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bottle is colored in. 6. Top of hydrant is colored in. 7. Branch on mailbox post has moved. 9. Window is wider. 10. Chimney is taller. 11. Drip on paint can is lower. 12. Paper in trash can is longer. Solution: 1. Tie in girl's hair is missing. 2. Leaf behind hydrant is missing. 3. tem in trash can is colored in. 4. Label on helmet is colored in. 5. Label on

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2002 Volkswagon Passat, lady driven, 2004 VW Jetta TDI (GLS Sedan), fully interior, good winter vehicle, approx 146,000km, \$4800. Call (landline, do not text) 250-785-3986

2011 Toyota Tacoma 4x4 with canopy, 4 door, complete set of summer & winter tires, 65,000km, \$29,000. Call 250-788-7828

Set of 4 never used rims, Firestone Transfore AT 285/60/R20 truck tires. \$365 each or \$1100 for all 4. Call 250-401-7513 or email gadh@live.ca

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> remote start, custom stereo, 194,000 suite, furnishings, wifi, washer and km, \$3200. Call Dale at 250-719-4079

2011 Dodge Ram Laramie 1500, gas & 250-549-0267 propane, fully loaded, leather, 185,000 km, \$21,000. Call 250-467-2182

2008 white Dodge Ram 3500, 6 speed 250-304-8335

2005 Dodge Caravan, stow-n-go seats, rear heat, 2 complete sets of summer & 2 furnished rooms in large home 20 good, \$5900 OBO, Call 250-788-9421

2002 Volkswagon Passat, lady driven, new winter tires & battery, fwd, leather Available May 1, newer executive to 250-785-3986

1996 Ford F-250/F-350 C-6 trans, \$300; 1995 Ford F-150 4x4 parts truck, good body, 225,000 kms on running engine, truck near complete by needs 2001 Ford Escape 3L V6, no rust, trans, \$300. Call 250-788-9969

> New Dodge truck front floor mats for mud & water, never used, \$100 firm. Call 250-788-6962

#### FOR RENT

1996 Crown Victoria Ford, good tires, Lifted 1977 Chevy crew cab 4x4, 1 ton Avail March 1, 2 bdrm duplex down running gear, 500+ HP big block, turbo town, adult oriented, washer/dryer, 400 tranny, 205 transfer case, 39" tires, no pets. Call 250-788-3936 or

> winter tires (both on rims), \$6400 OBO. with computer desk & sitting room, shared common areas, internet, TV & wifi. No smokers, must be working. Call 250-788-9828

> > mobile home, no smoking, no pets, \$1200/mo. Call 250-788-8130

windows/sunroof, heated seats, \$7800 smoking, laundry facilities included. Call 250-788-2286

2004 Chevy Impala in good shape, 1 bdrm near Rec Centre with shared dryer for clean and responsible short term shift worker. \$700/mo. Call or text

Beautiful 3 bdrm 2 bath updated home in Tumbler Ridge with hot tub, fenced yard backing onto green space, large standard, short box, cloth interior, shed, water softener & gas fire 176,000km, \$20,000 firm. Call place. No smoking, pets negotiable, \$1400/mo, includes utilities. Call 250-242-8552

winter tires on rims, 160,000 km, runs mins east of Chetwynd with washer, dryer, dishwasher & satellite TV. \$650/mo. Call or text 250-788-5871

interior, 146,000 km, \$4800. Call only duplex, 2400 sq ft, 4 bdrms, great location across from park, close to schools & Rec Centre, no smoking, no pets, most appliances included. Call perfect cond, 130,000 original kms, Sheri 250-788-3258 evenings or text 250-556-9839 for call back

> 3 bdrm house with unfinished basement, large yard, \$1200/mo + damage deposit. Email dashriprock\_star@yahoo.ca

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#### MISCELLANEOUS

Chesnok Red, Persian Star, Ukrainian, chairs & 2 stools, like new, \$500. Call 780-German Red, \$15/lb. Call 250-788-5147 864-9621 or 250-788-2970

quality well-cured birch & tamarack  $furniture\ lumber.\ Call\ 250-719-6142$ 

Delta 1 Horse tablesaw, runs great, \$200 Samsung Galaxy SIII, \$150. Call Dean at OBO; Delta 10" planer, \$200 OBO. Call 250-788-5812 250-788-6962

1899 Bell pump organ, excellent cond 250-788-5697 inside & out, \$1200 OBO. Call 250-788-2944

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Washer and dryer in working order, \$200 for both, OBO. Call Leonard at 250-788-5134

Nikon L330 camera, 24 mega pixels, case incl, \$200. Call 250-788-9818

Best Buy gift card, \$25 value. Call 250-788-3826

only slightly used, worth \$1200 new but will trade or sell for \$200. Call 250-788-6845 or email peacecountry@persona.ca

Princess style gown in red, great for grad, can be strapless or strapped, very sparkly, needs steaming but in good cond, \$350. Call 250-401-8807

Shaw Motorola DSR PVR 630's & 600's never used; Shaw satellite with new LNB, Ps2 with accessories: 2 Guitar Hero \$70. Call 250-719-4869

Seasoned firewood. Call 250-788-5409

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Shale floor tile, 70 sq ft, make an offer. Call

Firewood, \$180 split, \$160 not split per cord. Free delivery within 50km. Call

2 large beautiful 7' dining room tables, 2 ½" top, heavy timber framed legs, 1 is 40" wide, 1 is 36" wide, made of pine & birch; 1 coffee table. Call 250-788-3371

Very comfortable pillow top Trump Home Pergola mattress & box spring with nice Ernie's Sport Store gift card, \$100 value; dark wood frame, used 6 months, \$1000 OBO. Call or text 250-401-6409

Maytag portable dishwasher with wood Electronic TS-1 motorized golf caddy, counter top, like new, \$300 OBO or trade. Call 250-788-2835

> Top load washer & dryer in good working order, not matching. Make me an offer. Call 250-556-4188

> Tattoo equipment, sterilizer, machines, inks, reference books, etc. Will trade for project car or truck. Call 250-242-4819

> guitars, 3 memory cards, controllers, multi tap switch new in box, 21 PS2 games, 9 PS1 games, \$200. Call 250-788-9969

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#### **PROPERTY**

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A MUST SEE!! House for sale by owner. Beautiful 2 level, 4 bedroom, 2 bath house. Many upgrades. New hardwood flooring throughout. ½ acre fenced yard, large deck and shed. Rodeo Sub near Little Prairie School. \$259,000. To view call 250-788-3133.

#### **SPRING IS ON ITS WAY!** AND WITH THAT COMES DAFFODILS!

Fresh cut Daffodils from Vancouver Island with be arriving in Chetwynd March 19, 2015. Pre-order forms will be faxed out to local businesses soon, so be watching for them. Be sure to get your order in as the Daffodils are limited and we don't want you to miss out. Each year our colourful "Daffodil Boots" sell out very quickly.

Do you have a couple of hours to spare? Are you new in town and want to meet new friends or have a friend that you would like to spend a couple of hours with? Well this is a great opportunity for just that and we would be happy to have you. New faces and new energy are most welcome.

We are looking for volunteers for March 19-March 25, 2015. Please consider coming out and joining our enthusiastic group of volunteers. Tables will be set up for sales of Daffodil bunches and beautiful arrangements either in vases or our "unique" rubber boots at Chetwynd IGA and Super Valu. If you are interested please contact Loni at 250-788-2842 (nights) or 250 788-5320 (days).

April 1 is the start of our annual Daffodil Pin Campaign. Pins will be available in various locations in our community. Be sure to pick up a pin and wear for the month of April to show your support for people who have been affected by cancer and to remember those we have lost. Together we can make a difference. Contact Loni for more info at 250-788-5320.

#### Take Charge and Read The Little Black Book of Scams

(NC) Don't get taken by con artist – now is the time to get informed. March is the designated Fraud Prevention Month, so be sure to download a copy of The Little Black Book of Scams from www.competitionbureau.gc.ca/fraud. It's filled with clean little secrets for protecting yourself, your family, your identity, and your hardearned cash - and most of all it helps all of us to stamp out the scammers.



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#### **PROPERTY**

4 bdrm house 2 minutes from town on 5 acres, \$253,000. Call 250-788-1001 or 250-788-6117

5 bdrm fully renovated home on 2.1 acres 10 mins west of town, priced to sell at \$229,000, \$36,000 below appraised value, move in ready. Call or msg Trevor at 250-788-5336

Home for sale with all furniture by owner. Only \$198,000 in Tumbler Ridge BC, 2 bathroom, 4 bedroom, 2 living room, shed, completely fenced for pets. Call 250-257-0737

Newer home with 2 bdrms and 2.5 baths on 10 acres 15 minutes from town. 14x24 shed, lots of recent updates, \$289,000. Call 250-788-5697

3 bdrm house on double lot with double heated garage, sun patio, office, new flooring & roof, trees, garden, \$285,000. Quick possession date if possible. Call 250-850-4995

#### PETS/LIVESTOCK

4 month old male German Shepherd Akita cross puppy, very smart & loving, \$100 but will need shots, need gone ASAP. Call or text 250-401-6409

Six 8 week old miniature teacup/potbelly cross piglets, for house pets, \$300 each. Call 250-784-8969

7 month old female Kangal shepherd dog, good with kids, well socialized, needs lots of room to run around, \$200. Call 250-788-5567

1 year old B&W cat looking for a loving home, fixed, litter trained, very cuddly, gets along with little dogs, free to loving person. Call Rhonda at 250-788-9598

Weiner pigs and feeders. Call 250-788-8855 between 8 am and 9 am

#### **LOST & FOUND**

Lost: Black Samsung cell phone. If found please call Kathy at 250-788-5112 or 250-788-2126

Lost: Post office key. If found please drop off at Coffee Talk.

ost: Black leather jacket with zipper inside for hoodie & mens wallet with ID sometime in the middle of Feb, possible in industrial grounds. If found please drop off at Coffee Talk or RCMP.

Lost: Set of bright blue headphones in small black case Fri Feb 21. If found call 250-788-5612

#### REC VEHICLES

1999 Slumber Queen 9' truck camper, 1 bath, 3 burner stove/oven, fridge, queen bed, drop down bed, double sinks, solar panel & 800 watt inverter, dual propane tanks, RV battery, hydraulic jacks, tiedowns, aluminum scissors stairs, \$5500. Call 780-835-6030

2003 Summit 800 sled, \$2400. To inquire call 250-826-9461

28 ft 1987 Suncrest motorhome in great shape, new fridge, hot water heater, 460 motor in great cond, new tires. Call 250-782-4013

1996 Ski-Doo Polaris Ultra 680, runs good, \$1600. Call 250-788-5875

2004 Arctic Cat 400 quad, under 2000km, \$1700. Call 250-788-3332

Ski-Doo Summit 800 XRS in good cond, 151" track, all stock except for MBRP can & slip intake, 1500km, \$4500 OBO. Call 250-788-6899

2007 Weekend Warrior toy hauler, 28" pull trailer, sleeps 6-7, fully self contained including built-in generator & pull up fuel station, excellent shape, \$25,000 OBO. Call 250-401-1878

2007 Ski-Doo Summit 800 XRS in good cond, 151" track, all stock except MBRP can & SLP intake, 1500 km, \$4200 OBO. Call 250-788-6899

1999 Corsair 8'10" camper, new roof & fridge, excellent condition, \$7500 OBO. Call 250-788-1105

2012 Bearcat 570XL sled, excellent cond, \$8000 OBO. Call 250-788-1105

Limited edition RZR 900 XP4, Walker Evans shocks, hard top roof, stereo system, winch, ½ windshield, tow hitch, high clearance radius arms, rhino axles, new motor with less than 25 hours on it, excellent cond, \$18,000. Call 788-8818 or 250-788-6825

2004 Honda Foreman with snow blade, \$4200 OBO; 2006 Arctic Cat Crossfire 700, \$3700 OBO. Call 250-788-5545

1985 Safari 377 Ski-Doo, excellent cond, new windshield, seat cover, fuel pump, needs voltage regulator, \$700; 1998 Polaris Indy 500 twin snowmobile, excellent cond, very good shape, reverse, spare belt, \$1200. Call 250-788-9969

2009 camouflage Honda ATV 4x4 Rancher, 420cc engine, only 1,450km, \$5800 OBO. Call Jere at 250-788-2944

2012 Ski-Doo Summit 800 XP, 154 track, \$8500 firm. Call 250-788-6962

#### WANTED

Wanted: .308 or 6.62x51 commercial or mil, will buy or trade. Call 250-719-7497

Wanted: Louis L'Armour western movies, must be VHS. Call 250-719-6142

Wanted: 3-4 bdrm house to rent for family of 6 with small dog, needed by the end of February. Call 250-788-9552

Wanted: Massey Ferguson 165 parts tractor. Call 250-788-3480

Wanted: Guitar lessons for 8 year old beginner. Call 250-788-1837

Wanted: The individual who wanted an accordion a few months ago. Call 250-788-8853

Wanted: Furniture, kitchenware, bdrm furniture and clothing for 2 yr old boy for cheap or free. Able to pick up. Call 250-788-2903

Wanted: A dehumidifier for a decent price, Call 250-788-6416

Wanted: Arctic sleeping bag. Leave msg with phone number for Christine at 250-401-7421

Wanted: Work as a house sitter or live in caregiver for children or elderly female. Offered by middle aged, non-smoking, non-drinking Christian in exchange for free R&B. Call 250-401-7421 or email j.c331@yahoo.ca

Wanted: Apt for Mar 1 - June 29 for single male teacher working at CSS on 4 month contract. Clean & friendly, need place within walking distance. Send photos to harmang@gmail.com or leave msg at 604-961-5742

Wanted: Twin box spring in good shape. Call 250-788-2944

Wanted: 18" rims for 2007 Ford F-150 pick-up. Call 250-788-9188

Wanted: To rent 1 bdrm apartment or basement suite starting March 1, must be pet friendly. Call 250-793-3860

Wanted: Reading tutor for 8 yr old. Call 250-788-1837

Wanted: 4 tires, 245/75 R-16. Call 250-261-3133

## **Consumer Information**

## Get Your Notice of Assessment Online -Instead of in Your Mailbox

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Subscribing to this new online mail service means you won't be getting a paper copy and you'll have your notice of assessment at your fingertips within one week of when your return is assessed—no more waiting. You can view and print it whenever you need to.

Sign up for this secure service in one of two ways:

• Include your email address on your 2014 income tax and benefit return, whether it's through your tax preparation software, your tax preparer, or on your paper return. By including your email address, you'll automatically be signed up for online mail. You will need to register for the CRA's My Account service, if you are not already registered, to view your notice of assessment online.

Or:

• Register with My Account (or log in if you are already registered) and select the Manage online mail option.

When your notice of assessment is ready to be viewed, the CRA will notify you through email.

Additional taxpayer correspondence will also be available online in the near future—and more information is a v a i l a b l e a t www.cra.gc.ca/myaccount.

#### LCOKING FOR SOMETHING TO DO?

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#### **WEEKLY HOROSCOPE**

work home if it will help you get caught up. You have a lot to offer. If you're uncertain of your feelings, keep your opinions to yourself. You must refrain from overspending on entertainment. Your lucky day this week will be popular and will easily attract Tuesday.

TAURUS (Apr. 21- May 21)Your outgoing, aggressive nature will attract someone you've been eager to meet. You will have some problems with children, but if you are patient you will win their favor. Take care of the needs of elders in your family. Someone may try to damage your reputation. Your lucky day this week will be Wednesday. Your lucky day this

GEMINI (May 22-June 21)Consider the source before you believe what you hear. Don't spend too much in order to impress others. Hold on; your time will come. You might be overly emotional concerning situations at work. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday.

impress. Someone you live with will be quite unreasonable this week. Your lucky day this week will be Tuesday.

LEO (July 23-Aug 22)You will be members of the opposite sex. You are best not to confront situations that deal with inlaws or relatives. Y o u r passionate nature may  $m\,a\,k\,e\quad y\,o\,u$ jealous if your mate has been too busy to take care of your needs.

week will be Thursday.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 - Sept. 23) Travel will promote romantic connections. You will be able to make favorable changes in your living quarters. Opportunities to get involved in self improvement projects will be rewarding. You can receive recognition for the work you've done. Your lucky day this week will be Tuesday.

ARIES (Mar. 21-April 20) Bring CANCER (June 22-July 22) Your LIBRA (Sept. 24 -Oct. 23) You can tendency to vacillate will drive make changes to your home that will everyone crazy. This is a great day to be pleasing to all concerned. Your mingle with people you would like to added discipline will enable you to complete some of those unfinished projects. Real estate investments will be profitable. Your lucky day this week will be Friday.

> SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22) Arguments with children or friends may leave you

steaming. Romantic opportunities will flourish through travel or communication. Don't spend too much on products that promise amazing cosmetic results. Your lucky day this week will be

<u>SAGITTARIUS</u> (Nov. 23 -Dec. 21)Situations in your personal life are moving a little fast lately. Changes could be overwhelming. Take the time to do your job correctly or you may find yourself looking for a new one. Don't be alarmed. Your lucky day this week will be Tuesday.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22.- Jan. 20)You should make special plans for you and your lover. Romance will develop through work related activities. Try to think things through. You can help them more than they can help you. Your lucky day this week will be Sunday.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 -Feb. 19) Passion is about the best way for you to relieve tension. Refrain from overspending on entertainment or luxury items. A romantic infatuation from your past may surface if you frequent places that you both used to go. Your lucky day this week will be Tuesday.

PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)You really can't do anything to change matters this week. Don't push your mate if you want to keep this union going. Include the whole family or those you love. If you haven't planned a vacation, then at least try to get away for the weekend. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday.



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# **FOOD AND NUTRITION**

# **Encourage Your Kids to Get Moving**

(NC) Studies have proven that there is a hours per day and encourage your kids to link between childhood obesity and a lack of physical exercise. Canadian children spend an average of 8 hours per day in front of a screen, and few meet their daily fitness guidelines. According to the Canadian Society for Exercise Physiology, kids ages 5-17 require one hour of moderate to vigorous physical activity per day. Meeting these guidelines can help improve kids' health, academics, body strength and selfesteem.

Many parents feel at a loss when dealing with their child's health and potential weight issues. To raise awareness for Nutrition Month, T-fal's Nutritious and Delicious brand is launching its award winning Healthy Cooking for Healthy Kids Program. This year, the annual program includes the monitoring of physical activity to better help families strive towards a healthier lifestyle. The program offers free printable materials including kid friendly recipes, proportion control placemats, grocery lists, healthy eating and exercise charts. The program also offers a live chat with a leading nutritionist.

Want to help your kids get active this Nutrition Month? Limit screen time to 1-2

spend their spare time being active instead of on the couch. The recommended 60 minutes of moderate daily physical activity can be broken up into 10 minute increments throughout the day. Being active does not require expensive exercise equipment or a gym membership. Make easy swaps to help kids stay active and burn calories throughout the day:

- Get off the couch and play a sport like basketball (burns approximately 280 calories per half an hour) instead of playing a video game that only burns 53 calories.
- · Instead of playing a board game, do a jump rope contest to see who can skip the longest to burn approximately 100-150 calories in only 10 minutes.
- Did you know it would take you an hour and 40 minutes of exercise to burn off the calories consumed from a large serving of fries at a fast food chain?

For more information on the *Healthy* Cooking for Healthy Kids Program, to download the free printable materials, and to access the live chat with a nutritionist visit t-fal.ca/nutritionmonth.







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**Use This Handy Spring Cleaning Checklist** 

(NC) After the long Canadian winter, there's something about this time of year that inspires us to throw open our windows and let the fresh breeze in. Spring is an ideal time to de-clutter and infuse renewed energy into our living space.

A complete spring clean overhaul can take

days of course, so plan accordingly and set a realistic schedule. The following tips will soon have your home

- · Before you begin cleaning, categorize the list of jobs required (e.g. cleaning baseboards, organizing cupboards, washing curtains). Although it seems easier to tackle all the vacuuming at once, completing one room at a time will give you the satisfaction to continue.
- · Begin with dusting and vacuuming surfaces—from ceiling to baseboards—as well as chandeliers, light bulbs and light fixtures. Spring cleaning does require a little old fashioned elbow grease. Scrub floors with a scrubbing brush and cleaning solution, clean the grout on tiled floors. If you don't already own one, rent a steam cleaner for carpets.
- Take down window treatments and wash or dry clean. Wipe wooden blinds with a gentle wood cleaner. wash aluminum blinds outdoors where they can dry. Clean the inside of windows.
- · As a rule, work from the top down, so areas don't get dirty again. However, when it comes to washing walls, it is easier to start from the bottom using a sponge mop. This way, you can more easily clean up any drips.
- In the kitchen, thoroughly clean the tops of cabinets, fridges and stove vent. Be ruthless with the contents of your fridge and throw out anything old, or furry. Defrost your freezer, empty the contents and wipe the inside with a mix of a litre of hot water with 2 tablespoons of baking soda.
- In the bedroom, flip your mattress and edit your wardrobe. Store away winter garments until the next season and get rid of clothes you haven't worn for more than a year; don't save them for "someday".
- · Organize bookshelves and storage cabinets. Spring cleaning is a good time to donate unused or unwanted items. One place you can donate is to a ReStore of homebuilding organization, Habitat for Humanity. It accepts everything from furniture, household products, to even the kitchen sink. And ReStores provide a tax receipt for the value of your donation. You can find one in your community at www.habitat.ca/restore.
- Spring cleaning is also an ideal time to safely dispose of expired medications and replace batteries in your smoke detector.

Once the work is done, open the windows wide and let that fresh spring air in.



Ouintessential **Ouilters** Guild welcomes anyone who would like to attend our monthly meeting held on the 3rd Monday of the month at 7pm at Shared Ministry Church. Call Barb for more info at 250-788-9279.

**Dawson Creek Aboriginal Family Resources Society** 

## **CURRENTLY HIRING**

### **Full-Time Aboriginal Child and Youth Mental Health Support Worker**

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Wages: As per collective agreement

**Work Location: Chetwynd** 

Drivers License: Valid BC | Class: 5

**Qualifications:** 

Minimum educational qualification of a relevant community social service certificate or diploma. Or an equivalent combination of education, training and experience. Knowledge of Aboriginal Community and ability to speak a First Nation Language an asset. Access to a safe reliable vehicle. Subject to Criminal Records Review. Able to work flexible hours.

#### **Duties:**

To support and promote cultural enhancement, affect emotional and behavioral change and positive growth in children experiencing, or at risk of experiencing and mental health problem that may be creating significant distress and/or impairment of development and functioning in their home, school or community.

To apply for this position

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#### District of Chetwynd Takes Over Visitor Centre

The District of Chetwynd is pleased to announce that effective April 1, 2015 it will be delivering Visitor Centre Services directly for Chetwynd. While the District has had a long and productive relationship with the Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with the District's Visitor Centre operations, because of escalating costs of providing this service the District will be taking over the service and modifying operating hours to reflect slower winter and brisker summer hours. While there will be a reduction in winter hours, the same level of service will be provided during summers as in past years.

The Visitor Centre will soon be moving to a newly renovated location at the former site of the Municipal Hall at 5400 North Access Road. The Northern Development Initiative Trust awarded the District a grant in the amount of \$250,000 in 2014 for renovations to the site of the new Visitor Centre. Until the newly renovated facility is available in the fall of 2015, the Visitor Centre will temporarily be located at an alternate location. All services including visitor information services, sales of local goods and crafts, and retail tourism services will be offered through the redefined Visitor Centre. The District's goal is to enhance local services and events, with more focus on summer operations and activities at the Centre, and to work with the Chamber of Commerce to strengthen its services to the business community and residents of Chetwynd.

"We are tremendously excited about the opportunity to provide this service directly for visitors, residents and businesses of our community," stated Mayor Nichols; "We look forward to a continued very positive working relationship with the Chamber, which will now be able to focus even more on its own local events and programs, like the new "Small Town Love" program. This project, sponsored by Northern Development Initiative Trust, is directly oriented toward supporting local businesses. Council has offered the Chamber of Commerce a grant in aid in the amount of \$25,000.00 to assist with expenses involved with this program and as transition funding."

The District will work with the Chamber of Commerce to improve its own services and events, and together will strengthen commercial and cultural opportunities in Chetwynd.

Mayor Nichols summarized, "By working together we can achieve great things for our community, and we look forward to this new opportunity."





