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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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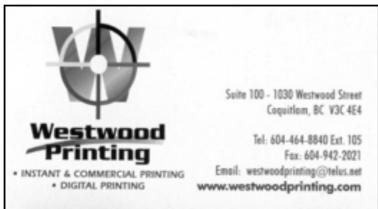
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IMPORTANT DATES

March 2019

Mar 4th Annual Tree Chipping

Mar 6th New Moon

Mar 10th Daylight Savings Begins.

Mar 11th Council Meeting @ 7.00 pm

Mar 16th Pub Night & Chicken BBQ

Mar 17th St. Patricks Day.

Mar 18 - 29 Spring Break!

Mar20th Full Moon

Mar 25th Council Meeting @ 7.00pm

SAVE THE DATE

Apr 21 Easter Pancake Breakfast & Egg Hunt



COVER ART

Our front cover and back pages this month is a photograph submitted by Lyn Jagger.

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Mayor Neil Belenkie

B.C.'s property speculation tax 'devastating' for Village of Belcarra By Cheryl Chan Source The Province February 7th 2017

Many homeowners are land-rich but cash poor. 'People are going to lose cabins and cottages they have inherited that have been in the family,' says Mayor Neil Belenkie.

The humble A-frame cabin is a one-room structure with a loft space for a couple of beds. It has no potable water, no insulation and isn't connected to any sewer system.

Nancy Strain's father purchased the waterfront lot for \$2,000 and floated logs and equipment up the fjord in 1963 to build the cabin.

Fifty-six years later, that cabin is being hit with the province's new speculation and vacancy tax.

"I don't know how they figure the little guy can pay," said the 71-year-old retired Coquitlam woman.

The cabin is assessed at \$26,500. The value is in the land, worth close to \$1.4 million.

The new levy, which the provincial government pitched as a means to curb speculators and improve affordability, means that Strain, her 91-year-old mother, retired brother and a nephew are on the hook for about \$7,000 annually.

While the cabin is rich with memories, it doesn't make them rich, said Strain.

"It doesn't mean you're a millionaire when you live here. We are ordinary Joes. How do they figure after you own a place for 60-something odd years that that's speculating?"

Charline Robson is in the same boat. She lives in a property in Belcarra. In 2017, her aunt bequeathed her two adjoining lots, next to Strain.

One has a cabin built in the 1950's that would cost \$6,000 in speculation tax; the other is bare land, which is exempt from the tax in 2018 but would also face the same 0.5 per cent tax rate in subsequent years.

And that's in addition to what she pays in property tax — about \$11,000 for the two lots.

Robson said she can't afford any upgrades to the property to allow her to rent the cabin out. Neither can she afford the new tax bill.

"It's a legacy, it's not an investment lot," she said. "I'm devastated to think I would have to sell the cabin."

The tax is "devastating" for Belcarra, said Mayor Neil Belenkie, who wants his municipality, with a population of 700 people, exempted from the tax, like Lions Bay and Bowen Island are.

"There's a feeling of unfairness and outright fear," said Belenkie.

Many homeowners are land-rich but cash poor. "People are going to lose cabins and cottages they have inherited that have been in the family," he said.

About 15 per cent of Belcarra's 300 homes, or 45 homes, are affected by the tax. Most are cottages or cabins used seasonally or on weekends. Most are not served with water or power, lack road access, potable water or heating, making them unfeasible to rent out and leaving many with no choice but to put their cabins up for sale.

The municipality has already seen six homes listed for sale the last two weeks, with another two coming on the market soon, said Belenkie. By comparison, in a typical year less than 10 houses go on sale in Belcarra. The sudden glut of listed homes would hurt the values of other homes in the community, he said.

B.C. Finance Minister Carole James was not available for an interview on Wednesday, but NDP MLA Spencer Chandra Herbert said many British Columbians are supportive of the principles behind the tax.

"If there's a home sitting empty in Metro Vancouver, we need that as housing," he said. "There is a crisis impacting our economy and making it difficult for people to get by. We are trying to get housing available and the principles of the speculation and vacancy tax have been embraced by most people in the region."

Chandra Herbert said homeowners who rent out their secondary properties for six months

are exempt from the tax. "There are always options," he said, citing one case where renters helped owners upgrade their cabin.

He said he cannot speak to the finance minister's decision to exempt other municipalities like Bowen Island or Lions Bay, which also has a number of cabins and cottages, from the tax, but not Belcarra.

James will be consulting with mayors of affected municipalities to see what changes or exemptions could be made, he said.

Belenkie says Belcarra should not be on the hook for the tax.

"I wouldn't have a leg to stand on if Lions Bay wasn't exempted," he said.

"They've already proven that the Lions Bay model (which is similar to Belcarra) is not appropriate for the speculation tax.

"I want them to do what is right and not punish our residents and families."



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VILLAGE OF BELCARRA 2019 ANNUAL CHIPPING MARCH 4, 2019





IMPORTANT NOTICE: The chipping program shall only take place once per year. Please utilize the organics bins for smaller amounts of chipping or take your larger amounts to the Coquitlam Transfer Station (Wastech) at 1200 United Boulevard.

Residents are encouraged to dispose of their chipping material in the Organics bin at the Waste and Recycle Depot. <u>Tuesday</u> is a good day for adding larger amounts as the bin is hauled and emptied on Wednesdays.

Please note there is a change in procedure:

- Each residence is allowed one free chipping pile which does not require a tag.
- A maximum of 2 additional tags are available at the Village office at a cost of \$25 each.
- Tags are available at the Village Hall until 4:00 pm the Friday before chipping day.
- No tags will be provided once chipping has commenced.
- Each road will be serviced only once. Staff will not return to areas already chipped.

Important Details:

- Pile size must not exceed 1.0M x 1.0M x 3.0M (3' x 3' x 10')
- Clean, uncontaminated branches **up to 0.1 metres (4 inches) in diameter** to be stacked at the front of the property from which the material originated, with the larger ends aligned in the direction of travel. (This allows Workers to chip the branches with minimum exposure to traffic.)
- Piles will NOT BE CHIPPED that:
 - o do not conform to specifications and requirements
 - o are considered contaminated containing: stumps, root-balls, grass, ivy, leaves (bagged or piled), blackberry vines, vegetation with thistles, thorns or irritants, or soil, rocks, wire, metal and nails.
- Unsuitable piles will be tagged and will be left for appropriate removal by the Resident or Owner

Please note:

- Larger volumes of vegetation for removal should be contracted to a tree service company.
- Keep the roadway clear for the passage of traffic.
- Success of the program depends on Resident cooperation follow instructions carefully and contact Village Hall at 604 937-4100 if you have any questions.
- Farrer Cove Residents (road access only), may call the Village Hall if they wish to participate in the roadside chipping program.



Belcarra Blockwatch

Submitted by Diana Drake and Carol Drew

Watch Out for Identity Theft!

According to the Village mail carrier, on the night of Jan 30/31 someone tried to pry open the large doors on the mailboxes at Salish and Belcarra Bay. With this in mind, please remember to get your mail often, preferably each day. Have a neighbour pick it up for you if you plan to be away.

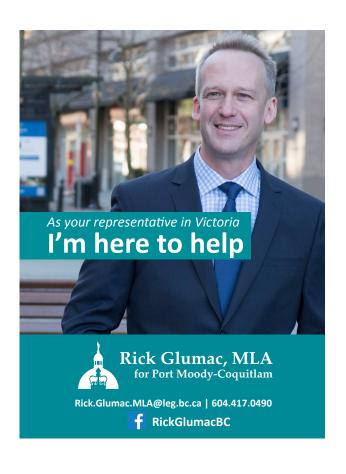
Mail theft is closely linked to identity theft, a crime that is steadily on the rise in Canada and which can be costly, stressful and confusing to its victims. Here are seven reminders to help protect yourself from identity thieves:

- never provide personal information over the telephone or internet unless you initiate the contact.
- avoid any solicitations disguised as promotions or surveys. Scams attempt to lure in victims with promises of prizes or awards, asking for personal information before item can be claimed.
- remove mail from your mailbox promptly. Thieves can use bills, bank, financial, benefit and/or income statements, cheques, credit card offers, tax information or employment papers. These documents may have enough data for a criminal to take over an existing account or even open a new account with your name and information.

- sign all credit cards when you receive them. A blank card is a blank cheque to the wrong person.
- cancel credit cards not used and keep regular tabs on accounts.
- shred or otherwise destroy any personal documentation bills, credit card receipts, bank statements etc. when you no longer need it.

Pt. Moody's Arts and Culture calendar: Shred-A-Thon

to be held on June 9, 2019 from 9am to 1 pm at the Pt. Moody Civic Centre, 100 Newport Drive (by donation to the Rotary Club).



VILLAGE OF BELCARRA - MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETINGS 2019

ITEMS OF NOTE 28th January

5.3 Corporate Strategic Plan

N. Gomerich provided an overview of the Corporate Strategic Plan. Each priority was discussed in detail. Discussion ensued with regard to the 2019 / 2020 Strategic Plan as follows:

Priority #1 - Municipal Bylaws & Policies, Review & Update

- Committees will be formed and will report back to Council as follows:
- ~ Revenue Generation Committee (RGC)
- -Farrer Cove Committee (FCC)
- -Water System Capacity for Fire Protection Committee (WSCFPC)
- -Tree Committee (TC)
- -Belcarra Day Committee (BDC)
- -Future Committees will be formed as required

Priority #2 - Public Safety - Non-Vehicle Travel - Trail & Roadway Improvements

- Explore Speed Control Options
- Explore Resident Only Parking
- Pursue funding for Lighting at Bus Stops and Mail Boxes
- Young Road turnaround has issues with Snow Plowing. Chains for the truck were recommended.
- Mulch for road in Farrer Cove

Priority #3 – Transportation Infrastructure – Transportation Capital Plan

- Retaining Walls Main Avenue & Kelly Avenue
- Staff to investigate further and provide a report regarding action required
- Kelly Avenue is the priority.
- Develop a 10 year Prioritized Plan

Priority #4 - Recreation Infrastructure - Multi Use Court

- Future group of volunteers to identify requirements and develop a work plan
- Consider Grants, Corporate Sponsorship,
 Donations

Priority #5 – Drainage Infrastructure – Long Term Drainage Capital Plan

- Short Term
 Identify and address issues on prioritized basis
- Long Term
- Apply for Grant for Phase II (System Analysis)
- 80% Grant available April 2019, add to budget only if Grant application accepted

Priority #6 – Emergency Preparedness

- Wildfire Assessment
- Grant Dependent
- Community Group to be established
- Investigate a plan that may allow for periodic burning to reduce fuel load in a safe way
- The City of Coquitlam has offered to do Inter Municipal mapping
- Emergency Preparedness supplies required (Grant dependent)
- Radios and batteries
- SAT phone
- EOC Supplies

Priority #7 – Water Infrastructure – Water Metering & Long Term Water System Plan

- Carry forward; Metro Vancouver to provide a report on Universal Water Metering in the Fall of 2019
- Long Term High Level Plan required based on existing data
- Potability issues / risks
- Chlorination
- Committee to be formed to investigate the water Infrastructure and whether it is sufficient for fire suppression

Priority #8 - Operational Efficiency - Records

Management

- Carry forward
- Investigate shared resources

Priority #9 - Waste and Recycle Depot - WARD

• Review operations / staffing etc.

Priority #10 - Vancouver Fraser Port Authority

- Moratorium
- Advocacy

Priority #11 ~ Official Community Plan (OCP)

Review

- Full or partial review
- Consider Revenue Generation Options –
 Committee to report

Priority #12 - Village Hall Community Use

• Procedure for Public Access

Considerable discussion ensued with regard to the Corporate Strategic Plan and priorities for 2019 / 2020. Mayor Belenkie noted that the Town Hall meetings have addressed several priorities that require attention with the possible formation of future committees to investigate sources with neighbouring municipalities investigating options.

6.2 Traffic Control – Black Cat Radar Detection Equipment Purchase

Mayor Belenkie advised that a meeting was held with the RCMP where discussion of the RCMP use of Black Cat Radar Detection equipment and of a scarecrow image were outlined. Due to heavy demand for this program, the RCMP would not be able to provide this service to the Village until May 2019. Consideration is being given by the RCMP to rent the Black Cat Radar Detection equipment from the Village should the Village choose to purchase a unit. Considerable discussion ensued.

Moved by: Councillor Begg Seconded by: Councillor Drake

That, subject to RCMP consent, Council approve the purchase of:

• 1 Black Cat Radar Detection equipment unit for \$3,500. and a scarecrow image for \$400. which includes installation costs; and

that the Village rent the Black Cat Radar Detection equipment back to the RCMP at the rate of \$1,000. per month.

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COUNCIL MEETING NOTES (Continued on Page 14) COUNCIL MEETING NOTES (Continued from Page 13)

11th February

5.5 Lorna Dysart, Chief Administrative Officer, report dated February 11, 2019 regarding Appointments to 2019 Council Committees

Recommendation:

That Committee members be appointed to the Council Committees listed below for a term of 1 year:

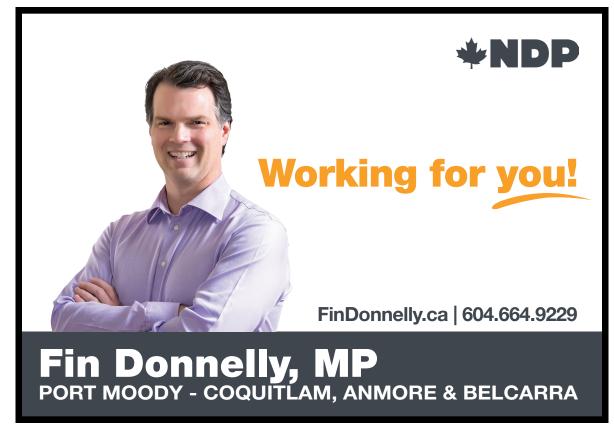
Revenue Generation Committee (RGC):

- Council Representative: Liisa Wilder
- 1) Hírsch, Brían Member
- 2) Kím, Tom Chair
- 3) Moen, Penny Member
- 4) Sulcs, Maris Vice Chair
- 5) Sweet, Sharilyn Member

Water System Capacity for Fire Protection Committee (WSCFPC):

- Council Representative Rob Begg
- 1) Brain, Douglas Member
- 2) Chisholm, Jim Member
- 3) Desbois, Martin Member
- 4) Devlin, Ian Chair
- 5) Kim, Tom Member









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Stories From The Archives — Atlantic Salmon Will Be Distributed

Researched By: Ralph Drew, Belcarra, BC, January 2019. Source: Victoria Daily Colonist, Tuesday, June 10th, 1919.

"Within the next few days the Fisheries Department will proceed to release large quantities of salmon and trout fry in various waters of the Province. The fry are being supplied from the hatcheries at Cowichan Lake, Gerrard and New Westminster and will be distributed as follows: Forty thousand Atlantic salmon fry to Stave Lake, <mark>40,000 Atlantic salmon fry to 'Deer</mark> Lake', near loco [today called 'Sasamat Lake'], 15,000 of the same to Chute Lake, near Penticton, in addition to 10,000 cut-throat fry, 10,000 Atlantic salmon fry to Silver Lake, off the Fraser River, and 30,000 Steelhead trout fry to the streams on the North Shore of Burrard Inlet."

Notes:

This event must have been the first time 'Sasamat Lake' had been stocked with fish by the B.C. 'Fisheries Department'. (It is also interesting to note that the 'Fisheries Department' was stocking local streams and lakes with Atlantic Salmon.) In April 1911, the 'Dominion Government of Canada' began selling properties in the 'Woodhaven Subdivision' but fewer than a dozen cottages had been built at Bedwell Bay prior to 'World War One'. The 'Imperial Oil Company' refinery began operation in January 1915 with a shanty town of employees next to the refinery, but the one lane gravel road from Port Moody to the loco refinery wasn't completed until 1919. The clearing and construction of the loco townsite did not start until late 1920.

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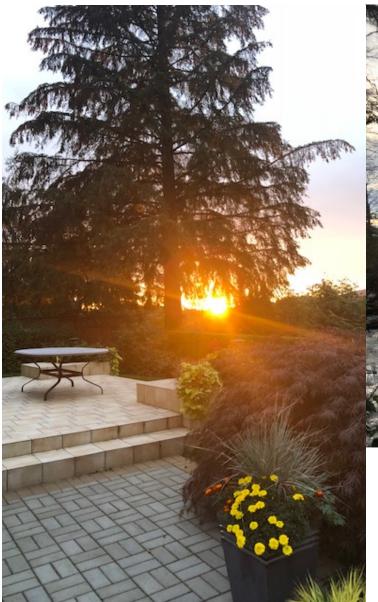
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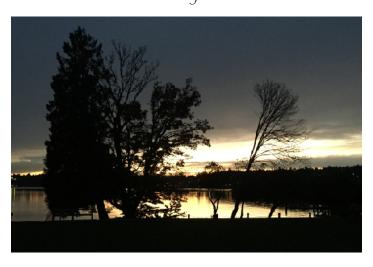


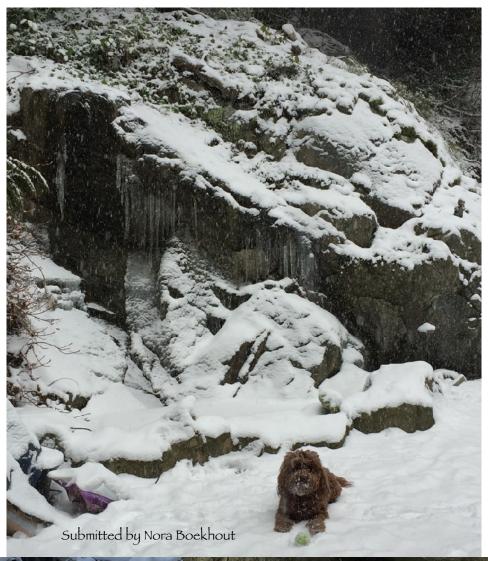
Frozen swamp at Belcarra park

Submitted by Deborah Struk

Stunning Sunset

Submitted by Deborah Struk







VILLAGE NEWS

QUIPS AND QUOTES

Submitted by Barbara Shelly
As Jascha Heifetz famously said of the violin,
"If I don't practice one day, I know it;
two days, the critics know it;
three days, the public knows it."





BARNACLE TRAVELS!

The Belcarra Barnacle invites you to take your local newspaper with you when you travel, send us a photograph of yourself holding a copy of The Belcarra Barnacle and we'll publish your photograph!



We have recently been the lucky recipients of a thoughtful Christmas gift , from my out of province children. With a stacked gift card, we have enjoyed the luxury of "Fresh Prep" - a home delivery service of fresh, healthy and uncooked meals. Everything is provided in a cooler, to my doorstep, to create a gourmet meal in just 30 minutes. With many tasty options, my husband and I sit down and plan our meals usually one week before delivery. We usually choose different items to force us to try new dishes. Complete with recipe and step by step prepping, we have fun in the kitchen cooking together. The food is always fresh, tasty and healthy. It is a new concept so I wanted our friends and neighbours to be aware of this new service we are really enjoying.

Sandi and Dennis Saunier



IRISH SPRING PUB NITE

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Belcarra Blessings
Deborah Struk

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

February snows brings March Spring glows! That is what we are all looking forward to, right? On one hand I am itching to find more summer climes, on the other to pull out my gardening tools and start full bore on the yard. Well, truthfully, that's only on those crisp clear days.

As for sunny climates, do I really want to leave home?

We truly do live in the MOST beautiful place in the Lower Mainland... no, B.C. Hmmm, Canada? The world? Oh so very blessed. I guess that being surrounded by nature doesn't give the same joy, for some. Some LOVE the busyness and noise of the city. (I do not understand that, I find it intriguing, for a short burst, but not to live in!)

Recently, we hosted a dear friend from a village in Germany. She obviously fell in love with Belcarra and was disappointed when her time here came to an end and she was leaving to stay on Robson St., then head to Seattle. Rea really did not want to leave Belcarra.

Wildlife sightings have been quite abundant this last month. As per my last article, the winter birds continue to flit and forage about. With the cold, I was sure to put out extra suet. The darn crows took to voraciously emptying one container. Not sure just how to prevent them from stealing the treats clearly intended for the others (the cute and beautiful birds). Am I sounding biased? Yes, still not sure if my disdain for crows is a result of Alfred Hitchcock's movie, or my own experience. Anyways, I guess I will have to consult duckduckgo.com. on how to keep them away from the suet.

I am thankful our snowfalls have been 'atypical'. That is not the usual snow, snow, rain, slusssshhhieeeeee yuck for days on end. Also, very thankful for our snow and ice removal team being so efficient. I think this time round there have only been two occasions where snow and ice hazards beat them to the punch. People are amazed we aren't always 'snowed in', in our tiny village.

Two highlights for me in the snow last month: On our biggest snowfall the Vancouver Aquarium posted a Youtube of their otters playing in the snow. What an adorable video. The day after seeing the video I woke up to seeing strange tracks/channels in the snow on our float. With great curiosity I went outside and saw a lone otter running about 'tunnelling' and having a grand time in the snow! What a delight. I was able to watch him for a good 20 minutes from our house. So, you all keep your eyes out for otters in the snow in Belcarra.

Yes, I was obviously #TeamOtter with the fiasco in Vancouver. Apparently 'someone' in Belcarra has seen a Pine Marten in their yard. I think thats pretty cool! You never know just what you will see.

You all take care. Enjoy March. Since we have truly had a winter this year, many of us are counting on a glorious Spring that starts showing itself well before the official date.

Be blessed in our paradise this side of paradise.





Original art by Laura Elderton of Buntzen Bay.



Kíď z Space





Q. What season is it when you are on a trampoline?

A. Spring-time!



Underwater Alphabet

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

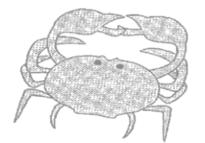
P is for... plumose anemone. In the world of anemones, plumose are literally giants. No living close to the bottom for them. Instead, they grow up to a towering 1 metre high, and the top of their thick, smooth column is crowned with a ring of fluffy tentacles. They come in shades of cream, orange, or salmon, and often occur in aggregations, offering a happy riot of colour against the darkness of the deep.

Despite their plant-like appearance, plumose anemones – like their relatives, the corals and the jellies – are very much predators. Plumose anemones will take just about anything that floats by, including small fish, but most of their food are much smaller planktonic animals. Prey that make contact with the apparently innocuous fluff are immobilised by stinging cells and then thrust into the mouth, in the middle of the ring of tentacles.

Plumose anemones keep their largest stinging cells below the rim of tentacles, as a first line of defense against competitors, like other anemones, and against their own predators. These include leather stars (which we talked about four letters ago) and some sea slugs. If aggressive defence fails, then plumose anemones can collapse onto themselves, giving them the undignified appearance of a failed soufflé (see right-hand photo) but their all-important feeding tentacles are protected.

Fun factoid about plumose anemones: Plumose anemones are really not very picky about where they live. They've been found on all sorts of bottom types: rock, wooden wrecks, underwater cables, oil and gas platforms, and my favourite: on dead whales that have fallen to the bottom hundreds of metres deep!



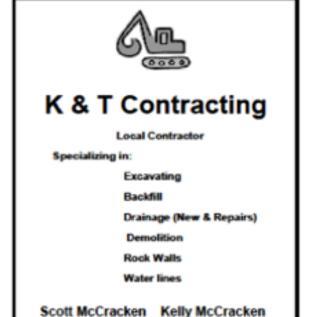


Mailbox Alert

Although no official RCMP Block Watch notification, we think everyone should be on high alert again.

Please pick up your mail every day, and if you are not able to, then get someone to do it for you. A resident spoke to our mail carrier last week and apparently there had been an attempted theft at our mailboxes at Salish and Belcarra Bay. Someone had tried to pry open the large doors to the mail boxes (on or about Jan 30) ... they did not succeed, but will probably keep trying. It is getting near tax time so there will be a lot of tax slips being mailed out by February. Lots of information for identity thieves....

Take care and Be Aware!

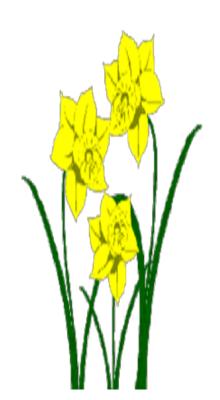




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CRAB Directory Submitted by Liisa Wilder

The 2019 Resident Directory will be sent to print early March. You still have a chance to win the coveted spot on the cover page by submitting your favourite photo or art work capturing the essence of our beautiful village. Deadline has been extended to March 8th.

If you have or know of any changes, please send an email to crab4084@gmail.com. The directory will be available at Pub Night, March 16th for new or renewal CRAB memberships.

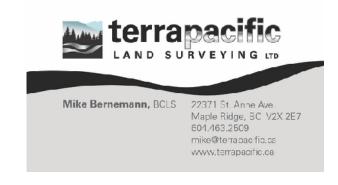
Back by popular demand is Henry's Outdoor BBQ Chicken. Tickets for the March 16th Irish Spring Pub Night can be purchased in advance by sending email to crab4084@gmail.com on a first come, first served basis. A delicious vegetarian option is available by reserving in advance.

We look forward to hosting another successful event!

Daffodils

"I wander'd lonely as a cloud That floats on high o'er vales and hills," When all at once I saw a crowd, A host, of golden daffodils;"

By William Wordsworth (1770-1850).



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[adapted from S. T. Coleridge, February 1825]

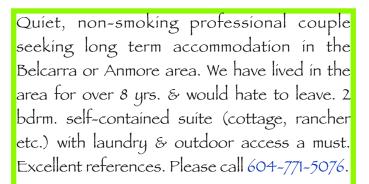
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March 2019 Tide Table

Day	High	Low	High	Low	High	Phase	Sunrise	Sunset
Fri 01	03:43 AM 4.37m	09:16 AM 3.31m	01:18 PM 3.65m	09:13 PM 1.35m			06:54 AM	05:54 PM
Sat 02	04:30 AM 4.48m	10:09 AM 3.18m	02:41 PM 3.65m	10:05 PM 1.28m			06:52 AM	05:55 PM
Sun 03	05:10 AM 4.53m	10:49 AM 3.05m	03:43 PM 3.73m	10:50 PM 1.23m			06:50 AM	05:57 PM
Mon 04	05:46 AM 4.53m	11:25 AM 2.90m	04:33 PM 3.83m	11:28 PM 1.21m			06:47 AM	05:59 PM
Tue 05	06:18 AM 4.51m	11:59 AM 2.72m	05:16 PM 3.90m				06:45 AM	06:00 PM
Wed 06		12:02 AM 1.24m	06:45 AM 4.47m	12:34 PM 2.53m	05:58 PM 3.94m	New Moon	06:44 AM	06:02 PM
Thu 07		12:33 AM 1.35m	07:08 AM 4.44m	01:09 PM 2.31m	06:39 PM 3.94m		06:42 AM	06:03 PM
Fri 08		01:02 AM 1.52m	07:28 AM 4.42m	01:44 PM 2.09m	07:23 PM 3.91m		06:39 AM	06:05 PM
Sat 09		01:32 AM 1.75m	07:48 AM 4.39m	02:20 PM 1.88m	08:08 PM 3.88m		06:37 AM	06:07 PM
Sun 10		03:04 AM 2.03m	09:08 AM 4.34m	03:56 PM 1.68m	09:57 PM 3.85m		07:35 AM	07:08 PM
Mon 11		03:40 AM 2.34m	09:30 AM 4.27m	04:35 PM 1.52m	10:53 PM 3.84m		07:33 AM	07:10 PM
Tue 12		04:22 AM 2.67m	09:53 AM 4.18m	05:18 PM 1.39m			07:31 AM	07:11 PM
Wed 13	12:02 AM 3.85m	05:15 AM 2.98m	10:21 AM 4.08m	06:09 PM 1.30m			07:29 AM	07:13 PM
Thu 14	01:29 AM 3.92m	06:24 AM 3.22m	11:02 AM 3.97m	07:11 PM 1.22m		First Quarter	07:27 AM	07:15 PM
Fri 15	02:57 AM 4.07m	07:52 AM 3.32m	12:04 PM 3.87m	08:23 PM 1.12m			07:25 AM	07:16 PM
Sat 16	04:03 AM 4.24m	09:15 AM 3.25m	01:27 PM 3.83m	09:34 PM 0.97m			07:23 AM	07:18 PM
Sun 17	04:55 AM 4.38m	10:20 AM 3.06m	03:01 PM 3.89m	10:38 PM 0.83m			07:21 AM	07:19 PM
Mon 18	05:40 AM 4.49m	11:15 AM 2.79m	04:25 PM 4.03m	11:34 PM 0.75m			07:18 AM	07:21 PM
Tue 19	06:21 AM 4.57m	12:05 PM 2.47m	05:34 PM 4.17m				07:16 AM	07:22 PM
Wed 20		12:23 AM 0.78m	06:58 AM 4.62m	12:53 PM 2.12m	06:33 PM 4.27m	Full Moon	07:14 AM	07:24 PM
Thu 21		01:09 AM 0.96m	07:33 AM 4.65m	01:40 PM 1.76m	07:29 PM 4.30m		07:12 AM	07:25 PM
Fri 22		01:52 AM 1.25m	08:06 AM 4.64m	02:26 PM 1.45m	08:24 PM 4.28m		07:10 AM	07:27 PM
Sat 23		02:34 AM 1.63m	08:38 AM 4.58m	03:12 PM 1.21m	09:20 PM 4.24m		07:08 AM	07:28 PM
Sun 24		03:17 AM 2.06m	09:08 AM 4.46m	03:57 PM 1.07m	10:19 PM 4.19m		07:05 AM	07:30 PM
Mon 25		04:01 AM 2.47m	09:38 AM 4.27m	04:42 PM 1.06m	11:24 PM 4.15m		07:03 AM	07:31 PM
Tue 26		04:52 AM 2.83m	10:08 AM 4.03m	05:29 PM 1.15m			07:01 AM	07:33 PM
Wed 27	12:38 AM 4.16m	05:57 AM 3.10m	10:40 AM 3.77m	06:20 PM 1.30m		Last Quarter	06:59 AM	07:35 PM
Thu 28	01:52 AM 4.20m	07:24 AM 3.22m	11:23 AM 3.51m	07:18 PM 1.46m			06:57 AM	07:36 PM
Fri 29	02:58 AM 4.27m	09:06 AM 3.14m	12:36 PM 3.31m	08:24 PM 1.57m			06:55 AM	07:38 PM
Sat 30	03:55 AM 4.33m	10:15 AM 2.95m	02:23 PM 3.25m	09:29 PM 1.61m			06:53 AM	07:39 PM
Sun 31	04:43 AM 4.36m	10:56 AM 2.75m	03:44 PM 3.34m	10:26 PM 1.60m			06:51 AM	07:41 PM

