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Which goaltender holds the record for most wins in one NHL season? (Answer on page 5)

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Grand Awakenings

This Saturday, November 6 is the 'Psychic Fair' at the Best Western Invermere Inn between 10 am and 5 pm. Jill Joblonkay and her team of spiritually-gifted individuals will provide readings or sessions designed to provide insight and support of one's life purpose.

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Supper And Sound

Meet On Higher Grounds Coffee House in Radium Hot Springs is hosting live music this Saturday, November 6 at 7 pm. Enjoy the sounds of 'Scott & Kathleen' while dining on a variety of Spanish tapas for dinner.

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Retirement

Approaching eighty-five years of age, Mrs. Harris finally decided it was time to give up her apartment in New York and move to Miami.

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ment they looked at.

"And this one, what a steal," he rhapsodized, "the investment of a lifetime. Why, in ten years it will be worth three times . . ." "10 years? Sonny," interrupted Mrs. Harris, "at my age I don't even buy green bananas."

Customer Appreciation

This Saturday, November 6, Home Hardware is hosting its 18th Annual Beef-on-a-Bun event between 11 am and 3 pm. The Millers always do a great job with this event, rounding up succulent roast beef for the sandwiches. I haven't missed it for a few years now.

I hope to see you Saturday at Home Hardware with a bun and a smile.

Tasty Afternoon

The Fairmont Village Gift Shop is hosting an in-store event this Friday, November 5 between 3 pm and 7 pm. It is a 'Wine & Tapas' event where various foods, appies and chocolates will on hand to try with a selection of wines for tasting.

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Riddliculous

Another easy math question. What would you get if you add ten and one four times?
See page 6.

Procrastinator's Creed

You may wish to delay reading this until you have more free time.

1. I believe that if anything is worth doing, it would have been done already.
2. I shall never move quickly, except to avoid more work or find excuses.
3. I will never rush into a job without a lifetime of consideration.
4. I shall meet all of my deadlines directly in proportion to the amount of bodily injury I could expect to receive from missing them.
5. I firmly believe that tomorrow holds the possibility for new technologies, astounding discoveries, and a reprieve from my obligations.
6. I truly believe that all deadlines are unreasonable regardless of the amount of time given.
7. If at first I don't succeed, there is always next year.
8. I shall always decide not to decide, unless of course I decide to change my mind.

Tailgate Party

Saturday, November 13, 5-7 pm between the arena and the liquor store. Music, bar-becue and fun before the Rockies' game.

Exciting Success

It is great to hear about the changes in Lynda Kirkpatrick's life since she had her liberation treatment. Vision and mobility improvements as well as clearer thoughts and speech. It must be a wonderful feeling to regain some of her skills. Congratulations Lynda and thanks to all those who have helped out.

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- In which children's book would you find 'Tweedle Dum and Tweedle Dee'?
- What is the most common atom in the universe?
- In the song 'Auld Lang Syne', what does 'syne' mean?
- Blood is thicker than water! How many times thicker?

(Answers to #s one, two and three on page 8; #s four, five and six hidden in ads in this issue)

Robservations

I had a discussion with a friend about loneliness the other day. She mentioned how many people out there (in this valley) lead very lonely lives. People who are out there working every day and go home to emptiness or folks who do live with someone who makes them feel empty.

Remember that we are in control of our own lives. There are many ways to make friends. Do some volunteer work, join a service club, join a sports or hobby club, read to seniors or children or plenty of other options.

If you are out there lonely and not sure what to do about it, pick up the phone and call that friend you have been thinking about or a family member. Let them know you are thinking of them as they may be lonely too.

Juggling Test

A juggler who was driving to his next performance was stopped by the police. "What are those knives doing in your car?" asked the officer.

"I juggle them in my act."

"Oh yeah?" says the cop. "Let's see you do it." So the juggler starts tossing and juggling the knives.

A guy driving by sees this and says, "Wow, am I glad I quit drinking. Look at the test they're making you go through now!"

Shuttle Season

We are approaching the holiday season, which for many of us involves a little bit more celebrating than usual. It is time to consider how you will be getting home after such an event. Actually, with the new liquor laws in place, it is always important to figure out a way home.

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Next Thursday, November 11 is Remembrance Day in Canada. This is a time to reflect on the sacrifices made by our soldiers for our world. My father was in the Second World War and it was always an emotional time for him on Remembrance Day.

We attended several ceremonies together and watching him to get an understanding of what it is all about was very interesting. Stories were told of losing friends instantly while gaining friends forever. The Invermere ceremonies take place at 11 am at the Cenotaph after a short march from the Legion.

What Am I?

I am considered rare and truly a wilderness animal, with my highest densities along the Rocky Mountains. I am a mid-sized carnivore that is reputed to be very vicious but really I am just determined in my quest for food.

In the winter I often dine on left over carcasses while in the summer food is more plentiful with eggs, small animals and insects. I will often enter cabins and clean them out of food, leaving a strong musk odour as I like to mark my territory often. What am I? *See page 7.*

Whoops

In my husband's work for a cable television company, he encounters illegal hookups that drive up costs for other customers. One day he arrived at a repair job just as the homeowner was pulling into the driveway. She pointed the way to the den, where the TV was located, and then walked out to get the mail.

As my husband approached the TV, he saw a note taped to the screen. It read: "Don't forget to hide the descramblers before the cable guy comes. Love, Tom."

Great Night

The murder mystery dinner party at Radium Resort was a huge success last weekend. Completely sold out, the event was a blast for everyone. A tasty Italian buffet complemented the 1920s mafia theme. Watch for future fun events at the Radium resort. Congratulations to super-sleuth Woody.



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The Rockies' next home game is this Saturday, November 6 versus the division-leading Fernie Ghostriders at 7:30 pm. Come cheer on the home team.

Canadian Sports Trivia Answer

With 48 wins while playing in 78 games during the 2006/2007 season, Martin Brodeur edged out the previous record of 47 held by Bernie Parent.

New Lyrics

While listening to an oldies radio station, my six-year-old evidently got the '60s mixed up with the 21st century... Instead of singing along,
"Goin' to the chapel,
And we're gonna get married,"
I heard him sing,
"Goin' to the chat room,
And we're gonna get married."

Fishing Tips

Many fishermen prefer trolling as their style of fishing. Some use large lures, gang tackle, large flies and just about anything they can tie on to their line. An important part of trolling is having the boat moving at the correct speed. Sometimes the tiniest change can make a huge difference.

A good tip is to watch for success while cornering. When you are turning, the line on the outside of the turn moves a bit faster while the inside line slows down. If you notice success on one or the other, then adjust your trolling speed accordingly.

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Riddliculous Answer

If you add ten and one four times, you should get eleven each time. That is pretty easy math.

Shuttlecock Season

It is the time of year when many of us slow down on our physical activity, losing that svelte form we developed over the summer of bike riding and hiking. What to do? Of course curling is a great social option but there are many other choices in the valley.

I have been attending the drop-in badminton club on Sundays and Wednesdays. Badminton is one of those sports that can really help you get in shape quickly. The club has a wide range of skill levels, from very new to very experienced so everyone is welcome to stop in and check it out.

The Art Collector

A famous art collector is walking through the city when he notices a mangy cat lapping milk from a saucer in the doorway of a store. He knows that the saucer is extremely old and very valuable, so he walks casually into the store and offers to buy the cat for two dollars.

The storeowner replies, "I'm sorry, but the cat isn't for sale."

The collector says, "Please, I need a hungry cat around the house to catch mice. I'll pay you 20 dollars for that cat."

And the owner says "Sold," and hands over the cat.

The collector continues, "Hey, for the twenty bucks I wonder if you could throw in that old saucer. The cat's used to it and it'll save me from having to get a dish."

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Remember With Ribs

The Edgewater Branch (#199) of the Royal Canadian Legion is hosting their Remembrance Day ceremonies in the afternoon on Thursday, November 11. Their parade begins at 3:45, followed by ceremonies at their cenotaph.

They finish the evening off with a ribs and wing dinner at the Legion beginning with cocktails at 5 pm and dinner at 6 pm. The cost is \$12 for adults, \$8 for 12 and under and free for kids under 6 years of age.

What Am I Answer

I am the Wolverine, staying deeper into winter than most wolves, cougars and other carnivores. Due to low reproduction and high mortality rates, wolverine numbers are quite low.

Brisco Crib Notes

Can you imagine playing competitive crib on Halloween knowing your car might get egged out in the parking lot? However, no egging happened and the combatants inside the Brisco & District Community Hall all played their best to win the coveted "Jackpot Prize".

John came in second and I believe that was probably because of the mask he was wearing! Scary eh! Don Beddie from Spillimacheen was the big "Jackpot" winner with a perfect score and once again reigns supreme over the faithful crib enthusiasts at Brisco Crib Sundays for the next week. Simone Anderson was also a weekly prize winner, winning the "Booby Prize" category. Way to go Simone. Spend your two bucks wisely.

Crib goes every Sunday 2-4 pm at the Brisco & District Community Hall. Goodies and refreshments always available. Bring your friends and have a great time showing off your skills to them. See you there!

School Bus

It was the first day of school and the bus home was busy. After I had made the complete run that afternoon, one little boy remained on the bus.

Thinking he had simply missed his stop, I started driving slowly back through the neighbourhood and asked him to be sure to let me know if any of the houses or people looked familiar. The boy sat in his seat contentedly and shook his head whenever

I asked him if he recognized a person or place.

After the second unsuccessful tour of the area, I started back to the school to ask for his address. When we arrived, the child got off the bus and started walking away. "Wait!" I called. "We have to go inside and find out where you live."

"I live right there," he said, pointing to a house across the street. "I just always wanted to ride in a school bus."

Environmental Health

It is definitely time to winterize your home. Get those furnaces and filters cleaned as well as the vents. Your chimney should be cleaned and your firewood should be split, dried and stacked. Put away your garden hoses and blow out the sprinkler systems.

You can save a lot on your heating bills by covering outside windows with plastic and by shutting down heating systems (vents, baseboards) in the rooms that are not being used. A programmable thermostat is a good money-saver as well.



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 8 Milton Bradley, Tara Reid
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 10 Richard Burton, Roy Scheider

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 10 Hawk Martin

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Council Agenda Review
October 12, 2010

Invermere Housing Corporation
 Council has appointed Yolande Dolman to sit as a Director on the Invermere Housing Corporation.

November TailGate Party
 The District has approved a tailgate party outside of the arena on November 13 to help raise awareness and funds for prostate cancer.

Remembrance Day Parade & Ceremony
 The District is co-sponsoring and supporting the Remembrance Day Ceremony.

Winter Craft Fair
 Council is co-sponsoring the DTSS Leadership group's Winter Craft Fair on Friday, November 19 and Saturday, November 20

Cancelled Council Meeting
 The December 28 Regular Meeting of Council has been cancelled.

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FREE LISTINGS FOR COMMUNITY EVENTS

Every Thursday

Adult lap swim 7:15-8:30 am at Radium Pools.

Men's Night at Windermere Valley Golf Course. 250-342-3004.

Yoga at Radium Seniors' Hall 6:30-8 pm. Drop-in only \$10. 250-270-0377.

Kyoshin Karate 7-9 pm at Kicking Horse Coffee. \$10 drop-in fee. 250-342-5385.

Judo Club at Invermere Judo Hall 7-8:30 pm. 250-688-0319.

Drop-in fun, adult Volleyball 6-8 pm at Edgewater Elementary. Call Tammy at 250-270-0340.

Duplicate Bridge at Invermere Seniors' Hall at 6:30 pm. \$2 drop-in fee, bring a partner, everyone welcome.

3rd Thursday of Every Month

Parkinson's Disease Support Group Meeting at Heritage Inn in Cranbrook at 7 pm.

Every Friday

Open curling ice 7-9 pm. 250-342-3315.

Invermere Seniors' Cribbage at 7:30 pm.

Last Friday of Each Month

Soup and a Bun luncheon at Edgewater Legion for only \$5.

Every Sunday

Crib at Brisco Community Hall 2 pm.

Japanese Ju Jitsu 7-9 pm at Invermere Judo Hall. \$10 drop-in. 250-342-5385.

Badminton drop-in. 7:30-10 pm at DTSS. \$4.

Every Monday

Kick-boxing and Muay Thai. 6 pm beginner, 7 pm intermediate. \$10 drop-in. 250-688-1451.

Yoga at Radium Seniors' Hall 6:30-8 pm. Drop-in only \$10. 250-270-0377.

Invermere Seniors' Carpet Bowling at 1:30 pm.

Duplicate Bridge at Invermere Seniors' Hall at 6:30 pm. \$2 drop-in fee, bring a partner, everyone welcome.

Judo Club at Invermere Judo Hall 7-8:30 pm. 250-688-0319.

1st and 3rd Monday Each Month

OPTions for Sexual Health. Confidential low-cost birth control, STI testing. 6:30-8:30 pm. 250-342-2362.

2nd Monday of Each Month

Roaring Women Business Group meeting. 250-347-9199.

Every Tuesday

Drop-in Curling 1-3 pm. 250-342-3315.

Adult lap swim 7:15-8:30 am at Radium Pools.

Purcell Mountain Painters meet at Invermere Seniors' Hall from 9 am to 1 pm.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) meets at the Lake Windermere Alliance Church at 326-10 Ave. from 6 pm to 7 pm. If interested, call Bev at 250-342-3992 or Barb 250-342-5342.

Kyoshin Karate 7-9 pm at Kicking Horse Coffee. \$10 drop-in fee. 250-342-5385.

1st and 3rd Tuesday Each Month

Steamboat Mountain Quilters meet 7-9 pm at Edgewater Community Hall. Newcomers welcome.

Every Wednesday

Red Hat-Foxy Red Bonnets meet at Tim Hortons at 10 am. 250-688-0198.

Weight Watchers meet at Lions' Hall at 6 pm. 250-345-2112.

Open jam at Hoodoo Grill after 9 pm.

Kick-boxing and Muay Thai. 6 pm beginner, 7 pm intermediate. \$10 drop-in. 250-688-1451.

Badminton drop-in. 7-9 pm at J.A. Laird School. \$4.

November 4, Thursday

Brisco & District Rec. Commission General Meeting 7 pm.

November 5, Friday

In-store celebration at Fairmont Village Gift Shop 3-7 pm.

November 6, Saturday

Free curling clinic at Invermere District Curling Centre. 10 am-noon. Open to anyone. 250-342-3315.

Ski Swap noon-3 pm at Invermere Community Hall.

Equipment drop-off 9-11:30 am.

'Psychic Fair' 10 am-5 pm at Best Western Invermere Inn.

Free Beef-on-a-Bun 11-3 pm at Home Hardware.

'Supper and Sound' at Meet on Higher Ground Coffee House in Radium at 7 pm. 250-347-6567.

Columbia Valley Rockies host the Fernie Ghostriders 7:30 pm.

November 11, Thursday

Remembrance Day services. 11 am Invermere, 3:45 pm in Edgewater. Wings and ribs dinner to follow.

November 13, Saturday

Breathe. Be Happy. Dance! One-day retreat. 250-347-2121.

Art Sale, 10 am-5 pm Best Western Invermere Inn.

Tailgate party 5-7 pm beside Eddie Mountain Memorial Arena.

Columbia Valley Rockies host the Spokane Braves at 7:30 pm.

Saturday & Sunday, Nov. 13 & 14.

Orion's Fish Bus at Emerald New Homes.

November 17, Wednesday

Jade Bowen performing at Columbia Garden Village at 7 pm.

All community seniors welcome.

November 20, Saturday

'Light Up' celebration. Parade begins at 5 pm downtown and finishes with festivities at Pothole Park.

'Fall Fever' dance at Radium Hall at 7:30 pm. 'Billy Jive and the Funktastics'. 250-347-9331.

November 28, Saturday

Edgewater Legion Christmas Craft Bazaar 11 am-3 pm.

December 3,4, Friday, Saturday

'Big Christmas Craft Sale' at Invermere Hall.

December 4, Saturday

Can-Am Whitefish-Invermere Curling Challenge and free curling clinic. Everyone welcome.

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pm on Thursday, November 4. This will be the final general meeting of the year so if you have questions and concerns, please bring them to the meeting and we'll get them on the agenda. We are also looking for a new executive for 2011 so if you are interested in running for office, contact Hedi Trescher. Hope to see you all there.