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Community Focus Weekly is a supplement to the quarterly newsletter publication created by the Town of Grande Cache. For a copy of the current newsletter please visit our website below or stop by the administration office.

April 8th, 2008



Community focus weekly

Next Regular Council Meeting - April 29th @ 5:00pm

SO YOU HAVE NOTHING TO DO?

Minor Ball Registration Deadline is April 9, 2008

GC Minor Soccer Association

**Fee \$35.00 **U5 - \$20.00

Soccer Starts: Tuesday April 22, 2008

Soccer Finishes: Tuesday June 19, 2008

Each Tuesday and Thursday 5:45pm to 8:40pm

Registration is open from... Monday April 7 @ 9:00am to Tuesday April 15 @ 5:00pm

Soccer Meeting:

Tuesday April 15, 2008 @ 6:30pm at the Recreation Centre

1. Election of Board Members
2. People interested in Coaching

(Training and ongoing support will be provided)

There will be a mini Soccer Festival on Saturday June 21, 2008 that is subject to a "tournament committee" being formed. Tentatively on April 26th there will be a soccer clinic hosted by the Rec. Centre.

Want To Become A Lifeguard?

- Step 1: Bronze Medallion / Bronze Cross April 25th, 26th, 27th
- Step 2: Standard First Aid with CPR April 19th & 20th
- Step 3: National Lifeguard (NLS) May 9th, 10th, 11th, 23rd, 24th, 25th
- Step 4: Lifesaving Instructor (LSI) July 7th to 11th

For detailed information about this process and to pre-register for these high demand classes call Christin at the Recreation Centre: 780.827.2446

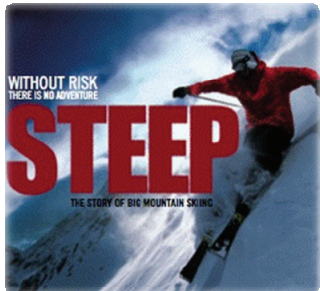
Saturday Morning Swim Lessons

April 26 - May 31 (6 weeks) 1/2hour lessons Runs from 10:00am - 12:00pm Cost: \$20.00

Come in to the Recreation Centre to register. Space is limited, must have 5 registered to run

Upcoming Movies!

Check out our website for our upcoming movies or call the Rec. Centre for more info. We've got a great line up for April, May & June including one for extreme skiing fans on April 26 at 7:30pm (Rated - PG)



The pool will be closed for maintenance and cleaning from April 7th to the 19th. We will reopen on Sunday, April 20

Rock Climbing Wall Attendant

We are looking for individuals to supervise our new bouldering cave. Qualifications: minimum of 16 years old & Standard 1st Aid and CPR B. Call Sheri or Travis for more info @ 827-2446.

Spin class

Tuesday & Thursday Time: 12:15pm-12:45pm
 Session dates: March 4th - April 10th
 Fee: included with 6 month & 1yr membership \$30 for non members. Child Care Available: No

Babysitter's Course

April 26 & 27 @ 1-5pm at the Rec. Centre. \$30 per participant due with registration. Call Natasha @ 827.2446 for more info.

Ballroom Dance Workshop

Presented by 2 Left Feet Dance on Saturday, May 31, 2008 10am-4pm with a cost of \$65 per couple (includes lunch). Payment must accompany registration. Please call Natasha for more information.

Spring Into Spinning Workshop

Ever thought about trying our stationary bikes, or interested in biking on your own time? Then this workshop is for you! Wednesday April 9th from 6:45 to 7:45pm For more information or to register call the Recreation Centre @ 827-2446

Hoja (Acappella Group)

Join us for great music and entertainment when Hoja comes to town on April 19 at 2pm in the Curling Rink. Ticket Prices: \$20/Family, \$10/Adult, \$7 Student, \$4 Child (not yet in kindergarten). Tickets will be available at the Recreation Centre starting March 10th.



Trees & Shrubbery!

The Town of Grande Cache will be pruning trees and shrubs along the Town sidewalks in the next few months. All vegetation will be trimmed back to a width of 4', and a height of 7'.

For further information call the Public Works Dept. at 827-3610.

YOU COULD WIN BIG!

Visit www.grandecache.ca to learn about our 2008 Photo Contest! Enter your photos for a chance to win a great Grand(e) Prize package worth approximately \$1000.00! Included in that package is our new Grande Cache Roots Canada clothing! If you're not a photographer don't worry, there is new and exciting merchandise arriving at the Tourism Centre daily, including our new Roots clothing! Come check out the great gifts we have in stock! Full contest details and forms can be downloaded off of the website!

FCSS SUPPORT GROUP

A Support Group has been formed by FCSS & AADAC for people who are affected by loved ones misuse of drugs and alcohol. The group offers a chance to share and learn about addiction. It began March 12th and will be held every Wednesday from 6:30 to 7:30pm at the Grande Cache FCSS Office. For more information contact Joan @ 827-2296

WINE & CHEESE!

There will be a Community Beautification Open House Wine & Cheese at 7:00pm Wednesday April 2, 2008 at Tourism & Interpretive Centre. Come out and see the Town's exciting beautification plans for 2008, featuring designs for a new Downtown Square! For more information on this event contact Tara Wignes @ 827-3362 ext. 27

GIRLS IN MOTION!

Physical Activity For girls aged 10-14... Come out and try some new activities and have fun in the process. Activities available include Yoga, Introduction to Strength Training, Cardio Kickboxing, Wall Climbing, Deep Water Aquafit, Ballroom Dance and more! Program runs from April 14-June 20, 2008 on Wednesday and Friday from 3:30 to 5:00pm. Space is limited to 15 participants so register early! Registration cost is \$10/participant for 10 sessions. Payment must accompany registration. No phone registrations will be accepted. For more information or to register, contact the Recreation Centre @ (780) 827-2446, or email natasha.brown@grandecache.ca

FARMER'S MARKET

The Town of Grande Cache is starting an Alberta Approved Farmer's Market for the 2008 season. If you make, bake or grow a unique product, please contact us @827.2446 or email sheri.budd@grandecache.ca There are a limited number of spaces for home based business products such as Partylite. The tentative May Farmer's Market will be held in the curling rink and tables, chairs and power will be available. Application forms will be available by mid April and vendors must submit a list of products to be sold. We reserve the right to refuse vendors that may overlap in products.

ARTS and CULTURE!

The Grande Cache Arts & Culture Committee would like to start a newsletter encompassing any cultural or artistic events that are happening in our community. Please send your information to us and let us help you spread the word. Please send information to... sheri.budd@grandecache.ca or fax: 780-827-3850 For more information please call Sheri at 827-2446

LORDY LORDY LOOK WHO IS GOING TO BE 40!

Grande Cache 40th Anniversary Expression of Interest: The Town of Grande Cache will be celebrating its 40th Anniversary in 2009. If you are interested in participating in the planning committee, please contact the Town Office with your name and contact information.

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