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Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!!!!

Ferry Schedules

Campbell River - Quadra Island

Crossing Time: 10 minutes

Leave Campbell River Leave Quathiaski Cove

Mon-Fri	Sat-Sun	Mon-Fri	Sat-Sun
6:40 am		6:15 am	
7:30 am	7:25 am	7:05 am	7:00 am
8:30 am	†8:15 am	8:00 am	†7:50 am
9:25 am	9:15 am	†9:00 am	8:45 am
**10:25 am	10:10 am	9:55 am	9:45 am
11:25 am	11:10 am	10:55 am	10:40 am
12:25 pm	12:10 pm	11:55 am	11:40 pm
1:25 pm	1:10 pm	12:55 pm	12:40 pm
2:45 pm	2:10 pm	2:15 pm	1:40 pm
3:40 pm	3:40 pm	3:15 pm	3:15 pm
†4:40 pm	4:40 pm	**4:10 pm	4:10 pm
5:45 pm	5:45 pm	5:15 pm	5:15 pm
7:00 pm	7:00 pm	6:30 pm	6:30 pm
7:55 pm	7:55 pm	7:25 pm	7:25 pm
8:55 pm	8:55 pm	8:25 pm	8:25 pm
9:55 pm	9:55 pm	9:25 pm	9:25 pm
*10:55 pm	†10:55 pm	*10:25 pm	†10:25 pm

Quadra Island - Cortes Island

Crossing Time: 45 minutes

Leave Heriot Bay Leave Whaletown

Mon-Fri	Sat-Sun	Mon-Fri	Sat-Sun
9:05 am	†8:45 am	7:50 am	†7:30 am
**11:05 am	10:45 am	9:50 am	9:30 am
1:05 pm	12:45 pm	11:50 am	11:30 am
3:20 pm	2:45 pm	**1:50 pm	1:30 pm
5:10 pm	4:35 pm	4:05 pm	3:40 pm
6:45 pm	6:25 pm	5:55 pm	5:20 pm

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* Fridays Only † Daily except Sundays.

** Tuesday sailings are for Dangerous Cargo
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CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR VOLUNTEERS!!!

A Storied Brunch @ HBI. Thank You!

All the stories during this event were either humorous, passionate, powerful & so darn right good. We could feel, touch & imagine the visions while listening to our talented storytellers & singers. An enchanting musical performance was given by Kris Wellstein, also Julie Douglas, Darcy Mitchell & John Walton.

This event was a fundraiser for NISHS, Trauma & Abuse Counselling Centre in Campbell River. A silent auction & raffle was held, NISHS greatly appreciated all the gift givers for their valuable contribution to this event.

We thank a group of extremely talented storytellers, singers, not only for the giving of their valuable time, but for supporting NISHS & the bringing together of islanders.

The talented storytellers were: Maia Windrim, Judy O'Dell, Kris Wellstein, John Philips, Margaret Verschuur, John Nursall, John Walton & Julie Douglas.

Special thanks to the amazing Julie Douglas (MC) for taking us through the event, also to Heriot Bay Inn for giving us the opportunity to bring awareness & funds for NISHS & supporting a 'Storytelling Brunch', with delicious food, excellent service resulting in a beautiful event enjoyed by all. See you all again next year.

Margot Wood

NISHS.

(North Island Survivors' Healing Society)

Celebrate Quadra Gardens Slideshow - Next Meeting

The Garden Club meeting in January will be a slide show of local Quadra Island gardens. What a pick-me up it is for the beginning of 2015: to showcase the beauty of our local landscape.

Club members have photographed favourite scenes in their gardens, at the peak of summer, to share with the local gardening community.

Don Mottershead, leader of the Q I Photo Club, has developed an hour long slide show as a result of these submitted photos. When it is gray outside, we couldn't ask for a better time than to enjoy what our neighbours create in their gardens during the green season.

The photographers will be asked to say a few words about their gardens. Come out and enjoy.

Join us on Monday January 12th, 7 pm at the Community Centre for an interesting evening. The Club meets on the second Monday of each month except for holidays. Our large annual plant sale will be on Saturday April 18th – so mark that date on your calendars.

Membership is \$10 per year or \$15 for the family. There is a guest speaker at each meeting as well as a plant sale table, general gardening information for the beginner to the experienced, and of course, yummy refreshments.

Join us this winter and share our dreams for gardens to come.

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THE ISLAND CALENDAR

Day to Day

Thursday, December 25

Community Christmas Dinner at the Heriot Bay Inn

Friday, December 26

Annual Boxing Day Casino Night at 6:30pm. Playing Black Jack and Texas Hold'em Poker at Quadra Legion
New Year's Eve Party with D.J. Absolute Zero, complimentary snacks & champagne at midnight. 9:00-3:00, \$5. At the door.

Tuesday, December 30

New Years Eve Eve. Hal Douglas, Julie Frank & Dave Blinzinger in concert Heron's at HBI
All Ages Show 7-9 Doors 6:30 Cover \$7

Wednesday, December 31

New Years Eve Blue Katz vintage rock and roll to ring in the New Year! No cover.

Saturday, January 10

Cultural Committee: Dockside Drive, swing and show band presents "A Night at the Savoy." 7:30 pm

Monday, January 12

Garden Club presents slide show of local gardens with Don Mottershead - QCC 7 pm

The Regulars

MONDAY

Parent & Tots, QCC, 9:30 am-12pm
Badminton at the Cape Mudge gym, 7:30pm (\$2)

TUESDAY

Al-Anon Meeting, Quadra Children's Centre, 7:30pm
Folkdancing, QCC, 7:30pm, Sep 16-Dec 16, 285.3849

WEDNESDAY

1st & 3rd Wednesday Food Bank, QCC 1-2pm
Hand-Drum Jam, Upper Realm, Q Cove 7:45pm

THURSDAY

Parents & Tots, QCC, 10 am-12 pm
Prayer Meeting, Quadra Island Bible Church, 7pm
Badminton at the Cape Mudge gym, 7:30pm (\$2)

FRIDAY

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8pm Quadra United Church

SATURDAY

Open Mic with Mo, 9pm at the HBI pub

SUNDAY

Buddhist Meditation, Upper Realm, 10am
Family Service, Quadra Island Bible Church, 10:30am
Quadra Sunday Painters, 11am - 2pm, 285.3390
United Church, 11am, 285.3163

What's
on at the
Community
Centre!



Holiday Hours

Q.C.C. office will be closed Dec 22 - Jan 4th. We wish you all very happy holidays, see you in the new year!

Correction:

The Community Kitchen Lunch at the Community Centre will resume again on January 14 2015.

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- Drop off your listing at Inspirations in Quathiaski Cove
- Or you can bring it to our office, 701 Cape Mudge Road
- The mail works too! Our postal address is Box 280, Q Cove, BC V0P 1N0

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7pm on Monday
January 5
for publication
on Friday, January 9

ISLAND FORUM - SAY YOUR PIECE

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people who would like to help
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led by Nancy Allwarden, as
President.

People will be contacted
soon, by the phoning lady
Daphne Young.

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NEW YEAR'S EVE EVE

Heron's at the HBI presents
in concert, "A Little Jazz, A
little Blues.....A Whole
Lotta Music."

Heron's will be open Tuesday,
December 30th, for a Holiday
Concert with local musicians Hal
Douglas, Julie Frank and Dave
Blinzinger.

Julie is well known for her
incredible voice on musical
productions, as well as in various
bands including: Duffy Live! and
The Hal Douglas Blues Band.
Julie will be featured on guitar
and vocals.

Dave is well known for his
skilful work with numerous
bands on Quadra, Cortes,
Courtenay and Campbell River.

Dave will be featured on his
main instrument, the saxophone.

Hal is a singer-songwriter
and music teacher known for his
work with his own Blues Band
and also Jazzberry Jam. Hal will
be featured on guitar and vocals.

Come join them for some
musical magic in this intimate
setting. The usual great food and
drinks will be available at this
all-ages event.

Doors open at 6:30 P.M.
Showtime is 7-9 P.M. Cover
charge will be \$7.

GESHE YONGDONG SPEAKS

Geshe YongDong is coming
to Quadra Island to speak on the
"Five Sacred Energies." Geshe
YongDong has been a Tibetan
Buddhist monk since he was
eleven years old and is a maser
of these "Five Sacred Energies"
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Exploring these deeper parts
of ourselves brings spiritual,
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balance to our lives. Geshe
YongDong will take us through
various healing and purification
rituals, including meditation and
ancient mantras to help us bring
peace and inner balance to our
day to day lives.

Everyone is welcome. The
time is from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
in the upstairs room at the
Quadra Community Centre on
Sunday, January 18th. Suggested
donation is \$10 to help support
Geshe's travels and teaching but
pay whatever you can afford. For
more information, call Steve or

Danielle at 250-285-3323 or
e-mail at daniellegi@gicable.com

FREE MONEY

We did have a free money
distribution on Wednesday,
January 7th.

But for future reference, the
money distribution takes place
on the first Wednesday of every
month from 11:30 a.m. to Noon
in the downstairs small seminar
room at the Quadra Community
Centre.

The program has been going
for over eight years but is now
endangered by a lack of funds.
Money to keep it going can be
deposited in the Free Money
account at our local Quadra
Coastal Credit Union.

Ten dollars is in each book
available. One book per single
person and two for a family.
Another problem, the folks who
normally distribute the books
and money are working or are
out of the country for February
and March. So we need two
volunteers to distribute books &
money on the first Wednesday of
February and March. Call Steve
at 285-3323 if you can help.



Happy Holidays From Quadra Marine Services

I would like to thank all of my "Discovery Islanders"
both near and far for a very busy year. I wish you all a
happy, peaceful and prosperous New Year.

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Once again a donation has been made in your name
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Best wishes to one and all for the holidays

Frank Delph



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CULTURAL COMMITTEE

LEGION EVENTS

Casino Night Fri. Dec. 26th starting 6:30pm, with Black Jack and Texas Hold'em Poker. Volunteer dealers needed! New Year's Eve Party with D.J. Absolute Zero, complimentary snacks & champagne at midnight. 9:00-3:00, \$5. Happy Holidays to all!

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR

All the best to all our readers near and far at the close of the year. Thanks to all our contributors and advertisers for supporting *your* Discovery Islander. Looking forward to a good year in 2015 and the DI will be there with you.

Philip Stone

A Night at the Savoy

Celebrating the New Year in 1940s style will be as easy as donning your favourite 40's evening attire, rounding up your friends and "... stepping out with your baby" to the Quadra Cultural Committee's next concert offering (complete with dance floor): "A Night at the Savoy" by Dock Side Drive, Saturday, January 10th at 7:30 pm at the Quadra Community Centre.

"A Night at the Savoy" takes you back to 1944 in New York City's iconic Savoy Ballroom to celebrate the music and performers of the swing era. Featuring the swingin' sounds of Victoria's own dynamic show band, "Dock Side Drive," accompanied by radio personality Barry Bowman (played by Owen Searle), audience members become patrons of the Savoy on that historic night, Dec. 15, 1944, when the great Glenn Miller died while fighting with the services during WWII. Listeners are ushered into that evening with a live radio broadcast, including the jazz, blues and show tunes of Duke Ellington, Glenn Miller, Ray Charles, Frank Sinatra, the Andrews Sisters, Irving Berlin, Nat King Cole and more. With songs like "Hit that Jive Jack," "Blue Skies," "It Don't Mean a Thing" you are guaranteed to be singin' and swingin' along.



Dock Side Drive features some of Victoria's finest musicians: Heather Burns on piano, Anita Bonkowski on drums, Joey Smith on bass, Dave Fello on trumpet and Paul Wainwright on saxophone. Fronting the group with great energy and vocal prowess are singers and dancers: Fran Bitonti, Angela Ireland and Chris Newstead.

What a fantastic night of 'big band' style jazz and swing. Powerhouse vocals, riveting instrumentals, and a wonderful richness and classiness to the whole show. Our audience loved it so much they barely let the musicians leave the stage...." – Deb Renz, General Manager, Sid Williams Theatre, Courtenay, BC

Dock Side Drive's "A Night at the Savoy" is guaranteed to keep you "jumpin and jivin' all year long. Advance tickets are \$17, available at the usual outlets: the Music Plant in Campbell River, Inspirations in Quathiaski Cove and Works of H'Art in Heriot Bay. Tickets at the door will be \$20. For more information, please call 250-285-3710.

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*Thanks for making 2014
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A Happy New Year**

Thanks to all our customers and everyone
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We look forward to serving you
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MONDAY TO FRIDAY 8:30AM TO 6PM + SATURDAY 9AM TO 5PM

Start a Writing Project in 2015

Have you got a writing project in mind, but don't know where to start? Jeanette Taylor and Annette Yourk will give a morning workshop on Sunday January 11 at the Quadra Island Community Centre, with the basics for planning—and starting—a book or short story.

This introductory session is designed for people who want to participate in Taylor's and Yourk's writers' workshops, starting in late January. While the latter works best for those with a writing project underway (see details below), the introductory session provides an energizing overview for anyone who wants to write and needs ideas for how to get started.

The material to be covered is relevant to fiction and nonfiction, including biography, memoir and family history. The cost is \$30, with handouts. For more details see the website: thescribes.ca. To enroll call Jeanette at 285-3651 or Annette at 285-2673. Advance registration is required.

Writers' Workshops for People with Projects Underway

Annette Yourk will lead five bi-monthly sessions at the Quadra Island Community Centre, starting January 25. The cost is \$130. These workshops, each with a special theme, will get you writing—and keep you writing, with peer reviews to help you gauge reader response. This workshop is akin to a facilitated writers group and works well for those with a project underway, either fiction or nonfiction. Register through Annette at 250-285-2673 or at Book Bonanza in Q. Cove.

Jeanette Taylor will offer this same program through the Museum at Campbell River, starting in late January. Call the museum at 250-287-3103 to register or see thescribes.ca for more details.

Quadra Island Outdoor Club

Upcoming Events

At time of writing, Mt Washington has over a meter of snow and is opening some runs. If possible, we will begin to have trips there in January. Through the winter the Outdoor Club hopes to have some scheduled activity once a week, normally on Wednesday. Because of the uncertainty around snow and weather, we won't be planning too far in advance. All trips are subject to change, especially in the winter, so stay in touch with the webpage and the coordinator. We welcome your suggestions for destinations. At this moment the planned trips are:

7 January, Wednesday - hike to Stramberg Old Growth

14 January, Wednesday - Mt. Washington area

More information about these trips is available at:

<http://qioutdoorclub.org/trips/trip-schedule/schedule-fall-and-winter-2014-15/>

Some of the trips and activities we expect to have in 2015 now appear in the schedule on the webpage, but this is still evolving. If you have suggestions or would like to coordinate a trip, please e-mail to qioutdoorclub@gmail.com. For more information about the Club, visit the webpage at qioutdoorclub.org. To join or renew, contact Darcy Mitchell at darcmm@telus.net.

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Chamber Corner....

As the year draws to an end, it is time to take stock of the achievements of the Discovery Islands Chamber of Commerce.

Membership has grown steadily to a new high this year of more than one hundred and thirty members. The majority are from Quadra Island, but we do have twenty five from Cortes Island and a dozen or more from Campbell River and some from smaller communities where no Chamber exists. Despite the encouraging numbers, we still have room for more and welcome applications from businesses large and small.

This year we participated in the Ferry Protest by offering to help with the cost of transportation. We supported the very unique Canada Day celebration at Cape Mudge and we have an ongoing "Welcome to Quadra" program. Through the CTO Program, (Community Tourism Opportunities), we promoted Quadra and Cortes Islands as far and as wide as we could. We have a very well run brochure racking program on our two local ferries and we produce and distribute the Quadra Island Visitors Guide, which is updated annually.



Chamber Christmas Dinner

The Chamber holds a general meeting each month, alternating between lunchtime and dinnertime, the most recent dinner meeting was held at the Heriot Bay Inn on December 10th. It was a fine evening with a very large and enthusiastic turnout, delightful pre-dinner music, a lovely meal and a well-supported silent auction. The guest speaker was Dave Petryk, President and CEO of Tourism Vancouver Island, who spoke about the Value of Tourism.

For 2015, plans are well underway for continued participation in the CTO program, which will be concentrating on promoting the shoulder seasons and representation at the Vancouver Outdoor Show. We are also considering some form of Junior Achievement program. We are all looking forward to our Canada Day celebration and a reminder that this is the year for the bi-annual Discover Quadra Day.

All of this from a volunteer organization! Sincere thanks to all of the members and friends who have volunteered to organize, donate to the and support the Discovery Islands Chamber of Commerce.

Michael Lynch,

President, on behalf of the Board of Directors.

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An Intro to Historical Research

History sleuth extraordinaire Jon Ackroyd will be joined by local historian Jeanette Taylor at the Quadra Island Community Centre.

They'll introduce the basics of where and how to access research materials for family and community history, or for history-based writing.

Join them Sunday, January 11, from 1:45 to 3:45 p.m. It's open to everyone, at a \$5 drop in fee. No registration is required.

Banana fishing? Auditions for Theatre Quadra's - Bananafish Day

Casting now for April 24, 25 & 26 performances.

What would you do if you thought this was your last day? Would you throw a giant party? Try that one thing you were always afraid of doing? Make amends? Make a fool of yourself?

Come out and see what Fisher King, a man with a slightly twisted world view, does on his last day!

Auditions will be held at the Quadra Legion:

- Wednesday, Jan. 14: 7 - 9 pm
- Saturday, Jan. 17: 2 - 4 pm

We're fishing for...

- a puppeteer
- one girl: about 16 yrs.
- one man: 35 - 60 yrs.
- three women: 25 - 60 yrs.
- stage hands who don't mind doing a little improv!

Nothing fishy about this... everyone's a-peeling!

Food Bank Needs Your Donations

Thank you to all persons, groups and businesses in and around our Quadra region for your sustained donations to help keep our food bank in operation.

Without your continued support our services for our food bank clients diminish. It is the saddest when we cannot provide for needy children, their families, our very low income persons and our health challenged people. We never know when life changes our situation so drastically that we find ourselves in the food bank line up.

The reasons we are there is very individual and diverse. We sincerely appreciate your monetary donations which can be made to the Quadra Island Recreation Society at the Community Centre. Tax receipts are provided.

Our donation boxes at both Tru-Value stores are available throughout the year for non perishable food and hygiene products. To help you out a little these are some items we are ALWAYS in need of: evaporated canned milk, pork and beans, baked beans in tomato sauce, Pasta sauce, Kraft dinner, cans of all kinds of soup, canned fruit, jams and peanut butter, canned tuna, cans of kidney beans, diced tomato, chickpeas, toothbrushes, soap, shampoo, toilet paper, spaghetti, dry lentils, rice, oats, soup bean mix.

Perishables are accepted on the First and Third Wednesdays of every month between the hours of 1130 - 2pm.

Otherwise contact the Community Centre and they will direct you to a volunteer.

MERRY CHRISTMAS and thank you for keeping us on your donations list.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS from all of the Food Bank Volunteers.

Peter Alan Gregg

May 7th, 1924 - December 13th 2014



He loved canoeing, drumming and ice cream. An independent thinker with a kind heart. A wonderful husband, father, father in law, grandfather and great-grandfather. A dependable friend, a dedicated musician, author and important member

of the community. Thank you to home care, friends and family who assisted him in his later years. Thank you to the kind staff at the Campbell River hospital for the attention and care in his last days. He requested there be no service. He will be missed tremendously and will live on through our stories, music and love of the outdoors.



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Quadra Quilt Marathon

The 14th annual quilt marathon was held on Oct 25th and 26th at the Community Hall where over 40 quilts began to take shape as comfort quilts for children arriving at the oncology ward of Vancouver Children's Hospital, or as community quilts for people right here on our island. This year's event was organized by Arlis Scott, and led by Team Leaders Jan Bain, Diana McKerracher, Sharron Hatelt, and Barb Round.



Completed Comfort Quilts as of December, 2014

The kitchen was once again looked after by Barb Van Orden and Joan Roberts. Brisket Case BBQ did a fabulous job catering the Saturday dinner; either ribs, chicken, or pulled pork along with two salads and baked potato. Dessert was orange chiffon cake with blueberry cheesecake filling. Feel like you want to join Quadra Quilters NOW?!

Over 40 quilters from Quadra Island, Campbell River, and Cortes Island attended this event. Along with quilting, most of these ladies also provided soup and goodies for the two lunches that were held during this event. Tru-Value store points helped get breads, cheeses, coffee, teas and condiments. Many thanks if you contribute your Tru-Value points (#264) to the Quilters on the island.

It wouldn't be the same without valuable help from the community; Heather Cleland, Lynda Kerr, Susan Gauthier Kolker, Ruth Niedziejko, Betsy Millar (from Nova Scotia visiting) and Sharon Brereton. Quadra Builders staff helped set up the hall with the tables, etc.

Donated fabrics came from Lorna Shapiro of Quilter's Dream in Vancouver, Gail Leatherdale, and Tred-Tex Fabrics. Jan Joas saved us some money by shopping the sales at Joanne's Fabrics in the US for blender fabrics. We also made a dent in donations from previous years. We continue to use thread previously donated by Marathon Threads and Cindy's Threadworks of Qualicum Beach.

Quadra Quilters continues to meet monthly, the second Tuesday of the month from 9-2pm at QCC. We are a busy guild involved in the biennial Quilt and Garden Tour and the Needlearts Section of the Fall Fair. We also make raffle quilts, plan retreats and events, run workshops, Block of the Month programs, afternoon programs, and change the display in the Credit Union, and generally leave a trail of threads wherever we go. We welcome new members!

Annual Bottle Drive

Fund Raiser for the Quadra Elementary School PAC,
Saturday January 10

Save your Holiday Recycling for the PAC !

Your donation options are:

-Drop off sorted donations the week prior to bottle drive (Jan 3-10) to True Value Foods Heriot Bay Return It Depot and let the staff know you would like to donate your bottle returns to the Quadra PAC.

-Call Fern @ 250-285-2543 to arrange for day of pick up. Leave a detailed message or ask to be called back.

-Drop off donations the week prior to bottle drive @ 903 West Rd.

Call Fern for inquiries @ 250-285-2543. Thank you for your support!

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Take Ten

Festival of Short Plays

June 12,13 & 14, 2015

Call for original scripts and ideas for published plays

Theatre Quadra invites playwrights from the Discovery Islands and Campbell River area to submit original scripts for 10 minute plays. We are also looking for published scripts from directors and actors. There are lots of online resources for 10 minute plays. One helpful link is 10-minute-plays.com with scripts for review together with helpful tips on how to write a good ten-minute play. Another useful source for playwrights is www.nycplaywrights.org/10min/.

The deadline for submission of original or published scripts is Wednesday, February 11 by mail to Theatre Quadra, Box 308, Quathiaski Cove, V0P1N0 or email to theatrequadra@gmail.com.

For information, contact Doni Laird at 250 285 3881 (barnaby@lava.net) or Darcy Mitchell at 250 285 2739 (darcmm@telus.net).

Season's Greetings

Season's greetings Madam Premier

May your holiday's be merry.

I Hope Mr. Stone can salvage the ferry.

An Experience Card you could pop in his stocking

And send him up North where the tariffs are shocking.

He would learn what it means to be ferry dependant.

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Withhold his free pass, let him stay for a while.

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No buffet, no lattes or yuppie frills.

A few rough crossings might hone his skills.

A tour of the Islands might broaden his mind,

To the cost of commuting he won't be so blind.

When he buys his own ticket and stops to compare,

He will learn that the islands pay more than their share.

The New Year could bring peace to this state of affairs.

If you return the old schedules and roll back the fares.

This Christmas our children will not be so merry.

Granny and Gramps can't afford the ferry.

Hope your minister can resolve this deplorable plight,

Merry Christmas to all and to all a good night.

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Happy Holidays and Merry Christmas to one and all and I wish you the best New Year ever for 2015.

I actually wished you all a Happy Holiday in the last report, but it is something one cannot say enough. We all need some time with friends and family away from some of the stresses in our lives. Now that we are on the upswing as far as seasons go, let's enjoy the longer days ahead.

I pretty much filled you in on most of the news in my last report, but have a few things to report.

First of all, I mentioned the Inaugural meeting of the new SRD Board on Dec. 11th. Well it took place and I was elected (by acclamation) to the seat of the Chair for another year. I am very pleased as I will have an opportunity to help guide the Board in its business over this next year and try to get us working as a real team that can deliver what we need in our communities and get our staff working with the Board to do just

that. I am really looking forward to it. With the Chair position come a number of appointments that I will go into in the next report in the new year.

Wendy and I attended the Christmas Community Kitchen lunch last Wednesday and it was fantastic as usual. The Community Centre was packed to the gills and the food was incredible with enough baking to fill a bakery. I am so proud of this community and the volunteers who make it work for putting on this event, weekly, with an extra touch for the Christmas season. What a group! They are always there to help us all and I sincerely thank all of them.

On Thursday the 18th we also had the pleasure of attending the Quadra Elementary School Christmas Concert. It was held at the Community Centre and even with the howling wind and blowing rain the hall was packed with proud parents, grandparents, other relatives and friends. We might have reduced numbers in our school

right now, but we certainly do not have any less enthusiasm for wonderful events like this one. Congratulations to all of the teachers and staff and of course, the kids, for such an entertaining evening. One of the really nice things about the event was seeing all of the young people in the audience with young kids who will be filling our school in the near future. We are very fortunate to have such a diverse age group living on the island and we must insure that we keep it that way. In 2015 I will tell you some of the details of how we are going to make that happen.

Once again, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

This will be my last report until into the new year. I am going to try and take a bit of time with family and friends, but am around if you need me. The SRD office will be closed from Christmas Day until Jan. 2nd.

Jim Abram

Director for the Discovery Islands and Mainland Inlets and now Chair of the Board!

Winter Market

We are very blessed to live in our Island environment where people like you support an endeavour such as our Winter Market. Whether it was to be a vendor, shopper, or enjoy Audrey's awesome brunch, or just sit and listen to the musicians. Thank you! Weren't they great!

We would like to thank Kris Wellstein, folk singer, guitarist. The delightful Willowishes, incredible ensemble, Eileen Sowerby playing favorites on piano and a group of Islanders sang Christmas Carols for our listening pleasure! We hope to see you again next year!

Thank you to the people who helped with set up and take down.

To Philip Stone for advertising our event and anyone else that has helped along the way, and of course our venue, our wonderful Community Centre!

If we've forgotten anyone, We love you!

As the end of 2014 draws near we at the Winter Market would like to wish you Good Health, Happiness, Love and Hugs to carry you through this time of year and into 2015!

See you soon! Best Wishes,
Michele and Stella
quadraislandmarket@gmail.com

CORTES FORESTRY GENERAL PARTNERSHIP

2015 – 2020 FOREST STEWARDSHIP PLAN Community Forest Agreement K4A

A Draft Forest Stewardship Plan (FSP) for the Cortes Community Forest Licence K4G has been submitted to the Ministry of Forests for review and approval and is now also available for public review.

The FSP provides 'Results and Strategies' for key 'Objectives Set by Government' through legislation. The map of the current land status of areas included in the CFA is included with this FSP.

Copies of the FSP can also be viewed online at www.cortesisland.com, www.Klahoose.org, www.cortescommunityforestcoop.wordpress.com as of January 1, 2015.

This FSP is available for review and comment for a 60 day period. Please contact John Marlow, R.P.F., General Manager, Cortes Forestry General Partnership, (jmarlow@gicable.com) (or 250 830-8099) or Kristen Scholfield-Sweet (usualmagic@gmail.com) for copies of the FSP.

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NEWS AND EVENTS

A Big Thank You

to all those who came out and supported the Pull Together concession at the Banff Film Festival. We raised \$330 that will go to First Nations legal challenges to fight the Northern Gateway. Thank you to the gang from Friday Flicks for your help bringing us up to speed in the art of popcorn making, Yellow Dog Trading Company for your delicious teas and contributions to the baking, Aroma Coffee Roasters, Philip Stone and everyone else who so generously gave. We had so much fun

If you are looking for more information on this project please visit <http://pull-together.ca>

Calling all Artists!

IT'S TIME to register for the 2015 Quadra Island Studio Tour.

All artists working on Quadra are invited to be part of this annual event which will be held on June 6th and 7th, 2014.

The studio tour is an excellent opportunity to expose your art to a greater audience and it is a great way to motivate yourself to create work. Application forms may be picked up at Yellow Dog Trading Co. in Q. Cove or by email: studio_tour@quadraislandarts.com

This year there will be separate colour brochures printed for the June 6th & 7th tour as well as a separate brochure for artists who wish to be advertised year-round.

The year-round option allows the artists to choose "by appointment only" as an option. The deadline for submitting is January 15, 2015.

For more information please phone Kathryn at 285-2103.

Festival of Trees Awards

The public recently had the opportunity to cast a ballot at the Museum at Campbell River, where they made a selection under four different categories from among the decorated trees in the second annual Festival of Trees. The Museum is pleased to announce this year's selections; the People's Choice Award goes to Broadstreet Properties & Seymour Pacific, for their "The 12 days of Christmas" tree which depicts the traditional English Christmas Carol with a distinctly modern look.

The Most Unique tree award went to Marine Harvest for the fish and waterfront themed tree they sponsored that was decorated by Cynde Ashdown, Most Traditional to the turn of the 19th century period tree sponsored by the Thulin Family and Best of Festival to the Samson & Berry Families for the tree they sponsored and so delightfully decorated.

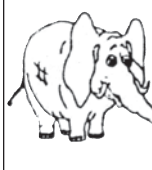
In addition to the more than twenty Christmas trees, there were antique toys, finely handcraft wooden models and a model train featured in the Museum's Changing Gallery for the month of December.

Sandra Parrish, Executive Director of the Museum comments: "We were very pleased with the response to the Festival of Trees this year, from the community partners who came forward to sponsor trees, to our volunteers and decorating Elves who assisted with the toy, train and woodcarving displays and decorating." She goes on to note, "Aside from the enjoyment our regular visitors to the Museum derived from the displays, the displays also provided an excellent backdrop for a range of community events from the Chamber of Commerce's 'Jingle Mingle' to our own 'Chestnuts and Carols'."

Proceeds from the Festival, which are raised through tree sponsorship, will help support the Museum's public and school programs as well as temporary exhibits. The Museum looks forward to hosting this event in 2015, so mark your calendars to include a visit to the Festival of Trees this coming December.

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Wednesdays: UofQ is on Christmas break and in class again: Jan 21 - Alan Burnett & Barb Heinonen - Chocolate, Scotch & Robbie Burns. Expand your mind and visit your neighbours with Pub Education in the HBI pub. 7:00 pm.

Friday Night Bands: Dec 26, no band tonight, please support our Royal

Canadian Legions Casino Night Fundraising. We're taking a band hibernation until February, but the party tunes will still be playing at the good old HBI!

Merry Community Christmas at the Heriot Bay Inn! December 25 enjoy a free dinner and good neighbourly company. Doors open at 6:00 pm. All food, beverage, work, play, songs are donated and volunteered. Everyone welcome.

New Years Eve, stroll on down to the HBI Pub "living" room party. Dance it up and bring it in with the ever lovin Blue Katz at the Good Old HBI!

Snacks at midnight. No Cover.

January 17, Shari Ulrich, Barney Bentall and Tom Taylor give a performance to remember; they'll take you on a wonderful folk music trip with harmonies and humour, sentiment and solitude. Add a delicious two course dinner and your night is complete. 49.00. Reserve 285-3322.



January 30 and 31: Dinner Theatre in Herons. The Smell of Money is a two act play making it's debut at the Heriot Bay Inn. Written by Islander Allen Perkins, it's a comedic musical, a send-up of The Sound Of Music, with a strong streak of Quadra quirkiness. Chris Thomson directs the islander-studded cast with names you'll recognize from other island theatre productions, including John Nursall, Julie Douglas, Guy Holmes, Ford Cannon, Karen Holmes and more. Linda Cannon is the magnificent musical director. \$34.95 includes a lovely two course dinner. 6:00 pm seating. Reserve 285-3322.

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ACOUSTIC JAM

There is an acoustic jam (banjo, guitar, flute, congas, singing, etc.) every Friday night in the Upper Realm at Q. Cove starting around 8 p.m. Come and let's make some music together. Call Pat for more info at 285-2807.

LOST FAMILIES FOUND.

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RCMP REPORT On December 10th, 2014 Quadra RCMP received a report that the Cortes Island Market had been broken into by several suspects. The suspects caused damage by breaking into the store then stole a considerable amount of alcohol and then fled the scene. Two suspects were observed on video and the police investigation continues.

On December 11th, 2014 Quadra RCMP were advised of a peeping tom incident that occurred back on December 4th between 10:30-11:30PM on Green road in Quathiaski Cove. An unknown person was observed looking in a window at a residence. So far police have no suspects and no other witnesses.

On December 11th, 2014 Quadra RCMP received a report of a theft from vehicle at the Quathiaski Cove Ferry Terminal. The unknown suspect(s) smashed a window and gained entry into the vehicle. Items in the vehicle were damaged and strewn about.

On December 17th, 2014 Quadra RCMP responded to a report of a depressed suicidal male on Quadra Island. The male had taken numerous pills and walked into the woods. The RCMP searched for the male with the assistance of the RCMP police dog with negative results. Campbell River Search and Rescue (SAR) attended and searched the area and ended up locating the male late in the evening. The male was taken to hospital by ambulance to be assessed by a physician.

FREE FIREWOOD

is now available for low income residents of Quadra Island. The wood is available after Wednesday's Community Lunch from 1 to 1:30 pm behind the Community Centre.

We can help you load your vehicle. If you don't own or can't borrow a friend's vehicle, phone Alan at 285.3544 or Mornay at 285.3212 or Steve at 285.3323. We may be able to deliver.

Money can be donated to the Free Wood Association account at the Credit Union. Questions? Call us!

PARKINSON'S SUPPORT GROUP

There is a support group for people with Parkinson's disease on Quadra Island. We meet once a month at the Quadra Community Centre. If you have been officially diagnosed with Parkinson's or are experiencing many of the symptoms of Parkinson's, you and your caregiver are welcome to come to our meetings. Some of the most common symptoms are tremor (shaking of hands, arms, legs or jaw while at rest, stiffness, poor balance, slowness, small handwriting, depression, excessive fatigue, swallowing problems and drooling and a low volume of speech. At our next meeting, Carol Foort will show us some exercises on "Experiencing the Healing Effect of Stretching and Deep Relaxation." The time if from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday December 16th in the downstairs small seminar room at the Quadra Community Centre. The meetings are free or by donation for room rental. Any questions, Call Steve at 285-3323

QUADRA VERTICAL

There's more to the Quadra Community Centre stage than many people realize. Shift your vision to the back and you'll catch a glimpse of Quadra Vertical - our Island's very own climbing wall. How did it get there? Well, during the 1990's the idea of indoor climbing walls was literally in the air and Quadra seemed to have caught the bug. It was David Smith who suggested the stage location, when extensive renovations were taking place there. Thanks to him the back wall became a reserved place. Almost immediately enthusiastic climbers and would be climbers showed up to offer their help and advice. Finally on March 20, 2005 Quadra Vertical had it's grand opening.

Currently climbing is very much in the outside air thanks to local climber's push to develop rock climbing routes around Chinese Mountains - 75 of them so far. Quadra is already a mecca for hiking, mountain biking and kayaking. Last summer dozens of visiting climbers came to try out the new climbs. Rock climbing is quickly joining the roster of activities we are known for.

In winter when the weather is less than ideal for rock climbing, hone your climbing skills on the warm, dry comfort of Q.C.C.'s indoor wall so that you will be ready to get outside on the rocks this summer!

Thanks to the energy of Matt James, climbing sessions are available again in the New Year from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m., on Sunday's, beginning January 18th through to March 29th. These sessions are focused primarily as adult climbing sessions, with experience being an asset. Parents may register their children if they are also registered to climb themselves and are fully supervising their own children. Please call the Community Centre at 285-3243 to register.

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SEASONAL GIFTS OF ART

Campbell River Art Gallery receives major gift of Doris Ritchie artworks

The family of artist Doris Ritchie has presented the Campbell River Art Gallery with a wonderful gift – a major collection of the esteemed artist's work.

The donation from the Ritchie Estate consists of more than 240 artworks created by Ritchie throughout the decades of her life and work in the area. Ritchie was a founder of the Campbell River Arts Council and the Campbell River Art Gallery, as well as a pillar in the local cultural community, and the Gallery is honoured to receive this generous gift. The artworks were given to our local public gallery explicitly for the purposes of fundraising.

The Campbell River Art Gallery looks forward to commemorating this major gift by exhibiting and selling the Ritchie artworks throughout the course of a three-week exhibition opening Saturday, January 13 from 1 – 3 p.m. with a salon-style exhibition. The sale and exhibition will continue until February 6th in the Gallery at 1235 Shoppers Row.

Ritchie died in 2011 leaving a significant and important legacy in Campbell River. As an artist, she created a body of work that includes watercolours, drawings and portraits of the regional landscape, flora and people. "We are thrilled to received these works and look

forward to sharing them with the community at our upcoming exhibition and sale," said Gallery Executive Director Kris Anderson. "Doris Ritchie had an immeasurable impact on this community and we look forward to commemorating her vision at our Gallery."

Ritchie moved to Campbell River in 1959 and immediately decided the community would benefit from live theatre and music as well as opportunities to study art. She set out to make that happen by forming the Campbell River Concert Association, who presented international performers and musicians, then founding the Campbell River Arts Council. In the 1970s she ran for election to the school board, topping the polls for years. Ritchie was instrumental in the founding of the Tidemark Theatre and the Campbell River Art Gallery. She was an inspiration to all who knew her and in 2007 was honoured with a City of Campbell River Community Builder Award.

The Art Gallery is delighted to receive the gift of Doris Ritchie's artworks and invites the public to view the exhibition at the opening event Saturday, January 17 at 1 p.m.



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Year-End Review

As the year draws to a close it is an opportunity to assess the last 12 months and look forward to the coming year. There have been good moments for our communities but on the whole many people have faced ongoing struggles while the BC Liberal government ignored the real needs of our province.

The ongoing mismanagement of our marine highway stands out as one of the fiascos of the year. Despite a major report that showed that the provincial economy as a whole has lost more than \$2 billion because of the quasi-privatization of BC Ferries, the government did nothing. Increasing fares have driven down ridership and are crippling our coastal economies. Tourism has been severely damaged. Port Hardy, for example, has seen a huge drop in numbers of visitors with the loss of the Central Coast route and severe cuts to the Prince Rupert run. And after months during which myself and others kept demanding the removal of the fuel surcharge as oil prices plummeted, it was finally dropped. But this is cold comfort for ferry users. What really needs to happen is a rollback of fares to ease the financial strain for commuters and to kick-start all our coastal economies. And I promise you I will continue pushing for that as a top priority in 2015.

The year has been energetic for forestry, still one of our core industries, but as always there is the sad irony that the logs are rolling out of our communities and passing empty mill sites. Even the Neucel mill in Port Alice ended the year on a two month shut down.

Campbell River is starting to see the first signs of the boom that will develop with many years of work at the John Hart Generating Station and subsequent work on the dams. But

the BC government's ideological approach to BC Hydro has led to massive rate hikes for all users. Unlike some parts of the province, we in this region have little choice but to rely on hydro. According to BC Hydro, my community office has among the most people in the province asking for help because they are facing disconnection. These are people who have to choose between food or heat for their homes. This is simply wrong. BC Hydro provided my office with a handful of kits to help people save some energy but while this may help one or two families it does not deal with the reality confronting many people.

The groundbreaking for our new regional hospital in Campbell River occurred in the summer but we are a long way from dealing with other serious health care concerns of our communities – including long wait times for surgery, access to doctors, closures of emergency rooms or full utilization of our ambulance paramedics.

This year saw the bitter teachers' dispute resolved and schools reopen. But teachers are wary about how the needs in the classrooms will be dealt with. School boards are being asked to repay money they received while the schools were shut and parents are still being asked to fundraise for basic school supplies.

And while all this was going on, Christy Clarke and the BC Liberals continued to claim that LNG will bring a financial bonanza making life wonderful in BC. But when given the opportunity to set the parameters in legislation, the government provided an extremely low tax regime for the companies exploiting our resource and enacted very weak environmental controls on emissions from extraction of the gas through to its export.

Next year we know that MSP rates are going up again, as are hydro rates. Ferry fares will be up by 4% in April and other costs will continue to rise. The BC Liberals could change course and work for everyone in BC, but their record doesn't give cause for hope. They do know what to say but what they do is very different.

But I am an optimist so I would like to hope that next year will bring change, with a focus on the needs of our communities. It could start with cuts in ferry fares, reversing hydro rate increases, ensuring health care happens for all of us and that in our rich economy teachers don't have to worry about making sure their students have a meal before entering the classroom.

For now though, I would like to wish everyone a very good Christmas and a hopeful 2015.

My offices will be closed from 23rd December to 5th January and email and voicemail will not be checked during that time. If you have an urgent need please contact Enquiries BC (1-800-663-7867) who will put you in touch with either the relevant government department or my Victoria office.

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Museum at Campbell River Christmas Puppet Shows

The Museum at Campbell River is offering a fun family experience for the holidays. On Saturday, December 27, the Museum's fabulous student puppeteers are returning for a special Christmas encore! At 1 pm and then again at 3 pm, the students will present the puppet play 'The Wreck of the Northwestern'. This play is based on the experience of Albert Bigold, a true resident of Quadra who narrates the story. According to Bigold, "I was there when the steamship Northwestern ran aground. That was December 15, 1927, and I was seven years old. I remember it well, because our family farm was perfectly situated where we could get a bird's eye view of the entire event, and while some folks might think it was a tragic event, for us it was an answer to a prayer. So the SS Northwestern, an American vessel, was on its way up from Seattle to Alaska, and was attempting to head into the passage between us and Vancouver Island when trouble began. The captain of the Northwestern had been following the Union Steamship SS Chelohsin since Vancouver, but as he approached Quadra Island, he lost sight of the Chelohsin's light as it veered right to head towards Cortes, and the Northwestern ran smack into the rocks at a point fondly known as 'The Hump'.

So that is how we came to have an exceptionally nice Christmas that year, filled with the bounty that we all come to associate with the Yuletide season. And I'm talking about a bounty! There were crates of fresh oranges, just bobbing around in the waves, and bananas, and turkeys and ham and flour. My older sister and I had a whale of a time running to the beach and back with all our treasures. It wasn't gold, but it was good as gold. The next morning, another American ship, the SS Alameda, picked up the Alaska bound passengers from the Northwestern, so it turned out that in the end, they had their Christmas too. And no one drowned!"

The cost for the puppet play is a \$2.00 donation. Merry Christmas everyone!!

Holiday happenings!

Strathcona Regional District and the City of Campbell River are once again partnering on the Family New Year's Celebration sponsored by McDonald's. Drop in for this free, fun, family-oriented event on Dec. 31 at Strathcona Gardens Recreation Complex from 5 to 9 p.m.



"Come and celebrate New Year's Eve with us!" says recreation programmer Margaret Lukban. "There will be lots of fun things to do with the family: swimming and ice skating challenges, a crazy reptile room, games, prizes and much, much more!"

A new drop-in afternoon activity program called Adult & Me & A Christmas Tree takes place Dec. 22 and Dec. 23 at Strathcona Gardens Recreation Complex from 1 to 3:30 p.m. Each day will offer different activities like swimming, ice skating and create a fun holiday craft! Please bring your own helmet. Program fee is \$10 for one child (accompanied by an adult).

"These programs give people opportunities to spend active quality time with family," Lukban adds. "Whether you want to skate, swim or get creative, there is something fun for everyone this season!"

Contact Strathcona Gardens Recreation Complex at 250-287-9234 for more information or to register for the holiday happenings.

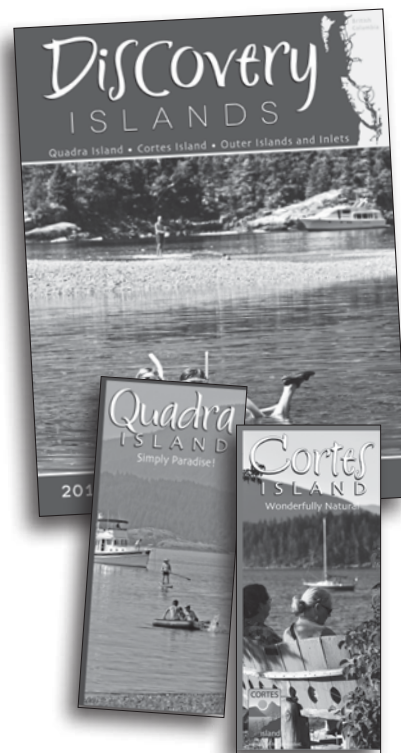
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Heriot Bay Tides

DATE	TIME PST	m.	ft.
26 Friday	02:11	1.1	3.6
	09:29	5.2	17.1
	15:48	2.9	9.5
	20:33	4.0	13.1
27 Saturday	02:58	1.5	4.9
	10:11	5.2	17.1
	16:47	2.6	8.5
	21:52	3.8	12.5
28 Sunday	03:48	1.9	6.2
	10:53	5.1	16.7
	17:48	2.2	7.2
	23:23	3.7	12.1
29 Monday	04:43	2.4	7.9
	11:36	5.0	16.4
	18:48	1.9	6.2
30 Tuesday	01:00	3.8	12.5
	05:49	2.9	9.5
	12:21	4.9	16.1
	19:44	1.6	5.2
31 Wed.	02:32	4.0	13.1
	07:10	3.3	10.8
	13:06	4.8	15.7
	20:36	1.3	4.3
01 Thursday	03:47	4.3	14.1
	08:35	3.5	11.5
	13:51	4.7	15.4
	21:23	1.1	3.6
02 Friday	04:46	4.6	15.1
	09:48	3.6	11.8
	14:37	4.6	15.1
	22:06	1.0	3.3
03 Saturday	05:34	4.8	15.7
	10:49	3.7	12.1
	15:22	4.6	15.1
	22:46	0.9	3.0
04 Sunday	06:15	5.0	16.4
	11:41	3.6	11.8
	16:08	4.5	14.8
	23:24	0.9	3.0
05 Monday	06:53	5.0	16.4
	12:29	3.6	11.8
	16:54	4.4	14.4
06 Tuesday	00:01	1.0	3.3
	07:27	5.1	16.7
	13:13	3.5	11.5
	17:40	4.3	14.1
07 Wed.	00:37	1.2	3.9
	07:59	5.0	16.4
	13:57	3.4	11.2
	18:26	4.2	13.8
08 Thursday	01:12	1.3	4.3
	08:31	5.0	16.4
	14:40	3.2	10.5
	19:12	4.0	13.1
09 Friday	01:46	1.6	5.2
	09:01	4.9	16.1
	15:23	3.0	9.8

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