

Coffee Talk Express



FRIDAY AUGUST 17, 2018

THE RED LION
Restaurant 4812 N Access Rd



PRIME RIB

Served with Yorkshire Puddings
(Friday & Saturday nights)

NEW HOURS

MON - SAT: 5PM - 9:30PM
Closed on Sundays & Statutory Holidays

250-788-2755

The Lion Inn
250-788-9990 & Suites

Weekly & monthly rates available
thelionsuite.com 5132 46th Ave

RE/MAX
Dawson Creek Realty
Chetwynd Branch
250 788 9909

ALMA WALTER

DAN GRODZUIK

JODIE ETHIER

MYRA GRODZUIK

250 788 5168

250 788 6435

250 788 5043

250 788 6365

GRAND OPENING OF NEW WATER TREATMENT PLANT

This past Monday, August 13th was the official grand opening of Chetwynd's new water treatment plant. Mayor Merlin Nichols and council members Laura Wiesgerber, Ernest Pfanner, Rochelle Galbraith, are Alec Brownlee were there to help celebrate the opening. Also on hand for the grand opening, MLA Mike Bernier, Director of Engineering and Public Works Alex Adams, Water/Sewer Maintenance Lorraine Adams, and Utility Services Coordinator Al Tricker.



In 2017 the District of Chetwynd secured a grant through the Federal and Provincial Clean Water and Wastewater Fund in the amount of \$2,599,718 for its much needed upgrade. Chetwynd's Consultants Urban Systems Ltd. awarded the project to the Bear Mountain Construction, who began the project in the fall of 2017 and finished in spring of 2018. Chetwynd's previous sand filtration system water treatment plant was in commission since 1996 and experienced many maintenance issues in the years leading up to its replacement. The Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing's Selina Robinson sent a letter, stating, "Our government is working hard to support strong, thriving BC communities; including making sure the District of Chetwynd has a sustainable water treatment system supplying healthy drinking water. This project is an example of how partnerships between all levels of government support communities and make life better for British Columbians."

Peace River South MLA Mike Bernier said, "I was proud to assist the District of Chetwynd in securing Provincial funding to help in this important community necessity and I commend Mayor and Council for showing leadership and working with other levels of Government to help save local tax dollars."

The Federal and Provincial Government collaboratively launched the Clean Water and Wastewater Fund in September of 2016. Because Chetwynd's water treatment plant fit the criteria so squarely they were awarded 50% of funding from the Federal government and 33% from the Provincial Government; leaving only 17% to be covered by the District of Chetwynd. Chetwynd had the opportunity to split that 17% with the Peace River Regional District, to which they generously contributed \$300,000 leaving only \$232,000 to be covered by Chetwynd taxpayers.

"The Water Treatment Plant has been a priority for the District of Chetwynd for many years," says Mayor Merlin Nichols: "The Federal and Provincial governments facilitated this important project by means of their generous grants. The District is very grateful for this opportunity to provide extensive improvements to water and sewer infrastructure in the community as part of our environmental responsibility and our ongoing endeavour to provide excellent services to the residents of Chetwynd and rural residents who depend on Chetwynd's water."

Kelsey Roberts, reporter Coffee Talk Express

250-788-2938 24 hour answering service

Cell: **250-788-5070**

Specializing in Oilfield Fresh Water Delivery Services

CHETWYND
FRESH WATER (2011)

Locally Owned and Operated Don McKee

McKee VACUUM TRUCK SERVICES LTD

Septic & Oilfield Services

Tel. 250-788-9106 Cell: 250-788-5070

ANOTHER GREAT DEAL FOR YOU!
AUGUST 13TH - AUGUST 19TH
50% OFF
CARRY OUT ONLY!
YOUR ONLINE PIZZA ORDER
REGULAR MENU PRICE - PIZZA ONLY!
ORDER ONLINE DOMINOS.CA

ROYAL LEPAGE
CASCADE REALTY



JULIA NELSON 250-788-6707
KAREN BOOS 250-788-6598
ANTHONY BOOS 250-719-5454

Getting you **HOME**

250-788-9225

If you're
thinking of
buying, selling
or renting,
call us!

advertising@coffeetalkexpress.com paper@coffeetalkexpress.com classifieds@coffeetalkexpress.com editor@coffeetalkexpress.com

SERVING CHETWYND . DAWSON CREEK . TUMBLER RIDGE . HUDSON'S HOPE

Website: www.coffeetalkexpress.com

PH: 250.788.3422 FAX: 250.788.3405

Coffee Talk Express has exclusive copyright of all advertisements, photographs and content created by Coffee Talk Express staff. Any reproduction requires consent of the owner. Some or all of the content published is not necessarily the views and/or opinions of Coffee Talk Express

Student Scholarship

Dokie General Partnership is pleased to announce the availability of four \$1000 scholarships for Chetwynd students. The scholarships are intended for post-secondary students (max. age 24 years old), with preference given to recent high school graduates. The four scholarships will be awarded based on the applicant's completion of an essay and satisfaction of other criteria. For an application package, please email Katie de Carle; kdecarle@innnergex.com. The deadline for all submitted applications is 0:00 on 4 September 2018.

Free Classifieds

Classifieds are for personal use only and are published on a first-come, first served basis.

To submit your personal classified ad email: classifieds@coffeetalkexpress.com

VEHICLES/PARTS/FARM EQUIP./HEAVY EQUIP.

For sale in Farmington: 1 New Holland auto wraparound baler #847, 70 to 800 lb bale size. 4" X 11' auger & mini hopper (needs a 1/2 or 3/4 HP electric motor). Case (M 2100) 4 bottom plow on rubber (older unit). Massey Ferguson seed drill (very old, needs work). BEV 3 electric fence unit (used for sheep). For more info or to view call 250-843-7115 in Farmington, BC

2010 Toyota Matrix, standard, 35,000 km, 3 sets of tires. Asking \$13,500 OBO. Call 250-788-2049

Interior off road headache rack and rails. Rails are 7' l. x 6' w. x 28 tall. Asking \$250. Call 250-788-9445

2, 2002 Ford 250 3/4 Ton standard 4x4, in good shape. \$2500 for both. Call 250-788-3969

2007 IHC Tridem truck 350,000km. 2014 Arnies clamp pump tridem. Graven trailer. 55,000km on trailer. Call 250-401-1199

2011 Heavy duty flat deck trailer. Black, GVW pindle hitch. Asking \$15,000. Call 250-219-0809

D8 Caterpillar Tractor. Has rops canopy, hydraulic angle dozer, engine side guards, drawbar, single shank ripper. In fair condition. Asking \$25,000. Call 250-219-0809

2005 Honda Pilot SUV, AWD 224,000 km. Grey, no rust, excellent condition. Vancouver vehicle. \$7500 OBO. Call 250-786-5157 or email vforce@shaw.ca

1990 Ford mustang 2.31. In great shape. Call or text 250-401-1768

Driveway scrapper/grader 12' wide. Call 250-788-2253

1991 4700 Diesel international flat deck truck. NET 4500, GVW 25000. Asking \$20,000. Call 250-219-0809

2002 Chevy Z71 4x4, needs main computer, good tires, new windshield, \$1600 OBO. 1997 Sierra 4x4, needs front axle u joints, runs good. For more information call 250-788-1710

2005 Honda Pilot SUV AWD, sunroof, heated seats, air conditioning, 224,000km, no rust, grey metallic and a Vancouver vehicle. \$6900 OBO. Call 250-786-5157 email: vforce1@shaw.ca

2001 Nissan Centra for parts. New brakes, struts, good engine and transmission and tires. Will sell for parts or all. Make an offer. Call 250-242-5558

2006 Ford F350 ext cab, 158,000km, awesome work truck. 2005 Nissan xtrail, 162,000km, loaded, heated seats, sunroof, great winter ride. \$7400. 2011 passenger GMC 1 ton van, 157,000km ready for work. Will pass any inspection, for hauling people. \$8700. Trades considered. Call 250-788-5905

1996 Dodge Polara coupe, project car. Slant 6 engine, 3-3 transmission. Black with red interior. \$800. Call 250-788-6748

1955 Jeep \$1500. Pick up box trailer \$90. Transfer case and 3 drive shafts \$400. Call 250-788-5580

1998 Rodeo Suzuki Isuzu 4 dr sedan wagon. Tires are 60/70% good. Motor gone. Asking \$700. Call 250-788-5134

1998 Dodge Ram 1500 pickup, some rust, runs good, asking \$2500 OBO. Call 250-782-5026

Flip tank with electric motor. Call 250-242-5888

FOR RENT

Furnished room, everything included. Own bathroom excluding toiletries and food. Shared kitchen and common area. N/S, no parties. Must be tidy and respectable. \$650/mo. Call or text 778-983-0041

Furnished rooms for rent in Chetwynd. Call 250-874-0170

3 bdrm home for rent in Chetwynd. Includes internet, utilities and cable. Call Julie 250-401-1985

Room for rent in Chetwynd. Includes internet, utilities and cable. Call 250-401-1985

6 bdrm house in Rodeo Sub. Now available. For viewing please call 250-788-5198

Rooms for rent in Tumbler Ridge. Includes bathroom, TV, pool table, use of kitchen and w/d. 250-242-5888

2 bdrm bungalow at Moberly Lake across from golf course. Wood and propane heat, includes satellite TV. Large sun deck view of the lake. Rent \$1000/mo, plus utilities. Available August 1st. For info call 250-788-6339

Room for rent in Chetwynd. Bdrm/sitting room, TV, internet, own bathroom and entrance. Use of laundry room. No kitchen. Call 250-788-3577

Single female, no pets, non smoker looking for a one bdrm suite or apartment to rent. Please call 250-710-3259

3 bdrm modular home with addition. Looking for long term tenants. Comes with F/S, W/D, G/W heating. \$1250 /mo. plus utilities. Available Sept 3. Call or text 250-401-1127

3 bdrm furnished house, newly renovated. N/P, \$1500/mo. plus utilities. Available September 1. Call Darlene 250-788-9498 or 250-788-5878

PINE RIVER HOLDINGS LTD.

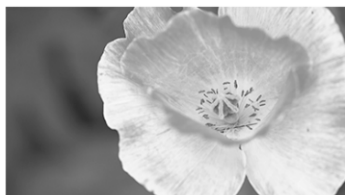


Send Resume to: prh9446@telus.net

WANTED
Class 1 & 3 Drivers
Full time Gravel Haul
250-788-9499



CHET TV presents Beautiful Gardens!
Airing Thursday at 5pm!



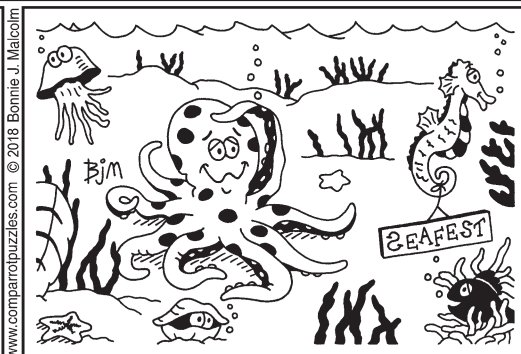
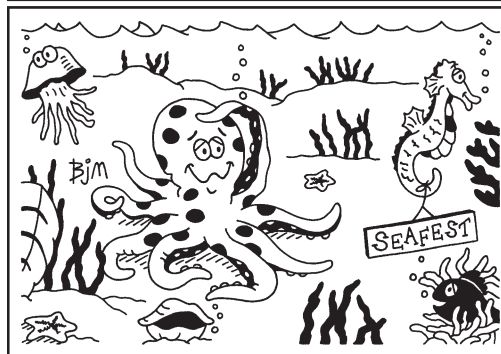
Listen to the Midas Well Meditation Hour with Trish Sullivan & Jane Spensl every Sunday from 8:00pm-9:00pm!
94.5 in Chetwynd
104.1 in Dawson Creek
Around the world at peacefm.ca



ComParrot

by Bonnie J. Malcolm

Can you spot 12 differences between these pictures?



Solution: 1. Wave is missing. 2. Inside of starfish is missing. 3. Tentacle on jellyfish is hidden. 4. Sea grass beside octopus is missing. 5. Belly on seahorse is colored in. 6. Spot on octopus has moved. 7. Sea grass behind octopus is longer. 8. Clam's eyes are open. 9. "S" is backwards. 10. Seahorse's tail is longer. 11. Arm on octopus is facing other direction. 12. Coral by sign is longer.

Free Classifieds

Classifieds are for personal use only and are published on a first-come, first served basis. To submit your personal classified ad Email: classifieds@coffeetalkexpress.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Brookstone Max 2 massager, like new, \$200. Electric stove in good condition, \$100. Call 250-788-2944

42" Samsung big screen TV and stand, \$400 OBO. Call 250-401-7215

Husqvarna sapphire 830 sewing machine. Lots of extra bobbins and 18"x24" sewing table. \$900 OBO. 250-788-1806

1800 gallon suppression tank on off-road trailer. 9 heavy duty axles with electric brakes (no wheels). 12' diamond harrows and draw bar. 2 - 10' chain pasture harrows with separate draw bars. Case from tend loader off 1070 case with 6.4 bucket. Homemade utility trailer close in with canopy. Old tent trailer to make into utility trailer. 2 Oval 250 gallon diesel fuel storage tanks, large auto propane tank for deck. Brand new 100 gallon slip tank. Call 250-843-7674

Tad M10 2-way radio, \$700. Call 250-784-4214

100 theatre tip seats, soft cushion, metal frames. 4' high bumper truck jack. Air tip staple gun and air tank gauge. Portable 8" bench grinder. Gas Snow blower. LNB Bell Satellite TV dishes. 3' Shaw satellite receivers. Portable 7' high step ladder. Call with best offer 250-788-2606 or 780-897-0730

170 wine glasses \$43. Bowflex xtreme 2 SE \$800. Electric Yamaha piano \$400. Call 250-788-7800

Wooden Ikea Ivar shelving, completely adjustable. 19 1/2" D, 35" W, up to 70" H. Clip on baskets, Pine cupboards 31 1/2" W, 18 1/2" D, 22"H. Make an offer. Call 250-788-6808

Complete wine making equipment. Carboys, pails, bottles, racks and corker. \$225 OBO. 250-788-5591

Birch firewood. Call or text 250-874-0402

2 Mountains bikes, supercycle and Infinity. Call for details 250-874-0170

2 lrg Canoe floatation bags \$10ea. 1 North face 4 person, 4 season tent \$100. 1 2pc 30" shower stall \$100. 1 space saver cabinet and sink with tap \$75. 1 exhaust ceiling fan \$15. 1 28" door with frame and hardware \$15. Call 250-788-2432

Older RSF wood stove \$110. Call 250-788-5580

Mannlicher Shoenauer 30-06 Sporter GK model cheek piece \$1000. Call

250-788-9818 leave message

GE Washer and dryer, heavy duty with all the bells and whistles. 6 months old. Asking \$800 firm. Call 250-788-1777

Hay for sale, For details please call 250-219-2002

Englis washer, \$150. Whirlpool dryer, \$50. Call 250-788-5353

Round hay bales, 750 lbs Alfalfa and Timothy mix, \$30 ea. Call 250-788-9179

Vintage 1983 white Fender Stratocaster guitar with Fender Vibrolux amp, asking \$3500. Call 250-782-5026

New wood heater, take logs up to 31/2' Suitable for large shop. Call 250-719-6142

Kenmore washer and dryer set, \$250. Call 250-242-5888

Kenmore washer and dryer set, asking \$300. Please call 250-782-3996



YARD SALE
SAT AUGUST 18
SUN AUGUST 19
9AM - 4PM
4708 Nicholson Rd

YARD SALE
SAT AUG 18
STARTS @ 9AM
#40 PINEWOOD
TRAILER PARK

YARD SALE
SAT AUG 18
STARTS @ 10AM
44 STR
CROWN SUB

ARROW
ARROW TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS INC.
www.arrow.ca

WE'RE HIRING DRIVERS

Arrow has been in business since 1919 and we're still growing!

We offer:

- Wage **\$31.35**
- Pension
- Full Medical benefits
- Year-round work
- HOME EVERY DAY

If interested, please send resume to jobs@arrow.ca or call **1-877-700-4445**

thePencil Box

- Wine Boxes

- Keepsake

Boxes

- Flip Flops

- Tank Tops

- T-Shirts

- Jerseys

- Hoodies

- Baby Onesies

- Magnets

- Slate Photo

- Plaques

let's get Personal

- Coffee Mugs

- Beer Steins

- Water Bottles

- Beverage Wraps

- Clocks

THERE'S Always TIME FOR A GLASS OF Wine



any witnesses to the **ACCIDENT** that occurred on July 17 at 6pm on Jackfish Lake Rd by Big Lake involving an SUV and PICKUP. If you have any information please call

250-788-1941

How do you make the number 7 even without addition, subtraction, multiplication or division?

Remove the s and I becomes even.

Free Classifieds

Classifieds are for personal use only and are published on a first-come, first served basis.

To submit your personal classified ad Email: classifieds@coffeetalkexpress.com

PROPERTY

Lease or rent to own 3 commercial lots, 750ft x150ft to 75ft to 150ft. 4833, 4829, 4825 51 Ave SE. 2 commercial lots 75'x150' each with 3314 sq feet building iron and metal framed. 4821, 4817 51 Ave SW. Next to Tim Hortons. Call 250-788-3126 or 250-788-6197

DBL wide trailer w/attached storage shed. Commercial kitchen cook stove, commercial dishwasher, 2 baths, large dining seating area. \$150,000. Formally Natural Springs Clubhouse. Call 250-788-3555 or 250-401-1147

2008 20x52 SRI modular home, 3 bdrms, 2 full baths, exc cond. Call 250-788-5815

3 bdrm modular home on 2 serviced lots, small work shop and wood shed. Nice place and good location in Tumbler Ridge. \$120,000 open to offers and trades call or text 250-401-1127

3 bdrm mobile home with addition in Legion Sub (owned lot). Shop with power. Call 250-719-3549

4.8 acre treed lot approx 2km west of Chetwynd located in the westall subdivision on Kurjata Road. Road access is available to both front and back lot. Natural gas and power at the edge of property, and a 50' untested well with approx 25' of water in it when last checked. Lot 3, plan PGP24967. \$90,000. If interested call 780-538-9658 or text 780-830-6320

PETS/LIVESTOCK

15 yr old gelding horse, broke to halter. Call 250-843-7674

Mother and 5 white kittens to give away to good home. Call 250-788-3555

3 weathered male sheep for meat, \$250ea. 1 weathered male goat for meat, \$200ea. Can purchase anytime between now and September. 250-801-8308 or 250-317-3567

Two Alpine ducklings, \$125 each. One 3 year old Alpine duck, \$300 or trade for unrelated. Call 250-788-2789

LOST & FOUND

Lost: White gold wedding band set with diamonds. If found call 250-788-6352

Lost: Old wooden water ski with white dock fender at Moberly Lake on July 14th. Call 250-788-3661

Lost fluffy Calico cat. Grey & black with white neck and belly. Green/brown eyes. Missing in Rodeo Sub over the weekend. \$100 Reward. Call 250-329-4661

REC VEHICLES

Citation 29' 5th wheel camper. 3000 Honda generator \$18000, excellent shape. 250-262-7032

1986 Traveaire Camper, excellent condition. \$5200. Call 250-788-3834

2002 Topaz 5th wheel. 24', 1 slide out, excellent shape. \$7500. 250-782-4993

2011 Cyclone Cy300 toy hauler, \$40,000. 10' garage, 2 electric queen bunks in back, queen bunks in back. Queen bed lots of storage in master. Sleeps 8 total. Walk around bathroom stand up full size shower. 3 Televisions, on board generator and gas filling station. Excellent condition. Call 250-788-5158

1989 Campion Haida sun cruiser boat w/350 Chev motor, omc leg, plug ins for electrical, down riggers. 4 new tires, 2 props, blue canvas top and sleep 5-6 comfortably. Complete with EZ load galvanized trailer with winch. Asking \$15000. Call 250-219-0809

1998 Bayliner Capri 18 1/2' with many extras, stored inside. \$12,000 OBO. 250-784-4214

1976 Dodge Diplomat motorhome. Good 440 engine, new vialle propane system, roof leaks. New exhaust system. Handyman special or for parts. Runs great, open to offers. Call 250-843-7518

1986 Vanguard motorhome, built-in generator, 124,690 km, runs on propane or gas. \$4000. Call 250-261-3133 or 250-401-1157

2002 Polaris Sportsman 90cc 2 stroke, electric and kick start. \$800 OBO. Call 250-783-5744

1992 9' Oakland 3000 camper made by Big Foot. Everything works, good condition. Flush toilet, 2 showers, 1 outside. Clean and ready for use. \$4400. Call 250-786-5716

2004 Polaris Quad. \$2200. Call 250-782-5026

WANTED

Wanted: Tractor tire 14.9x24 or 13.6x24. Call 780-864-5067

Wanted: A babysitter for a two year old boy. 10 days per month, Mon - Fri 3pm to midnight. Occasionally other days and hours as well. Call or text 250-401-7513

Wanted: A motorized wheelchair in good condition. Call 250-719-6142

Wanted: 3G Smartphone models to buy. Must be in working condition. Call 250-601-0144

Wanted: To buy 92-98 half ton pick up. 4 wheel drive automatic. Call 250-719-6142

Wanted: Willing to do lawn maintenance. Call 250-874-0170

Wanted: Willing to mow lawns and yard work. Call Rick 250-788-1830

Wanted: Babysitter to care for 3 year old boy. Hours are flexible based on availability and experience. Also looking for children of similar age for summer play dates. If interested call 519-496-9409

Wanted: Free clean landfill down Jackfish Road, Lake Road on Nichols Sub. Call 250-788-6256

Wanted: Carpenter for simple custom bench and cabinet. Call 250-556-4045

Wanted: Animal-proof garbage storage bins for outdoors, the bigger the better. Call 250-556-4045

Wanted: Looking for the lady that does pencil drawings of portraits. Call 778-868-4131

Wanted: Pace Arrow, 1977-1985 for parts - Dodge 2004 Van Grand Caravan. Call 250-401-1618 leave message

Wanted: Box spring for double bed. Call 250-788-4150

Wanted: Mother of 2 in search of home to rent or rent to own with a one year lease with option to purchase after a year, if the price is fair on the right home. Willing to do what is needed to fix up and maintain with lease agreement. Quiet, responsible n/p, n/s. Need home in town within fair walking distance. References available. Please call me to discuss. 250-788-5286

HELP WANTED

YOUNG'S MILLS
(1980) LTD



SKIDDER OPERATOR
HOE OPERATOR
HOOK TENDER

Health/Dental/Pension Benefits Provided

Fax: 250-788-2848
Email: admin@youngsmills.com
Camp Accommodations Available

JOB OPPORTUNITY

C & T Logging Ltd.



requires a
Processor Operator

for work in Chetwynd

Email: troy@pris.ca

CALL OR TEXT TROY **250.788.5062**

Chetwynd International Chainsaw
Carving Championship Society

AGM

TUES, SEPTEMBER 18, 2018

AT 6:30PM

Chetwynd Public Library
Faye Asleson Community Room
Everyone welcome



Harroff Bros. Logging is looking to fill the following positions:

**Graderman/Road Builder
Loaderman**

*Competitive wages
*Retirement savings plan
*Medical / Dental Benefits

To apply or inquire further
call Joe at **250-788-5392**

**Property Administrator:**

- Answer phone, routing calls Code payable invoices, creating purchase orders
- Maintain resident files and keep accurate information
- Preparation of office correspondence
- Utility bill validations
- Ledger reconciliation
- Valid Driver's Licence and Criminal Record Check required

Maintenance Technician:

- Drywall repairs, painting prep and painting.
- Minor electrical repairs
- Minor plumbing repairs
- Perform water and sewer line repairs where applicable
- Assisting with and/or performing suite renovations and other upgrades
- Grounds maintenance
- Snow removal
- Valid Driver's Licence and
- Criminal Record check required

**#106, 5117 46th Avenue
Chetwynd, BC V0C1J0
Office: 250.788.1650
Cell: 250.401.2034
solson@northviewreit.com**



Chetwynd and District Rec Centre Facility Concession Request for Proposals

The District of Chetwynd is inviting proposals from individuals, groups, organizations, and/or businesses for the operation of the facility concession, and the provision of catering services, at the Chetwynd & District Rec Centre for the period of September 1, 2018 to August 31, 2021.

Viewing of the facilities is **required** prior to submitting any proposal and further contract specifications and requirements are available to bidders at time of viewing.

Contact Steve McLain or Randy Rusjan by phone at 250-788-2214 or by email at smclain@gochetwynd.com or rrusjan@gochetwynd.com for an appointment to view the facilities, and to view and pick up the complete agreement package. Proposals should be submitted to:

**'Chetwynd and District Rec Centre Concession Proposal',
ATTN: Steve McLain, Manager of Leisure and Facility
Services for the District of Chetwynd,
4552 North Access Road, Chetwynd, BC, V0C 1J0.
Deadline for receipt of proposals is
2:00 pm, local time, August 20, 2018.**

The District of Chetwynd reserves the right to reject any and all proposals for any reason, or to accept any proposal received; which the District of Chetwynd, in their unrestricted discretion, deems most advantageous to their selves. The greatest or any proposal may not necessarily be accepted.

MEET THE MAYOR

August 17, 2018

So you want to be Mayor. You're really sure this time. It's a four-year sentence as you know so you and your spouse, if applicable, should be certain and prepared. What can you do to prepare your mind for action following the November 5 swearing in?

The role of Mayor can give you immense personal satisfaction if you behave yourself or it can ruin your peace of mind if you are careless. I've enjoyed great personal satisfaction with almost no sleepless nights (No I can't remember ever waking up over issues of municipal governance). It all depends on how you conduct yourself in office.

There are a few things with which you should have a better-than-nodding acquaintance before election day and you are going to inherit at least one serious issue: the Caribou Recovery work about which I have written several times. A serious candidate will search out the columns I have written on the topic and then Google all the information that's fit to print about Central Mountain Caribou (CMC). I just this afternoon participated in a province-wide conference call with the Federal and Provincial Governments. The more informed you can be the more effective you will be in advocating for your home town. It can take a lot of your time.

As Mayor you will likely be appointed as a Director on the Peace River Regional District Board. If you understand the role and function of a Regional District prior to your first day on the Board you will feel less of a sense of bewilderment and stupidity (but still some bewilderment). The largest budget in the Regional District is for Solid Waste Management. Huge. Maybe you could perpetuate one of my dreams: a Solid Waste Electrical Generator fueled by solid waste collected from across the North of British Columbia and Alberta.

Good relations with your Area E Director must be a priority for success as Mayor. Failure to sustain these good relations could create serious issues for your home town.

Incidentally, your faithful participation at the Regional District at minimum will carve a full month out of your yearly allotment. Be ready for it.

And then there is the necessary participation in the various municipal conventions (Union of BC Municipalities, North Central Local Government Association, Federation of Canadian Municipalities) for which you should annually budget another three weeks. Added to this, the wise Mayor will recognize the importance of participating in a number of training workshops. You may have noticed that I have not mentioned events such as the Coal Forum alternately hosted by Chetwynd and Tumbler Ridge each year, Minerals North to be hosted by Chetwynd in May, 2019, the annual Council of Forest Industries convention usually held in Kelowna or Prince George in April (a must for the Mayor of Chetwynd), and the Premier's Resource Forum always held in January in Prince George (not in the Virgin Islands). Now I have mentioned them and they all spell time. You might question the importance of attending these various conventions and other events. Why not just give your attention to running your town and save your tax payers the cost? Other Mayors have had similar thoughts. Other Mayors have run into difficulty. We don't live in a cloister. Our global village requires a global mindset; it requires a mind that is open to ideas not necessarily available in your home town – unless you are prepared to bring them to us. (No, I didn't say that you have to attend all of the possibilities all of the time but you should attend enough to keep yourself in tune with the trends, to meet your colleagues who are wrestling with similar issues, and to get your face familiar to Government Ministers and their staffs; and you should be open to encouraging your Council to attend as many as possible within your budget restrictions.) And that, you may think is that. It's not. There's much more and maybe some fine day I'll get around to sharing it with you. A column a week is not for the faint of heart. Some weeks I scramble to find a topic; no doubt it shows. Like this week. Oh, by the way, "Those who are happiest are those who do the most for others" (Booker T. Washington, 1856-1915).

Merlin Nichols, Mayor



DISTRICT OF CHETWYND 2018 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTIONS NOTICE OF NOMINATION

Public Notice is given to the electors of the District of Chetwynd that nominations for the offices of:

Mayor – one (1) to be elected

Councillors – six (6) to be elected

School Board No. 59 Trustee – two (2) to be elected

will be received by the Chief Election Officer or a designated person, as follows:

By hand, mail or other delivery service: District of Chetwynd 5400 Hospital Road, Box 357 Chetwynd, BC V0C 1J0	From 9:00 am September 4, 2018 To 4:00 pm September 14, 2018 Excluding statutory holidays and weekends
By fax to: 250-401-4101 By email to: Dennis@gochetwynd.com	From 9:00 am September 4, 2018 To 4:00 pm September 14, 2018 Originals of faxed or emailed nomination documents must be received by the Chief Election Officer by 4:30 pm on September 21, 2018

Nomination forms are available at the District Office at 5400 Hospital Road from July 27, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. to the close of the nomination period

QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE

A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as a member of local government if they meet the following criteria:

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day October 20, 2018;
- resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed;
- a person or the commander of an armed forces unit who has been granted freedom of the municipality, if that person is a Canadian citizen; and
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from being nominated for, being elected to or holding the office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

CAMPAIGN PERIOD EXPENSE LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2018 general local election, the following expense limits for candidates during the campaign period apply:

Mayor	\$10,000.00
Councillor	\$5,000.00

THIRD PARTY ADVERTISING LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2018 general local elections, the following third party advertising limits apply:

\$750.00

For further information on the nomination process, please contact:

Deanne Ennis, Chief Election Officer 250-401-4105
Linda Kearns, Deputy Chief Election Officer 250-401-4107

For further information on campaign period expense limits and third party advertising limits, please contact Elections BC:

Toll-free phone: 1-855-952-0280
Email: lecf@elections.bc.ca
Website: www.elections.bc.ca/lecf



NOTICE OF PROVISION OF ASSISTANCE SECTION 21 OF THE COMMUNITY CHARTER, SBC 2003, C. 26

The District of Chetwynd (the "District") intends to provide assistance to 0957016BC Ltd o/a Tim Hortons. address 4809 51st Ave, Chetwynd, BC V0C1J0 (the "Company"), pursuant to Section 21 of the *Community Charter*. The assistance will provide under a partnering agreement between the District and the Company dated August 14, 2018 and will be in the form of a grant (the "Grant") up to a maximum of \$5000.00 as a part of the District's Business Façade Improvement Program. Funding for the program is provided to the District by the province's Northern Development Initiative Trust. The purpose of the Grant is to encourage business owners or commercial tenants to invest in building façade upgrades to enhance the appearance of the community, encourage tourism and economic development in the District and support recruitment of new business and residents.

For further information, please contact Ellen McAvany at 250-401-4113 or email emcavany@gochetwynd.com.

A "sunder" is the term used to refer to a group of what type of animal?
Wild swine, pigs or boars.

the Pencil Box

PLUG-IN

THE

world

AWAITS!!

COMPUTERS . LAPTOPS
TABLETS . PHONES
MONITORS & ACCESS . GAMING
ACCESS . & MORE

COMPUTER REPAIR -
CALL LEIF 250-788-3422

Guillim Gardens

EXECUTIVE SUITES
Room to unwind in your own spacious Suite



1 & 2 BEDROOM FULLY FURNISHED SUITES
FULLY EQUIPPED KITCHEN & ALL UTILITIES INCLUDED
SELF-SERVE LAUNDRY ROOM ON EACH FLOOR
HIGH SPEED WIRELESS INTERNET & FULL CABLE
QUIET, SECURE, ADULT BUILDINGS & NO PETS
ON SITE MANAGER
WWW.GWILLIMGARDENS.COM



Toll Free
1(866) 788-9516

5133 & 5137
50TH STREET
CHETWYND, BC V0C 1J0

Signs Designed &
Created by Sandi

Full Digital Imaging
Banners - Decals
Fleet Markings
Commercial
Oilfield

Fleet Signs

Beyond The Ordinary!
250-788-3974

above CP&T at 4805 South Access Rd
shooks@telus.net Chetwynd, BC

SPACE TRIVIA

Stars viewed through even the largest telescopes look like tiny points of light. But astronomers, using the Hubble Space Telescope to photograph a star called Betelgeuse (pronounced "beetle jooze"), have now been able to see the surface of another star. Betelgeuse is a red, giant star located at the left shoulder of the constellation Orion and is the largest known star in our galaxy.

CONUMA COAL RESOURCES LIMITED

Protecting Our House

Trades Opportunities

Conuma Coal Resources has immediate openings for qualified candidates with a demonstrated history of strong safety performance and dependability to join our team in an exciting start-up of our Brule Mine and Willow Creek plant site.

HEAVY DUTY MECHANICS (uncertified/journeyman)
ELECTRICIANS MILLWRIGHTS INDUSTRIAL HYGIENEST

Conuma Coal provides competitive wages and benefits.

No camp facilities are available

Applicants with prior or active Mine Rescue Certification will receive strong consideration.

Please send resumes to: careers@conumacoal.com

Not all applicants will be contacted.



Rupert Seafood

Quality BC Fruit & Vegetables
fresh from the farm to your table.
Generations of family growers
with over 267 acres of organic &
non-organic fruits & vegetables.
Organic garlic - \$11.50 per lb.



PLACE YOUR ORDERS NOW!

Orders can be placed via private message on our Facebook page for Little Prairie Store.

Call 250.788.7801
or drop by
4917 South Access Rd



WATER TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

SUBMIT RESUMES TO:

tgtronn@gmail.com

250-401-7166

STAGECOACH INN NOW HIRING



Full Time
HOUSEKEEPERS

Please apply in person with resume to the front desk

5413 S Access Rd, Chetwynd, BC

CHETWYND'S PERFORMANCE & TRUCK ACCESSORIES

**AUTOMOTIVE MAINTENANCE
& REPAIR SERVICES**

Steering & Suspension Services
Minor tune-ups * Exhaust Repairs
Brake Repairs * Differential Services

250-788-6558

4805 SOUTH ACCESS RD CHETWYND
(NEXT TO KAL TIRE)

COUNCIL MEETING

The District of Chetwynd held a public hearing before their regular Council meeting this past Monday, August 13th, at the Council Chambers. The public hearing was to gauge a response from the community about a proposed zoning change to an area just behind the Crown Sub from rural (Ru1) to light industrial (M1). The proposed change will give Source Energy, the property's owner, the go ahead to build a rail loop to accommodate frac sand transloading operations at their storage facility. A few people came to express their concern over the zoning change.

The first to speak was Brian Ethier, a resident of the crown sub, who suggested a sound wall to cut down on the excess noise. Source Energy's representatives responded by saying the loop is for storing the rail cars and the engine they use to move them is far smaller and quieter than CN's yard directly beside them.

Marty McDonald, another resident of the Crown subdivision, brought with him MSDS sheets for sand being stored and expressed concern over the dust the neighbourhood will be breathing in with the addition of 100 more rail cars being loaded and unloaded. Another concern was a berm of sand that was sitting at the back of the property. Source Energy's Ray Zavary and the manager of the plant mentioned that the rail cars are sealed top and bottom and the actual moving of the product causes minimal dust. Also that the MSDS is the same as the sand at the beach having no chemicals added to the product. It is mined in Wisconsin and sent directly here. The berm of sand at the back is returned product that has been contaminated by rocks or has gotten wet and was returned by customers.

Another resident spoke in favour of the rail loop suggesting it would cut down on the moving of cars in the rail yard, making for less rail noise in the long run, which Source Energy confirmed.

Councillor Alec Brownlee sat in the gallery for the public hearing as he says there are legal issues getting access to his property from the area in question.

The regular council meeting began a little behind schedule because of the public hearing and began with the zoning bylaw discussed in the public hearing. After deliberating, Council decided to pass the third reading but would like more information on the frac sand and may ask that the pile of returned sand be dealt with accordingly. The final decision will be made at the September 4th council meeting.

Next they moved along to discuss a bylaw regarding an increase to remuneration of elected officials. The increase is due to a change from the Federal Government to no longer allow elected officials to claim one third of their earnings tax exempt. After a short discussion Council members decided it may work better to slowly raise remuneration instead of a sudden increase as they feel they are being compensated pretty fairly. Changes will come into affect January of 2019.

Council moved ahead to acknowledge play equipment to be relocated to Don Titus Montessori from the regional district office. They also approved a temporary use permit to Surerus Murphy for their bulk fuel tank to be placed by the car wash for a period of up to three months. A second approval went to Chetwynd Petroleum for their replacement of the above ground fuel tanks located on their property across from IGA.

Two requests were received that will move ahead to a public input period next month on September 4th. The first request was an extension of 3 years from Dave Milner of Flite Oilfield services for a 150 man work camp in Chetwynd. The second being a similar request from Black Diamond who set up their camp last fall and is hoping for an extension of three years as well. Last year their original request was for the full three years but were granted only one year pending the affect it caused to the business in the preceding year to hotels and motels in the community. Hotel and motel representatives have the opportunity to come and express their opinion of the extension on September 4th's Council Meeting. This will be the second and last extension allowed to be given in these circumstances.

Council authorized Administration to go ahead with an application to the BC Rural Dividend fund for a grant up \$160,000 to help finish lighting Chetwynd's boulevard walkways.

The tender for Chetwynd's 2018 "paving program" was awarded to Peter Bros. Construction after sending in a bid \$160,000 less than DGS Astro Paving for a total bid of just over \$332,000 to complete the work.

Tim Hortons in Chetwynd has sent in a request to be considered for a Business Facade Improvement Grant to help pay for the \$350,000 worth of renovations expected to begin this fall.

Chetwynd's next council meeting will being at 4:30pm on September 4th, but be sure to look for advertising for Black Diamond and Flite Oilfield Services' public hearing regarding their extension. *Kelsey Roberts, reporter Coffee Talk Express*



WORK WEAR

NOW AVAILABLE
at the
PENCIL BOX
4753 51st Street
Chetwynd, BC

We have men and women's high visibility coveralls, long and short sleeve shirts, sweaters, thermal underwear and more!

SPACE TRIVIA

Stars viewed through even the largest telescopes look like tiny points of light. But astronomers, using the Hubble Space Telescope to photograph a star called Betelgeuse (pronounced "beetle jooze"), have now been able to see the surface of another star. Betelgeuse is a red, giant star located at the left shoulder of the constellation Orion and is the largest known star in our galaxy.

YOU'RE INVITED!

WHAT:
STARTUP CHURCH EVENT

WHERE:
POMEROY INN & SUITES, CHETWYND
5200 N ACCESS RD,

WHEN:
AUGUST 19, 2018, 4PM - 6PM

GATEWAY PENTECOSTALS
"Your Gateway to Peace"

We would love to meet you!

There will be complimentary snacks and beverages.

RE/MAX
Dawson Creek Realty
Locally owned and operated

Chetwynd 250.788.9909
Dawson Creek 250.782.8181

REDUCED \$384,000

ROB DAYRINGER CELL 250.219.2280
6597 HOLIDAY BEACH ROAD, MOBERLY LAKE

LAKEFRONT BEAUTY
Move-in-ready 3 bdrm, 1 bath cabin on north side of Moberly Lake. New vinyl plank flooring, plumbing and appliances. Hot tub on rear deck overlooking lake!

MLS# 172676

the Pencil Box

Sale
BACK to SCHOOL

AUG 17 - SEPT 14

HP All-in-One PRINTER \$65⁹⁹

3755

Set goals, then work hard to achieve them.

HOUSE FOR Sale

Asking \$449,000.
Beautiful new home in Chetwynd. Double insulated, energy efficient, wildfire, wind and quake protected. Modern kitchen, beautiful loft and large bonus room over the garage. Bright finished basement is ready as a mortgage helper. Fully fenced and landscaped with garden and greenhouse. With custom conveniences, it's a true northern home.

For details call **250-788-6808**

Automotive/ Commercial Transport Technician

Johnson Industrial is looking for a fully certified technician in either Automotive or Commercial Transport

- Willing to apprentice automotive technician to the right candidate
- Must have valid drivers license
- Must be motivated and able to work in a fast-paced environment

Competitive wages and health benefits provided

Johnson INDUSTRIAL

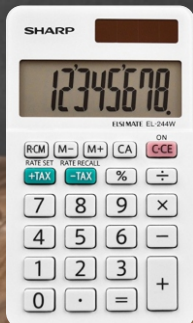
Email resume to johnsonindustrial@telus.net or apply at 4536 45th Ave, Chetwynd BC.

TRIVIA
The medical condition called Marfans syndrome is a rare, inherited condition. Some of its symptoms are extremely long bones, curved spine, an arm span that is longer than the persons height, eye problems, heart problems and very little fat. Some believe Abraham Lincoln probably had it.

With minimum purchase of \$45
on 'Back to School' SALE Items.

You receive a

FREE



EL-244WB

SHARP
Business
Handheld
Calculator

the Pencil Box



PINE VALLEY SENIORS
HALL RENTAL
For more info & hall rental call Bernice
250-788-2307

HELP WANTED
Class 1 Driver - Coal Haul
Call for details
780-518-8103

FOR SALE



\$339,000

4336 51A AVE, CHETWYND

LARGE FAMILY HOME IN A PRIME NEIGHBOURHOOD WITH A GREAT SHOP! Beautiful home located on a quiet street in the Rodeo Sub. This 4 bedroom, 2 bathroom split-level home offers a spacious and private yard, and a fabulous 20x30 detached garage that is insulated and heated! The home has a newer roof and windows as well as a natural gas fireplace & a pellet stove in the lower rec room. The kitchen is open to the lower level and has a view of the private back yard that backs on to greenspace. There is a greenhouse in the fenced back yard as well. Put this one on your list to view! Call the listing agent today!

ROYAL LePAGE
CASCADIA REALTY

JULIA NELSON
250-788-6707

KPA Oilfield Services Ltd

4325 HWY 29 North Chetwynd, BC

Serving the Peace Country Region

Services including but not limited to

- Potable Water Services
- Gravel Trucks
- Gravel Sales
- Vac and Tank Truck Services

For Pricing & Scheduling Call

250-788-6933

Box 1295, Chetwynd BC V0C 1J0

Please email resumes to
hr@kpaoilfieldservices.ca



HAVE YOU HEARD???

Access HEARING CENTRE

IS STILL OFFERING FULL HEARING SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY OF CHETWYND.
CALL US TODAY AND BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT.

250-787-7758



**Automotive/
Commercial
Transport
Parts Manager**

Johnson Industrial requires an experienced, motivated manager that is able to work in a fast-paced environment.

Responsibilities

- Responsible for the day to day operations of the parts department
- Assist with retail customer purchases and price quotes
- Provide technicians with parts as required
- Manage inventory control
- Manage retail sales floor

Skills & Qualifications

- Automotive and Commercial Transport parts experience preferred
- Experience and strong skills in dealing with the public in sales and service
- Computer skills
- Leadership and training skills

Competitive wages and health benefits provided.

Email resume to johnsonindustrial@telus.net
or apply at 4536 45th Ave, Chetwynd BC.



COULD YOUR DIET BE CAUSING YOU PAIN?

(NC) If you're experiencing abdominal cramps, irregularity and bloating that won't go away, the bad news is medicine might not be enough to fix the problem. Before jumping on medication or fads to help manage your stomach pain, give some thought to your diet to see if that might be the culprit.

Those symptoms might be Irritable Bowel Syndrome, or IBS, a sometimes debilitating group of symptoms that millions suffer through. One problem with treating it is that its exact cause is still unknown. But research is uncovering better and easier ways to treat or manage the condition. A recent study from Australia's Monash University identified one culprit in sufferers' diets to target — a group of sugars called FODMAPs. Their study showed that reducing intake of foods high in these sugars while also eating a high-fibre diet can do wonders to manage IBS.

One complication is that high-FODMAP foods, like wheat, also have lots of fibre, so you'll need to be careful to replace what you take out of your diet with high-fibre, low FODMAP foods. If that sounds tricky, it kind of is, but the same study's researchers have done the work for you. They've worked out a guide to find those sweet spot foods, which you can find online for free.

Even with a smart diet, getting the fibre you need to help with IBS can be tough. Using a fibre supplement can be a great idea, but one you need to be careful with. Picking the wrong supplements can actually make your systems worse. In particular, watch out for wheat bran-based supplements, which can increase already-high gas production. Look for supplements based on PHGG, which stands for Partly Hydrolysed Guar Gum. It's a prebiotic, so it helps encourage the right kind of bacteria to set up shop in your gut. It's also low-FODMAP, which with its fibre and prebiotics make it a one-two-three punch to IBS symptoms.

BUSINESS PRINTING

THE PENCIL BOX



- Manual Forms
- Custom Stamps
- Custom Printing
- Custom Stickers/Magnets
- Full Color Printing
- Invitations - Binding
- Envelopes - Signs
- Letterhead - Posters
- Promotional Products
- Fax Service and more!



- Pre-inked, refillable and fast drying
- Durable and easy to use

Available in **RED**, **BLACK**, **BLUE**

Ph: 250-788-3422 Fax: 250-788-3405



CHETWYND MINOR HOCKEY

REGISTRATION

September 6, 2018

6PM - 8PM

REC CENTRE

CHET. Clean



Commercial/Industrial Services

LOOKING FOR

JANITOR

Must have valid Drivers License

Submit your resume including
3 work related references to

Email: pam.derhouseoff@gmail.com

Drop Off: 4917 South Access Rd, Chetwynd, BC



The District of Chetwynd

has the following job openings:

- Aquatic Staff I – Part-time
- Aquatic Staff II – Part-time

Please visit our website at
www.gochetwynd.com
for more information.

For more information please contact
Deanne Way at 250-401-4105 or
DWay@gochetwynd.com



Reynars

Funeral Home and Crematorium

Since 1929

IN THE HEART OF OUR COMMUNITIES

**We understand the importance
of community education**

We're just a phone call away
We can answer any
questions you may have

**We honour all existing
pre-arranged funeral plans**
We take care of all transfer details,
so you don't have to

1300-102 Avenue, Dawson Creek, BC • (250) 782-2424 • TOLL FREE 1-800-217-2299

wecare@reynars.com • www.reynars.com

CHETWYND'S TOP PRODUCING REAL ESTATE BROKERAGE

5217 South Access Rd CHETWYND  For Sale or Lease MLS#170765	5112 46 Ave CHETWYND  Price Is Right \$185,000 MLS#171571	4817 52 Ave CHETWYND  Includes Income Suite \$449,000 MLS#171793	#66 6549 Wildmare Sub CHETWYND  \$79,900 MLS# 171037
4812 & 4816 North Access Rd CHETWYND  \$999,000 MLS#172429	2348 Lone Prairie Rd CHETWYND  Unique & Affordable \$219,000 MLS#172211	2568 Sawchuk Rd CHETWYND  Plus Barn & Riding Arena \$485,000 MLS#172616	5117 47 Ave CHETWYND  \$279,900 MLS# 173777
5132 46 Ave CHETWYND  Great Business Opportunity \$2,250,000. MLS#172429	4306 Asleson Rd CHETWYND  Massive Shop \$436,000 MLS#171930	6499 Lakeshore Drive MOBERLY LAKE  Lakefront Home \$575,000 MLS#172472	6736 Dokkie Rd CHETWYND  \$329,900 MLS# 173424

FOR SALE

4732 Nicholson Rd, Chetwynd.

MLS#172876

\$18,000

ARE YOU THINKING OF BUILDING IN TOWN?
This residentially zoned lot is located on Nicholson Road in Chetwynd BC. The property is zoned R1 and is ready for residential development! Call listing brokerage today!



ANTHONY BOOS
250-719-5454



KAREN BOOS
250-788-6598



JULIA NELSON
250-788-6707



BRANDDEN SHANDLER
250-401-8262