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Volunteers recognized at annual Awards Night

by Niki Luymes

The Town of Edson took a moment to appreciate local volunteers at the annual Volunteer Awards Night on Friday, April 21 at the Galloway Station Museum. The doors opened at 5:30 with the ceremony starting at 7pm. This created a time for mixing and mingling among the guests. After the ceremony, there was also live entertainment from local musicians until 8:30pm. The theme of this year's awards night was 'Volunteers are an Essential Piece of Edson'. "This is because it takes both our collective and individual actions to make Edson a thriving and inclusive community," said Marsha Shack, Community Development Coordinator with FCSS. The night was a great way for local volunteers to connect with

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Volunteer award recipients and presenters during the annual Volunteer Appreciation Awards held on April 21 at the Galloway Museum. photo Niki Luymes

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Volunteers recognized at annual Awards Night

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others in the community while also enjoying free food and entertainment. During the 'mix and mingle' time attendees could take part in free food and drink, a free photo booth, and a cash bar. Guests could also enjoy the provided discussion prompts and blank puzzle pieces for a little creative fun.

The award presentations began at 7pm. Members of the Edson town council and youth council were present to hand out the awards. There were six categories and the winners were as follows:

The Social Innovator Award went to a local volunteer who tackles old problems in a new way and innovate despite the challenges. This award went to Sheila Buckle in recognition of the countless hours she has put into the Edson Public Library expansion project.

The Emerging Leader Award celebrates young volunteers who demonstrate growing leadership skills. This year's recipient was Maya Dalueg. Dalueg is a grade 9 student who has donated her time to multiple causes including Edson Youth Council, Edson Hospital, and March 4 A Cure.

The Long Term Service Award went to Debra Edey-Halterman. Edey-Halterman has lived, worked, and volunteered in Edson since the 1980's. In that time, she has served on the Public Library Board, as President of the Edson Fencing Club, as a part of the Edson Cultural Historical Society (ECHO), and much more.

The Community Leader Award went to outstanding volunteers who have taken a lead role in developing solutions to social challenges in communities. The award went to Dewayne Scott for helping the Edson Food Bank navigate the complexity of providing to the vulnerable people in Edson for the past five years.

Preston Langton accepted both the Business Leadership Award on behalf of Surepoint Energy and personally accepted the Biggest Heart Award. Surepoint was celebrated for their continual donations of money and volunteers to local events.

Langton received the Biggest Heart Award for continually going above and beyond with his time and effort as the go-to BBQ person for local events.

Finally, The Mayors Award of Excellence went to the Edson Cycling Association. This award goes to volunteers that Edson Mayor Kevin Zahara wishes to recognize for outstanding contribution to the Town of Edson. This year Mayor Zahara choose the Edson Cycling Association in recognition of their tremendous work developing the bike trails and skills park at Willmore.

After the awards, local band 'Not to Scale' performed a few songs to close out the night.

Fittingly, the Awards night itself was put together with the help of local volunteers. "I wouldn't be able to do this without all the volunteers who helped host this event for all the other volunteers," said Shack, "Especially the Community Development team."

Local artist Madison Sharman designed the art on the tote bags given to attendees. Edson Girl Guides painted the table decorations, which were put together by the members of the Grand Buddies program at Parkland Lodge.



Local band 'Not to Scale' performed at this year's Volunteer Appreciation Awards held April 21 at the Galloway Museum. photo Niki Luymes

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Parkland Lodge Auxiliary Tea and Bake Sale

by Deanna Mitchener

The Parkland Lodge Auxiliary held their Annual Tea and Bake Sale on April 22.

Vice President Carol McClintock said, "We are having an awesome turnout so far with the beautiful day, everyone is coming out to join us. There were of course a few glitches that are always expected at any event."

"The bake sale runs from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. or until we sell out. We had a lot of support for baked goods from local individuals, as well, the Lodge did a lot of goodies for our sale along with Auxiliary members," said McClintock.

"We have 13 members for the Auxiliary now. This is our first fundraising event of the year. All money raised goes back to our

seniors. Throughout the year we give all the residents gift cards for their birthday and \$100 gift card at Christmas. We have 114 people in the lodge so that keeps us busy trying to raise money. All us board members are in our mid to late 70's so it's getting harder to do this. It's not just a one day task, it takes a few days to get the baking done and things organized. All the extra help with baking and volunteers is greatly appreciated," said McClintock.

During the event there were lots of smiles around the room. Everyone seemed to be enjoying the social outing. Besides tea or coffee, guests had the choice of either ham salad, salmon salad or egg salad open face buns and dessert. The Auxiliary also had two volunteers from Vanier Community Catholic School there helping to serve. (see thank-you pg 9)




The Parkland Lodge Auxiliary held their Annual Tea and Bake Sale on April 22. photo Deanna Mitchener



Tea, coffee, and light lunch were served during the annual Parkland Lodge Auxiliary Tea that was held on April 22. photo Deanna Mitchener

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Pioneer Cabin sold-out for Jaedyn's Tribute

by Deanna Mitchener

The Pioneer Cabin was a sold-out venue on April 21, for entertainer Jaedyn's Tribute.

This young entertainer who is only 20 years old captivates audiences around the world paying tribute to Buddy Holly, Johnny Cash, and Elvis Presley.

During a back stage interview Jaedyn said, "I'm originally from Edmonton, Alberta and travel around impersonating some of my favourite singers. I just got back from Puerto Vallarta, Mexico where I did a three and a half month gig."

"I perform regularly around Alberta and surrounding provinces for various organizations like the Royal Canadian Legion, Lions, Rotary, Chambers of Commerce, various senior lodges, and private parties. From Edson I will be doing a private birthday party and a few other little gigs. Then on May 3, I will be going on tour with a show I call 'Elvis the Early Years'. I'll be heading off to Red Deer and Saskatchewan, until I return back to Mexico in December," said Jaedyn.

Jaedyn's mother, Jo-Ann, said, "Jaedyn started to play the drums when he was just six years old. Then he picked up on guitar and piano when he was eight. He was

born in 2002, and will be turning 21 in June. He started to show an interest in music from a very young age while watching children's shows on T.V. Once he was in grade one, he performed in a talent show and has had the music bug ever since."

"Both his dad and I take turns going on the road, or we go together helping with sound and music. We help support and encourage him in anyway we can. He did his first show when he was just 13 years old," Jo-Ann said.

Pioneer Cabin Recreation Coordinator, Fred Kuzmic, said, "I saw this young performer three years ago and he was really good. We have a sold-out venue for tonight. I could have easily sold at least another 50 tickets, but due to fire regulations, we couldn't. This was a good fundraising event for the cabin. Fundraising needs to be done to help offset the cabin's overhead costs."

As always, a light snack was also included with the purchase of the ticket. The Pioneer Cabin always has great-tasting homemade meals for any of their events. Remember to stop by on a Tuesday for homemade soup and sandwich. Everyone is welcome to attend.



The Pioneer Cabin was a sold-out venue on April 21, for entertainer Jaedyn's Tribute pictured here doing a great version of Johnny Cash.

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Any person who is deemed to be affected by the issuance of any one of these permits may appeal to the Subdivision and Development Authority **by 4:00 p.m., on the 21st day after the date of issue as published on the Town's website**. On Permitted Uses, grounds for appeal must relate only to interpretation, variance, or relaxation of Land Use Bylaw 2070. On Discretionary Uses, all aspects of the proposed development may be challenged upon appeal. Written notice of appeal, accompanied by the appeal fee as established by Town Council, must be filed through the Office of the Secretary of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board at Box 6300, Edson, AB T7E 1T7. **Direct Control District Approvals cannot be appealed.**



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Province wades deeper on Federal firearms confiscation program

Despite opposition from provinces and territories to the use of police



by Dana McArthur
publisher/Editor

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wherewithal to fulfil its plans. In normal circumstances, the federal government

resources, the Alberta government states that the Feds are signalling that they are prepared to take frontline police officers off the street to implement their federal firearms confiscation program.

Public Safety Canada also appears to be considering contracting with untrained personnel to supplement the use of policing resources, the province states in a recent release.

In a move that seem planned to hinder the process, Alberta will require individuals and organizations employed to confiscate firearms —to first be licensed by the province.

The province states, "This action fulfils a commitment under the Alberta Firearms Act to require individuals or organizations including police officers to first be licensed by the province." This regulation does not affect normal police activity, such as having to confiscate a firearm as part of an investigation.

Tyler Shandro, Minister of Justice and Attorney General, was quoted, "Public Safety Canada is a large and inefficient bureaucracy. It does not have the resources or the

would have hit the pause button. Unfortunately, we continue to receive indications that the opposite is occurring. Their decision to move forward with the confiscation program will jeopardize provincial requirements for the safe handling, transportation and storage of firearms. We will not allow that to happen."

The Alberta chief firearms office, Teri Bryant, continues to call on the federal government to focus its resources on illegal firearms activity rather than targeting law-abiding firearms owners. "Taking firearms away from responsible owners will not improve public safety."

It goes without saying that Canadians are deeply concerned about a rise in violent crimes. However, frontline police offices are already a scarce resource, particularly in rural Alberta. The decision to potentially use officers, already spread thin dealing with criminal investigations, is not only counterintuitive —it could prove very reckless.



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D23-036	Plan 8220331 Block 2, Lot 21 SW-30-50-25-W5 Seabolt Ridge Estates	Accessory Building (Barn)	April 14/23
D23-039	Plan 0729932 Block 1, Lot 1 NE-31-52-17-W5 Edson Area	Accessory Building (Shop)- Variance for Rear Yard Setback	April 19/23
D23-041	SE/NW/NE-28-52-11-W5 Niton/Carrot Creek Area	Natural Resource Extraction & Processing (Freshwater Storage Reservoir)- Discretionary	April 19/23
D23-042	Plan 1138MC Block 16, Lot 2 NE-19-53-7-W5 Evansburg	Existing Addition to Manufactured Home Dwelling (Lean to)- Variance for Back Yard Setback	April 20/23
D23-027	Plan 0324530 Block 1, Lot 5 SW-32-51-24-W5 East River Road Estates	Addition to Single Detached Dwelling (Connect Dwelling to Garage) & Perimeter Fence (Chain Link- Variance for Height)	April 20/23
D23-040	NE-8-54-15-W5 Wolf Creek Area	Existing Addition to Single Detached Dwelling (Open Veranda)	April 20/23
D23-033	NE-27-53-9-W5 Wildwood	Accessory Building- Variance to Side Yard Setback	April 20/23
D23-007	Plan 0926857 Block 2, Lot 8 NW-5-54-16-W5 Edson River Estates	Existing Single Detached Dwelling with, Covered Decks Existing Accessory Buildings, Variance for Setback to Dwelling	April 20/23
D23-045	N-26-50-21-W5 Robb Area	Existing Accessory Buildings	April 24/23

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The Yellowhead County Land Use Bylaw NO.09.21 provides that any person claiming to be affected by a decision of the Development Authority may appeal to the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board or Alberta's Land and Property Rights Tribunal dependent on jurisdiction of the appeal authority. Appeals under the jurisdiction of Yellowhead County's Subdivision and Development Appeal Board require a written notice of appeal and a payment of \$300.00 payable to Yellowhead County within 21 day of the publishing of the Notice of Decision. Requirements for appealing the development to the Alberta's Land and Property Rights Tribunal can be found here: <https://www.alberta.ca/subdivision-appeals.aspx> or by calling 780-427-2444.

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For more information, please call 1-800-665-6030 or 780-723-4800 or email info@yhcounty.ca

2nd Annual Mayor's Charity Golf Tournament

by Deanna Mitchener

Okay all you golfers, it's time to register for the second annual Mayor's Charity Golf Tournament.

The tournament is taking place on June 23 at the Edson Golf Course. It's a fundraising event with proceeds going towards the Edson Animal Rescue Society.

Mayor Kevin Zahara said, "We are over 50% sold out so far. This year the funds raised are going to

the Edson Animal Rescue Society. They are in desperate need of support due to the high demand for their services. There will be various hole contests, 50/50, and just a great day of fun."

Edson Animal Rescue Society (EARS) is a no-kill rescue and believes that every animal deserves a fighting chance. They are foster home based, and operate out of Edson, and the surrounding areas. "I'm pleased to see the response

and generosity from local businesses again this year, we have a solid list of returning sponsors supporting the charity tournament. We still have spots available for golf and sponsorship and I encourage people to register for golf before it sells out," said Mayor Zahara.

Register by June 1st to secure a spot in the tournament. It will be a full action-packed day, so join in the fun and help support a good cause.

Event organizer Sheila Moore said, "This event has turned into an annual event. Last year it sold out. The tournament raised \$23,000 for Edson Seniors Transportation Society."

There is a 120 golfers maximum for this tournament, so don't wait too much longer. If you would like to make a donation or have questions you can contact Sheila Moore at sheila@morcommpr.com or call 780-953-8733.

Brain Care Centre offers supportive services

by Deanna Mitchener

Brain Care Centre, located in Edson and Drayton Valley, is dedicated to providing helpful and supportive services to individuals who are affected by brain injuries.

Brain injury awareness month is in June, and if you know someone who is in need of support, this offers a good opportunity to help raise awareness of the help being offered.

Samantha Bahan Fehr Manager of Human Resources says, "Our approach is to offer tailored programs to cater for physical, mental, and emotional challenges that occur as a result of brain injuries."

"Brain Care Centre has been operating for over a decade and has earned its mark as a trusted and

reliable organization over the years. The organization's services focus mainly on providing support to individuals who have experienced a traumatic brain injury, acquired brain injury, and mild traumatic brain injury. Brain Care Centre provides a wide range of helpful services, including case management, peer support, family support, community support programs, and educational workshops to mention a few," Fehr says.

"Brain Care Centre provides case management services to individuals in need of structure and guidance to work towards their recovery goals. The support team at Brain Care Centre understands that every client has unique needs and experiences, hence they provide an

individualized approach to suit each person's needs. Case management includes working with healthcare professionals to ensure that clients receive the best care possible," added Fehr.

Brain Care Centre recognizes the importance of peer support as a part of the recovery process. The organization provides support groups where clients can share their experiences, learn from each other, and receive emotional support. The support groups help to promote independence, self-respect, and confidence.

The centre also provides support to families of individuals who have suffered from brain injuries. "The organization understands the impact that brain injuries can have on families and offers counseling, information, and resources that

help families navigate through the healing process," Fehr says.

They also organize social events and recreational activities for clients to engage in with the aim of promoting community inclusion and social interaction. They also provide educational workshops, including brain injury awareness sessions, concussion management, and prevention, among others.

"Brain Care Centre provides a range of supportive services that cater to the physical, mental, and emotional challenges that result from brain injuries. The organization's tailored approach ensures that each client receives the support necessary to recover and work towards achieving their life goals," says Samantha Bahan Fehr Manager of Human Resources.

THANK YOU!

Parkland Lodge Auxiliary would like to thank everyone for their donations of baking and joining us for the tea on April 22nd, we managed to raise \$1718.



We had a great turnout and the three winners of the door prizes donated by the town office, MLA and MP offices were Donna P, Colleen Wand Trevor B. The auctioned cake was bought by Trevor B. for \$95.

Many thanks to our two volunteer students from Vanier school and to all who joined us at our spring tea and bake sale, also to the lodge staff for their help.

Finally, thanks to our local radio station that advertised our function all week. The funds raised helps us give a little extra to our seniors in the lodge.

VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE



This spring, West Fraser - Blue Ridge Lumber will be holding a virtual "open house" to share forestry operating plans for the year ahead. This event provides the general public and stakeholders with the opportunity to review and comment on the planned activities in road development, harvesting, hauling, reforestation and herbicide treatment for the current forestry year. Public and stakeholder input is gathered and utilized to influence operations where site specific concerns are identified such as trails, camping areas, recreation areas etc.

We would like to invite you to visit the websites below to view the upcoming forest activities. We will have a variety of plans available for review including: Areas of Operation for 2023-2024 season; Company Reforestation Plans; and Herbicide Treatment Plans.

West Fraser Timber Ltd - <https://www.westfraser.com/sustainability/forest-management/forest-management-planning>

For more information, contact:
Dane Webster,
 West Fraser
 780-648-6360



Iona Gauvin serving soup and sandwiches at the Pioneer Cabin on April 25. It will be her birthday on April 28. So, she had a nice surprise when other volunteers started singing Happy Birthday to her and gave her a candle in a dessert and a card. Happy Birthday Iona. The homemade soup was green bean and an assortment of sandwiches and light desserts were being served. photo Deanna Mitchener

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Time: 2 - 7 pm
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Yellowhead 4-H Multi Card Judging

by Tayla Plunkie, Club Reporter for the Knight Riders.

On April 15, the Edson, Peers, Knight Riders and Carrot Creek 4-H Clubs got together for the Yellowhead 4-H Multi Card Judging.

We judged the following classes:

1. Yearling Heifers (oral)
2. Tree Identification
3. Chickens (young layers) (written)
4. Tires – placing only
5. Saddles (written)
6. Seed Barley – placing only
7. Cuts of Beef (oral)
8. Bread – placing only
9. Hammers (oral)
10. Horseshoes – placing only

We had 15 minutes to complete each class, before moving on the next class. All the clubs brought stuff so we could have lunch together. We all had a great day and got a certificate and a water bottle filled with candy.



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~ Obituary ~

Ada Mary Dozorec

The family of Ada Mary Dozorec regretfully announce that she passed peacefully away on November 9, 2022, at the age of 91 in the long-term care facility at the Edson Hospital.

Ada was predeceased by her husband Steve in 2005 and by 2 sons, John in 2019 and Norman in 2010 and a granddaughter, Caitlyn Ann in 1987. She is survived by 3 sons and 5 daughters-in-law. Johanna (John), Jim (Betsy), Cindy (Norman), Steven (Connie) and Tony (Maureen), as well as by 10 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren and 7 great-great-grandchildren.

A service will be held at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Edson on May 10 at 1pm.

Should you wish to donate, please do so in Ada's name to the Edson Continuing Care Centre, the Heart & Stroke Foundation, or the Canadian Cancer Society.



Obituaries and In Memories

~ Obituary ~

Thomas William Brown

It is with profound sorrow that we announce the passing of Thomas William Brown of Edson on April 16, 2023 at the age of 87. He was surrounded by family and plenty of love when he said his final goodbyes.

Tom was born on March 30, 1936 in Calgary, Alberta to Joe and Thelma Brown. He grew up in Royalities, Alberta but left at the young age of 16 when he joined the Royal Canadian Navy. Tom was posted to Halifax, Nova Scotia where he met and married his beautiful wife of 62 years, Barb. Shortly thereafter, Tom was transferred to the West Coast. The Navy took Tom around the world on peace keeping missions. His last cruise departed from Esquimalt, BC to ports in Hawaii, Guam, Philippines, Singapore, Hong Kong, Japan, and then back to Esquimalt. Tom left the Navy after 7 years. He and Barb then moved to Drumheller and eventually settled in Edson. Tom soon started his successful business, Tom's Welding, which evolved into Welco Oilfield Services. Over the years Tom employed hundreds of people and was a well respected businessman. Tom also had several other business ventures, including real estate and other oil and gas investments. Tom loved the outdoors; he fished the creeks and rivers around the Edson area and would also head to the west coast every year to salmon fish. Tom loved to spend time at the family cabin, where there were always dirt bikes, quads, skidoos and canoes. Tom was an avid sports fan and loved his Oilers, he rarely missed a game. He also loved following his children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren's sports and activities. Tom was always physically active; he played badminton in his earlier years, downhill skied, played hockey into his 70's and golfed until 86. Tom was actively involved with the Kinsmen Club of Edson for many years. Tom was a generous man, regularly donating to charities and causes meaningful to him. Tom loved life and being surrounded by friends and family. His desire to have loved ones around for barbecues, beers, and pizza parties will be deeply missed.

Left to mourn his loss are his children, Debbie Koger (Ken), Vicki Melhus (Ron), Wayne Brown (Mary) and Elaine Brown; his grandchildren, Kerri Quinlan (Robert), Kaylie DeYoung (Brad), Thom Koger, Kris Melhus (Tara), Kirsten Melhus, Evan Cardinal, Taylor Sellar (Kyle), and Jace Benvie. Tom was predeceased by his parents, Joe and Thelma Brown, oldest brother Harry Brown (Lorraine), sister Patricia Brown (Enid), and twin brother James Brown (Marion). Tom will also be deeply missed by his 12 great grandchildren, nieces and nephews and many close friends.

The family would like to express their sincere and heartfelt thanks to Dr. Saincher and all the immensely caring staff at the Edson hospital. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in support of the Edson Healthcare Centre Auxiliary.

Tom's ashes will be interred and laid to rest in Calgary alongside Barb and other family members.

Thanks to everyone who loved Tom for your prayers and support.



In Loving Memory

J.M. 'Jack' Maris

March 28, 1936 - April 17, 2023

It is with profound sadness that we announce the passing of our beloved husband, father, grandfather, uncle, and friend, Jack Maris. Jack passed away surrounded by his loving family on Monday, April 17th, 2023, at the age of 87. Jack is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Darlene, his 3 children, Alli (Mike), Brent (Esther), Trevor (Tracey), 3 grandchildren Ashley (Brandon), Nash, Nate, and his younger brother, Victor (Thelma). He was predeceased by his father Adrian, his mother Lynn, brother Herb, and sister Els.

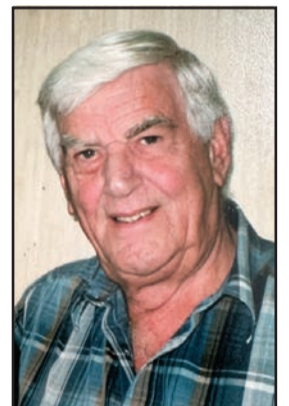
Jack was born March 28, 1936, in Willemstad, The Netherlands. Growing up, he was the third of four children to Adrian and Lynn Maris. The family immigrated to Canada on a ship called "The Samaria". He set foot on Canadian soil through Pier 21 in Halifax in 1949, on his 13th birthday. The family first arrived in Dalemead, Alberta, where Jack then started school, where he had to start in a younger grade as he needed to learn the English language. Although he had great careers over the years, his very first job was picking rocks from a farmer's field. The family then settled in Wolf Creek Alberta area in 1953, where Jack began driving a grader for the Department of Highways. He was responsible for the daily road maintenance of Highway 16 to Jasper National Park in the worst of winter conditions. Later that year, together with his father and older brother, they started a potato farm (all worked by hand) on the land they owned in Wolf Creek. In 1957, the trio kick started their careers in the grocery business in Edson Alberta. The business was named 4-Way Wholesale which eventually started the Save-Rite Foods chain. With the progression of the Save-Rite Foods chain, to continue the growth of the company, both he and his older brother became avid pilots in 1968. Jack was an active member of Edison flying club and coordinated the first ever air show in Edson.

In 1959 he married his company secretary and the love of his life, Darlene Anker, and were together for 64 beautiful years. The two started their own family in Edson, and had 3 children, Alli, Brent, and Trevor. During their time in Edson, the family made friends that lasted a lifetime, including Jack having a very special bond with his mother - in law Vicki Anker. Jack and Darlene enjoyed raising their 3 active children and spending quality time water skiing at Bear Lake, skiing at Todd Mountain (Sun Peaks Mountain Resort), and golfing at any family friendly course they could find. In 1970, Jack purchased a "Swinger" motorhome that was soon to become the center of the happiest family vacations.

In 1973, the family packed up and headed West to their new home, Kamloops B.C. While in Kamloops, Jack became a man of many endeavors. He went from digging in the dirt of his own top soil business, to becoming the CEO of Silver Mining Exploration (Geodex Minerals). Although he loved living in Kamloops, where the house was a revolving door, he started to miss friends in Alberta. His friends felt the same way and the "Bowser Buddies" were born. The 5 men from Edson purchased "La Bella Vista Resort" on Vancouver Island in Bowser Bay, B.C. La Bella Vista Resort hosted many families and friends over the years with many fish stories being told along with lifelong memories created.

From Kamloops, Jack and Darlene moved to Abbotsford, then White Rock where Jack and Darlene enjoyed many years enjoying the seaside. In 2019 they relocated to Vernon BC.

He will be dearly missed by all his family and friends. A Celebration of Life for our beloved Dad and Husband, Jack, will be scheduled at a later date.



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We thank all candidates for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

GO OILERS!



Looks like some Oilers Fans were at the Pioneer Cabin for lunch on April 25th. Every Tuesday the Cabin offers a homemade soup and sandwiches and everyone is welcome to attend for a reasonably priced lunch. photo Deanna Mitchener



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Township	Ranges	Meridian
48	12, 13, 14, 15	W5M
49	12, 13, 14, 15	W5M
50	13, 14	W5M
58	18, 19, 20, 21, 25	W5M
59	17, 18, 23, 24	W5M
60	17, 23, 24	W5M
61	22	W5M
62	22	W5M

Both the aerial and ground herbicide applications will be done using VisionMax® silviculture herbicide. The purpose of the applications is to control grass and shrub species that are limiting the survival chances of our planted seedlings on recent harvested areas. Access to all areas will be posted with signs upon completion and all applications will be done in accordance with Alberta Agriculture and Forestry regulations and the Environmental Code of Practice for Pesticides. For more information, please contact an ANC Timber Ltd. representative at (780) 778-7017 or visit ANC's 2023 Virtual Open House at <http://www.albertanewsprint.com/woodlands/>.

Event Reminder

June 24: The Hamlet of Robb is celebrating 100 years with a full day of activities for all ages. There will be a Beer Garden, Children's Carnival and Food Trucks, Historical Display and many other surprises. Bring your family and help us celebrate in style. 10am to 6pm with a park memorial and time capsule unveiling. Be a part of history!

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Local players named All-Stars at Volleyball Provincial Championships

submitted David Johnston

On April 15-16 the Girls U16 NorthWest Selects club volleyball team travelled to Calgary to participate in the Division 5 Volleyball Alberta Provincial Championships. The club team, comprised of 14 girls ages 14-16, had participated in 3 prior tournaments this year, winning the consolation gold at the Tri-Area Warriors Tournament in Spruce Grove on March 11, and losing a close game in the consolation final at the Volleyball Alberta Premier #3 Tournament on March 18-19.

The girls played well on day 1 of the provincial tournament. We lost our first match in 3 sets, won our second match in 3 sets, and lost the third match in 2 close sets. This placed us 3rd in our pool and seeded us against a 2nd place team from Brooks for our first playoff match. With strong serving and tough defense the girls won that match in two straight sets and advanced to the quarter finals the next morning.

Playing on the center court at the University of Calgary the girls faced a team from Plamondon and came out strong from the first whistle, winning in two straight sets to move on to the semifinals. There we would play the Central Alberta Wolves, a

team from Olds that we had played in our round robin pool and at a previous tournament and lost both of those matches in very close games. This time the girls were determined to beat the wolves and advance to the finals, but we lost the first set. The team rallied together, determined to win and never give up, and won the second set. The third set was a close back and forth game but with some strong serving and hitting the girls won 15-12 and were now on to the finals.

The gold medal game featured a matchup with the Sharks Volleyball Club from Edmonton, a team that we had played before in the Premier #3 tournament just a few weeks before. The girls came out very strong and decisively won the first set 25-15. The second set saw the Sharks respond with strong serving and won a close set 25-23. This set the stage for a final third set to 15. It was a back and forth game with the Sharks ahead 8-6 at the turn (the teams switch sides when the score reaches 8) but with strong attacks, tough defense and aggressive serving the girls fought back and won 15-13 to claim gold and win the Provincial Championships.

Hailee Johnston (power hitter) and Megan Sansom (setter) were named tournament All-Stars, and every girl on the team contributed to winning gold whether they were on or off the court. They



Hailee Johnston and Megan Sansom were named tournament All-Stars at the recent Volleyball Provincial Championships. submitted

played with a lot of heart and determination and made the community of Edson proud! Next up for the team is the 2023 Volleyball Canada Youth Nationals tournament in Calgary on May 10-13.

The NorthWest Selects Volleyball Club is a non-profit organization providing club volleyball teams for boys and girls in the Edson area, separate from the school volleyball program. This year there is a U18 girls team, and U16 girls team, and a U14 boys team.

April 24,
2023

PCHS Student Receives Certificate of Distinction

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GNS: Good News Story

Grade 10 students in Ms. Randell's Mathematics courses at Parkland Composite High School (PCHS) recently participated in the [Cayley Math Contest](#) for Grade 10 students at the University of Waterloo .

Grade 10 students from around the world are able to participate in this competition. Predominantly written in Canadian provinces, questions are based on curriculum concepts common across Canada. The last few questions are designed to test ingenuity and insight. Rather than testing content, most of the contest problems test logical thinking and mathematical problem-solving.

PCHS Grade 10 student, **Daniel Palisoc**, placed in the top 25% of almost 20,000 participants (14,500 being from Canada), receiving a Certificate of Distinction.

This opportunity for students to put their skills to the test is very well-known in Canada and internationally and is an amazing accomplishment for Daniel! Daniel is a hard-working and motivated student who continues to exceed expectations and demonstrate what it means to be a Pacer.

We are so proud of your achievements, Daniel - keep up the great work!

YKCS holds Annual Auction Fundraiser

by Niki Luymes

There was lots of fun to be had and lots of stuff to buy at Yellowhead Christian School's (YKCS) Annual Auction Fundraiser held on Saturday, April 22.

The fundraiser's doors opened at 10am with the live auction starting at 11am. The whole event was held in the YKCS gymnasium, and put on by volunteers from the school.

The event features both a silent and live auction. The items up for bid were all donated by businesses and families throughout the community. The last table of silent auction items finished just before 2pm, with the whole event coming to a close at about 2:30pm.

Alongside the auction was a bake sale, a concession window, and a 'guess how many jelly beans in the jar' challenge. For the kids there was free sparkle tattoos and a colouring station to help pass the time while parents bid.

This year also featured a wide variety of items from household goods to gift baskets, power tools, toys, to plants. One of the items up for auction was the chance to toss a pie at either Principal Lisa Golding or teacher Colton Black. Both chances went for over \$100.

YKCS has been putting on the auction fundraiser for over 20 years now. "We are thankful for contributions from our school and community at large," said Principal Golding, "It was a successful event. We love carrying on the tradition in having Don Patterson as live auctioneer." This year saw approximately 400 people make their way through the doors, with over 120 registered bidders. All the proceeds raised by the event go directly back to the school and its programs.



The YKCS Auction Fundraiser on April 22 featured a bake sale table with a great selection of goodies. Photo Niki Luymes



This year's YKCS Auction Fundraiser featured both live and silent auctions. photo Niki Luymes

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What's happening, when and where in the community

Community Events

March 1-May 1: Free Tax Clinic located at 5023-3rd Ave to book an appointment call 780-723-0872 or email edsoncvtp@gmail.com

May 4: Parent Time Out. Diverse Needs. Parent socializing and play group. 9:30-11:00 am Evansburg Arena registration is required. Call 780-325-3782 or email jtruemner@yhcounty.ca

May 25: Aqua Gentle Drop in Thursday 9:30-10:15am

May 1-May 28: Step It Up Challenge. All ages welcome teams of 3+ register at the Leisure Centre once your team is complete.

May 2,9,16: Aqua Gentle drop in Tuesday 9:30-10:15am

June 17: Eddie's Big Run, Kids Fun Run, 3km, 3km, & 10km runs. Save the date.

May 13: Resilience Project Premiere and Gala. Edson Legion A night to celebrate Resiliency and hope featuring and created by local residents 6:30pm doors open 7:00pm visit www.edson.ca/canoe to RSVP

June 23: Mayor's Annual Golf Tournament. Register now

June 24: The Hamlet of Robb is celebrating 100 years with a full day of activities for all ages. There will be a Beer Garden, Children's Carnival and Food Trucks, Historical Display and many other surprises. Bring your family and help us celebrate in style. 10am to 6pm with a park memorial and time capsule unveiling. Be a part of history.

July 20: Bear Chase Triathlon. At Bear Lake Campground

Registration opens May 24. Ages 3-13 Heats begin at 5:30pm.

Every Tuesday: Winter Walking Group @ 5:15 pm. 60 min guided walk through the Town of Edson exploring the beautiful trails. Drop In no registration. Dogs & kids welcome. See facebook @edsoncomserv for updates and muster locations.

Every Thursday: Seniors Chair Yoga Free. 10-11am Leisure Centre Hospitality Room.

First Wednesday of Every Month: Senior's Recycling Day. Between 10 am and 1 pm, senior citizens are welcome to visit the depot for snacks and refreshments while their staff unloads your sorted recyclables free of charge.

The Weekly **ANCHOR**

Farm & Field

News and Views



by Club Reporter Jayka Williams

On April 23 the Peers Multi-Club members participated in an amazing grooming and showmanship demonstration done by Veterinarian Dr. Jordan Laird from Glenwood Veterinarians. Following the demo, we had a hot dog roast and potluck. Afterwards, we had a mini-show and took pictures for our achievement day catalogue at the Rumball farm. It was a bit chilly, but worth seeing everyone's steers and learning together.

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