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PHOTO CONTEST  
WINNERS**

**CONCERT BAND**

**CROSSWORD, EVENTS, HOROSCOPE**

**MOVIE  
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**ASK GEORGIANA**

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## Hi All,

In this issue of The Islands Marketplace we present our Halloween Photo Contest Winners and our Movie Trivia Contest Winner. Although our entries were few, we are pleased to receive participation from those involved and we thank our business sponsors for making these contests possible.

Georgian Reehl offers some more great advice and household tips in her "Ask Georgiana" column. Send us an email if you'd like her to help with some of your pressing household dilemmas and questions.

In time with Remembrance Day, writer Sheri Cyprus offers some facts and military history on Canada's first lighthouse on the West Coast, the Fisgard Lighthouse near Fort Rodd Hill, in Victoria.

Two great businesses in Crofton are taking advantage of the free ferry service for seniors as walk-on passengers Monday to Thursday. Litos Cafe has Thursday night dinner specials and Crofton Technologies now offers affordable computer classes. Check out their ads in this issue and call them for info.

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As a Salt Spring Island resident, I would like to express my gratitude and thankfulness for being able to live in such a great community, abundant in positive energy, peaceful endeavours and fantastic talent in the arts. Thank you so much to those in our community like Stewart Katz, Victoria Mihalyi, Sid and Arvid, Andrea and Gary and many, many others who bring us fresh entertainment, knowledge, humour, passion and pride in their goals and objectives, whether it is art, comedy, personal reflection or global initiatives - the world and Salt Spring Island is a better place because of people like you.

Enjoy this issue and see you at the Cenotaph- Sandi Poystila

At this time of year we would like to gratefully acknowledge and honour the veterans of war who have bravely sacrificed so much for our freedom.

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**APPLIANCES**

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Appliances wanted - fridge and stove. 538-0056. 11-21

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**Featured Non-Profit Organization:**

**Remembrance Day Ceremonies**



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**Tuesday, November 11, 2008**

**Pender Island Ceremonies**

Remembrance Day Ceremonies at 10:45am at the Legion Cenotaph (MacKinnon Road)

**Salt Spring Island Ceremonies**

Pancake Breakfast at the Meaden Hall (below the Legion) on Blain Road. - 8:30 to 10:30am  
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# The Islands Marketplace CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7

"The Duchess" and "Brick Lane" at the Fritz Movie Theatre, Saltspring Island. Call 537-4656 or visit [www.thefritz.ca](http://www.thefritz.ca). Win two tickets to the movie theatre, when you enter the movie trivia contest on page 7.

Live Music - "Shag Harbour" at the Dancing Bean Cafe in Chemainus.

Friday Nature Adventures! Games, stories, tracking, crafts and outdoor skills for kids from 6-12. Every Friday 10-3. Wisdom of the Earth 653-9122 for details.

Rollerblading at the Fulford Hall. 7pm for novices and little people. 7:30pm general.

"Folk tales from Japan" with guest story teller, Rose Murakami. Stories & activities for children 7 and under. Storytime at the Saltspring Public library is from 1 pm to 2 pm. Free. 250-537-1576.

Back by Popular Demand! T.I.T.S (The Islands Trust Story - all candidates) presented by The Geezers and Friends at Artspring on Friday, and Saturday, Nov. 8th, at 8pm. Sid and Arvid are back and are bringing us a broadcast of the Saltspring Island Underground Radio Call in show.

Mayne Island Music Society Presents Doc MacLean and Michael Pickett. Join two of Canada's most uncompromising, most traveled acoustic blues artists as they bring the real deal to Mayne Island Agricultural Hall, 430 Fernhill Road, Mayne Island, 7:30pm

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Dad 'n' Me - Meet and eat pancakes with dads and kids at Family Place on Fulford-Ganges Rd., Saltspring. 8:30-10:30 a.m. 537-9176

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Copper Kettle Community Partnership's Annual fundraiser, Flea Market, Auction and Dance from 6:30pm to Midnight at Mahon Hall. Three great bands. Dance starts at 8pm. Funds raised support families in need, poor, elderly and others. Call 250-537-5863 for more info or to donate to the auction.

Metropolitan Opera - ArtSpring is joining the ranks of theatres across North America who are presenting live broadcasts of Metropolitan Opera performances! [www.artspring.ca](http://www.artspring.ca) or 537-2102 for tickets. 10am at ArtSpring.

Delhi 2 Dublin - Dance Party at the South Galiano Community Hall at 8:30pm. [www.myspace.com/delhi2dublin](http://www.myspace.com/delhi2dublin) or call 250-539-3767.

4th Annual Pender Island Christmas Craft Fair: Get a start on your holiday shopping with this annual showcase of eclectic, hand fashioned arts and crafts! 10am to 3pm at the Pender Islands School, 5714 Canal Rd. [penderisland@canada.com](mailto:penderisland@canada.com)

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Live Music - "Kitsch 'n' Synch" at the Dancing Bean Cafe in Chemainus. Call 250-245-5050 for info or visit [www.dancingbean.ca](http://www.dancingbean.ca)

## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

Karen Jamieson Dance Company from Vancouver is performing at ArtSpring at 2:30 pm. 537-2102 for info.

## MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10

Floor Hockey at the Fulford Hall at 7 p.m. All welcome. Info: 250-537-9369.

Rug Huggers - 10:00am -1:00pm, For babies, their parents, and siblings to visit, play and eat lunch at Family Place, 537-9176, Fulford Ganges Road.

Kindergym at the Community Gospel Centre at 147 Vesuvius Bay Rd., SSI. 9:30-11am 537-2622 for info. All tots 0-4 and parents/caregivers are welcome to enjoy our indoor play area. \$2 donation.

## TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

Remembrance Day Ceremonies begin at 10:45 am, downtown Ganges at Centennial Park.

Movie Premier of Gary McNutt's "Inside Out" - Showing of film about islanders' participation in grassroots development in Africa, plus discussion on effective global citizenship with Me Senyane, Lesotho's High Commissioner to Canada and others. ArtSpring. 7 p.m.

Toy Library. Free toys to borrow for kids 0-6 at SS Elementary. Tuesdays from 11 a.m. to noon.

## WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Fitness for Families at Portlock Park, SSI. 10am. Bring a stroller and baby and meet other parents for a weekly workout with toddlers too.

PALS -- Parents as Literacy Support. Part of 10-session program for parents & their 4-5-year-old children. SS Elementary. Info: Kathryn Akehurst, 250-537-5548.

Tango Dance. All levels every Wednesday at Core Inn, Top Floor. 8:00 pm. Call Hans, 537-9499 or Bruce @ 537-5260 for info.

## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Kindergym at the Community Gospel Centre at 147 Vesuvius Bay Rd., SSI. 9:30-11am 537-2622 info. Tots 0-4 & parents/caregivers welcome. \$2.

Sp splash presents /More Men a La Mode/ at Harbour House, 5:30pm. Dinner and Fashion Show. \$40 includes \$15 donation for UV System for pool. Tickets at Rainbow Pool or call Wendy 653-4034.

## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Cruise night to Lito's in Crofton - "Ukrainian Night". Check our website for Thursday's Dinner special - [www.litoscafe.ca](http://www.litoscafe.ca)

Christmas Chaos, Duncan's Giant Arts & Crafts Fair at the Cowichan Center on James street. noon to 9pm

Gulf Islands flu clinics at the Galiano Lion's Hall from 1: 30pm to 4:30pm.

Pender Film Group Screenings "Edge of Heaven" (2007)—a Turkish man travels to Istanbul to find the daughter of his father's former girlfriend. At the Pender Islands Community Hall, 4418 Bedwell Harbour Road. Info: [info@penderislands.org](mailto:info@penderislands.org) (250) 629-3669

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Rollerblading at the Fulford Hall. 7 - 7:30 for novices. 7:30 - 9 general skating.

Happy 100th to Anne of Green Gables. Celebrate Canada's favourite red-head - Stories & activities at the library is from 1 pm to 2 pm, for 3-6 year olds and hangers-on. Bring your own lap. Free. 250-537-1576.

Friday Nature Adventures! Games, stories, tracking, crafts and outdoor skills for kids from 6-12. Every Friday 10-3. Wisdom of the Earth 653-9122 for details.

"Quantum of Solace (Bond)" opens tonight at the Fritz Movie Theatre, Saltspring Island. Call 537-4656 or visit [www.thefritz.ca](http://www.thefritz.ca). Win two tickets to the movie theatre, when you enter the movie trivia contest on page 7.

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Live Music - "Cameron Latimer" at the Dancing Bean Cafe in Chemainus. Call 250-245-5050 or [www.dancingbean.ca](http://www.dancingbean.ca)

Comox Valley Art Gallery 34th Annual Christmas Craft Fair - Now to Dec. 31. Jewellery, pottery, wood, ornaments, glass, etc. At the Comox Valley Art Gallery, 580 Duncan Ave., Comox. Info: 250-338-6211 or: [www.comoxvalleyartgallery.com](http://www.comoxvalleyartgallery.com)

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Dad 'n' Me - Meet and eat pancakes with dads and kids at Family Place on Fulford-Ganges Rd., Saltspring. 8:30-10:30 a.m. 537-9176.

Fabulous Fleamarket from 10am to 2pm at the Fulford Hall. Table rentals available. Bargains galore and homemade goodies. For reservations call 537-5482.

Christmas Chaos, Duncan's Giant Arts & Crafts Fair at the Cowichan Center on James street. 10am to 5pm

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Live Music - "The Ecclestons" at the Dancing Bean Cafe in Chemainus. Call 250-245-5050 for info or visit [www.dancingbean.ca](http://www.dancingbean.ca)

## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16

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## MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17

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Floor Hockey at the Fulford Hall. Mondays 7 p.m. All welcome. Info: 250-537-9369.

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## TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Toy Library. Free toys to borrow for kids 0-6 at SS Elementary. Tuesdays from 11 a.m. to noon.

Gulf Islands flu clinics at the Pender Island Parish Hall 10am to 2pm.

## WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19

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## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20

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## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Friday Nature Adventures! Games, stories, tracking, crafts and outdoor skills for kids from 6-12. Every Friday 10-3. Wisdom of the Earth 653-9122 for details.

Nov. 21, 22 and 23 - Women's Weekend clay retreat. 6pm to 9pm at Creative Fire Art Studio. Phone 250-538-0144 for info. [www.creativefirestudio.org](http://www.creativefirestudio.org)

Live Music - "21 Tandem Repeats" at the Dancing Bean Cafe in Chemainus. Call 250-245-5050 or visit [www.dancingbean.ca](http://www.dancingbean.ca)

Storytime at the SSI Public Library. Come for delightful stories written by Astrid Lindgren, the creator of Pippi Longstocking, 1 to 2 pm, for 3-6 year olds. 250-537-1576.

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

Email us your event listing. See below. Our next issue is Friday November 21. The deadline is Tuesday, November 18.

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1987 4X4 Pathfinder, standard, V6, 3 door, great shape, blue, new good quality winter tires, recently tuned up, has new battery, plugs, etc. reliable winter transportation, classic 4X4. \$3200. phone: 250 653-9612. 11-07

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1987 Subaru GL wagon, 4x4, small 4cyl engine, AC, white, runs OK. \$1100. phone: 250-653-9636. 12-05

**AUTOS FOR SALE**

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Boats and Marine- 2 Coast Guard approved survival suits. 1 medium and 1 large \$500.00 for the pair. 1-250-537-6709. 12-19

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## AUTO REPAIRS

## BOATS AND MARINE

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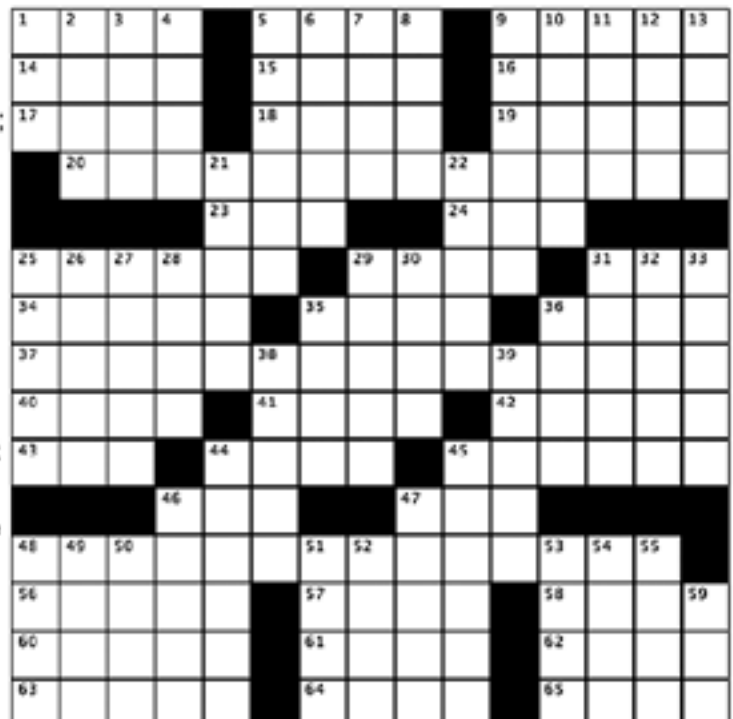
Crossword Puzzle answers are on page 15 of this issue.

### Across

1- Bites; 5- Raised platform; 9- Prohibit; 14- Faithful; 15- Sea-going eagle; 16- Winged; 17- Gap; 18- Beethoven's birthplace; 19- Island near Sicily; 20- A type of evidence; 23- Bambi's aunt; 24- Shelter; 25- Parka; 29- Aforementioned; 31- Baseball execs; 34- Seine spot; 35- Christmas; 36- Scared; 37- Make a trade?; 40- Time to give up?; 41- Sneaky guy?; 42- District in Tokyo; 43- That, in Tijuana; 44- Charter; 45- Gambler; 46- Racket; 47- Metal container used for frying; 48- Lockable metal box; 56- Exhausted; 57- Word that can precede hygiene, tradition and agreement.; 58- Came down to earth; 60- Revere; 61- Where heroes are made; 62- Wife of Jacob; 63- Red Sea land; 64- A bit; 65- Accent;

### Down

1- High degree; 2- Camaro model; 3- Hungarian sheepdog; 4- Psychic; 5- Expose as being false; 6- Smell, usually a pleasant one; 7- Taverns; 8- Posted; 9- Doomed; 10- Gladden; 11- Indonesian resort island; 12- \_\_\_ boy; 13- Actual; 21- Quit; 22- Strange; 25- Pomme or manzana; 26- Nostrils; 27- Home of the Black Bears; 28- Fissure; 29- Connected series of rooms; 30- vera; 31- Reflect; 32- Middle; 33- Vow; 35- Belgian river; 35- Flutter; 38- Thorn; 39- Cause; 44- Concealed; 45- Magistrate; 46- Caterpillar rival; 47- Sacred song; 48- Stick around; 49- Helper; 50- Gift tag word; 51- Seed containers; 52- Sweet sandwich; 53- Latvian, e.g.; 54- Butter alternative; 55- Capital of Shaanxi province, China; 59- Definite article;



# Salt Spring Concert Band performance features 13 year old piano prodigy



Piano Prodigy Matthew Stubbs to perform November 29 at ArtSpring.

The Salt Spring Concert Band showcases new talent with "Stravinsky and Beyond".

This exciting performance will feature 13 year old piano prodigy, Matthew Stubbs, in a Salt Spring premiere performance of Concerto for Piano and Winds by Stravinsky. Stubbs is student at Salt Spring Middle School and the 2008 winner of the SSCB Solo Competition, wowing the judges with his masterful performance of this fiendishly difficult work.

Matthew has been a soloist in the Westchester Philharmonic Young Artist Series, and with the Solstice Ensemble of Teaneck, NJ. He is currently a member of the Salt Spring Middle School Jazz Band and prior to that was pianist with the Thomas Jefferson Middle School in Teaneck, NJ.

Matthew is the 2008 winner of the Salt Spring Concert Bands 8th Annual Solo Competition. He studied with David Oei in New York City, but at present is studying with Robert Holliston at the Victoria Conservatory of Music.

The band will also premiere an exciting new composition by sax player and past band member, Seth von Handorf. Get your tickets soon for this not to be missed musical tour de force on Saturday, November 29, 2008, 8 PM. Tickets at ArtSpring.

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# First Defence: The Military History of Fort Rodd Hill and the Fisgard Lighthouse

By Sheri Cyprus

## 1860 – First West Coast Lighthouse

Built 16 November, 1860, the Fisgard Lighthouse is Canada's first lighthouse on the west coast. This distinctive red brick building with the white tower is located at the entrance to Esquimalt Harbour.

## 1878 – First Coastal Artillery Batteries

The first coastal artillery batteries were created at Fort Rodd Hill in 1878 as a defensive strategy to protect the harbours of Victoria and Esquimalt. It was feared that the increasing British-Russian tensions would lead to a war and a coastal attack. Although the batteries never had to be used for any military retaliation, they were crucial in protecting the city of Victoria. The Navy ships were able to anchor securely there as well.

## 1895 – 1897 – Batteries with Disappearing Guns

The Upper Battery and Lower Battery of Fort Rodd Hill were built between 1895 and 1897 at the height of the British Empire. The "disappearing gun" system was used with one gun in the Upper Battery and two guns in the Lower Battery. Although rather slow-firing, these types of guns were hidden behind concrete, lifted to fire and then lowered to avoid being destroyed by enemy shells.

## 1898 – 1900 – The Battery with the Fast Gun

Belmont Battery, the third of Fort Rodd Hill's three batteries, was built between 1898 and 1900. The defensive strategy this time was to install fast-firing guns that could handle the quick Russian torpedo boats.

## 1905 – The Break Up of the British Pacific Squadron

The British Pacific Squadron was disbanded in 1905. The Royal Engineers and the Royal Garrison Artillery had over 60 members that stayed on at Fort Rodd Hill with Canadian Forces.

## 1916 – Almost Sinking the Wrong Submarines

According to the Canadian Forces Base (CFB) Esquimalt Military Museum, on the first day of World War I, a Fort Rodd Hill battery had the guns ready to fire at two submarines. Luckily, the fire was stopped in time as the vessels had been purchased by the BC government for the Royal Canadian Navy. It seems no one was told to expect the new subs.

## 1929 – Fisgard Lighthouse Becomes Automated

The end of lighthouse keepers in the Fisgard Lighthouse was marked by automated operation of the facilities in 1929. George Nickolas Davies had been the first full time lighthouse keeper at Fisgard. A native of Wales, he and his wife and three children took 196 days to travel to British Columbia.

## 1956 – Guns Removed From Fort Rodd Hill

The guns were removed from Fort Rodd Hill in 1956 because the equipment was considered outdated. The once strategic defence systems were replaced by new technologies. The Fort Rodd Hill National Historic Site was designated by Parks Canada in 1958 and the Site was created in 1962.



1942 British BSA folding "airborne bicycle" (2nd model) which belonged to Colin Macgregor Stevens of Richmond, BC. Shown here with owner in front of a 1944 gun turret at Fort Rodd Hill National Historic Site, near Victoria, BC. Photo courtesy of Colin Stevens.



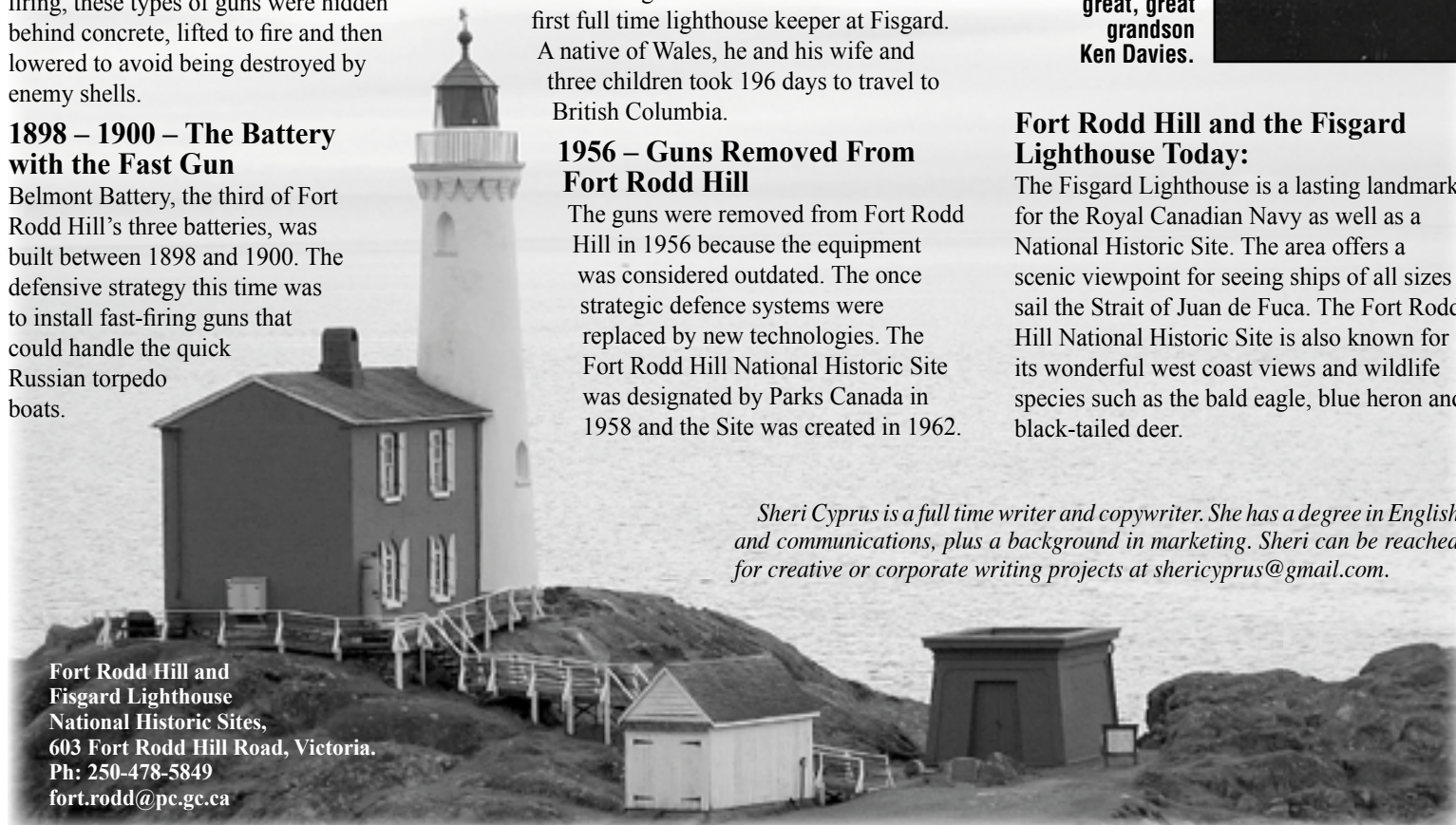
George Nickolas Davies, the first lighthouse keeper at Fisgard. Photo from his great, great, great grandson Ken Davies.

## Fort Rodd Hill and the Fisgard Lighthouse Today:

The Fisgard Lighthouse is a lasting landmark for the Royal Canadian Navy as well as a National Historic Site. The area offers a scenic viewpoint for seeing ships of all sizes sail the Strait of Juan de Fuca. The Fort Rodd Hill National Historic Site is also known for its wonderful west coast views and wildlife species such as the bald eagle, blue heron and black-tailed deer.

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Sunny bedroom to rent in 2 br cottage/house. Wood stove, hardwood floors, laundry, bath/shower, fridge/stove (all new), veggie garden, great water, big rap around wood deck, south facing sunny location with lots of windows, close to ocean and trails. I (your roommate to be) am a clean and organized 28 year old male with a healing practice and healthy, peaceful way of life. If you need a warm sanctuary for the Winter or beyond in a mostly vegetarian household, call 653-4443. \$475/mo. including wood heat. Must have a day job. N/S, N/P. Available December. 12-19

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## RENTALS WANTED

2 adults seeking a 2 bedroom house for Nov1-long term. We don't smoke or drink or eat meat. We are both employed and have excellent island references. Preferably closer to Ganges than not. Nitai Gauranga! phone: 250-538-7062. 12-05

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Bi-weekly horoscope contributed by Patrick Arundell. Visit his website at [www.patrickarundell.com](http://www.patrickarundell.com) for more great features... see below.

### ARIES Mar 21st - Apr 20th

There have been a lot of discussions in the last couple of months, now you're going to be more concerned with finding hard and fast answers. And this can see you impatient - though dynamic. Initially however, you can find yourself chasing an unworkable relationship or dream. But with persistence, you can glean the answers that you desire.

### TAURUS Apr 21st - May 21st

Your financial fortunes can be transformed, but not in the way you might first imagine. Although somebody does win the big prize draws or lotteries, many others don't. Instead your landscape is likely to be changed by downsizing, remortgaging or joining forces with a partner or friend and pooling your resources. A Winter holiday can also be booked.

### GEMINI May 22nd - Jun 21st

The devil is in the detail. How many times have we all heard this old cliché? And indeed from now, the moment you take your eye off something important, the chances are it will go awry. The only thing to avoid here is if you become too focused in the pursuit of perfection. This may sound contradictory, but if you are, sharp words will be exchanged.

### CANCER Jun 22nd - Jul 23rd

Put your more conservative tendencies to one side. Sometimes life benefits from colour and imagination. Being a good citizen is worthy, but do you have other qualities that have been quietly simmering on the backburner which need to come to the fore? If so, don't be fearful if these are zany or unique. Being different is in vogue these days.

### LEO Jul 24th - Aug 23rd

Rather than entering the vagaries of the housing market, some are deciding to stay where they are. If this resonates, what you can do is take a step back or ask for some expert advice to try to find ways to free up additional space or make improvements to your abode. An outsider's eye can be particularly helpful. They may see things you can't Leo.

### VIRGO Aug 24th - Sep 23rd

If a better period for familial relationships shapes up, it can improve your frame of mind. And despite your initial insistence that you never would, it can be you who makes the first move to resolve things. Romantically, things look delicious. This does not mean you're certain to meet the love of your life, but your chances are certainly heightened.

### LIBRA Sep 24th - Oct 23rd

If someone is a bit full-on about a financial matter, don't feel that you can't say no or negotiate your side of things. In fact, if anyone tries to be unfair, it could make you rather cross. If you're looking for new ways to cut your costs, you may have to invest first. This can be in a labour saving device or better insulation for your home. Try to be farsighted.

### SCORPIO Oct 24th - Nov 22nd

This can be one of the most progressive weeks of the year. And yet with Neptune mischief making be sure you're not tempted to spin a line to get others on-board. To capitalise on a very special skyscape, you may need to make some snap decisions. If you're someone who is comfortable thinking on your feet, all well and good, if not, prepare yourself.

### SAGITTARIUS Nov 23rd - Dec 21st

We can all exaggerate - even when it's an innocent attempt to make a tale more compelling. Yet someone may be about to tell you a whopper. So, don't believe everything you're told. However, this can be a very important time for your love life. A long running saga may come to a close or you may be about to embark on a glorious new chapter.

### CAPRICORN Dec 22nd - Jan 20th

That old chestnut of keeping business and pleasure apart comes to mind once more Capricorn. And yet ironically, if you're on the same wavelength as a long standing or newer friend, this can be a time when you can experience a very varied and enjoyable time together. Group ventures may also feature and a trip to the ski slopes could be mooted.

### AQUARIUS Jan 21st - Feb 19th

Your stock can be high, and a rise in standing is possible. The caveat is that if you need to explain your big idea to a doubtful boss or parent, do carefully choose your words. If you're talking about concepts, they may be unimpressed. Hard and fast facts are set to be the currency at this particular time. However, your confidence can be good. Surf this.

### PISCES Feb 20th - Mar 20th

The world can be receptive to you this week, perhaps more than you realise. If you're travelling this would be a marvellous time to experience new places or different cultures. You may also find yourself reading about far off lands, learning a new language or signing up for an inspiring course. If life seems dull and predictable, resolve to shake it up.

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*Georgiana Reehl has been a chef for over 30 years in Europe, Britain, the US and now Canada; most recently I ran a trendy International Restaurant in Calgary and now caters for the Lions Club. She owns a well established cleaning business, "Maids Personally" now serving SaltSpring Islanders. Contact Georgiana at 537-1517 or email: maidspersonally@shaw.ca.*

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# Speakeasy a Hit!



Merry Murderesses Victoria Mihalyi and Kathleen Donovan try to reason with the Purple Angel, played by Bryan Jamieson.

By Sandi Poystila

A fantastic performance was put on by the Aerial Arts Theatre's production of "SpeakEasy". Such a huge amount of talent displayed by everyone involved in the show. The effort and passion given by each person involved is amazing. The incredible acting, dance, singing, aerial arts, direction, choreography, narration and stage management magically brought the wonderful story to life. The witty characters, beautiful costumes and breathtaking aerial arts grabbed the audience's attention and kept them spellbound. "Who needs Vegas" commented someone from the audience. Congratulations to Victoria, her cast and crew for their fabulous creation. We are so privileged to have such talent in our community. Keep up the great work, and thank you for sharing your talents with us.

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