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SAYWARD NEWS

November 2023

Special Features Inside this Issue:

- Nov 1, 15 & 29 Senior Luncheons
- Nov 12: Valdy Plays at the Kelsey Centre
- Nov 18: Sayward School Bingo & Bake Sale
- Nov 21: Island Health Immunization Clinic
- Nov 25: 53rd Annual Winter Fair
- Nov 28: 50+ 50's Dance & Social

The Kelsey Centre is now open Sundays, check out the new schedule



The Strathcona Regional District Regional Board Meetings for the year 2023 will be held at **12:30 PM** on the following dates:

January	Wednesday	11, 25
February	Wednesday	8, 22
March	Wednesday	15, 29
April	Wednesday	12, 26
May	Wednesday	10, 24
June	Wednesday	14, 28
July	Wednesday	19
August	Wednesday	16
September	Wednesday	13
October	Wednesday	11, 25
November	Wednesday	8, 22
December	Wednesday	13* @2pm

Strathcona Regional District Board and Committee meetings are livestreamed and can be viewed in real time on the **Strathcona Regional District YouTube Channel**.

Elected Officials of the SRD

Area A Director

Gerald Whalley (250) 282-3787 gwhalley@srd.ca

Board of Directors Chair:

Mark Baker (250) 203-5428 mbaker@srd.ca

Board of Directors Vice-Chair:

Ron Kerr (250-)286-5708 rkerr@srd.ca

Village of Sayward

PO Box 29, 652 H'Kusam Way, Sayward B.C. V0P 1R0

Office hours: 9:00am-4:00pm (closed 12-1pm for lunch and Statutory Holidays)

Phone: 250-282-5512 Email: village@saywardvalley.ca

Website: www.sayward.ca

Strathcona Regional District

990 Cedar Street, Campbell River, B.C. V9W 7Z8

Office Hours: 8:30am-4:30pm (closed Statutory Holidays)

Phone: 250-830-6700 Email: info@srd.ca

Website: www.srd.ca



Village of
Sayward

The Village of Sayward Regular Council Meetings for the year 2023 will held in Council Chambers at **7:00 PM** on the following dates:

January	Tuesday	3, 24
February	Tuesday	7, 21
March	Tuesday	21
April	Tuesday	4, 18
May	Tuesday	2, 16
June	Tuesday	6, 20
July	Tuesday	18
August	Tuesday	15
September	Tuesday	5
October	Tuesday	3, 17
November	Tuesday	21
*November 7 Council meeting cancelled		
December	Tuesday	5, 19

Request virtual attendance through a **Teams Meeting** link by emailing the village office at village@saywardvalley.ca

Elected Officials of the Village of Sayward

Mayor:

Mark Baker (250) 203-5428 mark.baker@saywardvalley.ca

Councillor:

Scott Burchett (604) 818-5558 scott.burchett@saywardvalley.ca
Kohen Gilkin (250) 201-1064 kohen.gilkin@saywardvalley.ca
Sue Poulsen (250) 282-0184 sue.poulsen@saywardvalley.ca
Tom Tinsley (250) 898-7067 tom.tinsley@saywardvalley.ca

Trustee:

Shannon Briggs (250) 282-3364
shannon.briggs@sd72.bc.ca



Provincial Government Member of Legislative Assembly:

Michele Babchuk 1-866-387-5100 or (250) 287-5100

Federal Government Member of Parliament:

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



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WINTER IS COMING

Your Public Works department strives to keep our roads clear of ice and snow every winter. To assist us in making our roads safe for you, Council is asking residents to remove from Village boulevards all trailers, boats, recreational vehicles, rocks, wood piles, or any other items that may get in the way of snow removal. For the purpose of snow removal, the boulevard is considered the paved portion of the roadway plus a 12-foot shoulder on either side of the paved portion. These items are asked to be moved and kept off boulevards between the following dates:

November 15th to March 15th



DO NOT park any vehicles on boulevards during snow events. This will allow the Public Works department to clear roads efficiently and safely.



On garbage day, ensure all garbage cans are off the roadway. Please keep all bins in your driveway, walkway, or on the boulevard shoulder as far back from the road as possible.



When clearing snow from your driveway, please place snow on your property or boulevard shoulder area. Placing snow on the paved roadway obstructs traffic and makes travel unsafe.

Council and Village crews appreciate the effort put in by all residents to keep the boulevards clear and safe. Thank you for preparing for the winter season now.

If you have any concerns regarding items on the boulevard, please contact the Chief Administrative Officer by e-mail cao@saywardvalley.ca



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ITS THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN!

Every year Secret Santa, with the help of many in our community, provides Christmas hampers and gifts to families in the Village and Valley who could use a bit of help to make Christmas a joy filled holiday.

Last year, we were able to provide hampers and gifts to approx.: 35 families and we expect the number to increase this year.

If you know of members in our community that could use a bit of help this year, please forward the **address, names** of the family members and **ages of the children** and any **special dietary needs** to the address below. Donations will be gratefully accepted until December 10, 2023.

All donations of cash, toys and food are always greatly appreciated. If you are able to contribute to this worthy cause, please contact :

Debbie Grill @ 250-895-4500 or dbbgrill@gmail.com
Donations are also accepted at the Village of Sayward office.

All information will be kept strictly confidential.

We appreciate your help in working towards a Merry Christmas for all. Sincerely, Secret Santa and his Elves.

The bursary committee

is happy to announce that Taylor Pringle will receive the bursary award this year.



The Sayward Community Bursary committee would like to extend a big thank you to the following donors for making it possible to help Taylor further her education

Walter and Eve Hrybko
Harvey and Karen Henderson
Tom and Karen Tinsley
Trophy West Guide Outfitters
Paul Stanke and Michelle Smith
Sayward Fish and Game
Bill and Marilyn Barry
Anonymous Donor

A message
from
Taylor

Thank you everyone who contributed to the bursary and choosing me as the recipient. I'm currently enrolled in the bachelor of arts for criminology program at Vancouver Island University. After obtaining my degree I plan to become a police officer, first in the military and then in civilian life. I have lived in Sayward since I was a baby, along with my parents, brother and sister. I'd like to thank everyone who has supported me in the community, it truly does take a Village to raise a child

- Taylor Pringle



On behalf of the Sayward Tour de Rock I would like to thank all of the Volunteers who helped with setting up for the Potluck and all of the people that donated food for the Potluck Dinner and the Riders' Breakfast. Thank you to the people who donated their crafts to our Silent Auction. Thank you to everyone that came to the Potluck Dinner and donated to the Tour de Rock Ride to "Help the Kids".

We raised **\$8664.55.**

THANK YOU SAYWARD YOU ROCK!

Joyce Ellis

Sayward Tour de Rock Committee

Sayward Christian



Jesus said, "In everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets."

Morning Service 11:00 AM
740 Gentry Rd.

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

Everyone Welcome!

Local Organization Information

AA Meetings: 250-282-0030

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

Heritage Hall: 250-282-0192

heritagehall@saywardvalley.net

Kelsey Centre: 250-282-5500

kelseycentre@saywardvalley.ca

Mainroad Contracting: 1-877-215-7122 Available 24/7

Ocean View Gifts & Gallery: 250-282-0018

info@saywardfutures.ca

Royal Canadian Legion Branch #147: 250-895-4500

President - Debbie Grill

Saturday Farmer's Market: 250-282-3242 Barb

10:00am to 1:00pm Saturdays at Heritage Hall

Sayward Burial Park: 250-282-5512

Sayward Bursary: 250-282-3465 Marilyn Barry

Sayward Christian Fellowship: 740 Gentry Road

Sunday Service at 11:00am

250-282-3301 Bruce Fyfe

250-282-3473 Mark Johnson

Everyone Welcome!

Sayward Community Health Society: 250-850-7144

Charon Risdale: charonrids@gmail.com

Meets - 6:30pm - 2nd Monday each month

Sayward Fish & Game

Meets - 7:30pm - last Wednesday of each month
at Heritage Hall

Sayward Valley Folk Music Society: 250-282-0134

Bob Sampson rsampson@saywardvalley.net

Sayward Futures Society: 250-282-0018

info@saywardfutures.ca

Sayward Food Centre: 250-282-0018

info@saywardfutures.ca

Sayward Garden Club: 250-282-3799 Alex Turner

Meets - 7:00pm - 2nd Thursday each month at Heritage Hall

Sayward Harbour Authority

250-282-0178 Colin Read Executive Director

250-201-0612 Wharfinger Hans Hoepfner

Meets - 9:30am - Last Sunday each month at Harbour Office

Sayward Health Clinic: 250-282-3815

Sayward Literacy Now

250-282-3851 Jan Bakker: bokkie.bakker@gmail.com

250-282-3450 Ann Vansnick: annv@saywardvalley.net

Sayward Post Office: 250-282-3223

Monday - Friday: 9:00am-5:00pm

Saturday: 8:30am-12:30pm

St. Bernadette's Catholic Church: 963 Despina Road

Sunday Service at 11 am (3rd Sunday at 3:00pm)

VI Regional Library: 250-282-5551

Monday: Closed

Tuesday - Wednesday: 10:00am to 8:00pm

Thursday - Saturday: 10:00am to 2:00pm

Sunday: 12:00pm to 4:00pm

In case of emergency – call 911

Local Emergency Services Contact information for

Non-Emergencies:



Sayward RCMP

250-282-5522



Sayward Volunteer Fire Department

250-282-5505 svfd@saywardvalley.ca



Sayward Ambulance Station:

250-282-3600



**Sayward Emergency Program
Emergency Program Coordinator:**

Tom Tinsley 250-898-7067

epc@saywardvalley.ca



**SRD Emergency Preparedness Program
Protective Services Coordinator:**

Shaun Koopman 250-830-6702

preparedness@srd.ca



Emergency Phone Notification System

The Village of Sayward in conjunction with the Strathcona Regional District uses **Alertable** as our public emergency mass notification service.

Alertable can notify residents, visitors, and businesses of emergencies in a timely manner to people who subscribe to receive these alerts. It can also be used to notify residents of other non-emergency items such as scheduled road closures, power outages, water and sewer alerts, and much more. This service is free.

The system is compatible with mobile phones, tablets, computers or smart speakers. It can also send alerts via text message, voice calls to land lines, and e-mail.

The link to **sign up** for this system is located on the Village website here: <https://www.sayward.ca/municipal-services/emergency-services/alertsnotifications>



Village of
Sayward





Village of
Sayward

Emergency Preparedness Corner



Fall into Fall and take care of it All !

Some seasonal change preparation items or points for your consideration in no priority order –

1. Have salt or de-icing materials available for potential snow and don't forget that shovel.
2. Clear leaves or snow from your municipal drains when possible.
3. Ensure you have winter tires or chains for your vehicle for our north of Campbell River highways.
4. Get to know your neighbors so you can provide reciprocal help in an emergency if needed.
5. Stock up on non-perishable foods as well as fresh water in case of an emergency of any kind.
6. Drink lots of water and take your time if shoveling snow to avoid health risks.
7. Keep all battery charged items fully charged.
8. Refill vehicle gas tanks or charges when they are half full.
9. Know where your first aid kit is and that it is up to date.
10. Have weather appropriate clothes at the ready wherever you are.

Other emergency preparedness items –

- **More Emergency Social Service (ESS) Volunteers still needed and one Director Position is now open.** – To learn more about this valuable opportunity to help your community, email your Emergency Program Coordinator at epc@saywardvalley.ca and I will email you a PowerPoint presentation with more information for your potential consideration of this opportunity.
- Your EPC (Emergency Program Coordinator) is considering the benefits of the Neighborhood Emergency Preparedness Program (NEPP) for our community and in coordination with the SRD and will provide more information as the assessment continues.
- **Sayward Walkie Talkie Wednesday** – 6:30PM to 7:00PM each Wednesday, continue to test your radio on channel 4 in that time slot and see who you can connect with.
- Remember that Prepared BC and Emergency Management Climate Response (EMCR) web sites have lots of information to help you in your own personal responsibility for emergency preparedness.

Go forth and Stand Tall in the Fall and cover it All !

Stay safe and prepared!

If you would like to learn more about ESS please contact your Emergency Program Coordinator (EPC),
Tom Tinsley, at 250-898-7067



**The Sayward Volunteer Fire
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APPLICATIONS FOR RECRUITMENT.**



You must be:

Living in the Sayward District Fire protection area, team oriented, healthy/physically fit, and of good character (RCMP security check required).

We offer:

Involvement in community activities ranging from fire fighting, rescues, first responder medical service, to public education events. Paid training is provided.

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For more information, or to apply please contact the Sayward Volunteer Fire Department @ 250-282-5505 or svfd@saywardvalley.ca or come to our weekly meetings every Monday @ Fire Hall #1 - 7:00pm



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Sayward Literacy Now 2023

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Ann Vansnick at
annvansnick3@gmail.com
250-282-3450


BRITISH COLUMBIA/YUKON COMMAND

Join us at the Sayward Royal Canadian Legion #147,
699 Sayward Road for BINGO:


1:00 pm Sunday, November 12
1:00 pm Sunday, November 26



Clinic Corner News

There are two health events happening in November – The COVID/Flu shot clinic and the Mobile Hearing Testing Clinic. Please refer to the individual posters for each clinic. You are required to sign up. Drop ins are not accepted. Phone numbers are available on each of the posters for sign up.

Did you know that Fortis BC and BC Hydro have teamed up to provide low income families with Energy Conservation Assistance Program. You can find more information at <https://www.bchydro.com/powersmart/residential/rebates-programs/savings-based-on-income/free-product-install-and-advice.html> Portable Air Conditioners, LED light bulbs and night light, High-efficiency showerheads, Faucet aerators, Door weather stripping, Insulating wrap for hot water pipes, Clothes drying rack, Carbon monoxide detectors, ENERGY STAR® fridge replacement, Insulation in walls, attic, or crawlspace are part of the program, so now is the time to check it out and apply if you qualify.



November 2023

Clinic Phone (250) 282-3815
Fax (250) 282-0040



Public Health Nurse 250-850-2110 press 1
Please call the above provider directly to book

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
	NP Tracey 9-5 Labs 9-11:30	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-5 Seniors Lunch at Kelsey Centre	NP Tracey 9-4	CLINIC CLOSED	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	NP Tracey 9-5 Labs 9-11:30	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-4	CLINIC CLOSED	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Clinic Closed Remembrance Day	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-5 Seniors Lunch at Kelsey Centre	NP Tracey 9-4	CLINIC CLOSED	
19	20	21	22	23	24	5
	NP Tracey 9-5 Labs 9-11:30 Mobile Hearing Testing- Call Clinic to Book	NP Tracey 9-5 Covid/Flu Vaccine Clinic at Kelsey Centre Call 1 833 838-2323 to book.	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-4	CLINIC CLOSED	
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
	NP Tracey 9-5 Labs 9-11:30	NP Tracey 9-5	NP Tracey 9-5 Seniors Lunch at Kelsey Centre	NP Tracey 9-4	CLINIC CLOSED	

This Schedule is subject to change...

Masks are once again mandatory at Island Health Sites

Merville Mennonite Church

Invites you to join us for a

Sing-Along

Location: Sayward Heritage Hall

1257 Sayward rd.

October 8, 2023

4:00-5:00 pm.

Refreshments served afterwards

For inquiries contact : Nevin Zimmerman

250-201-1889

Sayward Valley Folk Music Society News



Village of
Sayward

On November 12th SVFMS in collaboration with Sayward Futures and the Village of Sayward is pleased to have Valdy return to our stage to close our 2023 concert season. Valdy opened our third season in 2020 so we have invited him back for this special concert. Everyone is invited to attend and to enjoy the music of one of Canada's most beloved performers. Admission to this concert is \$25 per person. **The concert begins at 7:00, Doors open at 6:30 Children 16 and under are free when accompanied by an adult.**



Tickets are available at the Fisherboy Store, the Village Office, and Music Plant in Campbell River. As always children under 16 are admitted free when accompanied by an adult.

We would like to thank those who have attended our concerts and shown continued support for the work that we do to put these shows together. This includes our volunteers and the Sayward Village Council, without whom these events would not be possible.

We will be taking a break for the month of December but will be back in January.

Our first concert of 2024 will be January 14

If anyone has questions regarding our upcoming concerts, if you wish to become a volunteer or would like to host our future performers, please let me know.

Bob Sampson 250 282-0134

Senior's Luncheon



12:00 - 1:00pm

Come enjoy a social gathering at the Kelsey Centre. Lunch, dessert and refreshments provided. This is a free event.

Rides available upon request.

652 H'Kusam Way
Sayward, BC
Phone: 250-282-5500

May 24th

Will be our Last Luncheon

Thank you to all volunteers who put their time and effort into making this event special for our seniors.



Village of Sayward 2023

Dog Licences have arrived!

Neutered/ Spayed Dog Licences: \$20.00
Unneutered/Unspayed Dog Licences: \$30.00



Purchase from the Village Office
Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm
(closed 12pm-1pm for lunch)
Cash, Debit or E-Transfer accepted

Deck the Hall for the Holidays - Fri. Nov. 17

Starts at 10am and finishes when done! We will be decorating hall inside and out for our upcoming events making our hall festive inside and out! Bring your ladders, cedar boughs, staplers, etc.!

A light lunch provided!!

53rd Winter Fair – Sat. Nov. 25th

3pm to 7 pm

Table rentals \$10. Call hall to rent a table. We have outside and inside tables.

Admission is a donation of cash to SCRA or a non perishable food item for Secret Santa Hampers!

Seniors Christmas Dinner – Mon. Dec 4th

at 3 pm

Must be 65 (Spouse/Partner under 65 welcome) Preregister by November 21st

Home deliveries will be available for ones unable to attend.

Call hall 250-282-0192 to register!

Donations of door prizes are welcome and money for purchasing food. If you are willing to volunteer please contact Ann 250-282-3450. We need help setting up, prepping food, cooking, serving, cleaning up, delivery etc.

Sayward Helping Hands

What do you like to do? Sew, Crochet, Knit or? Come down to the Heritage Hall 1257 Sayward Rd. Every Tuesday from 10 am to 2pm Share your knowledge with others. Bring your lunch!

SCRA – Heritage Hall Happenings

1257 Sayward Rd

250-282-0192

[heritagehall-
scra@gmail.com](mailto:heritagehall-scra@gmail.com)
(NEW EMAIL)

Monthly Meeting
Tuesday Nov. 14 at
7 pm.

(New date and time)

All Welcome

Sayward Families and Children Connect

For young children and their parents and caregivers.

This friendly drop-in program is free and fun!

Join Ann at the Heritage Hall, 1257 Sayward Road.

Family activities with a light lunch provided.



November Schedule:

Saturday, November 4th from 11:00am – 2:00pm

Monday, November 6th Mini Health Fair: 11:00am – 2:00pm

Saturday, November 18th from 11:00am to 2:00pm

There will not be sessions on November 11th (Remembrance Day and November 25th (Community Winter Fair)



For more information contact Ann Vansnick

saywardfamilynavigator@gmail.com or phone/text 250-203-8332

Children must be accompanied by an adult.

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Sayward Families and Children Connect

For young children and their parents and caregivers.

Mini Health Fair Event on Monday November 6th

Drop in anytime from 11:00am to 2:00pm at the Heritage Hall,
1257 Sayward Road.



Join us and meet health providers.

Find out more about available health services and resources.

Enjoy lunch, snacks, and crafts. Plus, door prizes!



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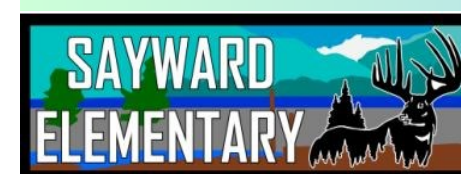
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November 2023

Notes

- 1st~Student Led Conference day, no classes
- 9th~ PAC meeting 2:45pm
- 11th~ Remembrance Day
- 13th~ Statutory Holiday for Remembrance Day, No School
- 18th~ PAC hosting BINGO/bake sale and 50/50 draw 12-3pm @school
- 25th~ Winter Fair @ Heritage Hall! Come buy your Giant stocking tickets! Fair runs 3-7pm
- 29th~Field trip to Ripple Rock School for cultural performance



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THE SAYWARD SCHOOL PAC

is proud to announce the 49th annual Giant Stocking Christmas Raffle

DRAWING DECEMBER 19TH AT 1:00PM AT THE SCHOOL

TWO GRAND PRIZES OVER \$1000.00 EACH

Prizes - projector, patio heater & so much more!

3 FOR \$5.00 OR 1 FOR \$2.00

BOOK OF 6 FOR \$10.00

*Ways to
buy or
donate...*

SCHOOL OFFICE, PAC MEMBERS, PAC EVENTS, WINTER FAIR,

SAYWARD VALLEY RESORT, LIBRARY & KELSEY CENTRE

THE SAYWARD SCHOOL PAC PRESENTS FALL BINGO And Bake Sale

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH
12 PM - 3 PM
IN THE SCHOOL LIBRARY

JOIN US FOR SOME WARM SOUP, BAKED GOODS, AND 19+ BINGO! AGES 5+ ARE WELCOME TO PLAY IN THE GYM WITH OUR CHAPERONES. BAKED GOODS DONATIONS ARE WELCOME.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

SAYWARD SCHOOL PAC ONGOING BOTTLE COLLECTION

DROP OFF REFUNDABLE PRODUCTS AT THE SCHOOL

PROCEEDS HELP FUND STUDENTS HOT LUNCH, FIELD TRIPS & SPECIAL EVENTS.
THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!
DONATIONS CAN ALSO BE MADE AT CAMPBELL RIVER ISLAND RETURN IT DEPOT TO THE SAYWARD SCHOOL PAC ACCOUNT



SAYWARD FUTURES SOCIETY
Our Community, Our Future

OCEANVIEW GALLERY & CAFE

CHRISTMAS *SALE*

Saturday, December 2, 2023
10:00am to 4:00pm

SAYWARD FOOD PROGRAM

The astronomical rise in the cost of living is having a terrible impact. If you or someone you know is experiencing food insecurity, please register for our monthly food program with the Sayward Health Clinic ~ 250.282.3815 or the Sayward Ambulance ~ 250.230.4501.

In addition, we would like to gratefully acknowledge the Heritage Hall board of directors as they have graciously opened their doors to the Sayward Futures Society volunteers in order to accommodate the sorting and distribution of our monthly food boxes — thank you!

Garden Club News



Gardeners are winterizing their gardens by mulching to protect perennial plants from the freezing temperatures that we will soon experience. Leaves, sawdust, wood chips and cardboard are all useful as mulch. Many of us are turning toward a permaculture approach to growing. This involves applying compost and mulch in a permanent layer and planting through this layer or by moving the mulch aside to plant crops like carrots. Permaculture has the advantage of not disturbing the micro-organisms that are part of natural soil fertility as well as reducing the necessity to kill weeds.

The Garden Club met on October 12 and held a lively discussion of various methods of preserving food. In the Fall gardeners are faced with a temporary abundance and need to employ various methods to store food for the winter. As we looked at drying, freezing, canning, pressure canning, making jam and pickles and more, we shared our experience and expertise. Everyone came away with more knowledge and know-how. We were happy to welcome several new members and we all enjoyed the baked treats provided.

Our November 9 meeting will feature a presentation on growing garlic by Barb Clark. You will recognize Barb from her produce booth at the summer market. She grows some of the finest garlic produced on the north island and has years of experience to share on this topic.

Please join us at 7:00 at the Heritage Hall.



The Sayward Community Health Society

will be holding their AGM on November 15th, at the Sayward Clinic.

According to BC Societies rules, only fully paid up members can attend the AGM. Anyone is more than welcome to turn up on the day and join of course, then attend the meeting.

SCHS needs and values your support so please consider becoming a member.

The Directors of the SCHS are planning a book sale in early spring. Watch for more information beginning in the January

Sayward News.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions regarding the AGM and the book sale at:

charonrids@gmail.com or 2508507144.

Charon Ridsdale, Director of SCHS



Village of Sayward

Strathcona REGIONAL DISTRICT

Got Extra Garbage?

GARBAGE STICKERS FOR SALE



Each household is allowed two garbage receptacles (cans/bags) per week.

Additional receptacles (up to 77 liters/25 kgs) must have a garbage sticker on it for pick-up.



WHERE TO PURCHASE GARBAGE STICKERS?

Village of Sayward - \$5.00 each
 • Municipal office
 During business hours

SRD (Sayward Valley) - \$3.50 each
 • SRD Corporate Office - Campbell River
 • Sayward Municipal Office
 During business hours

Village of Sayward
 250-282-5512 • village@saywardvalley.ca

Strathcona Regional District
 250-830-6700 • engineering@srd.ca



Sayward Age friendly Van

November Schedule

Weekly Trips to Campbell River
November 9th (Driver Diane)
November 23rd (Driver Michelle)
November 30th (Driver Wayne)

The Age Friendly Van is for anyone over the age of 19 years.
The van will pick you up and drop you off at your home. Pick up time after 9am at your location.
The driver will take you to appointments, shopping or any other destinations required.
Return time to Sayward may vary from trip to trip, depending on the riders needs. Sayward Van will arrive back in Sayward no later than 5pm unless arrangements are discussed in advance and approved.
Cost is by Donation

Please call the Village Office the day before by **Noon**.
250-282-5512 ext. 0

Subject to Change due to Weather Conditions

THE CROSSROADS RESTAURANT & PUB PRESENTS:

"TEENS AT YOUR SERVICE"

IN CORRELATION WITH KELSEY CENTRE TEEN NIGHT

On Nov 10th from 4:30- 6:30pm visit the restaurant side of Crossroads Pub & Restaurant for a burger OR hotdog served by teens from the Kelsey Centre Teen Night program.

The Teens will be hostess, waiters, and dishwashers for the duration of the event. This will raise money for the program and also give teens work place environment skills, social experience skills and credibility for future employment.

Each customer can order a hotdog or burger for a minimum donation of \$5. Drinks and regular menu items will be charged at regular prices.

Please come down to support this event & raise money for our local youth.

pub side will be open as regular



ears to you Mobile Hearing Clinic

November 20th

Sayward Primary Health Clinic
Call 250-282-3815 to register



Our mobile hearing clinic will come right to your front door!

Locally owned and operated with over 25 years experience in the industry!

TRISH EHMAN RMAP Registered Hearing Aid Practitioner
STEPHANIE RENAAS NSC, PhD, RHP, AIDIC Registered Audiologist
CANDICE MAY CCR Customer Care Representative
JEFF CAMPBELL RHP Registered Hearing Instrument Practitioner
ALLISON YOUNG PhD, MAUD, Registered Audiologist
NICOLE HUNTER CCR Strategic Partnership Manager
ALLI GUBERNEY CCR Customer Care Representative

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We are local EVERYWHERE

SAYWARD RESIDENTS

Influenza and COVID-19 Community Immunization Clinic
Sayward Kelsey Recreation Centre
November 21

Once you receive your invite via email, text, or phone call you can book an appointment at a pharmacy or Island Health community clinic at www.getvaccinated.gov.bc.ca or call 1-833-838-2323.

Vaccines will also be at some doctors' offices.

- All BC residents 6 months and older can get a free flu &/or COVID-19 vaccine
- Everyone, children and adults, must be registered.
- If you haven't already, register at www.getvaccinated.gov.bc.ca

For more information visit www.islandhealth.ca/immunizations island health

MERMAID SWIM

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 17TH
4:45PM - 7PM

CALLING ALL MERMAIDS AND MERMEN TO THIS MAGICALLY MARVELOUS EVENT!

THERE WILL BE GAMES TO PLAY, PRIZES TO BE WON. MERPERSON OUTFITS ENCOURAGED BUT NOT MANDATORY.

FEATURING A BRAND NEW GAME: DIVING FOR LOOT! QUARTERS WILL BE THROWN ABOUT, AND MERPEOPLE KEEP WHAT THEY COLLECT!

EVERYONE WELCOME!

652 H'Kusam Way
Sayward BC
250 282 5500

1950's Dance and Social

Tues Nov 28 6pm - 9pm

\$5.00 50+

Tickets are \$5.00 and will be available at the Kelsey Centre or the Village office!

- Live band "Easy Street" from CR!
- Snacks and refreshments
- Door prize for the best dressed!
- Silent auction table! Proceeds will go towards our youth programs!

Costumes optional!

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Sayward BC
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Couch potato Pro D Camp

November 1st 2pm - 4pm
A relaxing afternoon with movies, pizza, popcorn, games, and colouring.
\$8.00 per person!
Must call to register!
250 282 5500

652 H'Kusam Way
Sayward BC
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TOONIE SWIM

NOVEMBER 1ST
12:30PM - 2PM

WHAT BETTER WAY TO BURN OFF THAT HALLOWEEN CANDY ENERGY THAN A TOONIE SWIM!

\$2.00 PER PERSON!



NOVEMBER 2023

250-282-5500



KELSEY CENTRE GYM & WEIGHT ROOM SCHEDULE

MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	FRIDAY	SUNDAY
9:00am - 7:00pm	9:00am - 7:00pm	12:00pm - 8:00pm	1:00pm-5:00pm
WEIGHT ROOM 9:00AM - 7:00PM	WEIGHT ROOM 9:00AM - 7:00PM	WEIGHT ROOM 12:00PM - 8:00PM	WEIGHT ROOM 1:00PM - 5:00PM
AEROBICS ALL FITNESS LEVELS 9:30AM - 10:30AM <u>DROP IN</u>	SENIORS CARPET BOWLING 9:15AM - 11:45AM <u>FREE PROGRAM</u>	55+ SOCIAL 12:00PM - 2:00PM CARDS & COFFEE <u>FREE PROGRAM</u>	55+ SOCIAL 1:00PM - 3:00PM CRAFTING <u>FREE PROGRAM</u> NO PROGRAM NOV 18
PARENT & TOT GYM TIME 10:45AM - 1:45PM <u>DROP IN \$2.00</u>	AEROBICS ALL FITNESS LEVELS 1:00PM - 2:00PM <u>DROP IN</u>	AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM 5-11 years 2:30PM - 4:30PM	FAMILY GYM 3:00 - 5:00PM <u>ADULT MUST ACCOMPANY CHILD</u> <u>FAMILY RATE \$5.00</u>
AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM 5-11 years 2:30pm - 4:30pm	AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM 5-11 YEARS 2:30PM - 4:30PM	AEROBICS ALL FITNESS LEVELS 5:30PM - 6:30PM <u>DROP IN</u>	
AEROBICS ALL FITNESS LEVELS 5:00PM - 5:45PM <u>DROP IN</u>	AEROBICS ALL FITNESS LEVELS 5:00PM - 6:00PM <u>DROP IN</u>	TEEN NIGHT 11 YEARS & UP 6:00PM - 8:00PM <u>FREE</u>	
OPEN GYM FLOOR HOCKEY 6:00PM - 7:00PM <u>DROP IN 11+</u>	OPEN GYM BADMINTON 6:00PM - 7:00PM <u>DROP IN 11+</u>		

Thank you!

The Kelsey Centre would like to thank all who have donated to our Teen Program over the last few months. Your generous donations have allowed us to provide fun and exciting activities for our Sayward youth at no cost to them. We are still accepting donations towards our youth programs, if this interests you please contact the Recreation Manager at 250-282-5500.

October Donations - Special Thanks To:

- * Trophy West Guide Outfitters
- * Growlland Towing
- * Sayward Valley Resort
- * J4 Electric
- * Flat out welding
- * MNP



NOVEMBER 2023

250-282-5500



KELSEY CENTRE POOL SCHEDULE

MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	FRIDAY	SUNDAY
9:00am - 7:00pm	9:00am - 7:00pm	12:00pm - 8:00pm	1:00pm - 5:00pm
LANE & LEISURE SWIM 9:00AM - 10:30AM <u>ALL FITNESS LEVELS</u>	LANE & LEISURE SWIM 9:00AM - 10:30AM <u>ALL FITNESS LEVELS</u>	LANE & LEISURE SWIM 12:00PM - 1:30PM <u>ALL FITNESS LEVELS</u>	EVERYONE WELCOME 1:15PM - 3:00PM <u>Under 7yrs with adult 16+</u>
PARENT & TOT LESSON NOV 6TH - DEC 4TH <u>MONDAY & WEDNESDAY</u> 10:30AM - 11:00AM	PARENT & TOT LESSON NOV 6TH - DEC 4TH <u>MONDAY & WEDNESDAY</u> 10:30AM - 11:00AM	PARENT & TOT SWIM 1:30PM - 2:45PM <u>DROP IN</u>	PRE SCHOOL LESSONS 3:00PM - 4:30PM NOV 24TH - DEC 17TH <u>FRIDAY'S & SUNDAY'S</u>
AQUA FIT (Sheri) SHALLOW WATER CLASS 11:00AM-11:45AM <u>LANE OPEN & HOT TUB</u>	AQUA FIT (Sheri) SHALLOW WATER CLASS 11:00AM-11:45AM <u>LANE OPEN & HOT TUB</u>	PRE SCHOOL LESSONS 3:00PM - 4:30PM NOV 24TH - DEC 17TH <u>FRIDAY'S & SUNDAY'S</u>	
	SAYWARD SCHOOL PROGRAM 1:00PM - 2:00PM	EVERYONE WELCOME 4:45PM - 7:00PM <u>Under 7yrs with adult 16+</u>	
LEVEL 1-6 LESSONS 6-12yrs 2:45PM - 4:45PM NOV 6TH - DEC 13TH NO LESSON NOV 13TH	LEVEL 1-6 LESSONS 6-12yrs 2:45PM - 4:45PM NOV 6TH - DEC 13TH <u>MONDAY & WEDNESDAY</u>	AQUA FIT (Michelle & Sheri) <u>DEEP WATER MODERATE</u> 7:00PM-8:00PM <u>LANE OPEN & HOT TUB</u>	
EVERYONE WELCOME 4:45PM - 6:00PM <u>Under 7yrs with adult 16+</u>	EVERYONE WELCOME 4:45PM - 7:00PM <u>Under 7yrs with adult 16+</u>		
AQUA FIT (Michelle & Sheri) <u>DEEP WATER MODERATE</u> 6:00PM-7:00PM <u>LANE OPEN & HOT TUB</u>			

NOVEMBER SPECIAL EVENTS:

- NOV 1ST: TOONIE SWIM & GAMES 12:30 - 2:00PM
- NOV 5TH: FIRST SUNDAY OPEN
- NOV 6TH: NEW LESSON SET - PARENT & TOT
- NOV 6TH: NEW LESSON SET - SWIMMER 1-6
- NOV 24TH: NEW LESSON SET - PRE-SCHOOL 3-5YRS
- NOV 6TH & 24TH : DEEP WATER CLASS - INSTRUCTOR (MICHELLE)
- NOV 17th: MERMAID SWIM 4:45 - 7:00PM