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FORT ST JOHN RCMP SEEK PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN FINDING WANTED WOMAN

The Fort St. John RCMP are looking for the public's help to find Alexis Dawn Chin. Chin is wanted on numerous outstanding warrants including breach of recognizance. So far the RCMP have not been able to locate Chin who is of no fixed address. Chin is described as a caucasian female, 33 years-old, about 5'9" with brown hair and green eyes. This isn't the first time the RCMP have been looking for Alexis Chin. In 2012, the RCMP were looking for Chin relation to numerous charges including break, enter and theft, two counts of possession of property obtained by crime, theft over \$5,000 and failing to comply with the conditions of her recognizance. In July of 2015, Chin was arrested and faced charges of Possession of Cocaine for the Purpose of Trafficking, Possession of Fentanyl for the Purpose of Trafficking, Possession of a Controlled Substance, and Unauthorized Possession of a Firearm as well as Careless Storage of a Firearm. If you have seen Alexis Chin or know of her location please contact the Fort St. John RCMP at 250-787-8100. If you wish to remain anonymous call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477. *Courtesy of Peace FM*

DAWSON CREEK TEEN HAS BEEN MISSING FOR ONE MONTH

It's been one month since a 15-year-old disappeared between Taylor and Dawson Creek. On March 22, the RCMP said Denny Poole was last seen on March 12 around 7:30 p.m. near the south side of the Kiskatinaw River Bridge, between Dawson Creek and Taylor. RCMP have said that Denny, along with a friend, were attempting to walk from Dawson Creek to Fort St. John on March 12. But the teenager never got to his intended destination, nor was he seen getting home. The boy is described as being about five foot seven inches tall and weighing between 120 and 130 pounds. He has short black hair and brown eyes. Denny was last seen wearing a grey DGK sweater, black jeans, Osirus running shoes, and he had a black backpack. Anyone with more information on his disappearance is urged to contact the Dawson Creek RCMP. *Courtesy of Peace FM*



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NOTICE

The Chetwynd Recreation Softball
League and Chetwynd Minor Ball

BALL FIELD UPGRADE PROJECT

Effective Saturday, April 9th, 2016

the Chetwynd Ball Fields will begin a long awaited construction project to replace the Dugouts for Diamonds #1, #2 and #5. Construction for this project is projected to be complete and re-opening the access to all fields after May long weekend. Please note that this timeline could be extended.

If you have any questions please call
**Brody Janzen, President of the
Softball League at 250-788-5982 or
Paul Gordon, Director of Engineering
& Public Works at 250-401-4111**

*Diamond #3 and #4 will be available for
practice diamonds during this project.*

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VEHICLES/PARTS/FARM EQUIP./HEAVY EQUIP.

Firestone P225/65R17 tires. Very little wear (90% tread), \$275 for set of 4. Call 250-788-5123

Case front end loader & bucket, fits 1070 Case tractor, \$2150; 2 new Goodyear 19.5 spares on new bud rims, 8 & 10 hole, fits Ford, 1/2 price at \$450/ea. Call 250-843-7674 lv msg

2007 Dodge 2500 hemi megacab, runs good, well maintained, \$6900. Call 250-784-7870

2007 Mazda 3, fully loaded, mechanics up to date, new winter tires, 120,000 km, \$8500 OBO. Call Mac 250-788-3913

New ATV tires on rims, two 25/10/12, one 25/8/12, one 26/10/12. 1/2 price at \$135/ea; D8 K Caterpillar & 528 skidder service manual in new cond, \$280/ea. Call 250-843-7674

1997 Dodge Dakota V-8 SLT 4x4, good tires, new windshield, runs good, \$2900 OBO. Call 250-843-7086

Brand new 2004 or newer Ford 450 front chrome bumper with hardware. Call 250-843-7674

2005 Dodge Caravan, rear heat & air, stow & go seats, summer/winter tires on rims, ready for the road, 160,000 km. \$5200 OBO. Call 250-788-9421

2010 F-150 pick up for parts, \$800. Call 250-788-9188

1971 Pontiac 2 dr auto 305 engine. Some body work done. Running before being parked. Also have 1975 Chevy Nova 4 dr 6 cyl auto. Selling together or trade for 1997-98 Yamaha Big Bear quad in good running cond. Call 250-788-3371

2005 Chevy Impalla in good used cond, 2 sets of tires/rims, approx 240,000 km, \$3000 OBO. Call 250-601-0221

8 quad tires, some with wheels, \$25/ea. Call 250-788-2425

2005 Hyundai Elantra, manual, good winter tires, extra rims, HD headlights, excellent on fuel, great run around car, 169,000 kms, \$2500 OBO. Call 250-401-8872

1990 F-150 4 wd, lots of new parts, \$2000; 2006 F-150 4 wd, lots of new parts, \$8000. Call Fred at 250-261-3133

Green short box Dodge canopy in good shape. Comes with tie-downs, front sliding windows & sides. \$200. Call 250-788-1861

1995 Oldsmobile Cutlass Ciera, sold as is where is. Needs brake line. Mileage just turned 100,000 km. \$500 firm. Call 250-783-5473

Brand new tidy spip tank for gas or diesel, never used, 99 gal cap, \$585; 2 used 250 gal oval storage fuel tanks with legs, \$585/ea. Call 250-843-7674

1996 tri-dem pole trailer, sandblasted & painted. Call 250-788-5720

2006 Chevy Malibu, low kms, great shape, clean, \$6000 OBO. Call 250-788-8804

1998 Dodge Caravan in running cond. New windshield, headlights & tires. \$1500 OBO. Call 250-401-8678

1998 Chevy 4x4 in good running cond, diesel, crew cab fully box, \$8000; 1992 GMC 4x4 in good running cond, \$2000; 1994 Mustang in good cond, \$3000. Call 250-401-7072

1987 Ford Fiesta Ecoline, E-250. Camperized van with fridge, stove, furnace, microwave, toilet, a/c, power windows & doors, trailer hitch, tires like new, 351 engine, use no oil. 65,700 miles. \$4000. Call 250-242-4414

2003 Chevy Cavalier in good running cond. After market Kenwood CD player. Winter & summer mags. Cosmetic damage. If you have a comparable vehicle, a good 2 for 1 situation. \$600. Call 250-401-6151

FOR RENT

2 bdrm duplex avail April 1, downtown, adult oriented, washer & dryer included. Call 250-788-3936 or 250-401-8560

2 bdrm top floor duplex, laundry hookups, can put bed in laundry room. \$1050/mo with no lease, \$1000/mo with 6 month lease. Call 250-788-6365

Avail immed, 3 bdrm modular home with addition. Comes with F/S/W/D, dishwasher, gas/wood heat. \$1250/mo + utilities. Call 250-788-3400

Newer 2400 sq ft building with concrete common wall. 4 bdrms, window coverings & all appliances included. Ideal location with large deck & yard across from park & close to schools. No smoking, no pets. \$1500/mo + utilities. Avail May 14/16. Call Sheri at 250-788-3258 or evenings text 250-556-9839

Bachelor suite in clean, quiet building. Call 250-401-3069

Avail immediately, room with shared kitchen & common areas, includes internet & cable. \$450/mo. Call 250-401-1985

3 bdrm modular home on 2 large lots in Tumbler Ridge. Comes with fridge, stove, washer & dryer. Gas & wood heating avail. Rent negotiable. Call 250-788-3400

3 bdrm house, full basement, huge yard. Cleaned & ready to move in. Call 250-788-6429

Fully furnished 2 bdrm condo in Tumbler Ridge in downtown area across from Fire Hall. Ready to move in, power & heat included. \$500/mo. Call 604-813-3153 or 604-460-9609

1 bdrm house on Jackfish Rd with all appliances & pasture avail. No inside pets. \$700/mo + utilities. Call 250-788-9229

3 bdrm home in Chetwynd. Includes utilities, internet and cable. \$1250/mo. Call 250-401-1985

Avail immediately, 3 bdrm mobile home in Pinewood Trailer Court with 2 living areas & 1 1/2 baths. \$950/mo, utilities not included. Will consider renting by the room. Call 250-788-3437

NOTICE

**Chetwynd AGM
& Ball Scheduling Meeting
Chetwynd Adult Softball League
Wednesday, April 20, 2016
7:00pm
Curling Rink Lobby area**

CHETWYND ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION EVENTS

**BIG DOG COMEDY
Saturday, April 16
8pm \$20/person No minors**

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**MEMBERSHIP NIGHTS
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MISCELLANEOUS

EvenFlo safety seat, \$60; activity gym, \$20; brand new printer/scan/fax machine, \$100. Call 250-788-3099

Hockey table, \$50; liquid air cutting torch, \$100; 200 amp stick welder, \$150 with longer cables. Call 250-788-2676

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4 - 5 person hot tub. New pump, no leaks. Comes with lid. Ready for transport. \$600. Call 250-401-1394

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18v Ryobe drill caulking gun & 4" grinder with battery charger, \$100; 12 volt battery charger, \$75; 10" table saw, \$100. Call 250-788-2425

365 Husky chainsaw, \$450; girls giant Areva 20" bike, \$150. Call 250-401-8872

Near new TS-1 Electronic kaddy golfclub cart. 12 volt with charger. Would like \$250 or trade for metal detector or other interesting trade. Call 250-788-6845

Small 110 welder with helmet, \$75. Call 250-788-2425

Like new Samsung Galaxy S5, \$200. Call 250-788-1861

20 ga. folding back packer short barrel shot gun, \$220. Call 250-788-2902

Lennox natural gas fireplace, 85,000 BTU's, good for shop, \$250; 8500 lb super winch with remote, \$350 OBO; hydraulic campa jacks, \$100/ea; portable 2500 watt generate with wheels & handle, \$300; genuine GM rubber molding for doors & truck, will fit 1973-77 Monte Carla, \$300; bar fridge, \$160; window blinds, various sizes, \$10 + up, 100 lb full propane bottle, \$200. Call 250-242-8535

8000 BTU air conditioner, purchased last summer but never used, \$200. Call 250-788-6082

Re-manufactured Monarch utility cement mixer, 3 cu. ft capacity, trailer mounted, 1/3 hp electric motor and 5 hp B & W engine supplied, \$1000 OBO. Call 250-788-9413 evenings.

Fold up table, \$45 OBO; electric table top barbeque, \$45 OBO. Call 250-788-8819

Poly pipe, 1 1/4" x 250', 75 psi, CSA, used only once, \$200. Call 250-401-1985

Brand new 38'x50' steel building, one man door & 2 big overhead door openings on front. Hardware & tin included. \$35,000 firm. Call or text 250-788-6304

Maternity pen with head gate, \$1000; calf table, \$500; de-horning squeeze, \$1000; approx twenty 1000 lb round alfalfa mix bales,, excellent feed, \$45/bale. Call 250-788-9229

April 15, 2016 MEET THE MAYOR

I had promised myself not to write another column any time soon on forestry. But I'm at another Council of Forest Industries (COFI) conference and forestry is the backbone of our local economy. Surrounded by producers, regulators, law makers, foresters, haulers of chips, builders of machines, and virtually every other business or profession related ever so casually to forestry, what can I do? I am compelled to write. My fingers twitch if I don't turn them loose on the keyboard.

Listening to economists (not to be confused with paying them any attention) is always one of my favorite pastimes. I don't suppose they have any measurable influence on how the economy performs, economic performance probably being primarily a function of you and me and the things we buy or forget to buy, but it is good to walk away with three or four points of view from a pair of presenters. By their own admission, the profession of economist was created to make astrologers look good and within their professional ranks they boast of three categories: those who can count and those who cannot count.

That said, the fact that our bread and butter grows on trees should give us pause to reflect on the viewpoints of those who make it their business to follow and study the trends in the forest industry from governance and regulation to planning and harvesting through production, sales, distribution, and utilization of the products of the forest. (No, I haven't forgotten silviculture.)

Economic trends are shifting from month to month, maybe from day to day, so following them is an art as well as a science and a statistical wonder. For instance, we learned that we are entering a period of strengthening markets which won't necessarily apply in 2016 during which we can expect disappointing growth.

Our local economic prosperity largely depends on the behaviour of the Americans where numbers of persons per household are decreasing (resulting in the need for more housing) while simultaneously the 25-35s are starting to wake up and think they need their own roofs. All this will put additional pressure on the industry. However, it seems that the industry is gearing up to meet the challenge with increased capacity.

There are also increasing challenges from other directions. Newsprint production has decreased by 55%. (Notice the vanishing newspapers.) The sale of chips to the pulp mills has been a major contributor to the prosperity of the local sawmills. Those of us who can remember the mid 70s may recall the mountains of chips at the local mills – chips that were sold to pulp mills. That never ceased, but a major reduction in demand for pulp will flow back and back to affect the viability of the lumber producer.

Government and industry have their work cut out to find ways to keep the forestry business profitable in the face of new and stimulating challenges. No doubt these challenges will be overcome; we may have to pay the cost.

Merlin Nichols, Mayor



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American Bully puppies, 2 males & 1 female, ABKC registered, \$2000/ea. Call 250-788-2337 or 250-788-6943

2 bred sows & 1 boar. Call 250-788-8855

Baby rabbits born Feb 3, various colors, ready to go, \$15/ea. Call 250-843-7010 evenings.

Rottie/mastiff puppies, ready to go, 3 females & 1 male, 2 brown & 2 black, \$600 OBO. Call 250-401-7202

Large X-bred rabbits, mature & bunnies, \$25/ea OBO. Call 250-788-9678

LOST & FOUND

Lost: Mens green wallet at Chevron gas station in Chetwynd on Friday Mar 18 between 4 & 5am. If found, contact the Coffee Talk at 250-788-3422

Lost: Pair of snowshoes on the side of the road just uphill from the 21 km bend on Mast Creek Rd. Call or text 250-556-4052 or 250-401-1567.

Found: Samsung phone on Sat March 19 at Memorial Tournament. Call the Coffee Talk for more info.

Found: Set of keys around March 10 at Riverhouse Restaurant. Claim at Coffee Talk

Lost: Samsung flip phone. Call 250-788-7884

REC VEHICLES

2007 28' Weekend Warrior toy hauler, \$22,700 OBO. Call 250-401-1878

23 ft 1995 Travelaire Rustler holiday trailer, bumper pull, bunk beds, good cond, \$7000 OBO. Call or text 250-601-1587 or 250-556-4077

1978 Johnson 50hp outboard engine, spare prop, good running order, \$400. Call 250-788-2070

Vanguard camper, no leaks, needs roof vent, \$300. Call 250-401-1094

2003 Bombardier traxter 500 quad 4x4 in good running cond, winch, 2 up with back rest. Call 250-782-8359 or 250-467-3596

2006 Firecat F7 Snopro, runs and looks great, \$3500. Call or text 250-401-3238

Snowblade for side by side or quad, \$500. Call 250-788-9762

2014 Mission Premier series Ski-Doo trailer, \$1500. Call 705-542-3114

2009 M8 Cutler stage 2 turbo, pump gas or race gas, awesome physical & running cond, polished tunnel, boss seat, 3" track, 163" suspension, mounted fuel jugs on tunnel, set-up at 8 lbs of boost. Spare sled, has not been abused. \$5900 OBO, might consider a trade. Call 250-401-1425

24' Class C motorhome, 460 automatic, sleeps 6, new tires & brakes, works perfectly, \$5000. Call 250-788-2425

2009 Suzuki Vstrom 1000 in excellent cond, 3 bags, \$4700. Call 250-788-3797

2006 26' Salem 5th wheel trailer in excellent cond, comes with hitch (no rails), one slide, air condition, BBQ, microwave, electric front jacks. For details call 250-601-0571

2000 Yamaha R1 custom built bike, new tires last year, \$3000 FIRM, \$3500 with riding gear. Call 250-788-5697

38' Newmar Mountainair Class A. Fully self-contained, central heat & air, back up camera, 47" TV, hydraulic levelling, tag axle, 6.5 Onan generator, \$18,000 FIRM. Call 250-788-2425

1989 Winnabego Chieftan 33', class A, fully loaded, 94,000 km, \$12,000 OBO. Call 250-401-1135

38' Nemar Mountainair Class A motorhome with heated basement, 6.5 generator, hydraulic levelling jacks, 13' slide, 47" flat screen TV, central heat & air, tag axle. Very good cond. \$18,000. Call 250-788-2426

WANTED

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Wanted to rent or buy: Small fixed house-trained female dog. Call 250-788-8819

Wanted: Small amp and instrument cable for bass guitar. Call 250-788-3437

Wanted: Employment for a few hours on Monday's during the day doing child care or housekeeping. Also willing to offer instruction in the German language for someone travelling to Europe or wanting to be a pen pal. j.c331@yahoo.ca

Wanted: Parts for 1997 Buick Park Ave. Call 250-788-8109

Wanted: To buy used Hebrew Bible in Hebrew/English or Hebrew/German for a reasonable price. Must be in good cond. Email j.c331@yahoo.ca

Wanted: Used Conibear traps. Call Martin at 780-864-9621

Wanted: Washer spin dryer or wringer washer in good cond, reasonably priced. Call 250-788-3167 6am - 8pm & 3pm - 7pm or silent_sam2006@yahoo.ca

Looking for someone to do calligraphy writing: a poem. Call 250-788-6357

Wanted: Cupboards or cupboard doors. Call 250-788-3437

Wanted: Anyone selling teacup yorkies. Call 250-788-5198

Wanted: 13" summer tires & rims for 2000 Toyota Echo. Call 250-219-4171 or 250-786-0460

Wanted: Roommate to help take care of house & animals. Call 250-788-2423 or 250-788-6169

Wanted: Charging cord and battery for Power Wheels Jeep. Call 250-401-3335

LOAD RESTRICTIONS 2016

The District of Chetwynd wishes to notify the public that the following load restrictions will be in effect immediately.

100% Legal Axle Loading is permitted:

- North Access Road (business area)
- South Access Road (business area)
- Nicholson Road
- Industrial Park

All other Municipal streets and roads are restricted to 70% of Legal Axle Loading.

The District thanks you for your cooperation in their efforts to minimize the damage to our streets and roads during this spring thaw.



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Sunday - Pasta Night
Monday - Meatball Monday
Tuesday - International Night
Wednesday - Wing Night
Thursday - 12" Pizza
Friday & Saturday - Prime Rib

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- DAILY WINTER HOURS -

Sunday - Thursday: 10am - 9pm
Friday & Saturday: 10am - 10pm

Brunch: 10am - 2pm
Lunch: 11am - 4pm
Dinner: 4pm - Closing

**WEEKEND BRUNCH BUFFET
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A BIG THANK-YOU

To the following businesses
and individuals who made
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 - Peace Valley Industries - Proline Sports
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 - Valley Pure Water - Vern & Cheryl Stark
- Warren and Cathy Fowler - With Love Designs

Also a big Thank-you goes out to the
Gun Club Executives for all their work.

The BC Cancer Agency's digital mammography
coach will be providing breast screening outside
POMEROY INN & SUITES on MAY 7 - 9, 2016.
To Book Appointment call 1-800-663-9203

Chetwynd Minor Ball

PLAYER REGISTRATION & VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP

**THURSDAY, APRIL 21
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27**

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm at the Chetwynd Rec Centre Curling Lobby

\$50.00 PER PLAYER

PLEASE BRING EXACT PAYMENT (Personal Health Number required)

Mites Division 8 - 12 years old (born 2004 - 2008)

Pony Division 13 - 18 years old (born 1998 - 2003)

(Age as of December 31, 2016)

PROPOSED 2016 MINOR BALL SEASON DATE:

MAY 24th - JUNE 23rd

THE SEASON START COULD BE IMPACTED BY POOR
WEATHER CONDITIONS, CREATING DELAYS IN CURRENT
BALLPARK CONSTRUCTION

Minor Ball - Tuesday & Thursdays 4:45 pm - 7:00 pm

**THE 2016 CHETWYND MINOR BALL SEASON
IS IN JEOPARDY. THE FOLLOWING BALL
COMMITTEE POSITIONS ARE VACANT &
MUST BE FILLED FOR BALL TO COMMENCE:**

- Chairman/President - Scheduling Coordinator
- Games Statistician - Jersey Coordinator (position to be mentored)
- Team Photos Coordinator - Ball Wind-Up Coordinator
- Coaches & Team Moms are also needed

****Minor Ball Registrations are taken on a first-come
first-serve basis & the number of players/teams that can
be accommodated will be determined by
volunteer/player sign-up.**

NO LATE REGISTRATIONS & NO PHONE CALLS

Call (250)
788-2214 to
register

Chetwynd Rec Centre Programs

T-BALL & PRE-MITES DIVISION

T-Ball 3 - 5 years old (born 2011/2012/2013)

Pre-Mites 6 - 8 yrs old (born 2008/2009/2010)

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MATT'S MUSINGS

On Wednesday, April 6th, the music world lost a legend when Merle Haggard died on the occasion of his 79th birthday. His musical legacy will live on forever thanks to the countless classics he penned, including 38 #1 hits, over the course of his life. He began his career in a highly unusual manner, serving time in San Quentin Penitentiary for a drunken robbery he committed, where he witnessed one of fellow legend Johnny Cash's famous prison performances. The show triggered a realization for Haggard, who knew he didn't want to spend his life wasting away in a grey prison cell, and who upon release immediately engrossed himself in the world of country music.

Luckily for Merle, he was gifted with one of the most beautiful and expressive voices the music world would ever be blessed with, as well as the talent for crafting songs that would touch the hearts of millions. While many country stars would sing outlaw anthems about committing crimes and being on the run from the law, Haggard was one of the few with real experiences, and the authenticity that shone through his voice was clear to all who heard it.

He was a complicated man, pigeonholed by many for his famous anti-hippie anthem "Okie From Muskogee," which was either a serious indictment of the 1960s counterculture or a satirical jab at the staunch, reserved ways of folks in Muskogee, depending on which interview with Haggard you read. His record company forced him to follow "Okie" with "The Fightin' Side Of Me," another song reprimanding the counterculture for not supporting American values, but this went against Haggard's wishes, as he had hoped to soften his image by making "Irma Jackson" the follow-up single. The song is about a white man's romance with a black woman, and the record company feared a backlash from country fans in the Deep South, prompting the release of the far more conservative "Fightin'."

Merle Haggard went from performing for Richard Nixon at the White House in 1973 to calling him one of the worst presidents America ever had, from railing against hippies to openly campaigning for the legalization of marijuana, but throughout his career one constant was his love and compassion for those who struggle. If you struggled to pay your bills or struggled being branded by society for something you'd done in the past, Merle had your back. While he had a few run-ins with pneumonia in his later years, he kept writing, recording and touring right up until the end, releasing his final album "Django & Jimmie" last year, a collaboration with his long-time friend and fellow icon Willie Nelson.

Country music these days has more in common with the hair metal of the 1980s, preferring to indulge in partying and good time anthems rather than any meaningful substance, and it certainly sounds nothing like the country music that came before it and will surely outlast it. The country music made by legends like Merle, Willie, Johnny Cash, Buck Owens, Dolly Parton and Hank Williams (to name only a few) has a timeless quality, capable of touching people (like myself) who were born long after the "Golden Age" of country had come to an end. We will always have the songs, and if you're looking for a few Haggard classics to pay tribute to the man, I recommend "Sing Me Back Home," "Mama Tried," "Workin' Man Blues," "Daddy Frank (The Guitar Man)," "I Think I'll Just Stay Here And Drink," "Always Wanting You," "Pancho And Lefty (with Willie Nelson)," and my personal favourite, the live version of "Rainbow Stew."



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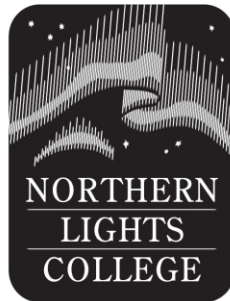
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