard, manual, long shaft, low hrs. \$650. Also, have 8 ft. plastic dinghy as new, \$285. 653-

1981 Catalina 25 for sale or trade. Vessel is well equipped and in excellent condition. Last survey has replacement cost at \$29,500, market price \$22,500. Would accept fair offer in cash or equivalent value in island property or motor boat or combination thereof. Located at Ross & Ganges. 537-2717.

Boats

29' overall steel sloop, \$6,500. 14" radial snows on rims (near new), \$30. Wood stove, enamel exterior, brick inside, \$200.537-2788.

27' fibreglass Tollycraft, factory new power, all new canvas, all safety equip. 537-9428 eves. 18-2

Adventure awaits aboard "Whim" - 16 ft. fibreglass Davidson gaff-rigged day sailer. Easily handled, Seagull outboard. Sleep on cushions under awning. On buoy at Harbours End. \$2500. 537-2709.

WE BUY & SELL USED BOATS & MOTORS

Ross & Ganges 537-4202 at Harbour's End

18-tfn

1977 Tanzer 26' good cond. 4 sails, 9.9 hp. outboard. \$17,500 obo. 537-2837. 18-tfn

Found

Outside Driftwood office last Wednesday evening, ball point pen. Please identify and claim at office.

Child's grey ski jacket found at Centennial Park. Owner please claim at Driftwood.

Watch found at St. Mary Lake on Friday, May 8th. Contact R. 4, LePage Rd., C-4, Ganges, C. VOS 1EO.

Lost

Black and white medium size border collie X, answers to "Patches". Mansell Rd. area, 537-5724.

Will the person who took my 3/8" electric drill, please return it so that I can replace the brushes to make it serviceable. George Smith, Howell Lane.

Anthony can't find his size 10 burgundy jacket and backpack, lost between school and bakery 3 weeks ago. Name inside, 537-5436.

Child's knapsack, pink and two
"Little Ponies", in Centennial
ork May 6. Very dear to a little
l's heart. Contact Box 1311,
Ganges.

Keys on leather fob, vicinity of St. Mary Lake Resort on North End Rd. Call 254-2534 or 537-5938.

Births

Mr. & Mrs. Greg Knoblauch of Gabriola are happy to announce the arrival of their son, Scott Tyson, 9 lbs. 11 ozs. on April 30th. A brother for Eric.

Byron - Patrick, Margaret, Eric and Monica are pleased to announce the arrival of Seth Patrick on May 3. Many thanks to Dr. Graham, Gail Mussell and all the staff at Lady Minto.

Daryl and Rhonda would like to announce the birth of Raymond Little on April 29, brother to Laura, Deanna and Ryan. Thanks to Dr. Buchan and staff of Lady Minto and crew of Fulford ferry. Thanks to all our friends and relatives for their good wishes.

Peter and Gail are happy to announce the birth of their son Evan Victor Eyles on May 3rd. Many thanks to Dr. Jan McPhail and the nurses of Lady Minto.

Pre-natal Counselling & Care

Labour Coaching & Classes JILL OR MAGGIE 653-4397 and 653-4561

Card of Thanks

The Harding family wish to thank those who attended the memorial service for Jean Lockwood, formerly of Galiano, Lay Reader and Rectors Warden of St. Margaret of Scotland Church. Special thanks to Rev. George Taylor, of Pender, for the fine service and comforting words, to Mrs. Parminter organist, and to Mr & Mrs. F. E. Robson for hosting the special tea at their home. Thanks to those who gave to the School Memorial Fund in Jean's memory.

I wish to thank all the nurses at Lady Minto hospital, Drs. Dixon, Heaton and Albright for the care they gave my husband during his final days.

Winifred M. Carter

We would like to thank all of our friends for their kindness in the recent loss of our uncle, Jim McHugh. A very special thank you to his good friends Erwin Shea, Sam Cochrane and Dave Mackie, Drs. Graham & Rowell and his homemaker, Linda Gordon. The ladies at the Bank of Montreal made a very difficult task much easier. Thank you all from the bottom of my heart.

Lee and Mary Ann McColl and family

I would like to thank all the people who made the effort to vote on May 2nd. for Outer Island Regional Director to the Capital Regional District. A special thanks to those who worked and voted for me. By the time this is published, I will have visited all the islands in the company of the CRD Engineering team to acquire your input concerning a solution to the solid waste problems of the island. Parks problems are gradually coming into place on all islands and the new Animal Control Bylaw should soon be available. Any problems or questions, please call 629-3308 anytime. Thank

> Vern Roddick Director, CRD

The South Salt Spring Residents' Association wishes to make public its heartfelt thank you to Joan Ingram. The dedicated contribution she has made to the Association and hence the community through her work as our representative to the Salt Spring Island Transportation Committee is deeply appreciated. Good luck in your future endeavours, Joan.

you.

Sincerely, South Salt Spring Residents' Association

Many thanks to all of our customers and friends for their support and encouragement on our new location.

Pam, Eric and the staff at the

Mobile Market

In Memoriam

Canadian Cancer Society

IN MEMORY/IN HONOUR
In B. C. & Yukon the Canadian
Cancer Society supports
research, education and
patient services. Mail gifts to
Salt Spring Island Unit, Box
1147, Ganges, B.C. VOS 1EO.
Please include name of person
being honoured or name of
deceased and where to send
cards. 13-th

Announcements

SALT SPRING ISLAND ROD & GUN CLUB BEEF BONANZA WON BY Lianne Fidler

Personals

Do you care about your community? Support a community swimming pool.

Travel

RENT-A-CAR



Open 8 - 5 daily GANGES MARINA 537-5331 or 537-5242

In Devon England now! Excellent 1980 Bedford diesel camper van. Sleeps 4, H & C water, shower, head, stove, grill & fridge. Info, Bruce or Ragnhild. 537-4178.

Wanted

Child's rocking chair, Westfalia tent, electric juicer. 537-4178.

WANTED:

Flat - Smooth SANDSTONE

suitable for paving

WILL PAY \$1 PER SQ. FT. CASH — DELIVERED Call Dennis 537-5105 (8-5 days)

We buy odds 'n' ends, furniture, china, tools, hardware, just about everything. Bring it to us or we'll come to you. The Great Ganges Junk Co. 537-4421. We deal in almost anything!

Single box spring & mattress, good condition, wooden rocking chair, good condition, large chest of drawers, good condition. 537-4507.

Work Wanted



JACK OF ALL TRADES

COMPLETE PROPERTY MAINTENANCE Pete McKenzie - 537-5261

ELECTRICIAN

Will work by hour or contract. Have it done right the first time. Free Estimates. Phone Jim: 537-4327

Thymes Decor, interior designing, painting, wallpapering for 23 years. Honest work at very reasonable rates at a spring special. Call Raymond, 537-5309 or 537-9525. References.

Landscaper and gardener horticulturally trained and experienced in design, planting, maintenance, pruning and greenhousing. Fully insured. Phone David, 653-4270.

Reliable lawn and garden maintenance, \$8/hr. \$50/mo. 537-9525.

Old trees turned to firewood or will haul away to clear lot. Need cedar rails split? Rates \$6/hr. Sawing \$12/hr. Half cords for sale. D. Tully, 537-5444.

Man available for odd jobs, manual labour, garden work, willing to travel inter island, no job is too small. 537-9857.

Reliable experienced man available for lawn & garden maintenance, fencing, carpentry. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone John, 537-2247.

Help Wanted

Supervisor wanted, Pender Island Co-op Preschool. 5 - 2½ hr. sessions/week. Min. Sal. \$640/mo. P.C.C.F.L.B. pref. 629-6435.

Help Wanted

Waiters or waitresses required. Apply in person at Kanaka Restaurant.

\$8/hr. Challenging full-time summer employment opportunity available on Salt Spring Island for a responsible enthusiastic student to direct a children's Day Camp. Candidate must possess driver's license, first aid knowledge and a love of children. Supervisory experience preferred. Minimum age Application deadline: May 22/87. Pick up application forms at Salt Spring Island Community Society or Gulf Island Secondary School. Phone 537-9212. Recreation Program Director, SSI Community Society, Box 1106, Ganges, B.C. VOS 1EO.

Part time help needed in retail store. Must enjoy working with the public, be self-motivated, have cash experience. Please apply to Box 826, Ganges, B.C.

\$8/hr. Opportunity for fulltime July/August Employment in Aquatics required on Salt Spring Island. A selfmotivated, people oriented student to supervise and instruct backyard swimming lessons. Must hold a current Bronze Cross, Red Cross Water Safety Instructor's I & II, provide own transportation, possess First Aid knowledge and be comfortable with children and adult lessons. Supervisory experience preferred. Minimum age 18. Application deadline: May 22/87. Pick up application forms at Salt Spring Island Community Society or Gulf Islands Secondary School. Phone 537-9212 or write Recreation Program Director, SSI Community Society, Box 1106, Ganges, B.C. VOS 1EO.

GULF ISLANDS COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL

Challenge '87 Student Employment Program JUNE 1st to SEPTEMBER 4th

Manager's Assistant for ARTCRAFT '87. Applicants should have a commercialretail background. Phone 537-2053, or write to Box 682, Ganges, for details. 18-2

Cook and waitress required at Rita's Inn. Apply in person. tfn

Required by June 1st. Lady to clean and make juices in Walker Hook area. Car required. Send resume. P. O. Box 1405, Ganges.

Part-time meat wrapper required. Must be available to work evenings and Sundays. Contact Meat Department, Ganges Village Market. 19-tfn

Green Acres Resort requires mature, physically fit person for housekeeping and other related duties. 25-30 hours per week, \$7/hr. Experience an asset but will train. Contact Richard at 537-2585, or in person at resort office.

Wanted to Rent

Have yo a 2-bdrm. bungalow with garden to offer for long term rental? Required by N/S quiet, retired couple. Phone eves. collect, 1-245-7982. 1

For July & August, retired Canadian couple, non-smoking, no children, no pets, require minimum 2 BR. home-fireplace would be nice. Local references available. Phone Collect, 213-540-3300 or write particulars to Bill Powell, 5208 Cathann Street, Torrance, California 90503.

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HOME OWNERS

WANT TO RENT YOUR HOUSE but are worried about the problems that go with renting? Let me handle this for you. R. D. Property Management 537-5411

Wanted to Rent

Dry storage space, 537-5983.

Local professional couple seeks house to rent, preferably near Ganges. Experienced in carpentry, livestock handling, etc. and pleased to undertake some caretaking duties. Phone lan Clement, 537-5505 or 537-5888.

Moving back home. Need 2/3 bdrm. house by June 1st, Please call Pete, 403-723-4506, collect.

For Rent

4 BR. overlooking good swimming lake at South End, available late June to late August. Negotiable rent, references please. 653-4558.

3 BR. quality home, walking distance to Ganges & the beach. \$500 per month. Call 537-2563 or 653-4576 after 6 pm.

Space for rent, storage or shop. 300 sq. ft., utilities incl. \$150. Apply Anvil Iron Works. 537-5631.

Rustic 2 bedroom cabin for May and June. Available now. \$250/mo. 537-9786 or 536-5183, Vancouver.

Fulford Harbour, small 2 bdrm. cottage, \$350/mo. plus utilities. Suits one person. Call Kirstie eves. 537-5432. 18-2

Automobile repair shop, 13, power and water. 653-4335

HMS Ganges Apartments, 537-2670. 16-tfn

Community Services

Are you having a problem controlling your eating? If you're interested in helping yourself, we're interested in helping you. Call Overeater's Anonymous, 537-9253 or 537-2618.

A.A. Meetings

537-4170 537-2618 537-2317

Dressings are free to Cancer patients by the Order of the Eastern Star. Contact Carol Spencer, 537-2154 or Health Services, 537-5541.

ALANON-ALATEEN FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS OF ALCOHOLICS

Meeting Fridays 1 pm.
Nurses' Residence or call 5372317. 12-tfn

Canadian Adoption Re-Union Registry (CARR), for adoptees, birth parents and siblings. Write to: Box 7051, Station D., Victoria, B.C. V9B 4Z2.

Notices

OPEN

Simpson Rd. off Sunset Dr. SATURDAY & SUNDAY May 16th & 17th YOUR HOST: GIL MOUAT 537-9272 (24 hrs.) Salt Spring Lands Ltd. 537-5515 Dir. Dial Vict. 656-5554

Salt Spring Island Achievement Centre's new phone number: 537-5251.

Regular monthly meeting of the Planning Association on Wednesday, May 20th, 7:30 pm. at the School Board Office, everyone welcome!

Oracle Workshop with Rosalie Miles, Saturday, May 23, 10 am. - 5 pm. Sunday, May 24, 10 am. - 2 pm. \$15. Reserve your place by calling Off Centre Stage at 537-5211.

CHURCH

Sunday, May 17

Community Gospel Chapel

Drake Rd., Ganges
Worship Service 10:30
am Sundays with
Sunday School classes
for the children.
Evening Service 7:30
Bible Study & Prayer
Thursday 7:30 pm
Pastor:
Rev. S. F. Hildebrandt

Rev. S.F. Hildebrandt 537-5757 537-2622

Ganges United Church

Hereford Ave., Ganges
Worship Service 10 am
with Sunday School for
Nursery to 15 years.
Minister:

Rev. A.N. Skinner 537-5812 537-9343

Anglican Parish Salt Spring Island

St. Mark's Holy Eucharist 11:15 am
St. George's Holy Eucharist 9:15 am
with Sunday School
St. Mary's Matins 11:15 am
with Sunday School

Rev. James Koester Parish office: 537-2171

Catholic Church Salt Spring Island Fulford - 9 am Ganges - 10:30 am Saturdays -Ganges, 5 pm

Salt Spring

Pentecostal
Assembly
Central Hall

Sunday School 9:30 am Worship Service 10:30 Bible Study Wed. 7 pm HOME MEETINGS Pastor: Jim Caruso 537-4143 Affiliated with P.A.O.C.

Salt Spring Island Baptist Church Admiral Hall

506 Lower Ganges Rd. Sunday — Family Service 10:30

with Sunday School Evening Fellowship 7:00 Wednesday— Home Bible Study 7:00 Thursday—Ladies' Home Bible Study 9:30

Pastor:

Rev. Brian Joyce

537-2222

Galiano Island
St. Margaret of
Scotland - Anglican

Sundays - 11 am

Notices

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Salt Spring Island Homemakers Service

will hold their annual meeting in the Nurses' residence behind Lady Minto Hospital at 2 pm. on Wednesday, May 20th, 1987. Any interested island resident is welcome to attend. Immediately following the above meeting the Salt Spring Island Meals on Wheels will hold their annual meeting.

Notices

Salt Spring Island Social Credit Group Annual General Meeting and Elections, Thursday, May 21, 7:30 pm. School Board Office.

Gulf Islands School District #64

There will be a Regular Meeting of the Board of School Trustees held in the Board Office on Thursday, May 14th, 1987. The meeting will commence at 1 pm. Public Welcome.

Sharpen & repair garden tools, cutting tools, saws. Anvil Iron Works, 111 Robinson Rd., 537-

ISLAND CINEMA

Fri., Sat., Sun. May 22, 23, 24 CENTRAL HALL - 8 PM.

STAR TREK IV

MATURE - reservations at et cetera 537-5115, Mon. to Sat. 10 - 5 pm.

T'ai Chi Classes in Centennial Park weekdays 10 am. Saturdays & Sundays 1 pm. starting May 18th. Rototilling \$10/hr. Moving and hauling \$15/hr. Piano lessons \$8/1/2 hr. your home. Phone Tao at 537-4487

Theatresports is coming! Workshop and performance Sunday afternoon and evening, May 17th. Phone Off Centre Stage to register for the workshop and reserve your tickets. 537-5211. 17-3

FESTIVAL OF ARTS AND DISCOVERY: May 23 and 24. A variety of crafts and performing arts events for children. Saturday 10 am. to 3 pm. Evening entertainment for adults. 7 pm. to 10 pm. South Galiano Community Hall. Sunday is Family Day in Montague Marine Park. 11 am. to 2 pm. Sponsored by Galiano School of Arts, 539-5022



Pool Society SLIDE SHOW

TOPIC: The Leisure Pool Concept - available to any local group. For booking or information, call 537-9265.

Jazz Nite with Ken Speller and cohorts, every second Thursday at OC Stage. May 14 next. Doors open 7:30 pm. Ask about our 2 for 1 jazzy special offer. Admission \$3.

Be Kind To Animals Week Annual Membership Drive General Membership \$5 Senior citizens membership \$2. Sustaining membership \$10. Saltspring Island Auxiliary to the Victoria branch, SPCA, Box 522, Ganges, B.C. VOS 1E0, 537-2123.

GET IN THE SWIM!

C'mon, everybody! Help us reach 2000 members! You can join us at the Saturday Farmers Market, the Fernwood or Vesuvius stores, the Fulford Post Office, Pharmasave, by mailing to Box 531, or by phoning 537-9265. \$5/family, \$3/individual. And remember wear your button!

ALERT LINE

A medical alarm service for the ill or elderly living alone. FOR INFORMATION, PHONE **SUE RAMSEY 537-5616**

Andrea's & Terry's 24 hour child care and babysitting services. Your home or mine. TLC, reasonable rates. French immersion on request. End of Geigrich Rd. Phone 537-9439.

Coming Events

Gulf Island Christians, come to a non-denominational retreat May 29 to 31, at Hope Bay Bible Camp, Pender Island. Speakers are Alvin and Mary Hamill. Separate adult and youth programs. Pre-register 629-6117. Information, 539-5551.

Friends of Vesuvius Beach. Join us 8 am. onward, Thursday, May 14th, for beach clean-up, including horse logging. Phone 537-2618 for

PSYCHIC READINGS HOLISTIC ENERGY READINGS WITH RATNA

A reading can give you a sparkling reflection of what is happening in your life.

By appointment: PHONE RATNA 537-5040

Many thanks to those who donated articles for the Gulf Island Shrine Club Garage Sale. It was a wonderful success

> SALT SPRING ISLAND **GARDEN CLUB**

MAY MEETING

WEDNESDAY, May 20 - 8 pm. United Church Hall GUEST SPEAKER: Mr. Doug Hosgood

TOPIC: What is new in growing roses

The speaker is a life member and past president of Vancouver Rose Society, is an all round gardener specializing in winter/spring gardens and nurturing about 250 roses of all types

EVERYONE WELCOME SEE YOU THERE!

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Carpet Cleaning FOR 3 DAYS ONLY May 25-27

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AVAILABLE Call Arlene Dashwood 537-5050 or Salt Spring Home Design Centre, 537-2111 for information and estimates.



Salt Spring Painters Guild ANNOUNCES

8th Annual Spring Show

SATURDAY, MAY 16 SUNDAY, MAY 17 MONDAY, MAY 18

10 am. - 5 pm. Mahon Hall RAFFLE: Limited edition print donated by Brien Foerster "Sea Otter with Urchin". Special showing of Weavers and Spinners Guild project "The Sea Around Us."

ARTISTS: Bring paintings for hanging Friday, May 15th between 1 and 5 pm.

"To a Modern Venus" multimedia one-woman show featuring Angela Brown. At OC Stage, Friday, May 22 Saturday, May 23. 8 pm. \$5. Tickets at et cetera and the

The Growing Place, 2036 N. End Rd. is pleased to present its fine selection of tomatoes, basil, brassicas, cucumbers, squash and selected flowers, ready to plant in your garden. Hours are 9-12 am, Tuesday to Friday, or by arrangement at 537-4077. Bob and Laura Stimpson.

Coming Events

THEATRESPORTS

'action packed nonsense for silly wits". Spectators: showtime 8 pm. - \$2. Daring participants workshop: 3 pm. 6 pm. - \$10.

SUNDAY, MAY 17

CALL OC STAGE: 537-5211

Off Centre Stage presents the 'Clarence Darrow' starring award winning John Nolan, Friday, May 15th and Saturday, May 16th, 8 pm. Tickets \$6 at et cetera and

Orcas Gallery

invites you:

To view recent works by Inuit Sculptor Abraham Anghik Graphic Artist Patricia and Dick

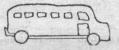
MAY 16, 17 and 18

Salt Spring Island Tennis Association Ladies Doubles **Tennis**

Tournament SUNDAY, MAY 24th

Sign up with a partner or individually by contacting: Marianne Allan, 537-2635, home or 537-2213, work.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 64 CONTINUING EDUCATION



Bus Trip to Vancouver

SATURDAY & SUNDAY MAY 30 & 31

\$70 - includes hotel (based or two to a room, less for 3 or 4), ferry, all admissions and Sunday brunch in Stanley

VISIT: Sun Yat Sen Garden in Chinatown; Museum of Anthropology and Nitobe Japanese garden, both at U.B.C.; Gardens at Stanley Park; Show at the Planetarium. Complete itinerary in the Continuing Education office in Mouat's Mall, 537-2822. DEADLINE: For registration, Thursday, May 21st, 2 pm. NOTE: a deposit now will hold your space on the bus.

CHAIR CANING:

ILLTYD PERKINS - A Saturday workshop, 6 June, 10 am. - 4 pm. in the H.S. Woodshop. Fee \$20 (includes materials.) Bring a chair and learn chair caning with an expert. If you wish to use rushing instead, call instructor well in advance). Pre-registration by Monday, June 1. Call Continuing Education, 537-2822.

SALT SPRING ISLAND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING THURSDAY, MAY 14th

7:30 pm. School Bd. Office

Election of 3 officers. Please attend and give your

Ewart Gallery, 175 Salt Spring Way, cordially invites you to attend the Gallery Artists Show, May 16, 17 and 18, 11 5 pm. Open House Refreshments. Show continues till May 30th.

Business Opportunity

Fishing Charter Business - due to ill health, will be sold. Including 26' Trojan with F/W cooled Ford Intersepter Engine, in beautiful condition, 20.5 ft. Bayliner I/O, all reconditioned. Two 15' rentals, 4 trailers, 6 hp., 10 hp., 50 hp. outboards. Offers will be considered on asking price of \$25,000. VHF, radios, TV type depth explorer & CB. Phone 537-5028 or 537-

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Hammer and Spade

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Site work began last week on Grace Point Holdings' property in

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The first invitational tender package for site excavation and foundations has been awarded to MCL Construction Ltd. of Burnaby, after a close competition with

several bidders — including three Salt Spring Island firms.

One of the first jobs undertaken will be the driving of piles to stabilize the foundation of Grace Point Holdings' new building along Fulford-Ganges Road. The construction site entrance will be located opposite Purvis Road to minimize the impact of construction vehicle traffic on the village's main intersection. A chain-type fence will be erected around the site for public safety.

Questo says that efforts will be made by Grace Point Holdings to minimize any public inconveconstruction.

"Constructing a commercial building isn't a silent operation, unfortunately," Questo said, 'and we have to ask the public to bear with us and understand that we're going to build it as quickly as possible with a minimum of disruption downtown.'

Salt Spring Insurance, a longtime tenant of Grace Point Holdings' property east of Centennial Park, has been temporarily relocated on Mouat's Trading Company property between the fire hall and the Kanaka Restaurant until the firm's new space in

e Point 3q lare is completed. Half of the building formerly occupied by the insurance firm was moved to the property April 28, while the remaining section has been transported to Harbour's

End Marine and Equipment. Salt Spring Esso, operated by Dennis and Sherry Beech, will remain in its current location east of Centennial Park throughout the summer.

This Week in Recreation

MEN'S COMPETITIVE SLOWPITCH: May 14: Barflies vs. Beachbums, Little League; Rebs vs. Scorpions, Portlock. May 19: Barflies vs. Scorpions, Fulford 1; Rebs vs. Beachbums, Portlock. Rainouts to be held on Sunday eves.

SOFTBALL: Salt Spring Softball Association first meeting Wednesday,

May 13, Salt Spring Elementary library, 8:30. FRIDAY NIGHT SLOWPITCH: May 15: Swamp Rats vs Soccos, Fulford; Canada Dry vs Rebs, Hydro; Gang Green vs Piledrivers, Little

League; Jellyfish vs Palm Creamers, Portlock. Lust BYE.



Course graduates taken for spin in Zodiac

Youths receive boating training

Eight Grade Six and Seven students who have just graduated from the Let's be Boatwise course, sponsored and taught by members of the Salt Spring Island Power and Sail Squadron, had the thrill of putting the training to practical use aboard the Coast Guard vessel Skua on Saturday morning during a brief cruise around Ganges harbour.

The course taken by the students consisted of five 1½ hour sessions on consecutive Thursday afternoons and two Saturday mornings on the water. While the course was conceived and is taught by the Canadian Power Squadrons

in many areas across Canada, it has been enthusiastically endorsed by educational authorities and the Canadian Coast Guard.

The objective is to teach the children some of the basics of safe boating and how to correctly react in the case of emergencies. It was originally conceived several years ago in eastern Canada following an incident when a young boy was out boating with his grandfather and was confronted with a medical emergency with which he was unable to cope.

In the course, the students are taught to identify their own or any other vessel in distress; to be able to give the location of their vessel relative to visible landmarks or navigation aids; to properly call for assistance by radio; to know the rudiments of operating their vessel including the right of way; to understand the use and care of lifejackets and common sense safe seamanship.

This year's course was taught by Squadron Commander Max Fitch and the students who took the course are: Christopher and Jeremy Huntley, Ian Jenkins, Blake Langley, Anthony Marks, Darren Nordine and Brendon and Garrett Wall.

United Way grant given to society

The Salt Spring Island Community Society has received a \$6,000 Outreach grant from the United Way organization of Greater Victoria.

Community society director Barbara Jordan-Knox said Monday the money will be used to continue the Achievement-Centre's Hands-On Training Program for the handicapped.

"The program enables handicapped people, under supervision, to provide services such as yard clean-up, chopping wood, collecting seaweed for gardens when it's in season, and delivering kindling to people's homes," Jordan-Knox explained. "The money will enable us to continue this program, as well as market their crafts and sell the produce from their garden at Vesuvius in the Farmers' Market."

The society's director said the Hands-On Training Program, which has been in operation for two years, helps handicapped people learn social skills and teaches them to manage money.

"It links us with the community," she added.

Jordan-Knox said the community society was extremely fortunate to receive the one-year United Way grant. She noted that the Victoria service organization received approximately 54 requests totalling an estimated \$250,000, yet had only \$84,000 to allocate.

"Six thousand dollars was about the most awarded," she said.

Jordan-Knox encouraged local residents interested in having work done by the Achievement Centre to contact community society officials.



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In general terms the intents of the following proposed by-laws are as follows:

- a) Proposed By-law No. 179 is a by-law to amend Capital Regional District By-law No. 118 cited as "Official Community Plan (Electoral Area 'F' Salt Spring Island) By-law, 1972" to change the plan policies respecting Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, Plan 5827, Section 1, North Salt Spring Island to provide for Automobile Service and Repair as a main use, with Residential-Multiple Family as a secondary use.
- b) Proposed By-law No. 180 is a by-law to amend By-law No. 123 cited as "Zoning By-law, Salt Spring Island, 1985" by changing the zoning classification of a portion of Lot 4, Plan 13791, Section 3, Range 3 East, North Salt Spring Island from the Residential 1 (R1) Zone to the Commercial 1 (C1) Zone as shown on Plan No. 1 attached to and forming part of the by-law.

The general location of the portion of the land subject of the by-law alteration is shown on the sketch below.



A copy of the proposed by-laws may be inspected at the Islands Trust Office, 747 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C. between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday inclusive.

For the convenience of the public only, and not to satisfy Section 957(2)(v) of the Municipal Amendment Act, 1985, an additional copy of the proposed by-laws may be inspected at the Capital Regional District Building Inspection Office, Salt Spring Island

CYNTHIA HAWKSWORTH Manager

18-2

Two tie for first in tennis meet

The season's first round-robin mixed tennis tournament was played in glorious weather last weekend on Salt Spring Island.

Stephanie Rowely and Brenda

Demons take top spot in men's tennis

Don's Dazzling Demons won the recent season-opening men's team doubles tennis tournament on Salt Spring Island. The event, called the Jack Fisher Special, attracted six teams and involved 27 players.

The Demons took top spot with a record of nine wins and one defeat. Team members were Don Hartwig, Pat Tiernan, Dennis McMasters and Art Botham.

Finishing second was Toby's Tigers, while Grewal's Graphite Gophers placed third. Tied for fourth were the Banditos and Gordie's Golden Boys, and in sixth spot was Coehlo Quick Quailers.

Island-wide softball group to be discussed

Salt Spring Island groups involved with softball are holding a meeting tonight (Wednesday) at 8:30 pm. in the room adjacent to Salt Spring Elementary School's

The meeting has been called to discuss the possibility of forming an island-wide organization to promote both competitive and recreational softball here.

Recreation commission member Wayne Taylor said Monday: "Presently, there are over 30 teams playing softball on the island, from very young children adults of many ages. Groups vited to send representatives (to tonight's meeting) include the Salt Spring Ladies' Softball Association, the Salt Spring Men's Softball Association, men's competitive slowpitch, mixed recreational slowpitch, minor softball and the umpires."

Taylor said a major concern of all island softball groups appears to be the poor condition of many local playing fields. He explained that there is only one public ball diamond on the island (located at Portlock Park). All others - eight in total - are located on either school district or private property.

The fields' poor condition is directly related to a lack of maintenance. Taylor explained that School District 64 has only two individuals to look after all of its fields, while fields located on private property often receive no maintenance work.

"The school district has eight fields and only two guys to maintain them," Taylor said. "There is no way two people can keep them all up."

Taylor suggests that all softball organizations on the island form an organization that could develop a ball diamond maintenance

"It would likely entail holding workbees, that type of thing," he said. "One of the major focuses would be to work with the recreation commission and school board to upgrade and improve the

Taylor also hopes that clinics can be held on the island to train new umpires.

Cornwall tied for first place on the ladies' side with a total set score of 23, while Jack Fisher took it all on the men's side with a perfect 24 score

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Hardy places first

Ladies play qualifying round

By PAT DOHERTY

On Tuesday, the 18-hole ladies played the qualifying round for the Rose Bowl. Medalist Connie Hardy shot a 91, while runner-up Irene Hawksworth posted a score of 93. Low net was Dollie Whorley at 68, and runner-up was Jerry

Alexander at 70. The putt pot was taken by Shirley Parsons with 27 putts.

The ladies held their annual invitational last week and could not have bought better weather for the tournament. The results will be in next week's report.

The men will play their raindelayed start for the Morris Mouat Cups and the qualifying round for the Matson on Saturday.

The course is in tremendous shape and Nick and his greenskeeping staff are to be congratulated for a job well done.

FC to stage its second tournament

By MALCOLM LEGG

This weekend at Portlock Park the Salt Spring FC men's soccer team will stage its second annual soccer tournament for the Eric Springford Challenge Cup.

The three-day tourney will feature five teams, including FC, Sidney Clarage, Victoria West, Andy Capp (Vancouver) and Sidetrack United (Vancouver, and last year's winner)

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Saturday and Sunday will see round-robin play starting at 11 am and ending around 5:30 pm. The top four from these games will advance to Monday play.

The final day will see the semifinals at 10 am and 11:15 am, with the final at 1:30 pm.

The official kick-off ceremony will be held prior to the 12:15 pm Saturday game, which involves Salt Spring FC, and the closing ceremonies wil be on Monday at 3 pm. We hope to have a couple of the old-timers out for the ceremonies.

On all three days, there will be liquid refreshment available courtesy of the Lions Club, and the Salt Spring Soccer Association will have its concession stand running to provide food and goodies. We also hope to have the Lions barbecue going late Sunday, if all works out.

As a special presentation on Monday at 12:30 pm, there will be a penalty shot competition between those players who wish to enter.

The concept of the tournament is to feature some excellent men's soccer over the three days and to honour the memory of all those who have played soccer on Salt Spring over the years.

Naming the trophy after Eric Springford, an old-timer, is our way of remembering that the roots of soccer on Salt Spring go way back to the turn of the century, and that names like Cartwright, Lumley, Nichols, Crofton, Roland, Morris and many, many more should always be remembered.

So whether you played 50 years ago or yesterday, come out and cheer the good old times while watching the modern-day counterparts in action. It should be a great weekend of soccer.



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down through the years

Twenty-five years ago

• The steadily-worsening school tax situation in the Gulf Islands caused concern among people living in the region.

The Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce, upset by recent tax increases, compiled a list of tax figures and sent it to B.C. minister Earle C. Westwood. The mill rate had increased to 19.9 from 1958's figure of 11.46.

• It was announced that Howard Green, minister of external affairs, would visit Salt Spring Island.

Green was scheduled to address a public meeting to be held in Mahon Hall. W.F. Matthews, Progressive Conservative MP for the area, was to accompany the minister.

• The regular monthly meeting of the Anglican Church women's auxiliary was held in the Parish Hall on May 11. President of the organization, Mrs. G.H. Holmes, chaired the session. The group decided to send \$5 to the Caroline Macklem Home Garden Fete.

wenty years ago

 Mac Mouat took the lead in an ongoing fishing derby organized by the Salt Spring Island Rod and Gun Club.

Mouat hauled in a 20-pound, eight-ounce salmon — the largest caught in the derby at that time. He took over top spot from Fred Morris, whose 11-pound spring salmon had been the largest caught

• Tenders had been called on the construction of five new class-rooms at Gulf Islands Secondary School.

The addition of the classrooms was approved in a building referenda accepted in December by Island residents. Plans and spe-

Scations for the classrooms were ing prepared by the Victoria architectural firm of Siddall and Dennis.

• Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital handled more patients in one year than ever before, according to a report delivered by Douglas Cavaye.

In-patients numbered 663 in 1967, up 43 per cent from the previous year. The hospital treated 1,543 out-patients during the year, an increase of 56 per cent.

Fifteen years ago

• A fatal automobile accident, the second in two weeks, occurred on Salt Spring.

Police said a young student nurse from Royal Jubilee Hospital died when the vehicle in which she was riding left the road and dropped over a 20-foot embank-

• April was a cold month, according to Ganges weather observer Howard Carlin.

Salt Spring also received 21 days of overcast weather and rain during the month. During the remaining nine days of April, Carlin said, the island received a few sunny periods and a lot of cold, windy weather.

• The ministry of highways pulled its crews off a road widening project on North Beach Road after residents complained about the work.

The protest was followed by another by residents who supported the project. Objectors said widening the road would make it

with Driftwood

more dangerous, while those who supported the work said it was already dangerously narrow.

Ten years ago

• Population figures for the Gulf Islands were released by the Capital Regional District.

The population of the entire Gulf Islands was listed as 6,288. Salt Spring Island had a population of 4,439.

• A Salt Spring Island woman almost drowned when she was pinned beneath a log on the beach at Southey Point.

Marjorie Beggs of Quebec Drive went down to the beach at the end of Arbutus Road and sat on a log. The log rolled, trapping Beggs underneath it. Her calls for help were heard by Dr. Jerry Nestman.

The log had to be sawn through to free Beggs. The tide was coming in, and by the time the rescue was effected, Beggs was half submerged.

• The B.C. Ferry Corporation announced fare reductions on most Gulf Islands routes, although the prices of commuter tickets and resident fares were unaffected.

As a result of the changes, it was cheaper to travel to Vancouver. The cost of travelling between Vancouver and the Gulf Islands was \$9 for a vehicle, \$3 per adult passenger and \$1.50 per child.

• Health Minister Bob McClelland announced that \$455,000 had been allocated to Lady Minto hospital for improvements.

The improvement project included the addition of 10 extended care beds and some renovations to existing facilities.

Five years ago

• A second store in Ganges was given a new lease on life after its owners made structural changes to the building.

to the building.

The Capital Regional District's board agreed to allow the modification of Turner's Store so that it could accommodate two business-

A stop-work order had been issued on modifications to the building, but Les Ramsey appealed the health officer's decision, sion to without a certificate.

• It was announced that the Grade Nine program at the Pender Island school would be discontinued until further notice.

The decision to end the program was made by trustees, who cited a lack of support from Pender Island parents. Pender trustee John Zacharias said predicted enrolment at the school was six, and it was inefficient to run a full Grade Nine program for so few students.

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