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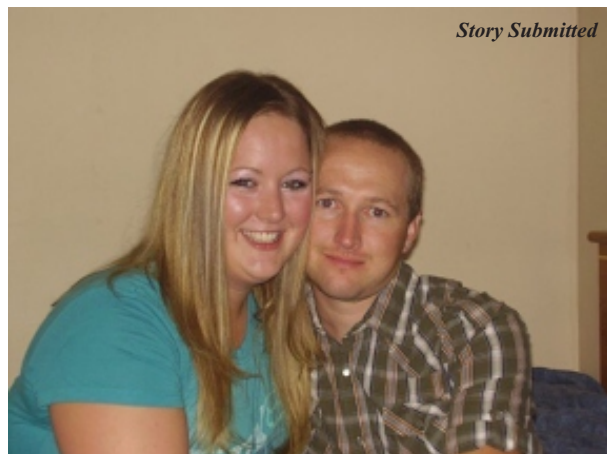
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WINNER OF THE #LOVESELFIE CONTEST

Congratulations to Jessica Mckone, the winner of the Coffee Talk/Pencil Box LoveSelfie Contest! Jessica will get a \$100 gift certificate for the Pencil Box and a custom handmade bracelet by Patricia Anne Designs.

Over the course of 4 weeks, contestants submitted photos of them and their significant other on our Facebook page. Friends, family and strangers all had the opportunity to vote for the photo they thought was the best, and on February 10th at midnight, the votes were tallied and the winner decided.



Story Submitted

Coming in third place with 30 votes was Brenda Seymour.

In second place was JoAnn LaPierre with 31 votes.

And first, of course, was Jessica Mckone with 44 votes.

Thank you to everyone for participating in our contest and Happy Valentine's Day!

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2014 F-150 ½ ton pickup, motor not included, \$1000. Call 250-788-9188

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2002 Chevy Ventura, V6 motor, winter tires run on one season, \$800 OBO. Call 250-788-8893

1992 48' Barrett cattle liner, tandem axle, BC safety certified. Call 250-467-3350

1971 Volkswagon van, asking price \$2500. Call 438-993-8473

1987 Cadillac Brogham, 4 door sedan; 1999 Chevy Suburban in good cond, 4 wheel drive, 4 door. Call 250-788-2232

30' tandem boat trailer with hydraulic brakes, BC registered, \$2000. Email alannaderosier@hotmail.com

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Nice comfortable mattress with box spring bought for \$650 six months ago, now selling for \$200 OBO, need gone asap (moving from Chetwynd). Call 587-435-4340

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Pro 9635 universal gym (Weider), can do 30 different exercises. \$50, come and get from basement. Call 250-788-6962

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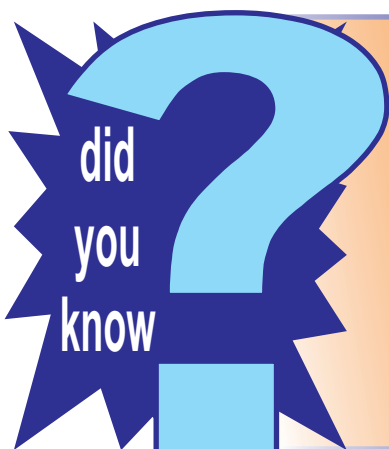
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1984 14x68 mobile on 5 acres in Wabi Estates. 2 beds, 1 bath, newer laminate flooring throughout, upgraded bath room, new hot water tank & roof, fresh paint, insulated shop with 10' ceilings, good well, property bordered by trees. Call or text 250-788-6509

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Found: On road going into Crown Sub on Mon Jan 4, a pair of glasses. Contact Pencil Box at 250-788-3422 to claim

Lost: Glasses with thin white stripes on the frame. Call 250-401-7072

Lost: White Blackberry cell, model Z10. Call 250-788-6761

Lost: Wallet with all cards & ID. If found please call 250-788-9188

REC VEHICLES

1983 27' RV 5th wheel with like new appliances. New awning, good tires, no slide, \$3500. Call 250-786-5296

2014 Yamaha Bolt, 942 cc, air cooled, 5500 km. Call 250-788-2834

65 hp Johnson outboard motor, comes with electric controls, \$300. Call 250-786-5295

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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

2006 26' Salem 5th wheel trailer in excellent cond, comes with hitch (no rails), one slide, air condition, BBQ, microwave, electric front jacks. ~~\$15,000~~ REDUCED. For details call 250-601-0571

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

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1989 Winnabego Chieftan 33', class A, fully loaded, 94,000 km, \$8000. Call 250-401-1135

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 quad, \$500. Call 250-788-9762

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

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WANTED

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Wanted: Large bale of alfalfa, willing to pick up. Call 250-401-7513

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

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Wanted: To rent or buy spayed miniature female house trained shih-tzu. Call 250-788-8819

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Wanted: 12 base piano accordion. Call 250-788-7882

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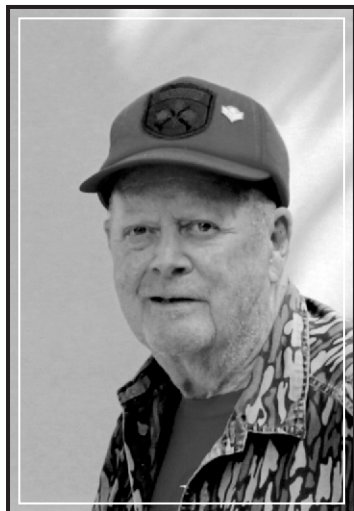


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Ralph passed away peacefully with family at his side in Beaverlodge, Alberta on January 26, 2016. He was a long time resident of Chetwynd, BC and was an avid outdoorsman, firearms collector and hunter. He was a loving son, husband, father and grandfather and will be missed by all who knew him. He is predeceased by his beloved wife, Buddy,



and son Robert. He leaves to mourn him his beloved son Rory (Ann); grandkids Jennifer (Shane), Susan (Keith), Brayden (Jennica) and Tiffany (Judd); great-grandkids Spencer, Jewely, Kianna, Landen, Holden, Emily and Robin; and sister Lynne Jorgenson. A memorial service was held February 4, 2016 at the Chetwynd Fellowship Baptist Church, officiated by Pastor Bill Evans. Expressions of sympathy in memory of Ralph may be made by donation to the Chetwynd Hospital Foundation P.O. Box 121, Chetwynd, British Columbia V0C 1J0 or the Pine Valley Seniors Assn., P.O. Box

1362, Chetwynd, British Columbia V0C 1J0. Arrangements were entrusted to Bergeron Funeral Services & Crematorium Ltd.

BC ASSESSMENT DELEGATION

Come and join us at the Regular Council Meeting on Feb 15 at 4:30pm at the Chetwynd Municipal Hall (5400 Hospital Road) to hear BC Assessment address some of Council's concerns regarding 2016 Property Assessments."

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Canfor Chetwynd's Tree Farm License 48 has been registered to the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) Sustainable Forest Management standard since July 2000. An important component of the CSA standard is public participation.

The next scheduled meeting for the Chetwynd Public Advisory Committee for TFL 48 will take place on **Wednesday February 17, 2016**. To be held at the Pomeroy Inn & Suites, Chetwynd. We invite the public to attend and the doors will be open starting at **6:00 pm**.

For more information please contact:
Jolene Fellhauer at 250-788-4361



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Shanna - Grade 7



"One of my favorite authors is Marie Lu who wrote the Legend Series".

Alex - Grade 2



Is currently enjoying the book about Thomas the Tank Engine.

Kaylin - Grade 7



"My favorite book to read is Geronimo Stilton, and my favorite books to read are adventure".

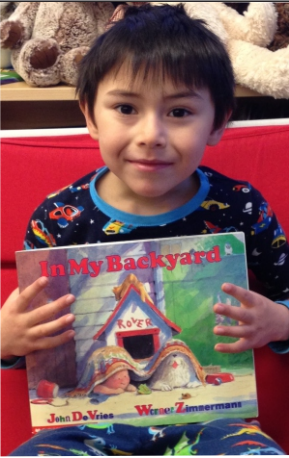
Rachelle - Grade 5



"My favorite author is Robert Munsch, and I like to read comics!"

MOBERLY LAKE ELEMENTARY

LITTLE PRAIRIE ELEMENTARY



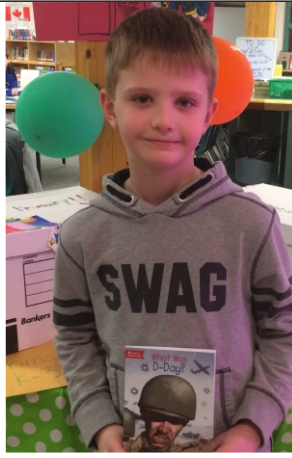
CJ - Grade K

"I like all the animals in this story!"



Maryjane - Grade 2

"I love all the Pete the Cat books!"



Tylen - Grade 3

"I am reading 'What was D day' and I like how the book is about the war."



Slade - Grade 7

"I am reading 'Captian Underpants' for the bookclub in my class".

The winners of the weekly slushie from 'The Bistro' are Kenton Hunter & Tearsyn Balkwill

The winners of the weekly prizes donated by AB Craft Supplies Ltd. are Alex Fuller & Rylan Lessard

Total amount of books read: 271!!

DISTRICT OF CHETWYND REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

The District of Chetwynd will commence a boulevard tree replacement program spring 2016.

The District is asking for proposals to cut down approximately 70 mature poplar trees and cut the trees to 10 foot lengths for District crews to remove. We are also seeking proposals to grind approximately 70 stumps to approximately 6 inches (150 mm) below grade.

Plans showing removal locations can be viewed at the District Office by contacting Paul Gordon (250) 401-4111

Proposals will be received at the District office no later than Monday, February 22, 2016 at 2:00 PM



STATEMENT BY MP ZIMMER REGARDING CEAA RULING FOR PACIFIC NORTHWEST LNG

DAWSON CREEK – Bob Zimmer, Member of Parliament for Prince George-Peace River-Northern Rockies, made the following statement regarding the ruling by the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency on the Petronas-led Pacific North West LNG project:

"This is the environmental assessment that many of us in Northeastern BC have been waiting for. I am pleased to see that the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency's draft report concludes that this important project could avoid significant environmental effects.

"I trust that the Prime Minister and his Cabinet will do the right thing and approve Pacific North West LNG as this project will help dramatically reduce greenhouse gas emissions in China's industrial sector, making LNG good for British Columbia, Canada, and the globe." The environmental assessment report will be finalized following a 30-day public comment period, which ends March 11, 2016.

Last week I noted that change happens and can happen even in this best of small home towns. My focus was primarily on the forest industry. Today I want to report further on the events and challenges of the forest industry as I interpreted them at the Premier's Natural Resources Forum.

The US lumber market is vital to BC's economy. A downturn in housing starts south of 49, failure of Canada to get an agreement by October 2016, or a post October 2016 imposition of countervailing duties or anti-dumping duties will send pain throughout our entire economy.

BC needs a negotiated settlement that makes sense to BC. And we want it soon. The best-case scenario will see a deal that resembles the deal that expired in October 2015. In British Columbia our Government is getting ready for a strong defense. Mr. Trudeau needs to make an equally strong case from the Federal perspective – and soon.

Given that more than one-half of all Canada's lumber exports to the US is milled in BC and a big pile of that is milled right here in our home town, it doesn't take a truck-load of smarts to recognize how much Chetwynd relies on stability in the forest industry markets.

One hundred forty-five thousand jobs in BC depend on forestry; that's one job out of every 16. In a town like Chetwynd the ratio of forestry jobs to other callings is even higher.

West Fraser operates 40 mills in British Columbia, Alberta, and the US. Canadian Forest Products operates 11 sawmills in British Columbia alone. But with too many mills chasing too few trees, the challenge is to find ways to adjust to the future with as little disruption as possible to the communities that are home to these mills.

How does British Columbia remain engaged in a highly competitive world market? Timber supply is decreasing; there are increasing constraints on land use; the delivered cost of the log is increasing as is competition for the fibre. Add to all this the challenge to attract and retain workers in an uncertain market and we begin to see some of the picture of the environment in which our mills operate.

Reliable transportation is vital to our forest industry. Every fourth ship smoking out of BC waters is loaded down with forest products. Try counting the trucks heading out of town loaded to the limit with SPF for distant markets.

Secure access to the markets of the US and Asia must be achieved!

With forestry providing secure, stay-at-home, community-building jobs – hundreds right here in Chetwynd – a skilled workforce is just one more of the key elements in a prosperous economy built on the forests that surround us. Forestry provides opportunity for the emerging generation of aspiring operators, technicians, foresters, service industry workers, school teachers, and others to find satisfying careers, learn from their elders, and grow old and mellow at home while enjoying the capacity to savor the beauties of Creation surrounding us.

Merlin Nichols, Mayor

Site C Clean Energy Project Job Fairs



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BC Hydro and its contractors are hosting job fairs for workers interested in the Site C project. Construction on the project is ramping up and workers at all skill levels are required. If you are interested in working on the Site C project, please attend one of the upcoming job fairs and **bring copies of your resume**. BC Hydro's contractors will be available to answer questions regarding the types of jobs available, the hiring process and any additional questions job seekers may have. Representatives from employment and skills training organizations will also attend. Advance registration is not required.

Community	Date	Time	Location
Tumbler Ridge	Tuesday, February 16	12:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Trend Mountain Hotel & Conference Centre 375 Southgate Street
Chetwynd	Wednesday, February 17	12:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Cottonwood Room Chetwynd & District Rec Centre 4552 North Access Road
Dawson Creek	Thursday, February 18	12:00 - 7:00 p.m.	George Dawson Inn 11705 8th Street
Fort St. John	Friday, February 19	12:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Ralph Pomeroy Room Pomeroy Hotel 11308 Alaska Road
Prince George	Monday, February 22	12:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Ballroom Coast Inn of the North 770 Brunswick Street
Quesnel	Tuesday, February 23	12:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Quesnel Seniors Centre 461 Carson Avenue
Mackenzie	Wednesday, February 24	12:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Multi-Purpose Room Mackenzie Recreation Complex 400 Skeena Drive
Fort Nelson	Wednesday, March 2	12:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Woodland Inn & Suites 3995 50th Avenue South

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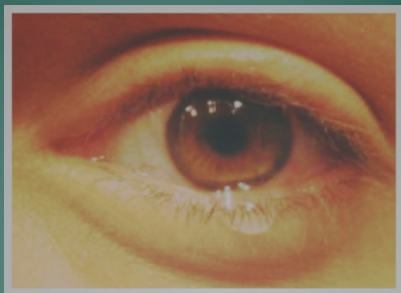


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Interested parties will need to dismantle, clean up and remove
building at their own cost.

All proposals shall be submitted to the Chetwynd Chamber of
Commerce office in a sealed envelope on or before 2pm Friday
Feb 19th, 2016. Our office is located at 5217 North Access Rd.

Proposals will be individually scrutinized and the most attractive
proposal will be selected. This decision will be made at the sole
discretion of the Board of Directors of the Chetwynd Chamber of
Commerce. It is the sole responsibility of the purchaser to remove.

Upon selection of the successful proposal, the Chetwynd
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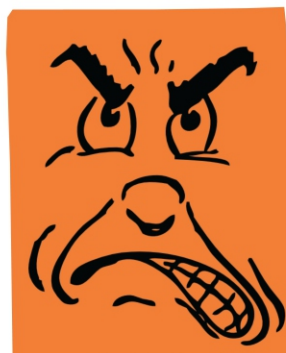
**Proponents wishing to inspect/investigate the
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The unidentified persons attend local businesses requesting to exchange rolls of Toonies and/or Loonies for bills. Upon opening the coin rolls, the unsuspecting cashier or business owner will find metal cylindrical objects in place of coins.

The Dawson Creek RCMP are requesting any victims of this crime to report their experience to the Dawson Creek RCMP.

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Sherry Hillton, a long time member of our community, took a devastating fall last August and has been on the long road to recovery ever since. Many of you know

Sherry as the Supervisor of the Community Rec Centre, where she taught swimming and exercise classes. Sherry is currently in Prince George hospital, and has recently been accepted to Vancouver for intensive rehabilitation.



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continues to import foreign oil even though British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan all have large oil and gas reserves. In fact, Canada has one of the largest proven oil reserves in the world. At the end of 2006, Canada's remaining established reserves amounted to 179 billion barrels and yet, in the first eight months of 2014, total crude oil imports averaged 634 thousand barrels per day. In total, Canada ended up spending \$20.2 billion on imported oil in 2014.

Many of us are left wondering why we as a country continue to import a product that we clearly have an abundance of—especially when projects like the Energy East pipeline are proposing to bring western Canadian crude oil to refineries in eastern Canada.

Currently refineries in eastern Canada are not connected by pipeline to western Canada crude oil production. As a result, eastern Canada must import much of their crude oil at higher global crude prices than Canada receives for its exports.

This means, for example, that in 2010, most of eastern Canada's oil imports came from the countries like Algeria, Saudi Arabia, Nigeria, Angola, Iraq and Venezuela, regions that have been known for having corrupt governments and ongoing human rights abuses.

Should projects like the Energy East pipeline receive approval, it would mean provinces like Quebec could step away from costly foreign oil imports, and instead support our own domestic oil industries—an industry that desperately needs our support.

Unfortunately, a new level of uncertainty now surrounds the natural resource sector with the announcement of pending changes to the environmental approval process. The Liberal government must announce these changes to the process as soon as possible to help stabilize an industry that is already experiencing so much hardship.

Right now our oil industry is hurting. At the end of 2015, the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers projected that Canada would lose 100,000 gross jobs both directly, and indirectly, due to the low price of oil. It is time for all of us to come together as a nation to do what is best for our country and our economy.

I have always said that we need to develop our natural resources responsibly so that we can remove our dependency on foreign oil and increase economic growth throughout Canada. This means improving related infrastructure and finding ways to safely bring our resources to both foreign and domestic markets.

It's the right thing to do.

MP Report - Bob Zimmer

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