

The *Around the Bay* Fanny Bay Flyer

Author Reading Series Coming To Fanny Bay Hall

The inaugural event of a new reading series will take place on the evening of Oct. 30 at the Fanny Bay hall. Arleen Pare from Victoria and Matt Rader from Cumberland, both award winning poets and prose writers are the featured readers. The reading is sponsored by the Fanny Bay Community Association and funded by the Writers Union of Canada.



This reading will be the first of many, making it possible for our community to hear poets and novelists, journalists and memoirists read from their work on one evening approximately every second month in 2014. Canada, including our own geographical region, is rich with a brilliant array of diverse writers and a small group of Fanny Bay residents is busy drawing up schedules, filling in grant applications and contacting authors.

With the way the hall fills for cultural events and concerts sell out, this series should prove popular with local residents and beyond. If you would like to comment, ask a question, offer assistance or financial sponsorship, contact j-leblanc@shaw.ca

FANNY BAY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT OPEN HOUSE 14TH. SEPTEMBER.



The Fanny Bay Fire Volunteer Department will be hosting an Open House on 14th. September, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. There will be hot dogs, coffee, soft drinks, and kids activities. We hope you will join us to meet the firefighters, see how the funding works, inspect the "raised" hall, and help us thank and present awards to three retiring firefighters. And of course ask us any awkward questions you may have. We look forward to seeing you there, and please be careful with our "dry" environment. Fire Chief Peter Golden.

Oh What A Night!

It is not often that one hears the names Baltzar, Locke, O'Carolan, and Bach at our beautiful Fanny Bay Hall, but on Monday, July 29, not only were those names spoken, but their music was beautifully played by four very talented musicians, Phil Hansen, Marc Destrube, Linda Melsted, and Konstantin Ruslanov Bozhinov, in our first ever Baroque Chamber Music Concert.

The hall looked fabulous with tables set with flowers and candles. The Dining room tables were covered with the most amazing selection of mouth watering desserts. It was hard to know which one to choose, as every plate held something sumptuous.



And the audience! We sold out the concert! Thank you Fanny Bay and surrounding area for your support. The music was incredible. All those present showed their appreciation of every piece played with warm applause.

A huge thanks goes out to all those special volunteers who provided flowers, helped set up the hall and clean it. To those terrific cooks who provided all the desserts, and to the talented kitchen helpers who presented them so beautifully, thank you.

We are also very grateful to the Royston Coffee Roasting company who provided coffee, not only for the concert, but also as door prizes. Ships Point Inn B&B generously hosted one of the musicians for the evening, thank you.

The concert would never have happened without the enthusiasm of Neville Hope, Joan Brears, Judy Star, and Suzanne Murray. Thank you. And thank you to all of you who purchased tickets and joined us in a night to remember.



Parents & Tots starting September 13th

Fridays 10:00-11:30 **NEW DAY Fanny Bay Community Hall**

Come and enjoy a morning of socializing, snack, early literacy activities, songs, games, stories and parenting resources. This is a FREE program supported by Comox Valley Family Services Association, Baynes Sound Lions and the Fanny Bay Community Association.

Being involved in a community of family, friends, relations and neighbours is important in the growth and development of your child. Community gives a child support, a sense of belonging, a strong sense of self and a sense of connection. They feel emotionally and physically safe and valued; they develop social abilities and have sense of sharing and caring for each other.



Facilitated by Evelyn Bally 250-335-9022

**Youth Group starting October 4th
Fanny Bay Community Hall
Friday nights 6:30-7:30**

Children ages 4-6 in the studio with their parent.
Children ages 7-12 in the gym, parents do not have to stay.

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BAYNES SOUND GARDEN CLUB

On Thursday, Sept. 5 at 7:00 Paul Wurz, president of the North Island Rhododendron Society and owner of Hidden Acres Rhododendrons will present a talk entitled 'Some Help Growing Rhododendrons.'



7:00 at the O.A.P. Hall.

New members always welcome

Ships Point Improvement District Report

Board election

At the public vote August 15 2013 at the Ships Point Fire Hall, Patricia Edwards was elected as the new trustee. Pat previously held a trustee position on the SPID board in 2010. Thank you to Jim Quinn for volunteering to serve as our Returning Officer.

What's behind the scene of your community water system

Please consider water needs carefully before opening the tap. You can help SPID keep water rates reasonable by thinking conservation of water and power costs.

In July our pumping metered over 5 **million** imperial gallons of water used by our system. Hydro costs were over \$3,000 for July alone.

THE WEEK OF SEPT 23rd, SPID will be digging a 4th well as part of the water system replacement project. There will be one day during this week where there will be NO WATER in the system for approximately 10 hrs. Residents should watch the mailbox bill boards for more detailed notice as we get closer to this turnoff date.

Fire prevention: As the dry season is here, please watch the sign at the entrance to the Ships Point service area for information on wildfire risk notices. A reminder that there are no beach fires allowed at the local regional park areas. If you hear the siren, shut off your water use to ensure the volunteer firefighters have adequate water flows to fight a fire in your neighbourhood. Volunteers for our auxiliary and firefighter services always welcome.

Our September regular Board meetings takes place at 8am the second Wednesday . Office hours are Tuesday and Thursdays 2 pm to 430 pm . Appointments can be arranged by calling the office at 250 335 0551 or emailing queries to shipspt1@shaw.ca

For water emergencies , please contact our operators at 250 335 2755 or 250 335 0354

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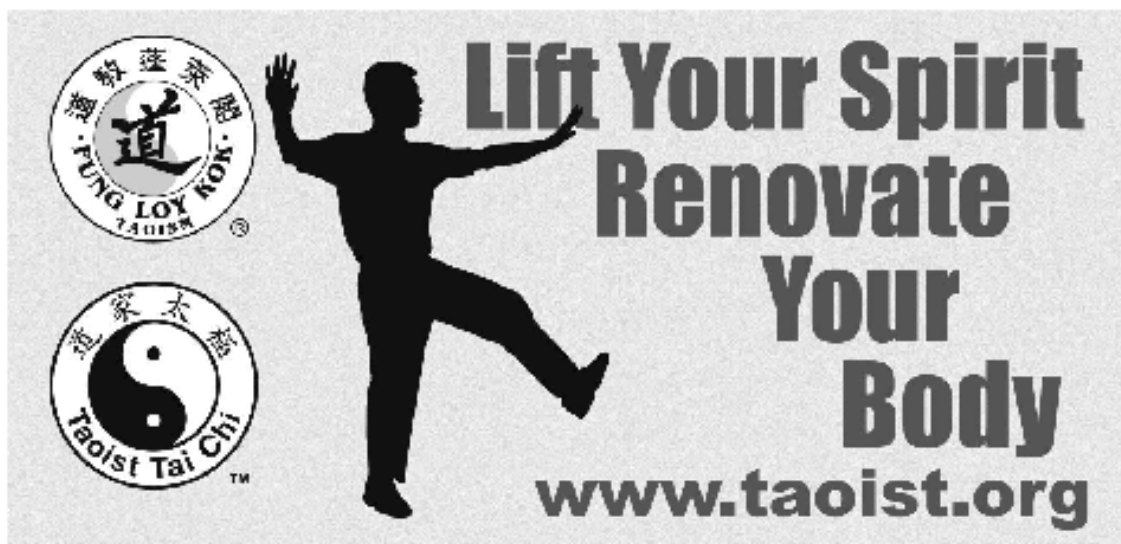
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2182 Comox Avenue, Comox

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FRIDAY OCT 4th – 10:30am - NOON

***REGISTER at first class at location of your choice**

FANNY BAY SALMONID ENHANCEMENT SOCIETY (FBSES)

By Judy Ackinclose

Where on earth has summer gone? Quick as a flash and it's over! One minute we are enjoying long hot days and then on to crickets, shorter days and cooler weather! As much as we all enjoyed the heat, it has dried up a few creeks engaging our volunteers at Rosewall, Cook, McNaughton, Hart, Hindoo and Emily creeks trying to save as many stranded salmon fry as we could. We now have a good number of fry in our care at the hatchery until the fall wet weather allows us to release the fish back into their natal stream. Great team work led by Ron!

Taking care of the growing fry at the hatchery is an ongoing every day occurrence, feeding, cleaning and flushing tanks, coffee and cookies — for the volunteers of course! Work is progressing on the major 10-foot tanks project. Phil and the team have been working on getting the pipes and setting them in at all the right angles. The four tanks were at Goldstream Creek and the problem was how to get them to Rosewall at a reasonable cost. The Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure solved that problem as they had something else to be moved from Victoria and our tanks got a free ride! Less spent on trucks and more on the salmon!

We would like to thank the Baynes Sound Lions Club for their very generous donation to FBSES. All funding that comes to our society is put to good use whether it be for maintenance of the hatcheries, stock assessment, equipment to help volunteers with their work or “issues” that always pop up. THANK YOU BAYNES SOUND LIONS YOU MADE OUR DAY!!!

For your calendar — September 28th, Pacific Salmon Foundation Auction/Dinner Fundraiser held at the Florence Filberg Centre. For more information, please call Judy at 250-335-0010.

If you would like to help or just out for a coffee and meet our volunteers, our hatchery hours of operation are Wednesdays and Saturdays 9 am to 12 pm, Rosewall Creek on Berray Road. Check out our website www.fbSES.ca.

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The FBCA Board of Directors will promote activities that enhance the quality of life for Fanny Bay residents. The Board seeks community input, invites participation, encourages the use of the Fanny Bay Hall as a place to gather, share, foster and deepen the sense of community, and to maintain the existing structure in good condition.



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Monday

9 am - 10 am: Fitness Fun @ FB Hall.
9 am - 10 am: Pilates @ OAP Hall
10 am - 11 am: Chair Pilates @ OAP Hall

Tuesday

10 am - 11 am: TOPS at OAP Hall
6.30 pm - 8:30 pm: Hatha Yoga @ FB Hall—Fiona (Full)

Wednesday

9 am - 12 pm: FB Salmonid Enhancement Society @ Rosewall Creek Hatchery.
8.30 am - 10:30 am: Hatha Yoga @ FB Hall—Fiona
10:30 am - 12 am: Taoist Tai Chi @OAP Hall
11 am - 12: 30 pm: Hatha Yoga @ FB Hall—Fiona

Friday

9 am - 10 am: Pilates @ OAP Hall
10 am - 11 am: Chair Pilates @ OAP Hall
10 am - 11:30 am: Parent and Tots @ FB Hall
10 am - 12 am: Zumba @ FB Hall—Jessica
6:30 pm - 7.30 pm: Youth Group @ FB Hall. (Children meet from 6:30 - 7:30; Youth from 7:30 - 9.)

Saturday

9 am - 12 pm: FB Salmonid Enhancement Society @ Rosewall Creek Hatchery.



Coming Events

Fanny Bay

Sept 5 — Garden Club Meeting at OAP Hall—7.00 pm
Sept 14—Fanny Bay Fire Department Open House—
11.00 am to 1.00 pm
Sept 21—Sea Cadets Bottle Drive
Sept 28—Journal Writing Workshop—
10.00 am to 4.00 pm
Sept 30—Author Reading Series starts.

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General

Sept 5 —LA General Meeting
 Sept 17—Branch 211 Executive Meeting
 Sept 24—Branch 211 General Meeting
 Sept 26—LA Executive Meeting

Special Events

Sept 6 – Giant Meat Draw (Prime Ribs) ~ L.A. Serving Fish & Chips \$10.00
 Sept 14– L.A. Hosts ~ Asian Cuisine Night serving @ 5p.m. \$15.00
 Sept 22 – Honors & Awards 1:00 p.m. ~ Bar Open @ Noon
 Sept 28 – Ukrainian Buffet Dinner ~ Tickets \$25/Advance Buy @ the Lounge by the 25th
 Oct 19 – TEXAS HOLD’EM TOURNAMENT ~ Advance Buy-In \$40. Tickets on sale @ the Lounge the second week of September, Limited to 100 Seats!

Ongoing Events

Tuesdays 4.30 pm Mixed Pool
 Thursdays 6.30 pm Texas Hold'em (starts on the 12th)
 Fridays 7.00 pm Mixed Darts
 Sundays 1.00 pm Horseshoes

Meat Draws - Every Friday @ 5:00 pm & Saturday @ 4:30 p.m.
Food Available Fridays