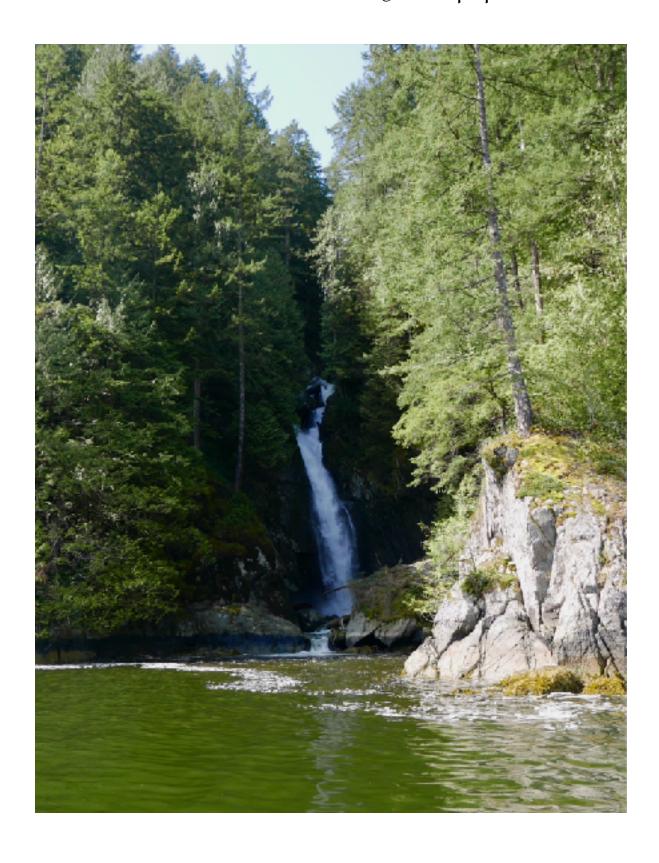


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Welcome to your Community Newspaper!

This month we are featuring local wildlife!

Thank you all for your continuing support of your local newspaper by sending us photographs and articles.

Please remember that the deadline for submissions is the 20th of the month!

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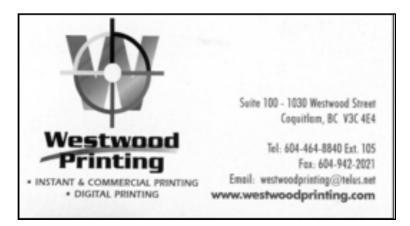
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Belcarra Residents

Three of the just replaced Belcarra Barnacle boxes have been removed due to recent vandalism - these boxes were solidly bolted - their damage could possibly be connected to the recent mail box damage.

The Belcarra Barnacle Society has advised the RCMP and ask that residents please keep an eye out and either advise us at the Barnacle or the RCMP if you see vandalism at the bus stops.

IMPORTANT DATES

June 2018

June 3rd	Back to School.
June 4th	Council Meeting @ 7.30pm
June 9th	Pízza & Pub Níght
June 12th	New Moon
June 17th	Fathers Day!
June 18th	Council Meeting @ 7.30pm
June 21st	Summer Solstice!
June 24th	Belcarra Day!
June 28th	Full Moon
July 1st	Canada Day!
July 7th	SVFD 40th Anniversary!



COVER ART

Our front cover this month is a photograph submitted by Linda Newcombe.

Do send your favourite local photos and artwork to the Barnacle.

It is a pleasure to share them.

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MAYORS' REPORT The Provincial Taxman Cometh!

Mayor Ralph Drew

The news since the beginning of the year has been full of stories regarding the new property taxes that are being introduced by the Provincial government. In this regard, Belcarra property owners need to be aware of these new taxes and their impacts, particularly the property tax surcharge that will come into effect next year.

<u>Property Transfer Tax</u> – The amount of property transfer tax is based on the fair market value of the land and improvements on the date of registration. The property transfer tax rate is:

- 1% on the first \$200,000;
- 2% on the portion of the fair market value greater than \$200,000 and up to and including \$2,000,000;
- 3% on the portion of the fair market value greater than \$2,000,000; and
- if the property is residential, a further 2% on the portion of the fair market value greater than \$3,000,000 (effective February 21st, 2018).

<u>Property Speculation Tax</u> – The speculation tax applies to residential property in B.C.'s largest urban centres such as Metro Vancouver. Primary residences of British Columbians are exempt from the tax, but vacant properties pay. In 2018, the tax rate for all properties subject to the tax is 0.5% on the property value. In 2019 and subsequent years, the tax rates will be as follows:

- 2% for foreign investors and satellite families;
- 1% for Canadían citizens and permanent residents who do not live in B.C.; and
- 0.5% for British Columbians who are Canadian citizens or permanent residents (and not members of a satellite family).

Property Tax Surcharge — Strangely, the Province calls it a "School Tax Surcharge" on residential properties that have assessments over \$3 million. The reality is that the "surcharge" has nothing to do with funding schools and goes directly into the Province's general revenue fund. In other words, it is purely and simply a new "asset tax". Keep in mind that the "surcharge" is over and above the Province's "School Tax" — also a provincial property tax that goes directly into the Province's general revenue fund — that already increases based on assessed property values. An analysis of Belcarra's 2018 BCAA assessment values shows that 58 property owners (17.5%) will be impacted by the surcharge next year:

2018 Assessments †					
Assessed Value Ranges	Number of Properties	Percent of Properties			
< \$2 million	208	62.8%			
\$2 – \$3 million	65	19.6%			
\$3 – \$4 million	33	10.0%			
\$4 – \$5 million	19	5.7%			
\$5 – \$6 million	4	1.2%			
\$6 – \$7 million	1	0.3%			
> \$7million	1	0.3%			
Total	331	100%			

2019 Impacts				
B.C. Property Tax Surcharge (%)	B.C. Property Tax Surcharge (\$)			
0.20%	Up to \$1,999			
0.40%	\$2,000 - \$7,999			
0.40%	\$8,000 – \$11,999			
0.40%	\$12,000 - \$15,999			
0.40%	Greater than \$16,000			

[†] Assessment data does <u>not</u> include recreational water lots, MV properties, BC Hydro & Telus properties.



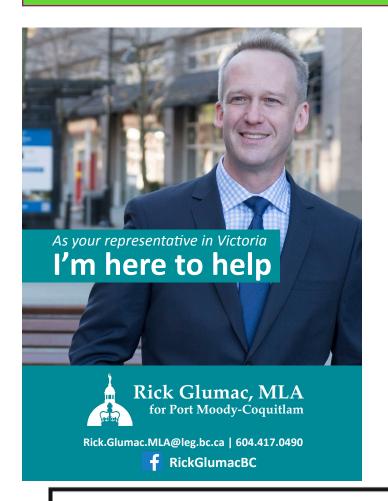
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Mayor's Report

<u> Asset Management Planning – The Next Phase</u>

<u>Asset Management Planning</u> is an iterative process that integrates information about a community's physical assets (roads, water system, drainage infrastructure, buildings, vehicles, etc.) with long-term financial planning so that informed decisions can be made in support of <u>sustainable service delivery</u>, as illustrated by the following graphic:



A holistic understanding of the long-term costs of providing services and the infrastructure required is a critical element of asset management. Proactive asset management results in fewer service disruptions, more predictable results, and lower total lifecycle costs than a reactive approach to repair and replacement. Detailed information regarding a municipality's assets is needed to support decisions that are cost effective, manage risks, and support long-term service delivery.

Over the past three years, Belcarra staff have been compiling detailed inventories of the municipality's assets, and that phase of the project is almost complete. Now that the drainage system infrastructure has been mapped and the <u>drainage study</u> concluded, an inventory of the drainage system infrastructure will now be prepared.

The next phase of the project is to analyse the asset inventories and develop a 25-year financial plan that integrates the scheduling of asset renewal and replacement within a 25-year financial plan that incorporates estimates of the future costs. In keeping with past practice, Belcarra staff will be seeking grant funding to undertake this next phase of work. The availability of grants for asset management planning will determine the timeline for completion of this next phase of the project. Regardless, this iterative process of analysis and forecasting will be an integral part of Belcarra's annual budgeting and long-term financial planning.







Fin Donnelly, MP
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Sasamat Volunteer Fire Department June News



The Threat of Wildfire:

Each year, the SVFD is dispatched to reports of illegal burning. Typically, these originate through phone calls to 911 from *multiple* neighbours, visitors, or park officials. Surrounded by dry forest, Anmore and Belcarra residents cannot (and typically, do not) take the risk of wildfire lightly.



Regulation Reminders:

- The Village of Belcarra does not allow outdoor fires. Burning permits for water-only-access properties are limited to two short periods in the months of April and October.
- The Village of Anmore offers campfire permits under set stipulations
- The municipalities provide the SVFD with lists of approved fire permits. If a fire is unauthorized or if someone is contravening the conditions of a permit (e.g. fire is too large, precautions are not in place, neighbours are bothered by smoke, etc.), the fire is extinguished and fines may be levied.
- Non-compliance is dealt with by the RCMP. Police are also automatically called to intervene with anyone who restricts access to firefighters from their property.
- Penalties for spreading wildfire are high (up to \$1 million and jail-time). A Cariboo man was fined \$860,000 in 2011 for unintentionally allowing a campfire on his property to spread elsewhere.
- BURNING BANS MEAN ALL EXISTING PERMITS ARE SUSPENDED. NO FLAMES ANYWHERE.

The Public's Help:

The SVFD will respond to all reports of fire. Trained to the provincial standard, our volunteers want to get to and extinguish these fires early.

Fire prevention <u>must be a community-wide effort</u>. We ask every resident to remain vigilant this summer and to report all dangerous incidents to 911. It only takes one dropped cigarette or one careless act to cause a tragedy. Good strategies for protecting and "fire-proofing" your home from wildfire can be found at http://bcwildfire.ca/Prevention/. We'd appreciate the help with both efforts.

SVFD 40th Anniversary Celebration Reminder: The band is booked. Food trucks are booked. Moody Ales Beer/Wine Garden is booked. There will be a big bouncy castle and tons of kids' events. Hope to see you at Spirit Park on Sat, July 7th from 3-11 PM. 40 years to celebrate – it'll be a lot of fun!

Sincerely,

Jay Sharpe (Fire Chief)
Dave Gregory (Dist. Chief Anmore)
Jol Drake (Dist. Chief Belcarra)

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CRAB CORNER Submitted by Dave Warren

The CRAB Pub committee is excited to bring in Farm to Forno Pizza Co. with their specially outfitted antique truck that serves as a mobile pizzeria with a wood fired pizza oven on Saturday, June 9th. \$10 includes fresh made hand crafted west-coast style thin crust pizzas, salads & dessert. There are a multitude of toppings to create any traditional or gourmet pizza you desire! Guests who have food allergies or specific dietary restrictions should speak to the pizza makers at the start of the party or contact their office ahead of time. Here's a link to their website which is worth taking a look at! http://www.farmtoforno.ca/the-menu.html

Doors open 5:30 and pizza will be served from 6 pm ~ don't miss out! Beer & Wine will be

served at a nominal price of \$4/ drink. Limited seating available! To reserve please reply by e-mail to <u>crab4084@gmail.com</u>

Also, the Belcarra Resident Phone Directory will be going to print in June. If your information needs updating, or if you wish to include your e-mail address or cell #, or if you are new to the village and wish to be included please email crab4084@gmail.com





Submitted by Liisa Wilder Please see article on Page 21

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Belcarra BlockWatch Submitted by Diana Drake and Carol Drew

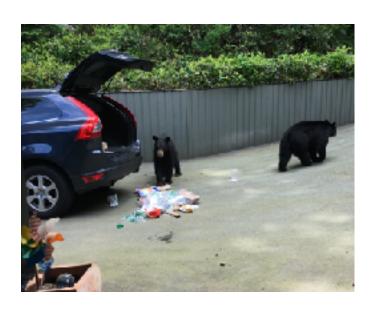
Early in the morning of May 12th, a cougar was seen at the corner of Midden and Bedwell Roads, near the start of the Jug Island trail. Like the black bear, these predators are often found hunting for food in close proximity to humans, especially in the summer months. Although cougars rarely attack people, fatalities have occurred. Such was the case recently when a cyclist in Washington state was killed and his companion mauled.

Follow these basic safety rules about wildlife encounters when walking / hiking:

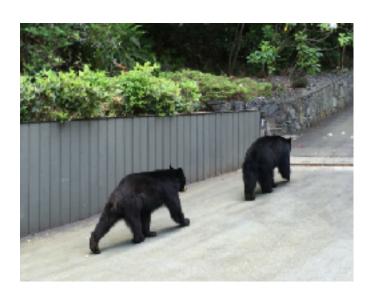
- make noise as you hike talk, clap, sing
- keep pets and small children near do not allow them to wander off the trail.
- do not hike off the trails after sundown. If you are confronted by a bear or cougar:
- do not run they can outrun you and will be encouraged by your action to chase and 'hunt'.
- do not make eye contact avoid sudden movements and back away slowly.
 - talk calmly in a low voice, do not scream
- hold objects over your head sticks, back pack etc. - to increase your size.
- pick up children and pets, so they are not seen as easy prey.
- never approach a bear cub, no matter how tame. Mom is never far away.

- always provide the animal with an escape route.

To report a conflict with wildlife that threatens public safety call: 1-877-952-7277



Bears in my Driveway! Submitted by Karen Hall



COME CELEBRATE, BELCARRA AND ANMORE!

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Sat, July 7, 2018 (3:00PM-11:00PM) Spirit Park in Anmore

- Bouncy Castle
- Kids vs. Fire Dept. Water Fight
- Tug of War
- Ice Cream

- Door Prizes
- Food Trucks
- Moody Ales Beer Garden
- Live Band

Please RSVP: sasamat40th@gmail.com

Free entrance. Food and drinks will be sold by private vendors

Stories From The Archives -

Details of the Proposed Works at Coquitlam Lake

Researched By: Ralph Drew, Belcarra, BC, May 2018. Source: Vancouver Daíly World, Monday, February 24th, 1902, page 4.

It was mentioned the other day that the current issue of the 'B.C. Gazette' contains particulars of the undertaking of the 'Vancouver Power Company' [a subsidiary of the 'B.C. Electric Railway Company'] filed with the government at Victoria in connection with the application for a record of water [authorized quantity of water] from Coquitlam Lake. The plan outlines the following work: The erection of a dam five feet [1.5 meters] in height across the outlet of Coquitlam Lake.

In the district of New Westminster, and the extension of the pipeline of the city of New Westminster water works system to a point above the said dam; the construction of a tunnel from Coquitlam Lake to the lake situated to the east of the North Arm [Indian Arm] of Burrard Inlet, known as Trout Lake [renamed 'Buntzen Lake' in 1905]; the construction of a ditch at the outlet of Trout Lake to deepen the said outlet; the erection of a dam forty-two feet [12.8 meters] in height across the stream forming the outlet to Trout Lake, at a point two thousand eight hundred feet [853 meters] down stream; the further construction of a dyke, if such should be found to he necessary, at the outlet of Trout Lake, to be used for the storage of water; the construction of a pipeline or a tunnel and shaft from the dam to the powerhouse which will be

erected on the easterly shore of the North Arm of Burrard Inlet, and distant about eighteen miles [29 km] from the city of Vancouver; also the construction of a poleline [powerline] by the most feasible route from the powerhouse to the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster.

The amount of unrecorded water applied for by the company is altogether ____ miner's inches [1 miner's inch = 0.74 litres per second = 10 Imp. Gal. per minute], to be taken from Coquitlam Lake and Trout Lake, the water from the former lake to be diverted at a point on the west shore of the said lake, about two miles [3.2 km] northerly from its outlet into Trout Lake. The power will be developed by means of Pelton water wheels and converted into electrical energy and transmitted by copper or other wires to the points where it is to be used.

The company proposes to commence their undertaking of the construction of the dam across the stream forming the outlet to Trout Lake; the construction of the power house and pipeline and the erection of a pole-line to the city of Vancouver and New Westminster.



KOGO YACHT FOR CHARTER

See Page 24 for more info ~ Submitted by Keith & Judy Evans





Submitted by Clive Evans

Submitted by Bonni Marshall





BELCARRA'S FREE MINI LIBRARY!

BY: Zara, Chelsea, Max and Owen

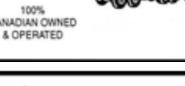


There is a new mini library in Belcarra! The four of us really like the ones in Port Moody so we wanted our community to have one... Zara and Max's dad helped build it and we got together to plan and paint it at the Belcarra Park. The boys got one side of the library and the we got the opposite one. We had to think of something nice to paint for Belcarra. "The sunset is nice we could paint that!" the girls decided. "Sure, the sunset, but with the view of the ocean." So, the girls got to work. Meanwhile, the boys overheard and decided they would do a sunset but instead of the ocean view they would do a goose. We burst into laughter! We got to work and when everyone was finished we stood back and admired it. Then we added a finishing touch... On the back we added our handprints and wrote our names in them. The boys also painted the front cover with trees.

Everyone is welcome to use it and trade good books! Just please take care of it. Thank You!!!!!!

By: Chelsea Drake





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BELCARRA'S FREE MINI LIBRARY!

BY: Zara, Chelsea, Max and Owen

We are willing to give books to our community. I want people to see the wonderful stories books have. My teacher said, "It is better to be a bucket filler (someone who is kind, shares, and helps). Then a bucket dipper. [Someone who hurts others, says mean words, and bosses everyone). That's when Belcarra's little free book library comes in. Belcarra's first library!

I enjoyed painting the spectacular sunset with Chelsea, with pure green mountains hiding half of the sun. You can't miss my red bright heart on the back of the library. My brother Max made a GREEN jellyfish! All the kids and adults laughed with excitement.

By: Zara Naing

We have lots of books we read. We want to share with other kids in Village of Belcarra **By: Max Naing**

We made the library for everyone. You can all use it. There will hopefully be good books to share.

By: Owen Drake





VILLAGE NEWS



BELCARRA DAY

Have a Ball! Fun for the whole Family! at Belcarra Park Picnic Area Sunday, June 24, 2018
10:00 am to 2:00 pm

Volunteers needed for various activities. Call the Village Office 604-937-4100 for more information and to sign up!

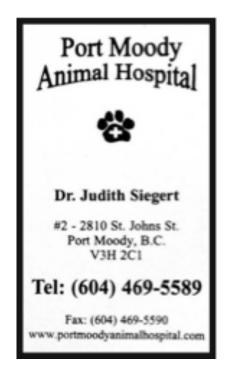
Q: Why are gulls named Sea Gulls?

A: If they were by the Bay they'd be called Bagels!

Attention Belcarra Car Enthusiasts

Do you have a classic, exotic, hot rod, or vintage car in your garage? Why not join us for the second annual Belcarra Day Car Show and Shine on Sunday, June 24th, (Belcarra Day). The event will begin at 10 am at the picnic area parking lot. This year the cars will be on display directly opposite the SVFD fire truck/hot dog tent. Spaces are limited so preregistration is required and cars must be in place by 10 a.m. to ensure space remains available.

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Belcarra Blessings
Deborah Struk

'Enjoy living in Belcarra; paradise this side of paradise'

Well, who is excited and thankful summer holidays are around the corner? I know many people are. Summertime in Belcarra is patio picnics, hikes on the trails, kayaking, boating, crabbing, stand up paddle boarding and so many more activities! Bring on summer and live it well in Belcarra; paradise this side of paradise. Are we not so very blessed to live here?

The Village is home to many 2018 High School Grads who are undoubtedly excited and a bit nervous of this next chapter of their lives. We are so proud of you, GRADS of 2018! My hope and prayer is for many blessings in your future, and trials do develop character, so learn those lessons well. Don't be scared to ask for your parents or others' advice. May your future bring all you need to be amazing, positive world changers. May doors open for you would have never thought possible. Also, for those choosing jobs, a flex year or post-secondary schooling overseas (or nearby); enjoy the experience, make great friends, be safe and I hope you stay connected with your families and friends.

For those who will return to school in the Fall, regardless of age, enjoy summer vacation! Moms and families, may this summer be a time of very special memories to be made.

Have a wonderful June and fantastic summer. Enjoy the flora and fauna!



'In the end, it's not going to matter how many breaths you took, but how many moments took your breath away!' (www)

Submitted by Deborah Struk

I recently was at Minnekhada and was shown first hand the destructive power of English Ivy. I've submitted a photo of a tree in Belcarra that is being attacked by the ivy. This tree is the SAME size the attacked tree WAS prior to being eaten from the inside out by the ivy at the park. The bottom of the tree is nearly gone, the centre, completely gone. All that is STANDING strong is the thin, ivy vine as it heads upward to the top of the tree it is holding up while it's feeding on it. I had no idea. It is critical residents, at the very least, to sever the lower vines of English Ivy on their trees and shrubs at home. I had no idea it was this destructive. One can see just how dangerous and precarious it leaves the tree.



Tree covered in Ivy being eaten within, tree was pretty much same size and nearly completely destroyed the upper branches and trunk which still soar about 10 metres off the ground held up by the vines.



Submitted by Liisa Wilder - Continued from Page 10

Just a week after Metro Vancouver Parks was closed a section of Belcarra Park due to wandering bears, it appears another wild animal has decided to come check out the area.

This time, a cougar has been seen wandering in the southern area of Bert Flinn Park at the end of David Avenue in Port Moody.

However, unlike the incident involving the bears, in which one seemed a little too comfortable around humans, the city said this particular cat "did not show signs of aggressive behaviour and made an effort to avoid human interaction."

I'm wondering if this may be the same cougar that was sighted early morning of May 12th just sitting on the lawn of the property at the corner of Midden and Bedwell Bay Road.

Reminder to "stay alert, keep children near," and keep dogs leashed.

Take care and be aware!

Kid'z Space

'Marvin the Marmot"

Submitted by Bonni Marshall









Friendly Forest Corner

By Angela Kim

It's already June, which means the year is coming to a close. Soon our 4 year olds will be off to new adventures in kindergarten, our 3 year olds will be back for their senior year, and a new group of excited children will get their chance to explore Friendly Forest Preschool. Luckily there is still a lot of fun to be had in these last few weeks at our fantastic little school.

Thank you to all the Friendly Forest families for all your hard work this year. Their commitment to their parent duties, their participation in preschool events, and their support for their children on their learning journey has made this a great year. And, of course, a heartfelt thank you to our fantastic teachers, who continue to amaze us with their dedication, creativity, empathy, and loving care.

Have a wonderful summer everyone!

There are spots available in the 3PM and 4PM classes starting in September 2018.
Please help us spread the word! If you know any families that are interested in our lovely little preschool, ask them to contact enrolment at

enrolment@friendlyforestpreschool.com or visit our website at friendlyforestpreschool.com.

Underwater Alphabet

Fun factoids about local marine wildlife, one letter at a time Written by Isabelle Côté, Belcarra's Professor of Marine Ecology

is for... kelp! When you think of kelp, you might imagine giant plants that grow tall and create lush

underwater forests. We don't have those sorts of kelp in Indian Arm. Instead of creating cathedrals, our local kelps weave enormous blankets that shroud our rocky reefs. We have two fairly common species in the Arm. One is the fringed sea colander (pictured left), which owes its name to the multitude of small holes on its surface that make it look like a sieve. The other is sugar kelp (pictured right), a species distributed right across to Europe. Both seaweeds live multiple years, dying back to their stalk in winter and growing blades of up to 4 m long in spring and summer. Given their size, these kelps are hugely important in terms of providing food and shelter to a large number of fish and invertebrates. Hungry green urchins, for example, are very partial to young kelps, and when diving, I always find crabs, nudibranchs and rockfish peeking from under the large blades. Both species are also edible to people – in fact, they are full of vitamins and can easily replace vegetables in your soup bowl or on your dinner plate (if you like a salty aftertaste).

Fun factoid about kelp: Fringed sea colander produces a chemical that protects smaller algae living under it from the harmful effects of UV radiation. Mother Nature's original sunscreen!



KOGO YACHT FOR CHARTER

Continued from page 14 - Submitted by Keith & Judy Evans

ACCOMMODATION

Kogo's interior layout sleeps up to 12 guests in 7 rooms, including a master suite, 4 double cabins and 1 twin cabin. She is also capable of carrying up to 21 crew onboard to ensure a relaxed luxury yacht experience. Timeless styling, beautiful furnishings and sumptuous seating feature throughout to create an elegant and comfortable atmosphere.

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Classifieds

"Tiny house" for rent

4132 B Marine Ave., Belcarra furnished 680 ft, 3 level split + basement duplex semi waterfront. Great beach access, swimming, ocean views. \$1800/month

Contact David <u>dwross@telus.net</u>

<u>780-435-9155</u>

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Wanted..

Looking for a 16ft dock slip available for rent \$ or trade for lawn & garden care in Bedwell Bay, please contact Kris @ 778-822-5251

WANTED; A BOAT FLOAT FOR A 21 FOOT POWERBOAT. PREFERABLY IN DECENT SHAPE AND EASY TO OPERATE.

Contact Dennis at 6004 626 8283 or dennissaunier@gmail.com

Belcarra Resident interested in dock space (either individual or group) for a 24' powerboat. Willing to help with upgrade costs to accomodate his boat or to maintain the dock. Please contact info@TPCMCconsultants.com

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Belcarra studio suite for rent.

Suitable for one person. Furnished. Parking, hydro & laundry included. References required. No pets, nonsmoker only. Internet/cable/telephone not included. \$850/month

Call Donna 604-619-7654

Local family of 4 looking for long term rental (at least 2 more years or lease to own possibly) in Belcarra area or Anmore. Our present rental house lease is up July31st and owner wanting to sell so may be sooner. Would like to stay in area very much. Looking for a house with a suite for our one daughter and 2 or 3 bedroom up for my husband, myself and my other daughter along with a space for my office as I work from home. Excellent references avail from current landlord.

Please call Kathy at <u>604-816-8827</u> or email me at <u>Kathy.daunais55@gmail.com</u>.

Quiet, non-smoking professional couple seeking long term accommodation in the Belcarra or Anmore area. We have lived in the area for over 8 yrs. & would hate to leave. 2 bdrm. self-contained suite (cottage, rancher etc.) with laundry & outdoor access a must. Excellent references. Please call 604-771-5076.

DOWN BY THE BAY

Submitted by Clive Evans

What have you seen in your garden lately?

Well Spring has really sprung with the predominant colours going from yellow Forsythia to white Rhodos and blue Forget- me -nots and then all of a sudden yellow is the colour again of welsh poppies and a splendid display of Laburnum rivalling the blue and white Wisteria. As soon as the Rhodos started there were white, pink, reds and yellows and as many colours of Azaleas. white Roses and Columbine, yellow tree Peonies, purple Columbine, pink and red Wigelia, a late pink Lilac and a hidden gem, a red Trillium. There are many others that we don't have names for.

Over the hedge we can see the glorious Dogwood in full bloom against a background of Copper Beech and further through the trees is Paulownia or Princess tree at the end of its bloom.

No wild life in sight this month but the birds visiting us regularly are house finches and Evening Grosbeaks with a chance peak at a Goldfinch. A hummer regularly perches on the top of a Hemlock surveying its domain. The bird bath has become a food preparation centre for crows cleaning their fish, crab and small bird scraps.



Submitted by Ana Wright
I was heading down the side of my house when a bird flew at me. I looked up and saw a nest. Since mama left I wanted to see what, if anything, was in the nest.
She made a beautiful new home for her new babies!



Love springtime and new beginnings!!



Submitted by Clive Evans

June 2018 Tide Table

Day	Hígh	Low	Hígh	Low	Hígh	Moon	Sunrise	Sunset
Frí 1		2.42 AM/10.9 ft	7.02 AM/12.6 ft	2.21 PM/2.8 ft	10.12 PM/15.6 ft		5.10 AM	9.08 PM
Sat 2		3.27 AM/10.9 ft	7.28 AM/12.2 ft	2.58 PM/3.2 ft	10.53 PM/15.5 ft		5.09 AM	9.09 PM
Sun 3		4.15 AM/10.7 ft	8.00 AM/11.8 ft	3.36 PM/3.7 ft	11.34 PM/15.3 ft		5.09 AM	9.10 PM
Mon 4		5.08 AM/10.4 ft	8.43 AM/11.2 ft	4.18 PM/4.4 ft			5.08 AM	9.11 PM
Tue 5	12.16 AM/15.1 ft	6.05 AM/9.9 ft	9.53 AM/10.7 ft	5.04 PM 5.2 ft			5.08 AM	9.12 PM
Wed 6	12.56 AM/14.9 ft	7.05 AM/9.2 ft	11.54 AM/10.3 ft	5.53 PM/6.1 ft		Last Quarter	5.07 AM	9.13 PM
Thur 7	1.34 AM/14.8 ft	7.59 AM/8.3.ft	1.46 AM/10.4 ft	6.48 PM/7.1 ft			5.07 AM	9.13 PM
Frí 8	2.10 AM/14.7 ft	8.47 AM/7.1 ft	3.12 AM/11.0 ft	7.48 PM/8.1 ft			5.06 AM	9.14 PM
Sat 9	2.42 AM/14.6 ft	9.30 AM/5.8 ft	4.24 PM/11.9 ft	8.51 PM/9.0 ft			5.06 AM	9.15 PM
Sun 10	3.13 AM/14.5 ft	10.11 AM/4.5 ft	5.24 PM/13.0 ft	9.54 PM/9.7 ft			5.06 AM	9.16 PM
Mon 11	3.45 AM/14.5 ft	10.53 AM/3.1 ft	6.18 PM/14.2 ft	10.55 PM/10.3 ft			5.06 AM	9.16 PM
Tue 12	4.20 AM/14.5 ft	11.35 AM/2.0 ft	7.09 PM/15.2 ft	11.54 PM/10.7 ft			5.05 AM	9.17 PM
Wed 13	4.57 AM/14.5 ft	12.18 AM/1.1 ft	7.58 PM/15.9 ft			New Moon	5.05 AM	9.17 PM
Thur 14		12.51 AM/11.0 ft	5.39 AM/14.4 ft	1.03 PM/0.5 ft	8.45 PM/16.4 ft		5.05 AM	9.18 PM
Frí 15		1.46 AM/11.0 ft	6.25 AM/14.1 ft	1.49 PM/0.4 ft	9.33 PM/16.7 ft		5.05 AM	9.18 PM
Sat 16		2.43 AM/10.8 ft	7.17 AM/13.7 ft	2.36 PM/0.8 ft	10.20 PM/16.8 ft		5.05 AM	9.19 PM
Sun 17		3.43 AM/10.5 ft	8.16 AM/13.0 ft	3.24 PM/1.6 ft	11.07 PM/16.7 ft		5.05 AM	9.19 PM
Mon 18		4.47 AM/9.9 ft	9.27 AM/12.2 ft	4.14 PM/2.8 ft	11.54 PM/16.5 ft		5.05 AM	9.20 PM
Tue 19		5.56 AM/9.1ft	10.55 AM/11.5 ft	5.05 PM/4.2 ft			5.05 AM	9.20 PM
Wed 20	12.40 AM/16.2 ft	7.06 AM/8.0 ft	12.33 PM/11.0 ft	5.59 PM/5.8 ft		First Quarter	5.05 AM	9.20 PM
Thur 21	1.24 AM/15.9 ft	8.11 AM/6.8 ft	2.06 PM/11.1 ft	6.57 PM/7.3 ft			5.05 AM	9.20 PM
Frí 22	2.06 AM/15.6 ft	9.06 AM/5.6 ft	3.31 PM/11.8 ft	8.00 PM/8.8 ft			5.06 AM	9.20 PM
Sat 23	2.46 AM/15.2 ft	9.52 AM/4.6 ft	4.43 PM/12.6 ft	9.08 PM/9.9 ft			5.06 AM	9.21 PM
Sun 24	3.24 AM/14.8 ft	10.33 AM/3.7 ft	5.44 PM/13.6 ft	10.16 PM/10.7 ft			5.06 AM	9.21 PM
Mon 25	4.00 AM/14.3 ft	11.10 AM/3.1 ft	6.34 PM/14.4 ft	11.19 PM/11.1 ft			5.07 AM	9.21 PM
Tue 26	4.35 AM/13.9 ft	11.44 AM/2.7 ft	7.18 PM/15.0 ft				5.07 AM	9.21 PM
Wed 27		12.13 AM/11.3 ft	5.07 AM/13.5 ft	12.17 PM/2.5 ft	7.58 PM/15.4 ft	Full Moon	5.07 AM	9.21 PM
Thur 28		1.00 AM/11.3 ft	5.39 AM/13.2 ft	12.50 PM/2.4 ft	8.35 PM/15.6 ft		5.08 AM	9.20 PM
Frí 29		1.43 AM/11.2 ft	6.10 AM/12.8 ft	1.23 PM/2.5 ft	9.11 PM/15.8 ft		5.09 AM	9.20 PM
Sat 30		2.23 AM/11.0 ft	6.42 AM/12.5 ft	1.58 PM/2.7 ft	9.46 PM/15.6 ft		5.09 AM	9.20 PM

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