

THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF SLOCAN

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Thursday from 9:00am to 4:00pm (Closed from 12 noon to 1:00pm for lunch) Closed on Fridays.

2013 Council Meeting Schedule

January 14 February 12 (Tues) March 11 April 8 May 13 June 10 July 8 August 12 September 9 October 15 (Tues) November 12 (Tues) December 9



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information, Council
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events.



Household Hazardous Waste Round-Up Events

Saturday September 21, 2013, 11am – 2pm, Nakusp Arena, 200-8th Ave West Sunday September 22, 2013, Kaslo – Vimy Park Saturday October 5, 10am – 2pm, Nelson Leafs Bottle Depot 201 Silica St. & Castlegar and District Community Complex, 2101 – 6th Ave.

Residential Household Hazardous Waste Only

For a Complete List of items accepted at the round-up, visit – www.rdck.bc.ca or call 1-800-268-7325

BUILDING PERMIT REMINDER

For certain construction and renovation jobs, a building permit is required. Please contact the Village Office for more details or check the R.D.C.K. website for requirements.

www.rdck.bc.ca.

WATER CONSERVATION MEASURES STILL IN EFFECT:

Sprinkling is permitted daily between the hours of:

7:00am - 9:00am

AND

6:00pm - 8:00pm

VILLAGE OF SLOCAN MEETING NOTES: August 12, 2013

- Council agreed to invite Rory Lindsay and the Slocan Valley Historical Society to the October Council
 meeting to discuss the concept of developing a prehistoric museum centre in Slocan to display the
 artefacts and early history of the region.
- In 2012 the Village advertised to dispose of the 22 foot long flat deck trailer. The Village did not receive any bids for the equipment. The trailer is surplus equipment. Council agreed to once again list for sale the 1994 Trail Tech 10 Ton, 22 Foot Equipment Trailer, with a minimum bid of \$5,000, plus taxes and that if sold the funds received be placed in the equipment reserve fund.
- On July 8th Council authorized the purchase a 2013 GMC Sierra to replace the 1997 F-150 pick-up. The purchase of the 2013 GMC has made the 1997 Ford F-150 surplus. Council agreed to list for sale the 1997 Ford F-150 with a minimum bid of \$3,000 plus applicable taxes and that if sold the funds received be placed in the equipment reserve fund.
- On July 8, 2013, Council gave 1st & 2nd readings to the "Village of Slocan Zoning Bylaw No. 633, 2013. Pursuant the *Local Government Act*, Council is required to hold a Public Hearing on the proposed Bylaw. The Public Hearing on Village of Slocan Zoning Bylaw No. 633, 2013 will be held on Monday, September 9, 2013 at 6:00 pm in the Village of Slocan Council Chambers.
- Slocan Council will join municipalities from the Lower Columbia region FortisBC service area at the UBCM Conference to present to the provincial government a presentation outlining the need for the province to appropriately deals with the BC Hydro financial situation and that the economic competiveness of communities within the Fortis BC service area is addressed.
- Council agreed to support in principle the S.V. Historical Society funding application for a self-guided Historic Walking Tour.
- Council will support the position of the Village of New Denver in a letter to the Ministry of Environment regarding the situation in Sandon where Carpenter Creek continues to erode the creek bank in and around the Klondike Silver property and tailings pond.
- The Village of Slocan Wharf Regulation Bylaw, No. 627, 2013 be adopted.
- The Village of Slocan Building Bylaw No. 605, 2011 Amendment Bylaw No. 634, 2013 was read a 1st, 2nd & 3rd time.
- Council received a report from Councillor Patterson on her attendance at the BC Food Security meeting in Silverton and agreed to schedule a Committee-of-the-Whole meeting for October to discuss the BC Food Security and the Silverton Food Charter.
- Councillor McGreal raised for discussion dogs at large, and the lack of picnic tables at the beach.
- Staff to book UBCM Conference appointments with the Minister of Transportation, the Minister of Forest, Lands & Natural Resources Operations, and the Minister of Jobs, Tourism & Skills Training to discuss access issues and maintenance issues to Provincial Parks.
- A suggestion was made to Council that the Village use volunteers to enforce dog rules at the beach and collect boat launch fees at the boat launch.



Peggy Lee Ingram
August 13, 1959 – August 1, 2013

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Peggy Ingram.

Peggy was born on August 13, 1959 in Rose Valley, SK to Lawrence and
Betty Anderson. She grew up on a farm outside of Fosston with her older
brother Dwayne. She attended Fosston Elementary School until grade 4
and finished her schooling in Rose Valley. After high school, she attended
business school in Saskatoon.

As a young woman, she moved to Fort McMurray to work, and then to Regina where she had her first son, Jamie. After this, she returned to the farm in Fosston where she met Jamie Ingram and fell in love. They were married on December 5, 1981. After their wedding, Jamie and Peggy moved to Quill Lake SK to farm, later adding a crop input business. Their family grew to include Katie, Brandi, Chance and Ali.

In 1991, Jamie and Peggy purchased the Slocan Inn and moved their family to BC. She quickly got involved with the PAC and was an active part of the school and community. Peggy was one of the founding members of the WE Graham Community Service Society and was the current board chair. She made many close friends and enjoyed her Thursday night dinner group. Peggy was a phenomenal musician; it was second nature for her. She played piano and sang. Peggy enjoyed art in all its forms, especially writing. She was highly creative in all aspects of her life. Peggy did not like to buy gifts. Wherever she could, she made personal gifts for those she loved. Peggy was a great cook; always finding creative and delicious things to make for her family and friends. Peggy loved to garden.

But most of all, her life revolved around her children and grandchildren. Peggy will be lovingly remembered by her husband Jamie; her five children, Jamie (Rachel), Katie (Cory), Brandi, Chance, and Ali, and her three grandchildren, Lincoln, Gracie, and Luci. Her brother, Dwayne (Sheila), and Jamie's siblings: Greg (Elaine), Maisie, Barb, Sandy (Faye), and Rhoda (Neil) and many nieces, nephews and close friends. Peggy was predeceased by her parents Lawrence and Betty; parents in-law Ron and Marjorie; brothers in-law Tom and Eddie; niece Tara; nephew Bruce, and grandson Carson.

RDCK Hazardous Waste Round-Up Event

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH
10:00AM - 2:00PM
Nelson Leafs Bottle Depot <u>AND</u>
Castlegar & District Community
Complex

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST 11:00AM - 2:00PM Nakusp Arena <u>AND</u> Creston & District Community Complex

Bring your poisonous, flammable, or corrosive items for safe disposal and recycling! Unlabeled products are accepted.

For a complete list of items accepted, visit the RDCK website www.rdck.bc.ca

THANK YOU!!!

Thank you to The Slocan
Valley Cultural Alliance, all
the coordinators, volunteers,
musicians, concession stands,
dancers and all the smiling
faces that attended the Unity
Festival in Slocan.

IT'S BEACH SEASON!

- Be mindful of your beach neighbours
- Clean up after yourselves
- Keep pets away from the public beach area and in the designated dog area (at the mouth of the river by the rail trail)
- Keep the boat launch area cleared of vehicles and park in designated areas
- Please drive slow and watch for children!

Please keep your dog under control at all times. It is your responsibility as a dog owner to ensure your dog is safe and non -threatening to all public.

You are invited to School District No.8 (Kootenay Lake) 2013 – 2014 Opening Celebration

Leaders from the School District, our partner groups and our school district community are invited to join us as we celebrate the opening of the new school year.

Come prepared to engage in a great conversation focused on meeting the needs of students in the 21st Century.

THURSDAY AUGUST 22, 2013

8:30AM Coffee/ Muffins and Conversation 9 – 12:00 Presentations
School District no.8 Boardroom,
570 Johnston Road, Nelson BC

RSVP to Audrey MacKenzie by Monday Aug.19th,13 amackenzie@sd8.bc.ca or 250-505-7046

ENJOY

THE REST

OF

SUMMER



SILVERY SLOCAN LEGION

502 HAROLD STREET TICKETS \$15 AT THE SLOCAN TRADING CO. STORE 250-355-2299

SLOCAN ENER-VENTION

September 10th, 2013 7pm - 9pm WE Graham School

To learn more, visit fortisbc.com/energydiet