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Salt Spring youngsters find alternative activities on Salt Spring as they gather for Kindergym. Above, Elizabeth Guthrie practices shot-put, while, at left, Kimberly Cormack takes a pitstop after bouncing on the trampoline.

Local heart foundation sets goal for Salt Spring fund-raising drive

The Salt Spring chapter of the British Columbia Heart Foundation is hoping to raise \$10,000 this month during its annual heart fund

Committee chairman John Crofton said this year's goal is slightly less than it was in previous years. He added, however, he was not sure until recently that the schools would be sponsoring their annual Jump for Heart campaign.

That campaign is one of the larger sources of revenue for the group and will go ahead later this

Like last year, there will be an annual mail-out. Crofton said response to the mail-out on Salt Spring has generally been low. Last year, of the 5,000 donation forms sent out from Vancouver, only 200 were returned.

The focus this year, he said, will be on "Tag Day." The event, scheduled for this Saturday at the firehall, will offer participants an information display. At the same time, volunteers will circulate Ganges, collecting donations for this year's campaign.

The group has also planned a bowl-a-thon at Leisure Lanes Bowling on Blain Road, beginning this Sunday at 11 a.m. Pre-registration is not required and pledge forms are available at the door.

Crofton said the group hopes to attract a large number of families to this event. He noted a variety of prizes will be awarded in several

A spokesman with the heart foundation in Vancouver said heart disease is still the leading cause of death in Canada, responsible for 43 per cent of the deaths that occur in this country every year. The principle cause of heart disease is still smoking followed by high cholesterol intake.

Linda Muller, communications co-ordinator with the Heart Foundation, said \$5.5 million dollars was raised last year in this province for the heart fund. She noted that this year, the foundation plans to change its emphasis from research to prevention.

In the past, 63 per cent of the money raised by the heart foundation was used for research and 20 per cent for education and prevention programs.

This year, however, the amount

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There were a few cars waiting for the Salt Spring ferry and a heap of crows pecking away happily at the rich remains of a load of hay to be garnered from an Alberta trailer rig deadheading back to the land of wild roses.

People walked past and others hurried past and the crows went on pecking away at the bits. Suddenly there was a massive exodus as the crows fled. The only person approaching was a very inoffensive lady, but the crows weren't sticking around. The woman wandering across the compound was lead-

Ferry compound crows are used to people and assume them to be harmless. But they just have to draw the line somewhere and that line seems to come down the middle of the dogs. And the truck was gone before the dog was driven away to leave the field clear for the black birds.

Renting my own land

I went to the hospital last week. It was not as a fearful patient, dreading the needle and worse, but as a visitor and more than a visitor, for I knew that I could never be stricken as was my daughter, Jill.

I visited the maternity ward. It was a slow haul.

I drove from Sidney to the Saanich Peninsula Hospital and went to park my car. The parking fee is 50 cents. I went through my pockets and, of course, I had only one quarter. Should I park, despite the warning that the parking area is controlled? Or should I forget my daughter and return home for lack of 25 cents?

My natural fear of authority, coupled with the submission learned from my military training, resulted in my returning to my car and driving away. What would happen otherwise? If my car were stolen by the hospital administration as a punishment for my coming to Vancouver Island insufficiently provided with quarters I could end up with a charge of anywhere from \$25 to \$100 according to the vengeful policy of the hospital region. And I hadn't got two bits!

Not only fearful, I was indignant. For many years I have paid, and gladly, for hospital services. Part of the cost of acquiring that land on Mount Newton Cross Road for hospital, grounds and parking area was paid by me. In some degree that land is mine. And for the lack of two bits I am deprived of its use and denied the opportunity of visiting a patient.

The entire procedure is an imposition by small-minded men and women who identify dollar bills (and quarters) more readily than they recognize logic or common sense. Why should I, and all my neighbours, be required to buy land in order that the people who administer it for us may demand a rental from us for its use?

I have no figures before me, but I would wager that the elimination of the process of charging a fee for the privilege of visiting the sick scarcely makes a dent in the operating costs of the region's hospitals. I would further wager that if the procedure were abandoned, there would be no noticeable increase in the hospital levies which we pay to enjoy all hospital facilities including the privilege of parking a car while visiting patients.

Indeed, I would submit that visitors are a vital part of any therapeutic services enjoyed in a hospital and that it is entirely illogical to permit medical staff to park without a fee while requiring additional taxation, in the form of parking tickets, from other purveyors of healing ministrations.

It makes me mad and it makes me sick! Am I the only fellow who gives a damn?

Everything losssst!

The youthful sportsmen were waiting for the ferry when tragedy struck. They were at Crotton ready for the lefty w Vesuvius when one team member grabbed for his bag and missed. Instead of accompanying him in the dash to the ship, the bag dived into the harbour at Crofton.

There were observations on math and essays in English, all floating moistly on the sea. The owner was horrified at the sight of his possessions floating out of his life.

There was no time to retrieve the papers, he was told and the ferry would not be waiting for them. The team boarded the ferry while one member was mindful of the lost valuables. He loudly called his great loss.

He wasn't weeping over his math books and his message of woe didn't appear to embrace his essays. Worse! He explained to all the world that his most important possessions had gone down with that bag!

He'd drowned his candies!

Developers help in local creek project

The Salmon Enhancement Society hopes the Parks and Recreation Commission will support a bid by two local developers to recover some of the money spent to upgrade Ganges Creek last year.

Society spokesman Kathy Reimer says developers spent close to \$100,000 to clean and renovate the creek in the last six months. Part of that work included the installation of a \$25,000 culvert which will prevent serious flooding in the central core.

The developers — Leon Aptekmann and Bruce Russell - are hoping to recoup \$30,000 of the money they spent through a GO B.C. grant.

The Salmon Enhancement Society has been working to upgrade the Ganges Creek for the last six years. Last year, the group fed 4,000 chum salmon into the creek and this year, it is planning to upgrade another 500 metres of creek bed from McPhillips to Mouat's park.

Reimer says that by the time the society is done, it hope to have added another interesting tourist attraction to the Ganges' central core.

In the last six months, the two developers working on property near the mouth of the creek above the Fulford-Ganges Road spent more than \$100,000 to upgrade the creek. The work included removing debris from around the creek bed, installing foot bridges and laying rocks along the bank to prevent soil erosion. They expect to undertake other landscaping work around the site this spring.

Reimer says installation of a \$25,000 culvert replaced one which both hydrologists and engineers had agreed was too small for that site. She says that while the culvert could handle normal run-off, it could not have coped with the kinds of flooding conditions that occur in the central core every 100 or 200 years. She said that type of flooding would have destroyed the library and other buildings in the McPhillips area.

Although the federal Department of Fisheries agreed four years ago that a new culvert should be put in, the Department of Highways refused to undertake the job, saying the existing culvert would have been good for another 10 years.

While the department agreed to dig out the site for the new culvert, it was the developers who paid to have it put in.

Reimer says that her group is hoping to encourage the Parks and Recreation commission to send a

Bridge

Report

Gulf Island Bridge Club winners on January 29 were as follows:

NORTH-SOUTH

Rosemary and Bill Hook; Jean Herring and Anne McConnell; Conhor Hunt and Rob Bradford; Shirley Love and Phyl Henderson.

EAST-WEST

Stan Stewart and Norm Mc-Connell; Bob and Althea Morrisette; Mona Coulter and Bill Buckler; Lorna and Peter Pentz.

1etter of support for the GO B.C. grant. She suggests it is that kind of support which encourages developers to "do the right thing." She considers the entire project an example of the kind of positive results that can be produced when the community and the developers work together.

In the meantime, she says more work is expected to start on the Ganges Creek bed later this spring.

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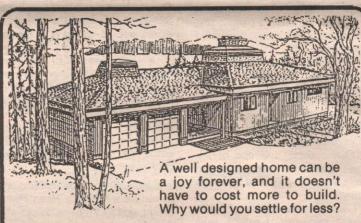
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Lakehill 2 / Salt Spring F.C. 0 This week Barry Walker of Island Sports (and an avid F.C. fan) secured, at great personal expense (50 raffle tickets on a billy goat reportedly), an authentic Englishman to contribute the F.C. soccer

Walker prefers to read soccer articles written with the unique colloquialisms of the "old country," preferring "lads," "football," and "git," to the Canadian vernacular equivalents. To this end Barry imported Percy Sledge (not the celebrated American singer Percy Sledge, but the celebrated Yorkshire pig farmer) to supply the post game-er, match-commentary:

I were right pleased I can tell thee, to get Barry's kind offer of a trip to the colonies. All fer a football match commen'try. I would a been 'appier wi' cricket as I'm not really a football supporter, but the chance at a goat, well, it were too champion an offer to pass up. Besides, me missus is stuck at 'ome wi' boils so it were a right bloody relief to get away from t'farm.

Any road, on t' match. It were a dirt pitch the lads were forced to play on, wi' a 'ill on one corner, and a wind blowing chaos 'cross play. The away side, Salt Spring, 'ad only the one substitute and he were an ancient mariner fresh from Hawaii. Malcolm Legg his name were, and he were a fine strapping English lad wi' Edwardian side whiskers. Make a champion cricketer but for the unavoidable bum before wickets.

Salt Spring 'keeper Ken Marr provides a menacing but colourful presence between t'uprights, proof that a footballer can wear whatever he chooses so long as he gets t'job done. "You can run the length of the pitch stark bollock naked if you can tuck one on the corner a the end of it", he seems to say, or at least "push a breakaway past the post" in Ken's case.

It were a dirt pitch the lads were forced to play on, wi' a 'ill on one corner, and a wind blowing chaos 'cross play.

In defense there were Graham Etheridge, Mark Nordine, Chad Little, and Graham Tweedle. Graham were the only lad I could fully un-derstand what with everyone else 'aving such accents.

The linkmen were Alan Webb, Michael Brown and David McColl. These lads ran miles to keep warm but also to create. Some o' these creations were rewarding, others not. It were a long tough match and the lads gave the effort right

Frontrunners were David Toynbee, Johnny Villadsen, Corbin Scott, and Darren Strong - 'old on a minute - that's four. Ee by gum, I am daft! Salt Spring 'ad two substitutes. Up till now I'd thought they'd played quite bravely in defeat 'aving only the one substitute 'an all. Well now, there's nowt good about it as far as I can see. Back 'ome, Jimmy Bigglesthwaite can play cricket wi' one arm and wi' two missing fingers on that one 'and it don't make a ha'porth of difference. I'll take me goat now if you

Next week the "lads" play a cup tie against Victoria Athletics Over 30s. This team is comprised of players who have all played on Canadian National Champion football sides. Their key player is George Pakos who scored the winning goal in Canada's final qualifying match, which sent them on to the World Cup in Mexico in 1986.

Kick off is 2:15, Sunday, February 11 at Portlock Park. World class soccer comes to Salt Spring? It's always been here, eh? Just ask Doug "Codger" Pearson, he'll tell thee.

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On hand to present certificates to the graduates was Vancouver Island District Training Officer, Lt. Cdr. Duane Parlee, of Nanaimo. The students were introduced to Parlee by Squadron Training Officer, Mort.

Following the presentations Lt. Cdr. Parlee pledged nine of the graduates who elected to become members of the squadron. They are Stella Britton, Brian Cornwall, Aubrey Cocker, Woody Esminger, Bill Maxwell, David Spencer, Oliver Stewart and Irene and Tom

Esminger, who attained the highest marks in the examination received the Peter Binham Memorial Award. The award affords him the opportunity of taking one of several advanced training courses offered by the squadron, at

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A group of Salt Spring Elementary School children scramble for the "puck," honing their hockey skills. The youngsters often spend their recess and lunch hour participating in the very Canadian pass

Auxiliary holds annual meeting

Forty-one members attended the annual meeting of the Auxiliary to the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospi-

The meeting was held on January 22 at 2 p.m. in the Upper Hall of Ganges United Church. It opened with the Auxiliary prayer.

As this meeting marked the beginning of the Auxiliary's 1990 session, yearly reports were read

The present slate of officers

were voted and appointed in 1989 for a two-year tenancy and it was necessary to reaffirm their incum-

This was done with the following results: president, Bea Carr; vice president, Daisy Gear; recording secretary, Irene Helm; treasurer, Aleta Tomlinson, corresponding secretary, Mary Walker.

The President announced that Mrs. Christiane de Koninck, our area Representative, accompanied by her secretary, would be the meeting. Tentative plans were made for their entertainment for the few short hours they will be here.

The Auxiliary wishes to thank members of the community for their more than generous contributions of merchandise for the thrift shop which helped make 1989 a most successful year financially. Please be sure that articles are clean and resaleable.

The meeting was adjourned and tea was served.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Get a jump on RRSP savings by buying a year in advance

Every year, millions of Canadians spend billions of dollars to buy investments and savings for their registered retirement savings

And nearly all of the money is spent in the first 60 days of the year, to meet the deadline for deductions from taxable income for the previous year. If you contribute \$3,500 to your RRSP by March 1 and your marginal tax rate is 40 per cent, you'll "save" \$1,400 on your 1989 taxes. (You don't really save that, of course; you simply defer payment until after you retire, which is almost as good.)

It's mostly to defer taxes that we usually buy RRSP products, paying scant attention to this money as an investment. Anything that it might earn we think of secondary to the main job of getting a rebate on our taxes. Thus we wait until almost the deadline when we rush to join a mad throng and invest our RRSP money in whatever seems most easily available.

It's a sad mistake, because the investment factor of our RRSPs is usually far more important than the

tax rebate. Over an extended period of time, the interest we can earn on our RRSP investments will amount to much more than the rebates on current income.

But the way to really get a jump on the RRSP savings is to buy at least a year before the deadline. RRSPs are available any time. And by buying early, you'll wind up with substantially larger savings.

So it's important to give careful consideration to your RRSP investments. And the way to do that is to make your RRSP purchase early while you still have time to give it

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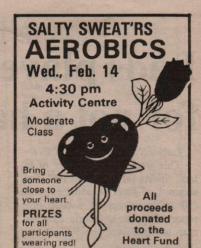
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RRSP: experts feel most people should have one

By DAVE FERGUSON Manager, Investment Services Island Savings Credit Union

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Financial experts agree that almost everyone should have an RRSP, especially individuals who do not make contributions to any other registered pension plan. The rationale behind an RRSP is that you save money during your peak earning years in order to have a source of income when you stop working. RRSPs also allow you to defer paying income taxes on your contributions until you terminate the plan. It is difficult to overestimate the financial benefits of an RRSP. For example, annual contributions of \$1000 at constant interest of 9 per cent will accumulate to \$150,000 over 30 years.

RRSPs are available from most financial institutions, including your bank, trust company or credit union. Anyone can contribute to an RRSP, according to specified limits. For the 1989 tax year, the maximum contribution you can make to an RRSP is 20 per cent of your income, up to a maximum of \$3500, minus any contribution you have made to a registered pension plan. If you do not contribute to a registered pension plan, then your RRSP contribution is 20 per cent of your income, up to a maximum of \$7500.

You can contribute to a plan until you turn 71. At that time you must close the RRSP and begin paying taxes on the money that has accumulated in the plan. But since your income will likely have dropped considerably by then, you will be in a lower tax bracket. Your RRSP withdrawals also will be taxed at the reduced rates.

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not just the interest, in jeopardy.
A self directed RRSP allows you to make your own investment decisions but a trustee performs all the administrative work for you. Administration and transaction fees commonly are applied. Unless you have the investment experience and the time to devote to a self directed plan, you should proceed with extreme caution.

While RRSPs are considered attractive investments, there are some factors that you should examine before making a purchase. The first factor is risk. If you want a high return, you must be prepared to accept a higher risk. A guaranteed fund, for example, is extremely safe but it tends to yield lower returns than a mutual fund RRSP. Assume a level of risk that makes you com-

Consider the fees that may apply to a plan. They can reduce your investment. Decide if you are comfortable with locking your money into a plan for an extended period of time. If you prefer a short-term investment, make sure your plan can be terminated quickly at no cost. However, don't forget to examine the tax implications of such a move.

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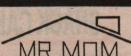
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AUDITIONS: Stages of Descent, Feb. 17. Women ages 25-50 1:00-2:30; women ages 50-99 2:30-4:00, wear clothes to move in. Activity Centre, childcare available, 537-5660.

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING Tuesday, February 13, 2 pm Central Hall Bob Akerman, speaker Topic: Early Days on South Salt Spring Island

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ISLANDS TRUST/CRD TASK FORCE

Individuals who have interest and expertise are being sought to participate in a volunteer task force to examine and make recommendations on the following issues as they pertain to Ganges:

-Parking scheme and standards (plus consideration of bus/transit questions).

-Drainage scheme and corridors (storm and development run-off).

-Pedestrian movement (routes, walkways, sidewalks)

-Ganges by-pass. Staff/planning support will be available from the Trust and CRD. The Task Force is to take direction from the Regional Director, CRD, and Islands Trust trustees. It is hoped the report will be completed by June 1. Please submit your name and some details about your interest/experience to: Chairperson, Islands Trust, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C. V8V 1X4.

JARROD BOOTH toy sale, fire hall, Sat., Feb. 10, 11 am-4 pm, donations of new or used toys can be dropped off at the fire hall anytime or for pickup 537-5415.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 6:00 pr \$ 9:15 pm

St. George's Hall Clive Tanner and Paul McKivett Presidents of our Provincial and Federal Ridings will be our guests ALL WELCOME

CONCERNED ABOUT ALL OF Central America?

Attend the formation meeting of the Salt Spring Central America Support Committee. SAT., FEB. 10, 7:30 CENTRAL HALL Speakers, slides, video music, Salvador Deli

RAINY SUNDAY? Take the Family to the Heart Fund Bowl-A-Thon Feb. 11, 11 am to closing T.J.'s

> All proceeds to the Heart Fund

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"IMAGES & OBJECTS"
This annual exhibition of the best of the Province's Arts and Crafts will take place this year in Victoria/Saanich.
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exhibits to be included in
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Entry forms for SHOWCASE
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Waterfront Gallery, Matt's
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WOMEN'S LUNCH Monday, February 12 12:30 pm Vesuvius Pub Come and meet old friends and make new friends.

GREEN ISLANDS SOCIETY CARMANAH WEEKEND Full Moon Social Friday, Feb. 9, 7 pm 390 Upper Ganges Rd. Bring refreshments, snacks,

drums, etc.
COMMUNITY POTLUCK
Saturday, Feb. 10, 6:00 pm
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An Environmental Update Monday, Feb. 12, 7:30 pm St. Georges Church Hall



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Creditors and others having claims against the above estate are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned executor, c/o Cohen Frost Quon Buchan Edwards, Barristers and Solicitors, No. 208-4940 No. 3 Road, Richmond, B.C. V6X 3A5, on or before the 22 day of March, 1990, after which date the executor will distribute the said Estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they then have had notice. Raynald Robichaud

Executor by Cohen Frost Quon Buchan

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HASTINGS HOUSE IS reopening for the season February 14. We have openings for the following positions: 1) full-time breakfast and lunchtime waitresses - professional service and knowledge of waitresses - professional service and knowledge of wines is required; 2) part-time dishwashers, 3) part-time housekeepers available to work weekends and early evenings. Applications will be accepted Feb. 5 to 9 from 10-4 pm at our office reception.

TWO CARPENTERS required immediately. Must be receiving unemployment insurance to qualify. Call Rajani 537-2326.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 64 (GULF ISLANDS)

LATE FRENCH IMMERSION TEACHERS REQUIRED FOR: (A) Salt Spring Elementary School requires a French Immersion Teacher at the Grade 6 and/or Grade 7 level for September 1, 1990.

Desired qualifications are:

Francophone or native-like ability in speaking.
 Excellent French writing

3. Experience and/or training in French, preferably late French immersion.

Computer skills an asset.
 This will be a continuing full-time appointment.

B) Gulf Islands Secondary School requires a French Immersion Teacher at the Grade 8-12 levels for September 1, 1990.

Desired qualifications are: Francophone or native-like ability in speaking.

2. Excellent French writing

3. Ability to teach in French Math 8/9; Foods 10;

Communications; Humani-4. Experience in Secondary French Immersion program.

This will be a temporary appointment until June 30,

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PART-TIME DRIVER for local courier and freight company. Three days per month and vacation relief. Good driving and customer relations skills needed. Call Dan at 537-

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Anglican Parish Salt Spring Island

St. Mark's, Tuesday: Holy Eucharist - 10 am St. George's, Thursday: Holy Eucharist - 5:15 pm SUNDAY:

St. Mark's, Central: Holy Eucharist - 8 am St. George's, Ganges: Holy Eucharist - 9:15 am St. Mary's, Fulford: Holy Eucharist - 11:30 am **Bishop Barry Valentine**

Rector. Parish Office: 537-2171

Salt Spring Island **Baptist Church Admiral Hall**

506 Lower Ganges Rd. SUNDAY: 10:30 family worship with Sunday School; 7 p.m. Evening Fellowship.

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> Rev. Brian Joyce 537-2222

Catholic Church Salt Spring Island

5 pm Saturdays

 10 am Sundays Rev. Fr. P.A. Bergin

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Movers and shakers

To the Editor,

As a relative newcomer to this "paradise" island, I can't believe the fuss that is going on over the proposed Arts Centre.

It seems to me that there are a lot of people on this island who enjoy drama, music and the visual arts. Do people really want to take the risk of having nowhere to enjoy this entertainment, are they prepared to be satisfied with the "canned" entertainment in their own homes.

Perhaps they don't mind shivering in Mahon Hall and sitting on hard seats there, and in churches, and the less than salubrious environment of the Activity Centre. If so then they should arrange their own entertainment in those places and find out what that entails.

As for the veiled suggestion by Marion Andrews (Driftwood Jan.31) that I have also personally heard from a supporter of our CRD Director that there was a conflict of interest by the "proponent" of the Arts Centre. Well if that is the interpretation of conflict of interest nothing would ever get done by a volunteer in a community.

Of course people volunteer their time and energy to projects from which they will derive some satisfaction, i.e. people who like swimming will work for a swimming pool or people who want forests and a clean environment will work for that. There were certainly other members on the Windfall Advisory Committee with a supposed "conflict of interest" who have not been similarly accused.

The Artspring Board of Directors have volunteered many long hours of their own professional skills and time towards the planning and design of this Centre, and are prepared to give even more of their time and energy to see it through. And as for this red herring regarding the potential tax burden from operating costs, neither the CRD nor the GICAC have any responsibility towards the operating costs of the Centre, as it will legally be a separate and autonomous body.

Many artists are coming here to perform for free so the proceeds can be contributed to the Arts Centre. What does this say about us and them? I only wish those people in the community who are obviously in favour of this project would come forth and publicly demonstrate their support, otherwise this project looks like it may fade into oblivion (as our CRD Director appears to wish), while the movers and shakers of this community move into more self

HEATHER HORNE, Ganges

Recycle and reclaim

To the Editor,

We must eliminate two words from our language: Garbage and Dump - - they go against the new philosophy of Recycle and Reclaim, a new way of thinking about all the things we use, which will have a profound effect on our whole society.

Serious questions are being asked about the products we use,

for if they cannot be reclaimed, should they be purchased in the first instance?

The on-island efforts to bring waste management under control are coming along, but of course things can always be better. Looking ahead, the new area being considered to replace the Blackburn Road site should be planned as a total Recycle & Reclamation Centre, specific areas being set aside for tin, glass, paper, plastic, cardboard, aluminum, etc. Furthermore, large items refrigerators, stoves, cars, et al. could be dismantled there too.

There is money to be made from all of these materials, lots of it, and there are steady employment possibilities too. The operational revenue for the jobs would be raised from the sale of the materials reclaimed. (A specific instance of revenue potential in waste is created by the construction industry. Drywall, wood, iron pieces, should be collected and resold to the home handy types, who don't need large amounts, just "a little bit.")

What is left: garden toxins, oil, tar, road metal, paint, household food waste. Most of these items can be recycled and reclaimed, and the toxins can be disposed of through appropriate waste centres. And in the case of household waste, a good look at that shows that at least 50 per cent of it can be returned to the earth as compost. A consumer boycott approach to unacceptable packaging would definitely help the overall situation.

The waste disposal area in my mind consists of a large flat space with bays for specific waste items, covered sheds and work area, all surrounded by a good fence. Though the rains may rain, nothing would leach away to damage deep water.

Creative use of space in the kitchen can make the control of materials for recycling very easy. In the same way as we make areas for dishwashers, microwaves, etc., we should also design areas for our reclaim/recycle requirements.

We have come so far, let's go the whole way on this island. We are in a very favourable position to keep control of our waste management and avoid complex arrangements with other agencies. We must overcome the psychology of "If it is in someone else's yard it is not our problem".

A thought — when we are through trashing this planet, where do we plan to go next?

KIRSTIE SHOOLBRAID Ganges

Courageous woman

To the Editor,

To speak of sexual abuse these days is easier than ever before. However, it is still not easy; to do so though, is to become stronger, and more whole and free. To step through the curtain of silence to uncover the child within is to step into the unknown where the pain is great and the tunnel dark. It took Elly Danica fifteen years to weave and paint and write her way to now.

One day last Spring I happened upon a small book with big print and short sentences in a local book store. It was called DON'T A Woman's Word and was written by Elly Danica, a middle-aged woman from a small town outside of Moose Jaw.

Friends had heard her with

Peter Gzowski on Morningside months earlier.

The book took me three hours to read and I had to keep moving from place to place as I read, almost as if no place felt quite safe enough. Several times I had to force breath out of me as I sobbed and raged. The final page found me huddled up by the outhouse in the last patch of sun with a cat next to me. I have read many women's words and most have empowered me but none have touched in quite so many places as

I hope many of you will come to hear her on February 16. We're lucky to have the opportunity to meet this courageous woman whose honesty and direct expression has been such a gift to so many of us.

PHYLLIS TATUM, Ganges

Rational approach

To the Editor,

Perhaps we can set aside fairy tales and other less expensive shots for the moment and give some thought to the need for a rational approach to the Windfall

It seems to be the fabric of political life to be shrouded in controversy, a particularly fecund field on Salt Spring Island, as we all know. I have no doubt that Jules Atkins will arrive at an appropriate decision in this matter and in other matters before her.

Few of us want to take the stress of public life. Perhaps we can help the political process along by being helpful and providing our politicians with positive assistance and useful ideas. Public pressure has its place in this process, but it is more effective, I think, when the pressure comes from well-thought out ideas than from friction or even worse, hot

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News

Barbecue location is sought

By JACOUES CAMPBELL

Well, here it is already February. I hear lots of baby goats on the hillside and shepherds other than us even have lambs. The snowdrops are taking over the flower beds and the crocuses are even showing their colour. The snow hasn't made much of an impression (on Saturna) but do you remember last year at this time? Darn cold!

The Lions have Bridge Night on the third Saturday of every month but as Sven Johansson (Arctic explorer) will be here on February 16 and 17 the Lions bridge for this month will be held on February 10 instead.

The cogs have been moving again on the finding of a solution to the Lamb Barbecue. Following the Lamb Barbecue in Winter Cove last July the Community Club held two public meetings.

With the positive results of these meetings the Community Club feels comfortable in trying to secure Winter Cove Park as a long term site. Recently Anne Popperwell went to Victoria to see Mel Couvelier and discuss the use of the park for the barbecue.

Many people who were at the barbecue already know that Mr. Couvelier is a firm supporter of such community activities. However, for him to go to bat for us he needs to know that the event has substantial support in the community. His office will be sending a "mail out" with a response slip.

The Community Club needs the revenue of the Lamb Barbecue to continue its programs and hopes that everyone will indicate support. There will be a box at the Post Office for the collection of response slips.

Do you ever wonder why you need to know what time it is when you wake up in the middle of the night?

Til next time

Chamber calls meeting

Focusing on the increasing concerns over the environment, the Mayne Island Community Chamber of Commerce has called a public meeting to address the issue. Lynn Hunter, MP, will attend along with other knowledgeable people.

The meeting will be at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, February 28 at the Agricultural Hall.

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The Island Spirit captures Galiano Islanders' interest

New fishing vessel

One of Galiano's best fishermen Lloyd Baines has bought a new seiner. His family recently issued an invitation for islanders to visit them on the vessel - to toast, to nibble, and to ogle.

Over a three to four hour period people came and what they saw impressed them. The Island Spirit II is of all aluminum construction and was built by Alu Craft of Surrey. With a length of 64 feet and a beam of 21 feet it is the largest of its kind built by the company.

Including the stern ramp the overall length is 73 feet. Empty, the vessel draws to a depth of nine feet. The two holding tanks have a capacity of 80 tons of salmon or herring and are cooled by ice produced on the vessel. Two baffle walls are in each tank to prevent load slippage in heavy seas. The Island Spirit II is powered by a 34-12 Caterpillar diesel engine while an Isuzu motor provides power for the hydraulic system and a Genset for the vessel's 110 volt require-

The vessel provides bunks for seven, the crew requirement needed for herring seining. A crew of five will be aboard for salmon fishing. All from Galiano, the crew has the latest in radar, navigation and sounding equipment to help them in their work, and an entertainment centre to keep them amused during quiet times. Cook, Don Oliver, enGALIANO

Alistair Ross



joys all the conveniences of a modern kitchen plus the best view imaginable while he works. Engincering duties are shared by Lloyd and his son-in-law Ben Maberley. The ship's design is relatively new, only three having been produced so far.

Western Fisheries Magazine is featuring an article on Alu Craft vessels in an upcoming issue according to Baines.

The launching of the vessel in Surrey was marked several weeks ago by a large gathering of family, friends and workers. The Island

Firemen train with masks.

Spirit II took 10 months to build.

North Galiano volunteer firemen continue to meet every Monday evening for practices and specialized training. Bruce Hall of the B.C. Fire Academy is scheduled to visit the island soon again to test their proficiency.

The firemen and ladies (there are two lady "firepersons" amongst the volunteers), tried out their breathing

masks recently in an old hut they were given permission to demolish. This type of mask is used in house fires where there may be toxic fumes. They are new to the fire department.

The volunteer firefighters gained valuable experience in working in a smoke-filled building during this exercise and employed other firefighting techniques in later practices there.

The group's "sale of modern antiques," held traditionally on Saturday of Easter weekend (April 14 this year), is one of the main fundraisers for the volunteer fire department. The sale is really a garage sale with a "fine name".

Islanders are asked to remember the fire department when doing their winter cleaning. Phone Norm Russell (539-2196) or Woody Coward (539-2905) for more infor-

Garden club

The speaker at the February 14 meeting of the Galiano Garden Club will be Ernie Lythgoe of Saanich, his topic "Alpines and Rock Plants". Meeting time is 1:30 p.m., place, the North Galiano Hall.



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150 gather on Galiano to honour Lee's memory

By BILL BAMFORD

One of the founding members of the Galiano Rod and Gun Club in the 1950s was honoured and remembered at the Club house on Satur-

Friends and relatives gathered to pay their respects to Ed Lee, who tragically lost his life while beachcombing with his tug Survivor, near Cook's Cove on the gulf side of Galiano.

Over 150 persons signed the guest book some of them having come from as far as Campbell River, Black Creek, Prince Rupert, Duncan, Victoria, Sidney, Vancouver, Richmond, Surrey, White Rock, Pouch Cove, Newfoundland, Salt Spring, Mayne, Saturna, Parker Island. and, of course, Galiano.

Tribute was paid to Lee by several long-time friends including Pat Weaver, Alan Steward, Fred Robson, Peter Denroche and this writer. Each one shared some of their memories and past logging, tow-boating and other experiences which included both comical anecdotes and some of the more serious moments spent working with a man who was well liked and truly respected in the community.

Several toasts were proposed to Lee's memory and the Rod and Gun Club ladies provided an array of sandwiches, snacks and coffee.

Late in the afternoon, a number of the guests gathered at Whaler Bay for a brief ceremony. At the dock where Lee had moored his boats for many years, his son Mike stepped aboard John Georgeson's tug Grapple and John slowly moved the vessel a few yards into the bay where Lee had spent many of his recent years working.

It was this writer's honour, as heads were bowed in respect, to read Tennyson's Crossing the Bar and then Mike Lee committed his father's ashes to the sea. The lives of many friends were enriched by having known Ed Lee. He will be long remembered.

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