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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.

July 8th, 2008



Community focus weekly

Next Regular Council Meeting - July 9th @ 9:00am

SO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE NOTHING TO DO?

Summer Swimming Lessons

July 21 - Aug 1 | Aug 11 - 22

Monday to Friday 10am - Noon or 4pm - 6pm
 1/2 hour classes / 2 weeks (10 classes)
 No refunds or lesson date change will be made.
 Register at the Rec Centre or call 827-2446

Midnight Teen Swim: Movie Party

July 25 | Age 10 - 17 | 9pm - 11pm | \$5.00

Blues & BBQ's

Free Concert in Central Park amphitheatre!

Enjoy the great sounds of Matt Andersen. This great New Brunswick artist has an enigmatic personality and larger than life showmanship that have been earning him a fervent and steadfast audience wherever he graces the stage. Matt's sprawling Blues, Roots and Rock Musical hybrid with his sorrowing and soulful voice has sparked a phenomenal buzz on the east coast. Come hungry as barbequed souvlaki will be available for a nominal charge.

Upcoming Youth Programs

It's the EnCana sponsored \$5 SUMMER

All activities are \$5 or less. Spots are limited. Register early at the recreation centre!

- > July 8th and 9th: Youth Boys camping trip. Ages 10 to 12
- > July 10th: Canoe on Grande Cache Lake. Includes an island lunch! Ages 10+ 12pm-5pm
- > July 11th: Much Music Video Dance Curling Rink. Ages 10 to 17. 8pm-12am
- > July 12th: Step Up 2 *Free Admission Show 9pm-11pm. Curling Rink.
- > July 14th: Rock Cave Climbing Competition. Ages 10 plus. 11am-6pm
- > July 15th and 16th: Youth Girls camping trip. Ages 13 to 15
- > July 18th: Baby Mama Show 8pm-11pm. Curling Rink
- > July 22nd: Day hike up Ambler Mountain. Ages 10 plus. Maximum 5. 12pm-6pm

New Summer Opportunities!

- Run, Jump, Fun July 8, 9 & 10
 - Soccer & Circus Camp July 30 & 31
 - Clay Workshop with Cherrice Bermel Aug 6
 - Improv' Theatre Workshop Aug 12
 - Youth Camping Trips Various Dates
- Call the Recreation Centre @ 827.2446 for info

So you like the Farmer's Market?

There will be another Farmer's Market from 11am-2pm July 15th at the Recreation Centre. The market will again feature Fresh Baked Goods, Crafts, Chickens, Eggs & Produce. Don't miss our special Farmer's Market to be held in Grande Cache on Saturday August 2nd

Aquafit Classes

Aquafit classes will be running throughout the summer. Call the extremely helpful, super duper, and outgoing Recreation Centre staff for more information.

Thank You Jane Dyer!

Girls in Motion wants to thank Jane Dyer for her fantastic leadership during our folk dance session. It was a great note to end the program on and wonderful fun for everyone.

Thank You McNeil Construction!

The Tourism Centre Staff would like to thank McNeil Construction for assisting with the Tracking Alberta Dinosaurs display. We are very grateful for your operator's time and the use of your equipment. We wouldn't have been able to house this display upstairs for the summer without your help.

Mt. Hamel Park Opening: July 19th!

Watch our website for more information.

Rhyme Rustler!

The Grande Cache Arts & Culture Committee Presenting...

Rhyme Rustler: The Ballad of Robert Service
 A Dinner Theatre November 8, 2008.

Watch for upcoming information on tickets! Be sure to pick yours up early as this will be a popular event! Watch here for more!

LANDFILL CHANGES

NOTICE: Landfill Hours of Operation

Old Hours: 9:00am - 5:00pm

New Hours: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

These changes will take place immediately.

Communities In Bloom

Judges in Town Saturday, July 25th!

We encourage all residents and businesses to tidy and beautify their yards and areas this summer!

Let's make Grande Cache as beautiful as ever!

If you would like to get involved with Communities in Bloom, or if you have any questions, please contact: Tara Wignes, Manager of Economic Development & Tourism tara.wignes@grandecache.ca or 827-3362 ext. 27

CANADA DAY THANKS!

A HUGE thank you to the following:

- > Milner Power: For donating \$10,000 for the Canada Day County Fair fireworks production.
- > Grande Cache Fire Department: Who ran the best fireworks show Grande Cache has ever seen.
- > Dunk Tank Volunteers: Tony McCormick, Travis Dukelow, Chris Lyons, Billy Pollock, Shandis Leblanc, Stephanie Fast, Neil Muz, Tommy Phillips, Matthew Pollock.
- > Volunteer Face Painters: Great job!
- > Chris Lyons: A true volunteer who sold Deathfest tickets, took pictures, did two shifts in the dunk tank and whatever else we needed!
- > Food Concession Groups: The variety of food and your service are what make a great event.
- > All Parade Participants: It was wonderful to see everyone's imaginative creations. We look forward to being bigger and better next year.
- > Mary & Todd Nelson: Your expertise in the fine art of arm wrestling was greatly appreciated.
- > All Town Staff and Council for their great work on everything from float decorating, planning, preparation and clean up. It takes a great team effort to pull off an event like this and your hard work is appreciated.
- > E & L Trucking for sponsoring the light standard
- > Noelle's Café for gift certificate prize donations

Congratulations Parade Winners!



1. Big Horn Golden Age Club
2. The Red Hatters
3. Every Blooming Thing

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Due to scheduled vacation, the Land Development Office will be closed July 3 - July 29 inclusive. No development applications will be accepted or approved during this temporary closure.

DEATHFEST is on its way!

Visit our website to learn more!

Be sure to head to our website and keep informed about what is happening for this year's Deathfest! While there you can also download our official Deathfest program including the full schedule of events!

We are also still looking for Vendors! If you are interested in vendor opportunities at this year's festival download a copy of our vendor application on our website or pick one up by stopping in at the Town of Grande Cache Administration Office or the Akasaka Recreation Centre.