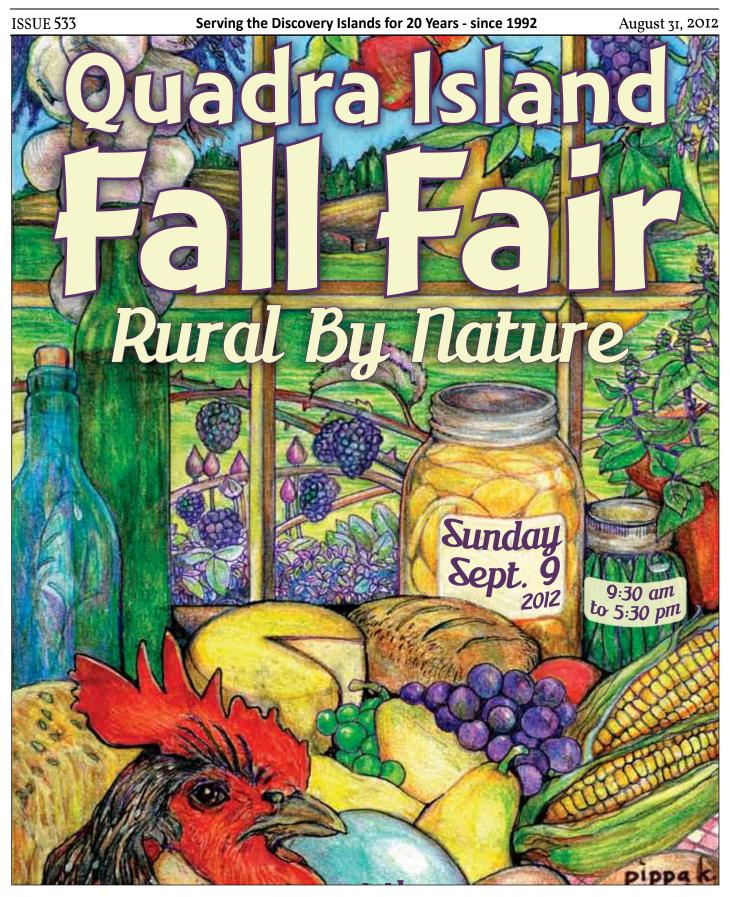
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COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS ON QUADRA, CORTES & THE OUTER DISCOVERY ISLANDS



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- your water bottle (there's a fill-up station for refills).

- sunscreen and an umbrella (who knows?).

- coins and small bills to donate and to participate in the Cakewalk, Gumboot Toss, Dunk Tank and raffle draw.

- an appetite - there'll be great food.

- your inner performer to cut loose on theatre improv.

- your reading glasses to fully enjoy the writing and photography exhibits, to read the judges' comments and to fill in your ballot for the Peoples' Choice awards.

- your camera.

- your throwing arm - toss that gumboot for distance or accuracy.

- a blanket - set up your nest and stay for the day.

And don't forget - one entry per exhibit class, and preregistration ends on August 31.

Please remember that dogs are not welcome on the Fair grounds - please leave your pooch at home.

Free Campbell River ferry shuttle - Watch for the Spirit of The West van... picking up at the ferry terminal in QCove at 9:45, 10:45 & 11:45 am, and returning folks at 3:30, 4:30 and 5:15 pm to the ferry terminal in OCove.

Assemble at the Shuttle Zone tent near the Entrance Gate.

See you at the Fair!!!!

# **ISLAND CALENDAR**

Submit your news or event info, editorial runs free: email: news@discoveryislands.ca drop off 701 Cape Mudge Rd. or at Hummingbird

# THE REGULARS

#### MONDAY

- Parent & Tots, QCC, 9:30 am 12 pm
- Sing for Pure Joy! Room 3, QCC, 3 4:30 pm, All welcome.
- Weight Watchers, QCC, 6 pm 7 pm
- Alcoholics Anonymous 7-8 pm Childrens' Centre Men Only
- 1st Monday Quadra writers group, 7 9 pm 285-3656

#### TUESDAY

- Al-Anon Meeting, Quadra Children's Centre, 7:00 pm
- Folkdancing, QCC, 7:30 to 9:30, Sept 18-Apr 30

#### WEDNESDAY

- Parent and Babes 11 am QCC
- UofQ education from your Neighbours. HBI pub 7:00 pm
- Hand-drum Circle, Upper Realm, 7:45 9:15 pm
- 1st & 3rd Wednesday Food Bank,QCC 1 2 pm

#### THURSDAY

- Parents & Tots, QCC, 9:30 am 12 pm
- Prayer Meeting, Quadra Island Bible Church, 7 pm
- Drop in games and wing night, Legion, 7:00 pm.
- Quadra Singers community choir 6:45 p.m., Quadra Community Centre (Sept. 13 through Dec. 12: Concert Dec. 15) Info: 250-285-2739

#### FRIDAY

- Farmers Market & Bazaar 12-4 pm at Heriot Bay Tru-Value
- Unplugged Guitar/Singing Jam 7:45 p.m. Upper Realm
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 pm Quadra Children's Centre
- Live bands in the HBI Pub 9:00 pm

#### SATURDAY

- Farmers Market & Bazaar 10 am to 2 pm behind the Credit Union Q Cove
- "Fun Ride" Easy to Moderate bike ride 10:30 am Aroma Cafe
- Quadra Legion Meat Draw 5 pm
- Open mic with Mo. 9:00 pm HBI pub

#### SUNDAY

- Family Service, Quadra Island Bible Church, 10:30 am
- Quadra Sunday Painters, 11 am 2 pm, 285-3390
- Buddhist meditation, Upper Realm, 10 am.

Island Calendar is a list of on island events. Please submit separately for the **Island** Calendar and News & Events or indicate in your submission if you would like your event placed in both. Following the text order exactly as above for email submissions is appreciated (month, date, day, title, place and time), use the title as your email subject. Current advertisers welcome to submit events but not-for-profit items will be given priority. Thank you for understanding.



#### Friday, August 31

- Duffy Live HBI Pub music starts at 9 pm no cover
- Friday Saturday, September 1 2
- Quadrapalooza Quadrea Community Centre, details page 6
- Saturday, September 1
- Quadra Island Golf Club Grand Opening

#### Friday, September 7

- Show opening Perrin Sparks the Colours of Sparks DI Gallery Cove Centre
- Hal Douglas Blues Band HBI Pub music starts at 9 pm no cover

#### Sunday, September 9

- Quadra Island 2nd Annual Fall Fair!!!
- Monday September 10
- Garden Club "Photographing your garden" 7pm at QCC

#### Friday, September 14

- Blue Katz- HBI Pub music starts at 9 pm no cover
- Saturday, September 15
- Rod Clark Memorial Golf Tournament at Quadra Golf Club
- Portraits by Perrin Sparks Discovery Islands Gallery, Cove Centre (\$30)

#### Tuesday, September 18

- Folkdancing, QCC, 7:30, \$60 fall term, \$6 drop-in

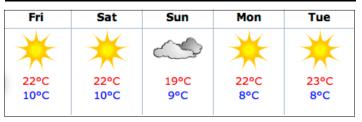
#### Wednesday, September 19

- Portraits by Perrin Sparks - Discovery Islands Gallery, Cove Centre (\$30)

#### Sunday, September 23

-Quadra/Philippines Connection Giant Garage Sale

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NEXT DEADLINE MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

# ISLAND FORUM

### Northern Gateway Review Deadline Approaches

#### Dear Editor,

I would like to let islanders know that the deadline for submissions to the Joint Review Panel is August 31st, 2012. I phoned the Panel and asked how many letters had been submitted so far with regards to the Enbridge Northern Gateway Project and the lifting of the moratorium on Tanker traffic on the BC coast. I was saddened to hear that only 3,777 letters letters have been submitted to date and 725 oral statements made. I and many others spoke at the Joint review Panel hearings in Comox last month and I would like to share with you my arguments against this project and urge you to write your letters in opposition, please write to: Gateway Review@ CEAA-ACEE.GC.CA

Canada's Marine Hazards Manual states that "Hecate Strait is the 4th most dangerous body of water in the world. And now some people who live very far away and are very far removed both physically and spiritually from these lands and waters want to build a 1,170 kilometer pipeline from the Alberta Tar sands to the BC coast. These people, who have political and economic power want to invest 5.5 billion dollars and export approximately 500,000 barrels of the most dangerous, corrosive form of oil, bitumen, a day. 225 condensate crude oil tankers are to navigate these treacherous waters a year including Very Large Crude Carriers with a capacity of 2 million barrels or more per tanker. Each of these tankers VLCC's are the equivalent of 3.5 football fields long and 60 meters wide.

According to Enbridge the purpose of the project is to provide access for Canadian Oil to Asia. According to Minister Joe Oliver, Canada needs these types of projects to feed China's insatiable booming economy, thus justifying the project.

The main arguments against the approval of such a project, however, are to assess the adverse effects of the project on ecosystems, and the human and natural environment. It is interesting to note that according to figures from the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers and the NEB, "that there is already a pipeline overcapacity, meaning an excess supply for insufficient demand for crude oil from Western Canada". Gerald Amos, Haisla member said that the possible pipeline leaks and ruptures caused by landslides and the risk of oil tanker spills on our rugged coast all make this proposal unacceptable. In October of 2010, 61 First Nations in the Fraser River watershed signed, the Fraser Declaration, prohibiting the transport of tar sands oil through their territories or through the migration routes of the Fraser river salmon.

In a sustainable development approach, benefits should equally go to local communities and the general population. This project benefits the oil producers and the tar sands industry, supported by the federal government. I definitely put the argument on the table, that if the 5.5 billion were invested in the renewable energy sector Canadian society would be looking at a far more sustainable future, ecologically, economically and socially than have tar sands oil precariously extracted and transported across such unforgiving yet fragile terrain.

As a regulator the National Energy Board must estimate the overall public good a project may create and weigh its potential negative aspects and different impacts on people, communities, land and water and animal and plant species. They must assess the risks involved and if the risks are too great, which in my opinion they are, then the NEB can make only one recommendation and that is to refuse the project point blank. Let us remind the Canadian Government that public interest does not mean the interest of mega oil companies, it means the interests of local communities, aboriginal peoples and above all the protection of the lands and waters of this province.

For a determination of public interest, it is imperative that the concept of sustainable development be included. Enbridge claims that its project is of national importance and that it has acceptable risks. The essence of the issue here is to what point can the risks of a pipeline leak, rupture or tanker accident be considered as "acceptable".

In the case of a spill, leakage and or rupture, who is going to cover the cleanup costs and to what extent, the public purse or the applicant? Money cannot compensate the loss of a coastline, mountains and rivers. a culture and a way of life!

There are too many risks associated with this proposal.

# An open letter to BC Hydro:

Once again this project like so many created of "human arrogance" is defying common sense. Oil spills are no longer rare, We all know their disastrous consequences in a region where many depend on an intact, clean and safe land and ocean environment. An oil spill on our coast would shut down the coastal tourism industry for decades let alone those depending on marine life for food.

Planning to cross the Rockies in spite of landslides, pushing through the Great Bear Rain forest despite the presence of numerous wildlife species, crossing watersheds and majestic rivers, despite risks of ruptures and leakages and the Harper Government wants to tell us these are acceptable risks. I argue that this project has UNACCEPTABLE RISKS. And I urged the panel to to help us protect our environment and our livelihoods by rejecting this proposal. I urge you to do so also.

Geraldine Kenny

PS If you miss today's deadline, please write your letter to Stephen Harper: pm@pm.gc.ca The technology market offers a choice between two kinds of smart meters. There is the relatively benign variety, which transmits its data over land lines. And then there is the other kind - the type of smart meter that BC Hydro is imposing on British Columbians- which includes an embedded microwave-emitting, wireless communication transmitter ("the Microwave Device").

On May 31, 2011, the World Health Organization recognized that radiofrequency electromagnetic fields are a Class 2B possible human cancer risk. The emissions generated by the Microwave Device fall under this classification of emissions and risk.

Why are we being exposed to this risk and who is behind it? BC Hydro is, for all its purposes, an agent of the government and its powers may be exercised only as an agent of the government.1

The imposition of a microwave transmitter in our homes by a government agent strikes an Orwellian tone; it violates the sanctity of the home and is inconsistent with the very nature of a free society. In a world full of toxic chemicals and radiation, the home is the last place of refuge, a zone of autonomous control and free choice. It is a private place where the state should not be imposing itself or its devices.

This is about freedom of choice. Given the existing concerns regarding the risk to health and safety by these Microwave Devices, we decline to have them at our homes and we prohibit you from entering our properties for the purpose of installing such devices.

You assert your contractual right to "access" to your equipment. We concede that you may continue to access our properties for the purpose of reading our present analogue meters. If an analogue meter needs replacement, you may replace it with another analogue meter. Our problem is not with what you are "accessing" - it is what you are seeking to leave behind. Your right of access does not go so far so as to entitle you to install a device that continuously generates toxic radiation.

Neither does the Clean Energy Act give you that entitlement. In fact, that legislation does not require, authorize, or even mention the Microwave Devices or their functional capabilities. You admit2 that the benign land-line variety of smart meter would fulfill the communication and transmission functionality requirements as prescribed by the CEA, but you continue to impose the toxic Microwave Device on BC residents against our explicit objection. You abuse your power by continuing with installations despite the fact that the interpretation of the Clean Energy Act is a matter currently before the British Columbia Court of Appeal.

We say NO to your entry onto our lands for the purpose of installing Microwave Devices. You have responded by threatening to cut off our power, but British Columbians will not accede to the strong arm of the state as exercised through the unilateral and coercive actions of BC Hydro. In our view, neither will the Courts.

The Coalition to Stop Smart Meters

Citizens for Safe Technology StopSmartMeters.ca Society Submitted by Lynne Connal

Have an opinion to share? Submit your letter to the DI by email: news@discoveryislands.ca PREFERRED

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### The Farmers' Market is where it's at for Fall Fair action!

Check out our table to pick up and drop off both community service club and vendor applications (deadline August 11) and general entry forms. Pre-registration deadline for general entries is August 31 and is highly recommended to make sure there is space for your wonderful exhibit. The Fall Fair Table is also the place to find out about volunteer opportunities and join the volunteer team, sign up for the amazing chicken poo bingo, find out answers to all your Fair questions, and (coming soon), buy your 2012 Fall Fair T-shirt.

## The Colours of Sparks

"The Colours of Sparks" is a new exhibition at Discovery Islands Gallery featuring painter Perrin Sparks. A compilation of new and historic works by Sparks includes both figurative and landscape art as well as rarely exhibited technical drawings from her career as a medical illustrator. DIG curator Dom Fetherston says "Perri is a superb, prolific artist with a vast body of work and knowledge that is very special to Quadra Island. There are few artists of her calibre in British Columbia, and I am honored to be hosting her talent."

"There is an extraordinary amount of support from the citizens of Quadra Island for the display of prominent work in a local public art gallery. Select, top-notch products from the most prominent artists of the region ensure that the gallery continues to provide quality art to the residents and visitors of the Island. DIG is dependent on the financial support of the public to continue it's exhibitions, artist demonstrations, and public education. Donations and sales are what keeps a community art gallery afloat, and likewise, we depend on the generosity, recognition and financial donations from those who recognize the value of supporting the exhibition of top-notch public art and the communication of our unique culture of the Discovery Islands to the rest of the world."

The Colours of Sparks runs September 07 – October 10. Perrin Sparks will provide portraits @ \$30.00/per person (approximately 20 minutes each) on September 15 and 19 starting at 11 am. The public is invited and encouraged to attend. Appointments for sittings please call 250-285-2474.

Live Music DUFFY LIVE Triday, August 31
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QUADRAPALOOZA!!

# A Quadra Island Arts & Music Festival Sept. 1st & 2nd at the Community Centre Gates open 11 am

he time has come for Quadra to have its own arts festival, and when better than now? Loaded with talent the line up beams of excitement for Quadra residents and visitors, bringing to the community a large variety of expression of the arts, featuring poetry, story telling, yoga, healing arts, live visual artists, many Island vendors, foods (with vegan options) communal creative inspirations and collaborations and of course, live music!! Bands, duo's, trio's and solo performers from all walks of life, will be taking the stage in a beautiful way.

From folk to jazz and bluegrass to rock n soul, there is a very diverse musical expedition in store for all those who attend Quadrapalooza.

Those who were lucky enough to catch one of Jillian Christmas and Chelsea D.E. Johnson's heart hitting performances at Cafe Kameleon this past year could tell you that they would not be something to pass by. The champion slam poet Jillian mixed with the amazingly soulful voice and music of Chelsea is an experience that only the two together could create. Combining thought provoking poetry, with sultry spoken word, melodies that will eat at your heart, keep your toes tappin' and will bring a tear to the eye of even the manliest men. The two will be on stage Sunday afternoon. Chelsea D.E. Johnson will also be headlining Saturday evening with her full band, High Society, a super talented danceable rock n soul band with sax, keys, and drums.

Also not something to be missed!

Hailing from Pender Island, The Pesky Alders, another band that has graced the Quadra community at Cafe Aroma this passed year, will hit the stage Sunday evening with their newtime folk-grass 5 piece band.

Cello, fiddle, banjo, guitar, washboard, and full vocal harmonies. They are a treat

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for all ages, they may even get Grandma on the dance floor.

Cameron Gunn & the Unsung, if you been around these parts for a bit then surely you have heard the voice of the Gunn. Now playing with his band "the Unsung" from his current headquarters in east Vancouver, this folk rocker is gifting us the pleasure of hearing his newest and greatest material. The island never left his soul and you can feel it in his songs, headlining Sunday evening, finishing the weekend with style.

Fiftieth Parallel, two young fellows from just around the bend, play acoustically and instrumentally like you would not believe. They will get you dancing and jiving so much you will just have to find out for yourself. These fella's will also be on the stage Sunday evening.

Ah Venice, from the depths of Nanaimo emerge this young, energetic and lyrically driven acoustic indie rock group. With there poppy riffs and sly styles meshing together a plethora of instruments, the creativity never ceases to grow. Catch these folks just before High Society on Saturdays line up!

Many local artists from Quadra and Cortes will also be preforming, such as Franceasca Belcourt, Graeme Bousada, Whale of a Dream, Isis Johndotter, Dirty Animal, Sydney Williams & the Undercurrents, Big Mouth, PEEL, Marguerite Thompson, Banjo Joe, the Quadra Drummers, and the Whole Sh'Bang!

What better way to spend the last weekend of summer than with an artistic extravaganza?

Tickets available at Hummingbird Art & Office Supplies in Q-Cove, Java Bay Cafe in Heriot Bay or the Cortes Island Co-op. Advance weekend passes are only \$40 and still only \$50 at the gate! or \$30/day.

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#### Sunday Sept 2

MC-Sarah Bible 11 am- Gates Open 11:15 am- Yoga W/Trinty (Byo. Mat) 12:00 pm- Mitch Currie 12:30 pm- The Haw Lantern 1:00 pm- Nowhere Fast 2:00 pm- Mister Luke Orland O'Hearn 2:30 pm- Quadra Drummers 3:00 pm- Peel 3:30 pm- Graeme Bousada 4:00 pm- Francesca Belcourt 4:30 pm- Cock On A Mountain Top 5:00 pm- Canvas 5:30 pm- Jillian Christmas & Chelsea D.E. Johnson 6:30 pm-Fiftieth Parallel 7:00 pm- The Pesky Alders 8:00 pm- Dirty Animal 8:45 pm- Cameron Gunn & The Unsung



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### Save The Heart Of Quadra Parks

Closing Celebration at Tsa-Kwa-Luten Lodge on September 22

The Save the Heart of Quadra Parks committee is delighted to announce the closing celebration to our very successful fundraising campaign to procure the lands joining Small Inlet and Octopus Islands Provincial Parks. Stephen Hume, journalist and author has accepted our invitation to speak at this final fundraiser. Many of you will know Stephen's insightful and critically acclaimed columns in the Vancouver Sun and his numerous books on the ecology and history of British Columbia. The event will be held in the Grand Hall at the Lodge on September 22, 2012 at 7pm.

Join us for an evening of celebration, with music, a glass of wine and light refreshments. Listen to Stephen Hume's talk and enjoy both a silent and live auction. Our own Mike McIvor will MC the evening and be our "live" auctioneer. Some of the list of items donated so far are a day's bicycle rental from Island Cycle, a night at Fox Meadows Cottage, dinner at Kameleon and a nutrition consultation at Amped on Nutrition. There will be paintings, books, a set of barbecue tools, weaving, pottery and a host of other items. A detailed list of items valued from \$35 up will be published in the next DI and on the Sierra BC website. Email and drop off bids will again be accepted on the silent auction items, bids that will not be revealed until the on site bidding has closed. Tickets are \$25 and will be available at the usual locations, or make a reservation by calling 285-2850 or by email reservation@ quadraislandconservancy.ca

# **Coincidence**? I think not.

While doing some research on her upcoming book about the criminals of Quadra Island, The Dastardly Dans Of Quadra, Jeannette Seamstress came across an 2 000 year old article from the remote Persian Empire town of Quedra. Dated September 9th 2 000 years ago, the article in the Dee Eye reads as follows:

"I'm afraid to go out at night," said Dudley Doowright of the Royal Camel Mounted Police, "so I understand how the average person must feel." The smartie thieves have outwitted the smartiest detectives in the land. Sherlock stayed home. Marple was a miss. Adam never got off the dog leash. Morse coded and Culumbo was falked right from the beginning.

"This is getting serious," said Candace Tents, director of Theatre Quedra. "We use smartie training for our actors and if the smarties've all been stolen we'll have to switch to clicker training. We've got Sleeping Beauty coming up at the end of November and if we use clickers we might have to switch to Pinocchio."

"It's too much of a coincidence that I found this cutting just now when the Fall Fair is happening on the 2 000 anniversary of the article." Ms. Seamstress is worried that history might be about to repeat itself. To help prevent this candy catastrophe, she has donated a large part of the fortune she has accumulated as a writer to hiring a psychic who will bring the events of 2 000 years ago here to Quadra. "My research tells me that the case was solved by the greatest detective of all time, Ali Baba. If we can see how he did it maybe we can stop the smartie thieves here before they start."

# Photography in the Garden

It is harvest time on Quadra. We celebrate our gardens and our life style at the second annual fall fair - so don't miss this great event. The Garden Club begins its' fall session on Monday September 10th 7 pm at the Community Centre. Join us to discover interesting techniques for recording your garden for long time enjoyment and future reference. It is always a pleasure to look at a photo of your summer garden on a cold winter day and dream about your next season of growing.

Don Mottershead will present Beyond the Snapshot - Improving Your Garden/ Flower Photography. Photos are a great way of documenting your garden, and a well taken garden or flower photo can have its own artistic value. This presentation will provide information and tips to help you improve your images. The topics to be covered include: understanding light, controlling light, close-up photography, controlling depth-of-field, and the elements of composition.

Don is a keen amateur photographer. He is one of the founding members of the Quadra Island Photography Club, and has taught photography courses at the Community Centre. Take this opportunity to improve your photo art and perhaps next year you will win a ribbon in the competition at the fall fair.

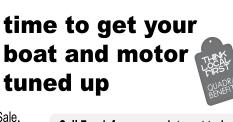
Every summer has its challenges and this one has been cold and wet to start and hot and dry as it comes to an end. Share the results of all your hard work with the Club, by bringing along your finest specimens of fruit, vegies and flowers for the show and tell table. Drop ins \$2, annual membership \$10.

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The Fall Fair loves dogs!! (but not on the Fair Grounds....). Please take dogs performing in the Doggie Dash, the Pet Parade or Dog Agility Demonstration to the designated doggie area (which will be clearly marked). All pet events will be held consecutively on Fair Day (about 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.), so that dogs and other pets can be taken home to brag about their triumphs, or secured in the shady areas outside the field. We'd love to have our canine friends tour the grounds, but many people are nervous about dogs, and many dogs are nervous about too many people (plus there's the problem of unwanted calling cards...). So, please, unless your dog is performing, keep him or her safely at home, and everybody will have a good time.

### Donated Quilts at the Credit Union for Silent Auction Bids

#### Proceeds to Save the Heart of Quadra Parks

A huge thanks goes out to island quilters who have rallied together to donate a variety of beautiful quilts to our cause. Hundreds of painstaking hours go into these colourful and tactile creations. The quilts will be on display at the Credit Union for the next three weeks and will be up for bid in an ongoing silent auction, the proceeds to go to the campaign to acquire land at the centre of the northern parks. Do take a look at the wonderful collection of work hanging in the Credit Union and make your bid in the especially prepared binder. We would like to extend our heartfelt appreciation to Eve Phillips who not only arranged the collection of quilts but donated many of her own creations.



### Save The Heart Of Quadra Parks Campaign Update

As of August 27, \$92,000 has been donated to the fundraising campaign. Parks BC is thrilled that Islanders have come together to raise such a substantial amount of money in a relatively short time. They have indicated that if our target of \$200,000 is not completely reached, the closing of the sale may not be jeopardized and we are seriously encouraged to continue our efforts to come as close as possible to our campaign goal by September 26, 2012. The majority of the funding for this acquisition is coming from a multi faceted partnership of various groups including the Province. This is common practice in these days of smaller government budgets. Parks is still negotiating for some of these funds which means that the more money that can be raised locally, the better. At this point, the Department is optimistic that one way or another the acquisition will be successful and these precious lands will be folded into the existing parks. This is news worth celebrating.

The \$1000 Club Members who are eligible for the Columbia III day trips to the Octopus Islands now number 32. There are just 10 places left. Those who have recently contributed \$1,000 or more are Joan Sell, Dan McKenzie, Gerry and Susan Enns, Gavin and Mary McIntosh, Open Bay Holdings, Charles Kahn, Linda Lessard and John Kragen, Grant Peterson, Karen Mazurek, Carol Anderson, Gordon Mazurek, Marjorie Garside, Joyce Johnson, and Sandy Bullivant.

Please continue to give as generously as possible through the website, by mail, at the Farmer's Market Sept. 1st, the Fall Fair Sept. 9 or in the donation boxes at various stores. Cheques should be made out to Quadra Island Conservancy Society and mailed to Box 202 Heriot Bay, www.quadraparks.ca

#### the last drop water systems



# Introducing the Tula Foundation

I making this opportunity to introduce the Tula Foundation, to thank the people of Quadra Island for being the driving force behind behind our efforts to create a scientific research and teaching center at Hakai on the BC Central Coast, and to give anyone who is interested a preview of what's coming down the road.

So what the heck is the Tula Foundation? I was fortunate to start a company in the right place at the right time (Waterloo, Ontario in the 90s) in a good field (imaging systems for hospitals). By the end of 2001 the company had grown too big for me to manage, so when the chance came to sell I took it.

I decided to keep doing what I'd been doing—starting enterprises to do socially useful things--but my wife Christina Munck and I decided to focus on non-profit ventures. We formed the Tula Foundation so that we had a professional-looking vehicle for the work—something that felt like a company. There's no mystery to the Tula Foundation—we finance and run everything ourselves. And the name? Tula was just a nice name, the name of one of our dogs, now deceased.

A couple of years later we moved to Quadra. (I was born in Port Alberni and grew up on the Island so this is my home.) In the early years we focused mainly on a

project that stemmed from my previous work in health systems but this time for poor countries. That project, which continues today, is a large nursing and primary health care program in remote regions of Guatemala.

Even before we moved to Quadra we had embarked on conservation, science and nursing projects on the BC Central Coast. By the fall of 2009 those activities had grown so extensive we needed a local base of operations. We bought a failing fishing lodge at Hakai on Calvert Island, which is the first island to the north of Vancouver Island. That venture has become the Hakai Institute, which we say is a "research, teaching and meeting place serving the Central Coast". Scientific American calls it "a hive of activity best described as a science-infused community centre". Our 'hive' can house up to one hundred 'bees'.

Our research runs the gamut from marine ecology to archaeology. Teaching ranges from formal courses run by the universities to workshops for First Nations resource managers on fisheries, bear habitat, etc. We are a meeting place for Central Coast schools, the Coastal Guardian Watchmen, advocacy groups opposed to pipelines and tankers, and anything else we think is useful or interesting.

We are the only populated place in the enormous Hakai Luxvbalis Conservancy and the gateway to the legendary beaches on the west coast of Calvert, so we are effectively the park headquarters. We embrace this role: we treat our 215 acres as though they were part of the park and grant access to the public, and in turn BC Parks gives us research access to the entire Conservancy.



All this makes life rather hectic at Hakai, but it does seem to be working. And why is it working? In no small part because of the energy, commitment, creativity and progressive spirit of the people of Quadra Island who work with us on this mission.

I provide just a few examples here:

Joanna Fraser (Annett) got our nursing program started at Rivers Inlet.

Rob Wood came up with the brilliant redesign of our main lodge.

John Toelle's construction crew has rebuilt most of the facility.

Keith Jordan has helped with everything and anything since day one.

Helen Moats spearheads our schools program.

Chefs, housekeepers, maintenance, and our growing research staff—the leaders are Quadra Islanders.

Friends and relatives of our staff visit and show support.

Volunteers from Quadra come each year to help other BC Parks supporters build trails and bridges.

And getting to Hakai is no picnic—the long drive to Port Hardy and 130 km by water taxi over some of the roughest waters on our coast.

So a huge thank you to everyone who has supported us so far.

The future? More of the same next season. We will also begin doing some research on Quadra in marine ecology—initially mainly prototyping here for the larger scale work at Hakai. Visit our websites (www. hakai.org and www.tula.org) and email me (eric@tula.org) if you have any questions or comments.

- Eric Peterson





# Saturday Market Music

You name it: blues, bluegrass, country classical, drums, folk music, we got it? It all happens every Saturday Market Day from around 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., just beside the Quadra Coastal Credit Union. What an amazing variety of local musical talent exists on our small island. And there are just three more markets left. So come and listen to Hal Douglas and Marnie Younger, a dual guitar team with mostly original songs on Saturday, September 1. Dave Blinziner returns solo with recorded music backup on Saturday, September 8. Banjo Joe plays the last market on Saturday, September 15. Also, thanks to the many venders and Quadra residents (and tourists) for their generous contributions to our local musicians. The last couple of weeks, they have been taking home some good bucks. If you would like to perform at the market next year, Call Steve Moore and we'll pencil you in. The number is 285-3323.

# Quadra Island is Paradise

Quadra Island is often referred to as "Paradise" by its residents. There are 100 reasons why. Let's start making a list. Here's ten reasons: 1. Rebecca Spit; 2. Saturday Market; 3.Community Lunch; 4.Open Bay; 5. Friday Flicks; 6. Cultural Committee music gigs; 7. Quadra Community Centre; 8. Free Firewood; 9. Morte Lake; 10. New library. Only 90 more reasons to go...Keep thinking. Let's keep each other posted in the following weeks. Call me, Steve at 285-3323 if you have a another reason why Quadra is a "paradise island." Maybe, there's more than 100 reasons?



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### Quadra Island Farmer's Market and Bazaar

Two Fantastic venues for your enjoyment!

Every Friday- at Heriot Bay Tru Value, West side lot. 12 noon til 4pm. Rain or Shine!

Busy times are coming. Consider joining us at this great location.

We always welcome new vendors. If you would like more info on how to get started call Michele 250-285-3747

For the Friday market, set up starts at 10am. Every Saturday- beside the Credit Union. 10am - 2pm. Rain or shine!

Fresh veggies, beautiful plants, flowers, chocolates, baked goodies, soaps, books, arts, crafts, jewelry, live entertainment and so much more!

The Saturday market set up time starts at 8am.

Parking is accessed from Green Road.

Our markets are on a first come basis and to set up a table is still only \$5.00

Children under 16 is only \$1.00. They must sell their own articles though.

Charitable organizations will not be charged. We discourage dogs at the market

BUT if you MUST bring your pet, have it on a leash or carry it, and of course, pick up after them as people and children play here!

Visitors welcome! Come and enjoy our local market. This is where it is happening Fridays and Saturdays on Quadra Island.

Thanks for your interest and cooperation. Contacts are Stella 250-285-3184 or Michele 250-285-3747

email: quadramarket@gmail.com or check us out at: facebook.com/quadramarket

Come on out, we'd love to see you there!

## Coming soon: Quadra Singers Christmas Celtic Ceilidh

The fall 2012 session of Quadra Singers is about to begin, and the island's community choir is calling lads and lasses to help us prepare a Celtic Ceilidh for this year's Christmas concert.

Get ready to sing along at a winter "gathering party" featuring traditional music, dancing and storytelling. Quadra Singers' December concert could include harps, fiddles and bagpipes (okay, maybe not bagpipes — but don't rule 'em out!) to complement haunting Celtic music that evokes mists and magic.

Music director Linda Cannon is researching music options to compile a concert line-up that will include pieces sung with other performers (possibly even local children), and plenty of traditional favourites.

"We'll offer a mix of cultural traditions in our concert this winter," Linda says. "People love the lilt of Celtic ballads, and the toe-tapping lift of the party music. We expect to celebrate the season with songs and music that will tug heart strings and make the audience want to dance."

Mark your calendar for the choir's first practice: 6:45 p.m. Sept. 13 at the Quadra Community Centre.

All voices are welcome to sing, laugh and learn with us! (Fee discounts are available for singing members of the same household.)

People can learn more about Quadra Singers on our Facebook page. Or contact the choir by email (quadrasingers@gmail. com) or call 250-285-2739 or 250-285-2142 for more information.



Tip-top Chimneysweep It's that time of year Gabe Aston 204-5228

# We Need Your Stuff!

It's time to get ready for the Quadra Philippines Connection's 18th Giant Fund-raising Garage Sale to be held at Quadra Community Centre on Sunday, September 23rd. All proceeds go towards Quadra's current sponsorship of the Dilag Basao and Lubo-Hilltop preschool/daycares in the northern Philippines. Once again, all CLEAN, SALEABLE donations in GOOD WORKING ORDER will be gratefully accepted for this rewarding event. In otherwords, if it's dirty or doesn't work, don't send it! We regret that NO skiis, golf clubs, encyclopedias, computers, microwave ovens or old televisions can be accepted. Please note, however, that computers, tvs and small appliances as well as many alkaline and rechargeable batteries can be recycled at the Campbell River Bottle Depot at 1580F Willow Street. Helpful, also, would be to separate women's, men's, teen's and children's clothing and even to label as such.

Drop-off for the garage sale is available at the following homes until Friday, September 21st and we thank these participants in advance for continuing to offer this invaluable service!

Q. Cove	Sharon & Harry Archibald	858 Prentice Pl.	285-3288
South End	Ruth Powell & Chris Thompson	307 Sutil Rd.	285-3695
Heriot Bay	Candace & Jackson Holmes	684 Cramer (leave item	ns in carport)
Back Road	Pauline Lansdall	1068 Milton Greenhous	e)285-2076
	Ann & Don Doolittle	303 Smiths Rd.	285-3457

Direct drop-off to the community centre will also be available on Saturday, September 22nd until 2:00pm.

Anyone wishing to help out with set-up on Saturday, September 18th or on the day of the sale on the 19th should contact Carol at 285-3035 or at cfoort@yahoo.com We will need truck-drivers and trucks, sorters, cashiers, bakers and volunteers for our

concession. We also appreciate all those willing to lend a hand to pack up at the end of the sale as well as those willing to take remainders away to various thrift stores in their vehicles.

We would like to thank Heriot Bay Tru Value for its recent contribution from its bottle depot as well as both Tru Value stores for their Spirit Board contributions. Another opportunity to contribute to this worthy cause is by choosing #291 for your Spirit Board points!



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# Quadra Literacy News

Calling all writers, young and older! It is not too late to put pen to paper or fingers to the keyboard and create a poem, short story or essay on your favourite topic to enter in the Fall Fair. The topics for adults are:

Short Story or Essay – What I love or hate about rural life on Quadra Island, i.e. what happens to the chickens when they stop laying, etc.

Poetry – Create a poem inspired by the line in a Margaret Atwood poem "We are learning to make fire."

Epitaph or obituary to some aspect of rural life.

Journalism – Profile of someone you admire who lived or lives a rural lifestyle – include a photo or hand drawn portrait of him/her. Up to 650 words.

Exhibits in this category will be judged on overall strength of submission, creativity and artistry of form, structure and plot, grammar, spelling and use of language.

#### The topics for youth are:

Short Story – about an unusual or usual experience with an animal

Short Story - starting with this sentence: There are three children sitting on a beach log near the ocean's edge. One of them looks down and sees......

Haiku poem about things that fly, flap, crawl or wiggle

Poetry – a poem in any form about a place that is special for you

Judges will be looking at strength of overall submission, creativity and artistry and use of language.

Bonus for all Writers - Rural Themed Found Poem. Participants can hand in two

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lines of a Found Poem at the Fair or email your submission. The final work will be a collaborative poem.

Found Poetry celebrates the poetry in the existing and every day. We're talking about the poetry found in your newspaper articles, instruction booklets, dictionaries, product packaging, public speeches, existing poems and more. The following are two lines derived from the last edition of the Discovery Islander.

Mercury is rising, experience building gratitude from scratch,

Dance the enchanted forest, discover expansion

All exhibits in the writing category must be submitted by Friday, September 7. Exhibits will be held for a time and published locally with the author's permission.

Quadra Literacy has volunteer tutors interested in helping adults develop skills in reading, writing, spoken language and computing. Individuals can work with a tutor in the privacy of the Literacy Centre at Quadra Elementary. If you are interested in learning how to use email, browse the Internet or use the library catalogue online, you can meet with a tutor at the Library in Quathiaski Cove. Perhaps you'd be interested in learning about British Columbia Libraries: Libraries without Walls where you can request from an extensive catalogue and download ebooks and audio books.

If you are a family or individual without a computer in your home, Quadra Literacy offers free refurbished computers along with basic computer skills tutoring.

Contact Robin @ 250 285 3185 or email: robin.quadraliteracy@gmail.com if you are interested in any of these opportunities.

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# Quadra Seniors News

Fall is upon us, days are shorter, leaves are starting to fall. The Tourist Information Booth will be coming to a close. Thanks to all the Seniors, and friends who welcomed the many Tourists to our beautiful Discovery Island area. Thanks go to Judy Hagen who managed the staffing at the Visitor centre. Working at the booth is very rewarding, especially when you meet tourists from the other side of the world.

On September 5th/12 we are having our Annual potluck picnic on the East side of Rebecca Spit, follow the signs, our meeting will start at 11:00 a:m, followed with lunch and games with prizes and fun. Bring your own drink, utensils, cup & plate. Also a hat & a chair. Phone Ann Lawrence @3325 or Ruth @3801 if you need a ride, or if you have any questions. In case we have rain, our picnic will be held at the Royal Canadian Legion in Heriot Bay.

Our Wed. Activities will start on Sept. 12th/12 at the Legion, Armchair aerobics @ 10:00 a:m carpet bowling @ 11:15 a:m.

If you wish to go on a Excursion in a boat with Jack Mar, from Taku--\$28.00 for Seniors \$35.00 for younger folks for a 1/12 to 2hr. trip, call Ruth @3801.

We have trips on a bus, or special trips to Qualicum Beach Village Theatre starting in October call Ann Lawrence @ 3325. Call Ruth @3801 for memberships with our active group, or if you are interested in having a walking group.





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# Jazz on Quadra

September is a good month for Jazz on Quadra. Live Jazz music continues at April Point lounge and dining room with the following line up: Jazz Berry Jam returns on Tuesday, September 4; and the Thievin Brothers close the Jazz season on Tuesday, September 11. The music happens from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. If you're coming between 7 p.m. and 9 p.m., Please consider making reservations. The place has been packed with tourists, visitors from Campbell River and, for the first time, many Quadra Islanders have been coming out. The Tsa Kua Luten Lodge hosts the Thievin Brothers every Friday night at dinner time. The summer time is the best, and perhaps, the only time, to listen to live jazz on Quadra Island. So come on out for the above mentioned gigs.

### Quadra Island Tourism Plans Radio Campaign

Quadra Island Tourism and the Discovery Islands Chamber of Commerce are excited to be embarking on Year 4 of our "Community Tourism Opportunities" (CTO) partnership with Tourism BC.

For the 2012-2013 marketing season the focus will be on producing and airing a series of radio commercials to promote shoulder season activities and special offers. To gather stakeholder and participant information to craft the campaign a survey is circulating. Chamber members will have received one by email but one and all are welcome to contribute. Find an online survey at:

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Sept 7 - Oct 10, 2012 Cove Centre - Quadra Island Discovery Islands Gallery



### Red Carpet Rolling at Works of H'Art

The WORKS OF H'ART welcome red carpet is out to our new artist Kevin Johnson. Kevin's pencil art is breathtaking and it is hard to believe these are not photographs! Please come and view "On the Prowl", "West Coast Summer", "Peek a Boo" and "Evening at the Passage". Matted prints of these are also available. Melanie Bishop's art cards are already a big hit so we are taking orders for her prints which will be available soon! We also are showcasing a few exquisite beaded necklaces and keychains from local artist Virginia Stewart. Virginia is from the Bigstone Cree Nation and has been creating beautiful beaded items for over 40 years....thank you Virginia!

We will be selling all sunglasses, hats and flip-flops at half price until they are put away Sept 15th. Come and stock up for next summer!!!

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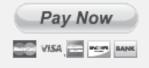
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