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JENN BEAUPRE**

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This issue is sweeter than a box of Harlans and more jam-packed than a can of Arne's sardines.... Read it, LOVE it and pass it on to someone you care very deeply about.

The Olympics are almost here... enjoy the games and Happy Valentines Day ~ Sandi Poystila

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Salt Spring Chamber Players presents an afternoon of chamber music on Sunday, February 21st, 2010 at ArtSpring at 2:30 PM.

Jim Stubbs will play a Concerto for piccolo trumpet by Thomas Albinoni. Matthew Stubbs, piano, will be joined by Laurie Stubbs, bassoon, in Alexandre Tansman's Sonata for bassoon and piano. Laurie and musicians from Victoria, will perform the great Schubert Octet.

With this concert, the Salt Spring Chamber Players continue it's tradition of presenting renowned classical colleagues here on Salt Spring Island.

Tickets are available at the box office, call 250.537.2102.



Soaring harp and wild cello at the Treehouse with Oona McQuat and Corbin Keep, Saturday, February 6th 5:00-8:00pm.

Oona and Corbin have performed to standing ovations in packed houses in Canada and the States. Corbin appears on Oona's new release Honey and Holy Water and they have released one EP together, Only This Moment. In concert, they dive into deep, rippling pools of sound, surfacing to banter back and forth like siblings, sharing a charisma and chemistry between them that listeners call "inspirational", "able to draw out unexpected depths of feeling" and "an overwhelming success."

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AUTOS FOR SALE

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1990 Nissan 4x4 pickup, king cab, V6, 5spd, a/c, black, 3.5 inch lift kit, 31 inch mud tires, eagle alloy rims, pioneer cd player and speakers, 209k, boxliner, hitch, lots of new parts, runs great. Phone: 250-681-2677. 02-19

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The Islands Marketplace CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Roller Blading at the Fulford Hall on Saltspring from 7:30 to 9pm.

"Avatar" at the Fritz Cinema. 537-4656 or visit www.thefritz.ca for showtimes.

StoryTime at the Library N is for NOISE! Featuring Robert Munsch stories. Stories, activities and fun for early grade & pre-school children. 1-2pm

Rugg Huggers Baby & Parent Drop-In, 10:00-1:00 (includes light lunch) at Family Place, 120 Park Dr. (Behind All Saints Anglican Church). 250-537-9176. familyplace@ssics.ca.

Shirley Valentine Fundraiser for Haiti at 7:30 pm at ArtSpring. Grace Jordan is back and The Government of Canada through World Vision will match all the funds raised, translating each \$20 ticket into \$40 for the Haitian people.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6

Men's breakfast at 8 am. Great time to meet others at 215 Baker Road, Pentecostal church. phone 537- 4143.

Dad 'n' Me - Meet and eat pancakes with dads and kids at Family Place at 120 Park Drive, Saltspring. 8:30-10:30 a.m. 537-9176.

Oona McOuatt and Corbin Keep at the Treehouse Cafe from 5 to 8pm.

Baba Brinkman, rap poet at ArtSpring at 7:30pm. Free. 537-2102 for info.

MamaMama's Prenatal Education Classes for 2010 begin today. Details and information can be found on our website at www.mama2mama.ca

Heyboy Heygirl Rocks with Live Dance Music at Moby's from 8 to 11pm. 537-5559. at Saltspring Marina.

Shake it for the Quake: A Haiti Relief Dance at Beaver Point Hall. Doors at 8pm. Tickets \$20, kids free.

Neighbourhood Night from 8 to 11 p.m. at the Raven Street Cafe. 321 Fernwood Road. 250-537-2273.

Circuit Training at 10am. \$10 drop-in, 8 or more people, just \$5. Free for first session. Call Val at 250-538-7447.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Jazz Night with John Charowsky at Moby's Bar & Grill. 7pm to 10pm.

Ladies & Aires - dance styles of the 17th and 18th centuries, with live music on period instruments and costumes at ArtSpring at 2:30pm. \$24.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Toastmasters Speaking at 7pm in the Crofton Room, Harbour House Hotel. 537-2581. Guests Welcome.

Parent - Child Drop-in, 9:00 - 12:30, at Family Place, 120 Park Dr. (Behind All Saints Anglican Church). 250-537-9176. familyplace@ssics.ca

Salt Spring Scottish Country Dance Club Open House to welcome new members. Please join us at All Saints Church Hall, dancing starts at 6pm. No experience necessary, soft-soled shoes are fine. Info - call Judy Heddle 250-537-2672.

SSI Folk Club concert with Shari Ulrich, Barney Bentall, and Tom Taylor at the Fulford Hall at 7:30pm. Tickets at Acoustic Planet and SS Books.

Cowichan Bonsai Club, which has been serving North Cowichan for 8 years at the Crofton Senior's Centre (located at the base of Joan Avenue off the lower parking lot beside the Crofton Ferry Terminal). Meetings tonight - 7 pm to 9 pm. For more information please call 250-246-9871 or email pinkdragonfly@shaw.ca.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

SynergyFit Strength & Balance class at Beaver Point Hall 8:30-9:30 am. Certified personal trainer. Drop-ins welcome. Info: 250-653-4656 trisha@synergyfit.ca

Laughter Yoga from 5:30-6:30pm at United Church (111 Hereford St.) Suggested donation \$10 (Bring a friend to try for \$5) Contact Meaghan at 778-235-4859.

Triple P; Positive Parenting Program Eight-week program begins at Family Place. 5:30-7 p.m. Info/register: Maryanne - mbenwood@ssics.ca

Circuit Training from 5:30 - 6:30pm \$10 drop-in, 8 or more people, just \$5. Free for first time. Call Val at 250-538-7447.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Moby's Pint Club. Beer and appy specials! Proceeds to local causes.

Salt Spring Island Poultry Club meeting at 7pm, at the Farmers' Institute. Everyone is welcome, people interested in learning about poultry and having fun. Questions? Call Simone @ 653-9493. "quack, quack"

One Night Only - Three one-act plays — Small World, Credo and The Best Daddy — by GISS students at ArtSpring at 7:30 pm. Tickets \$10.

The Story of Vesuvius Bay- A Salt Spring Historical Society presentation by Marshall Heinekey at 2pm at Central Hall.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Join us in welcoming the terrific photographer Dr. Ted Grant, father of Canadian photojournalism, in person and see the documentary, Ted Grant: The Art of Observation. He has been capturing Canada and Canadians for over 50 years, helping us see just who we are as a nation. The Fritz at 7 p.m. Suggested donation \$12. Discussion and a Q + A.

Swing Classes at Mahon Hall - 7pm. Contact-Morley 537-4898 or Julianna 537-1818

Texas Hold-em poker fun at the Local Bar next to the Centennial Park, SSI at 6:30pm.

SynergyFit Class at Beaver Point Hall 5:30-6:30 pm. Certified personal trainer. Drop-ins welcome. Info: 250-653-4656 trisha@synergyfit.ca.

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Events to: info@islandsmarketplace.com

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Bingo at the Meaden Hall, Royal Canadian Legion, 7pm. 120 Blain Road.

Big Brothers Big Sisters Info Night for potential mentors at the Harbour House Hotel. 5-7 p.m. and for potential families at the Core Inn, third floor. 5-7 p.m. Info: Vanessa, 250-537-3330.

Join us at THE LOCAL - Local talent for OPEN MIC NIGHT (New faces Welcome).

Blues Night with Soul Shakedown at Moby's Oyster Bar & Grill. 7pm to 10pm.

Open Mic Night at the Fulford Inn, SSI.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12

StoryTime at the Library: Out of the Ordinary. Stories with a difference. Stories, activities and fun for early grade & pre-school children. 1-2 pm.

Two Films: Wilf & Hijacked Future - With an intro by John Wilcox. 7pm at the Farmer's Institute. Admission by donation to Island Natural Growers.

Roller Blading at the Fulford Hall on Saltspring from 7:30 to 9pm.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Live Music with the Sutcliffes at Moby's Oyster Bar & Grill. 8pm to 11pm.

Jose Sanchez Cuban Party @ Fulford Hall at 7:30. Proceeds from Concession & Bar to GEMA (Giving Everyone Music & Art) to subsidize music lessons for children in financial hardship. Tickets \$15 at Acoustic Planet Music.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Neighbourhood Night from 8 to 11 p.m. at the Raven Street Cafe. 321 Fernwood Road. 250-537-2273.

Seedy Saturday at the Farmer's Institute, Rainbow Road, 10am to 3pm, \$2.

Circuit Training at 10am. \$10 drop-in, 8 or more people, just \$5. Free for first session. Call Val at 250-538-7447.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14

Happy Valentines' Day!

Singer/Songwriter Jenn Beupre with guest Gemma G perform special Valentine's Evening concert at ArtSpring Theatre. 7pm. Tickets: 537-2102 info: Mark - 250-537-6558.

Valentine's Special Jazz Night with Darryl Alsbrook at Moby's Oyster Bar & Grill. 7pm to 10pm.

Argentine Practica at the Core Inn, 4:30 - 6:30pm \$5 Beginners Welcome! Info: Karen Pedersen 250.653.4589.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Moby's Pint Club. Beer and appy specials! Proceeds to local causes.

James Gordon House Concert - Canadian performer. At 200 Cedar Lane. 7 pm. Tickets (\$15) at Acoustic Planet. Info: Rob Pingle, 250-538-7262.

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I have 10 pages of boating gear and sailing books hard cover ,mostly for sailboats some new and used parts. If you are building a boat there is some good value here. Two Garhauer double T track 12'lengths, with Genoa control cars and end stops. Anchors, fenders, waterpump, port-o-potti, rope etc. I want to sell altogether. \$2000.00 Clearing out basement. Phone: 250-537-9593. 03-05

Looking for a cheap kicker. 30-50hp outboard under \$500. has to be reliable. Phone: 250-526-0377. 03-05

Looking for an affordable outboard. Around 100 hp. Around 800-\$1000. Has to run. Phone: 250-526-0377. 03-05

Looking for free water craft,or canoe.So i can go fishing on st mary lake. Thank you Matt. Phone: 250 537 0424. 03-05

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Wanted to buy: 3 axle boat trailer for 6 ton, 26 ft. boat with 8ft. beam. 250-751-6141. 02-19

COMMUNICATIONS

BOATS & MARINE

Float Dock 15'x8'. Presently used for sailboat \$350. Phone: (250) 537 2606. 02-19

17ft. Campion with an early 90's 48 hp evinrude SPL. The boat is very solid, transom is good, Great ocean worthy boat, Set up for fishing. Engine fires and runs fine, good impeller, Tilt assist ram is seized and has been disconnected, cover is a little weather beaten. Comes with hummingbird sounder/finder, one old manual downrigger, a bunch of rod holders, two gas tanks, a good battery and other misc. Items. Needs a clean up from sitting under some trees mainly just maple leaves. also the vinyl covered plywood that the control box is mounted to needs to be replaced. Located in victoria. Asking 650\$ Engine is basically worth that on its own. Please call 250-893-0387 to view or for questions. 02-05

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COMING EVENTS

February 1 to 28 -The artwork of artist Leslie Corry is on display at Artspring in the Lobby for the month of February.

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Salt Spring Island Poultry Club meeting on Wednesday February 10th at 7pm, at the Farmers' Institute. Everyone is welcome, no membership, just people who are interested in learning about poultry and having a few laughs. Questions? Call Simone @ 653-9493. 02-05

Jose Sanchez Cuban Party @ Fulford Hall on February 13, 2010 /Door open @ 7:30. Proceeds from Concession & Bar to GEMA (Giving Everyone Music & Art) A program founded to subsidize music lessons for children in financial hardship. Tickets \$15 for Sale at Acoustic Planet Music. 03-05

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Keeping it Reehl Valentine's Day

Advice, recipes and stories by **Georgiana Reehl**

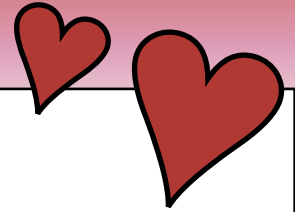
Every year we celebrate Valentine's day and it has become the holiday where we honor the eternal power of love and special people in our lives. And do you know what? It is estimated that about 1 billion Valentines are sent on Valentine's Day worldwide. It is the second largest day for cards after Christmas. And in North America our men spend twice as much as women on this day. Go Canada! Yeah!

There are many myths and stories of the origin of Valentine's Day. The one I like best comes from Ancient Rome. Let's see! February 14 was a holiday to honor Juno, who was known as the Goddess of women and marriage. The story goes that there was a bishop, who became St. Valentine in the ruthless dictatorship of Emperor Claudius II, (Claudius the Cruel!) In his time the Roman Empire was in bad shape and Claudius was having difficulty recruiting men as soldiers and officers to fight for the Empire. He felt that the problem was that the men were weak and were attached to their homes, families and wives. Huh! So he banned all marriages, and so great was the terror of his regime that no one challenged this terrible decree. It was a time where families and loved ones were wrenched from each other and you can imagine the heartbreak and sadness this created. The kindly bishop Valentine gave hope to young lovers who would come to him. He would marry them in a secret place and join them in the holy sacrament of matrimony. But the emperor found out and he was executed for his crime of secretly placing love above the Empire.

In the Middle Ages of Chaucer and troubadours and "courtly love" Valentine's Day became associated with romantic love, and in 18th Century England the tradition of gift-giving and exchanging hand-made cards began. So? Nowadays it is a huge commercial holiday. We still think of it as the holiday of secret hearts, passion and desire!

Here's a Valentine's Day recipe from "Angie's Realm." ~ Georgiana

Valentines Love Cake



- 1 pk Fudge marble cake mix
 - 2 lb Ricotta cheese
 - 1 c Sugar
 - 4 Eggs
 - 1 ts Vanilla
 - 8 oz Whipping cream
 - 1 pk Instant chocolate pudding
 - 1 c Milk
 - 1/4 cup of multi chocolate/white sprinkles over pudding topping
- Mix cake as directed on box. Pour into greased and floured 9 x 13 pan. In separate bowl, combine ricotta, sugar, eggs and vanilla; mix well. Spoon mixture over top of unbaked cake. Bake at 350 degrees for about an hour. Cool. Mix pudding with milk; fold in whipped topping. Spread over cake

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Girl Guides of Canada Celebrates 100 years!



Members and Leaders of the Girl Guides of Canada recently enjoyed an overnight "camp-out" at the Farmer's Institute, on Salt Spring Island.

Photo by S. Poystila

Girl Guides of Canada is turning 100! The Salt Spring Island community has been active with Guiding since the mid 1920's. Our Guiding sisters across the country will be celebrating our 100th birthday and here on the island, we will be holding a special Anniversary Tea.

Since 1910, Girl Guides of Canada-Guides du Canada has been a trailblazing movement advocating for girls and women, while offering them opportunities to discover new interests and develop leadership skills. Throughout its history, Guiding

has prepared girls to meet the challenges they face. Today's girls can learn about global and cultural awareness, career exploration, science and technology and the arts. They work on environmental projects and explore important issues such as cyber-bullying, self-esteem and body image, and develop the skills needed to speak out and take actions on issues that are important to them. And we definitely still go camping! Guiding enables girls to be confident, courageous and resourceful, and to make a

difference in the world around them.

Over the last century, hundreds of thousands of girls have been touched by Guiding. They have had the chance to learn new skills, develop lasting friendships, build their confidence and leadership abilities and learn about the world around them, all in a supporting, safe environment. Guiding gives girls fantastic opportunities to travel and in the past eight years, five girls from Salt Spring have travelled to England, Australia, Thailand and Ecuador on International Girl Guide trips.

We are very proud to be celebrating our 100th Anniversary and on Sunday, February 21st, 2010, we would like to invite anyone who has ever been involved in Girl Guides - on Salt Spring, across the country or around the world, as a girl member, a leader, a helping parent or a badge tester, to join us for our birthday tea. It will take place at the Legion Meaden Hall and our program begins at 2:00 p.m. We have a great afternoon lined up and look forward to seeing many old and new faces.

To help us with our preparations, if you can join us we ask you to reply to Gail Temmel at 250-653-4613 or gmtemmel@shaw.ca by February 15th. If you are unable to attend but have something of interest to share with us about your time in Girl Guides, please call Gail with your information.

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Bi-weekly horoscope contributed by Patrick Arundell. Visit his website at www.patrickarundell.com for more great features... see below.

ARIES Mar 21st - Apr 20th

A friend can bring news of someone you haven't heard of for a long time. There can be a reunion planned or you could simply bump into one another. If you are solo, you may ponder why a previous relationship didn't work out. However, solace does lie in all group activities. Talk over how you feel. You may be surprised at just who empathizes with you.

TAURUS Apr 21st - May 21st

Strength comes in numbers this week Taurus, so if you feel a bit tremulous about attending a function, go along with a pal. The same can be true if you are keen to take up a new interest. You may grow to appreciate one friend more and more. This person is unlikely to demand your attention, and this trust is something you can really come to appreciate.

GEMINI May 22nd - Jun 21st

Travel hopes can go from talking about it, to actually making it happen. Jobs linked to travel and distribution can also feature. Personal relationships at work remain highly important and you can find yourself becoming more appreciative of an older person, who up until now, you've been wary of. A real bond can develop as ideas and experiences are shared.

CANCER Jun 22nd - Jul 23rd

If your love life has been blissfully sizzling Cancer, you may find you and yours discussing the merits of some time away from each of your everyday routines. This may be to go to a highly rated restaurant or to book a mini-break. Yet if you are someone who thrives in business, a new and unusual partner or mentor can be someone you really click with.

LEO Jul 24th - Aug 23rd

There has been a lot of talk recently and some of it may have been well meant. Perhaps it's you who has been doing most of the chatting Leo! Yet with Mercury now speeding up, you can start to view events more logically, and perhaps even with more detachment. Your ability to listen and acknowledge the points of view of others is the crucial issue.

VIRGO Aug 24th - Sep 23rd

Fantastic news, as glamorous Venus enters your partnership sector. Already there are the fortune bringer Jupiter, and the innovative Uranus and all this activity can spark your competitive instincts, but you can mask these under a cloak of silky diplomacy. This can see you win over your rivals. If you meet someone new now it can be a seminal moment Virgo.

LIBRA Sep 24th - Oct 23rd

Work prospects improve greatly as the week progresses, aided by a very bubbly and creative theme. Mars has also rewound so much that it forges a great link with Saturn, in your sign. Maybe something you had discounted in the past or thought had come to an end, could come back into view, but work out much more consistently this time.

SCORPIO Oct 24th - Nov 22nd

If you find yourself retracing your steps over a touchy business issue, don't see it as a failure, but a second chance to get things onto a better footing. Peace of mind is important to you Scorpio. Brilliantly, your love and social life can absolutely explode with possibilities as the week ticks down, with someone glamorous and kindly, catching your eye.

SAGITTARIUS Nov 23rd - Dec 21st

If the concept of a "business in a bedroom" has yet to hit on your senses, it can do this week, as the buzzy Mercury creates a super angle to the innovative Uranus. Put on your thinking hat. What could you buy or sell? Similarly you can use a smart approach to making your home run more efficiently. In love, someone can be sultry, but can you trust them?

CAPRICORN Dec 22nd - Jan 20th

You can be careful with your resources, but also like the odd splurge. Yet if you invest time, energy or money in anything more trivial this week, you could end up regretting it - if you are too impulsive. Yet there's little doubting you can be extremely mind-sharp and one scheme you have been trying to get off the ground all year, can finally happen.

AQUARIUS Jan 21st - Feb 19th

Someone could be jealous of all the attention that you're receiving. Generally, this is an emotion you prefer to avoid, yet you're not immune from its gut wrenching effects, so try to understand why this might be. Perhaps they have issues of their own. Yet by this week's end, there is a good chance to sort things out and get them onto a better footing.

PISCES Feb 20th - Mar 20th

Venus can trigger a mutual admiration society between yourself and someone you meet. This may be platonic, but you can both really feed off one another's different qualities. In a love relationship, even if things have been unsettled, you may discover there is more affection than you thought. However, if a parting has occurred, it's time to look forwards.

Canadian Idol contestant Jenn Beaupre's Valentine's Performance

Join one of Canada's fastest rising singer/songwriters for a very special Valentine's performance at Artspring.

Jenn Beaupre burst onto the music scene when she appeared as a contestant on "Canadian Idol." Audiences, judges and critics alike took note of her incredible talent, and she's been going strong ever since. With her powerful, classically trained vocals, layered atop gorgeous accompaniment, combined with humorous storytelling and audience interaction, Jenn's performances are memorable and come straight from her heart. "I want to make you think of your dad, because I wrote a song about my dad. I want to take you back and make you remember. If I can't do that, then I'm not doing my job." Jenn more than merely does her job. She moves her audience, dazzling them with her magnificent talent, her beauty, her gregarious personality and her tender, generous heart.

If you're ready to have some real music on your stereo again, then you are ready to meet Jenn Beaupre. Fresh and trendy, her expressive vocals and beautiful piano are the perfect combination of old and new. "I feel quite strongly", says Jenn, "that music is one of the most healing channels that humans have access to." She has put that notion into action with the creation of her latest release: "Lullabies for Grown-ups".

Lullabies for Grown-ups, Beaupre's first studio album, is a collection of 13 thoughtful original songs with soothing, sweet melodies and refreshing simplicity. The album's musical colors span an eloquent spectrum - from the enticing "For Once" played on a chaplain's organ, to "Chocolate", a smooth yet rhythmic track perfect for a daydream. Renowned harpist, Zeena Parkins, weaves through "The Truth" the final piece on the album with floating harp harmonies.

Clever lyrics are at the heart of Jenn's music. Relatable and often witty lyrics are peppered throughout the album. Jenn has combined her classical training with her chanteuse soul to create a polished style all her own. Pure and charming, she will bring you back to the days when an artist really had to be an artist. A stage, a microphone and a piano are often all that's needed for this artist to truly entertain her audience. While her stage banter can be humorous, her voice is seriously powerful. "People always ask me how such a big sound comes out of someone so small", Jenn adds.

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COMING EVENTS

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The Whisper of a Dream



Jim Anderson is a writer living on Saltspring. He is working on a metamorphosis of the human mind. © 2010 by Jim Anderson, Saltspring Island

In everything I have written, between the lines is the whisper of a dream. A dream that no matter how desperate, dark and hopeless things become, we are going to find the light. We are going to survive. That 10,000 years from now human beings will still be here...on this earth...in a golden glory civilization of peace, enlightenment and perfect harmony with universe that we cannot even imagine today. All around us today in this tortured insanity that you and I are living through this is simply a ridiculous and an impossible dream. It truly makes no sense. You can't get there from here. It cannot be so.

It just happens to be true. But, it is going to be one Hell of a journey.

Today, we look out upon a stricken and desperate world from the window of our primitive minds. And we have yet to recognize that the real problem is in the way we think and reason. We can only envision, conceive and know "parts"...a universe foundered upon isolated, separate discreteness, never the consummate, perfect "whole." All our logical, rational order is obsessively centered upon discreteness, and we truly understand nothing else. The problem is the

way we think itself. And in this crucial time of "consequences", this problem has become a fatal flaw. It is a fatal flaw because Universe is evolved and manifested around a whole, a continuity and perfect Unity that we cannot digest and know from our primitive mindset. This is the dilemma and the challenge of our age, and our species. You and I have to begin the impossible thing. We have to change the way the human mind thinks.

I have discovered a secret that will help, I believe. The question we should perhaps be asking is, "Why?" Why are we so ignorant and primitive and obsessed only with a perspective of "discreteness" and the "parts" in universe? How did it all start? Where did it all begin?

I have found that there is only one true, undisputed source for the idea, identity and validity of "discreteness" or the fundamental concept of the isolated, separate and elemental "part" in our human reality. It all comes down to one, and only one source. That singular source from which our primitive and prehistoric view of a universe built

completely upon discrete "parts" was born from our own private, separate and forever discrete lives, that each of us live in absolute isolation. For human beings, the only true source of the truth, identity and validity of "discreteness" and the "part" in universe are the separate "circles of light" each of us live... and never truly share, experience and know beyond. Because each of us "live" our own lives in separate discrete existences, never truly sharing the vital essence of living that each of us see only through our own eyes and know with our own lives...we automatically and instinctively project that discreteness outward everywhere into universe to establish logic, order, meaning and truth. Nothing makes sense otherwise.

So, the reason we can only see and know "parts" and not the "whole" in universe is because each of us live forever separate and lonely "circles of light" that we never truly escape from or share. More than this. Our world is disintegrating around us and we are careening towards oblivion and extinction because of this primitive prison all of us are captive in. And to escape we have to find a way out of and beyond our

own separate, isolated and lonely lives...evolve a higher consciousness and create a metamorphosis of the human mind.

We have to create a world where this can happen. Where desperate and tormented human beings can escape this rabid, wretched and ruthless business of surviving in a barbaric and primitive world and be given the chance to dream and create the impossible.

There is something ahead, beneath the surface now, that is more important than power, politics, profit or propaganda. It is about a civilization, a life force, a dream that is yet unfinished. It is about finally fulfilling the destiny that we were all created for. It is about fashioning a human world and a human society free of greed, brutality, inhumanity or agony. It is about living together in peace and harmony and joy. It is about a human revolution that is yet undone, a better world that is yet to be. It is about carrying an ancient dream into a new universe...and a new human spiritual renaissance. Something impossible, never done before. Hand in hand...together.

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The Islands Marketplace CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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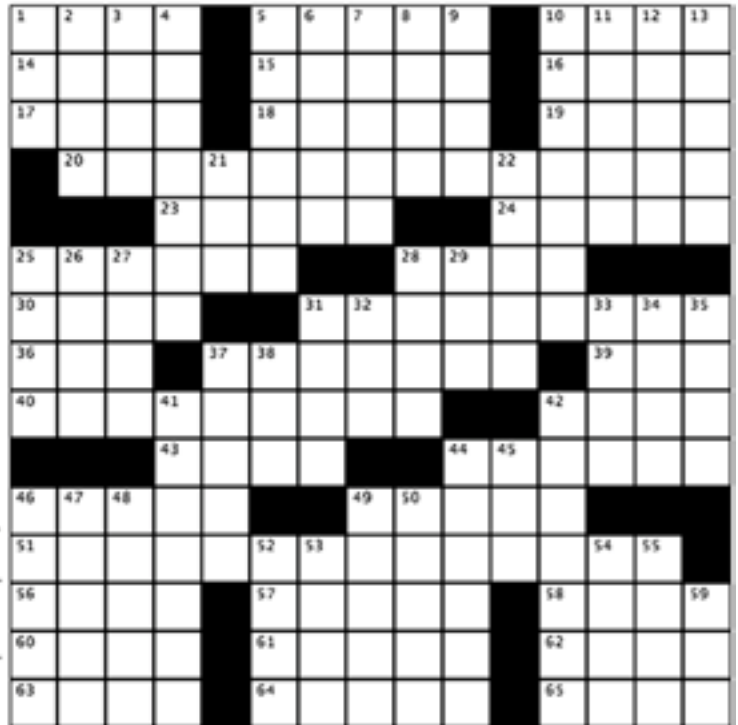
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- 1- Between ports; 5- Long stories; 10- Get ready; 14- Chipper; 15- Be gaga over; 16- Dominion; 17- Hindu princess; 18- Woody vine; 19- Getting ___ years; 20- Rebellion; 23- Farm bird; 24- Actress Berger; 25- Morose; 28- Chow; 30- Ashtabula's lake; 31- Pertaining to secretion; 36- Feeling of self-importance; 37- One more; 39- Where some vets served; 40- Less rapidly; 42- Adriatic port; 43- American space agency; 44- Reverse rotation in a dive; 46- "Barnaby Jones" star; 49- Cranium; 51- Add lurid details to a story, e.g.; 56- Blind part; 57- Freud contemporary; 58- Belonging to us; 60- Yorkshire river; 61- Doled (out); 62- Forearm bone; 63- Quick sharp bark; 64- Buckets; 65- Hard fatty tissue;

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- 1- Spring mo.; 2- Actor Penn; 3- Cube creator Rubik; 4- Atwitter; 5- Old West watering hole; 6- "Farewell!"; 7- Flip out; 8- "Rule Britannia" composer; 9- Scorch; 10- Expression of objection; 11- Argument; 12- Mamer's creator; 13- Contour feather; 21- Cedar Rapids college; 22- Fall bloomer; 25- Appear; 26- Exhort; 27- Hero; 28- Mimic; 29- 100 square meters; 31- Slammin' Sammy; 32- Aliens, for short; 33- Son of Judah; 34- Describes a gently cooked steak; 35- Primordial giant in Norse myth; 37- Appliance brand; 38- Refusals; 41- Ragtime dance; 42- Liverish; 44- Protects; 45- Competitor of Tide and Cheer; 46- Composition; 47- Contradict; 48- Growl angrily; 49- Conductor Georg; 50- Propose, perhaps; 52- Compact by pounding; 53- Brain wave; 54- Member of a Nguni people; 55- Sea eagle; 59- Convened;



This is what I was thinking.....



By Tracey Supina

Spring is Almost Here... Right?

In my house the month of January is just a relaxing month, getting over Christmas, sorting out what is to come in the New Year, kids back to school after what seemed like a couple of months off. Now we enter February ahhhhh I look at my yard. It does take me a long time to ponder what should I do with it ? I am not as gifted as my parents in the nicely manicured yard maintenance or the flower planting my mom prides herself on. I have a vision and if I start in February I can usually talk myself into some of it (or better yet, if I whine enough my mom will come over and do it for me) Here are a few things I do to get ready for Spring or things my mom does.

1. Yard clean up, or across the porch clean up. Remove any trash from the outdoors. Every spring, we find cans or bottles from the fall's last BBQ that rolled under the BBQ or to the side of the deck. I always think I have more time than I do to clean up before winter hits.

2. Rake up old leaves, pick up twigs and branches that were hit by Old man winter, it can be liberating getting rid of all of this.

3. This is also a good time to get your garden tools ready for the season. If you didn't do it last fall, clean dirt off your shovels, hoes and any other digging tools.

4. Clean out those flower beds and garden areas. Making sure to remove all dead growth and leaves.

5. Plant your tulip and daffodil bulbs so in the springyou really feel like it's spring. I watched my mom over the years think of new ways and spots and ideas to plant her bulbs, she tiered them one year with different size planter pots small, medium, and large and then when spring arrived a tower of colours I loved that one the best. My tower of flowers got eaten by the deer and I gave up for a couple of years after that, see it really doesn't take much for me to talk myself out of planting flowers. I enjoy this time with my boys, we clean the yard, they play football (I can't catch so I am not allowed to play anymore) and we usually break out the BBQ and feast and cheers to our yard clean up. Enjoy your yard clean up with family or friends.... it turns into a great social time.

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CROSSWORD PUZZLE ANSWERS

Answer for this issue's puzzle

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