
The Kingfisher

The Community's Newsletter

... a publication of the Kingfisher Community Society

August 2019



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kingfishercommunity.com is live!!



From your Chair:

Jacky Clark

The goal of the recent Strategic Planning meeting was to involve more volunteers. Finding volunteers can be a bit of a challenge in many ways. So a **BIG THANK YOU** to all those old or new friends/neighbours that the directors turned to for their help in getting our past events up and running.

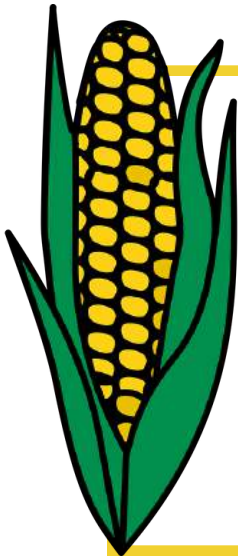
But it's not just the volunteers that make things work. For example the Strawberry tea was a great success but not just because of all the volunteers but because of those 107 people that took the time to come and enjoy the day with Strawberry Tea, (some got coffee) music and a chance to win a lovely cake or a beautiful quilt. Many thanks to all that participated in that fun event. And the same goes for the Jumble Dance which was also well attended with around 100 participants. This event has been run by our local "younger" people who have done and did do a super job of pulling off a crazy fun event, full of great music, fabulous costumes and good food as well. Again thanks to those who volunteered and those that came out for the fun.

The summer fun isn't over yet, don't forget the Farmers Market on Wed mornings..what a great selection of goods, and Yoga on Fridays and there's always Pickleball. The annual **Corn Roast** comes up in **Aug on Sat 24**. It's a good opportunity to visit with friends and wrap up the summer and of course to eat more corn. Hope to see you there. I almost forgot the Library and the Quilters. There's nothing like a good book/movie or some quilting with friends to help get through this rainy summer!

Here's a list of some things that we directors are working on..a baby change table, pads for the table legs (they are scratching our shiny floor) an updating of the directors sign board, the event signs, a wish list and a touch up paint job on the front planters. We recently approved the purchase of portable pickleball nets and new pickleball lines on the tennis court in preparation for the upcoming **tournament Sept. 14**.

As always, please feel free to contact me for whatever.

Jacky Clark 250 838 6062



Corn roast, 2019

Aug 24: 5 pm.
Corn supplied.
Potluck Event.

Looking for volunteers

Please contact
Dirk at **250-838-6278** if you can
help in any way.

Yoga North Summer Yoga: Kingfisher Hall

*Gentle yoga to increase flexibility, strengthen,
tone and relax*

Every Friday until Aug End, **10:00 – 11:15 a.m.**

drop-in: \$14

Please bring something to lie on, and a small
blanket. For more information, contact: Alison
(838-0029) yoganorth@yahoo.ca

www.yoganorthokanagan.com **Alison**

Richmond Cert. Yoga Instructor, teaching since
1998 Cert. Kripalu Yoga Dance Instructor

**Kingfisher School
August 2019**

The library has been very active of late and we
have not even finished July. The first two weeks
of August in the past showed to be the most busy.

I would like to thank Jan Quesnel for helping out
on July 24th, 2019, as Jane and Bonnie were
away that day, thanks again Jan.

I hope you keep looking for the lost DVD's around,
because we still have the boxes for them.

Have a great rest of your summer, and we would
like to thank as well Ella and Sierra for the
lemonade. **It is really good, thanks a bunch.**

HAPPY READING!

Sue Leavitt, Jane Clayton, Bonnie Warawa



A BIG THANK YOU to all who volunteered at the
Strawberry Tea as well as all who attended. Your support
keeps the event, as well as the Kingfisher Quilters going
strong! So much to love about our community!

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MACKENZIE CAMP

on beautiful Mabel Lake

2019 SUMMER CAMPS

for kids aged 6-17, July 2 thru August 18

Camp available for rental prior to June 30 & after August 17

Quality care & Programming

Specialty Camps, too – Science, Drama, & Fishing!

See our website and brochure for details!



Register online: www.mackenziecamp.ca or phone/email 250-838-6293 maccamp@shaw.ca
MacKenzie Camp – A United Church of Canada Camp & Retreat Centre



News from the Kingfisher Country Quilters !

The “**SPRING**” quilt raffled at the Strawberry Tea was won by Natalie Barry from West Kelowna. Her daughter Rachael fell in love with the quilt and will enjoy it for many years to come.

Thank you to everyone who purchased tickets. The quilter’s kitty has been rejuvenated and the work in the preparation of quilts for Safe House in Salmon Arm can continue.

Quilters meet regularly on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of every month from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Come join us and learn as we go along.



Rachael Barry, the proud owner of the 'Spring' Quilt at the Strawberry Tea

**KINGFISHER COMMUNITY SOCIETY FIRST PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT
SEPTEMBER 14, 2019 8 am Start Time**

This is a short version, for more info contact a player listed below

- **WHO:** This tournament will be separated by BEGINNERS (those having played less than 2 years) and ADVANCED PLAYERS (those who have played more than 2 years). You MUST be 16+ years old to play.
- **WHAT:** This is a DOUBLES Tournament only.
- **WHEN:** We will begin at 8 am, and continue until the finals are completed.
- **WHERE:** The tournament will be held at the Kingfisher Hall.
- **HOW:** We will play by the 2019 Official Pickleball rules.
- **STYLE:** This will be a ROUND ROBIN tournament (in Pools).
- **EQUIPMENT:** Players are responsible to bring their own paddles, water and food. The community will supply balls and nets. You must be appropriately dressed: (No shirt, no tennis shoes, no play).
- **REGISTRATION:** Cost is \$10.00 per person registering. Cash only. You must have a team name. You may register as a single; however, we cannot guarantee you a partner. Put your cash in the envelope, and the player's names, contact information, team name, and level of play on the envelope. No Refunds, Sorry. Registration must be in by September 1, 2019.
- Please register with one of the following people or places:
 - Wednesdays at the KCS Farmers Market (11am - 1pm). See Lin Clark, KCS Membership person
 - Tuesdays, Fridays, Sundays at Kingfisher Hall with one of the players. 2pm to 4ish
 - **Ted and Marieka Vroon:** tmvroon@hotmail.com (above the resort), **Barry and Sandi Domes:** 250-838-0802 call first. #87 Cessna Rd. (in the air park), **Dominic and Marion Fernandez:** A 207, 3460 Parkway Rd. (ksing.marion@gmail.com) (in the condos), **Jacky Clark:** 250-838-6062 (to arrange a meeting place), **Chuck and Maggie Wallis:** lot45gc@gmail.com for our contact info for the tournament.
- Anyone wishing to pay their entry fee through us can email us and we will arrange to meet them.
- **PRIZES:** YESSSS !!

**Emergency Preparedness/Evacuation Plan
August 2019
Submitted by Herb Latchko**

Recent rain has brought with it a great deal of lightning. You may have heard the Rap Attack helicopter circling and landing in Hupple, July 23rd. A local resident called in a report after seeing a lightning strike and smoke west of Cooke Creek. The Rap Attack crew waited on the south side of the river anticipating that the morning uphill wind would perhaps get the fire burning again. This ended up being just a "smoke chase". Often a lightning strike will cause a fire, which will appear to be extinguished with accompanying rain - only to start burning several days later. If you see a lightning strike, keep a close eye on the location. Be sure to report it, if you see smoke-which is usually white and billowing. The Fire Center tracks the location of all lightning strikes, but still largely depends on visual reports of smoke. The number to call is **1-800-663-5555** or ***5555** on a cell phone.

I requested an update from the Regional District staff as to the revision of the 2005 Evacuation Plan. The Provincial Government recently provided funding for the Regional District to conduct the revision. At the time of this writing, I have not been given an update.

For up to date information about current restrictions and the locations of active fires, go to the BC Wildfire Service website. There are several ways to get to the site. I use: bcwildfire.ca

The news is full of information about increased floods and fires as a result of Climate Change. Young people and millennials are getting involved and active. Consider making Climate Change an issue in the upcoming election.

The Firesmart Committee

would like to create a 'Resource Reference List' for the area. If you have a skill or service that may be of assistance or interest to residents of Kingfisher, and would like your name added to the list, please send that information to:

George Jameson
g67george@gmail.com

BOOK CLUB

Is looking for a volunteer to take over the responsibilities of organizing books and meetings.



KINGFISHER MEMBERSHIPS

Are available from
please buy or renew your memberships
Megan Martin megan92@gmail.com 250-838-0155
Mabel Lake Farms Coffeeshop
Open weekends * 8-2 June 21st - Sept Long 8-2 * 7 Days/Week

Community Ads (free to KCS members)

<p>Mini excavator for hire 0 turn, 5'wide 52 hp</p>	<p>Allen 250-838-6062</p> <p>Brad 250-838-6326</p>	<p>Consultants</p>
<p>Dirt work Driveway parking areas ditching....etc,etc,etc</p> <p>Bush work Tree removal stump removal Brush removal....etc,etc,etc</p>		

Clark Boyz

3173 Mabel Lake Rd Enderby, BC V0E1V5
Allen 250-838-6062
Brad 250-838-6326

Consultants

License tree **faller 15 + years** production falling.
 Heavy Equipment **Operators since 1969**
 Logging development, Road construction
 and maintenance, erosion control....etc

BOTTLE RECYCLABLES NEEDED....

If you are not wanting to sort out your pop/beer/wine bottles, we will gladly pick them up for you or you can drop them off at The Schalin Farm located 2843 Mabel Lake Road. Aspen, Navi and Boden are fundraising for fastball and 4-H and are looking for ways to help out with costs.

LOOKING FOR LEADS

Please give me a call if you spot interesting wildlife out Kingfisher way. I love coming out to the valley to catch these images. Thanks!

Janet Brown, 250-833-8181
www.janetbrownphotography.com
[e:janetbrownphotography@yahoo.com](mailto:janetbrownphotography@yahoo.com)

Guided Meditation

Guided Mindfulness Meditation with Yogini Rawal every Wednesday at 7PM at Loris', 3130 Mabel Lake Road. Contact Loris' (**250-838-7747**) or George (**250-838-6882**) for more information.

ANTIQUES SALE

AUG 3, 4, 5TH. 9:00-2:00
 25K from Enderby bridge to 51 Potrie Rd. Watch for signs.
 Cash sales only. **250 838 6013**

Road Hockey

The tennis Court.
 Sundays 2.30 pm
**Equipment
 Supplied**

Pickle Ball: Kingfisher Hall

**Tuesdays/ Fridays/ Sundays:
 2pm**

Pickleball paddles provided -
 just bring your enthusiasm!

Mabel Lake Farms

Kent & Suzanne Clark
 250-838-6248
Kentclark@telus.net

Products available all year

Please call to order

Blueberries, Jams, Syrups, Pies, Xmas Baking

Services available

Mini Excavator

Bed and Breakfast

Venue Hosting (May-September)

Coffee Shop (July & August)

Snow plowing

Heinz Doerfling Drywall

- Boarding •Taping •Finishing
- Textured Ceilings
- Residential •Renovations
- Serving Enderby and Mabel Lake

250-838-7477

hddrywall@xplornet.com

Tennis Anyone?

I am looking for anyone in the Kingfisher area that could play week day afternoons or weekends.
 Please call 250-503-6198
 Bruce Ingleson



Kingfisher Community Society Directors

Chair -----	Jacky Clark -----	250 838 6062
Secretary	Marion Fernandez	250 838 9567
Treasurer -----	Brenda Heywood -----	250 838 2193
Memberships	Megan Clark-Martin	250-838-0455
Hall Bookings/Entertainment --	Deanna Caswell-----	250 838 9678
Maintenance	Greg Clark	250 838 0292
Liquor and Supplies -----	Dirk Campagnolo-----	250 838 6278

Receipts and Invoices

If you have a bill or invoice related to the KCS, contact Brenda Heywood, our treasurer, 838-2193.

Directors meet on the 2nd Wednesday of each month; members are welcome to attend!

Please write to:
kcsentertainmentdirector@gmail.com to know about events.
KCSrecreation@gmail.com to ask about activities happening in & around the hall

Membership Megan Martin
 250-838-0455

(megaan92@gmail.com)
 \$30/family and \$20/single.

KCS Advertising

Paid Advertisements

Direct all your advertising and distribution questions to George Jameson.
g67george@gmail.com

Paid ads be limited to 1/8 page
 Word Document only
 KCS members only

Ads run from May - April for full year (\$100) or 6 months or less for \$50

Submit directly to George - g67george@gmail.com

Payment prior to ad placement to be dropped off or mailed to:

George Jameson
 2365 Mabel Lake Road
 Enderby
 V0E 1V5

Make cheque payable to Kingfisher Community Society

KCS Newsletter

Email photos and news items to :
editorkingfisher@gmail.com

Deadline is 25th of each month.

Deadline is strictly 25th of each month. I will acknowledge receipt of your email, so if you do not receive a reply, I did not receive your email.

If you have 2 items, use 2 separate emails. Please send text as an attachment, not in the body of the email

From OUR ARCHIVES Kingfisher Community Society Mandate

The purposes of the KCS are:

- to acquire land and thereon build and operate a Community Hall and Recreation Centre, and
- to foster and promote social, sporting, recreational, charitable and educational activities

August 2019



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1	2 2:00 PICKLE BALL 8:00 BADMINTON - H	3
4 2:00 PICKLE BALL 2:00 ROAD HOCKEY**	5	6 2:00 PICKLE BALL	7 11:00 - 1:00 KINGFISHER FARMER'S MARKET & LIBRARY	8	9 10:00-11:15 YOGA 2:00 PICKLE BALL 8:00 BADMINTON - H	10
11 2:00 PICKLE BALL 2:00 ROAD HOCKEY**	12	13 2:00 PICKLE BALL	14 10:00 KCQ & LIBRARY 11:00-1:00 KINGFISHER FARMER'S MARKET 7:00 DIRECTOR'S	15	16 10:00-11:15 YOGA 2:00 PICKLE BALL 8:00 BADMINTON - H	17
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1	2	Notes Summer Yoga July 5 - August 30 (except Aug 2). Drop ins welcome! *Tennis Court				*