Exquisite Antarctica book excels

By MITCHELL SHERRIN
Staff Writer

A Salt Spring couple has fused the fine arts of exquisite hand-crafted bookbinding with a collection of striking, exotic photos depicting ice shelves, stormy seas and huddled penguin rookeries.

The result is an award-winning masterpiece that will likely become a benchmark for future art books.

Antarctica, a large-format photographic art book published by islanders Pat and Rosemarie Keough, shares their combined passions for exploration and artistic excellence.

Even a quick glance at the mammoth book can demonstrate why it won the 2002 Benjamin Franklin Award for printing supremacy.

Enclosed in an archival case of Dutch linen exterior and French flocked velvet lining, Antarctica weighs 12.5 kilograms (28 pounds).

"Our objective was to create a work of beauty that will last for centuries," said Rosemarie.

Exuding a sense of gravity akin to the glaciated continental shelf, the book is covered in soft grey morocco, the finest goatskin bookbinding leather.

An embossed iceberg design details the slate-coloured cover and spine.

"Grey is the colour of Antarctica. It's the colour of whales, seals and seven months of night," she said.

Aside from the book's content, Rosemarie is enchanted by the craftsmanship involved in the bookbinding.

The Keoughs spent 10 years researching binding techniques that stem from 15th-century Venice and the eighth-century Sinai Peninsula.

A team of six artisans will work for two years to hand-bind the 950 Antarctica volumes.

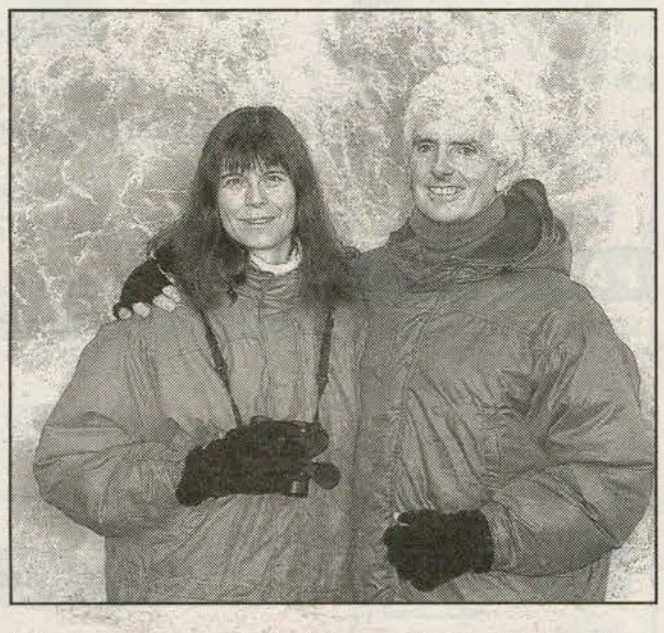
"It's the first book to combine the beauty and elegance of the classical European style and the strength and durability of the 'split board' style."

But unlike the chunky account ledgers typical of tough "split board" binding, the Antarctica book has graceful rounded spines with shoulders and leather joints, free of unsightly grooved hinges on the cover, she noted.

To demonstrate the strength of the binding, Rosemarie picked up the book by the open covers and shook it with enough force to incur criminal charges were the book a child of equal weight.

Rosemarie then brushed the first heavy-bond pages of duotone photos showing the mottled broken-glass surface of the Ross Sea; each chunk a small portal to the interior of the southern continent.

"You enter Antarctica through ice," she offered mysteriously.



Rosemarie and Pat Keough in Antarctica

One of the couple's photographs

The Keoughs dedicated two austral summers (November to March) in exploration of the polar landscape.

"We went to every place you can conceivably get to on Antarctica and took great delight in coming back [to Salt Spring] every time."

Within their book are enclosed 330 phenomenal colour images and an engrossing 15-page narrative describing their journey.

"It's one of the extremities of the Earth," Pat said. "We're attracted to extremely remote and difficult to access places."

The photos are majestic in their scope and share a rich range of images: from the snuggling lethargy of molting elephant seals, to the abstract designs of sastrugi ice, the haunting gloom of derelict whaling stations and the pristine exhilaration of early polar exploration huts.

In keeping with the hand-crafted excellence of the book, images were printed with innovative 10-micron-dot high-resolution lithography (individual dots are only visible with 50-power magnification).

"It gives you incredible resolution. Look at the detail in the penguin guano, it actually smells," Rosemarie said.

As publishers, the Keoughs took delight in the presentation of images that stand alone with minimal text. While one photo might feature the ravaged penguin carcass of a skua kill, a complementary photo shows the rapacious skuas soaring over penguin colony cliffs.

"The composition leads to discovery. It's laid out in a way that allows the intelligent viewer to learn about the subject without having to spell it out on each page," Rosemarie said.

But the Keoughs also took delight in the poetic interplay between images. One photo shows a penguin standing on a whale vertebrae juxtaposed against another photo of a gravel beach blooming with whaling ship propellers of a similar shape.

Asked why the Keoughs travelled to Antarctica for the project, Pat described the immediate terror of standing on the Lyubov Orlova's flying bridge while 75-foot waves tried to pummel him through the gunwales.

Though his response might baffle some armchair explorers, Rosemarie's rationale was equally perplexing.

Her trip highlight involved five-hour stretches of motionless Emperor penguin observations with a howling blizzard and "moderate summer" temperatures of -23 degree Celsius. She could not find her way back to camp, only 10-metres distant, due to "white-out" conditions and remained in the company of penguins until she was rescued.

"I couldn't see a single red flag. Do you leave the only living creature, or do you go to find camp?"

It seemed as if their personal experiences with the raw power of the landscape had provided the Keoughs with intimate respect for their gorgeous photographic subjects.

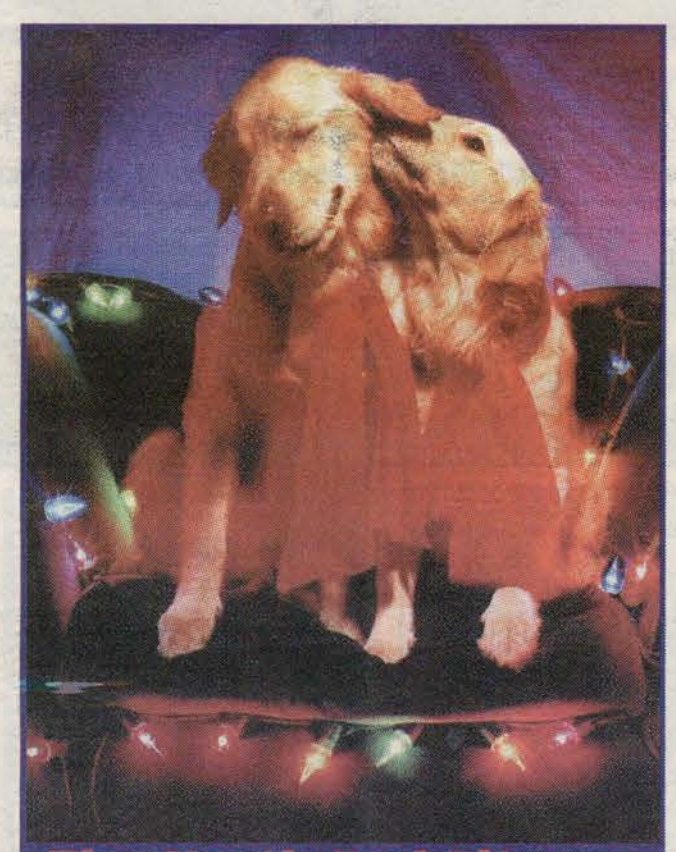
Consequently, all net proceeds from their books will go toward the BirdLife Save the Albatross campaign, which aims to change long-line fishing practices that threaten endangered seabirds.

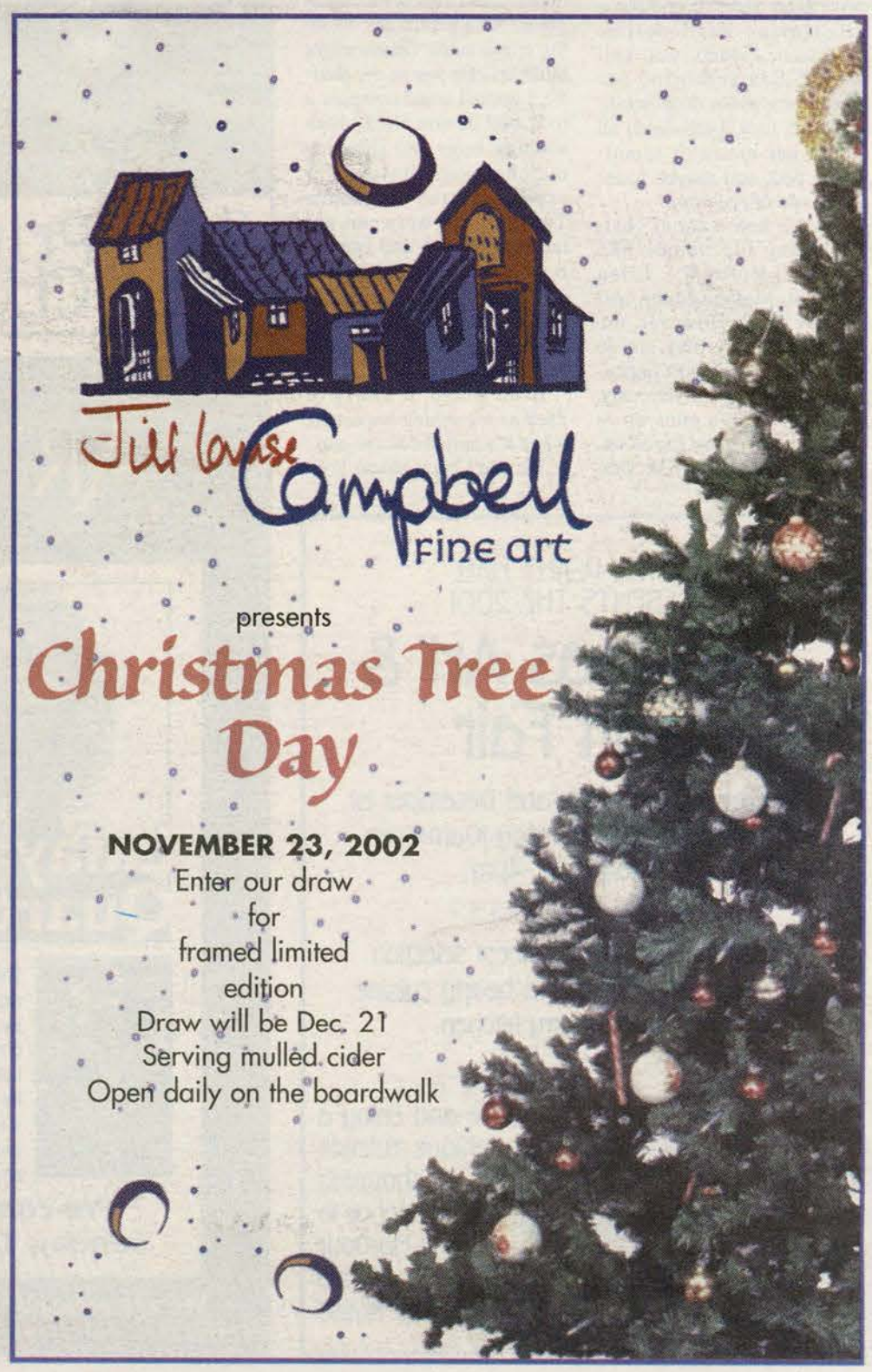
"Once you've seen an albatross in flight, you're a changed person," Pat said. "With a wingspan of 11 feet, they conduct a ballet with the waves . . . They're the world's greatest gliding machine."

Since the books each sell for $4,500, these donations could be a generous boon for albatross conservation efforts.

Book collectors would also be in the company of royal Antarctica fans Prince Charles, Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands, Princess Patricia von Hohenberg of Austria, the Grand Duke of Luxembourg and Queen Noor of Jordan (honorary president of BirdLife International).

Islanders, regal and otherwise, will have a chance to see Antarctica at its North American launch with a presentation by the artists at Sabine's Fine Used Books at 2 p.m. on December 7.





Fundraiser benefits Cuba trip

By JEKKA MACK
Special to the Driftwood

The countdown is on!

In less than two weeks time, 23 Gulf Islands Secondary School (GISS) music students, their teacher Bruce Smith, and seven parent chaperones will be en route to Cuba.

This is an exciting educational opportunity for these young and talented band and choir students. Last year, GISS linked in with the Canada-Cuba Organization and have been working towards this trip for the past year and a half.

As many people know, Cuba is a virtual Mecca of music. This trip will be a huge learning experience for the students who not only get to perform in various schools in Cuba, but will also play for and with many Cuban musicians.

And of course, there is no better way to learn about a culture and country than by being there.

As well as sharing their music with the Cuban people, the group is taking with them some equipment as gifts for young and aspiring musicians and sports enthusiasts.

If anyone has small, transportable music or sports equipment they would like to donate for this purpose, please phone Milly at 537-5070. Suitable items would include small musical instruments, guitar strings, wind instrument reeds, soccer/baseball cleats, baseball hats and gloves.

This school year, music teacher Bruce Smith and his dedicated students have been putting in extra time working in small ensembles to prepare for this international journey.

Students have also been working hard at part-time jobs and various fundraising activities to raise the personal and mutual funds needed.

The final fundraising activity and the only opportunity to hear the music of this jazz band and choir before they take it to Cuba will be on Friday, November 29, at 7 p.m.

There will be a silent auction and concert at the multi-purpose room at GISS. Come out and enjoy the music, bid on some interesting Christmas gifts and wish our travellers a bon voyage!

Ya-Ya's sobbing hugs, shouting replace shootouts and explosions

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Men, run for your lives — the dreaded "chick-flick" has arrived.

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The story is basically about a mother-daughter relationship: Sidda, a New York playwright, makes an off-hand comment about her mother Vivi to a journalist. Vivi hears about it and has a fit, leaving her longtime friends to kidnap (yes, kidnap) Sidda and bring her back home to the deep South.

There, they'll tell Sidda all about her mother's tumultuous past, and maybe foster some sort of reunion.

Ya-Ya has a great cast, including big names like Sandra Bullock, Ellen Burstyn, Maggie Smith and Ashley Judd. However, the characters they play are so stereotyped its almost impossible to take them seriously. The melodrama piles up in heaps, sometimes frivolous, sometimes horrific. The subject of all of it is poor Ashley Judd, who plays Vivi in a series of flashbacks. Judd seems to make a living portraying women in jeopardy, all the while putting on the prettiest brave face you'll ever see.

As a result, Ya-Ya is a Yo-Yo of a movie. It flips back and forth between light comedy and heavy-handed drama, and not with much grace. As a result, any building emotion the viewer might build up gets lost in the shuffle. I guess I could compare it to a bad action flick, with sobbing hugs and shouting matches substituting for explosions and shootouts. The parts in between are inconsequential and boring. It is as much a calculated wannabe "blockbuster" as anything starring Bruce Willis or Arnold Swartzenegger.

Even worse, it thinks of itself as something important, when it's only mediocre pap.

We can't even blame it on men this time, as director Calile Khouri is most definitely a woman (and the writer of Thelma and Louise, of all things).

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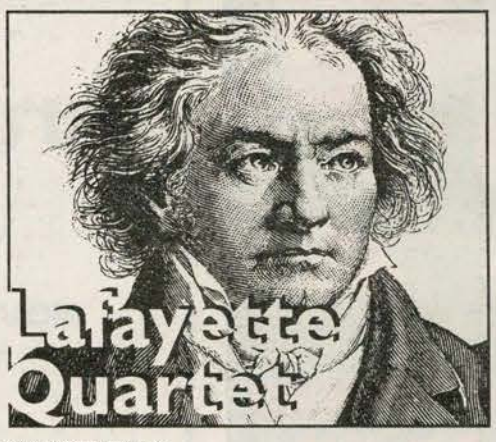

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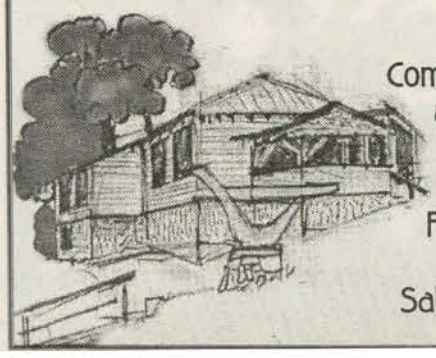

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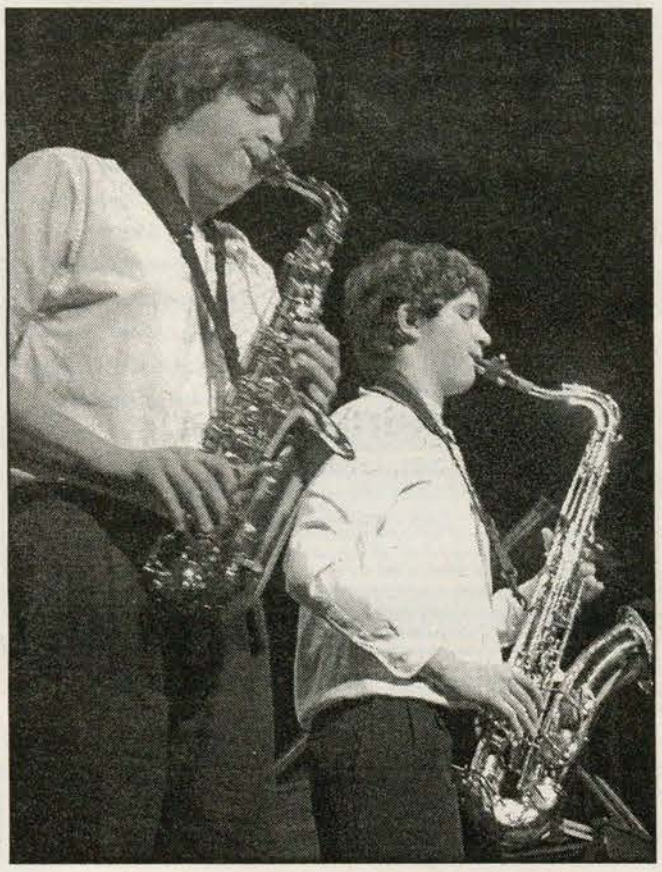

YOUNG STARS: Among the several dozen music-makers participating in the Salt Spring Music Guild's sixth Celebration of Student Musicians last Sunday at ArtSpring were, at left, Addi Perkins (alto sax) and Garrett MacDonnell (tenor sax) playing Invention #1 by J.S Bach, and Tristen Morton playing Mozart's Arietta, accompanied by Paul Verville on piano (not shown).

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Island flavour in fashions strutted at upcoming show

Well-known as a Mecca of unique fashion, Salt Spring will flaunt its sizzling sense of style at a gala event next Saturday night.

Called Gumboots to Gowns — A Salt Spring Fashion Experience, the November 30 fundraising event at ArtSpring will feature fashions, food and fun, as well as "surprises for everyone," according to Bob Fenske, one of the organizers.

Audience members are encouraged to attend the gala strutting their own sense of Salt Spring style and, at the same time, help benefit an island entity in need of additional funding.

The $25 admission price includes the fashion show, musical entertainment, refreshments and guaranteed laughs, says Fenske.

Proceeds will be directed to the Salt Spring RCMP Victim Assistance program, which has had its $30,000 provincial grant cut by $6,000.

"We thought it would be wonderful to have a unique fashion show — with a Salt Spring twist," Fenske said.

Several island businesses are providing clothing for the show, which will be hosted by island diva Debbi Toole and humourist John Pottinger.

"Just the two of those together will provide some surprises," Fenske said, adding that several cameo appearances are also planned. "Deb said, 'tell the audience to wear sunglasses because I'm coming all a-glitter.'"

The Stone brothers will add a western flavour to the evening, dressed in their finery as they escort models off the stage.

Adding to the colour will be the uniformed auxiliary police members, set to usher in audience members, as well as RCMP staff dressed in full red serge.

"Security will be tight and very evident," Fenske joked.

Musical entertainment includes a post-intermission set by Alan Moberg as well as back-drop sound during the fashion show itself.

Retailers included in the event vary and tentatively include B-Side Clothing, Blue Dragon Naturals, Choices, Fields, Mouat's Clothing, Nordic Natural Woolens, Rainbow Trading, Ulrieke Benner, WearEveryWear Clothing and Work World.

About 30 different models, ranging in age, will get the benefit of a hairdresser and make-up artist before walking the stage.

"It's just going to be a hoot," summed up Fenske.

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Art Now event shows varied array of talent

By MITCHELL SHERRIN
Staff writer

Fluid and functional sculptures, bright and resonant paintings and delightful samplings of impromptu music highlighted the Art Now II exhibit at Beaver Point Hall last weekend.

Of course, one couldn't forget sumptuous offerings from the concession kitchen. But a 45-minute lineup for appetizers seemed long (even on south-end time) when beautiful art beckoned nearby.

Among the most prominent items on display were massive benches, tables and lanterns created by Josh Hart and Luke Hart Weller.

As son and son-in-law to the late renowned woodworker Paul Hart, the two sculptors created organic rough-hewn pieces with comforting designs that honoured the senior carver's tradition.

Falling Leaves, one of two painted window frames by Paul Hart's daughter Jamil Hart Weller, also celebrated the beauty of natural compositions with the rustic accent of distressed paint on weathered wood.

Another woodworker with a selection of intriguing pieces was Morgan Cuddy, whose functional bowls rivalled his inventive sculptures in both craftsmanship and design.

One of Cuddy's yellow cedar burls radiated with scorched and pocked stripes in a carbonized mirror of solar tension while another arbutus burl sat on an iron frame with irregular holes formed into a latticed filigree colander.

Amerind flutes carved by Jacob Trezevant and Phil Larstone were equally beautiful both aurally and visually with their clear notes and exotic wood grains.

And supple terracotta figures by Kathleen Horsdal invited fingers to ply the muscles of her child-sized elfin creations.

Art fans engrossed by texture might also have been drawn to Bly Kaye's sinewy Door on Street collage or Julie Zaff's broken-plate mosaic vase.

But an Elaine Potter plum velvet top embossed with orchid designs offered the most immediate tactile experience.

Among photographic pieces, the antique tone of tinted prints by Doug Rhodes invited sustained attention while Megan Watt's black-and-white character studies captured expressive personalities.

Diana Dean's lustrous painting Pathway to the Sun captivated a moment of shady calm with her meditative image of a figure in mid-dance under a lush Mount Maxwell sunset.

And Judy Harper gave a curiosity-inducing observation of an absorbed artist in her metacognitive portrait The Sand Drawing.

Macroscopic views of gargantuan flowers by Alii Wright offered rich depth and subtle colour gradation in her detailed oil paintings.

And Garry Kaye's large acrylic portrait Beach Baby giggled with the full movement of infant expression in the dancing toes and cheeky grin of his model.

In a brief tour of the hall, viewers might have also spotted Bill Rhodes' whimsical papier mâché crab lurking under a table or the small display of antler broaches carved into feathers by Michael Timmins.

But with over 30 artists exhibiting a menagerie of pieces, each visitor to the Beaver Point Hall showing was likely to come away with a different list of favourite works.

MUSIC NOW: Calla Adubofour-Poku practises on an old upright piano at Beaver Point Hall, while taking in the Art Now show on Saturday.

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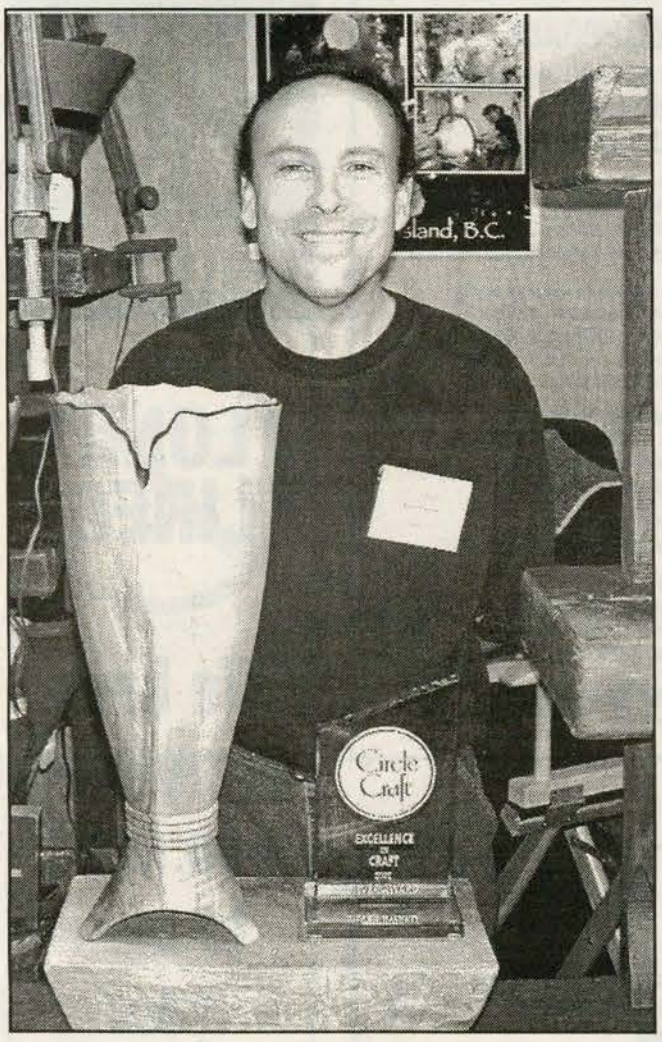

TOP GUN: Salt Spring artist Antonio Alonso wins the Silver Award for Excellence in Craft at the 29th annual Christmas Market held at the Vancouver Convention and Exhibition Centre, November 7-11. Organizers said Alonso's woodturnings "were extremely well received by people coming to the show this year."

Artisan will stuff the turkey at hall

In Great Britain it's a tradition to "stuff the turkey" each Christmas with the amazing vocal trio Artisan.

This year, however, Artisan agreed to give the colonials in Canada a taste of their particular British passion.

Salt Spring Folk Club managed to book the group for a spot on its two-week Canadian tour, so that Artisan's Stuff the Turkey show runs on Monday, November 25 at Fulford Hall.

The show contains "mirth, myrrh, music and mayhem" in pantomime-inspired music-hall style, explains publicity material.

"It's a song-based show for all the family, with Artisan's rich vocal harmonies and distinctly Yorkshire sense of humour."

Stuff the Turkey takes its audience on "an irreverent trample through Christmas customs and traditions, with traditional English carols sung in thrilling harmony, plus a whole mixed-bag of contemporary and specially written songs by [Artisan member] Brian Bedford."

Musical material spans the silly to the heart-tugging, with Stan Rogers' emotional tune First Christmas Away From Home an example of songs in the latter category.

Artisan members are Brian and Jacey Bedford and Hilary Spencer, three friends who started singing together for fun in 1984 in Yorkshire. Since then their CDs have captured awards and they've become stars on major folk festival stages around the world.

"They're in the top 10 all-time, best-loved acts ever to appear at Lunenberg," said Don Osburn, director of the Lunenberg Folk Festival in Nova Scotia.

"Artisan's special talent is making friends with an audience," states the group's website.

There's no opening act for Monday's event, notes folk club publicist Lyn Strand, but the intermission will be slightly longer than normal. That means people hoping to enjoy the delicious goodies can only do so before the show starts and at the one break between halves.

Stuff the Turkey begins at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are $15 and on sale at Acoustic Planet, Salt Spring Books and Stuff 'n' Nonsense.

Local artists accepted at Toronto craft show

A small group of local craftspeople are heading east to a one of a kind craft show in Ontario.

Geoff Fishleigh, Laurie Steffler, Peter and Dorothy Price, and Don and Suzanne Zacharias have been selected to participate in the One of A Kind Show, which opens November 28 in Toronto.

According to a press release, "artisans are chosen for their originality in design and creation, innovative use of materials, and exceptional craftsmanship."

Fishleigh makes musical instruments, chakra chimes, door chimes and meditation chimes by hand, while Steffler is known for her hats, scarves, vests, clothing and necklace pouches.

The potter-couple Prices create unique thrown ikebana vases, rice bowls, sushi plates, soup mugs, slab serving trays and fountains, and the Zachariases construct wooden fruit and checkerboards, trivets, magnet fruit pieces and fabric bags.

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Guild Christmas show opens

Christmas craft fair season swings its door open wide this weekend as the 27th-annual Guilds of Christmas Show and Sale begins Friday at Mahon Hall.

The traditional fair featuring Salt Spring guild members' wares will look even more festive this year with some additional juried work by ArtCraft participants.

"There's everything from stocking stuffers to fine art," said show organizer April Curtis.

Guilds of Christmas runs daily from November 22 through December 1, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

A small sampling of items for sale includes hand-blown glass, wicker baskets, stockings and sleepwear, baskets of spices, vinegars and jams, inlaid-wood sushi trays, CDs and books, scented soaps and an array of beautiful cards.

"There's some new potters that no one has ever seen before, so there'll be some surprises there," said Curtis.

Craftspeople have been busy creating hordes of special items available only at Christmas time, she said, and children's gifts run from the Longs' wooden puzzles and toys to Betty Taylor's beautiful teddies and dolls.

Keeping with a seasonal theme of community generosity, basketry guild members have made baskets that benefit the food bank.

Mahon Hall will again be transformed by creative Christmas decorating, and customers will sometimes be greeted by a friendly fantasy elf

The 80-participant, 13-guild event represents a huge amount of collective energy.

"You have the two levels," observed Curtis. "All the work each individual person is doing, and the work of producing the show so everyone knows its on and it looks good . . . ."

Curtis said the hall is restocked daily and that transactions should be completed quicker than usual at the busier times due to the addition of a cash-only line.

Author, artist gives slide presentation

Locals with a special place in their hearts for islands and birds will want to head down south for a presentation this Sunday at Fulford Hall.

Alison Watt, a writer and arist who just released The Last Island: A Naturalist's Sojourn on Triangle Island, will give a slide presentation at 7:30 p.m. in the OAP room at the hall.

Hosted by the Salt Spring Island Conservancy and Volume II Books, the event also features a presentation by islander John Neville, who will offer up his recordings of the Birds of the Rare Carolinian Forest and Night Sounds of North American Owls.

Proceeds from the event — with admission by donation — will be directed to the purchase of the Martin Williams property.

"Filled with adventures and revelations and illustrated with astonishing watercolour paintings, The Last Island combines the best elements of field guide, narrative and confessional," notes promotional material.

In the summer of 1980, Watt spent four months studying seabirds on Triangle Island, a fabled wildlife sanctuary far off the northern tip of Vancouver Island. Sixteen years later, Watt journeyed back to the island to investigate a mysterious decline in its puffin population.

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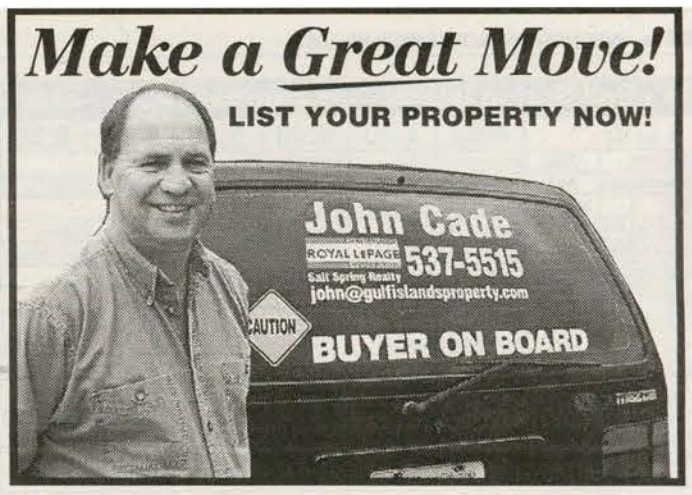

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3	600	621	MC	3:30 **The Gathering Storm**			**Little Boy Blues**	Aaron Pearl.		**Dead Simple**	Daniel Stern.			**Mercy Streets**	Eric Roberts.	:45 **Blind Terror**			
4			NewVI	Star Trek: Voyager		VI Land News				Seinfeld	Million?	Talk TV		The Twilight Zone		Dominick Dunne		News	:35 J.Leno
5	330	379	KING	Oprah Winfrey		KING News		News	News	Magazine	Squares	Ed		The West Wing		Law & Order		News	:35 J.Leno
6	244	358	CH	Days of Our Lives		CH News			Go! Mag.	70's...	W&Grace	Ed		Becker	K Queens	Yes, Dear	K Queens	SprtPage	CH News
7	243	321	CTVBC	Caroline Rhea		CTV News at Five		News		Frasier	Access	Amazing Race3		The West Wing		Law & Order		News	News
8	241	336	GBLBC	Oprah Winfrey		News	National	News		ET	BobMarg	Dawson's Creek		Victoria's Secret		Gilmore Girls		News	
9	443	383	KCTS	Zoom	Cyberch.	Liberty	Business	News		TravelEur	Short List	Secrets of the Dead		Benjamin Franklin *Pt. 3 of 3*		River Iron		Romance	News
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11	445	354	KNOW	George	Hometwn	Art Attack	Kratts' C	CountryL	S. Space	HowCook	Bach	Gala Imperialis		:10 Mozart's Little Treasures			Schubert	King and Empire	
13	242	359	CITY	Maury Povich Show		John Walsh Show		News		B.Date	5thWheel	Enterprise		The Bachelor 2 *(SF)*				News	Spin City
14	454	523	BRAVO	3:Avonlea	The Lost World		Playwrght	Best Girl	**Apartment Story**			Law & Order		NYPD Blue		**The Bicycle Thief**			Movie
15	472	583	CMT	Most Wanted Live!		Little House Prairie		Sessions		Sheet Music		eQuest		Most Wanted Live!		Sessions		3rd Shift	
16	436	560	TLC	Med. Det.	Med. Det.	Choppers		Junkyard Wars		Full Metal Challenge		Choppers		Junkyard Wars		Metal Challenge		Med. Det.	Med. Det.
19	483	541	FAM	:15 Tarzan	Weekend	:10 Recess	McGuire	Amanda	All That	Stevens	Jackson	Boy MW	Dark?	**Kramer vs. Kramer**		Dustin Hoffman.		Nowhere Man	
20	450	520	A&E	American Justice		Biography		American Justice		City Confidential		Third Watch		Biography		American Justice		City Confidential	
21	400	400	TSN	MolsonH.	Hockey NHL *Montréal Canadiens vs Pittsburgh Penguins*					Sportscentre				Boxing *Barrera vs Tapia*			Molson2	Sportscentre	
22	407	419	RSP	Basketball NBA *Indiana Pacers vs Toronto Raptors*					SportNws	Snapshot	Hockey NHL *Chicago vs Vancouver*					Sportsnet News		Sportsnet News	
23			KSTW	Digimon	Tarzan	HomeImp	HomeImp	Frasier	Frasier	70's...	70's...	Enterprise		The Twilight Zone		Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Spin City	D.Carey
24			KVOS	S. Susan	FamFeud	Pyramid	St.Smart	W&Grace	Elimidate	Extra	Justice	**Rainbow Drive** (1990) Peter Weller.				W&Grace	J.Shoot	Cheers	N. Radio
25	333	382	KCPQ	Maury Povich Show		3rd Rock	Simpsons	King Hill	Simpsons	Friends	Friends	BernieMc	Cedric	Fastlane		Q13 News		Star Trek: DSN	
26	511	390	NEWS	Can. Now	Health	Counterspin		The National/Mag.		Antiques UK		Counterspin		National	BusNews	Antiques UK		Counterspin	
27	332	381	KIRO	J. Judy	J. Judy	KIRO News		News	News	ET	Access	Amazing Race3		Victoria's Secret		60 Minutes II		News	Letterm'n
28	331	380	KOMO	Million?	Pyramid	KOMO 4 News		News	News	Wheel	Jeopardy	WifeKids	G. Lopez	The Bachelor 2 *(SF)*				News	Nightline
29	438	394	VISION	Neon Rider		To Free the Slaves				Eternity	Future	To Free the Slaves				Remaking the World		NorthR.	NorthR.

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3	600	621	MC	Movie	Various	M **Mr. Rice's Sec..**		Movie	Various Movies			Various	F **Beautiful Creatures** 2001			Various Movies			Various
4			NewVI	7:00 New Day		CityLine		Various	Health	Pacific Blue		All My Children		One Life to Live		Touched By Angel		Earth: Final Conflict	
5	330	379	KING	7:00 Today Show				Martha Stewart		Rob Nelson Show		News		Days of Our Lives		Passions		Dr. Phil	
6	244	358	CH	Gold Trail	Pet Guys	Oprah Winfrey		The Price is Right		Young & Restless		News		BodyHlth	Travel	Various	Various	Wheel	Jeopardy
7	243	321	CTVBC	6:30 Canada AM		Regis & Kelly		The View		Coffee Talk		eTalk	Bold & B.	Vicki Gabereau		General Hospital		Dr. Phil	
8	241	336	GBLBC	6:00 News		100 Huntley Street		Worldvision		Cross Ov.	MoneyW.	News		As the World Turns		Passions		Young & Restless	
9	443	383	KCTS	Sagwa	Zoboom.	Caillou	DragonT	Sesame Street		Barney	Rogers	Clifford	ReadRain	TTubbies	Jay Jay	Bet.Lions	Sagwa	Dragon T.	Arthur
10	101		SRC	7:30 Matin Express		Tous les matins				Ricardo	L'Heure du midi		Wizz	Les Jordache		Marco Polo		Variées	Variées
11	445	354	KNOW	B. Clues	MagicB.	Castle	:35 Hoobs	Fish	Dreamst.	Various	Various	Various	Various	Various	Various	Various	Various	Various	Madeline
13	242	359	CITY	6:00 Breakfast TV		Star Trek: DSN		Relic Hunter		CityLine		Cooks	Various	Various Movies				Media TV	DataC.
14	454	523	BRAVO	Various	TH Critic	Road to Avonlea		Law & Order		Various Movies			M Dance	Various	TH Book	Various	Various	Videos	Avonlea
15	472	583	CMT	Heart and Home						Heart and Home						Power Trip			
16	436	560	TLC	Personal	Personal	Makeover	Makeover	DatingSt	DatingSt	Wedding	Wedding	Baby St.	Baby St.	Trading Spaces		While You Were Out		Various	
19	483	541	FAM	Various	:50 Elmo	Various	:35 Stanley	Various	Ducktale	:15 Houndz	:40 L.Lulu	SmartG.	Various	:20 Stanley	Various	:10 O.Box	D'cktale	Various	:50 Pepper
20	450	520	A&E	Murder She Wrote		The View		Real Story/ Justice		N. Radio	N. Radio	Magnum, P.I.		America's Castles		Murder She Wrote		The View	
21	400	400	TSN	Sportscentre		Off Rec	Molson2	Various	Various	Various	Various	Motoring	Various	Equestr'n	Various	WWETgh	Interrupt	Off Rec	SportsC
22	407	419	RSP	SportNws	SportNws	SportNws	SportNws	SportNws	SportNws	SportNws	SportNws	SportNws	SportNws	Various	Fish On	M Equestrian/F Golf		Various	Various
23			KSTW	700 Club		WeakLink	Cross Ov.	Ricki Lake		J. Joe	J. Joe	The People's Court		Divorce	Divorce	Hughleys	Sabrina	Buzz	Recess
24			KVOS	Buzz	Recess	Paid	We Jury	The People's Court		Judge Greg Mathis		Rd Rules	Rosean'	Seventh Heaven		Montel Williams		Diagnosis Murder	
25	333	382	KCPQ	6:00 News		Good Day Live		Jerry Springer		Jenny Jones		Maury Povich Show		Beyond	Justice	Jerry Springer		Jenny Jones	
26	511	390	NEWS	Bus.Nws	Newsworld Today					Newsworld Today					Canadian	Politics		News	BusNews
27	332	381	KIRO	The Early Show		Life Moments		The Price is Right		Young & Restless		News	Bold & B.	As the World Turns		The Guiding Light		Montel Williams	
28	331	380	KOMO	7:00 Morning Am.		Regis & Kelly		The View		News	P.Charles	All My Children		One Life to Live		General Hospital		Northwest	
29	438	394	VISION	New Day	New Day	Mass	Various	Neon Rider		Youngren	Robison	Various		Q.Study	Various	Little House Prairie		Promised Land	

THIS WEEK'S MOVIES

WEDNESDAY, NOV 20

6:30 PM

14 Apartment Story (2001,Drama) The story of a man who just can't bring himself to leave his apartment. *David Bajurny, Allan Hawco* (1h30)

7:00 PM

3 Dead Simple (Drama) The life of a motel owner is turned upside down by a femme-fatale lounge singer. *Daniel Stern, James Caan* (2h)

8:00 PM

2 Random Passage (2001,Drama) The story of a young Irish girl who arrives in Newfoundland in the early 1800's. *Aoife McMahon, Colm Meaney* (1h)

24 ★★★ Rainbow Drive (1990,Drama) A Hollywood cop investigates a multiple murder case and subsequent cover-up. *Peter Weller, David Caruso* (2h)

9:00 PM

3 Mercy Streets (Drama) A criminal, newly released from jail, tries to save his million dollar deal. *Eric Roberts, David A.R. White* (1h45)

19 ★★★★ Kramer vs. Kramer (1979,Drama) A workaholic cares for his son after his wife leaves him, and then must fight to keep him. *Dustin Hoffman, Meryl Streep* (2h)

10:00 PM

14 ★★★★ The Bicycle Thief (1948,Foreign) A Roman bill-poster endures a week of endless frustration after his bicycle is stolen. *Enzo Staiola, Lamberto Maggiorani* (1h45)

10:45 PM

3 Blind Terror (2001,Thriller) A newlywed bride is stalked by a woman who claims to be her husband's former lover. *Nastassja Kinski, Stewart Bick* (1h45)

11:45 PM

14 The Interview (1995,Drama) An American journalist is obsessed with getting an interview with an elusive priest. *Henry Czerny, Patrick Bauchau* (1h45)

THURSDAY, NOV 21

6:00 PM

14 ★★★ Overdrawn at the Memory Bank (1985,Drama) A data processor becomes locked inside a master computer where he lives out his fantasies. *Raul Julia, Linda Griffiths* (1h45)

7:00 PM

3 ★★ Voyage of the Unicorn (2002,Fantasy) A grief stricken mythology scholar and his daughters are thrust into a fantasy world. *Beau Bridges, Chantal Conlin* (45m)

8:00 PM

24 ★★ Barbarella (1968,Sci-Fi) Escapades of female government agent in 41st century. *Jane Fonda, Milo O'Shea* (2h)

8:30 PM

3 ★ The Operative (2000,Spy) The KGB forces a CIA agent to pose as a millionaire so they can steal a rare painting. *Brian Bosworth, Bob Dawson* (1h45)

9:00 PM

4 Red Scorpion 2 (1994,Action) A SWAT team undergoes intensive training to infiltrate a group of Nazi skinheads. *John Savage, Michael Ironside* (2h)

19 ★★★ Junior (1994,Comedy) A male doctor and his associate steal a frozen egg, fertilize it and hide it in the man. *Arnold Schwarzenegger, Danny DeVito* (1h50)

29 ★★ Charlie Bubbles (1968,Comedy) A sensitive popular writer discovers that success is more trouble than it is worth. *Albert Finney, Liza Minnelli* (2h)

10:00 PM

14 ★★★★ The Scarlet Pimpernel (1935,Drama) A crusader rescues innocent aristocrats from the violence of the French Revolution. *Leslie Howard, Merle Oberon* (2h)

10:15 PM

3 ★★ Swordfish (2001,Thriller) A hacker is hired to break into a government system and steal billions of dollars. *John Travolta, Hugh Jackman* (1h45)

11:55 PM

10 Le cousin (1997,Histoire policière) Un petit truand fournit des informations à un policier en échange de son immunité. *Marie Trintignant, Patrick Timsit* (2h25)

YOUR WEEKLY PULL-OUT TV GUIDE

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3	600	621	MC	:30 **Autumn in New York**		**Cornered** Domenic Cina.				**Voyage of the Unicorn**			**The Operative**			:15 **Swordfish** (2001) John Travolta.			
4			NewVI	Star Trek: Voyager		VI Land News				Seinfeld	Million?	Earth: Final Conflict		**Red Scorpion 2** (1994) John Savage.				News	:35 J.Leno
5	330	379	KING	Oprah Winfrey		KING News		News	News	Magazine	Squares	Friends	Will & Grace		W&Grace	E.R.		News	:35 J.Leno
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7	243	321	CTVBC	Caroline Rhea		CTV News at Five		News		Frasier	Access	Pretty Boys		CSI: Crime Scene		E.R.		News	News
8	241	336	GBLBC	Oprah Winfrey		News	National	News		ET	Friends	Survivor 5: Thailand		Will & Grace		Without a Trace		News	
9	443	383	KCTS	Zoom	Cyberch.	Liberty	Business	News		TravelEur	Connects	Frontier House		Frontline		Mystery! *Pt. 1 of 4*		Romance	News
10	101		SRC	Art Attack	Ayoye!	..tatow	Wizz	Ce soir	ClanDest.	Virginie	Catherine	Fred-Dy		Géant Beaupré		Téléjournal/Point		Ce soir	Cinéma
11	445	354	KNOW	George	Hometwn	Art Attack	Kratts' C	Herbs	Forced March to Freedom			A Time for Courage		King and Empire		Can. War	Fallen Hero		TotemTlk
13	242	359	CITY	Maury Povich Show		John Walsh Show		News		B.Date	5thWheel	Highlander: Raven		B.Date	5thWheel	Forbidden Films		CityPulse	Spin City
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23			KSTW	Digimon	Tarzan	HomeImp	HomeImp	Frasier	Frasier	70's...	70's...	**Bulletproof** (1996) Adam Sandler.				Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Spin City	D.Carey
24			KVOS	S. Susan	FamFeud	Pyramid	St.Smart	W&Grace	Elimidate	Extra	Justice	**Perry Mason: Case of All Star Assas..**				W&Grace	J.Shoot	Cheers	N. Radio
25	333	382	KCPQ	Maury Povich Show		3rd Rock	Simpsons	King Hill		Friends	Friends	**Happy Gilmore** (1996) Adam Sandler.				Q-13 News		Star Trek: Voyager	
26	511	390	NEWS	Can. Now	Fashion	>Play		The National/Mag.		Hot Type	Fashion	@ The End		National	BusNews	Hot Type	Fashion	@ The End	
27	332	381	KIRO	J. Judy	J. Judy	KIRO News		News	News	ET	Access	48 Hours		Hack		Robbery Homicide		News	Letterm'n
28	331	380	KOMO	Million?	Pyramid	KOMO 4 News		News	News	Wheel	Jeopardy	Home Videos		D.Carey	Line?	20/20		News	Nightline
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14	454	523	BRAVO	Movie	**Dr. Strangelove (How I Le..**			:15 News	**The Party** Peter Sellers.			:15 **The Pink Panther** (1964) Peter Sellers.					Gzowski	ArtsMinds	Star TV
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21	400	400	TSN	Racing	Lumberj'k	Bowling *PINS 10 Pin*		Golf *Franklin Templeton Shootout* PGA					Profile	Football *Vanier Cup* CIS Teams TBA					
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26	511	390	NEWS	Inside Media		Newsworld Sat.		Counterspin		Inside Info		Antiques Roadshow		@ The End		Report	Fashion	News	Business
27	332	381	KIRO	7:00 KIRO News		B. Clues	Dora	Arnold	Thomb'ry	Golf *Franklin Templeton* PGA		Football *SEC* NCAA *Auburn vs Alabama State*							
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2	240		CBC	Hockey NHL *Philadelphia Flyers vs Toronto Maple Leafs*						Hockey NHL *Detroit Red Wings vs Edmonton Oilers*		:45 HNIC...		:15 See BC on CBC		:15 Hockey Night			
3	600	621	MC	Chronicle	:45 Inside Movies		**Domestic Disturbance**			**The Others** (2001) Nicole Kidman.				**No Man's Land** Branko Djuric.		:45 **Men of Honor**			
4			NewVI	Farscape		Star Trek: Voyager		News	Speaker's	Haida Art	VI Parade	Cops	Cops	Amer.Most Wanted		VI Land Votes		News	Star TV
5	330	379	KING	SportBlitz	Gardenin'	News		Basketball NBA *Seattle vs Dallas*				**Goldeneye** (1996) Pierce Brosnan.						News	Sat. Night
6	244	358	CH	Stargate: S-G1		CH News		Queen of Swords		Higher Ground		Touched By Angel		The District		The Agency		Mad TV	
7	243	321	CTVBC	Discover the World		Depression		News		Mysterious Ways		Cold Squad		Comedy	..Sitcom	Fastlane		News	News
8	241	336	GBLBC	J.Shoot	Simpsons	Simpsons	Simpsons	News		Compassion		Without Warning		Mutant X		Andromeda		News	:35 S.N.L
9	443	383	KCTS	3:00 KCTS Cooks				KCTS Cooks		Great Performances						Great Performances		U.S. Soundtrack	
10	101		SRC	Hockey LNH *Caroline vs Montréal*						Journal	Justice	Cult.Choc	Adrénaline				Sports /:55 **L'associé**		
11	445	354	KNOW	Mechanic	Tracy	Art Attack	Kratts' C	Bird Brains		National Geographic		Heartbeat		Where the Heart Is		Monarch of the Glen		Festival de Jazz	
13	242	359	CITY	3:30 **Dragon: The Bruce Lee Story**				News		Fashion	Star TV	First Wave		**Any Given Sunday** (1999) Al Pacino.					
14	454	523	BRAVO	Chamber Music		Frank Sinatra		Great Performers			:45 News	Sex&City	:45 Kurelek	Beggars/Choosers		**Blue Collar** (1978) Richard Pryor.			
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20	450	520	A&E	Mansions		Closed Doors		**Columbo: Murder: A Self Portrait**				Nero Wolfe		Closed Doors		**Columbo: Murder: A Self Portrait**			
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22	407	419	RSP	Skiing	GottaSee	Afterburn		GottaSee	SportNws	Basketball NBA *Sacramento vs Portland*					GottaSee	Sportsnet News		Sportsnet News	
23			KSTW	**Passenger 57** (1992) Wesley Snipes.				Enterprise		70's...	Seinfeld	**Lethal Weapon 2** (1989) Mel Gibson.					Seinfeld	Wild Police Videos	
24			KVOS	Movie	Touched By Angel		Ticket	Celebrity Justice		Extra Weekend		**Let it Ride** (1989) Richard Dreyfuss.				She Spies		Cheers	N. Radio
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FRIDAY, NOV 22

6:00 PM

14 Bliss (1997,Drama) A young married couple's emotional problems are alleviated when they see a sex therapist. *Craig Sheffer, Sheryl Lee* (2h)

20 ★★★ True Lies (1994,Thriller) Secret agent Harry Tasker contends with terrorists and his wife's trysts with another man. *Jamie Lee Curtis, Arnold Swarzenegger* (3h)

7:30 PM

19 Tru Confessions (2002,Drama) Follows the poignant and realistic story of a family with a developmentally disabled son. *Shia LeBoeuf, Mare Winningham* (1h30)

8:00 PM

23 Bulletproof (1996,Comedy) A small time crook and a cop are forced to go on the run together. *Adam Sandler, Damon Wayans* (2h)

24 ★★ Perry Mason: Case of the All Star Assassin (1989,Crime Story) Perry defends an injured pro hockey star accused of murdering his sport mogul boss. *Raymond Burr, Barbara Hale* (2h)

25 ★★ Happy Gilmore (1996,Comedy) A would-be-hockey player brings his slap shot and unsportsman-like attitude to golf. *Adam Sandler, Christopher McDonald* (2h)

9:00 PM

13 ★ Fight Club (1999,Psycho-Drama) A man finds release through fistfights that evolve into a philosophical movement. *Brad Pitt, Edward Norton* (3h)

19 ★★ Stop! Or My Mom Will Shoot (1992,Comedy) A mother and son team up in an effort to eradicate crime from the streets of Los Angeles. *Sylvester Stallone, Estelle Getty* (1h30)

10:00 PM

14 Love is a Splendid Illusion (Drama) A marriage becomes troubled when the husband finds out he is not the only one cheating. *Simon Brent, Andree Flamand* (1h30)

20 ★★★ True Lies (1994,Thriller) Secret agent Harry Tasker contends with terrorists and his wife's trysts with another man. *Jamie Lee Curtis, Arnold Swarzenegger* (3h)

10:30 PM

19 ★★★ The Pelican Brief (1993,Action) A law student stumbles onto a conspiracy theory to assassinate two Supreme Court Justices. *Julia Roberts, Denzel Washington* (2h15)

11:30 PM

14 Van Nuys Blvd. (1978,Drama) A young hick takes his hotrod to the famed San Fernando Valley in search of drag racers. *Bill Alder, Cynthia Wood* (1h45)

11:55 PM

10 ★★★ Un président américain (1995,Drame de moeurs) Un président veuf depuis plusieurs années débute un relation avant les élection. *Michael Douglas, Annette Bening* (2h35)

SATURDAY, NOV 23

6:00 PM

20 Columbo: Murder: A Self Portrait (1989,Mystery) Murder ensues after a famous artist fuels the jealousy between the women in his life. *Peter Falk, Vito Scotti* (2h)

7:00 PM

3 ★★★ The Others (2001,Thriller) When a woman and her children move into a dark mansion, her daughter claims to see ghosts. *Nicole Kidman, Fionnula Flanagan* (2h)

8:00 PM

5 ★★★ Goldeneye (1996,Action) Bond finds himself pitted against his old ally, Agent 006 who has become a renegade. *Pierce Brosnan, Dame Judi Dench* (3h)

23 ★★★ Lethal Weapon 2 (1989,Action) Detectives Riggs and Murtaugh are on the trail of South African drug dealers. *Mel Gibson, Danny Glover* (2h30)

24 ★★ Let it Ride (1989,Comedy) A compulsive gambler finally gets the day he's been waiting for all his life. *Richard Dreyfuss, Teri Garr* (2h)

28 ★★ Jingle All the Way (1996,Comedy) A father frantically searches for the "hot" Christmas toy to redeem himself with his son. *Arnold Schwarzenegger, Sinbad* (2h)

9:00 PM

3 ★★★★ No Man's Land (2001,Drama) Enemy soldiers find themselves stranded in No Man's Land during the 1993 Bosnian conflict. *Branko Djuric, Rene Bitorajac* (1h45)

13 Any Given Sunday (1999,Sport) A pro-football coach fights to motivate his quarterback as he battles with the new owner. *Al Pacino, Jamie Foxx* (3h)

19 ★★ Outrageous Fortune (1987,Comedy) Two women, in search of the man who two-timed them, become embroiled in a CIA plot. *Shelley Long, Bette Midler* (2h5)

10:00 PM

14 ★★★★ Blue Collar (1978,Drama) Three auto workers discover they're being exploited by management and their union bosses. *Richard Pryor, Harvey Keitel* (2h15)

20 Columbo: Murder: A Self Portrait (1989,Mystery) Murder ensues after a famous artist fuels the jealousy between the women in his life. *Peter Falk, Vito Scotti* (2h)

10:45 PM

3 ★★ Men of Honor (2000,Drama) A man is determined to become a Navy diver despite the overwhelming obstacles in his way. *Robert De Niro, Cuba Gooding Jr.* (2h15)

10:55 PM

10 L'associé (1996,Comédie) Une courtière noire s'invente un associé de race blanche. *Whoopi Goldberg, Dianne West* (2h35)

11:05 PM

19 ★★ Doctor Detroit (1983,Comedy) A mild mannered professor inherits a prostitute business and becomes a pimp. *Dan Aykroyd, Howard Hesseman* (1h35)

SUNDAY, NOV 24

6:00 PM

14 ★★ Clear and Present Danger (1994,Thriller) An agent is sent to investigate Columbian drug cartels and a strike force is sent in. *Harrison Ford, William Dafoe* (2h30)

23 ★★★ Clockers (1995,Drama) A man takes the fall for his brother, but the police...

Palliative care suite is campaign goal

By GAIL SJUBERG
Staff Writer

Hospitals are usually seen as centres of healing and rehabilitation, and that's largely the specialty of a place like Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital.

But it's also where many terminally ill people spend their last weeks, days and hours, with nearby access to medical care and pain control measures.

A palliative care suite has long been identified as high priority for boosting Lady Minto's services to islanders, and is one of two assets, along with an expanded operating room, sought by the Lady Minto Hospital Foundation in its current "Do You Care?" fundraising campaign.

For the past several years, individuals who have died at Lady Minto, and their families, have been extremely fortunate, says Pat Desbottes, a long-time member of the Bessie Dane Foundation and Hospice group and current trainer of its volunteers.

Between highly experienced medical staff in both acute and extended care units, home care nurses, home support workers and Bessie Dane members, palliative care on Salt Spring has been the envy of several other communities, she said.

Lady Minto even earned the J.F. McCreary Interdisciplinary Health Care Award in 1997 for its multifaceted palliative care program.

But those involved in hospice care have long seen ways it could be made even better with a dedicated palliative care suite located right at the hospital.

The personnel and support system is top-notch, but the physical facilities are not set up for optimal palliative care.

At present, explains Desbottes, the acute care private room can be used for dying patients.

While that in itself is positive, Desbottes notes, the space is unavoidably "very impersonal and hospital-like."

In the proposed new suite, with non-institutional furnishings and accessories, "they can make it as much like home as possible."

Besides the addition of an ensuite bathroom and galley kitchen, overnight accommodation for relatives is a critical improvement.

Having an outside access to the hospital garden will be a huge benefit, notes Desbottes, boosting privacy for family members at the time of their loss, and offering an alternate setting for discussions with medical staff and hospice volunteers.

"Caregivers or family members will be able to talk to volunteers and staff outside of the room, in private," said Desbottes.

Outdoor access also means pets can come and visit, and it provides a better visiting atmosphere for younger relatives.

Since visitors won't have to come through the hospital to access the suite, it will also reduce disturbance to other patients, added Desbottes.

Separation from the rest of the hospital's activities also means music and music therapy can be used for dying individuals.

"It is recognized that it is really nice for people to have their favourite music and things that are important to them," said Desbottes.

Gaynor Jones, clinical coordinator at Lady Minto, agrees with Desbottes about the need for an improved space.

"We've been looking after palliative care clients for many years in our single private room," she said. "It's cramped and not ideal for families to be with their loved ones when they are passing on."

Future demands for optimal palliative services are also expected to increase — not only because of Salt Spring's aging population, but because of a recent trend which has seen more people choosing to die in a hospital rather than at home.

At this point no one knows why that is happening, said Jones.

Desbottes said having immediate access to care and pain control measures often makes the client and family feel more comfortable and secure.

With a new palliative care suite at Lady Minto, the best of home and hospital environments can be merged.

"The alterations and additions are going to be fantastic," concluded Desbottes.

Hospital 'scoop' presented

People wanting a good look into Lady Minto's near future can come to public gatherings set for the next week at Gulf Islands Secondary School.

The Lady Minto Hospital Foundation is currently on a quest to raise $650,000 by the end of the year, and is inviting community members to get the inside scoop tonight (November 20) and Tuesday, November 26, beginning at 7 p.m.

Doctors and other hospital staff will be on hand for a presentation and to answer questions. Coffee will also be available.

The proposal is to expand Lady Minto by adding a palliative care suite and an enlarged operating room, with the goal of ensuring more people can get health care services on the island.

To date the foundation has raised $270,000 of the $650,000 needed.

The Vancouver Island Health Authority and Capital Regional District are providing the rest of the $1.8-million total cost needed.

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Marketing business ideas

By PIRJO RAITS
Special to the Driftwood

Turning a hobby into a business doesn't have to be just a dream.

Great ideas are one thing, but how do you promote and sell your idea? You market the idea.

Marketing is often mentioned as the greatest challenge for new entrepreneurs and it also keeps appearing on a list of topics showing where local businesspeople want more expertise.

In a town hall-style format, four local marketing experts will lead participants through a two-hour marketing blitz. Duart Campbell, David Wood, Paul Gravett, Richard Hannah and Michael Linehan will form a panel to discuss marketing challenges. This free seminar, presented by the Community Economic Development (CED) Project, takes place from 7-9 p.m. on Tuesday, November 26 at the United Church.

Participants will have a chance to explore some key questions in this interactive session, which will stimulate new ideas and challenge participants to think creatively.

Each panel member has years of experience in making the most out of business opportunities.

Campbell is publisher at Solessence Publishing Inc. and the marketing engine behind local artist Jill Louise Campbell and her two galleries.

"Turning ideas into a successful business takes clarity of focus, determination, a good sense of humour and a thick skin," says Campbell. "Turning a hobby into a business is the dream of many people today, but knowing how to make your product/craft/service is only the start. Who's going to buy it? What competition is there? Can you identify a specific market?

The list is long and we can't cover everything, so what we will do is focus on your needs and issues." Wood moved to Salt Spring in 1990 after 17 years in Toronto, most recently running a financially-marginal fine foods and catering operation that was nonetheless perceived publicly as a runaway success.

He has followed this with a farm-based cheese making business on Salt Spring, which he says unfortunately shares many of the same characteristics. However, he has definite plans to do something about the bottom line.

Gravett came to Salt Spring in 1997 with a musical and arts promotion background, which has stood him in good stead as the executive director of ArtSpring. He has been a manager for classical musicians and singers and has run a B&B. He says these experiences are tremendously helpful today in his present position.

Linehan, of Marketing Alchemy, has an extensive background in communications, small business marketing and technology. He has helped many thriving and start-up businesses improve their market share both online and off. He also taught marketing to young entrepreneurs and advised them on the development of their businesses.

"Marketing is the centre of any business. It's actually the only way we make money," he says. "And the Web is an extraordinarily powerful marketing tool."

Hannah designs devices for the disabled. With over 30 years of experience in designing, marketing and manufacturing medical products, Hannah knows about exporting, trade shows, print advertising, direct mail and development of a website and Internet sales.

Symmetric Designs was incorporated in 1986 and manufactures a wide variety of products whose market is primarily hospital-based therapists and orthotists in public and private practice. Ninety per cent of sales are outside of Canada.

The marketing seminar is free, but people must pre-register their intention to attend by contacting the CED office at 537-4219 or by e-mail at: cedproject@saltspring.com.

CHRISTMAS CREATIONS: Bonnie Curran adds some cedar bows to Mahon Hall as volunteers gather Sunday to decorate the building for the Guilds of Christmas Show which opens this Friday.

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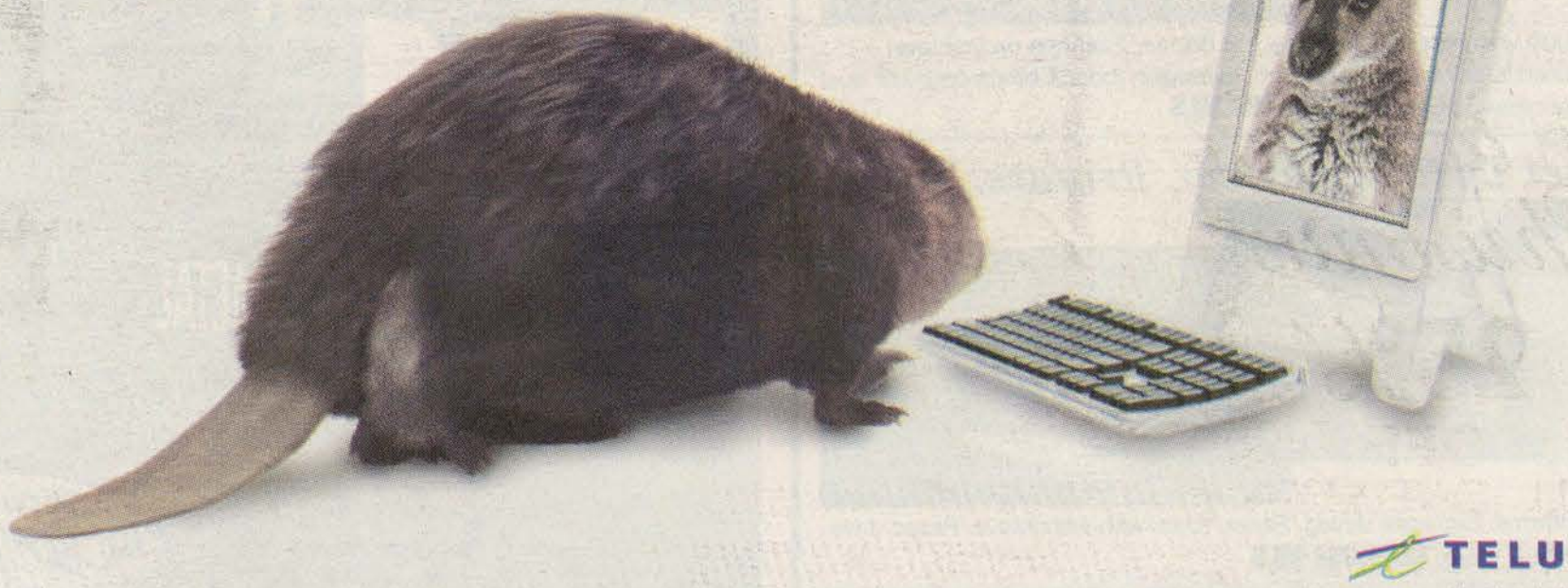

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Annual home-based business fair will pack Meaden this weekend

When an annual event keeps running and expanding for 11 straight years, there must be something to it.

The 11th-annual Home-Based Business Christmas Craft Fair, which takes place this Saturday and Sunday at Meaden Hall, has gotten bigger and better over the years, and last year doubled its exposure from one to two days.

"We tried it for two days last year for the 10th anniversary, and it was really busy," said fair organizer Lianne Fidler.

The fair features products once available only through home parties, plus crafts and other home-made items not found at most other venues.

"A lot of people who have never sold at a craft fair before like to come and test the waters here," said Fidler.

While she might be able to squeeze in "one or two" more small tables, available space has been filled by 29 different vendors.

"This year I was two-thirds full before I even put an ad in the paper," she said.

Popular small island enterprises such as Pampered Chef, Epicure Selections, Bare With Me soap, Usborne Books, Mary Kay Cosmetics and Shaklee will be there, along with makers of gingerbread items, jams and jellies, hand-knit socks and mittens, picture frames, gift balloons, kids' soap, cards and gift tags, Christmas ornaments and more.

The fair runs from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, and from 10 to 3 on Sunday.

The Legions Ladies Auxiliary is selling coffee, tea and other refreshments, plus assorted goodies.

As with last year's event, Fidler is asking patrons to bring a food bank donation.

"I had a carload to take last year," she noted.

BRIDGE TRICKS

On November 4 the winners were Glenda Kaiser and Boodie Arnott.

Second place went to George Laundry and Bill Buckler, and Jean Elder and Patricia Hewitt came in third. On November 11 Emely Walburger-Kovak, playing with George Laundry, came in second, and Irene Bleaker, playing with Blanche Poborsa, was third. First place was earned by Isabelle Richardson and Joan Conlan.

Santa's mailbox ready for action

Santa's special elves are again ready to help answer this season's mail from young children around the world.

Both holiday wishes and Christmas lists can be sent to Santa's special postal code at the North Pole.

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Santa reminds all his pen pals that it is important to include a complete return address, so that Canada Post can deliver his reply.

Children may also want to check out Santa's web page at www.canadapost.ca/holiday where they can enjoy interactive games and design their own greeting cards. They can also send Santa an e-mail from the site.

According to Canada Post, some 1,060,000 letters were received at Santa's H0H 0H0 postal code from children around the world, in more than 26 languages including Braille.

Another 18,500 were e-mailed to Santa through Canada Post's website.

Each child received a letter back from Santa, thanks to his dedicated helpers at Canada Post.

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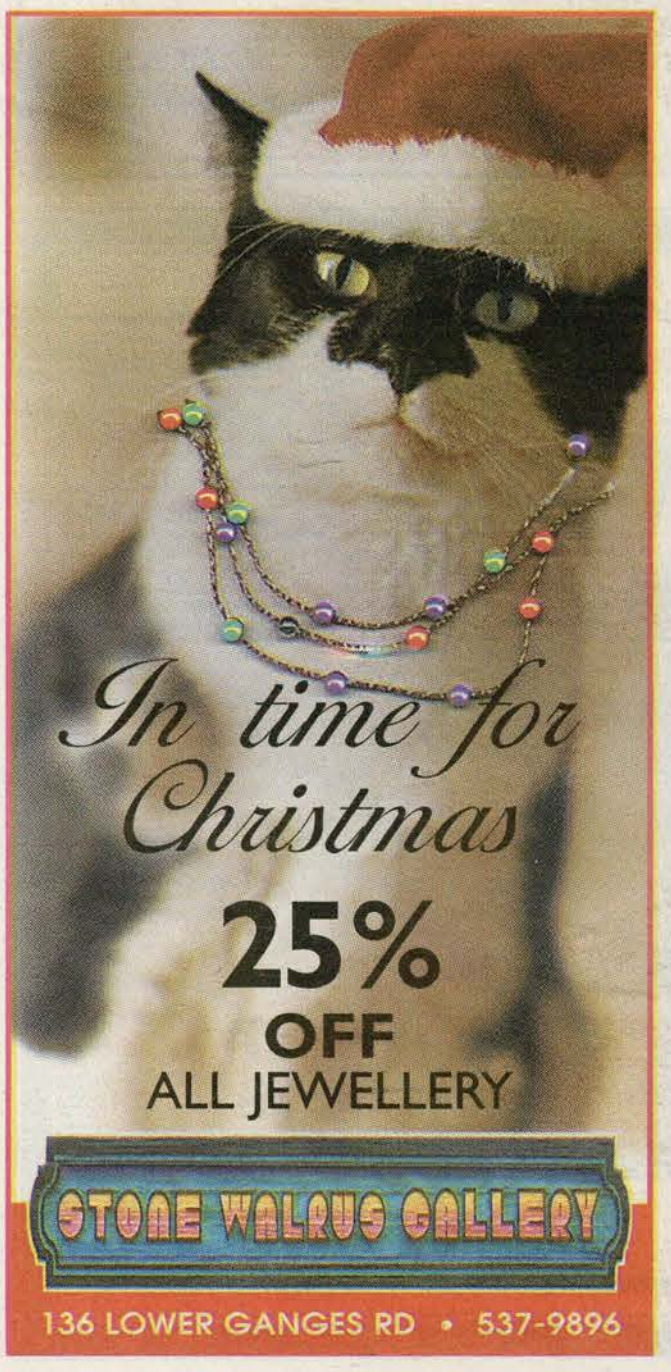

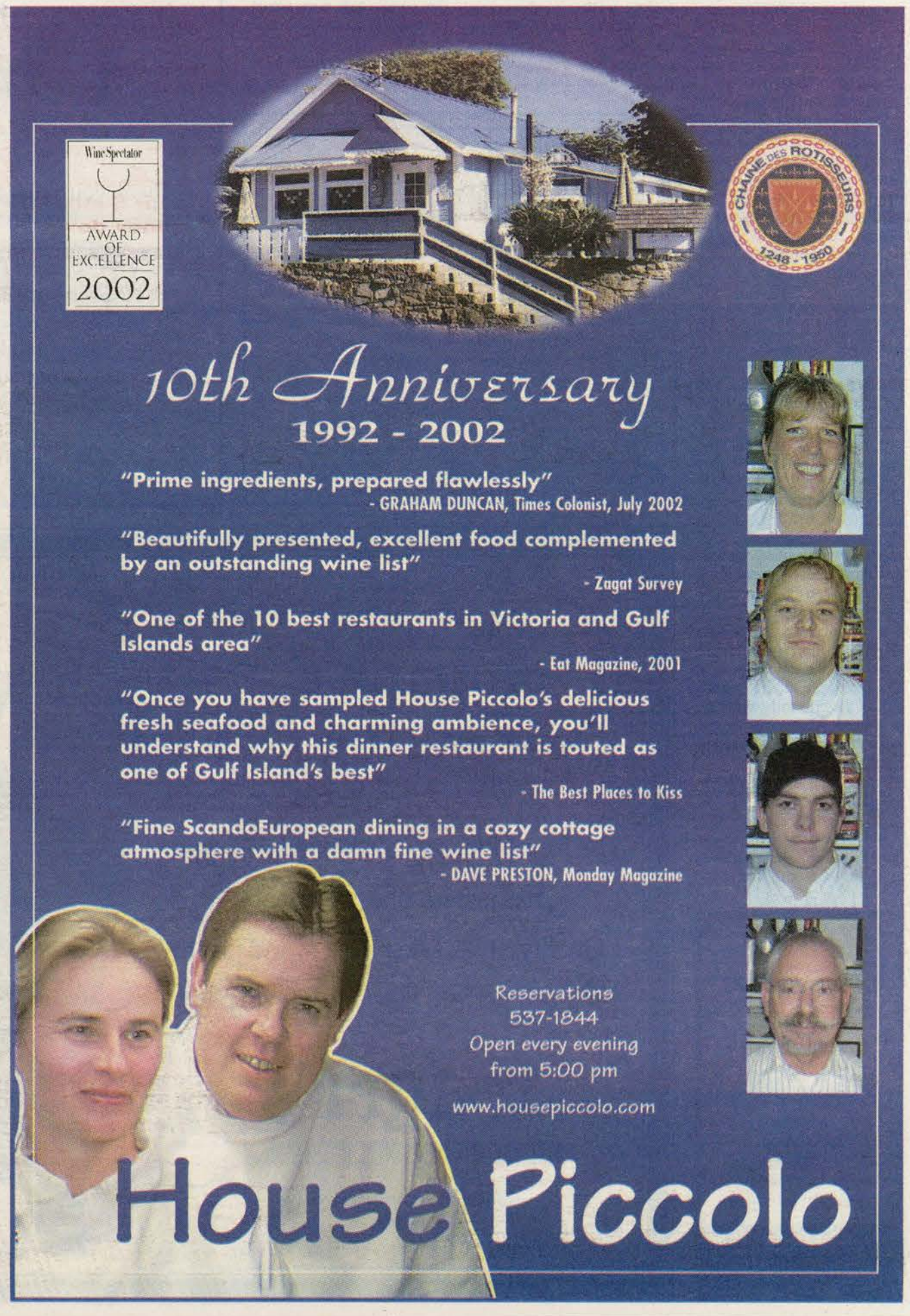

Taking a little chance on life

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So I'm sitting in my car at the pump while the gas jockey fills my tank with unleaded regular.

The ignition is switched off, but I've got the key turned to "Accessories" so I can listen to the radio. The pump jockey leans in my window and says: "I'm afraid I have to ask you to turn your car radio off, sir."

"Why is that?" I ask.

"Risk of a spark, sir. There was a gas station in Alberta that blew up because a customer had his radio on while he was getting gas."

Meekly, (I'm Canadian, eh?) I turn my ignition key to "Off." I pay for the gas and drive away, making sure my wristwatch doesn't accidentally brush against the window crank producing a spark that will turn the entire town into flaming Armageddon.

And then I think — wait a minute.

I've been filling up at gas stations at least once a week for the last 40 years. Just about everybody I know has been doing the same thing. I can remember seeing guys pumping gas with cigarettes in their mouths. I have never, in four decades, heard of ANY fire caused at a gas pump ANYWHERE by a spark from a car ignition.

On the other hand, maybe the kid was right. Perhaps I'm just an aging desperado who's grown used to living dangerously. By rights, I shouldn't even be here. I should have died from Extreme Carelessness years ago.

When I was growing up, my parents never strapped me into a kiddy's carseat — mainly because there weren't any. In those days, kids got to bounce around in the back seat along with the family mutt. We could even roll the windows down and fall out if we wanted to.

The only air bag I knew was an American Airlines stewardess who lived down the street.

Heck, I was lucky to live that long, really. I spent a lot of my infancy in a non-CSA-approved crib and I'm pretty sure my blankets weren't treated with flame-retardant. I know I spent a lot of lazy afternoons gnawing on the crib rails with my new teeth. Crib rails sporting a bright red coat of lead-based paint.

Amazing I don't glow in the dark.

And diet! Every nickel I could scrape up by cutting lawns (without safety glasses or noise reduction earmuffs) went for Hostess Twinkies, 12-ounce bottles of Kik Cola and all the bubble gum I could stuff between my jaws.

And if we were really good at home, Mom might make us our favourite between-meals snack: a slice of Christie's white sliced, slathered with butter and then liberally sprinkled with brown sugar. Sometimes on hot days she'd even give us a pitcher of sugar-laced Freshie. Otherwise we'd just drink water from the garden hose.

Medic! We got a dead man walking, here!

As kids, we suffered from a dreadful lack of rules and supervision. We had pea-shooters and home-made bows and arrows. Bike helmets? Closest I got was a Davy Crockett coonskin cap. Dogs ran free. We cooked up our own pickup games of baseball and touch football without a single coach! We played hockey on outdoor rinks without dressing rooms or anyone to help us with our skates. Some of us even got hurt and had to get over it on our own. It was a brutal time.

We spent summer afternoons swinging on a rope tied to a branch of a huge maple tree. You took a mighty sprint, grabbed the rope, soared out over the river, let go of the rope and landed in the swimming hole if you timed it right. If you timed it wrong, you landed in a raspberry patch. There was no lifeguard, the rope was rotten and the branch could have come down at any time.

Mind you, by then we had already been coarsened by years of classroom barbarity. Kids nowadays won't believe this, but in those Dark Ages, some of us actually FAILED OUR YEAR. That's right — we were held back and forced to repeat a year's worth of dreary classes until we got it right.

It was all based on some primitive academic theory that certain kids were actually smarter and/or worked harder and therefore deserved preferential treatment. Thank heavens we've stamped that kind of thinking out.

We live in much safer times now, but it can feel a little cramped. A smarter guy than me once said: "A ship is safe in a harbour, but that's not what ships are for."

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2	240		CBC	Coronation Street				CBC News: Sunday				Grey Cup Sunday					Football *Grey Cup* CFL		
3	600	621	MC	7:00 **Almost Famous**		**The Score** (2001) Robert De Niro.				:15 Movies	:45 **Osmosis Jones** (2001) Chris Rock.			:45 **Final Fantasy: The Spirits Within**				Movie	
4			NewVI	BTV	Boats..	Real Fish	Nice Fish	Age of e	LifeDeath	Markings: Anthology		Worldvision		CityLine		Earth: Final Conflict		Beast Master	
5	330	379	KING	News		Weekend News		G. Games *Bike Street, Skateboarding*				Skiing *Nature Valley*		Bull Riding *New Orleans Open*				Endurnce	P.Planet
6	244	358	CH	Is Written	Ernest Angley		Van Impe	Football NFL Teams TBA						Casino	Taste Life	G. Games *Bike Street, Skateboarding*			
7	243	321	CTVBC	7:00 Morning Canada		Eagle Communic.		Hobo	Worldvision		1st Story	Question Period		Power Play		Twice in a Lifetime		**Murder Most Likely**	
8	241	336	GBLBC	News				Money	W.Wildlife	Hour of Power		News		Football NFL Teams TBA					
9	443	383	KCTS	Arthur	Sagwa	Ballerina	G.Gables	Myth Quest		Sewing	Quilting	1 Stroke	Handym.	TimeGo..	TimeGo..	Battle for Titanic		KCTS Cooks	
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11	445	354	KNOW	B. Clues	MagicBus	Castle	Hoobs	LittleBear	Bear	Router	Sportfish	DataC.	Scatterin'	Champ'n	The Edge	King and Empire		Timothy	George
13	242	359	CITY	CityLine		Feet F.	TV Frame	NegareshTelevision			Music	Ethnosonic		Electric Circus		SpeakEasy		Fashion	Star TV
14	454	523	BRAVO	7:**Seven Hills of R.**.		**Queen of Hearts** (1989) Vittorio Duse.				**Moonstruck** (1987)		Cher.		Variety	G. Gould	IAS		Bravo! Profiles	
15	472	583	CMT	EQuest		CMT Weekend						Chevy Top 20 Countdown				Power Trip			
16	436	560	TLC	Bob Vila	Bob Vila	Trading Spaces		While You Were Out		Junkyard Wars		Metal Challenge		Super Structures		Tornado		Tornado	
19	483	541	FAM	McGuire	Amanda	All That	Stevens	BoyMW	:45SmartG	T. Angel	:35 Wish	**Tru Confessions**			**Kelly** (1981) Robert Logan.			ArtAttack	:45 Mouse
20	450	520	A&E	Incurable Collector		**Thin Air: A Spenser Mystery**				Nero Wolfe		**Runaway Train** (1985) Jon Voight.				**Heaven Can Wait** (1978) Warren Beatty.			
21	400	400	TSN	NFL Countdown				Basketball NBA *Philadelphia vs Toronto*					Motoring	Boxing *Echols vs Pemberton*				Sportscentre	
22	407	419	RSP	Sportsnet News		Fish On	NBA XL	Tri Nations Review				Skiing *Alpine* FIS		Skiing	Triathlon *Subaru*		GottaSee	SportNws	SportNws
23			KSTW	Buzz	Recess	Digmon	Tarzan	Lucy	Lucy	M.A.S.H.	M.A.S.H.	**Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves** (1991) Kevin Costner.						**Goodfellas**	
24			KVOS	Discovery	Paid	Hour of Power		Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	New Look	New Look	Diagnosis Murder		**Columbo: Negative Reaction**			
25	333	382	KCPQ	FOX News Sunday		FOX NFL Sunday		Football NFL *St. Louis Rams vs Washington Redskins*						Star Trek: DSN		**The Program** (1993) James Caan.			
26	511	390	NEWS	WorldV'w	ForeignA.	Newsworld Live		Inside Media		Antiques UK		Hot Type	One/One	WorldV'w	ForeignA.	Newsworld Live		News	ForeignA.
27	332	381	KIRO	Ginger	Pelswick	The NFL Today		Golf *Franklin Templeton Shootout* PGA				B. Clues	Dora	Football NFL *Kansas City Chiefs vs Seattle Seahawks*					
28	331	380	KOMO	Teamo S.	Pr'd Fam	This Week		Animal R.	Paid	Paid	Paid	Golf *ADT Championships* LPGA				Figure Skating *Trophee Lalique* ISU			
29	438	394	VISION	Islam	The Hour of Power		J. Meyer	People's Church		Revival	Food Life	Van Impe	700 Club	Time Life	Scatterin'	P.Focus	World	R.Martin	Ministries

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2	240		CBC	2:30 Football *Grey Cup* CFL Teams TBA						To Be Announced						News	Venture	Reflection	CoolShot
3	600	621	MC	3:30 **Dr. Dolittle 2**		**Novocaine** (2001) Steve Martin.				**Don't Say a Word** Michael Douglas.				**Ali** (2001) Will Smith.					Movie
4			NewVI	Farscape		Buffy Vampire		News	Enviro TV	Right On!		**G.I. Jane** (1997) Demi Moore.						News	Enviro TV
5	330	379	KING	CrocFiles	Upfront	KING 5 News		News	News	Friends		**Runaway Bride** (1999) Julia Roberts.						News	:35 Sports
6	244	358	CH	Stargate: S-G1		CH News		Ins.Ent.	Go! Mag.	60 Minutes		American Dreams		**Martin and Lewis** (2002) Sean Hayes.				SprtPage	Ins.Ent.
7	243	321	CTVBC	3:**Murder Most L.**.		Seventh Heaven		News		**The Santa Clause** (1994) Tim Allen.				**The Pennsylvania Miners' Story**				News	News
8	241	336	GBLBC	At Home	Simpsons	Simpsons	Global	News		Cirque	King Hill	Simpsons	King Hill	Malcolm	Malcolm	The Shield		News	National
9	443	383	KCTS	3:00 KCTS Cooks				Great Performances				The Living Edens		Mystery!				Andrea Bocelli	
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13	242	359	CITY	**To Be Announced**				News		Speaker's	Iconocl'st	**Runaway Bride** (1999) Julia Roberts.						Sex TV	I Said So
14	454	523	BRAVO	ArtsMinds	Earth	Sylvia Safdie		**Clear and Present Danger** (1994) Harrison Ford.				**Patriot Games** (1991) Harrison Ford.				:45 **Presumed Innocent**			
15	472	583	CMT	**Holiday in Your Heart** LeAnn Rimes.				Terri Clark: Real		Johnny Cash		eQuest		**Holiday in Your Heart** LeAnn Rimes.				3rd Shift	
16	436	560	TLC	Twister		Monster Machines		Monster Machines		Full Metal Challenge		Monster Machines		Monster Machines		Metal Challenge		Choppers	
19	483	541	FAM	:10P. Fam	Possible	Teamo S.	W.Pooh	Franklin	:45 Henry	:10 L.Lulu	:35Houndz	Your Big Break		**Beaches** (1988) Bette Midler.				:20 **Moon Pilot**	
20	450	520	A&E	Biography		Nero Wolfe		City Confidential		Third Watch		Murder She Wrote		Nero Wolfe		City Confidential		Third Watch	
21	400	400	TSN	GymRock	NFL Primetime		Football NFL *Indianapolis Colts vs Denver Broncos*					Sportscentre			Golf *Franklin Templeton* PGA			Sportscentre	
22	407	419	RSP	Sunday Night Heat		Drop In	Golf	Skiing	SportNws	Sunday Night Heat		Volleyball *Husky Dino Cup*				Sportsnet News		Sportsnet News	
23			KSTW	3:00 **Goodfellas** (1990) Robert De Niro.				**Clockers** (1995) Harvey Keitel.				**The Long Kiss Goodnight** (1996) Geena Davis.				M.A.S.H.		The Practice	
24			KVOS	Twilight	Twilight	Seventh Heaven		Maximum Exposure		Serve & Protect		**Three Days of the Condor** (1975) Robert Redford.				J.Shoot		Cheers	N. Radio
25	333	382	KCPQ	Post Game Show		Simpsons	3rd Rock	Simpsons	Friends	Futurama	King Hill	Simpsons	King Hill	Malcolm	Malcolm	Q13News	:35 Q It Up	Stargate: S-G1	
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28	331	380	KOMO	Wheel	Jeopardy	KOMO 4 News		News	News	**The Santa Clause** (1994) Tim Allen.				**The Pennsylvania Miners' Story**				News	:35 Ebert
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3	600	621	MC	**The Family Man** (2001) Nicolas Cage.					Movies	The Chronicle		Jeremiah		**My First Mister** Albert Brooks.		:45 **Not Another Teen Movie**			
4			NewVI	Star Trek: Voyager		VI Land News				Seinfeld	Million?	Monk		Birds of Prey		Tracker		News	:35 J.Leno
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believe his confession. *Harvey Keitel, John Turturro* (2h)

7:00 PM

7 28 ★★★ The Santa Clause (1994,Comedy) A father mends his relationship with his son after fate transforms him into Santa. *Tim Allen, Judge Reinhold* (2h)

3 ★★★ Don't Say a Word (2001,Thriller) To save his daughter from kidnappers, a shrink must pry a number from his patient's mind. *Michael Douglas, Famke Janssen* (2h)

8:00 PM

4 ★★ G.I. Jane (1997,Drama) A tough Navy Intelligence officer fights to become the first female Navy S.E.A.L. trainee. *Demi Moore, Viggo Mortensen* (3h)

5 13 Runaway Bride (1999,Romance) A newspaper columnist investigates a small-town bride-to-be with an unique history. *Julia Roberts, Richard Gere* (3h)

23 ★★ The Long Kiss Goodnight (1996,Action) A school teacher, suffering from amnesia, rediscovers her former life as a CIA assassin. *Geena Davis, Samuel L. Jackson* (2h30)

24 ★★★ Three Days of the Condor (1975,Drama) A researcher is plunged into a chain of events that exposes top government officials. *Robert Redford, Faye Dunaway* (2h30)

8:30 PM

14 ★★★ Patriot Games (1991,Action) A former CIA agent and his family unwittingly become the target of Irish terrorists. *Harrison Ford, Anne Archer* (2h)

9:00 PM

3 ★★ Ali (2001,Biography) Boxing legend Muhammad Ali becomes a champion, meets his first wife and converts to Islam. *Will Smith, Jada Pinkett-Smith* (2h45)

6 27 Martin and Lewis (2002,True) The tumultuous relationship between comedy entertainers, Jerry Lewis and Dean Martin. *Sean Hayes, Jeremy Northam* (2h)

7 28 The Pennsylvania Miners' Story (2002,True) Chronicles the real-life story of the coal miners who were trapped in a mine for 72 hours. *William Mapother, John Ratzenberger* (2h)

15 ★ Holiday in Your Heart (1997,Drama) A country newcomer must make a career decision while her grandmother is ill. *LeAnn Rimes, Bernadette Peters* (2h)

19 ★★★ Beaches (1988,Drama) A meeting on a beach sparks a once-in-a-lifetime friendship for two very different women. *Bette Midler, Barbara Hershey* (2h20)

10:45 PM

14 ★★★ Presumed Innocent (1990,Crime Story) A prosecutor becomes the main suspect in the murder of a colleague whom he'd been seeing. *Harrison Ford, Brian Dennehey* (2h30)

11:20 PM

19 ★★ Moon Pilot (1962,Comedy) A young space scientist is tricked into volunteering for a space trip to the moon. *Tom Tyron, Brian Keith* (1h35)

11:30 PM

10 Élizabeth (1998,Drame historique) À la mort de la reine catholique sa demi-soeur protestante Élizabeth lui succède *Cate Blanchett, Geoffrey Rush* (2h5)

11:45 PM

3 ★ Lost Souls (1999,Thriller) A young woman who was once possessed by the devil tries to save a man from the same fate. *Winona Ryder, John Hurt* (1h45)

MONDAY, NOV 25

8:00 PM

2 The New Beachcombers (2002,Drama) Three people return to their home town to confront their pasts and face the future. *Deanna Milligan, Cam Bancroft* (2h)

5 13 ★★ Erin Brockovich (2000,True) A brassy woman investigates a case involving people who were exposed to polluted water. *Julia Roberts, Aaron Eckhart* (3h)

24 ★★★ Uncommon Valor (1983,War) A retired Army colonel assembles a team to find his missing son in Vietnam. *Gene Hackman, Robert Stack* (2h)

9:00 PM

3 ★★★ My First Mister (2001,Drama) A seventeen-year-old girl has a troubled relationship with a much older man. *Albert Brooks, John Goodman* (1h45)

19 ★★★★ The Buddy Holly Story (1978,Biography) The biography of Buddy Holly's life, career and tragic death in a plane crash. *Gary Busey, Don Stroud* (2h)

10:00 PM

14 ★★★ The Turning Point (1977,Dance) A housewife's daughter becomes enthralled with her mother's friend, a prima ballerina. *Shirley MacLaine, Anne Bancroft* (2h15)

10:45 PM

3 ★★★ Not Another Teen Movie (2001,Comedy) A popular high school jock attempts to transform an ugly duckling into the prom queen. *Chyler Leigh, Chris Evans* (1h30)

TUESDAY, NOV 26

6:00 PM

14 ★★★★ The Hard Part Begins (1973,Musical) A country and western singer, fears the invasion of rock and struggles with his family. *Donnelly Rhodes, Nancy Belle Fuller* (1h45)

29 ★★★ The War Between Us (1995,Drama) Friendship between grandmother and a Japanese-Canadian woman during WWII. *Shannon Lawson, Mieko Ouchi* (2h)

6:15 PM

3 ★★ Voyage of the Unicorn (2002,Fantasy) A grief stricken mythology scholar and his daughters are thrust into a fantasy world. *Beau Bridges, Chantal Conlin* (45m)

8:00 PM

24 ★★★ The Butcher's Wife (1991,Comedy) A southern clairvoyant marries a NY butcher and gives "love" advice to his customers. *Demi Moore, Frances McDormand* (2h)

9:00 PM

13 ★★★ Meet Market (1989,Comedy) Four men from very diverse backgrounds set out in search of love in downtown Montreal. *Michel Cote, Diane Jules* (2h)

19 ★★★ Roxanne (1987,Comedy) A small town fire chief with an astonishingly large nose agrees to coach a shy suitor. *Steve Rossovich* (1h35)

29 ★★★ The War Between Us (1995,Drama) Friendship between grandmother and a Japanese-Canadian woman during WWII. *Shannon Lawson, Mieko Ouchi* (2h)

10:00 PM

14 ★ Charro! (1969,Western) A reformed outlaw has difficulty leaving his old gang in order to prove he has changed. *Elvis Presley, Ina Balin* (2h)

3 ★★ Behind Enemy Lines (2001,War) A Navy pilot fights to stay alive after being shot down in enemy territory. *Owen Wilson, Gene Hackman* (2h)

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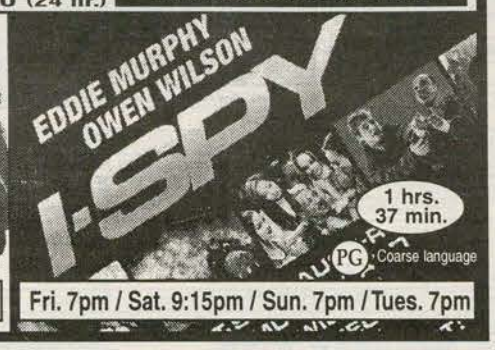

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WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

WED. Nov. 20

Meetings

Breast Cancer Support Group. Meets at Croftonbrook, 10 a.m. Yvette, 537-9752.
Hospital Campaign Community Meeting. Discussion and coffee, GISS, 7 p.m.

Music

'Simply Organic'. Organ music at All Saints, 10:10 a.m., followed by coffee and muffins.
Sunset Spotlight. Island musicians perform at Vesuvius Pub. 8-11 p.m.

Family

Sidewalk Mural Project. At Fables Cottage, 3:30-5 p.m.

Activities

Hatha Yoga Classes. With Cathy Valentine. ArtSpring, 5:30-7 p.m. 653-4405.

WHAT'S ON

THURS. Nov. 21

Special Events

Talk & Slide Show. With author, artist, naturalist Chris Czajkowski. Lions Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Workshops

Pathways to Healing. Healing touch workshop with Wendy Kaye. United Church, 7:30 p.m. Register, 537-8779.

Family

Collage with Bly Kaye. A Fables Cottage workshop, 3:30-5 p.m. Register: 537-0028.

Activities

Community Meditation. Thursdays at SS United Church hall, 11:15-12:30.
Square Dancing. Thursdays at Central Hall, 7-9:30 p.m. Alan, 537-5427.
Bingo. At Meaden Hall, 7 p.m. Early bird games, 6:30.

WHAT'S ON

FRI. Nov. 23

Music

Dave Roland & KC Kelly. At Porters in the Harbour House, 8-11 p.m.
Sunyata with Blaine Dunaway Trio. Moby's Pub , 9 p.m
Musicians' Jam Nite. At Anise Restaurant, from 9 p.m.

Workshops

Embracing the Dark. Three-day reclaiming workshop at Beaver Point Hall. Marion, 537-4567.

Activities

UNICEF Sale. Bank of Montreal, 10-3.
Book Study. A New Christianity for a New World, with Rohana Laing. United Church, 2 p.m.
Roller-blading to Music. Fridays at Fulford Hall, 7:30-9 p.m.

WHAT'S ON

SAT. Nov. 24

Special Events

OES Christmas Bazaar. Masons Hall, 9-2.
Home Based Business Christmas Fair. Meaden Hall, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Danny Evanishen book signing. etcetera books, noon to 3 p.m.

Music

Sunyata with Blaine Dunaway Trio. Moby's Pub , 9 p.m.

Workshop

Bellydancing with Tara. At the Barn, Reynolds Road. Gypsy, 10-noon; Tribal, 1-3. Call 653-4072.

WHAT'S ON

SUN. Nov. 25

Special Events

Home Based Business Christmas Fair. Meaden Hall, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
SS Philosophers' Cafe. With moderator Yosef Wosk, founder of SFU Cafe Network. Core Inn, 2-4 p.m.
Adriane Carr visit. Green Party leader at Fulford Hall, 4:30 p.m.
Triangle Island Slide Show. Presented by Alison Watt. Fulford Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Music

Blaine Dunaway Trio. Moby's Sunday Dinner Jazz, 7 p.m.

WHAT'S ON

MON. Nov. 26

Special Events

PAC Education Evening. Two workshops and potluck supper. School board office, 3 p.m. registration.

Meetings

Lady Minto Hospital Auxiliary. Monthly meeting at Lions Hall, 1:30 p.m.
PARC. Monthly meeting at Portlock Park portable, 7 p.m.

Music

Artisan. The Stuff the Turkey show at the SS Folk Club, Fulford Hall, 7:30 p.m.

WHAT'S ON

TUES. Nov.27

Special Events

Aboriginal Speakers Series. Guest speaker Chris Arnett, Lions Hall, 7 p.m.
Marketing Panel. CED small business event. United Church, 7-9 p.m. Free, but pre-reg: 537-4219.

Meetings

Hospital Campaign Community Meeting. At GISS, 7 p.m.

Workshops

Creating Optimism & Resilience. Free introductory session, 7 p.m. Bruce, 537-1177.

Activities

Hatha Yoga Classes. With Cathy Valentine. ArtSpring, 5:30-7 p.m. 653-4405.
Floor Hockey. Tuesdays at Fulford Hall, 6:30 p.m.
Tango Lesson. For beginners, with Michael Young, Tuesdays at the Core Inn, 7-8:30 p.m.

Cinema

White Oleander — Robin Wright Penn, Michelle Pfeiffer and Renee Zellweger star in a story of a girl who moves through several foster homes after her mother commits a crime of passion.
I-Spy — Eddie Murphy and Owen Wilson pick up where the TV show left off in this comic book spy movie directed by Betty Thomas.

Cable TV

Salt Spring TV, Cable 12 — Runs continuously for 24 hours from Tuesday, November 26, 3 p.m. — Oldtimers Reunion 2002 — Oldtimers and their families got together at the Farmers Institute last summer to celebrate, reconnect with old friends and reflect on Salt Spring times gone by. Meanwhile, Salt Spring Live continues with music, drama, comedy and scenes from various island events. This week's episode features highlights from Sea Capers and the Highland Games, with parade, caber toss, bagpipe and drum competititons, Highland dancing and folks having fun. Produced by Peter Prince.

Exhibitions

Guilds of Christmas Show and Sale runs daily at Mahon Hall from 10-5, Friday, November 22 through Sunday, December 1.
Stoneridge Pottery & Flowers by Arrangement Christmas Show and Sale, 520 Long Harbour Road, November 23-24, 10-5.
Ulrieke's Studio open house, 400 Old Scott Road, November 23-24, 11-5.
Pete McKenzie and Peter McFarlane are currently showcased at the J. Mitchell Gallery.
Paula Swan's photography is at Moka House.
Ulf Enhörning's work is displayed at Moby's Pub through November.
Diana Hayes shows her photo exhibit called Sleeping With Trout and Other Dreams of Transformation at the Roasting Co. in Ganges.
Verna Meyer is exhibiting paintings at Island Savings.
Phil Vernon is showing provocative parrot portraits at Barb's Buns.
Stefanie Denz has four pieces hanging at Luigi's Pizzeria.

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6 DEATHS

SWIFT, Kenneth , 1926-2002. Ken passed away Nov. 7. He leaves his loving wife Lois, sister Alice of Stavely, Alberta and many nieces and nephews. Ken requested no funeral or memorial. Cremation by Personal Alternative Funeral Services, of Aldergrove, B.C.

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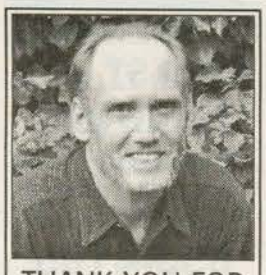
WASN'T THAT a Party! We would like to thank our family, friends and neighbours. Especially our sons Michael, Jock and David and their beautiful wives Eydie and Fiona for the best party ever. Many thanks to Colleen, the chef extraordinaire and John the piper. Harry and Joan Walls.



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10 CELEBRATIONS

Island couple are married at St. Mark's Church Saturday

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20 COMING EVENTS

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PATHWAYS TO HEALING, an Introduction to Self-Healing Techniques. Wendy Kaye, Certified Healing Touch Practitioner. Thursday, Nov. 21 at 7:30 p.m. United Church, Upper Hall. $8. Register at 537-8779.

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20 COMING EVENTS

SALTSPRING ROD & Gun Club, Annual Game Dinner, Saturday, December 7 - 7 p.m., 221 Long Harbour Road. Tickets/info. available at Newman's Great Outdoors, #104 Gasoline Alley. 537-5860 or fax 537-1469.

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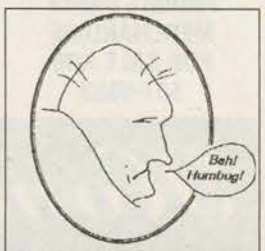

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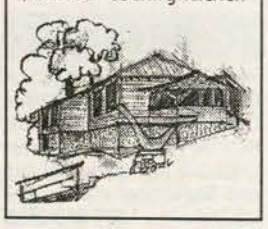

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE ESTATE OF
EVELYN CONNIE RAMSAY

(Connie Ramsay) Deceased, late of Salt Spring Island, who died September 18, 2002.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned Executrix by the 30th of December 2002 a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

JAN HILTON,
EXECUTRIX
143 Kitchen Rd.
Salt Spring Island, B.C.
V8K 2B3

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

RE: THE ESTATE OF EILEEN FRANCES BILTON, Deceased, formerly of 181 Vesuvius Bay Road, Salt Spring Island, B.C. V8K 1K3.

Creditors and others having claims against the estate of EILEEN FRANCES BILTON, are hereby notified under section 38 of the Trustee Act that particulars of their claims should be sent to the executor at Box 414, Ganges P.O., Salt Spring Island, B.C. V8K 2W1 on or before December 31, 2002, after which date the executor will distribute the estate among the parties entitled to it, having regard to the claims of which the executor then has notice.

James Pasuta
Solicitor for the Estate of
EILEEN FRANCES BILTON

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS
RE: THE ESTATE OF NORAH CECILIA BEATRICE KROPINSKI, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the Estate of NORAH CECILIA BEATRICE KROPINSKI, deceased, late of Salt Spring Island, British Columbia, are hereby required to send them duly verified to the undersigned executor at c/o #1 - 105 Rainbow Road, Salt Spring Island, B.C. V8K 2V5, on or before January 1, 2003, after which date the assets of the said estate will be distributed, having regard only to claims that have been received.

PETER MITTCHELL SCOTT TURNER,
Executor
by his solicitor
IAN H. CLEMENT
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LOST: DENTAL head gear, November 14, in black & clear plastic pouch. Please call 537-5554. Reward!

29 LOST AND FOUND

LOST: CAT, calico, named Jezzabelle, Beddis & Samuel Rd., has tattoo in ear. Please contact (250) 537-5086 or (250) 537-8977 and lv. message.

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32 MEETINGS

BEDDIS WATERWORKS DISTRICT
Notice of Meeting of Members
December 2, 2002
Lower Hall Salt Spring Island United Church
111 Hereford Avenue, Ganges
beginning at 7:00 pm
1. To receive a report on the current year's financial operating results.
2. To elect trustees to fill vacancies on the Board.
3. To receive and approve a proposed operating budget for fiscal year 2003.

Island Arts Centre Society
ARTSPRING
The Island Arts Centre Society Annual General Meeting
Thursday, November 28th, 2002 – 7:00 p.m.
ArtSpring Theatre
Agenda:
Annual reports and election of directors.

GULF ISLANDS COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL
General Meeting
Monday, December 2nd
12:00 noon
ITEM OF BUSINESS:
Resolution to approve long term lease of Mahon Hall between the GICAC and SD #64.
Refreshments

ISLANDS TRUST
SALT SPRING ISLAND LOCAL TRUST COMMITTEE
NOTICE OF BUSINESS MEETING
The Salt Spring Island Local Trust Committee will be meeting to consider various matters of general business, such as applications received, bylaw reviews and meeting notes.

DATE: Thursday, Nov. 28th, 2002
TIME: 1:15 p.m.
PLACE: Hart Bradley Memorial Hall (Lions Club) 103 Bonnet Ave., Ganges

Starting at 1:15 p.m., up to 45 minutes will be available for the public to discuss local land use matters with the Local Trust Committee. Those who wish to present a more formal petition, or make a delegation to the Committee as an Agenda item, must advise Islands Trust staff at least one week in advance of the meeting so that they can be added to the beginning of the Agenda. For information about the Agenda, please call the Islands Trust at 537-9144.

32 MEETINGS

GULF ISLANDS FAMILIES TOGETHER SOCIETY
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
November 27, 2002
7 pm at the **GIFTS Centre**
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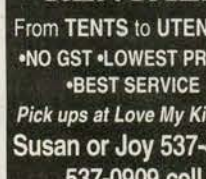

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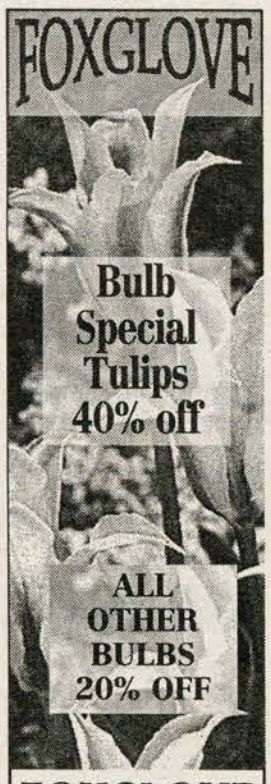

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THIS WEEK'S HOROSCOPE

Horoscope for the week of November 24th, 2002
Tip of the Week:
With the Sun now in Sagittarius spirits should rise noticeably this week. With Venus still in Scorpio and Mars soon to enter, however, the intensity will continue. Jupiter ruled Sagittarius has a reputation for being fun loving, gregarious, playful, wild, adventurous, broad minded, expansive, faithful, philosophical, intelligent, charitable, ethical, spiritual, and altruistic etcetera. There are other sides, however. Sagittarius can also be critical, cynical, excessive, disdainful, hypocritical, bombastic, superior, escapist, judgmental, without boundaries, over-confident, dogmatic, miserly and insensitive. Sagittarius is a royal sign and persons who's Sun sign or especially those who have a lot of planets in Sagittarius can act in a very royal way indeed. Jupiter is the planet that is both larger than all the other planets and is situated at the halfway point between the Sun, or symbol of spirit, and Pluto, the astrological symbol of soul processes. In addition, Jupiter completes a full axial rotation in an incredible 10 hours! Compare this with our planet, which is about the size of a bee-bee compared to Jupiter portrayed as a large grapefruit, and takes 24 hours to complete one rotation. The famous 'eye' amidst the psychedelic coloring of Jupiter is itself about four times the size of our Earth. These are some of the astronomical indications for the know-it-all and expansive nature of Sagittarius. With Jupiter currently in Leo, this year's passage of the Sun through the tropical sign of Sagittarius should prove to be a breath taking and exciting ride for us all. Let's just hope that the positive qualities of Jupiter shine forth brighter than the radical and bombastic darker sides. I suspect that it will prove to be a mixed bag. Stay tuned!

Aries (Mar 21 - Apr 20)
Your enthusiasm is riding high these days and so too is your intensity. You are in a passionate and playful mood. You feel moved to push beyond the status quo and established limits. Fortunately, your intuition is also riding high. This sixth sense can help you to see through and beyond barriers. Still, you will have to work diligently in order to succeed. You will have to be extra patient especially in the communications department. Look well then leap!

Taurus (Apr 21 - May 20)
Deepening bonds and melting divisions on relationship fronts continues. Possessiveness both of people and things stands to close your heart. You will have to work diligently to stay open, clear and fair. Have faith in your creative potential. The more you slip into your mind the more fearful you are likely to become. Legal action is a definite possibility over the next month or so. Exercise compassion for your self and others with awareness of the bigger picture.

Gemini (May 21 - Jun 20)
Exploring new avenues of expression with friends and family is a central theme now. Individual rights verses the needs of all are highlighted. Issues around equality and fairness are likely to arise. Be willing to listen to others as much as you are eager to express your own perspectives. You have a significant role to play towards creating a win/win deal. You will have to take a leap of faith for harmony to be achieved. Acknowledge your feelings and be real without blame. Peace!

Cancer (Jun 21 - Jul 21)
Health considerations and concerns are now in focus. What is the quality of your daily routine, habit patterns and over all lifestyle? Though people often do, life does not judge, but it does teach by consequences. Every person is responsible for his or her own health and welfare. Under caring for one's self and/or over caring for others are problems. Balance is the eternal goal. Associate pain to unbalanced attitudes and behavior patterns and pleasure to healthier habits.

Leo (Jul 22 - Aug 22)
Being true to your heart and fair with others is in the spotlight. You are increasingly idealistic and ambitious. To this end you want to open your mind and expand your horizons and you want significant others to do the same. Be aware of the advice you feel moved to give to others as it stands to offer reflections of your own dreams and desires. Your wisdom mind will be challenged by fears and suspicions. Recognize the mind is like a mirror projecting and reflecting.

Virgo (Aug 22 - Sep 23)
Nurturing a more sustainable vision is high on your priority list now. This is a good time to clarify your dreams, goals and strategy. Be willing to do your homework now. If you can do so with faith and diligence you will be successful. A sense of duty to your public image and reputation will help you to commit to any and all necessary changes and improvements you feel moved to make. Expect some changes in your beliefs and values as well. Persevere!

Libra (Sep 23 - Oct 21)
The flu bug is going around and the travel bug is biting. You are in the mood to escape from it all to some sunny spot. Can you actually pull it off? If you can't actually go down south, perhaps you can get your sunshine fix some other way. Exotic books or movies, a tanning salon, or better yet a weekend at a fancy hotel might do the trick. Whatever you do or wherever you go consider that the quality of attitude in your own heart and mind is the bottom line. An attitude of gratitude is like sunshine.

Scorpio (Oct 22 - Nov 20)
You are in the mood to expand your territory and increase your lot. To this end you are willing and ready to flirt with new investment possibilities. In fact, the desire to do so will increase over the next couple of months. Remember that beyond outer material and worldly advantage, the quality of exchange with others is what makes people truly happy or not. So before you go spending a lot of money to make yourself happy, review the quality of what really matters most love.

Sagittarius (Nov 21 - Dec 20)
A pioneering and adventurous mood is upon you. In as much as you feel that others are holding you back you feel resentful. The question is: are the significant others in your life a burden and restriction or a base of security and structure that is good for you? It is up to you to decide. Consider that certain decisions may be irreversible. Express your needs and desires openly. Be willing to share the adventure. Arouse the enthusiasm of loved ones and go for it!

Capricorn (Dec 21 - Jan 19)
You are on the threshold of a great breakthrough or perhaps a breakdown. You feel the weight and burden of others and perhaps of the world. You feel determined to do something about it. The question is what to do? Since it is said that charity begins at home, perhaps that is the place to start. Then again, there are many organizations in the world that do help and do need assistance. Is it extra generosity or a life of commitment that is brewing inside? Anyway, open your heart and give and you will feel a little lighter immediately.

Aquarius (Jan 20 - Feb 19)
The urge for freedom is stronger than ever now. You are determined to move beyond habitual barriers. You desire this for others as well as for your self. So, what does freedom really mean to you? There are certainly many levels to it. Ironically, freedom without discipline is usually short lived and false. So, succumbing to impatience, agitation and rebellion will probably create levels of bondage. Breathe deeply and focus on creating long-term freedom patiently.

Pisces (Feb 19 - Mar 20)
Leadership for a Piscean usually comes from surrendering in some way and this is the call now. So, what is it that you feel you must yield to? Is it fate, or more discipline or courage, or realities beyond your control or reality itself? Your sign does have the reputation of being an escapist and unrealistic dreamer. Is it possible that you are unconscious or in denial in certain areas of your life? Take the lead to shed some light on internal emotional conflicts and they will immediately begin to fade away.

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Green leader visits

Adriane Carr, leader of the B.C. Green Party, is keynote speaker at a Fulford Hall event this Sunday.

She will be on Salt Spring, and then Pender Island on Monday, as part of her 40-day "Opposition with a Vision" tour around the province.

The event begins at 4:30 p.m.

In the first half of the meeting, Carr will provide an update on the campaign to get a "fairer voting system in B.C.," and provide details on the Citizens Assembly now underway.

Islanders involved in the Pro Rep campaign during the summer, or those who simply signed the Pro-Rep petition, are encouraged to attend.

After a short break in which hot chili, cold beer and other refreshments will be served, Carr will move on to explain her party's broader platform, answer questions, listen to people's concerns and muster new members and support for the Green Party.

"People are ready to join and financially support our party," states Carr in a press release. "We have matured during the last couple of years and are developing workable solutions to the thorny problems facing B.C. today. After the disastrous NDP reign, voters were hoping for some political common sense, but the Liberals have disappointed almost everybody . . . Many people are angry with the Liberals and they don't want to return to the NDP. The Greens are the logical alternative."

Carr's goal is to get 10 new members every day for a total of 400 new members during her 40-day tour.

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Arnett to speak

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Salt Spring Islanders for Justice and Reconciliation (SSIJAR) is sponsoring the evening, which begins at 7 p.m.

Arnett is Canadian-born and raised, but also enjoys Maori heritage through his father. He is an acknowledged member of the Ngai Tahu, a prominent Maori tribe on the south island of New Zealand.

Author of the book The Terror of the Coast, Arnett has researched the early colonial history of British Columbia in great depth and been an important communicator of that history for many years, states an SSIJAR press release.

"Thanks to his Ngai Tahu perspective, Arnett has also learned a great deal about the Maori experience under British colonial rule. In his upcoming talk, he will be discussing the various similarities and differences between the aboriginal situations here and in New Zealand, dealing with issues ranging from treaties and questions of governance, to assimilation and colonial settlement policies past and present."

Chief Judith Sayers of the Hupacasath First Nation was the guest at SSIJR's last Aboriginal Speakers Series event held November 8.

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