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 Drop in for a coffee. Let us know if we can help you with your computer. No charge! <b>At Sayward School</b> <b>Monday and Thursday 10am to 12pm</b> Jan Bakker at <a href="mailto:bokkie.bakker@gmail.com">bokkie.bakker@gmail.com</a> 250-282-3851 Ann Vansnick at <a href="mailto:annv@saywardvalley.net">annv@saywardvalley.net</a> 250-282-3450	 <b>Sayward Christian Fellowship</b> <b>Morning Service 11:00 AM</b> 740 Gentry Rd. Mark Johnson 250-282-3473 Bruce Fyfe 250-282-3301 <b>Bible Study, Wednesday 7:00 pm</b> Contact Beth Johnson 250-282-3473 Everyone Welcome!	 <b>CRS Building Maintenance Services</b> Commercial/Residential Celeste Taylor Sage Owner/Operator <a href="mailto:ctsage30@gmail.com">ctsage30@gmail.com</a> Text 1 250 418 0494 Licensed, Bonded & Insured

November 2018

# SAYWARD NEWS

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**Deadline is the 20th of the month**  
**Publication is the last day of the month.**

**SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST**

- \*Kelsey Centre Schedule
- \*Organization Meetings
- \*Elected Officials

**Village of Sayward Office Hours**

Monday-Friday  
9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Closed Statutory Holidays

Phone: (250) 282-5512  
Fax: (250) 282-5511

Email Address  
[village@saywardvalley.ca](mailto:village@saywardvalley.ca)

Village Web Address  
[www.sayward.ca](http://www.sayward.ca)

Sayward News Email  
[saywardnews@gmail.com](mailto:saywardnews@gmail.com)



*Lest we forget*

**Meet and greet the Service Personal from CFB Comox Base**

**November 10, @ 7pm**

Please come by and say hello...  
don't take our Peace for granted.  
Refreshments & Goodies provided.

Please join us in

 **Remembrance at the Sayward Royal Canadian Legion Branch 147**

**Sunday, November 11**  
All are welcome

**10:45am — Ceremony begins at 11am**  
Tea/Coffee/Sandwiches to follow



**Comox Strathcona  
Waste Management**



## **Sayward Recycling Depot**

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday 7:30 am to 8:30 pm  
Sunday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

We would like to ask residents to please refrain from putting the following items in the recycling bins:

- Clothing (Material of any kind)
- Tin Foil
- Unwashed recycling (plastics, tins etc.)
- Insulating Styrofoam
- Styrofoam meat trays with blood
- Shoes
- Hoses
- Garbage
- Plates and Cups
- Mirrors
- Window glass

- PLEASE SORT YOUR RECYCLING INTO THE PROPER BINS.

- **ALL PAPER AND CARDBOARD PRODUCTS GO IN THE BIG RED BIN.**

- **THE METAL BIN IS FOR METAL ONLY, PLEASE DO NOT PUT IN WOOD, FURNITURE ETC.**

THANKS

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Our phone notification service requires your assistance. We need new residents to provide us with your phone number and street address so we can add you to our phone notification system. If you move within the community, please let us know so we can send our notices to the correct people.

This system is used by the Village's Public Works staff to let Village residents know of problems with the water, sewer or other systems. It can be used to notify the entire community of any emergency situations. **It is important that we keep our resident list current.**

The system only allows for 10 digit phone numbers, no long distance can be used.

If you have not been receiving calls that you know have been sent out, please let us know.

**To provide us with your information call the Village Office at (250) 282-5512.**



### **Notice of Regular Council Meetings**

#### **PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGES**

The Village of Sayward Regular Council Meetings for the year 2018 will held in the Council Chambers located at 652 H'Kusam Way at **2:30 PM the first meeting of the month and at 7:00 PM the second meeting of the month** on the following dates:

January	Tuesday	9, 23
February	Tuesday	6, 20
March	Tuesday	6, 20
April	Tuesday	3, 17
May	Tuesday	8, 22
June	Tuesday	5, 19
July	Tuesday	17
August	Tuesday	14
September	Tuesday	4, 18
October	Tuesday	9, 23
November	Tuesday	6, 20
December	Tuesday	4, 18

#### **Elected Officials of the Village of Sayward**

<b>Mayor</b> John MacDonald	(250) 282-0184
<b>Councillor</b> Norm Kirschner	(250) 282-3834
<b>Councillor</b> Diane Mason	(250) 282-3760
<b>Councillor</b> Joyce Ellis	(250) 282-3863
<b>Councillor</b> Janett Hoare	(250) 282-5516



**Area A Director**  
Gerald Whalley (250) 282-3787



**Trustee**  
Gail Kirschner (250) 282-3834

#### **Provincial Government Member of Legislative Assembly**

Claire Trevena 1-866-387-5100  
[www.clairetrevena.ca](http://www.clairetrevena.ca)  
[claire.trevena.mla@leg.bc.ca](mailto:claire.trevena.mla@leg.bc.ca)



**Federal Government  
Member of Parliament**

Rachel Blaney 1-250-287-9388  
1-800-667-8404

### **Claire Trevena, MLA**

(North Island)  
908 Island Hwy, Campbell River, B.C. V9W 2C3  
Phone: 250-287-5100  
866-387-5100 Fax: 240-287-5100  
Email: [Claire.trevena.mla@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Claire.trevena.mla@leg.bc.ca)



### **North Island Survivor's Healing Society**

Trauma and Abuse Counseling Centre  
Call: 250-287-3325  
Professional counseling by appointment  
"The society gratefully acknowledges financial assistance from the Province of BC & the United Way"



### **A Friendly Face**

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Not enough time?

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[cedarstrobach@gmail.com](mailto:cedarstrobach@gmail.com)

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for details at  
250-282-5512 or  
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### **North Island Pharmacy**

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## **Sayward School Pac Presents!**

Winterfest Carnival

Where: **Sayward School**

When: **November 22 2108**

Time: **4pm to 7pm**

Games

Crafts

Face painting

Photo Booth

Food

Meat Draw

Tickets .50 each or \$5 for 12

Come on out and support the school! So much fun to be had by all. All proceeds raised go towards playground fund.





**Sayward Community Recreation Association**  
1257 Sayward Rd, Sayward  
250-282-0192 or [heritagehall@saywardvalley.net](mailto:heritagehall@saywardvalley.net)

## Heritage Hall Happenings

**Indoor Market Saturday Nov 3 @ 10 am to 1 pm**

**Community Potluck Saturday Nov 10 @ 5 pm**

5 pm sharp. All welcome. Bring your favourite dish!

**Helping Hands Program Tuesdays Nov 6, 13, 20 and 27 @ 10 am to 2 pm**

Bring your sewing, quilting or other craft or hobby project. This is a free drop in program. Bring your lunch. Contact Barb Bowbrick for program details at 250-282-3741.

**Practice Sessions for the Community Dance Musicians Tuesdays @ 7 pm**

Contact Alex Turner for more information at 250-282-3799.

**Winter Fair Saturday November 24 @ 4pm to 7pm** Book your table now \$10

Call the Hall and leave a message at 250-282-0192 or call Karen at 250-282-3667

Admission is by cash donation or non-perishable food for the Christmas Hamper.

Note: Hamper staff cannot accept food with expired best before dates.

**Sayward Valley Folk Music Society presents Harpdog Brown and the Uptown Blues Band in concert Sunday Nov 11 at 7:00 pm**

Doors open @ 5:30 Show @ 7:30 Advance tickets \$20 \$25 at the door Members \$10 Children 12 and under are free.

### **Upcoming Events:**

**Decorating the Hall for Christmas** date to be advised.

**Seniors Christmas Dinner** December 5

Please leave a message at the Hall at 250-282-0192 to advise you are planning to attend the dinner.



## SAYWARD VALLEY FARMS

### "All-Natural, Grass-Fed Beef"

Hamburger: a few 10-pound boxes left \$ 60.00 each

Time to place your Fall beef order (ready in January)

Bones \$ 2.00 per pound  
Phone Beth 250-282-3473

## Local Organization Information

**AA Meetings** – 250-282-0030

**Carpet Bowling** Contact 282-5589

Tuesdays & Thursdays at Kelsey Rec. Centre

**Crisis Line Available 24/7** 1-888-494-3888

**Heritage Hall** - 250-282-0192

3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month – Heritage Hall 1 pm

**Kelsey Center** 250-282-5500

**Ocean View Gifts & Gallery** 250-282-0018

7 days a week 10:00am—4:00 pm

**Royal Canadian Legion Branch #147**

Hall Rentals: Rosemary Croteau 250-282-3852

Last Tuesday of each month in Legion 6:00 pm

Except July and August

**Sayward Ambulance Service Station**

Contact Non Emergency 250-282-3600

**Sayward Christian Fellowship**

Sunday Service at 11:00 am – 740 Gentry Road

Mark Johnson 250-282-3473 Bruce Fyfe 250-282-3301

**Bible Study**, Wednesday 7:00 pm

Contact Beth Johnson 250-282-3473 Everyone Welcome!

**Sayward Emergency Program**— [epc@saywardvalley.net](mailto:epc@saywardvalley.net)

**Sayward Fish & Game**

Last Thursday of each month – Heritage Hall 7:30 pm

**Sayward Futures Society** Contact 250-282-0018

2nd Monday of each month at SFS office at wharf 6:30pm

**Sayward Harbour Authority** Last Sunday of month, Harbour Office,  
11 AM 250-282-0178 Wharfinger Lyall Linklater 250-282-3431

**Sayward Health Clinic**-250-282-3815

**Sayward Literacy Now** At Sayward School, Monday and Thursday  
10am to 12pm, Drop in for a coffee. Let us know if we can help  
you with your computer. No charge!

Jan Bakker [bokkie.bakker@gmail.com](mailto:bokkie.bakker@gmail.com) 250-282-3851

Ann Vansnick [annv@saywardvalley.net](mailto:annv@saywardvalley.net) 250-282-3450

**Sayward RCMP** Contact Non-Emergency 250-282-5522

**Sayward Volunteer Fire Department**

Contact Non-Emergency 250-282-5505

Email address: [svfd@saywardvalley.net](mailto:svfd@saywardvalley.net)

Meeting every Thursday @ Fire Hall #1 at 7 pm

**Share Shed** – Bryanne Stacey-250-282-3464  
10-12 Mon-Wed-Fri. Closed stat's

**St. Bernadette's Catholic Church – Despins Road**

Sunday Service at 10:00 am (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 3:00 pm)

**Tourism Committee Meetings**— 2nd Wednesday of the month 7:00pm  
Council Chambers, all businesses and residents welcome.

**Village of Sayward Council** Contact at 250-282-5512

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month at 2:30 pm, 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues.@ 7:00 pm

**Village of Sayward Office** 250-282-5512 Mon.—Fri. 9am-4pm

**VI Regional Library** Contact 250-282-5551

Open Tuesday 10-12 & 1-5, Wed. 10-2, Thurs 1-4 & 5-8,

## Boyes Family Fundraiser

### THANK YOU TO ALL

Our community came together when needed.

Thank you to each and every one of you.

The Boyes fund raiser was a huge success!

Way to go Sayward!





# November 2018

Carmen- Public Health Nurse 250-850-2110 press 1  
Leah – Foot Care Nurse 250 203-3462  
Jen Fyfe- Physio 250 203-4047



**CLINIC PH 250-282-3815**

PLEASE CALL AHEAD FOR APPOINTMENT  
TIMES –thank you!

Please call above providers directly to book an appointment. For NPs and Dr McFadden please call clinic to book appointments. Thank you.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	29	30	31	1	2	3
	NP Tracey 9-5 Labs 9-12:30 Dr McFadden 10-3	NP Tracey 9-5	NO NURSE	NO NURSE	CLINIC CLOSED	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Lab 9-11:30 NP Enid 9-5	NP Enid 9-5	NP Enid 9-5	No Nurse Ben- Mental Health Drop In 10 - 11	CLINIC CLOSED	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	CLINIC CLOSED Remembrance Day	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-5 Public Health FLU SHOTS 10 - 12	NP Tracey 9-4	CLINIC CLOSED	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	NP Tracey 9-5 Labs 9-11:30	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-4 Ben- Mental Health Drop In 10 - 11	CLINIC CLOSED	
25	26	27	28	29	30	
	NP Tracey 9-5 Lab Day 9-12:30	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-5 Dr McFadden 10-3	NP Tracey 9-4	CLINIC CLOSED	

**\*\* FLU CLINIC HERE WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 14<sup>th</sup> 10-12. Walk in – no appointment needed. Bring your BC Services Card (care card)**



**STRATHCONA  
COMMUNITY  
HEALTH NETWORK**

## Upcoming Grant Application Workshop:

**Wednesday and Thursday, November 14th and 15th, 2018, 9:00 to 3:30 (both days), Heritage Hall**

Is your community or non-profit organization looking for funds to develop a project or program, or to sustain what you have already implemented? This two-day workshop will give you the basics and more for: locating government and foundation funding sources; articulating your idea into a fully developed proposal; networking with partners; developing a relationship with funding contacts; and, information on completing your proposal with the evaluative and reporting process. Participants are invited to bring current proposal projects to the second day of the workshop for group and individual assistance.

### Day One

- Funder Guidelines and Criteria
- Proposal Components Step-by-Step
- Review of Logic Models, Performance Measurement and Evaluative Tools

### Day Two

- Succinct Writing and Formatting
- Participant Grant Writing Practice and Development
- Locating Government and Foundation Funding Sources – with new online grant database information and demonstrations

**This workshop is free, but has a maximum capacity of 16 participants. Please call or write to Nuka de Jocas to ensure your enrollment.**

For more information, contact **Nuka de Jocas** at [saywardcommunitycapacity@gmail.com](mailto:saywardcommunitycapacity@gmail.com) or call at **250-282-0001**



## **Sayward Age Friendly Golden Goodies Cooking Program**

**It's that time of year again!**

**For those of you new to our community, Golden Goodies is a cooking program we started where Age friendly's (55 plus) mentor school age children in Cooking, table etiquette and Kitchen safety once a month at the Kelsey Centre. We need volunteers to keep this popular program running smoothly. If you are able to dedicate some time we would love you to join us and we hope all our regular Age Friendly's will join us again. Please Call Andrea @ 282-5500 with any questions.**

**November 8th @10:30am  
Kelsey Centre Kitchen**



## Sayward Valley Folk Music Society News

On **November 11 at 7:00** Canadian recording artist and blues icon **Harpdog Brown** returns to the **Heritage Hall** with his new **Uptown Blues Band**.

**Harpdog Brown** has grown a reputation as a real deal purveyor of classic electric blues. Think of the old Chess and Sun records of the late 40's and early 50's. His new band is a throw back to vintage New Orleans blues, featuring piano, clarinet/ saxophone, bass and drums. Still a vintage vibe, just a different vintage. The band performs mostly originals, yet it often includes great songs of the master bluesmen from that era.

**Harpdog Brown** is a gifted vocalist and imaginative harmonica player.

Piano man, **Dave Webb** has been working with Harpdog over the years, sharing an intuition that comes with many hours on the road. **Billy Joe Abbott** learned his craft from some of the greatest Clarinetists in New Orleans. **Bob Grant** is one of the best drummers in Canada. Watching these four musicians work together and listening to the great music they produce, is a real treat for audiences. CBC broadcaster, Holger Petersen is quoted as saying " This band could play anywhere in the world, in any venue, large or small, and blues fans of all stripes would love this show."

We are indeed fortunate to welcome **Harpdog Brown and the Uptown Blues Band** for this return engagement at the Heritage Hall.

**Tickets are now on sale** at the Music Plant in Campbell River, the Kelsey Center and the Fisherboy store. They are also available on line at Eventbrite or by following the link on the Sayward Heritage Hall Facebook site.

The cost of this concert is **\$20 advance, \$25 at the door**. Admission for SVFMS members, for this concert, is \$10 at the door. There is no admission fee for children 12 and under or volunteers working the show.

Annual memberships are available and allow members to receive reduced admission. Included is also membership to the Heritage Hall. Cost is \$85/single or \$130/ family. Doors open @ 5:30. Open Mic @ 6:00. Anyone wishing to take the stage before our feature is welcome, The only criteria is that the music, by definition, be considered folk and that it be acoustic. Please feel free to sign up for a 10 minute time slot.

For more information contact **Bob or Karen Sampson 250 282-0134**

Our thanks to The Crossroads Restaurant and the Salmon River Guest House for providing meals and lodging for the band.

**Next Month: December 9** *Dougie Hunter & The Campbellton Celts*



## Clinic Corner News

Influenza season is here. Flu shots will be available through Island Health Public Health on Wednesday, November 14 from 10-12. Please note, this clinic is only for individuals who qualify for the **FREE** shot. Please see the separate notice for details. This is a first come first serve flu shot clinic.

Just a reminder that the Sayward Primary Healthcare clinic is a **Scent Free building**, as is Island Health. Please keep this in mind when you come in for appointments. Scents and perfumes can cause breathing problems and other health concerns for many people. Please do not wear perfumes, aftershave lotions, cologne or other sources of scents when coming into the clinic.

With the legalization of cannabis, please also remember that the clinic is a smoke free building which includes the use of cannabis.

Thank you to all that came out to the Chronic Pain Self Management program. It was a great learning environment. The program will be held again in the later spring. Keep watch for other programs coming soon – Diabetes Self Management and Arthritis Self Management.

## Sayward Community Health Society Annual General Meeting

If you appreciate having primary healthcare available in our small community, please come out to the Sayward Community Health Society's AGM. All are welcome!

New and renewal memberships will be issued prior to the business portion of the meeting, which should be fairly brief.

The Health Society is responsible for maintaining the Sayward Primary Healthcare Clinic. Although the Clinic works in partnership with Island Health, it is not part of the Island Health system. It is only through the persistence and passion of local volunteers, donors, and supporters, who have worked hard to establish and maintain a Clinic in Sayward, that healthcare is available locally.

Membership keeps us strong and we look forward to your new and continued support.

## FREE Course on Choking and Basic First Aid for Young Families

FREE Course on Choking and Basic First Aid for Young Families with young children

**November 13<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30 to 11:30** -Choking and Basic First Aid

We are offering a 2 hour session on choking and basic first aid. There will be no certificate at end but you will learn basic skills. This will be held in the Children's Health Hub room at our local school. Please sign up by emailing [saywardnavigator@gmail.com](mailto:saywardnavigator@gmail.com) or call Ann on her cell at 250-203-8332

We will have FREE child care for your children. Please register as space is limited.



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### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD CANADA

- fill a shoe box with items for needy children  
in other countries and return by Nov. 12th.

Contact **Eve** at **282-3269** for a box and then  
return by Nov. 12th.



Some More SD channels will keep going off this  
month as well

If old SD Channels say No Subcrip. Watch in  
HD, push OK Button

New Channel line up should be ready at Sayward  
RV Resort, Coop Station and Swimming Pool

New Channels coming Like AMC  
HD and BC1 HD 24 hr news both in Basic

Thank You Ian and Larry  
250 287-4199 or [iclark@saywardvalley.net](mailto:iclark@saywardvalley.net)

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## Sayward Christian Fellowship



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point."*

Morning Service 11:00 AM

740 Gentry Rd.

Mark Johnson 250-282-3473

Bruce Fyfe 250-282-3301

Bible Study, Wednesday 7:00 pm

Contact Beth Johnson 250-282-3473

Everyone Welcome!

VANCOUVER ISLAND  
REGIONAL LIBRARY

Sept. 19 | Oct. 3, 17, 31 | Nov. 14, 28 | Dec. 12  
12-2PM | Sayward Library

# E-HELP

Call 250 285-2216 for an appointment

## THE SAYWARD LIBRARY

# FAMILY STORYTIME

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Sept. 19 | Oct. 3, 17, 31 | Nov. 14,  
28 | Dec. 12







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## SAYWARD TOUR DE ROCK 2018

We are still collecting bottles and cans for  
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You can drop off recycling at  
670 Kelsey Way (at back door) at any time.

If you need to have your recycling picked up  
please give us a call at 282-3210.

All our volunteers handling the recycling really  
appreciate it if you rinse your bottles & cans  
and remove the caps.

## THE FLU SEASON IS HERE FLU CLINIC INFORMATION

Protect yourself and your loved ones by getting  
a flu shot.

If you are eligible for a free flu shot, please  
bring your CareCard to the following local  
Influenza Clinic:

**Get a flu shot from your pharmacist or  
physician at your convenience**

visit [immunizebc.ca/clinics/flu/](http://immunizebc.ca/clinics/flu/)  
call HealthLink BC at 8-1-1

visit [islandhealth.ca/flu](http://islandhealth.ca/flu) to find out if you are  
eligible for a FREE flu shot

**Drop In Flu Clinic – Sayward Health Centre**  
**Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm**

If you are not eligible please contact your family  
physician or local pharmacy about vaccine  
availability and cost.



ImmunizeBC





KELSEY RECREATION CENTRE  
NOVEMBER SCHEDULE

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	WEDNESDAY		FRIDAY
7:30	<b>EVENTS:</b> Nov. 18: Stamp A Stack Nov. 20: Card Making Nov. 27: Baby Rag Quilt Class Dec. 4 Xmas Tag Class	EARLY BIRD SWIM 7:30-9:00	EARLY BIRD SWIM 7:30-9:00		EARLY BIRD SWIM 7:30-9:00
8:00		GYMNASIUM & WEIGHT ROOM 7:30-11:30	GYMNASIUM & WEIGHT ROOM 7:30-11:30		GYMNASIUM & WEIGHT ROOM 7:30-11:30
8:30					
9:00		AQUACISE 9:00-10:00	AQUACISE 9:00-10:00		AQUACISE 9:00-10:00
9:30					
10:00		OPEN SWIM 10:30-11:30	PARENT & TOT SWIM 10:15-11:00 OPEN SWIM 11:00 - 11:45		OPEN SWIM 10:30-11:30
10:30					
11:00	<b>AQUACISE: NOON -12:45 TOONIE SWIM 1:00-3:00PM</b>				
11:30					
12:00					
12:30					
1:00					
1:30		<b>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM 2:30-4:30 MOVING WET MONDAY (In the pool)</b>	<b>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM 2:30-4:30 WET WEDNESDAY (In the pool)</b>		<b>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM 2:30-4:30 FUNKY FRIDAY (weather permitting out doors)</b>
2:00					
2:30					
3:00					
3:30					
4:00		<b>AQUACISE 6:00-6:45 ZUMBA 6:00-7:00</b>	<b>AQUACISE 6:00-6:45 ZUMBA 6:00-7:00</b>		<b>GYMNASIUM 6:00-8:30</b>
4:30					
5:00					
6:00					
6:30					
7:00	<b>GYMNASIUM 7:30-8:30</b>	<b>GYMNASIUM 7:30-8:30</b>		<b>WEIGHT ROOM 6:00-8:30</b>	
7:30					
8:00					
8:30	<b>WEIGHT ROOM 6:00-8:30 PUBLIC SWIM 7:00-8:30</b>	<b>WEIGHT ROOM 6:00-8:30 PUBLIC SWIM 7:00-8:30</b>		<b>PUBLIC SWIM 600-8:00 TEEN SWIM 8:00-8:30</b>	
			SINGLE	10-PACK	MONTHLY
<b>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM</b>			5.00	50.00	NA
CHILD/YOUTH			2.75	24.75	33.00
ADULT			4.50	40.50	54.00
SENIOR			3.50	31.50	42.00
FAMILY (Immediate)			11.90	107.10	142.80
<b>Note:</b> Monday, Wednesday and Friday’s The Kelsey Centre front doors will be locked during the <b>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM</b> . Only Parents or Guardians are permitted to enter.					
<b>Reminder:</b> No School No <b>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM</b> .					
<b>CLOSURE: NOVEMBER 11 &amp; 12</b>					
<b>GYMNASIUM CLOSURE: OCT. 26 - NOV. 5. FOR HALLOWEEN CLEAN-UP.</b>					
<b>SPECIAL EVENT: FAMILY HOLIDAY PARTY DECEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup>, 2018. SAYWARD VILLAGE AND VALLEY RESIDENTS ONLY</b>					
The facility schedule is subject to change. For daily schedule please call 250-282-5500					



SAYWARD TOUR DE ROCK 2018  
THANK YOU!  
THANK YOU!

The Sayward Tour de Rock Committee would like to thank everyone who came out to support the riders at the potluck dinner. The food was amazing and plentiful!

We would like to thank the school and staff who allowed us to use the gym for the potluck dinner and breakfast. Thank you to the Kelsey Centre for the use of the Rec. Centre for sleeping accommodations, the use of the showers, sauna, and hot tub. Thank you to Kestrel Helicopters, Vancouver Island Air and Glenn Greensides for their donations that were used as our Raffle prizes. Thank you to Bud Logan, Sharon Whitehead, Margot Bowes, Home Hardware, Mid Island Co-op, JK's Local Meat Cave, Wei Wai Kum, Burdette Williams, and Fountain Tire for their generous donations of items for the silent auction. Thank You to the community of Sayward for the food and beds for the riders and support staff. **"Thank You"** to all of the volunteers. We could not have accomplished everything without your help. A special "Thank You" to Debra and Dene Rossouw for making special meals for a rider and a staff member of the ride.

Our donation to the Canadian Cancer Society this year is **\$16,250.00**. This money was raised through the Raffle, Silent Auction, 50/50, Bingo, Chili Cook-off, coin boxes, the bottle recycling that is done all year, and through cash donations.

WELL DONE SAYWARD!







On this gorgeous fall day, Mainroad reminds Vancouver Island motorists that it's time to Shift into Winter!

The Winter Driving Safety Alliance has launched the 2018 *Shift into Winter Campaign*—an annual road safety initiative focused on reducing the frequency and severity of winter weather-related vehicle crashes in BC. It encourages drivers and workplaces to be prepared for the winter season.

As a member of the Alliance, Mainroad, encourages motorists and residents to shift into winter driving mode and prepare for the upcoming season. **Don't wait until snow arrives.** Whether you're driving across town, or across the province, it's important that you and your vehicle are prepared for winter conditions.

**A few simple steps could make a difference to your safety:**

- **Know before you go.**  
First – do you really need to go? Check the current road and weather conditions on [DriveBC.ca](http://DriveBC.ca). Delay travel if conditions are unsafe.
- **Plan your route ahead of time.**  
Avoid any roads that may become dangerous during bad weather. If you have to travel:
  - o Give yourself extra time to get to your destination to avoid rushing.
  - o Select the safest route.
  - o Have an emergency plan so if you get stuck, you are prepared. Stay with your vehicle for safety.
- **Slow down.**  
During winter, road conditions change fast, and so should your speed. The posted speed limit is the maximum speed under ideal driving conditions, so when the snow hits, you should slow down and drive with care. Even the most experienced drivers cannot predict how their vehicle will react in snow or on ice.
- **Prepare your vehicle for winter weather.** Install a set of four matched winter tires and keep an emergency kit in your vehicle. Every year, be sure to give your vehicle a pre-season maintenance check-up.
- **Know how to drive for the conditions before you get behind the wheel.**  
Don't learn by accident. Winter road conditions vary around the province and can change quickly. You should:
  - o **Always maintain a safe following distance** — at least four seconds. It takes longer to stop on a slippery road.
  - o Drop your speed to match road conditions. The posted speed is the maximum speed under ideal conditions.
  - o Learn or be trained in winter driving skills.

For more information on what you can do to stay safe when driving this winter, visit [ShiftIntoWinter.ca](http://ShiftIntoWinter.ca).

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Winter road conditions can change quickly. So should your speed. Slow down. More info at [ShiftIntoWinter.ca](http://ShiftIntoWinter.ca).



CONDITIONS CHANGE.  
SO SHOULD YOUR SPEED.  
Slow down.



[ShiftIntoWinter.ca](http://ShiftIntoWinter.ca) #ShiftIntoWinter DriveBC.ca

**The Kelsey Centre**  
DEC 4TH

**CHRISTMAS TAG CLASS**

Come on out and make your own Christmas tags. The option will be to make 15 or 30 tags. (5 different designs as shown in photo)  
All supplies provided.  
Date: Dec., 4th, 2018  
Time: 7pm-9pm  
Cost: 15 tags for \$25  
30tags for \$45

Pre-registration is required in order to have enough supplies.  
Pre-registration deadline: Dec. Nov. 20  
Please register by email to:  
[papercraftingwithtracey@gmail.com](mailto:papercraftingwithtracey@gmail.com)

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## BABY RAG QUILT CLASS

Have you ever wanted to make a quilt but were too intimidated to try. Then this is the course for you. The design is very forgiving and very easy to follow. Once you learn the technique, you can adapt it to make any size quilt. This quilt comes together very quickly and you will have most of it completed during class. You have 2 options for material—purchase your own or come to the information night and purchase your pre-cut fabric, available from the instructor. You must have your own sewing machine (in good working order), thread and tools.

Information Night Date: Sun., Nov. 25  
Time: 7pm

Class Night Date: Tues., Nov. 27  
Time: 6:30pm–9pm

Cost: \$20. Material purchased separately.

For more information, please email  
[papercraftingwithtracey@gmail.com](mailto:papercraftingwithtracey@gmail.com)

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## Cardmaking Technique Class

Once a month, there will be a class to demonstrate new techniques with cardmaking. All supplies provided. Projects will vary, depending on the technique being demonstrated.



**\$10**



Date: Tues., Nov. 20, 2018

Time: 7pm

Place: Kelsey Centre

Please register by Fri. Nov. 16, 2018  
[papercraftingwithtracey@gmail.com](mailto:papercraftingwithtracey@gmail.com)

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## STAMP A STACK

Come on out for an afternoon of fun and creativity making Christmas Cards. There will be 2 options this year. You can make 12 or 24 cards. Each will have 6 different designs and you will make either 2 or 4 of each design. You must provide your own adhesive tape - available for purchase at the class as well. All other supplies provided.



Date: Sunday, November 18, 2018

Time: 1:30 pm until finished

Place: Kelsey Centre

Cost: 12 cards \$30.00 24 cards \$50.00

Registration must be made in advanced in order to ensure enough supplies are available. This course requires a lot of preparation work from the instructor.

Registration Deadline: November 8, 2018

email; [papercraftingwithtracey@gmail.com](mailto:papercraftingwithtracey@gmail.com)

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## November 2018 Sayward Children's Health Hub activities for parents & tots.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat.
For more information please contact Sayward Children's Health Hub.	<a href="mailto:saywardfamilynavigator@gmail.com">saywardfamilynavigator@gmail.com</a> 250-203-8332			Family Gym 9:30 - 11, Hub open 10 - 1	Closed	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Strong Start 8:45 - 11:45, Hub 10 - 1	Car Seat Clinic 9 - 11:30, Strong Start 8:45 - 11:45, Hub 10 - 1	NEW - Puss & Boots Parents & Tots Drop in 10 - 1, Parent & tot swim 10:15 - 11	Family Gym 9:30 - 11, Hub open 10 - 1	Closed	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Rememberence Day	Closed	Choking and Basic First Aid 9:30am to 11:30 am	HUB CLOSED, Parent & tot swim 10:15 - 11	HUB CLOSED, Family Gym 9:30 - 11	Closed	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	Strong Start 8:45 - 11:45, Hub 10 - 1	Strong Start 8:45 - 11:45, Hub 10 - 1	National Child Day at the Hub with the VIRT! Storytime & snacks at 10 am. Parent & tot swim 10:15 - 11	Family Gym 9:30 - 11, Hub 10 - 1	Closed	
25	26	27	28	29	30	
	Strong Start 8:45 - 11:45, Hub 10 - 1	Strong Start 8:45 - 11:45, Hub 10 - 1	NEW -Puss & Boots Parents & Tots Drop in 10 - 1, Parent & tot swim 10:15 - 11	Family Gym 9:30 - 11, Hub 10 - 1	Closed	



## Volunteers Wanted

The Sayward Tourism Committee is forming a technical support committee to assist the Tourism committee and local operators with photographic, video and computer applications. Enhancement of the Sayward Tourism web site and mail merge letter distribution are two of the important tasks. Skills needed are photography, video shooting and editing, spreadsheet, mail merge, and general computer skills. This position could be very rewarding for the right person(s) and an opportunity to work along side some really fine people.

Please contact Bob Sampson 250 282-0134.



## Sayward Futures Society

### November 2018 Report

Beautiful October weather has drawn visitors to the wharf to enjoy the stunning and ever-changing views. The sound of whales and sea lions can be heard over the still water, if you are lucky enough to be there when they feed and play in the bay.

The Finger Dock remains temporarily closed to the public.

Repairs have been made to the sliding mechanism of the metal ramp access. Rotten decking has been replaced and the deck nails have been reset. Thanks to Mike Milton, who has been diligently making the repairs.

AllPen Diving installed 15 flotation billets under the dock which lifted it 15-20 inches safely above the waterline. They installed new tire bumpers and still have more to come. Thank you to Jonathon Brown and his crew for refloating the dock before winter sets in.

There are additional repairs required to the wooden structure, and these are on-going. A locked gate will be installed at the top of the ramp so that only users authorized to access the finger dock can do so.

We hope that the dock will be open to the public by Spring 2019. In the meantime, please respect the "No Trespassing" signs for your own safety.

A major concern is the number of people who disregard the "NO SMOKING" signage. We hope the wharf will be here for everyone to enjoy, so please do not smoke at or on the wharf.

Sue Poulsen

Chair, SFS

## Sayward Children's Health Hub

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## Sayward Children's Health Hub

Many have asked what the Hub is. At the Hub you will find information about services for children in our area. Our Navigator can help you find answers to your questions or direct you to someone who can help!

Hub is open Monday through Thursday 10 am to 1 pm

Drop in for a tea or coffee. We have books and play area for your little ones.



Monday and Thursday

10 am to 12 noon

At the Sayward School!

Drop in for a coffee and let us know if we can help you with your literacy needs!

**Struggling with your computer drop in!**

**Need a book? Lots of free books for all ages!! Come down and check out our selection!**

If you need help give either one of us a call!

Jan Bakker at [bokkie.bakker@gmail.com](mailto:bokkie.bakker@gmail.com) 250-282-3851 or  
Ann Vansnick at [annvansnick3@gmail.com](mailto:annvansnick3@gmail.com) 250-282-3450

**CLASS WILL BE CLOSED NOVEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup>**





## Garden Club News

### **Herb Talk in November**

Weeks of sunny weather makes gardeners smile. Even digging out the "persistent" weeds can be satisfying. Some like buttercup can be composted but others have to be burned. Grasses with long long, tough roots (rhizomes) like couch grass can be tilled and raked out with a big rake or fork. But horse tail have long, easily broken roots and have to be removed by hand with careful digging followed by tilling, raking and burning. When the cover crop is seeded and tilled the garden is ready for the spring.

An alternative to winter cover crops is mulching. Grass clippings and fallen leaves from alder and maple can be spread on the planting bed. In the spring the mulch can be pulled aside to allow the sun to warm the soil and replaced around transplanted vegetables like lettuce and broccoli to suppress new weeds.

The club enjoyed our harvest pot luck dinner in October. Featuring dishes from our gardens, there were unique taste treats. As usual our round table discussion shared what we had been doing in our gardens and discussed experiences and questions. If you are fairly new to gardening, there are lots of interesting bits of information that go by and even the old hands usually pick up something new at every meeting. We have no membership fee and we always welcome new faces.

### **Bob Sampson on Herbs**

At our November 8th meeting we will be focusing on the growing and uses of herbs. Bob Sampson has been cultivating herbs for years and has dozens of different varieties growing at home. Bob's whimsical sense of humor adds herbal spice to his presentation. Discussion may also include members' experiences with various herbal preparations and correct identification of herbs. This will be an interesting evening. That's the second Thursday of the month at the Heritage Hall at 7:00.

Hope to see you there.



## Secret Santa

Every year Secret Santa, with the help of many in our community provides Christmas Hampers and gifts to families in the Village and Valley that could use a bit of help to make Christmas a joy filled holiday. Last year we were able to provide hampers and gifts to approximately 25 families and we expect the number to increase this year.

All donations of cash, toys or food would be greatly appreciated.

If you know members of our community that could use a bit of help this year, please forward a list of the **addresses, names** of the family members and **ages of the children** to:

Or if you are able to contribute to this worthy cause, please contact:

**Secret Santa's Headquarters** C/O the Village Office, 652 H'Kusam Way

**250-282-5512** email: [village@saywardvalley.ca](mailto:village@saywardvalley.ca)

Tessa: **250-282-5564** email: [tmballentine@hotmail.com](mailto:tmballentine@hotmail.com)

All information provided will be kept confidential. All donations are appreciated to the above address.

We appreciate your help in working toward a Merry Christmas for all.

Sincerely, Secret Santa and his Elves

### **PAC 2018 GIANT STOCKING RAFFLE**



Watch for ticket sales starting soon  
The draw will be at the Sayward School  
Christmas concert on **December 20th**  
This years stocking will be the best one in  
recent years!!!

### **IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN**



**SAYWARD SCHOOL PAC**

**POINSETTIA FUNDRAISER**

**Nov 16 deadline**

Contact school for order form. Delivery,  
**November 28.** Please make cheques payable to  
Sayward School PAC, you can drop payment off  
to Debbie Coates at Sayward Elementary  
School office.





## Sayward Age Friendly Van

### November 2018 Schedule

**NEW AGE 19+**

**This Service is Funded By Donations**

MONDAY 5, 12, 19, 26	TUESDAY 6, 13, 20, 27	THURSDAY 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
Sayward Clinic 9am-12pm	Kelsey Centre 9am-12pm	Kelsey Centre 9am-12pm

**Friday, November 16, 2018**

**Wednesday, November 28, 2018**

**Shopping in Campbell River**  
We leave for town approximately 9 am

**Wednesday, November 7, 2018**

**Shopping in Naniamo**  
We leave for town approximately 7:30 am  
Please register before Sunday November 4, 2018

Please phone the day before by noon

Clinic days the Friday before noon

For more Info:

Contact: Darlene 250-282-5500 or Diane 250-282-3760 email: [kelseycentre@saywardvalley.ca](mailto:kelseycentre@saywardvalley.ca)



### AGE FRIENDLY COORDINATOR

We are excited to introduce Andrea Cleland to the position of Age Friendly Coordinator. Her role is to help with organizing different age friendly events that keep our community healthy and vibrant regardless of age. She will be continuing the Golden Goodies Program and will hopefully be able to add more events to the schedule come the new year. If you have any comments, suggestions or words of wisdom please feel free to contact her @ 250-282-5500 or [55plus@saywardvalley.net](mailto:55plus@saywardvalley.net)



### Mayors Update Oct 2018

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate everyone elected as Councillors in the 2018 General Local Election. Joyce Ellis and Norm Kirschner were re-elected, and our new Councillors are Bill (William) Ives and Wesley Cragg. Elected Councillors: now is the time when you will have to put your nose to the grindstone. No sooner have you been elected than you must begin the budget process. You will also be spending time reading the Community Charter and the Local Government Act. With this homework completed, you will be one step up with knowledge when the newly/re-elected forum is held in February. Again, congratulations and I look forward to working with you for the next four years. It will be an exciting time as we all work together.

Members of the community have an open invitation to attend our inaugural meeting on 06 Nov 18 at 7:00 p.m. Following the meeting there will be a short reception where we will be thanking Diane Mason and Janett Hoare for their years of service to the community. Diane and Janett have been steadfast members of council; I and the Village appreciate all the hard work and long hours they have put into their council duties. We often forget that the Councillor role, although an elected position, is generally considered a voluntary commitment to the Village.

Currently at Council we are reviewing our bylaws, hopefully by time you read this edition of the Sayward News there will be three bylaws adopted: the first being Bylaw 417, 2018 Public Nuisance Bylaw, second being bylaw 420, 2018 Firearms Regulation Bylaw and the third is bylaw 421, Parks Control Bylaw. I would encourage every constituent in the village to read these bylaws, once adopted they will be posted to our website.

On the horizon, Council will be doing a series of meetings for budget discussions. The dates and times for each meeting will be posted to our website and on notice boards in the community. I encourage constituents to attend these budget meetings, there will be one meeting set and designated for public input with a Q&A session.

You will likely have seen Public Works staff in their new vehicle, a Toyota Tundra. I was asked this morning by a member of the community how we could afford a new vehicle, and my answer is that this has been in the budget for the past two years and the cost of the vehicle was taken from the public works budget, plus water and sewer surpluses. This is one of the few times when we can legally use water and sewer surpluses.

A quick reminder that we encourage the public to attend council meetings, there is a Q&A at the beginning of every meeting where you may ask a question about anything and at the end of the meeting there is a Q&A where only items on the agenda may be discussed.

#### Village Projects

Water treatment plant - contract issued, in initial prefabrication stage, meeting contract times

Dam decommissioning - engineer is sending out RFP calling for tenders

Walking Waterfront Trail - contract issued, work to start in near future

Sayward Mall – No progress to date

Library – Engineers have inspected new site south of Kelsey Centre - all approved.

Signage – VIRL to move sign to new site.

Kelsey Centre – up and running for the season, what a great haunted house this year!

John MacDonald

Mayor

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