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Night	Night	Night
 2°C Clear	 1°C Cloudy periods	 2°C Cloudy periods

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## PROCLAMATION - COMMUNITY INCLUSION MONTH OCTOBER 2020

**WHEREAS** Community Inclusion Month is a celebration of community inclusion throughout British Columbia, and this year it will focus attention on inclusive housing and the importance of supporting inclusion of all British Columbians, and

**WHEREAS** in 2010, Canada ratified the United Nations' historic Convention on the Rights of Person with Disabilities, which includes Article 19 – Living independently and being included in the community, and

**WHEREAS** inclusive housing builds strong, supportive, accessible and more resilient communities where everyone belongs, feels valued and has the chance to contribute, and

**WHEREAS** many people with developmental disabilities face barriers like poverty and isolation and have trouble finding housing that is safe, affordable and accessible, and

**WHEREAS** inclusive housing must consider the unique needs of all people to be truly inclusive, and

**WHEREAS** the District of Chetwynd is committed to enhancing inclusion, this ensuring that persons with developmental disabilities can participate fully in society;

**NOW, THEREFORE** I, Allen Courtoreille, Mayor of the District of Chetwynd, do hereby proclaim the month of **October 2020** as “**Community Inclusion Month**” in the District of Chetwynd.

Mayor Allen Courtoreille

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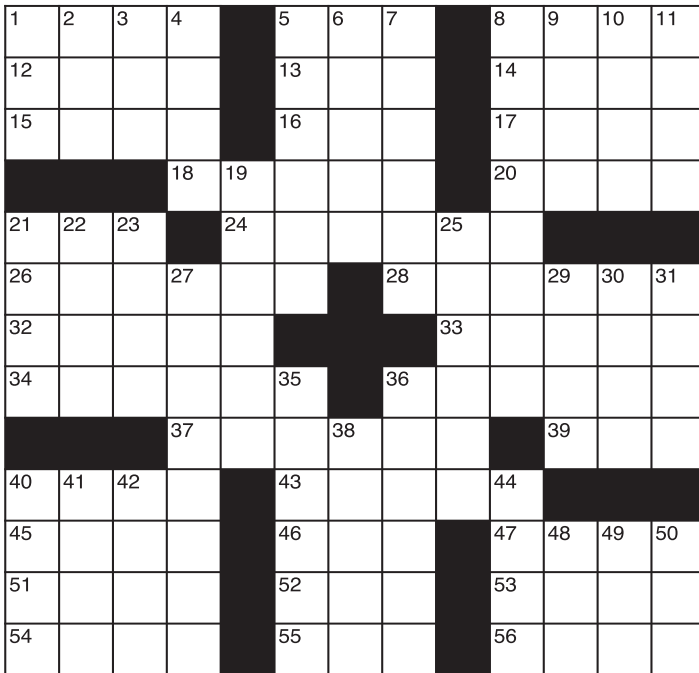
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Puzzle no. 60



Answer to puzzle no. 59 (ran on Tues, Oct 6)

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### ACROSS

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|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Brawl               | 21. Road bend       | 43. Metric quart       |
| 5. Suet                | 24. Monet, for one  | 45. Tiny jumper        |
| 8. Ridicule            | 26. Trophies        | 46. Actress Murray     |
| 12. Fare               | 28. Anxiety         | 47. Did well on        |
| 13. Orangutan, e.g.    | 32. Stormed         | 51. Supply of money    |
| 14. Branding _____     | 33. Pay             | 52. Printers' concerns |
| 15. Unlatch            | 34. TV interference | 53. Secure, as a ship  |
| 16. Vincent _____ Gogh | 36. Weaken          | 54. Hardens            |
| 17. "_____ That Tune"  | 37. Gathered        | 55. Go bad             |
| 18. Loathe             | 39. Attach a button | 56. "The Red _____"    |
| 20. Large number       | 40. Eye             |                        |

### Down

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|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. To's associate    | 11. Recognized       | 35. Less tense                 |
| 2. Type of session   | 19. Golfer's helper  | 36. Despise                    |
| 3. Munched           | 21. Sound organs     | 38. Stevie Wonder's instrument |
| 4. Appetites         | 22. Slap             | 40. Not ons                    |
| 5. Prefers           | 23. History          | 41. Adhesive                   |
| 6. Detached          | 25. March            | 42. Advanced, as money         |
| 7. Court sport       | 27. Certain tires    | 44. Inclined walkway           |
| 8. Medieval singer   | 29. Flightless birds | 48. Dove's cry                 |
| 9. Kind of tradition | 30. Locale           | 49. Age                        |
| 10. Arrive           | 31. Hearty soup      | 50. Lacking water              |



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I can't believe I got fired from the calendar factory. All I did was take a day off.

Two antennas met, fell in love and eventually got married.

The wedding ceremony wasn't much but the reception was excellent...

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This story submitted by Irene Stoyles, who is on an RV trip across Canada with her other half and trusty "RV Shoes." She documents her adventures using her Facebook, which is where the originals of these stories can be found.

Good morning, folks, mausey day (foggy). We are speeding south on highway 17, 200 km north of Sault Ste Marie. Speeding might be a bit of an exaggeration, more like turtle. No midnight adventure for RV Shoes last night. Raining cats and dogs and really dark. I'm not going outside when it's that dark.

Well for the continuing adventure with DB. Yesterday was peaceful, and I actually started to trust her enough to put the paper map down. It turns out she was just waiting for me to drop my guard. We were driving along, blissfully unaware of what DB had in mind. Suddenly from the dash came a loud squawk. "Make a left turn in 500 metres." OH (other half) yelled back, "There is no left turn!" This intelligent exchange of ideas continued for a few minutes until OH found the left turn. All was well temporarily. About 5 kms into the new route, DB piped up with the dreaded T word. "Continue on trunk road 11 for the next 600 kilometres." OH lost his poop. DB almost became a frisbee without opening the window. I calmly suggested that at the next pull out we turn around. OH heard turn around. I was quickly appointed lookout. With my eyes tightly shut, the lake in front of us and the mountain sitting on our bumper, we turned Big Birtha around. No harm done, but definitely a few more grey hairs. I have safely stashed DB away from OH. I have decided to keep her for kicks and giggles.

Catch more of Irene's adventures in our next issue!



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Thanksgiving  
Jokes....but I told  
them I couldn't  
quit COLD TURKEY**



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## District of Chetwynd Proposed Zoning Amendment Bylaw No. 1124,2020

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to the *Local Government Act*, the Council of the District of Chetwynd gives notice it will hold a Public Hearing to consider the above-named bylaw:

**Date: October 19, 2020**

**Time: 4:00 p.m.**

**Place: Electronic Zoom Meeting**

Proposed Zoning Amendment Bylaw No. 1124, 2020 would rezone 5244 42 Street NE from Single Family Residential (R1) to Multiple Family – Low Density (RM1) to allow a duplex to be converted into a four-plex.

All persons who believe their interest in property may be affected by the proposed bylaws and wish to register an opinion may do so by:

1. Appearing before Council at the said Public Hearing; and/or
2. Forwarding written submissions for Council's consideration, prior to 4:00 p.m. October 19, 2020, to District of Chetwynd, P.O. Box 357, Chetwynd, BC, V0C 1J0; Fax: 250-401-4101; or Email: [d-chet@gochetwynd.com](mailto:d-chet@gochetwynd.com)

The bylaws and other written information pertaining to this matter may be viewed at [www.gochetwynd.com](http://www.gochetwynd.com), or at the District of Chetwynd Office located at 5400 Hospital Road, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday inclusive, excluding statutory holidays, from October 6, 2020 to October 19, 2020.

**Any inquiries should be referred to the District of Chetwynd, Telephone: 250-401-4100, Fax: 250-401-4101, Email: [d-chet@gochetwynd.com](mailto:d-chet@gochetwynd.com) or by mail to P.O. Box 357, Chetwynd, BC,**





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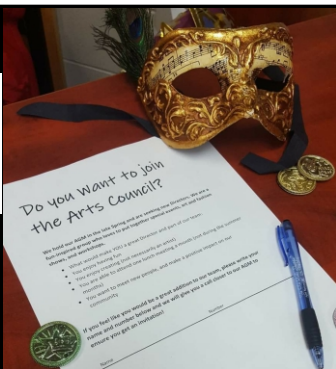


Just when you think it  
can't get any worse, it  
can. And just when you  
think it can't get any  
better, it can.



## AGM

The Chetwynd Community Arts Council  
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Wednesday October 28th  
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## Looking for a HEAD REF

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A German Shepherd starts chasing rabbits and before long, discovers that he's lost. Wandering about, he notices a panther heading rapidly in his direction with the intention of having lunch. The old German Shepherd thinks, "Oh, oh! I'm in trouble now!"

Noticing some bones on the ground close by, he immediately settles down to chew on the bones with his back to the approaching cat. Just as the panther is about to leap, the old German Shepherd exclaims loudly, "Boy, that was one delicious panther! I wonder if there are any more around here?"

Hearing this, the young panther halts his attack in mid-strike, a look of terror comes over him and slinks away into the trees. "Whew!" says the panther, "That was close! That old German Shepherd nearly had me!"

Meanwhile, a squirrel who had been watching the whole scene from a nearby tree figures he can put this knowledge to good use and trade it for protection from the panther. So, off he goes.

The squirrel soon catches up with the panther, spills the beans and strikes a deal for himself with the panther.

The young panther is furious at being made a fool of and says, "Here, squirrel, hop on my back and see what's going to happen to that conniving canine!"

Now, the old German Shepherd sees the panther coming with the squirrel on his back and thinks,

"What am I going to do now?"

But instead of running, the dog sits down with his back to his attackers, pretending he hasn't seen them yet, and just when they get close enough to hear, the old German Shepherd says, "Where's that squirrel? I sent him off an hour ago to bring me another panther!"

# IT'S TIME TO THINK DIFFERENTLY

Last month we looked at how we might ease the tension many of our customers are feeling in light of the pandemic. We ended the article with the words, "Survival is going to be all about creativity." This month we are going to take that one step further and look at making things a little easier on the sales side of our business.

Einstein is supposed to have said, "The definition of insanity is doing the same thing over and over again, but expecting different results." As our businesses face uncertain times, it's easy to hunker down and try to wait out the crisis. Carry on doing what we've always done in the hope that things will return to normal before we go bankrupt. The problem with that is we have no idea how long this pandemic will last. The world is waiting for a vaccine, as if it will be a panacea for all our economic ills. In reality, even once a vaccine has been approved and then found effective, it will take time before we start to beat back the ravages of COVID-19. Another spanner in the works is that in the US for instance, a recent survey discovered that only around 50% of Americans would be comfortable taking a vaccine if and when it becomes available.

None of this is meant to scare you. It is, however, a wake up call that we need to be proactive in our business, especially in sales and marketing. During times of crisis and economic stress, it is those business owners who step up and show creativity and innovation who survive and often even prosper. Even during the two world wars some businesses adapted better than others.

In sailing, if your course takes you directly into the wind you need to use a maneuver called tacking. This requires turning the bow of your boat toward the wind and then zig-zagging; basically crossing the wind to make headway. Not a very strong technical explanation but hopefully you get the idea.

In the current crisis, being able to tack against the negative forces trying to drive you back is a good tactic. There are a percentage of businesses where life is pretty much going on as normal, some are even doing better than they were before the pandemic but they are few and far between. So if your business has been hit hard, you can carry on as before, hoping for a different outcome, or you can tack into the wind. But, what does that mean?

For a start, what problems do your customers currently have? Where's their pain? Is there anyway you can alleviate that pain? Is there something you can do differently that would make it easier or more attractive for them to carry on doing business with you? Is there something you can do to attract new customers? Is there something you can do differently to your competition that will make you more appealing?

This is a time to be creative and innovative. Is there something new you can offer your existing customers? Can you adapt what you sell to new markets? Can you change the sales interaction completely?

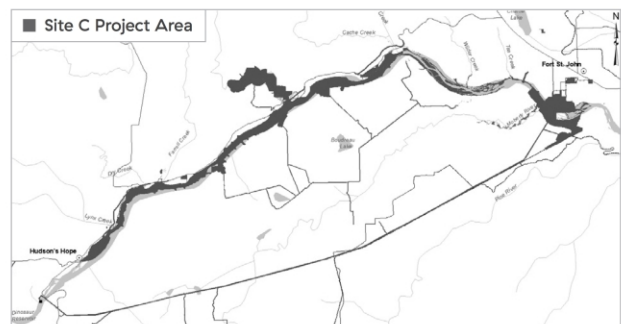
For instance, many business have re-invented themselves to create products directly related to serving COVID-19 related needs. The question you need to ask yourself, is where is the market need as it relates to your personal, and your company's, skills and abilities? Find the pain and you'll find a market. Think about all those people working from home. Consider hygiene and the fact that we have all become germophobes overnight. All across Canada children have gone back to school, but the parents of a significant percentage have decided to take the online route. Telehealth has exploded. What other needs can be satisfied using the same methods and technology.

Head off in a new direction, do things differently, don't be frightened to confront the crisis head on, and be prepared to zig-zag a little in order to make progress.

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Dear Ernie

I can't believe one year has come and gone since we lost you, Ernie. It has been a very long and hard year for both me and your 2 children, Felix and Sabrina, and all of your many, many friends. Life hasn't been the same without you Ernie.

we never thought this day would happen so fast and too soon.

Losing you and trying to be brave and strong for everyone, especially our 2 kids, has be a very emotional time.

The only bright light has been the major and constant comfort from our grandchild, Emma. She comes to spend time with me and we talk about you all the time. She misses her Pappa. She gives me hope and the will to keep on going each day.

I still miss you so damn much, Ernie, and the life we had together.

Everyone keeps telling me, "Everything will take time to heal and accept your passing"

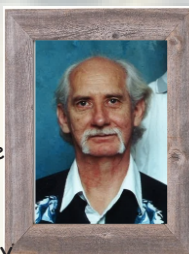
But all I want is to have you back again.

My husband and my best friend.

Still missing you, hon.

Love your wife,

Ms. Delia Bouvier (Olson) & Kids



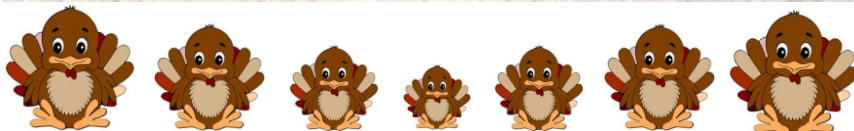
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