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Cheryl Ward, Susan Glover and Karen DeGianni with Tyson's prayer quilt. Friends and family contributed squares to the community project, to lift Tyson's spirits and keep him warm with love. - Kurt Langmann photo

"Goodwill" turns to partisan battle

By MONIQUE GALAZKA and KURT LANGMANN

ALDERGROVE - Reform MP Randy White said there must be an election coming up because of the reaction from local Liberals, following a letter he wrote to The Star, published Nov. 13. In it, White asked for a dentist to assist an elderly woman, trying to get by on OAS and CPP, and in need of dental care.

White wondered why the couple is "being treated worse than criminals in prison" and why "Liberals, Separatists and other MPs gorge on their lavish pension scheme, while (the couple) border on poverty."

The response to the letter has been a cheque for $540 made out to the couple, which Peter Warkentin delivered to The Star last week after taking a collection from friends and neighbours. The Star's publishers have no desire to embarrass the couple's privacy and would like to quietly pass the cheque along to them, but have been unable to do so. The Star has also asked White to collect the cheque on their behalf, but after he was told that the money came from Warkentin, White said he had hoped a "rich dentist" would donate the service to the couple.

White beat out Warkentin in the 1993 federal election in this riding.

"I just want to help the couple, that's the bottom line," Warkentin told The Star, Tuesday. "We hope it makes a difference, but I'm surprised that White didn't pick up the cheque. I've not been able to find any trace of the couple, but then they could have an unlisted number."

Warkentin told The Star that the cheque could be mailed to White by The Star, and White was welcome to deliver it himself to the constituents he wrote about. As for White's allegations that Warkentin is making political brownie points at the expense of the elderly couple, he said White "should read his own letter."

White's letter also outraged Wally Martin, who phoned White to inquire whether or not he travels first class to Ottawa. He also faxed White a note demanding to know how often he's flown first class at taxpayers' expense, and this request has been ignored.

In a letter to The Star, published Nov. 20, Martin questions whether White wants the less fortunate to be begging on the streets of Canada, while White sits in the "champagne sipping section." He went on to say he's embarrassed that we have such a callous MP, who does "not represent the views of the average Canadian."

White, for his part, is "saddened by the attempt to use the couple as a political pawn and to create a circus out of the non-issue of how he travels back and forth across the country. He said the couple came quietly to him for help, and the best way he could help was to ask for a dentist.

"I did not ask for any money, and neither did they. I think this may be embarrassing for them, which is why they may not pick up the cheque."

White also said he has little comment for the Liberals' attempt to make an issue out of his travel habits, because it has nothing to do with the issue, which is that many seniors are living in poverty, while MPs collect huge pensions for nothing.

"I think they have to have a better issue than how I fly," he said. "Perhaps they should take a look at their pensions. I threw my million dollar pension away (White was among the Reform MPs who opted out of the government plan). Did they?"

"They should look at progress being made to fight domestic violence, violence in general, and the deportation of criminals, before they pick a non-issue to haggle over.

"I won't lower myself to their type of politics, because I don't have to."

The Star has forwarded Warkentin's cheque to White's office.

Friends shine light with gift of love

By KURT LANGMANN

ALDERGROVE - Sometimes we're guilty of focusing too much on ourselves, our individual pains and troubles, and this only leads to despair and the idea that life's hard. This is when we need our community of friends and neighbours, who not only take the time to empathize with our problems, but also find ways to show us that life is a wonderful thing full of joy.

These little gifts might not mean much in the cosmic scheme of things, but what they can do is give that bit of encouragement and love that can put some sunshine into lives. This is what a large group of friends have done for the DeGianni family, who have been helping young Tyson overcome cancer during the past two years.

Tyson is a popular 12 year old, who attends grade 7 at Parkside and plays defence for the Atom B hockey team. He also likes to play guitar and skateboard, and have fun with his friends, like any other youth in Aldergrove. His style has been cramped somewhat by his ongoing chemotherapy at Children's Hospital, but the good news is that he's doing very well. After two hard years of treatments, recent scans indicate Tyson is now cancer-free, and his spirits are very high, said his family, Vic, Karen and Jordy.

Mother Karen told The Star that a small kernel of an idea for a prayer quilt quickly became a neighbourhood project that involved dozens of people. Relatives and friends were each asked to contribute a square for the quilt, which carried a personal message for Tyson. Then a group of friends, none of whom had ever

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Driver faces more charges

By MONIQUE GALAZKA

ABBOTSFORD - Terry Driver made a very brief court appearance on Tuesday for sexual assault charges, only to have the case adjourned until December 10 for a show cause hearing and to fix a trial date. The charges relate to attacks against three women in 1995.

Driver is currently in custody awaiting the September 2, 1997 trial for the October 14, 1995 first degree murder of 16 year-old Tanya Smith and the attempted murder of her friend, 16 year-old Misty Cockerill.

After the attack on the girls, the killer telephoned police to taunt them for not catching him and threatened more killings.

In addition to uprooting and vandalizing Smith's tombstone in February 1996, the killer is also believed to have thrown a wrench, with a note attached to it, through the front window of a local residence.

The note describes three sexual assaults, details of which were never made public. Police would not comment as to whether the note is related to the sexual assault charges now laid against Driver.

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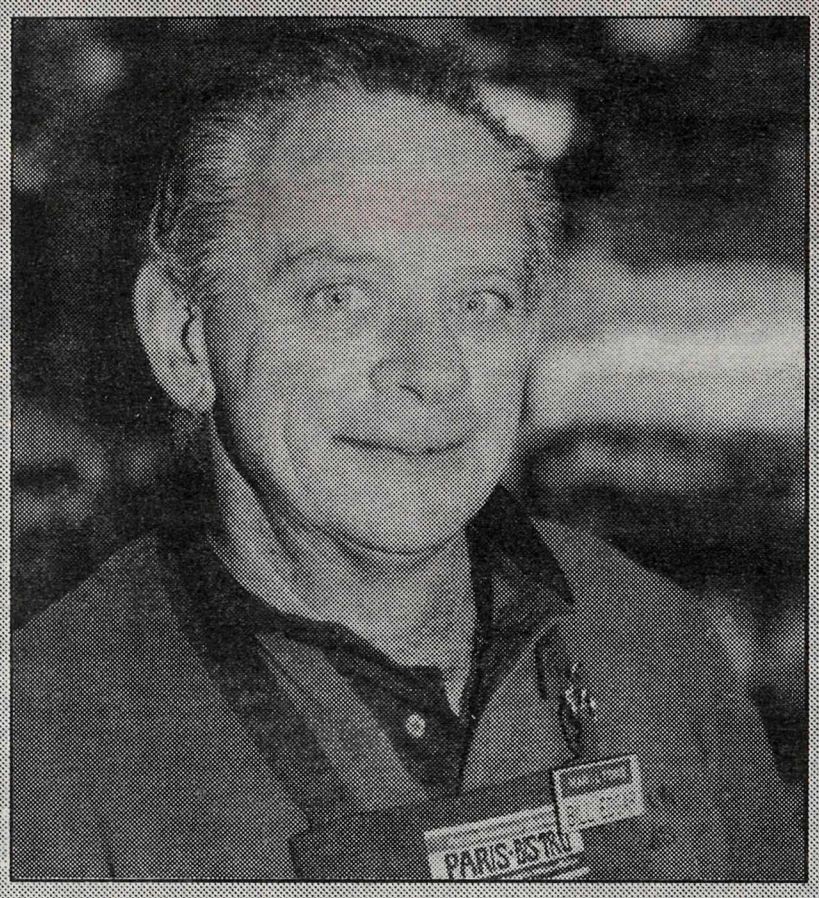

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Fraser's Friendly Faces is a Star feature designed to spotlight the people who operate, or work at, businesses in Aldergrove. If your company has a worthy candidate for this morale-boosting feature, call or write The Star with your suggestion.

Government to enter into extreme combat

ALDERGROVE - Attorney general Ujjal Dosanjh said that several provincial ministries are working together to deal with "extreme combat" fights, such as a recent one held on private property in the north Coghlan area. Residents of this community had complained bitterly that, even though they had given RCMP and authorities advance warning of the brutal event, no one had been able to stop it.

The event also turned into a disaster for organizers and some fighters, who were the lead story in the major media for days afterward. Videotaped scenes from it were also broadcast by BCTV, and one injured fighter complained to The Province from his taxpayer-funded hospital bed that he didn't get paid by the organizers. The organizers had previously held automotive mud races-cum-demolition derbies on the property, also in spite of a local ban on such events.

Fight organizers had not applied for or received any sanctions, licences or permits, and had no insurance or medical attention on-site for injured fighters. RCMP said they did not have sufficient manpower to obtain or enforce a legal order to stop the event that night, although they monitored the area in response to public complaints. RCMP were also investigating the possibility of laying charges against the organizers, as this sort of event is banned in the province.

In response to a Sept. 27 letter from Township council, Dosanjh replied on Nov. 5 that, "Violence under the guise of entertainment will not be tolerated if it is against the law. I must emphasize that the police will investigate allegations that an offence has been committed under the Criminal Code of Canada. Crown Counsel will prosecute when the evidence meets the charge approval standard."

Dosanjh also wrote that, "The ministry of small business, tourism and culture is working with the ministries of the attorney general and municipal affairs and housing to determine what course of action should be taken to deal with the issue of extreme combat events in B.C. This government recognizes the urgency of this situation and is working to find a solution as soon as possible."

Coghlan residents are unhappy with this response, noting that such an event would not have proceeded unimpeded if it had been held in the cities of Vancouver, Victoria or even Langley. A court order and sufficient armed officers to disperse the crowd of a couple hundred paying customers would have been mustered on short notice in any other jurisdiction, said one unhappy neighbour: "What's next? Cockfights? Bullfights? Tossing people into a lion's cage? All this fancy talk about standards of decency means nothing if they don't enforce the laws we have."

Lions propose housing

FORT LANGLEY - The Lions club here has proposed construction of a seniors' housing project on lands leased from the Township. The 99 year lease allows Lions to operate a community hall at 88 Avenue and Glover Road, and the proposed private-public partnership would mean re-negotiation of land tenure and use.

Lions spokesmen Gordon Smith and Ted Mitzel said a newly-developed "concept will make this project work" after many years of unsuccessfully exploring other propositions. Sixty to 80 units, on three to four levels, would be financed through the CMHC. An effort to pre-sell about half the units would allow the society to pass along savings to seniors who would rent the other half.

"It's very important we keep rents down for seniors," said Mitzel.

"The lower the mortgage, the lower the rent," agreed Smith.

Council voted to receive the proposal, without comment.

Trio pleads guilty

SURREY - All three men accused in the February 1, 1995 murder of Glenn Allan Holitski at his home in the 14700 block of 56 Avenue, possibly for the benefits of his marijuana grow operation, have pleaded guilty to manslaughter.

Gerald Duane Rudolph, 28, had previously plead guilty and will be sentenced this week.

The other two men, Henry Jindrick Semenec, 22, and Daniel Sterling Vail, 30, will be sentenced at a later date.

Denny Ross to be remembered

MURRAYVILLE - A park next to the elementary school here might carry the name of the late Denny Ross, if Township council accepts a proposal from Irene McKaig. She spoke at Monday's meeting, telling council of the support for the memorial from various organizations, which have benefited from Ross' involvement over more than forty years.

Ross succumbed to cancer earlier this year, in his 65th year. McKaig noted that Ross had been a student at Murrayville Elementary when his family first came to Langley, and he'd also retired from his career in education, while he was principal of the same school. He was involved in sports and recreation groups all of his life here.

"He gave unselfishly for more than four decades," said McKaig. "This is a special instance, for a special man."

Langley School District is also establishing a memorial scholarship in the name of Denny Ross.

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Grants slashed

LANGLEY - The Township received official word of the extent of the province's forthcoming cuts to municipal grants, Tuesday morning, but no one was prepared to release figures or comment on it before presstime.

Administrator Pat Anderson was busy meeting with Township finance officials, and unavailable for comment.

According to reports from Victoria, total cuts of about $113-million would be balanced by temporary new grants, which were meant to ensure no municipality would lose more than three percent of its annual revenues in 1997. The provincial government also said they expected municipalities to cut expenses instead of passing along property tax increases to cover the loss.

Bernice Cook, president of 25,000 CUPE workers in B.C., said, "We cannot help but see job losses and less services... over 1,000 workers could lose their jobs." She said CUPE is organizing a public campaign to protect jobs and hopes to be involved in the decisions about where cuts are made.

Scheme outrages consumers

VANCOUVER – ACG Independent Judging Organization (AKA Direct American Marketers) is stepping up distribution of its direct mail pitch designed to extract money from Canadian wallets. Consumers receiving the complicated official-looking letter with a $7,500 'cheque' attached, rush, with stars in their eyes, to phone the 900 number conveniently provided to 'verify' their winnings. After spending a fast $30-$40 on the phone call (no refunds here!) they find out that their 'prize' will be a $1.37 cheque! If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is, said the Better Business Bureau.

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Youth in custody after bomb threat

ABBOTSFORD - Police have an 18 year-old in custody, who is alleged to have made bomb threats at Mouat Sr. Secondary School on November 13 and 18.

Kelly Francis Walker has been charged with uttering threats and public mischief, after the telephone threats resulted in the entire school being evacuated. No bombs were found in either instance.

These two incidents are the only two that are linked. The other incidents involving pipe bombs and bomb threats are, at this time, considered to be unrelated.

Incidents like these use many hours of police time, which could be better used for other priority cases. Police will pursue charges against any individual(s) who make prank phone calls or cause a police investigation to be initiated by false information.

Bomb a hoax

ABBOTSFORD - Seven Oaks Mall was the scene of a bomb scare on Saturday morning, when someone located a suspicious package outside Eaton's. Writing on the outside of the package indicated it could explode.

The mall was evacuated for three hours at about 9:30 a.m, while the RCMP Bomb Squad was called in from Vancouver. The package was examined and found to be a hoax.

Police are still investigating, but have no suspects.

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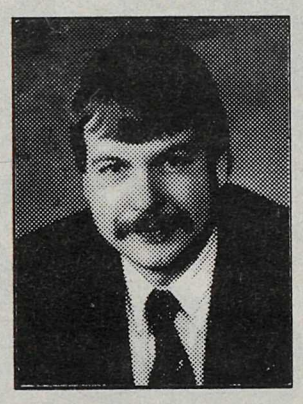

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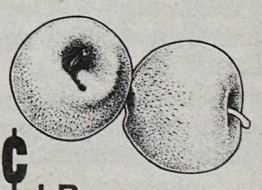

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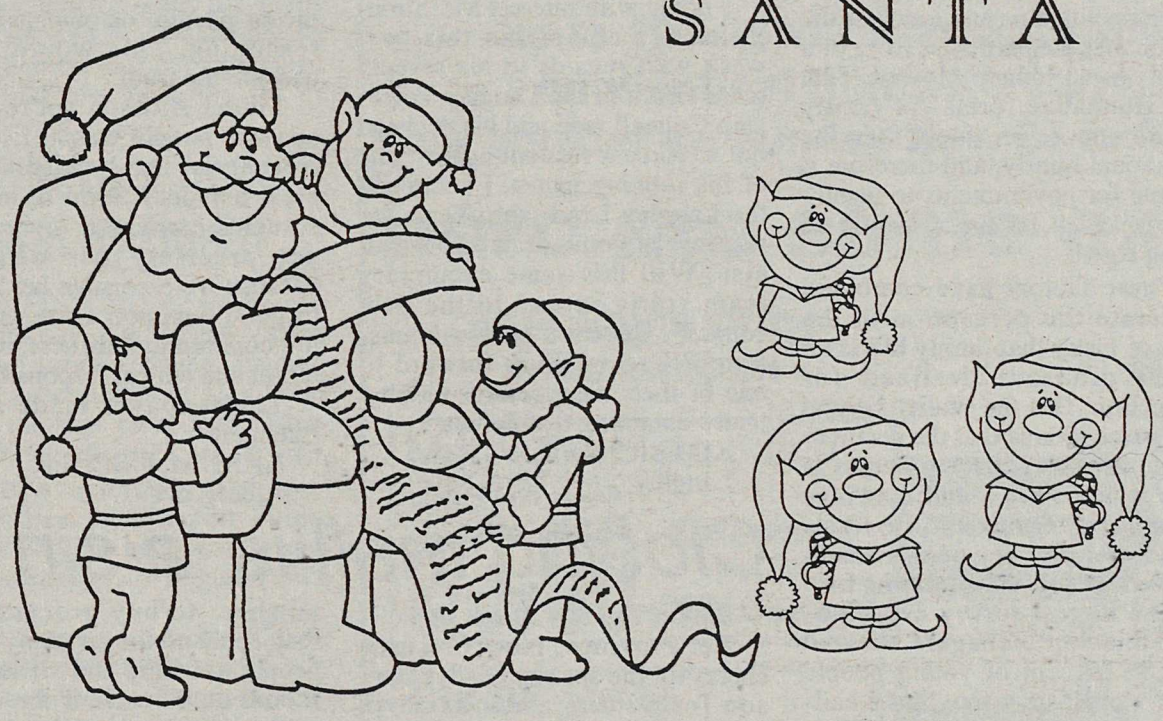

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Whatever you do, stamp out abuses and love those who love you. -Voltaire

Is the end of work at hand?

VANCOUVER - American futurist, economist, author and lecturer Jeremy Rifkin spoke here recently, and is imploring our premier to heed his message of warning.

Rifkin says that technological change is moving faster than anybody, especially government, is willing to admit, and the worldwide shift now in progress is on a par with the great changes created by the industrial revolution 200 years ago - but this shift will have happened in less than 50 years.

Actually, that's part of the good news - this change is already upon us. We don't have to worry about some future crisis in employment, because it is already upon us. What we do have to worry about, according to Rifkin, is whether government will wake up in time to avoid a catastrophe.

Within just 20 years, the blue collar workers, who have been the backbone of the industrial age, will be virtually eliminated by computers and advanced automated machines. The industrial age eliminated the need for slavery, and the information age is eliminating the need for wage-earning laborers. The first fully-automated factories are just coming on line. even the jobs of professionals like doctors, lawyers and teachers are threatened by "expert" programs and advanced computer technology networks. Conventional small retail businesses will soon be getting some stiff competition from on-line shopping networks that reach around the globe.

The entrepreneur of today creates a "virtual company" with just a few computer-linked employees but a big cash flow, handling not goods but knowledge and information. In this fast-changing virtual job market, you can't even train for the jobs of the near future, because those jobs don't yet exist.

The result? As computers replace people, we will see the emergence of a "working elite", with only a small percentage of people actually having the few remaining high-tech jobs. Rifkin compares the change to the one that has just occurred in agriculture, where 90 percent of farmers have been replaced by machines and chemicals in just a few decades. Now, just two to five percent of the population grow all of our food. Soon, very soon, just two to five percent of the population will produce all of the goods and many of the services we need.

Rifkin stresses that this is not some futuristic scare story - this is already happening, and is instead a realistic analysis of the employment predicament we find ourselves falling into right now.

So what happens to the rest of us, who perhaps lack the training and good fortune to be part of the working elite? Not pretty, according to Rifkin. Men especially will be hit, as they are now holding most of the blue collar jobs that are about to end. Just picture a society where three-quarters of all men are unemployed, disempowered, broke and bitter.

TWO CHOICES

So Rifkin has been telling the premier that we have two choices: massive unemployment lines and social unrest like we've never known, or a new definition of leisure and wealth sharing. We have to "reduce the work week and increase the benefits to employees" as soon as possible, he suggests.

It is in the business world's self interest to treat their employees well. The result of massive down-sizing are beginning to be felt - the purchasing power of the very consumers that business relies on to buy their goods is being eroded as incomes fall off. No matter how low you let interest rates fall, people won't spend, because they either don't have it in the first place or are scared to death of taking financial risks, because they know their job may be next.

"We have to re-think the social contract we have with workers," says Rifkin. He suggests government should make a deal with business: if a business will implement a profit sharing program with their workers (so workers have a share in new technology), reduce the work week by 15 percent yet keep wages the same, then in return the government will pay all the employment taxes that business now pays.

Radical, yes. But just a few months ago, France implemented a system much like this, out of sheer desperation. A year ago, with massive unemployment protests sweeping the country, it looked like the government might collapse. In response to government cutbacks and big business layoffs, threats abound to shut down the country completely.

In B.C. and Canada in general, similar trends are developing quickly. The 80 percent of workers involved in our traditional resource extraction based economy are in big trouble. Automation wipes out the jobs while it wipes out the resource. Meanwhile, the 20 percent working in the "knowledge" sector are doing very well. Booming, in fact. Multiply this by 10 or 15 years ago, and you won't recognize Canada.

For more on this, Rifkin's newest book, *The End of Work*, is now in bookstores across Canada.

StatsCan resurrects the 'good old' family

By SUSAN MARTINUK

VANCOUVER - Well, wouldn't you know it? The traditional family isn't dead after all!

Several weeks ago, Statistics Canada stated that it could no longer be bothered to keep track of statistics on marriage. It said the concept was becoming meaningless in light of the increasing number of common-law marriages and other forms of partnerships.

Yet, just last week, in one slick bureaucratic flip-flop, StatsCan released a landmark survey, which proclaimed that the traditional family is alive and well.

In fact, the survey of 23,000 Canadian children found that 83 percent of kids under the age of 12 live in a two-parent family. And, to further crush the myth that a family consisting of a mother, a father and their children is nothing but a dusty relic from the past, it seems that the vast majority of these families are biological families. (That means that the children belong to the parents and the parents are still married to each other).

To most Canadians, the result of this latest survey are probably somewhat of a shock. After all, most media reports suggest that no one lives in a traditional family anymore.

Headlines inevitably focus on soaring divorce rates, increasing numbers of unwed mothers and a growing number of common-law and same-sex partnerships among Canada's population.

Special interest groups have also done their share of convincing Canadians that the family is simply not a viable structure in our modern culture.

Feminists say that the traditional family is nothing but a repressive, patriarchal system that is the source of oppressive attitudes and violence toward women.

Gay rights lobbyists have convinced politicians and much of the public that the particular form of a family is no longer relevant. That is, "alternative forms" of family are now more prevalent than the traditional family, and therefore it is time for governments to legally recognize all forms of family as being equal.

These factors have combined to create the perception in the eyes of many that family life is an aging dinosaur destined for extinction. But the reality behind that perception is that the desire to create loving, nurturing homes is very much alive - and marriage and a happy family life are ideals that a majority of young Canadians believe are worth striving for.

The largest survey ever done on Canadian teenagers showed that 85 percent of young people fully expect to marry, have children and remain married to their spouse until they die.

We would be unwise to take these numbers and conclude that all is well with our families.

Poverty, unfair taxation, health care and abuse are still struggles in many families. But the point is that governments and citizens should be doing all they can to assist, support and strengthen the families in our society, rather than continue to assume that they are no longer relevant, and initiate policies that further weaken the ability of the family to thrive.

In a time when our newspapers are filled with stories of war, political unrest and political scandal, it is a welcome change to read about something good. Despite a lack of attention and support, the traditional family continues to endure.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Making a lot of sense

Editor, The Star, Sir,

It amazes me that Muriel Arnason, the 'hard-headed' old member of Council, who so often 'goes against the popular grain' and energetically opposed the now historical 'Gang of Four', comes up with the largest constituent support, the greatest number of votes of any of the twenty candidates. There was certainly no lack of choice, and the slate included a very good range.

It might be said that Muriel Arnason got lucky; received the sympathy vote; simply had the most recognition resulting from her controversial public and media posture or other tangential reasoning. This would simply obscure the truth.

Muriel Arnason got re-elected because people watch, listen and read about her steadfast principles, her dedication to her constituents consensus (even if it is not precisely her own) and because we recognize her alliance to good common sense and real-life community business, to fiscal, moral and ethical responsibility.

The taxpayer made a clear statement.

KARL M. FISCHER,
Aldergrove

Team spirit

Editor, The Star, Sir,

I noted with interest Mr. Strongitharm's comments this past week with regards to his seventh place finish in the Langley Township Council race and his decision not to force a recount against one of his running mates. I commend the Langley Leadership Team for its sense of comradeship above all else. Will this same exemplary team spirit extend to the new council's selection of an administrator? Can we look forward to one of their unsuccessful running mates obtaining that honour?

KIM RICHTER,
Langley

Closing mall is 'a sin'

Editor, The Star, Sir,

Re: Province, Nov. 8. Three cheers for the spunky Gladys Jewson for putting aside her own health problems to really make a difference to a number of people, especially seniors and handicapped shoppers, who would have great difficulty when Safeway decided to close the store at Renfrew and First Avenue.

Safeway promised her another store - perhaps not a Safeway. This sounds similar to the plight of one of the largest populations of seniors in B.C. A few years ago the Super Valu store at the Langley Mall on 55 Avenue and 204 Street decided to close its doors, leaving a huge population, who live nearby in apartment complexes, without anything but a couple of overpriced cornerstores. To add insult to injury, the owners of the Mall decided to remove the roof, making it an open-air mall. Can you believe it? In this wet climate not only would seniors have nowhere to buy groceries, but they could no longer enjoy a bit of people watching and visiting with friends on a bench, if the weather is wet. Just the other day I slipped on the wet tiles of that open air mall, but I wasn't as unfortunate as the poor soul who slipped and hit their head the next day on the wet floor.

IGA has kindly opened a grocery store at the location abandoned by the Super Valu. The prices in this store are always 10%-20% higher than any other store of its kind. I nearly died when I saw they give a seniors' discount on a certain day. Why shouldn't they? Where else do folks in this area have to shop? You know they still have to eat.

What has happened at the Langley Mall is a sin against those local residents. I don't know how those responsible can sleep at night.

PAT STOCKBROCKS,
Langley

Inge and Claude Violet (centre) of Langley's Domaine de Chaberton Estate Winery received the 1996 businesspersons of the year award at the Chamber of Commerce's annual general meeting. -Inge Langmann photo

Tune up your voice box

ALDERGROVE – Tune up your voices and get ready for the great Christmas Carol event in Aldergrove. The Kinette Club of Aldergrove and the Alder Grove Heritage Society invite you to join an old fashioned evening of song.

Light up your life on Sunday, December 1, from 6 to 8 pm at the bandshell in Kinsmen Heritage Park, located at 32 Avenue and 272 Street. Bring your family and friends out and join the fun of participating with others in the community.

Song sheets and refreshments will be provided. You are invited to visit the Telephone Museum and see the collection of vintage telephones on display. If you are looking for a gift for someone, there are a variety of items you can choose from.

If your group would like to register for singing a particular song, just call the museum at 857-0555 and tell us which carol. Burt Mazerall will be on hand to provide music.

Mayor praises retirees

LANGLEY - Three retiring Township councillors received gifts and praise from mayor John Scholtens at the last meeting of the current council, Monday. The newly elected council will be sworn in at a special ceremony, Dec. 2, 7 p.m. at Fort Langley Community Hall.

Steve Ferguson said his nine years on council had been productive and "rewarding", and he cited a long list of Township achievements for the various communities. "The Township is number one in the country," he said, adding that he still had some concerns about needs of young families.

Trudi Campen said her six years on council had seen some difficult problems and "not all (solutions) were favourable." She praised staff who helped "lead the Township through difficult times" and "hope (the new council) will always make principled decisions."

Steve Burton said his three year term had been hard on his young family, and complimented the "most pleasant quality of staff."

Speakers on closure

LANGLEY – The Langley Inter-Agency Council is holding a public information meeting, with a variety of guest speakers, to address the closure of the Langley Court House.

They invite any interested public to attend this important meeting, which will be held Wednesday, December 11, from 1:30 to 3:30 pm, at the Royal Canadian Legion, 20702 Eastleigh Crescent. For information call 534-8419.

Getting along

ALDERGROVE – Getting along with your teenager - a challenging job at times - will be the topic addressed at the next Aldergrove Community Secondary Parent meeting, Tuesday, December 3 at 7:30 pm in the school library. Guest speaker for the evening will be Orville Cassidy, ACSS teacher and parent educator. As always, every one in the community is welcome. For further information call Hattie Hogeterp at 856-5982.

New library head chosen by board

ABBOTSFORD – Mayor John Les, chair of the Fraser Valley Regional Library Board, announces the appointment of Jean Dirksen as the new chief administrative officer, effective January 13,

Dirksen is currently chief executive officer at Windsor Public Library and has held senior executive positions with Regina Public Library.

"I am delighted to be coming to British Columbia, especially the Fraser Valley. This is a wonderful opportunity," said Dirksen. "I am looking forward to working with the staff and the citizens of the Fraser Valley."

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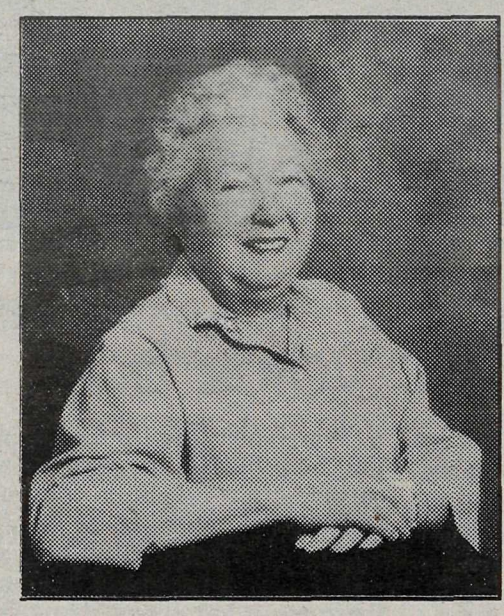
With the snip of a ribbon, Aldergrove McDonald's Restaurant opened its new Playplace, Saturday morning. Ronald McDonald and store staff, Teresa, Reid, Emma and Karen were joined by a gaggle of happy kids for the ceremony, before Ronald set to work entertaining the customers. -Kurt Langmann photo

Welfare office closing

ABBOTSFORD - The B.C. government's closure of 14 welfare offices includes one at Abbotsford Centre, 2335 McCallum Road. About 132 jobs will be eliminated through the amalgamation of offices over the next six months.

Human Resources minister Dennis Streifel said the closures were aimed at saving $9-million over 18 months, and added that the number of welfare recipients is dropping in the province.

Three months residency and other tough requirements are credited with a reduction of more than 50,000 welfare recipients in the past year, down to 321,339 people in October.



I would like to thank everyone who supported me during the recent municipal election.

I promise to serve you faithfully and look forward to better times for Aldergrove.

Muriel **Arnason**

Young rabbit enthusiasts start new year

By SHANNON LAU

LANGLEY – We're back! The new and improved Woodlands 4-H Rabbit and Environment Club has eagerly started the new 4-H year. What is a rabbit and environment club, you ask? Well, they are actually two separate projects. Club members can choose either a rabbit project, where they learn about rabbit husbandry and showmanship, or an environment project, where they learn about the environment and make displays on it, or both! All members will take part in speeches, demonstrations, livestock judging, fairs and more!

The 1997 elections have already been held and the club's new executive is president - Jessica Reid; vice-president - Brittanny Hubbard; secretary - Emily Tyler; treasurer - Jessica Jago; junior council representative - Greg LaForge; reporter - Shannon Lau; phone committee - Lindsay Hubbard; and farm safety officer - Margie Ullrich.

Up-coming events include: Dec. 4, club meeting; Dec. 14, rabbit showmanship and husbandry practice.

New members, ages 9 to 19, are always welcome. To qualify for this 4-H year you must be registered by January 31, 1997. For further information contact Mrs. Ingeberg at 530-6561 or Mrs. McKay at 583-7666.

New school opened by politicians

LANGLEY – City mayor Marlene Grinnell and councillor Evan Williams were just two of the supporters on hand Friday night to officially open the new Langley Montessori Children's Centre.

"I'm especially glad to be here tonight, because having served on the school board, I appreciate how important education is for our children," said Grinnell.

Another special guest was Carol Scarratt, Western Montessori Teachers' Centre training instructor, who has trained many of the Montessori teachers in British Columbia. "Maria Montessori said that where no school exists, we must build one," she said, before cutting the purple ribbon to the sound of everyone's applause.

More than 70 people attended to walk through the area's largest Montessori school, and see the array of teaching materials that LMCC administrator Leslie Stettler and her staff of eight use to stimulate the learning of the more than 100 students in the elementary, kindergarten/preschool, and daycare programs.

Firemen praised

LANGLEY - Township firefighters received praise and a plaque from the Muscular Dystrophy Association, Monday at council meeting. MDA representative Veronica Machur said firefighters had "come on strong" in fundraising and contributed a remarkable $8,000 to the cause this year.

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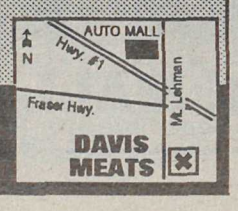

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After entertaining about 100 guests at Aldergrove Elks Hall, Sunday evening, members of Kootenay Loop joined in the jam session with members of the Valley Bluegrass Music Society. The quartet gave a great show, and the society is so pleased with the response, they're busy planning more. Meanwhile, they invite musicians to join their regular Sunday evening jams from 7 to 11 p.m. at the Elks Hall. -Kurt Langmann photo

Army prepares for Xmas

By GARY JOHNSON

ABBOTSFORD – The Salvation Army has a busy Christmas schedule for 1996. The Angel Tree program, which provides Christmas gifts for under privileged children, and sponsored family hampers, are two very successful events.

This year we will also be providing the annual Christmas dinner for those who would like to attend. This will be held on Friday, December 20 at noon. This dinner is sponsored and paid for by the law firm of Robertson Downe and Mullaly.

In 1996 we are taking on a new responsibility of providing Christmas hampers to low and fixed income persons without dependents. The largest percentage of this group that come to the Salvation Army for assistance are unemployable because of disabilities, working poor and seniors on low fixed incomes. We encourage those, who find themselves in a position of not being able to provide Christmas for themselves, to come to the Salvation Army and register for a Christmas hamper. It is expected that 300 to 400 hampers will be distributed this year at a cost of between $18,000 to $26,000.

The Salvation Army continues to attempt to meet the needs of those in difficult circumstances, and this can only be accomplished through the support of the community. The people of the Abbotsford, Aldergrove and Mission area have always been there, and we have faith that this will continue.

If you have questions, call Envoy Gary Johnson at the Salvation Army office, 852-9305.

Santa's on his way

LANGLEY – The Christmas Bureau is up and running, and has scheduled special events for the public.

Come join mayor Marlene Grinnell of the City of Langley and mayor John Scholtens of the District of Langley on Nov. 29, at 11 am, as the Tree of Hope goes up at Willowbrook Mall. Stars with the names of needy children will decorate the tree, and can be picked up by people wanting to supply a gift.

To date the bureau has processed 768 applications from needy people. The bureau has adopted out 384 families. Donations of non-perishable food items are being sought to fill hampers.

A number of local businesses are making it easier for the public to donate. Classic Gourmet Foods are donating 10% of sales to the Bureau. Gabby's Country Cabaret are holding a special night this month, and donations at the door go to the bureau. At China Beach Night Club donations of toys, food or cash will get you in Nov. 22-23 and Nov. 29-30. Postal workers will decorate trucks, set up signs and seek donations to the bureau outside shopping malls, Dec. 7, 11 am to 4 pm.

Donations of gifts and food can be dropped off at Langley Advance office, KFC locations, Pistol & Burnes Coffee Shop in Walnut Grove, or at Langley City Hall.

Sponsors able to supply refreshments for volunteers packing hampers are invited to call the bureau at 534-2121.

Haid graduates

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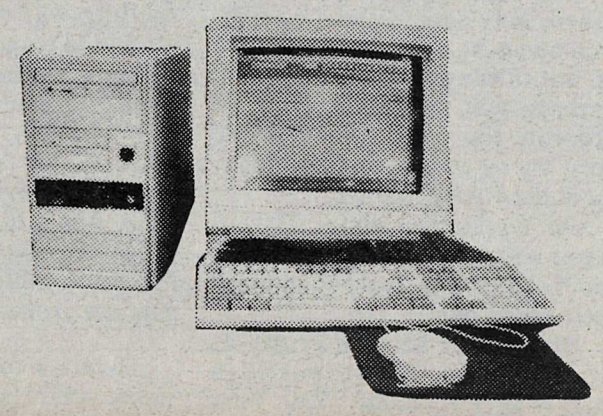

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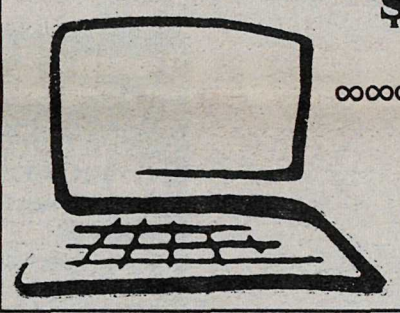

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Owners or occupiers of real property,

(5) Zoned as urban residential, multiple family residential or residential mobile home park, fronting designated pedestrian routes shall remove snow and ice from the sidewalks and walkways fronting on the real property owned or occupied by them within 24 hours of first accumulation of such snow and ice;

(6) Zoned as commercial, industrial or institutional, shall remove snow and ice from the sidewalk and walkways fronting or abutting on real property or occupied by them by 10:00 in the forenoon.

In the interests of public safety and convenience your co-operation and compliance in keeping sidewalks and walkways clear of snow and ice for pedestrians is appreciated.

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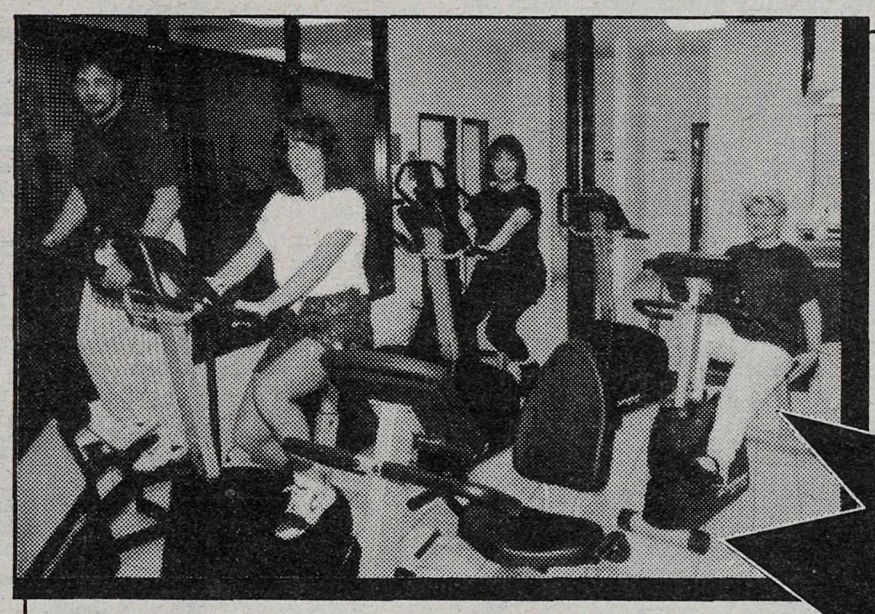

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Silver bells for lunch and bazaar

By ELAINE DANVERS

ALDERGROVE – The "Silver Bells" Lunch and Bazaar will be held this Saturday, Nov. 30 from 11:30 am to 2 pm at Aldergrove United Church, at 26 Avenue and 272 Street. There will be tables of home baking, crafts, white elephant items and plants, including poinsettias. Join us for a delicious lunch of homemade soup, sandwiches, a sweet and beverage for $4 adult ($2 child) and browse the tables for that special gift. The children will be entertained by a variety of activities created and sponsored by our Church Youth Group.

Thanks to all who supported and attended the Church Mouse Production of "Those Crazy Ladies in the House on the Corner", especially those who weathered the storm and came out on Saturday night. Thanks also to all who helped make it a success both on the set and behind the scenes. If you would like to become involved with the drama club in any capacity, call our president, Helen Williams or inquire at the church office, 856-8675.

Modern payouts appear quite rich

By MAUDIE MacPHERSON

ALDERGROVE – With all the talk of health care cut backs it was a bit of a surprise to hear that a head honcho at St. Paul's hospital is walking off the job receiving, so it is reported, half a million dollars with a golden hand shake. The contract was negotiated in 1987, so even Glen Clark seemed surprised. Also, it was reported, there will be an investigation into such exorbitant payouts, and that too could cost another half million.

The Saturday dance was cancelled, only about fifteen or eighteen came, so they spent a couple of hours playing shuffleboard. Perhaps that was a good way to promote the game, since we've been trying to arouse some interest at the OAP meetings.

On Wednesday about 23 ventured out, and though it was a small crowd they had fun dancing their hearts out.

Bridge was held on Friday as usual. Bill McKeown was high man with a score of 7730; next Jean Brown with 7590, John McDougall was third with 7580, and Doug Johnston had 5940 and last 5700 was Irene Oelsner's score. The draw went to Joan Slaven.

The carpet bowling crowd was small, too, only twelve came out, but we had two carpets and it was quite enjoyable.

It's been a snowy and icy week, and seniors have to be cautious, a fall could mean a broken hip or leg.

Have you started your yearly task of writing Christmas letters and cards, if not it's time.

I was sorry to hear that Dorothy Seklenka is in MSA hospital with a broken arm. An operation was necessary and a pin was inserted. We all hope you'll soon be back at the hall.

In my column a couple of weeks ago I mentioned a book written by Larry Pynn. The spelling was rather strange, so I wanted to make that correction.

Since I wasn't at the Pot Luck Sunday, I can't report personally, but I heard there was a good selection of food, and the ham, purchased and cooked by Freda Reid, was a treat. Due to weather conditions the crowd was small, but three tables were used, so I suppose around 24 were there.

Here's a few tips on how you know you're growing old.

You turn off the light for economic reasons rather than romantic reasons.

Your knees buckle but your belt won't.

You've got too much room in your house and not enough in your medicine cabinet, and the little old lady you helped across the street was your wife.

Cedar mill plans to expand site

LANGLEY - An amendment to the Rural Plan and rezoning of the Grove Cedar property at 4047 - 240 Street was put to public hearing, Monday. The proposal is to permit the use of land for storage of lumber products manufactured at the facility next door, and one neighbour expressed worries about the impact on his home.

Speaking against the rezoning, Ed McIlroy said it put his home in a "business district ...(and may cause) loss of property value." Concerns included increased truck traffic, noise and unsightly premises.

Another neighbour spoke out, observing that Grove Cedar's operators have been good neighbours and their property was "well maintained."

Consultant Marlene van Baalen, of Accuplan, said Grove Cedar would not expand current re-milling of cedar products, mostly fencing, which was already at capacity.

Liberal Christians

LANGLEY – On Wednesday, December 4, 7 pm, a free public talk, Liberal Christianity will be given by Ron Dart, political science and religious studies instructor at UCFV. The talk will be held in Block Hall in the NSC Building, on Trinity Western's Langley campus at 7600 Glover Rd.

This is part of the Religious Experience - B.C. Style series of talks, co-sponsored by UCFV, TWU and the Koerner Foundation. For more information contact Dave Wyatt at 853-7441.

Rift over storm sewer plans

LANGLEY - Somewhat ironically, two failed Township council candidates spoke out at Monday's council meeting, with opposing opinions on development and storm sewers.

Kevin Wickham, along with brother Eric, and Ron Head, said their activities with the Nicomekl River Enhancement Society had restored fish runs and alleviated some environmental concerns there. Eric Wickham said that reactivation of the Brookswood official community plan would increase storm water runoff, causing flash flooding on the "sensitive" aquifer and "lead to the creek's death." Head said further development in that area should prevent contamination of water: "We look forward to better technology."

Kevin Wickham said the large aquifer was "very environmentally sensitive" and called for a "moratorium on development until an all-inclusive environmental impact assessment" is completed.

On the other side of the fence, Kurt Langmann complained that inadequate storm sewer protection in parts of Aldergrove had caused thousands of dollars in damage to private property. The Star building, built as Aldergrove's Post Office in the '40s, is at a lower grade than surrounding properties and has the only off-street storm sewer drains on the block. This means that heavy rains that fall on neighbouring properties and rooftops frequently travels through the Star building, before going down the storm drains in front of The Star building.

Langmann said The Star's owners were in favour of plans for the new Lordco Autoparts building on the block, but were concerned that adequate storm sewer drains were incorporated in the design of the building and parking lot. Council debated doing a study of Aldergrove storm sewers, but agreed with Langmann that prompt and proper development of the Lordco building and lot would at least alleviate some of the flooding.

Fort plans head for close scrutiny

FORT LANGLEY - A major enhancement strategy for this town was delivered to Township council, Monday by Howie Vickberg, and council voted to examine its implications for the budget and policies before endorsing the proposal.

Vickberg is the chairman of the Fort Langley Enhancement Committee, which he said has been working on the document since June of 1994. He said the community workshops and open houses have been "very favourable, supportive. Fort Langley is a special place, let's work together to keep it that way."

Councillors expressed some concerns that some of the proposals were quite expensive. Administrator Pat Anderson said the Township would "have to look at each on an individual basis," but coun. Trudi Campen said it was a "wish list, goals. We're not buying the package (by endorsing it)."

Mayor John Scholtens said it will go to a council planning session before March.

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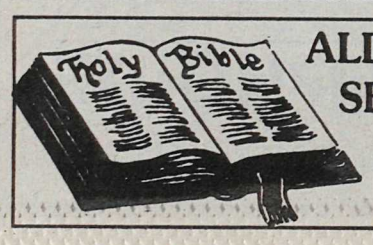

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Christmas wrapping paper, cards, ribbons, tape, everything you need to make your presents look festive is also available at Home Hardware.

Stop in at your Aldergrove Home Hardware Store – the friendly staff will help you make the right selection.

Hobby Hut is heaven

The Hobby Hut and the Art Attic on Fraser Highway in Langley, is the place to find a gift for the artist and hobbyist on your list. They carry a full line of artist supplies, such as oils and acrylics, canvas and framing supplies.

For the person with a craft as a hobby, there's everything from tole painting tools and paints, to porcelain and plastic heads and limbs for the doll maker.

It is a heaven for the model enthusiast. The shelves are stacked with cars, planes, ships, and there's also remote controlled models available.

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The recent cold spell may have turned your thoughts to installing a fireplace or perhaps adding a wood burning stove to your family room. The best place to go for advise and selection is R.E. MacDonald Stoves and Stones Ltd. on Fraser Highway by 248th Street.

Ralph and his sales team will help you with information, so you can make an educated decision on the type of fireplace or stove, wood or gas, or perhaps converting your present wood burning fireplace to gas.

In their 4.000 square feet showrooms you can find many styles to suit your taste. They range from built in to free standing fireplaces and styles from rustic to elegant.

When it comes to installation, they also employ people to take care of that for you, whether it is an insert to your existing fireplace or building it from scratch.

Taking a tour of MacDonald Stoves and Stones will take you on a trip through time. The old warehouse part of the building has recently been renovated and is now a showcase for a selection of the Heartland line of antique style (but very efficient) stoves and matching refrigerators, the decor and the stoves makes you think of Grandma's kitchen, that cozy and down home feeling. As you wander from room to room, you can find high efficient wood burning stoves and fireplaces suitable for the cottage, as well as ideas for your fireplace in your formal livingroom.

If you still can't find exactly what you are looking for, the MacDonald team can come up with a custom designed fireplace that will have all the features you are looking for.

MacDonalds Stoves and Stones was started at their present location 18 years ago by Ralph MacDonald. Originally a stone mason, he found it more interesting to combine the masonry business with fireplaces, and he hasn't looked back since. He now employs nine people full time, two for the office work, five in sales and and a couple in installations. For larger jobs he has subcontractors standing by.

Although it is not quite the time for Barbecuing, we should mention that if there is a barbecue on your list, MacDonalds Stove and Stones has an impressive selection of them available too.

Now next time Hydro plays a trick on us, you would wish you had installed that wood or gas fireplace! There might still be time before Christmas, and you will also have something real to hang that stocking from.

Pictured above is one of the many fireplaces on display at MacDonalds Stove and Stones, and grouped around it are three of of MacDonald's friendly salespeople: Kurt Rine and Martin Mabbs.

The sun's shining bright on Sunrise Farms

During the past weeks, the weather has put everyone in a Christmas spirit, so when you go to Sunrise Farm on Fraser Highway to choose your Christmas tree, be sure to visit their greenhouse.

When you enter, it's like stepping into summer, the warm moist air and the profusion of colour assails you, as you wander amongst the tables to make your selection.

And quite a selection too of healthy strong plants, from blooming Christmas Cactus, Poinsettias, Hibiscus , Azaleas and so many more.

They have a new house plant there this year, a tall elegant stem with narrow leaves and the blooms are the most perfectly formed orange lanterns. Ask Chang or Sue about them; they will also tell you how to look after your plants and help you choose the right ones. They also put together the most beautiful basket arrangements and have quite a selection on hand.

Back outside to choose the Christmas tree! You can cut your own or choose from pre-cut trees and they have all the firs such as Douglas, Fraser, Noble and Grand, and there's Norway Spruce as well. They have them up to 14 feet tall, so if it's a really tall tree you want, Sunrise Farms is the place, on the north side of Fraser Highway, just before Bradner road.

Carol time

ALDERGROVE - The community is invited to the Christmas lightup and carol sing this Sunday evening at the Kinsmen Heritage Park Bandshell. Decorative lights will be turned on and guests welcomed at 6 p.m., followed by carols and refreshments.

Sunrise Garden Centre

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Happy Holidays

Making those Dollars Plus

The Christmas season is approaching quickly, and decisions have to be made. We are all in favour of saving money, and the Aldergrove Dollar Store in Countryside Mall is the place to go.

Sandy and Bill opened the store earlier this year, and they keep adding new products to their inventory, all at great value.

"Since we opened, we've placed great pride in offering our customers values, such as $1 greeting cards, gift wrap, and a variety of gift items." said Sandy. "For Christmas we have added a selection of Christmas ornaments, stocking stuffers and decorations, as well as many new gift items," Sandy concluded, eying the huge shipment being unloaded in the store as we spoke.

In the idea department there's everything to choose from, from toys, earrings, fragrances, household hardware, stationary items cosmetics, and all at hard to beat prices.

Sandy and Bill are working hard to give you, the customer, the best of value, and to provide the quality and goods for your dollar.

Sandy is busy making room for all the new stock at the Aldergrove Dollar Store. A new shipment of Christmas ornaments and gift ideas just arrived.

Christmas Specials

Men's & Ladies Fragrance 5.99

Christmas Yarns 42.5 & 50 gr balls 99¢

Candy Cane Lace *Available*

Earrings Big Selection $1.00 pair

Sophisticated Miss Panty Hose or 2 pair Knee Highs or 2 pair Ankle $1.00 pair

Great Selection of Christmas Gift Items

Christmas Decorations • Ornaments • Gift Bags

Interior Lights • Wrapping Paper • Candles • Cards

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Countryside Shopping Centre

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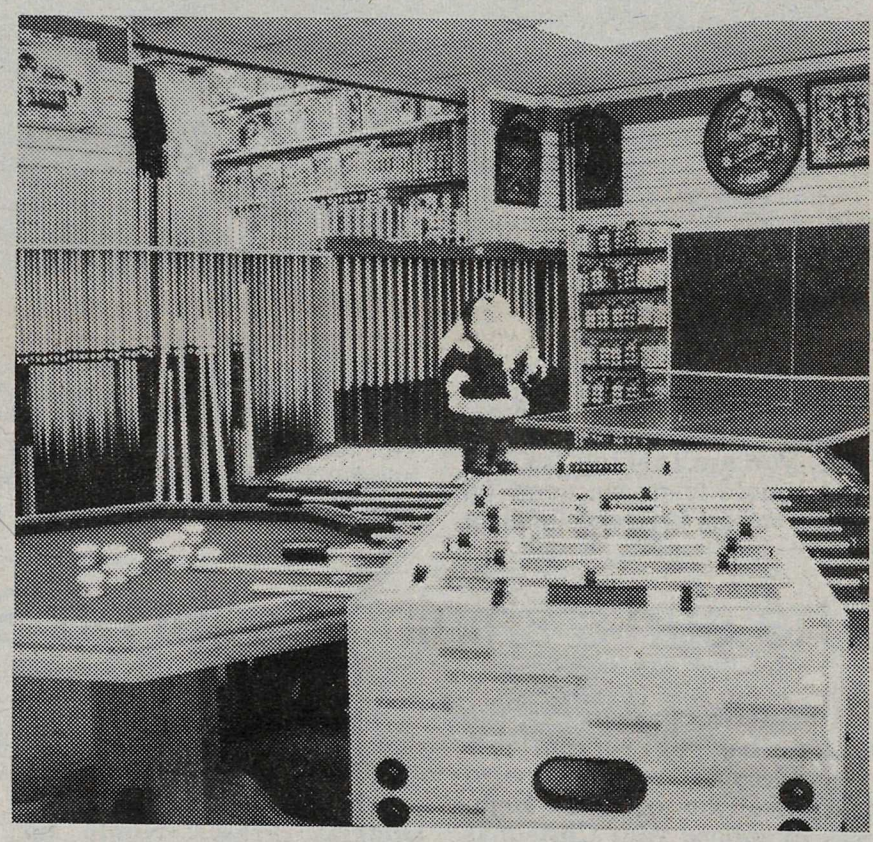

Santa is coming and he's bringing you... Something from Dufferin Game Room and Store! Here Jolly old St. Nick proudly displays a foosball game, air hockey game, bumper pool table, and table tennis table, which are just a sampling of the goodies you'll find at Dufferin Game Room and Store. Have Fun!

Darts from $9.99

Darts & Dartboards

Sequence $34.99

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Horse Race Game $39.99

Dominoes

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Dufferin GAME ROOM STORE

33147 South Fraser Way, Abbotsford

(1/2 block west of White Spot)

852-1677

Dufferin has your games

ABBOTSFORD - Dufferin Game Room Store brings the magic of the season home to you!

The warmth of spending time with family and friends is what we all look forward to at this time of year. At Dufferin, they've been building a tradition of fun and family enjoyment for almost 30 years. Their sales associates pride themselves on being 'game Experts,' and will help you make the best gift choice for everyone on your list.

Dufferin carries a large variety of playing cards, including holiday gift packs in collector's tins for just $9.99. Electronic games of Blackjack, Craps, slots, Poker, Gin Rummy and more start at $19.99. Wheel of Fortune and Jeopardy are just $44.99.

New this year in the puzzle department are Wrebbit 3-D puzzles. Have fun recreating the Taj Mahal or the Chateau de Chenonceau. For the more traditional puzzle solver, an assortment of puzzle games, along with hard-to-find wooden, wire, and jigsaw puzzles, will boggle the mind.

For the mature gift recipient, darts, boards, billiard tables, cues and balls make excellent gifts. For the not so 'gifted', Dufferin has many instructional billiard books and tapes starting at $24.99.

Whether your gift is a puzzle, darts, board game or one of the fine billiard tables or cues, we are committed to thoroughly satisfying your needs whenever you come to visit.

Watch for the 'New' and 'Exclusive' signs throughout the store to help you identify products making their debut this year, or are chosen by Dufferin as special, exclusive purchases for you.

Dufferin Game Room and Store, 33147 South Fraser Way, Abbotsford, 852-1677.

Lee's Jade and Opals are local gems

They are still here! This wonderful store full of great gift items for the collector and discerning person on your list. Gwen and Don Lee are still retiring, and the store is not open regularly during the summer month, but now, with the Christmas season here, Gwen is there every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 10-6.

Don is a professional lapidist, and during the past 30-40 years he has created the most beautiful jewellry in precious and semi precious stones, and there's an impressive selection to choose from.

For the plate collector there's a wide variety of wildlife, Norman Rockwell, hockey and floral plates.

There are figurines by Hummel and Pen Delfin, porcelain cottages, Scarlett and Rhett musical figurines by Ardleigh-Elliott, and Jade carvings by Canadian artist, Robert Dube.

For the porcelain doll collector there's also quite a selection, and a full selection of the Portmeirion china, the floral and fruit decoration on plates, platters, cups, saucers and a variety of serving bowls, as well as a selection of accessories such as napkins, aprons etc. This time of the year Gwen offers 20 percent off the Portmeirion.

The store is a little bit off the beaten track, a couple of miles south on 232nd Street, but fully worth the trip.

A display of the beautiful Portmeirion tableware and Dolls from Lee's Jade and Opals on 232nd Street.

Kettle is busy brewing

Hopefully you have your wine brewing for the holiday season already, but there's still time for the beer and cider, and you can still get the Champagne ready for that New Year bash, if you act now!

Copper Kettle on Fraser Highway, just west of Aldergrove, has been busy the past few weeks with customers starting their Christmas wines, and they marvel at how easy it is. The finishing of the brew is even more exciting, sories, where you can find many items for the wine enthusiast. There's wine bread mix, mulling spices and wine pasta. Also corkscrews, smart tuxedo aprons seeing all those full bottles corked and ready for the finishing touch, such as labelling and covering the cork with that plastic stuff that forms around the bottleneck and makes for a sleek and finished product. Ready!

Again this year they have added a display of wine acces- for the bottles, aprons and napkins with grape motifs as well as decorated wine bags.

Owners Randy and Derrick and their staff are on hand to help you getting your brew started, to advise you and help you choose from their extensive selection of wines and beers.

They also remind you that you can custom design your own labels, and they will produce them according to your design and, last but not least, if you have a wine lover on your list, a gift certificate from Copper Kettle will be a much appreciated gift.

Kristi at Copper Kettle is arranging their display of wine accessories, ready for your Christmas parties and other occasions.

Happy Holidays

Soccer City puts it in the net

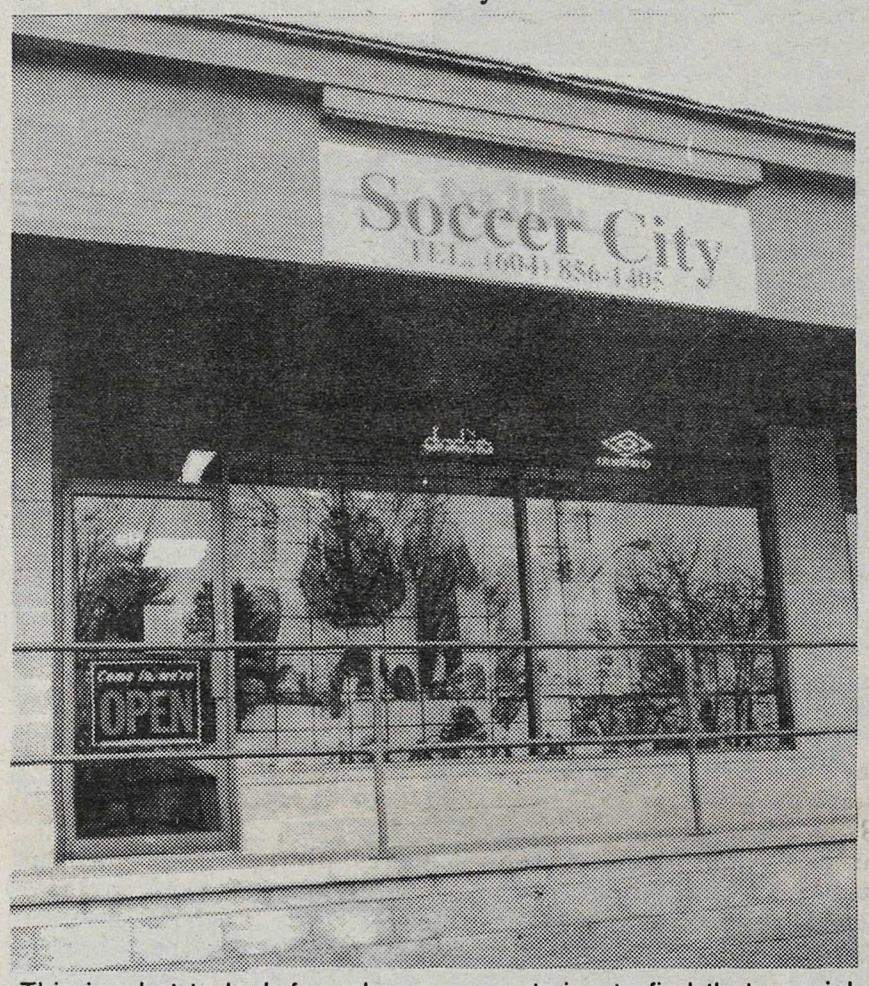
You can be sure to please the soccer or rugby player on your list, if you make a stop at Soccer City. It is located on 271st street, just next to the Community Police station.

The store is locally owned and operated by Joe and Nancy Deacon. They opened the store ten months ago, and it is an official Umbro dealer.

They carry a large selection of clothing, such as track suits and jackets, soccer and rugby shoes, as well as casual and indoor shoes. Name brand sweats and teeshirts, toques, caps and bags. They also have professional team replica jackets, Team Canada Clothing and referee equipment.

Soccer City's specialty is embroidery and screen printing, for personal use or for teams and groups.

Soccer City is a member of a large buying group, so not only can they offer a great selection and service, but their prices are competitive with stores in Langley and Abbotsford.



This is what to look for, when you are trying to find that special present for the soccer and rugby player. They are located on 271 Street, next to the Community Police Station.

Jan Varty and Bert Mazerell built this beautiful, life-size nativity scene, now on display at Aldergrove Mall.

Santa sets his sights on Aldergrove Mall

The Aldergrove Mall is gearing up for the season. Santa Claus will arrive there on December 14th, his hut is built and awaiting his arrival.

On Friday, December 13th late shopping hours will begin, and the hours will be Monday to Friday, 9:30 am till 9:00 pm, Saturday 9:30 am till 5:30 pm and Sunday December 22, 9:30 - 5:30. These hours will be in effect till December 24th when the Mall will close at 5:30.

There will be new and different vendors setting up in the mall during December, so there will be an even greater variety for you. The weather doesn't matter either really, for you will be warm and dry, as you shop in the Aldergrove Mall, listening to the local school choirs .

There is a beautiful nativity scene set up in the window inside the mall. It was created and executed by Jan Varty the mall manager. She started on it in October, got some of the handy men around the mall to built the framework, then she went to work and draped fabric, starched and sprayed it, and created this wonderful scene. The lighting was created by Steve's Custom Lighting. Be sure to see it when you pass through.

Soccer City

Gift Certificates available

❖ Soccer & Rugby Shoes
❖ Casual & Indoor Shoes ❖ Teamwear
❖ Casual Tracksuits & Jackets
❖ Name Brand Sweats & Tees ❖ Team Canada Clothing
❖ Professional Team Replica Jerseys
❖ Toques, Caps & Bags ❖ Referee Equipment

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Pumphouse Fitness • Jay's Burgers & Ice Cream
Aldergrove Laundry

Remember – Santa arrives on Dec. 14

ALDERGROVE MALL
Fraser Highway at 272nd Street

Hosting the cup

ALDERGROVE – Speed will be in abundance in Aldergrove on Saturday, November 30. Aldergrove Arena at 2887–272 Street will be the location for the qualifying speed skating meet for Zone 3 for the 1997 B.C. Winter Games in Campbell River on Feb. 20-23.

Spectators are welcome, at no charge, to view potential team members from Zone 3. Zone 3 includes the area from Coquitlam to Hope. The meet hours are from 9 am to 6 pm.

Speed skating at the B.C. Winter Games includes age groups from 13 and older. At the Aldergrove meet, skaters will also include cradles (under the age of 6) to master skaters with skaters also over the age of 65.

Aldergrove will also host the second race of the prestigious B.C. Cup. The B.C. Cup is a four part race series and includes the top 16 female and top 16 male skaters in B.C. Racers in Aldergrove will be from all over the province and also from Washington state.

Bantams bounced

By JOHN PARLEY

ALDERGROVE – The Wilway Lumber Bantam A Bruins travelled to North Vancouver on November 25th and got a rude reception from the host team. North Van opened up a 4-0 first period lead and cruised to a 7-1 victory.

Marc Windle scored the only Aldergrove goal, slipping the disc just inside the post, after Mike Roberts set him up in front of the North Van goaltender. Matt Roberts also drew an assist on the play.

Ice Chips: The Bruins can surely learn from this game, as North Van came out hard and fast from the drop of the puck. They created a lot of traffic in front of the Bruin goal, charging the net for deflections, rebounds, and screens. It paid off big time. The first goal was a deflection, the second came when an attacker was not checked on a faceoff, the third and fourth were the result of scrambles, and the fifth and seventh on rebounds...The eight day layoff was probably a factor, as the locals weren't game tough, but that is just an excuse...At this level you have to come prepared to play... North Van is a bigger and stronger club, but we let them dictate the style and speed of the game...The players must show up for games with a determination to win, with a determination to outwork and outskate their opponent, and to play as physical as we are capable of throughout the game - from the opening whistle...How much physical pounding do we take before we say "I'm not going to take this anymore" or "That does it" or "You are going to pay for that one, buddy!"...Hockey players are not the born lions or zebras - they decide for themselves if they want to be the hunted or the hunter...On Monday the Bruins were the red meat...

Halfpints at Trinity

LANGLEY – The Canadian Half-Pints Miniature Basketball Team is coming to the Trinity Western University on Sunday, December 1, at 7 pm.

The Langley Block Parent Basketball Team is pleased to challenge the Half-Pints Team to the annual Mini-Hoops Basketball Benefit.

This family-oriented evening is sure to be filled with fun and humour for basketball fans of all ages. These tiny athletes are ready to show off their skills and stunts, all in the name of a good cause.

From each family ticket sold for the Mini-Hoops Basketball Benefit, $1.50 per single ticket will go to the Langley Block Parent program.

Tickets are family (5 tickets) $25, single adult $8/50, and child/senior $6.50.

Thunder to take on RCMP

LANGLEY – Thunder Junior A Hockey Club will be playing an exhibition charity hockey game versus the local RCMP detachment at the Langley Civic Centre on Sunday, Dec. 1 at 7 pm.

Admission fee to this game will be either $4 cash or $4 worth of non-perishable food items. All proceeds from this game will be donated to the Langley Food Bank, the Langley Christmas Hamper and the Langley Memorial Hospital.

All participants in this game are donating their services free of charge. Programs acknowledging all sponsors will be distributed.

Bruins still rocking

ALDERGROVE – In Atom rep hockey action the Atom Gravel Bruins are still playing solid hockey. It's been about three weeks since our last report, and the A1 Bruins are coming along nicely. The team went on an 11 game win streak, only to have the Surrey A3 team bring that to a halt.

The team then won two of its last three games in the Tiering round to finish on top of their tier with 6-2 record. The team was then placed in the second tier for the start of their 1996-97 league schedule.

The Valley Gravel Bruins started league play with three straight wins and played to an exciting 7-7 tie against the Abby A2 team to start their league schedule with an 3-0-1 record.The teams record overall so far is 16-6-2. The record speaks well for the players and coaching staff who have overcome many obstacles already this season.

Injuries have played an important role with this team. First Ted Scammell missed several games with a broken arm, then Ryan Martin who is still out and has missed the last three weeks with a broken hand, Jacob Harder suffered a head injury with stitches to the back of the head. Then Kris Armstrong, Jacob Harder, Brodie Sorenson and Greg Moffatt were on vacation. During this difficult time the team stayed together and kept on working hard.

Over the last few weeks the team called up two players from the Atom A2 team, Kevin Carlson and goaltender Brad Thiessen. Both players faced action. Kevin Carlson chipped in a couple of goals, and Brad Thiessen finished up the game in Surrey on Saturday.

The entire team has played super from the goaltenders out. Thomas Dickinson and Greg Moffatt have provided solid goaltending. The defense of Jeff Orban, Marsh Cooper, Micheal Maggio, Brodie Sorensen and Jacob Harder have been steady game in and game out.

The forwards have all bought into the coaches' system of in-your-face offense and hard back checking defense. The forwards are captain Josh Hall, assistant captain Kris Armstrong, assistant captain Jake Morris, assistant captain Micheal Kittirath, Stephen Howerton, Nick Goy, Chris Cleeve, Ted Scammell, Jason Brown and Ryan Martin.

The Valley Gravel Bruins will continue league play until Christmas and then enter tournament play in Langley Dec. 26-30. Their home games are on Monday night at 8 pm, come on out and enjoy the hockey these boys put on display.

Eagles are soaring

LANGLEY – The Fraser Valley Novice "B" ringette team has started this season off with a BANG! This group of eight and nine year old girls have gone undefeated so far in regular season games with four decisive wins in league play. This team has easily beaten Howe Sound Port Coquitlam and just this weekend beat Richmond 5-1 and Abbotsford 12-8. A strong overall performance by all girls have placed them in the top of the standings, said coaches Kevin Plamondon and Erin Miller.

The novice level is made up of three divisions for tournament play but has an interlocking schedule playing teams of A, B. and C calibre for league play. The Eagles will have their work cut out for them as they compete against some stronger teams over the next few weeks.

Coaches Kevin Plamondon and Erin Miller are focussing on team play and basic skills. As the team is moulding together and improving as each week passes by, they will be more than ready for the upcoming challenges in the weeks ahead.

Jingle bell joggers

VANCOUVER – An exciting event will be taking place on Sunday, December 1, as an expected 2,600 joggers, runners and walkers will be jingling through the streets for The Sun-Rype Jingle Bell Run! The 2 km or 7 km event starts simultaneously at both Vancouver's City Square and Langley's Willowbrook Shopping Centre.

In addition to their entry fees, participants will be bringing new, unwrapped toys and cash donations in exchange for jingle bells, a Sun-Rype button, and antler hats to wear during the run. Last year was a huge success attracting over 2300 participants, resulting in over 700 gifts and $6,250 for the Christmas Bureau and The Province Empty Stocking Fund.

Bring the whole family down for a morning of entertainment and fun. For children under five who are accompanied by an adult, there is the Junior Jog inside each shopping centre at 10:15 free of charge! Toddlers get to parade around with Sunny the Sun-Rype Lion inside, and have their face painted. After the runs, there will be a fabulous Children's Christmas Show that kids of all ages will enjoy. Willowbrook present well-known children's entertainer, Charlotte Diamond. An appearance from Santa Claus and horse drawn carriage rides round out the morning.

To participate, you can still register in person at each shopping centre on Friday, November 29 from 5 to 8 pm, Saturday, November 30 from 11 am to 4 pm, or on Sunday before 9 am. If you require further information call 681-7701.

Zeilinger to be at clinic

LANGLEY – The CEF Dressage Assessment Clinic will be held December 14 and 15 at Kensington Equestrian Centre, 1220–232 Street, hosted by team coach, Rudolf Zeilinger.

All short and long listed and young rider athletes across Canada will be sent an invitation and application form from the National Dressage Committee. Riders by invitation only, but spectators are welcome.

For more information contact Hanneke Saunders, 594-8027.

THUNDER LANGLEY HOCKEY BCJHL

NOVEMBER 19 ...Jeremy Lapeyre scored the winner with 9 seconds left in overtime to give Chilliwack 6-5 victory over visiting Langley. Bryan Yackel & Mitch Shawara each scored twice for the Chiefs while Nathan McQuoid potted a pair for the Thunder. The Chiefs overcame a 4-2 deficit tying the game with 2:12 remaining.

PERIOD 1
2:30 CHI B.Yackel (J.LeBlanc, R.Longpre)
4:36 LAN PP N.McQuoid (C.Larsen, S.Kacir)
12:12 LAN N.McQuoid (K.Kryzanowski)

PERIOD 2
12:12 LAN K.Kryzanowski (D.Tisdale, J.Ferguson)
12:53 CHI SH M.Hofstrand (R.Longpre, J.LeBlanc)
15:21 LAN SH D.Gaudet (S.Kacir)

PERIOD 3
0:16 CHI B.Yackel (R.Longpre, J.LeBlanc)
1:36 LAN T.Lomson (T.Wideman, B.Thomber)
5:49 CHI M.Shawara (P.Fioroni, J.Lapeyre)

GOALTENDERS RECORD ACTUAL SHOTS

	1P	2P	3P	OT	TOT.SV.	TOT.MIN.
LANGLEY						
L.Mayes	11	14	9	8	42	65
CHILLIWACK						
T.McNelly	13	9	8	2	32	65

PENALTY MIN. LANGLEY 11-33 (1 GAME)
CHILLIWACK 11-22

NOVEMBER 21 ...Sean Patchell scored the winner in the shoot-out to give Vernon a 4-3 win in Langley. Thunder defenceman Chris Larsen scored with just 32 seconds remaining to send the game into overtime. Patchell also scored a goal & assist for the Vipers and Derek Gustafson kicked out 36 shots for the victory.

PERIOD 1
5:35 LAN D.Gaudet (T.Lomson, T.Wideman)
8:28 VER D.Laflamme (I.Filipov, B.Dodginghorse)
14:09 VER G.McLellan (S.Patchell)

PERIOD 2
16:09 VER S.Patchell

PERIOD 3
14:03 LAN PP J.Ferguson (T.Wideman, B.Thomber)
19:28 LAN C.Larsen (S.Kacir)

SHOOT-OUT
VER S.Patchell

GOALTENDERS RECORD ACTUAL SHOTS

	1P	2P	3P	OT	TOT.SV.	TOT.MIN.
LANGLEY						
L.Mayes	8	8	4	5	25	64
VERNON						
D.Gustafson	12	9	11	4	36	65

PENALTY MIN. LANGLEY 17-45 (1 GAME)
VERNON 15-49 (2 GAME)

NOVEMBER 23 ...Trevor Wideman scored the shoot-out to help Langley surprise Surrey 6-5. Stanislav Kacir scored a hat trick for the Thunder while both Scott Gomez & Clay Simmons each scored once & assisted on 2 others for the Eagles.

PERIOD 1
2:45 LAN S.Kacir (D.Gaudet, N.McQuoid)
9:45 LAN S.Kacir (D.Gaudet, N.McQuoid)
16:17 LAN B.Herbert (J.Vanin, P.Kenny)

PERIOD 2
0:15 SUR D.Dumas (C.Simmons, S.Gomez)
4:08 SUR A.J.Begg (M.Bishai, J.Vandermeer)
6:16 SUR S.Gomez (C.Simmons, J.Vandermeer)
11:30 SUR R.Bowers (D.Lattery, C.Peck)

PERIOD 3
5:38 LAN D.Gaudet (S.Kacir)
9:38 LAN S.Kacir (K.Kryzanowski, D.Tisdale)
16:33 SUR C.Simmons (D.Dumas, S.Gomez)

SHOOT-OUT
LAN T.Wideman

GOALTENDERS RECORD ACTUAL SHOTS

	1P	2P	3P	OT	TOT.SV.	TOT.MIN.
LANGLEY						
L.Mayes	10	10	12	3	35	65
S.SURREY						
P.Wishloff	6	–	–	–	6	16
C.Peck	2	10	6	0	18	49

PENALTY MIN. LANGLEY 11-40 (2 GAME)
S.SURREY 7-14

NOVEMBER 24 ...Jakub Ficenec scored twice & helped set-up 5 others to lead South Surrey to a 9-1 win over Langley. The win was Surrey's 11th straight home ice victory.

PERIOD 1
2:14 SUR D.Dumas (S.Gomez, R.Bowers)
7:21 LAN B.Thomber
11:02 SUR J.Ficenec
17:30 SUR K.Wilson (J.Ficenec, S.Kuss)
18:17 SUR R.Bowers (S.Gomez, J.Ficenec)
19:05 SUR D.Lattery (J.Ficenec, S.Kuss)

PERIOD 2
2:17 SUR A.McNiven (M.Bishai, J.Ficenec)
16:35 SUR J.Ficenec (A.McNiven)

PERIOD 3
12:29 SUR R.Bowers (S.Kuss, J.Ficenec)
18:04 SUR A.McNiven (A.J.Begg, M.Bishai)

GOALTENDERS RECORD ACTUAL SHOTS

	1P	2P	3P	TOT.SV.	TOT.MIN.
LANGLEY					
L.Mayes	13	–	–	13	20
S.Reid	–	7	N/A	N/A	40
S.SURREY					
C.Peck	10	5	N/A	N/A	60

PENALTY MIN. LANGLEY 24-97 (4 GAME, 1 MATCH)
S.SURREY 23-96 (5 GAME)

BCJHL SEASON STANDINGS – NOV 24

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COASTAL DIV.								
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Victoria Salsa	15	13	0	107	119	30	2	0
Powell R. Paper Kings	14	15	1	98	130	29	0	1
Nanaimo Clippers	13	12	0	112	118	26	1	0
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Trail Smoke Eaters	17	7	1	123	93	35	4	1
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Abby curlers tops

LANGLEY – The Langley Curling Club held the 1996 Master's Open Bonspiel for men age 60 and over, November 21 through November 23. Eighteen teams participated from the Lower Mainland as well as Vancouver Island.

Winners were decided on an aggregate of points won, ends won, and games won.

First place went to the team from Abbotsford skipped by Brian White. Playing on his team was Gerry Forsythe, father of Langley's ice technician, Mike Forsythe (Inside scoop on the ice conditions?).

Second place was the Rudy Antonio team from the Peace Arch Curling Club with two Langley curlers filling in for the front end, Keith Taylor and Alex Kiper.

Last year's BC Masters Provincial Champions from the Nanaimo Curling Club, skipped by Archie MacIntosh, came in third in the standings, followed by the Ernie Sawatsky team from the Chilliwack Curling Club.

The last team to come into the prize money was the fifth placed team of Frank Ziola, Chuck Smith, Steve Cook and Al Diel, from the Langley Curling Club.

Wolverines sink Pirates

ALDERGROVE – The Century 21 Wolverines edged the Sun Life Pirates 3-2 in Novice Division Minor Hockey action, Tues., Nov. 19 at Aldergrove Arena.

The Wolverines were down 2-0 at the end of two periods before mounting their comeback. Trevor Cameron scoring at the 25 second mark assisted by Joshua Udell, Jimmy Grange at 4:03 from Cal Bennett, and Cameron again, unassisted, at 4:43 of the third secured the win for the Wolverines. Goaltender Joel Feitsma was outstanding, making several good saves and blanking the Pirates in the third period.

Bruins work their way up

ALDERGROVE – The Perkins Excavating Midget 'A' Bruins started their season play redefining the slump that they started Tiering round play in. For some reason the first two games saw a team that didn't want to take the body or play a system in their own end. The penalty minutes climbed again, and frustration set in. The result was an 8-2 loss to Mission and a 6-4 loss to Hastings, both teams they know they can and will handle.

The team snapped out of this on Monday evening, as they played an exciting game against a spirited Port Moody team. The game ended in a 4-4 draw with only 12 minutes total for both teams in penalties. The Aldergrove team jumped in to the lead with a nice goal by Mike Shipley, assists to Darren Caldwell and Sandy Brown. The lead see-sawed back and forth from that point, as Port Moody scored two quick goals. This was followed by Nick Seguin's first of the night, assists to Darren Caldwell and Mike Shipley. The home team took a 3-2 lead on Brent Adams goal, assist to Sandy Brown and Derek 'soft hands' Day. Port Moody came back with two goals of their own, and with 24 seconds left in the second period, Seguin scored his second goal of the evening with assists to Dave Haber and Mike Shipley.

The game was very cleanly played with some heavy hitting, highlighted by a solid centre ice hit by Wes 'bonecrusher' Schwartz. The Bruins once again had a goal called back early in the second, it would have meant they took a 2-1 lead rather than the Moody team, but it was not to be. Mike Shipley has been on a tear lately with 2 goals and 4 assists in the last two games. He is really coming in to his own, and his committed forechecking style of play on the ice is paying dividends.

Reber wins medal final

TORONTO – Ashley Reber of Langley won the Eisers and Pessoa Canadian Equestrian Team Medal Final at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair on November 8, proving she is one of Canada's top up-and-coming riders.

The 16 year old, who had won the pacific regional final in September, was riding Rembrandt, her six year old bay Dutch Warmblood gelding. The win earned her a Pessoa Jubilee saddle, donated by the sponsors, Eisers and Pessoa, a major equestrian supplier based in Pennsylvania. She was also awarded the Douglas Hood memorial trophy and a medal courtesy of the CET.

The CET Medal Final, open to riders 21 years of age and under, consists of separate jumping and flat phases. Regional final classes for the Pacific, prairie, eastern and maritime regions were held during September and October with the top three finishers from each region invited to compete in the CET Medal Final at the Royal. In addition to the invitation, Eisers and Pessoa donated a Pessoa bridle to each of the 12 riders. At the CET Medal Final, the top eight finishers were given coolers, also generously donated by Eisers and Pessoa.

Atom B's takes second straight

ALDERGROVE – The Atom B hockey team opened their season by sweeping Port Moody in back-to-back games. Returning home on Wednesday, after having beaten Port Moody 5 to 1 in last Saturday's season opener, the Bruins put together a solid defensive performance to take Port Moody 4 to 1 in the return match.

Taylor Anderson and Kevin Carlson scored in the first, and Brandon Nobbs and Dan Kivinen added tallies early in the second before Port Moody put up its lone marker. The game then settled into a defensive duel, with the Bruins playing a strong game in their own zone.

Adding assists on the goals were Kyle Barry, Ryan Veitch, Dan Kivinen and Brad Waters. The "coach's picks" were Alex Wismer, Darcy Palombi and Dan Kivinen.

Tryouts in judo

PORT COQUITLAM - BC Winter Games judo tryouts for Zone 3 will be held Dec. 10 at Hyde Creek Recreation Centre, 1379 Laurier Avenue at 7:30 p.m. For information call Stan Szarek, 941-6696.

This is for men aged 13-16 and women aged 13-18, as of Feb. 20, 1997, and living in the Fraser Valley. The competition for a spot on the Zone 3 team will choose the representatives for the games in Campbell River, Feb. 20-23.

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Swamp Mama Johnson to go swimmingly

ABBOTSFORD - Swamp Mama Johnson are featured performers at a benefit concert coming to McCallum Activity Centre on Friday, Dec. 6, from 8 p.m. to midnight. Opening for the all-woman quintet are special guests, Eklektasy, and $10 advance tickets must be purchased for this licensed event. Tickets are on sale at Abbotsford's A&B Sound and information is available by calling 854-6205.

Organizer Cara Burton is a big fan of the rocking blues of the Washington based Swamp Mama Johnson -- the band's fans are called "Gatorheads." Burton is also instructor of the Fraser Valley Disabled Swimmers Association, which meets regularly at W.C. Blair's pool for this unique program. She's hoping this show will raise more funds for the program which teaches swimming skills to disabled people, mostly from the Langley-Aldergrove-Abbotsford area.

Swamp Mama Johnson's name is simply a combination of blues cliches that the women chose for a laugh three years ago, but their brand of garage rock, jazz and blues is serious goodtime music. Guitarist Laurie Miller said, "I think we're really hitting something, but I don't know what it is. We have really danceable and easy-to-understand music. It's blues and a lot of other things too. We've had really good audiences wherever we've played, our reputation seems to proceed us. If nothing else, people say 'let's go see this chick band.'"

Swamp Mama Johnson play a local benefit, Dec. 6.

Miller added, "In a perfect world it would be nice that people wouldn't respond to us being an all-female band. But there is a difference to how we sound. It's really subjective, but I feel it and I know others have."

Singer Lisa Mills said the gender issue doesn't mean much to her, but, "This is my first full-fledged band, so I'm used to playing only with other women." On the other hand she likes to think of it as a kind of a family, and is more comfortable being compared with New Orleans' Neville Brothers band than Bonnie Raitt or Blues Traveler: "Yeah, that's getting close. You know, the family thing."

The other members are tenor saxophonist Tracy Ferrara, drummer Kim Carson and bassist Patty Mei. The band has two CDs, River Hips and Wetlands, and will be at A&B Sound in Abbotsford prior to the show.

Vox at library

LANGLEY – The Fraser Valley Regional Library and Langley Centennial Branch present the Poppy Vox Vocal Ensemble, Wednesday, December 4 at 7 pm. This is an hour of seasonal songs for your pleasure. Drop in and enjoy this festive event in the main foyer of the library. Refreshments served by the Friends of the Library.

What the road passes by

FORT LANGLEY – Barbara Boldt announces that the Birthplace of B.C. Gallery is now the gallery for the sale of her artworks. She previously had her own gallery on Glover Road for ten years, and after many years of both painting and marketing her work, she will now focus on the creation of her art. After displaying work in a number of local and Vancouver venues, Boldt has found a comfortable home for her fine art in The Birthplace of B.C. Gallery.

Alberts and Boldt will be celebrating their new arrangement with an exhibition and sale of all new work by Barbara commencing November 30. The show, What The Road Passes By, will highlight Boldt's versatility and her ability to capture the spirit and harmony of those things we sometimes take for granted. The paintings, in oil, soft pastel and watercolour, will demonstrate the complexity and range of creativity by one of B.C.'s most established artists.

"Barbara has a depth of experience that very few artists have," said Alberts. "I'm proud that she has chosen the Birthplace of B.C. Gallery as the home for display of her incredible talent. With the current level of recognition of her work, I'm recommending that serious art collectors come early to the release of her new work."

The exhibition begins on November 30, 7 to 9 pm and December 1, 11 am to 5 pm, with the artist in attendance. The show continues through Dec. 6. For more information about the exhibition, call the gallery at 882-1191.

Who's Santa?

ALDERGROVE - All are invited to discover "Who's Santa?" in an original play created by the acting-directing-scriptwriting class of Fraser Valley Adventist Academy. The play will be followed by performances of the FVAA Concert Band and Concert Choir.

It takes place Saturday, Dec. 7, at 7 p.m. in the FVAA gymnasium, 26026 - 48 Avenue, just west of the Zoological Centre. An offering will be taken, and information can be had by calling 856-7852.

TWU band and chorus in carols

LANGLEY – Trinity Western University Fall Festival of Music and Carols will feature the TWU Concert Band directed by Dr. Paul D. Hoelzley and the University Women's Chorus, conducted by Dr. Jon Thompson. The program includes traditional carols of Christmas and classical concert band music. Featured soloist, Alan Thorpe, PhD, will perform Carl Maria von Weber's Hungarian Rhapsody for Bassoon and Band.

The concert date is Friday, November 29, 7:30 pm at Kwantlen University College Music Performance Hall (Langley Campus), Glover Road at the Langley Bypass. Admission is free.

Join in the carol festival next week

ALDERGROVE - The fourth annual Christmas Carol Festival comes to the United Church next week, with up to a dozen choirs featured each night, Dec. 3 and 4. All are welcome to join as scheduled or unscheduled performers.

A community carol sing starts at 6:45 p.m., with the main program at 7 p.m. A freewill offering wil be taken at 8:30 during intermission, and the program resumes at 8:35 p.m. Help put Christ back into Christmas and enjoy the real meaning of the season. For informtion call 856-8675 or 856-1435.

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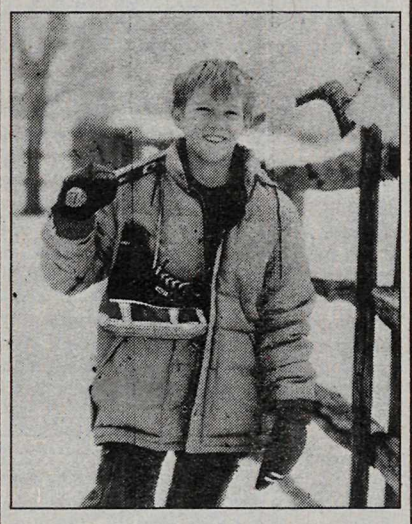

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Aldergrove Secondary Music Society is sponsoring three bingos in the Aldergrove Mall, Nov. 30, Dec. 7, Dec. 14, 12 noon–4 pm. 48-3

2nd Annual Christmas craft fair Sat./Sun. Nov. 30/Dec.1, 9 am-3 pm, Harmsworth Hall, 232 St./Hwy.#1, across from the Chevron station. 48-1

The Fraser Valley Disabled Swimmers Association proudly presents Swamp Mama Johnson with guests Eklektasy, Friday Dec. 6, at the McCallum Activity Centre, 8-12 pm in a benefit concert. Tickets available at A&B Sound. For more info call **854-6205.** 48-2

Singles dinner at Granny's - Dec. 6, 7 pm, Singles drop in Friendship nite Dec.5, 6 -8 pm, Granny's, 27125 Fraser Hwy. **856-0622.** 48-1

Fundraiser - Fri. nite buffet 5:30-8:30 pm and Sunday buffet 8:30 am-2 pm at Granny's Homestead Restaurant. For more info call **856-0622.** 48-1

"Silver Bells" Christmas Bazaar and lunch Sat., Nov.30, 11:30 am-2 pm. Tables of home baking, crafts, white elephants, plants. Lunch $4 adults, child $2. 26 Ave & 272 St., Aldergrove United Church. 48-1

Aldergrove Community Secondary's first annual Christmas Craft Fair, Sat., Dec. 7, 9-4. Tables only $20. Admission by donation to the Aldergrove Food Bank. For information contact Michelle **856-9836.** 47-3

Langley Hospice Society presents Getting Through the Holidays, Wed.,Dec. 4 & Wed., Dec. 11, from 7–9 pm at 22259–48 Ave.(near Blair Pool). For more information & to register call **530-1115.** 47-3

Countyline Church Youth group fundraiser/ garage sale, Sat. Nov.30, 9:30-4:30 pm. Treasures, bake sale, refreshments. **26460–52 Ave.** 47-2

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The Salvation Army, Langley Community & Youth Resource Centre will be hosting their 2nd annual Christmas Showcase '96, Saturday, Dec. 7, 9am–3 pm. Crafts (over 50 tables), retail, baked goods, Silent Auction, Block Parent I.D. booth, hot dogs, and refreshments. Lots of Christmas gift ideas! Please bring a non-perisahle food item.Held at 8393-200 St., Langley. All proceeds to the Centre's Community and Youth programs.Contact Brenda **888-1717** for further information. 46-4

The Salvation Army Langley Community & Youth Resource Centre Charity Fundraising Dinner. An exquisitely prepared, elegantly presented 6 course gourmet meal awaits you. $55 per person. Saturday, Dec. 7, 6 pm. at 8393–200 St.,Langley. All proceeds go to the Centre's Community and Youth programs. Limited tickets available, contact Brenda **888-1717** for menu info & tickets. 46-4

Craft and Home Baking Sale, Sat., Nov.30, 10 am-2 pm, St. Dunstan's Hall, **3025–271 St.** Refreshments available. 46-3

STALLION SERVICE AUCTION. All breeds & colours of horse & pony stallions. Min.bid:$100. Bids close Jan.31/97 the Langley Riders Society. Info: **576-8767** or **597-1996.** 45-13

The Single Connection would like to host monthly events to raise funds for various charities and in the process help single people to "connect." No Membership Fees. We need your input! What kind of activities would you like to see? Please phone Dorie @ **463-4688** your thoughts. 45-4

1 ANNOUNCEMENTS

140 Community/ Coming Events

Langley Women's Aglow is starting a new year Wed., Sept. 18/96; 9:15 - 11:30 a.m., with guest speaker Linda Littlejohn, the Area Board President; and featured soloist, Laurie Gill. We meet at the ABC Restaurant, 5978 Glover Rd., Langley. Coffee and muffins will be served for a donation. All newcomers are welcome, including young Moms — babysitting is only $3.00. For info & babysitting pre-registration phone Gail at **534-5794** or Ruby at **536-7593.** 36-tf

CVCMS Showcase/Talent Search every Sat., 12-4 pm @ Shadowlane Sq., next to General Store (176/No.10) weather permit.; altern. Cloverdale Mall; Bands/Dance Teams/ Clowns/ Facepainting - Come, enjoy the fun! For more info. call Louise **534-3708.** 37-tf

The Kidney Foundation of Canada, BC Branch, is pleased to announce it has taken 1,000 cars off the road in BC. The Kidney car program, in its second year of operation in Greater Vancouver, recycles unwanted cars and helps fight kidney disease. For more information call **327-2277.** 35-tf

Langley Community Chorus , a mixed choir, welcomes new members. Starting Sept. 11, choir meets Wednesdays at 7:30 pm in music room at D.W.Poppy Secondary School. Info: Chris or Arne **530-6629.** 35-tf

BCOTF Branch 5 Dance the first Thursday of every month beginning Sept. 5. New location/date: Clayton Hall, 18513–70 Ave, Surrey, 7:30-11:30 pm. Admission $3. Ph. **581-4924.** 34-tf

Bingo at the Aldergrove Legion Tues. night 6:30 pm. 28-tf

Jubilee Community Hall available for weddings, parties, meetings, etc. Kitchen facilities, beautiful country setting. Call Larry **856-2212** after 6 pm. 13-tf

Fraser Valley Hikers. Hiking or ski-trips every weekend. Meetings 3rd Wednesday of every month, senior's room, Matsqui Recreation Centre, 3106 Clearbrook Road, Clearbrook. For further information call **826-2281** or **850-8932** evenings. 7-tf

The Fraser Valley Volunteer Centre is looking for volunteers of all ages to help in a range of activities, long and short term. For information, call Brenda Dondo, director of volunteers, at **854-1844,** or come by the office at #303-32071 South Fraser Way, Abbotsford, during regular office hours. 7-tf

L.O.V.E. Langley Offers Vegetarian Ethics a networking system for vegetarians. Monthly potlucks, Annette 530-2692. 52-tf

Aldergrove Food Bank. Please send donations to: 2623–272 St., Box 428, Aldergrove, B.C. V4W 2T9. 40-tf

Auxiliary to Upper Fraser Valley Neurological Society needs fundraising volunteers 2-4 hours/month. Proceeds go to Fraser Valley Child Development Centre **852-8637** or **826-2411.** 40-tf

Duplicate Bridge players: Come join us at the United Church, 5673 - 200 St. (south of Fraser Hwy.) every Wednesday, 12:30 p.m. - 4 p.m. For further info phone Ilene Pawluk **856-4071.** 43-tf

150 Weddings

160 Engagements

170 In Memoriam

180 Meetings

If you want to drink, that's your business. If you want to stop, that's ours. **Alcoholics Anonymous 434-3933.** 39-2

RCSCC #169 Columbia welcomes boys & girls ages 10 to 13 yrs. to Navy League and 12 to 18 yrs. to Sea Cadets.Meetings are Tuesday nights 6:30 - 9:30 pm at the Cadet Training Centre, 4315–272 St.,Aldergrove. Please call **856-3700** and leave message requestingrther information. 37-tf

1 ANNOUNCEMENTS

180 Meetings

Aldergrove Veterans & Seniors Society. New members welcome. Lunches, pool table, cards, socials, trips. Open Mon-Fri, 10-3, **886-3271.** 43-tf

Aldergrove Lions Club meets 2nd & 4th Thursdays at Lions Grove Estates Rec. Center, 2888–273 St. at 7 pm. New members welcome. Co-ed club. For info call **857-0023** or **856-6414.** 20-tf

Alder Grove Heritage Society meets on the second Tuesday of the month, 7 pm at Seniors Drop In Centre, 27247 Fraser Hwy. Events include socials, sales, guest speakers, training, creek enhancement. Guests and new members welcome. Info **857-0555.** 18-tf

Langley Fibromyalgia (FM) Myalgicencephalomyelitif (M.E.) Self help group monthly meetings are held 2nd Tuesday of each month except July, Aug.,Dec. 7–9 pm, Langley Seniors Resource Centre. Kathie **533-3135.** 26-tf

Aldergrove Toastmasters Club meets every Monday eve. at Aldergrove Arena, 2882–272 St, from 7:30–9:30 pm. Guests and new members are always welcome! Contact Kim Hilton **857-1967.** 2-tf

The Malsah Group HIV/AIDS support. All meetings confidential every Thursday 7-9pm, Cloverdale Baptist Hall, **18685–64 Ave.**,Surrey. 40-tf

Central Fraser Valley Vintage Car Club for the preservation and restoration of collectible, vintage and custom cars. Everyone welcome. First Wednesday of every month 7:30 pm main bldg. Exhibition Park - Clearbrook. Phone **850-5086.** 43-tf

Langley Township Toastmasters meet every Tuesday 12:05 pm in the Langley Municipal Hall council chambers 4914–221 St.,Langley BC. For info contact Dennis Paget **533-6029.** 37-tf

HIV/AIDS Support Group. All meetings are strictly confidential and also open to support people and caregivers. Meetings are every Thursdays 7 –9 pm at Cloverdale Baptist Church Hall, 18685–64 Ave., Surrey. **574-4329**(days). 43-tf

Aldergrove Elks Lodge #66 meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 8:00 pm at Elks Hall, corner of 273 St. and Fraser Hwy. Royal purple meet 2nd and 4th Thursday at 8:00 pm. New members welcome. 14-tf

Langley Newcomers Club, a group dedicated to helping ease the transition of a move by bringing newcomers together at meetings, moms & tots, tennis, golf, speaking events, bowling, wine tastings, wine making, gourmet dinners, luncheons, bridge, cribbage, book clubs, movies, mall walking. For more info contact:Marion **882-2610** or Mary **882-0865.**48-tf

Dogwood Masonic Lodge meets at the Aldergrove Elks Hall, 27309 Fraser Hwy., Aldergrove on the 1st and 3rd Monday each month at 7:30 p.m. For further information phone Tom at **530-5114.** 43-tf

Aldergrove United Church, 2623 - 272 St., Bible Studies every Monday at 10 a.m. Sanctuary Choir 9 a.m. on Sundays; Open Board meetings, 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at Church; United Church Women on the 1st Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Church. Youth Group Grade 7 and up, watch your bulletin for times. For more information call **856-8675.** 44-tf

Fraser Valley Chief & Petty Officers Association meets the 2nd Sunday of each month at 10 a.m. at the Aldergrove Royal Canadian Legion Hall. Any serving, retired, ex-chief or Petty Officer and leading seamen (wartime) of any Commonwealth Navy is invited to attend any meeting. For more information please contact Carl Hill **530-7385** or Dan Norgaard, **853-5326.** 43-tf

The Aldergrove Agricultural Association monthly meetings - 1st Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in our office in the Aldergrove Mall. Info: **857-0588.** 14-tf

Evening Bridge Club meets weekly in the OAP Hall on 273rd St. Aldergrove, on Fridays, except the 2nd Friday of the month when the club plays on the Thursday before. Play is at 7:30 p.m.All are welcome at any level of skill or age.Admission $1.50.**856-4562.** 4-tf

1 ANNOUNCEMENTS

180 Meetings

KINETTE CLUB OF ALDERGROVE A service organization for women ages 21 - 45. Meetings held 3rd Wednesday of each month. Get involved in your community and have fun doing it. For more info call Michele **856-0606.** We welcome new members. 39-tf

The Valley Fuchsia and Geranium Club meet the fourth Tuesday of every month at St. Andrews Church, 20955 Old Yale Road, Langley at 8 p.m. Speaker, growing tips, show bench, library, etc. For more information call **583-3716.** 43-tf

Kinsmen Club of Aldergrove is a service organization for young men ages 21-45. Meetings are held every second Tuesday. For more information call Mike **856-6936.** We welcome new members. 24-tf

The regular monthly meeting of the **Fraser Valley Rock and Gem Club** is held the second Friday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the O.A.P. Hall, 273rd St. off Fraser Hwy., Aldergrove. Visitors welcome. For info phone **853-2118** or **534-6996.** 43-tf

190 Support Groups

Single Dads support group meets alternate Wed. evenings. For more info call **857-4617.** 39-tf

Lupus Support group meets the second Monday of each month from 1:30-3:30 pm at Langley Senior Resource Centre, 20605–51B Ave. 14-tf

Arthritis evening support group meets the 2nd Tuesday evening of each month from 7-9 pm at Langley Senior Resource Centre, 20605–51B Ave. 14-tf

Arthritis afternoon support group meets the 3rd Monday of each month from 1:30-3:30 pm at Langley Senior Resource Centre, 20605–51B Ave. 14-tf

Langley Hospice Society is offering a Loss Support Program for adults, teens and children and their parents continuing on throughout the year as an open group. Call **530-1115** to register and for more information. 29-tf

Emotions Anonymous. Serenity seekers. Monday 7:30 pm. **#207-20466 Fraser Highway,** Langley, BC, V3A 4G2. 1-tf

HIV/AIDS Support Group, confidential and co-led by people whose lives are affected by HIV/AIDS, is meeting from 1–3 pm at 22259–48 Ave.(near Blair Pool) on the first and third Monday of the month. Parking avail. from 48 Ave.Use side door. For more information, leave message at **530-1115.** 29-tf

Wives of team ropers may meet in heated coffee room of Steeles arena every Monday, Thursday & Saturday nights 7 pm. **856-4751.** 47-tf

Pregnant Teen and teen mom support group meets weekly at Fraser Valley Pregnancy Center in Aldergrove. Call **856-9151** ofr information/transportation. 42-tf

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Alzheimer Society Support Group meets at Langley Seniors Recreation and Resource Centre, 19871–57A Ave.,Langley, every Tuesday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. and every 3rd Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. Call **533-5277.** 43-tf

AL-ANON meetings, Wednesday mornings, 10:00 a.m. The boardroom of Langley Seniors' Resource Centre. **533-3010.** 43-tf

Is a relative or friend's drinking affecting you? Try **AL-ANON. 856-3648 , 857-0647, 688-1716.** 12-tf

Pregnant Teen Support Group offered by Langley Family Services. Free and confidential. Thursday 2- 4 p.m. For more information phone **534-7921.** 43-tf

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) is a non profit, weight control support group helping Men, Women and Teens to Take Off Pounds and Keep Off Pounds Sensibly. There are several daytime and evening chapters in our area. Please call Barb at **531-3726** or toll free 1-800-932-8677 for further information. 11-tf

T.O.P.S. (take pounds off sensibly). Join a new Aldergrove 9:15 Thur. morning group. Call **856-6715** for more details. 39-tf

Living With Cancer meetings, 7:00 p.m., 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at Langley Unit, 108-20218 Fraser Highway,Langley. For information call: **533-1668.** 43-tf

The Special Needs Adoptive Parents Support Group meet the fourth Thursday of every month. 7:30 p.m. Come join us for information and emotional support. For further details call Claudine at **852-8394.** 48-tf

FAS/FAE Support Group: For parents of a child with fetal alcohol syndrome or effect. Meet 1st & 3rd Thursday every month. 7:30-9:30 p.m. Abbotsford. For more info. call **852-8394.** 48-tf

1 ANNOUNCEMENTS

190 Support Groups

Parents Together: Self-help/support for parents troubled by the acting-up behaviour of their teenagers. Groups which meet weekly offer support and problem solving ideas for positive changes in the family. Free introductory orientation/information sessions. To register call **Parentline 325-0511.** 43-tf

2 PERSONALS

210 Miscellaneous

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Langley Hospice Foundation has speakers available for service clubs and other groups. Please call **530-1115** or Karen at **534-7921** for more information. 29-tf

Langley Meals on Wheels, a non-profit society, urgently needs volunteer drivers in Township of Langley and Aldergrove area. If you can commit to a route from apprx.11 am to 1 pm one day a week, or be on our lis of spares or on-call volunteers, call **533-1679.** 43-tf

Fridays (ongoing): Prenatal classes for teens. Free classes available at Langley Health Unit, **532-2300.** 43-tf

The Valley Therapeutic Equestrian Association needs VOLUNTEERS. For information call **888-1262 .** 42-tf

Langley Legal Assistance Centre - Your Community Law Office located at #204 - 20651 - 56 Ave., Langley, **530-5811.** Phone and enquire about your legal concerns. Free to low income people. 20-tf

Libra Transition House provides temporary emergency accommodation for physically, emotionally, or sexually abused women and their children. Staff provide counselling, support, information, and referrals to community resources. Day counselling available by appointment. For information call **857-5797.** Funded by Ministry of Women's Equality and community donations. 43-tf

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230 Business Personals

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250 Counselling Services

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2 PERSONALS

210 Miscellaneous

Judith Dumont Women Society provides one to one counselling/group sessions and pre-employment assistance. Office hours 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Drop-in workshops - Thursday 9:30-11:30 am. Phone no. **597-4741.** No charge for services. 40-tf

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11 AUCTIONS

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1220 Farrier Services

1230 Feed & Hay

Local hay Alfalfa 80 lbs/bale $9.25. **856-7398.** 48-3

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1250 Lessons/Training

1260 Livestock Sale/Lease

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Wanted - brown Nubian billy goat. 856-6687. 47-4

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16 hand quarterhorse, used as lessons horse for 1 1/2 yr. Vet checked, clean. $1,600 firm. 856-7751. 46-4

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1270 Livestock Wanted

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1290 Tack

13 PETS & POULTRY

1310 Sale

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Bantam chickens, This year's birds. 1 rooster, 2 hens $10 for all. 856-7358. 48-2

Kitten - Free to good home. 856-0553. 48-3

Tiny puppies, ready to go. Shit-zu cross $275 cash. 857-0082. 48-2

Tropical fish, variety of size, $2 and up. 530-1071. 48-2

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1320 Pets/poultry Wanted

1330 Feed/Supplies

1350 Kennels/Pet Services

14 FOR SALE

1405 Antiques/Collectibles

Beautiful claw foot bath tub, fresh "skirt" paint and original claw feet $550 obo. 856-4752. 47-2

1410 Appliances

Washer, dryer, range $500. 856-4961. 48-3

Speed Queen dryer $100 obo. 856-3181 or 856-7220. 48-4

Used washing machine for sale. Best offer. 856-4277. 48-4

Fridge sale and repairs, will buy used. 856-4464 40-tf

1415 Arts & Crafts

Christmas home making ideas. Please send $10 w/SASE to PO BOX 1252, Aldergrove, BC V4W 2V1. 48-4

Hand crafted Christmas card packages of 5 and 10. Call Pam 857-1955. 47-4

Tole painting lessons, beginners to advanced. For more info, call Irene 856-2563. 47-4

Large handcrafted wooden Barbie doll house. Furn. incl.$150. 856-8182. 46-4

Making homemade wine to sell/give for Christmas presents? I make attractive wood boxes to complete the gift! 856-9152. 46-4

1420 Books/Coins/Stamps

1425 Building Supplies

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1430 Bicycles

1435 Camera/Photography

Zenith full size VHS camcorder VM 7050. New bat., hard case, used only approx. 20 hrs. since new. $300 obo. 857-9581. 46-4

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1440 Clothing

1445 Computer Equipment

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Older model computer. Newer model printer. $200. 856-6439. 46-3

1448 First Aid

1450 Fuel

Dry seasoned split maple, alder, birch mix $125/cord delivered. 856-5385. 47-4

1455 Furniture

L-shaped computer desk in arborite and oak. $50. 856-8480. 45-4

1460 Garden/Nursery Supplies

Landscaping or in need of privacy? 6 foot plus bushy evergreens. Offers. 856-6357. 47-3

Christmas Holly- lots of berries. 856-8118. 46-4

1463 Home Entertainment

4' x 8' pool table and accessories $425. 11' shuffleboard and rocks $80. 856-2786. 47-2

1465 Meat/Dairy

Fresh brown range eggs for sale. 856-6192. 47-4

Side of beef $2/lb c/w/f. 856-5023. 47-2

Beef sale - $1.89/lb, C/W/F, delivered. 856-8709. 46-4

1470 Miscellaneous

Brunswick, Windsor model F-G-8 snooker table, 4x8 slate, all accessories, pool light $1,200. 856-7986. 48-2

Furriers pelt sewing Singer machine $150. 856-4423. 48-3

Colonial quilted chesterfield and chair, floral design in earth tones. Excel. cond. Extra large chair. 856-7466 Brenda. 48-2

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14 FOR SALE

1470 Miscellaneous

Brass and copper 7 dogwood flower metal sculpture. Electrolux vacuum. 1960 radio/record cabinet stereo. 856-1905. 48-1

Large Kinsmen stove insert and brass wood holder $350. Fisher Price gate $20. 574-5487. 48-2

Gas dryer $50. Canopy for Toyota longbox $100. Hot water tank $50. 856-0770. 48-2

Inglis washer $110. Table saw $115. Call Art 856-4072. 48-1

25" wall unit; Maytag fridge; Kenmore fridge; stove fan; white coffee and end tables; chesterfield - needs recovering. 856-9724. 48-1

Wanted - de-humidifier. For sale, Igloo 12 Volt Kooler $35. High chair $20; Vacuum hose for built in vacuum $25. 856-6185. 48-3

Free range, fertilized fresh brown eggs collected daily from our happy hen house $2/doz. 857-2248. 48-1

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TNT 440V snowmobile, good shape $800. Arctic Cat Panther 500, powerful $700. 856-1712. 47-2

Fireplace insert w/fan $200 obo. Honda 600W generator $350. 533-3352. 47-4

2 pairs of riding boots; also, wanted apple press. 856-8430. 47-2

Like new Hohner keyboard $500; white vanity dresser w/stool $100. 856-4905. 47-4

Norco quality kids bike, suits 6-9 years old $10; near new golf bag $15; slant board $5. 533-1746. 47-3

Telephone table, dark woodgrain, w/attached cushioned seat & back, excel. cond. $50 firm. 856-8451. 47-4

40 gal. hot water tank, excel. cond. $125 obo. 4x4 single pane sliding aluminum window $25. 856-8985. 47-4

Approx. 500 used bricks $100; must take all. 7' toboggan $10; 2 pairs skis, 140 and 160, $10 ea. 856-2749. 47-2

3-4 thread serger, good cond, would make great Christmas gift $300. 534-5888. 47-2

Oil cook stove "Fawcett". Asking $200 o.b.f. Phone 856-8078 Chuck or Margaret. 46-4

14 FOR SALE

1470 Miscellaneous

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Electric medical bed w/vibrator. French Provincial headboard and 2 fitted sheets 39"x80". Over $2,000 new, $900 obo takes all. 856-5918. 45-4

Gendron baby buggy and stroller $15. Carrycot $10. Girls 10-year-old bicycle $50. Sylvia 856-5645. 18-tf

Aldergrove Thrift Shop, 2981–272 St., 856-5292. Queen size box spring & mattress, good cond. $35/pr.;corner table $15; coffee tables $5-$10; Eureka vaccuum cleaner, works great $15; table lamps $4-$15; pictures, nice selection $1.50-$10. Misc.: bird cage, almost new, w/accessories $25; computer monitor & PC Wang $20; 8 track & radio, record player $5; electric appliances, tea kettles, irons, waffle irons, steamers, knives, toasters, you name it-we have it; bicycles: 1 ladies coaster $30; childs trike $15; special on mugs & tumblers 10¢/ea; fire screens $8; clarinet complete in case $40; skis, skates, hockey sticks, pogo-stick, helmets, luggage $2-$3; cookie tins 50¢; jig saws 50¢-$1; bags of toys 50¢-$2; Christmas decorations, lights & trees & stands. Baby items: wooden crib & mattress $10; high chair $8; car seats $5-$10; play pen $8; bath $3; stroller $10-$15; booster seats $3-$5; crib mattress $5. 47-1

14 FOR SALE

1470 Miscellaneous

Full set standard tools 1/4"-1/2" drive set, impact set, wrenches, etc. Many extras. $250. Al 856-1767. 47-4

1475 Musical Instruments

Great Christmas present: black electric guitar, mint cond. w/amp. $150. Without amp. $120. Gregor 857-8899. 48-2

1480 Produce

1490 Sporting Goods

Dynastar course slalom skis, 193 cm w/Look bindings $150. 856-6430. 48-2

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1495 Tools

15 WANTED

1530 Miscellaneous

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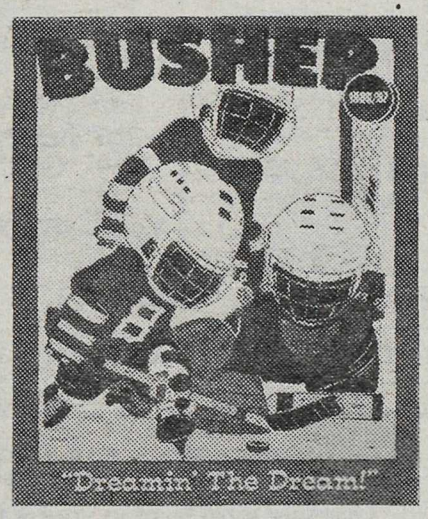

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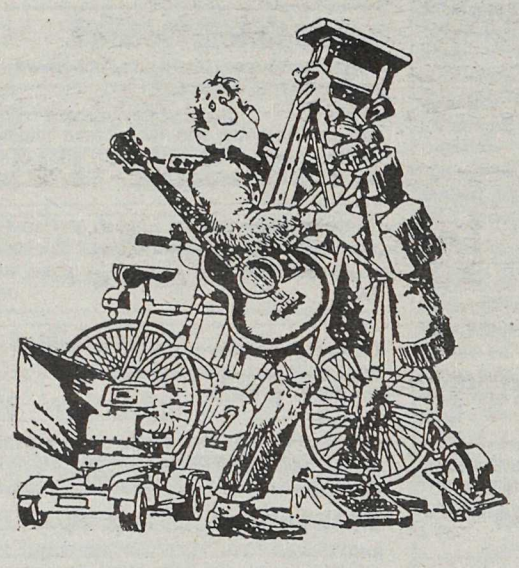

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Room for rent Aldergrove. 856-2285. 13066 48-2

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2 bdrm. mobile on acreage, gas appliances, also wood heater $750. N/S. Avail. Dec.1. Also 2 stalls. **856-8240.** 47-4

3 bedroom house w/basement in Langley at 4464–208A Street, near schools. 1 year lease. **533-1995.** 47-4

1 bdrm. house, carport and large storage bldg. Vicinity 264 St/#1 Hwy. Avail. Jan.1 or earlier if req'd. $700/mo. **856-2889.** 48-1

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2 bdrm. basement suite, private entrance. avail. Dec. 1. **856-3363.** 47-4

East Cloverdale, furnished room in quiet cul-de-sac. Excellent for student/single. N/S, N/D, N/P, avail. immed. $450.- or room/board $550/mo. **576-0001.** 47-3

Aldergrove, 3 bedroom. Immed, end of Nov. from $700/mo. **879-2841.** 47-4

32' self contained trailer, suitable for 1 person, $400/mo hydro incl. Aldergrove area. **856-0272.** 46-4

Small oven, 2 burner stove, microwave, N/S, N/P. 1 bedroom suite $475 plus 1/3 utilities. **856-7778.** 46-4

Room and board, rent $350. Smokers, children, pets, welcome. **856-5218.** 46-4

Suite for rent, reasonably priced. Private entrance. Best for 1 person. I pay the utilities. **856-6219.** 48-4

Aldergrove. 1 bdrm. ground level, shared W/D, gas F/P, covered patio.N/S, N/P. $650 incl. hydro/cable. avail. immed. **856-3620.** 46-4

Aldergrove - For rent 1 bedroom apt. in senior bldg. N/P. Avail. Dec. 1. Rent $570/mo incl. heat/hot water. **857-0640.** 48-4

16 RENTALS

1660 For Rent

Large 1 bdrm. basement suite, central Aldergrove. N/S, N/P. **856-3675.** 46-3

Aldergrove like a house. 3 bdrm. 4-unit townhouse. 3 appl. 1 1/2 baths, F/P, private fenced yard. No dogs. $875. **574-5274.** 45-4

NW Langley selfcontained suite on acreage. 1 bdrm., livingroom w/FP. Quiet people welcome. **882-8906.** 45-4

1670 Room & Board

Board & room avail. in Aldergrove. Suit working person or student w/own transportation. $500/mo. **856-1682.** 48-4

1680 Shared Accommodation

1-2 rooms in 3 bdrm. townhouse. Must be N/D. $325. Also, respite care for mentally handicapped avail. **857-1101.** 48-4

Bachelor/1 bedroom, F/P, heat, hydro, cable, laundry, incl. kitchenette/bath. Near bus. N/D, N/S, N/P, N/P. Avail. immed. $450-$475/mo. **857-2702.** 13071 48-1

1 bedroom, utilities, w/d, kitchen incl $300. N/S, N/D, N/P. **856-2202.** 47-4

Room in 3 bdrm. house on 9 acres. W/D, heat & hot water, N/S, $300/mo. Horse stalls avail. **856-9484.** 46-4

Rooms for rent, in 4 bdrm. house. $300 all included. **856-6096.** 46-4

Renovated townhouse. 2 students need 1 roommate. Downtown Aldergrove. W/D, dishwasher. $285 plus 1/3 utilities. **857-7737.** 45-4

1690 Wanted to Rent

Dry 2-3 acre field for emu operation from mid-November to May. Reasonably priced. **589-8422.** 48-2

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Wanted pad to rent for mobile. Preferrably on farm, even if hookups not available. Aldergrove, Langley, Surrey. Evenings/weekends **532-5367.** 13063 48-1

17 REAL ESTATE

1710 Businesses

1730 Condos/Townhouses

1750 Homes for Sale

Confederation log home, on private 1 acre lot on Deka Lake. South Cariboo area. $159,000. **856-7269.** 48-4

1760 Mobile Homes

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20 AUTOMOTIVE

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1989 Suzuki Samurai 4x4, new tires, soft top, lady driven $3,000 obo. 533-0779. 47-4

1967 Mustang, runs well $2,000 obo. Body good, needs mechanical work. 856-3702. 47-3

1982 TransAm 3 speed auto, sunroof, good cond. $2,000 firm. 856-7314 after 5 pm. 47-3

1985 Cadillac Sedan deVille velour interior - all the options - $5,500. 856-6132. 47-4

1972 Volvo 4 dr. auto leather int., air cared. $900 obo. 856-7204. 46-4

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1986 Plymouth Reliant, white, 4 dr., seats 6, very good cond. $1,850. 856-6474. 46-4

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2060 Motorcycles

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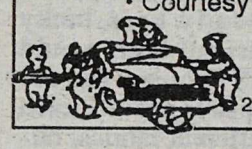
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1988 Chev Jimmy 4x4 on propane. White with blue pin striping, new bucket seats, winch, mags. Excellent shape $12.500 obo. 856-9258. 45-4

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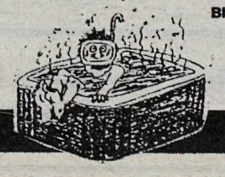
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Work party was "phenomenal"

From front...

made a quilt before, got together for a work party that assembled the squares into a beautiful patchwork that now keeps him warm and lets him know that he's got a lot of friends.

"It's phenomenal how good they are, how they worked together," said Karen. She said that there have been many other kindnesses that have lifted their spirits, but this one is so special that it's going to be on display in the community. The public is invited to see it at Parkside Elementary, Dec. 11-12, during the parent-teacher conferences and book fair evenings. Then it goes on display at Aldergrove Arena, Nov. 30 to Dec. 6.

Tyson has been keeping up with school and getting good grades, thanks to a home-schooling teacher who visits three times a week. He'll also be back at hockey, as the Aldergrove Minor Hockey Association extended a special invitation for him to play during this March's Friendship Tournament. He was too ill to attend Camp Goodtimes last summer, but Cheryl Ward set up several tents at her nearby backyard last summer, called it Camp Tyson and invited his friends for a sleepover. He's also started socializing again with his buddies, and is looking forward to returning to school shortly.

It really is a good news story, and Tyson and his family are grateful for everything.

"We would like to thank all the people who made a square or helped in any way with the prayer quilt, and acknowledge the following people who sewed and put the quilt together: Doreen Brust, Liz Coleman, Maria DeGianni, Sharon Downing, Barbie Elsner, Marg Englund, Helen Englund, Susan Glover, Lorena LeBrun, Sharon Langerhorst, Patty Maier, Gill Martin, Gaby Ortner, Liv Smith, Lori Steele, Cheryl Ward and Nadine Wismer. Thanks from Vic, Karen, Tyson and Jordy."

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"Amazing" what love can do for people

By CHERYL WARD

On Sunday, Oct. 27, I was part of an incredibly beautiful experience. Friends, family and neighbours all pulled together once again in the spirit of love to create a masterpiece. It was a prayer quilt for Tyson DeGianni.

The idea was that people from all over, some that have known him from a small child, others that have only recently been lucky enough to befriend him, would create an 8"x8" square for the quilt. As the squares arrived, each was unique. Different fabrics, different thoughts, different styles, but one theme was prevalent: Tyson, we love you! The creativity and heart put into each square was inspiring.

This was more than just a bunch of people getting together to make a quilt. It was an emotional and very spiritual event. Never before have I felt the kind of warmth and sharing that I felt that day. Everyone that had sent a square and everyone that had come to help was now connected in some special way. It was a day of laughter and sometimes tears. It was a day of strength, positive thoughts, sharing and many unspoken silent prayers.

Every knot that was tied or stitch that was stitched was done with loving thought for Tyson's full recovery. When all the work was done and the masterpiece was held up, everyone was speechless. We stood in silence watching Tyson's Mom, her eyes telling us how she felt. Everyone in that room had been part of a very inspiring discovery that we are all one family, and if we pull together anything is possible.

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