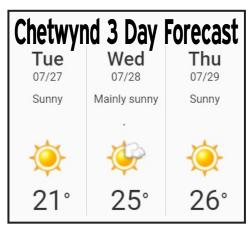
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SUPPORT WILDFIRE CREWS: DO NOT TAKE UNNECESSARY RISKS IN THE BACKCOUNTRY

Whatever your activities this summer, remember wildfire crews are working in the bush.

The public is asked to be mindful of the needs of B.C.'s wildfire response by making a careful trip plan when hiking and being careful in the backcountry.

Not only is there a high risk of wildfire throughout the province, there have also been incidents this summer requiring BC Wildfire Service support for the co-ordinated rescues of hikers. These calls require the diversion of helicopters from the fire line and may challenge progress on fire suppression efforts.

While aviation resources are being used throughout the province by the BC Wildfire Service, there are processes for these resources to be accessed by search and rescue when they are required.

The Province thanks recreationalists for reporting fires that they have spotted, in backcountry areas and elsewhere. A small fire can quickly become a serious wildfire. Report a wildfire by dialing *5555 on a cellphone or calling toll-free: 1 800 663-5555

While most provincial parks remain open for recreational and camping activities, due to the serious nature of the current wildfire situation, BC Parks, in co-ordination with the BC Wildfire Service, has closed numerous parks to protect public safety. A list of BC Parks closures is available online: https://bcparks.ca/wildfire

Prior to closing parks, multiple factors are taken into consideration, such as weather conditions and forecasts, access routes, the presence of active fires and fire-danger ratings. Wildfires are dynamic, and circumstances can change quickly. BC Parks and the BC Wildfire Service assess situations daily.

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Self-respect cannot be hunted. It cannot be purchased. It is never for sale. It cannot be fabricated out of public relations. It comes to us when we are alone, in quiet moments, in quiet places, when we suddenly realize that, knowing the good, we have done it; knowing the beautiful, we have served it; knowing the truth we have spoken it.

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Puzzle no. 736

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It's good to be blessed. It's better to be a blessing.

- 1. See you later!
- 4. Ford fuel
- 7. Get up
- 12. Straight line
- 13. Handicraft
- Become narrower
- 15. Naval agreement
- 16. Not an amateur
- 17. Unfilled
- 18. Fling gently
- 20. Glossy paint
- 1. Imp
- 2. Child's toy
- 3. Lambs' moms
- 4. Breach
- 5. Apprehend
- 6. Boulder
- 7. Goblet part
- 8. Calm
- 9. Fruit pastry
- 10. Clear
- 11. Like a desert

ACROSS

- 22. Beam type
- 27. Result
- 30. Church
- 33. Floor installer

- 39. Cures
- 41. Trainee

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- 34. Friend, in Barcelona
- 35. Shipping boxes
- 37. Most melancholy
- 38. Hesitation word

- 28. Dismiss

- 44. Stared at
 - 48. Narrow boat
 - 50. Chased
- 52. Lime beverage
- 53. Dispute
- 54. Single
- 55. Kith and
- 56. Broadway lights
- 57. Damp and cold
- 58. Barnyard enclosure

DOWN

- 19. Ice pellets
- 21. Circle section
- 23. Land parcel
- 25. Appeals urgently
- 26. Spot of ink
- 27. Engrave
- 29. Long-legged bird
- 31. Corridor
- 32. Give pleasure

- 36. That lady
- 37. Monkey's munchie
- 40. Blunder
- 42. Verb's mate
- 43. Casual shirts
- 45. Gabs
- 46. Prepare copy 47. Withhold
- 48. Is able to
- 49. Have being
- 51. Just bought



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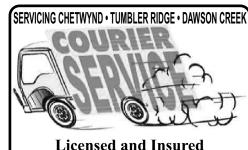
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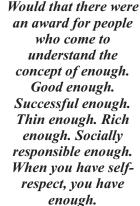
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This column is designed to address economical discoveries that will affect your health in a positive way.

Weeds

What is a weed? If you're growing a vegetable garden with nice, straight rows, a weed is the plant that's growing in the aisle. A weed can be the plant that's peeking up between the beets that, by its shape and color, you know is not attached to a beet root. A weed is an enemy-an enemy that is sometimes not so easily identified, for they may look very much like they belong, nearly identical to the vegetable growing beside them.

Some of us can more readily identify weeds because, in order to encourage proper growth of the seeds or seedlings we have planted in past years, we learned the importance of pulling them out while they are still small. Their characteristics are not in keeping with what we want to nurture. Those of us who know weeds, can tell a young chamomile from a young carrot or dill plant, though the fine and tiny leaves look much the same. You may find weeds in your flower bed by identifying blossoms you did not plant-weeds tend to grow big leaves and tiny flowers, if any.

Cultivating a flower or a vegetable garden is much the same as tending the heart garden. While an infant is incapable of making a wise decision about his behavior, a knowing parent will encourage emotional intelligence by fostering good deeds and wise choices. Very young children can learn how to grow a healthy heart when we help them identify undesirable character traits. Take your child for a walk through the garden-that's one of the best reasons for growing one-either a child or a garden!

> Loving thoughts are little seeds Let them blossom into deeds







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Solution: 1. Rocks on cliff ledge are missing. 2. Flower on cactus is missing. 3. Am on cactus is missing. 4. Flap on backpack is colored in. 5. Toe on bood is colored in. 6. Hom on skull is different. 7. Rock behind skull has moved. 8. Small cactus behind lady has moved. 9. River is different. 10. Shipe on shirt is wider. 11. Igusnas stall is shorter. 12. Grass on cliff behind lady is longer.

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British Columbians and visitors are urged to follow the instructions of BC Parks staff, BC Wildfire Service officials, the RCMP, conservation officers and other authorized personnel in these areas.

Destination BC's "Know Before You Go" web page is regularly updated and serves as a one-stop shop for visitors looking to access key information resources such as DriveBC, the BC Wildfire Service, Emergency Management BC and more.

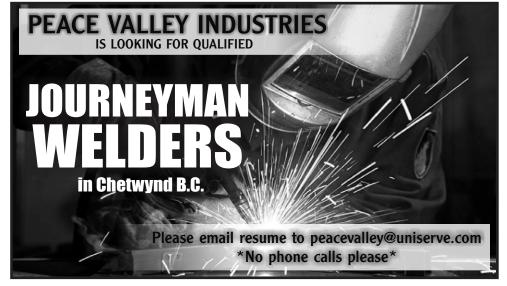
It is important to recognize that British Columbia is a large and diverse province. Many areas are not directly affected and are open for business.

If the area you were planning to travel to is impacted by wildfires, or under an evacuation alert or order, connect with a local visitor centre to rebook your trip to another area of the province.

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Ever stopped to think
where oxygen comes from?
Your first thought may be a
rainforest, but marine organisms take
the bait. Plankton, seaweed and other
photosynthesizers produce over half
of the world's oxygen.





B.C. WILDFIRES: QUICK STATISTICS

The wildfire situation is continually evolving, and the information below is current as of 7 p.m. (Pacific time) on Sunday, July 25, 2021. For real-time updates on evacuation alerts and orders, visit: https://twitter.com/ EmergencyInfoBC. For the latest wildfire information, visit: www.bcwildfire.ca

Fires:

- Wildfires currently burning in B.C.: 258
- Since April 1, 2021:
 - -1,216 wildfires
 - -414,262.04 hectares burned
- Active fires by fire centre:
 - -Cariboo: 39 -Coastal: 7 -Kamloops: 92 -Northwest: 4
 - -Prince George: 48 -SOUTHEAST: 68

Crews and equipment:

- Firefighters and other personnel currently fighting the fires: 3,278 (total, includes OOP and aerial support)
- Out-of-province firefighters: 72
- Helicopters and planes supporting ground crews: 198

Note: Out-of-province personnel numbers do not reflect all out-of-province firefighters currently in the province. Some are travelling, and this number reflects firefighters currently engaged in incidents.

Evacuations:

• Evacuation Orders: 58 Evacuation Alerts: 83 (+2)

- Properties:
 - Number of properties on order: 4,260 (-143)
 - -Number of properties on alert: 17,684 (+195)
- Orders and Alerts by Emergency Management BC region:
 - Vancouver Island Central Coast: 0 Northwest: 2 orders and 5 alerts
 - -Northeast: 3 orders and 15 alerts -Central: 45 orders and 53 (+1) alerts
- Both wildfire stories from news.gov.bc.ca Southeast: 8 orders and 8 (+1) alerts Southwest: 0 orders and 2 alerts



Every man alone is sincere. At the entrance of a second person, hypocrisy begins. We parry and fend the approach of our fellow-man by compliments, by gossip, by amusements, by affairs. We cover up our thought from him under a hundred folds.





Just remember, there's a right way and a wrong way to do everything, and the wrong way is to keep trying to make everybody else do it the right way.





