

## Union Bay Community Club News Letter

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**March 2017**

### **Flea Market 2017**

The Union Bay Community Club is hosting a  
Flea Market Sale, to be held in the Hall

on **Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

Tables \$15.00 each



Good quality wares — no large appliances or large furniture please.

Light refreshments available

For more information, or to register,

Call Dave Davidson — 250-335-2317

or go to [ubcc-events.ca](http://ubcc-events.ca)

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# Union Bay Community Church News

Sunday Church Services and Sunday School

Refreshments following

**Services - 11:00 a.m.**

***The United Church Women's St. Patrick's coffee party will be held on  
Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup> starting at 10:00 a.m. in the Church Hall  
(entrance at the back of the church).***

**EVERYONE WELCOME!**

***Union Bay United Community Church, the Friendly Church***

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## **Pythian Sisters Meat Draw**

For those of you who still haven't joined us on **Saturdays at 3:30 p.m. at the Highwayman Pub** you are missing fun and prizes from our supplier, Courtenay's Butchers Block. Thank you to all of our supporters!

If anyone needs some catering assistance, please contact Sister Linda McKay at 250-757-9499 or Sister Ann Pratt at 250-335-2216.

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## **ATTENTION SPORTS FANS BALL SEASON IS NEAR!**



***The Community Club is looking for someone to operate the concession stand for the season (May to mid July). You rent the stand at \$10 per game and keep any profit you make. Or, the Community Club would like volunteers that would run the concession with profits going to the Community Club. For more info call Darcy at 250-650-1626.***

### **Just a few reminders**

- All teams will be contacted soon with the date of the first planning meeting.
- If you have a group or club that would like to use the grounds for tournaments etc. you must reserve it and pay a fee. Please check with Georgina (250-335-1275) to see if your date is available.
- Dog walkers, please clean up after your pets.
- Smokers, please use tins supplied when butting out.



**Thank you!**



The “**Down By The Bay**” newsletter is available on the web at [ubcc.ca/newsletters](http://ubcc.ca/newsletters). Previous issues of the newsletter can also be found there

Sign up and you can get the “Down By the Bay” newsletter emailed to you. Send an email to

[ub.dbtb@gmail.com](mailto:ub.dbtb@gmail.com) with the subject line ‘sign me up’.

Ideas for new articles are always appreciated. Is there a Union Bay citizen you would like highlighted? A story to be told? Please submit to [ub.dbtb@gmail.com](mailto:ub.dbtb@gmail.com)

## Advertising and Articles in the Down by The Bay

Thank you for your assistance in the operation of our Union Bay newsletter. Submission may be mailed to Box 335, Union Bay, BC V0R 3B0 or emailed to [ub.dbtb@gmail.com](mailto:ub.dbtb@gmail.com). Alternately, articles could be dropped off with Dave Davidson. To make arrangements or if you have questions please call Dave at 250-335-2317. Cut off is the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month for the next issue.

Business card size 3 ½” x 2 ½”

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½ page 8” x 5”

Full page 8” x 10”

\$9.00 per issue

18.00 per issue

36.00 per issue

72.00 per issue

***A big thank you to our advertiser!***

***Without your support we would not have this publication!***

## Annual Union Bay Spring Craft Fair

**Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup>,  
10 a.m. to 3 p.m.**



***Free Admission – Lunch available  
For More Information call Dave at 250-335-2317***



## THE LIONS ROAR

The Baynes Sound Lions are pleased to announce that because of the continued support of the community the Annual Wheelbarrow push was again a big success bringing in **\$11,443.16**.

A special thanks to Murray from the Highwayman Saloon who generously provided tired and hungry walkers with a healthy lunch.

**Steve Cowan, C.D., U.E., L.R.H.S.C will give a presentation on Heraldry after the AGM.  
Refreshments will be served.**

## Janette Glover-Geidt

*The Chinese were hardest hit. By mid-November, 29 Chinese at Union Bay had it. A Chinese doctor from Victoria came up to treat them. Still, 18 Orientals died in the Valley. Nettie Marshall (Jones) was the first white person to contract the flu. Her Mother and three siblings were all sick at once. Mr. Marshall and 12 year old Bill looked after them; wiping them down, emptying chamber pots, giving them water. The company nurse, Mrs. Reid, also attended the family. She made pneumonia jackets for them, which were supposed to keep their lungs warm. Neighbours brought soups and stews, but being wary, left them on the doorstep.*



*With most of the suffering over by Christmas, the statistics were published. The District population was 3,184 with 1,598 flu cases and 28 deaths. In Union Bay 72 cases were reported, with 4 deaths, all of them Chinese.*

**Just For Joy Singers: Phone Sandra Carruthers at 250-335-1683 for more information.**

I am able to help with: \_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

# **Union Bay is a great community!!!!**

## **– get involved – share your skills and talents – volunteer**

The Union Bay Community Club offers this opportunity to get to know your community and contribute to the cause. Would you consider offering a small portion of your time?

Volunteer jobs coming up that you may wish to lend your skills and help with:

- ☒ Craft Fair assistant – three times per year
- ☒ Intermittent odd jobs that can be done on your time frame.

Ideas for new programs are encouraged. Put your thoughts together and present your plan or idea at a monthly meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month. Community Club contact is Dave Davidson at 250-250-2317 or leave a message at 250/335-2500.

Local interest articles or ads for the Down by The Bay are welcomed. Submissions can be emailed to: [ub.dbtb@gmail.com](mailto:ub.dbtb@gmail.com).



***Union Bay Community Club Membership is \$10 for each year.  
Due on September 1<sup>st</sup>.***

***Your membership helps to support the hall and grounds.***

***Contact Donna McKay at 250-335-2147 or  
mail payment to PO Box 132, Union Bay, BC V0R 3B0***

### **MILLIE McKAY**

**A lovely lady of our community will be missed.**

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Ignore the pain  
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Forget and forgive  
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**‘LOSS OF GRAVITY’ WOMEN’S FAST BALL TEAM** wants to thank all those who supported them in their fund raising efforts to travel to New Zealand.


The team is hosting a roast beef THANK YOU dinner on **Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup>**. You can get the dinner and a drink for **\$15**.

The dinner is being held upstairs at the Community Hall, starting at 6:00 p.m.  
Contact Arlene 250-897-6910 or Jen 250-218-5694 for tickets.



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**UBCU Adult Learner bursaries**

Apply by March 31 for one of up to seven \$750 adult learner bursaries. Details in-branch or at [www.ubcu.ca/Personal/CommunityConnect](http://www.ubcu.ca/Personal/CommunityConnect)

<p><b>Union Bay Branch</b> t 250.335.2122   f 250.335.2131</p>	<p><b>Lighthouse Branch</b> t 250.757.8146   f 250.757.8185</p>	<p><b>Hornby Island Branch</b> t 250.335.2326   f 250.335.2370</p>
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## YOGA

Drop In Sessions

**\$8**

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**EFFECTIVE MARCH 14, 2017**

9 am - 4:30 pm, Tuesday-Friday | 9 am - 12:30 pm, Saturdays

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This hall located at 418 Ship's Point Road in Fanny Bay is available for rent for large and small groups. It has seating up to 65 people. The rates are reasonable for both daily and monthly use.

For more information:

Call Bruce Mills @ 250-335-1337

Email [fannybayseniors@shaw.ca](mailto:fannybayseniors@shaw.ca)

Website: [fannybayseniors.jimdo.com](http://fannybayseniors.jimdo.com)



*SPRING AHEAD ON*

*SUNDAY MARCH 12<sup>TH</sup>.*



## Apply before March 31 for a UBCU student bursary

Our credit union is only as strong as the communities we serve. That's why we're incredibly proud to award up to \$5,250 in student bursaries each year to help our members pursue their educational endeavours.

Each spring, we award up to seven bursaries of \$750 each to deserving Union Bay Credit Union members or their children/dependents. Applicants may be either high school students moving on to post-secondary studies or adult learners returning to formal education. Recipients are chosen based on their community involvement, achievement and financial need.

"The costs of post-secondary education have risen exponentially, and consequently so has the amount of the bursaries we award each year," says UBCU director and bursary committee member Dianne Christensen. "In the past 10 years, the total value of the bursaries we award has increased 700 per cent as both community need and our capacity to help have grown."

Applications for UBCU adult learner bursaries will be accepted until March 31; download an application at [www.ubcu.ca/Personal/CommunityConnect/Bursaries](http://www.ubcu.ca/Personal/CommunityConnect/Bursaries) or ask for one at your local Union Bay Credit Union branch. High school students must apply through their respective schools. Adult learner bursary recipients will be selected in mid-April.

"If you're a high school or continuing education student with a tie to UBCU, we want to help support you financially with the cost of your education," says Christensen. "As a community credit union, supporting our members is simply at the heart of everything we do."

# UNION BAY GARDENERS

We are a group of volunteers who maintain the Boulevard Gardens along the Coastal Highway. These stretch from south of McLeod to the old school. The group normally meets on the second Tuesday every month (March – October) at 8:30 a.m. for a couple of hours or more. Timing is fairly flexible, with gardeners often setting their own work times to suit their schedules or preferences.



We encourage any interested volunteers, even if they can only spare an hour, to work independently at any time. Please get in touch with us if interested.

For more information or to join us in this worthwhile cause, please call: Mike Robson, Coordinator  
[mrobson@telusplanet.net](mailto:mrobson@telusplanet.net)  
250-335-0298

**PLEASE NOTE THE VALLEYCHILD POP UP PROGRAM WILL CONTINUE IN UNION BAY FOR THE MOST OF MARCH.**

**PLEASE COME AND JOIN THEM ON TUESDAYS, MARCH 21<sup>ST</sup> & 28<sup>TH</sup>**

COMOX VALLEY  
Child Development Association

 Early Years  
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**POP UP™ PROGRAM**

Please join us for an opportunity to meet and socialize with other Union Bay families and care providers in your own community. Everyone welcome ages 0-5 to play and make friends. Receive information about Comox Valley family resources and supports.



**COME JOIN US AT:**  
UNION BAY COMMUNITY HALL  
Tuesday mornings  
January 17, 2017 - February 7, 2017  
10:00—11:30am

**SHARE WITH US:**  
Simple children's art activities  
Books and puzzles  
A variety of children's play stations  
Coffee and snacks  
Info on community supports and resources

**PROVIDED BY:**  
Qualified Early Years Staff  
Appropriate for children 0-5 years old

**CAREPROVIDERS WELCOME**

**PARENT SUPERVISION REQUIRED**

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Check out [Valleychild.ca](http://Valleychild.ca) for additional Pop Up Program location and times

For more information contact:

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