



Tomorrow morning at 7:30 the Qualicum Beach Merchants are meeting in the boardroom at Qualicum Foods. On the agenda will be discussion of upcoming events and the loss of Kris Kringle Craft Fair. All merchants are encouraged to attend.

June 9th to 27th ECHO Players present **The School for Scandal at the Village Theatre** Qualicum Beach. Tickets 250-752-3522 or info@echoplayers.ca. This popular farce was first performed in 1777 and is a period costume comedy that will have audiences rolling on the floor. There are 2 Sunday Matinees to accommodate those who no longer wish to drive in the evenings. For more information call 250-951-0324.

Milner Garden's Geoff Ball leaves on his **Weekend Ride to Conquer Cancer** riding from Vancouver to Seattle. You can support Geoff and the BC Cancer Foundations on his web site http://www.conquercancer.ca/site/TR/Events/Vancouver2010?px=2421409&pg=personal&fr_id=1331.

Get your dancing shoes on and head for Second Avenue on Saturday night for the **Annual Seaside Cruizers Show and Shine Street Dance**. The street will be closed from 6 to 9 pm with live entertainment. For more information info@seasidecruizers.com. Sunday morning 600 vintage cars of all descriptions will fill the streets of the village for residents and visitors to enjoy. Don't miss it... even Oprah says it is one of the best ways to spend Father's Day!

Saturday, June 19th Former BCTV Sports Director Bernie Pascall will MC the **6th Annual Children's Miracle Network Charity Golf Tournament**. You can still support the kids and have a great day on the links, prime rib dinner and lots of prizes at Morningstar Golf Club. For more information call Richard Goldney at 250-752-2466 or Frank Fairly at 250-248-1071.

North Island Wildlife Recovery Centre is hosting Family Day June 19th - a great time to bring out your family and friends. This is a free admission day with lots of events going on inside the centre. Check out the website at www.niwra.org to find out more.

Saturday, June 19, 2010 - Qualicum Beach Museum Society Golf Tournament at 1:00 pm 18 Hole Shot Gun. This is a charitable tournament in which proceeds go toward the Qualicum Beach Museum. 18 holes of golf, fabulous golf and door prizes, silent and live auction, fantastic buffet dinner, and much more for only \$99.00 including tax! Please call 250-752-9727 ext 3 to register now.

Morning Glory School Open Houses. MGS invites you to discover why Waldorf Education is the fastest growing education system in the world. Join them Saturday, June 19th from 10 am to 1 pm or Monday, June 21st from 8:45 to 11:00 am to experience a class in session. For more information call 250-752-2722 or email mgs@shawcable.com

It has come to our attention that there is an individual in town representing The George S May Company and offering Business Consulting Services. We have been advised that there are several complaints about this company in the U.S., and several website blogs detailing dissatisfaction with their service delivery. We would like our members to be aware and ensure they check out offers from all companies before entering into any agreements.

Community Futures Central Island is hosting a seminar entitled "Understanding and Avoiding Human Rights Complaints" Presented by the B.C. Human Rights Coalition on July 15th from 9 am to 3:30 PM. Cost is \$25/per person and includes refreshments and lunch. Registration deadline is July 10th. Please see the below and attached poster for more information. For more information call 250-585-5585 Extension 221

WorldHost® Fundamentals Workshop - June 22nd and 23rd from 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm at the Quality Resort Bayside. This recognized **customer service workshop is for all front-line employees** and teaches the skills & techniques of service professionalism. Participants in this workshop will come away with a good understanding of the importance of excellent customer service, have the skills to communicate more effectively and efficiently with customers, demonstrate their attentiveness to customer needs and have an understanding of the social & economic contribution of a healthy tourism industry.

This workshop is facilitated by Instructor Extraordinaire, Sandra Petryk. \$65 + GST for Qualicum Beach Chamber of Commerce Members/\$70 + GST for non-members. Call the Parksville Chamber at 250-248-3613 to register. Deadline to register: June 17, 2010.

Provided below is a link to the Government of Canada website outlining the steps CRA is taking to ensure that businesses get the information they need to transition to the Federal administration of the HST. <http://news.gc.ca/web/article-eng.do?m=/index&nid=535539>

Friday June 18th at approximately 12:30 pm 100 military and civilian cyclists will be passing through Qualicum Beach, with an RCMP escort, on a 225 kilometre memorial journey starting at the gravesite of Corporal Andrew "Boomer" Eykelenboom and ending on the Legislature grounds in Victoria. Andrew, a graduate of Highland School in Comox, was a medic serving with the Canadian Forces in Afghanistan who was killed by a suicide bomber in August 2006. This Ride honours Andrew and the 146 Canadian soldiers who have given their lives in the line of duty, while serving in Afghanistan. Many of the military cyclists have served in Afghanistan. As well, some of the civilian cyclists are family members of fallen soldiers. Each of the cyclists will carry, on their bikes, the biography of one or two of our fallen soldiers. Take time to support this event by standing along the road at lunchtime waving Canadian flags and calling out encouraging comments to all the riders. The group will be stopping for a short period of time (5-10 minutes at the public washrooms on the beach). For more information go to www.boomerslegacy.ca

On **THE BEACH** at 88.5 weekday mornings at 8:40 with Dave Graham:

- Thursday June 17 - PVFD Chief Doug Banks: Open House June 22.
- Friday June 18 - Shane Ovington: Fraternal Order of Eagles to host Kids Carnival on the 19th + Luba Plotnikoff from Oceanside Tourism with events at 9:40.

This week with guest host Bill Dean:

- Monday 21 - David Eddie, author of "Damage Control".
- Tuesday 22 - Off the Cuff with Chris Burger.
- Wednesday - Kevin Clayton: Bard to Broadway's Garden and Home Tour July 10.
- Thursday - Bill Corbett, author of "The 11,000'ers", climbing in BC.
- Friday - Don Dempson: Stampede party at Fairwinds on July 9.

To book on The Beach morning show with Dave Graham call 250-248-4211 or e-mail dave@885thebeach.com
