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Quadra's Eric Peterson Awarded Order of Canada



On May 12, 2017, in a formal ceremony at Rideau Hall, Governor General David Johnson presented Eric L. Peterson of Heriot Bay the Order of Canada, Canada's most prestigious and meaningful award to Canadians who "desire a better Canada". We on Quadra Island know Eric as the cofounder, along with his wife Christina Munck, of Tula Foundation and the force behind Hakai Institute, a science research institute located on Calvert and Quadra Islands. Eric was recognized with the Order of Canada medal and the following words:

"Eric Peterson is a hands-on philanthropist who supports initiatives that produce tangible results. Following his success as a scientist and entrepreneur in the field of medical imaging, he launched the Tula Foundation to tackle deep-rooted health and environmental issues through science, education and community leadership.

His efforts, in collaboration with a network of partners, have resulted in several notable programs, including the Hakai Institute, which conducts long-term ecological research and community initiatives in remote locations on the British Columbia coast; and TulaSalud, which addresses primary health systems and nursing in rural regions of Guatemala."

Congratulations and gratitude go to Eric for his commitment and contributions both nationally and internationally.

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At Your HBI

TONIGHT! Friday May 19. Harpdog Brown abounds with blues and grit! Don't miss this unforgettable show! 15.00\door. 9:00pm HBI Pub

Sunday June 4; Valdy Dinner Show in Herons. Be thoroughly entertained by this amazing folk Canadian Icon while enjoying a beautiful two course meal. 55.00. 5:00pm seating. 285-3322 to reserve.

June 7...what's up?... it's **UofQ Prom**!!! The Prom you never had or the Prom you need to redo. Dress it up and pump it up Quadra Style with Professor Terryl Bertagnolli's class at 7:00 and DJ Nick Lawrence taking the stage at 9:00pm.

Saturday June 17: Sign up for the **Tiny Tricycle Poets Poetry Night** with three internationally and locally recognized individuals, Emma Field, Angelica Poversky and Andrew Warner, they have competed and performed all over Canada. Poetry performance by the trio and spoken word open slam. This is a non competitive event, phone the Inn to sign up to participate and receive instructions. Herons. 7:00pm. \$5.00. Reserve for dinner before; 285-3322.

Sunday June 18; Go Dad Go! Fathers Day Two Course Dinner. Caesar Salad followed by a 10 oz grilled NY Steak and garlic buttered poached prawns, crushed potatoes, green bean and peppercorn sauce. 39.

U of Q. Wednesdays... May 24th; Defend yourself on the internet (few others will...) with Tim Lavoie and Janne Heinonen ...May 31st; Megalithic Cultures + Underground Cities, what you haven't been told with Shane Mawhinney. 7:00pm. Pub Education, relaxed learning.

Karaoke; Scotty's back every second Tuesday for a Karaoke party! May 30th, June 13th and June 27th. Show off your talent, amaze your friends! Everybody has fun at Karaoke! HBI Pub. 9:00pm

HBI Friday Night Bands: May 26; The Jagsters - Classic Blues & Classic Rock ...June 2nd; DUFFY LIVE! - Great Rock 'n Roll Dancing Fun ...June 9th; Sons Of Guns - Rhythm + Blues + Rock. 9PM. HBI Pub. N\C

HBI Pub Saturdays Open Mic; Mo and the band are making music magic every Saturday! Join in and make some magic of your own!

Hockey Playoffs are here! Enjoy the excitement on the 8 foot screen in the HBI Pub!



THE ISLAND CALENDAR

Day to Day

Friday, May 19

• Live Music: Harpdog Brown, HBI Pub 9pm \$15

Saturday, May 20

- Cortes SeaFest, Gorge Harbour Marina
- Metal Fest at Quadra Legion doors 8pm \$15

Monday, May 22

• Rebecca Spit Broompull 10 am to 12 noon

Friday, May 26

• Live Music: The Jagsters, HBI Pub 9pm N/C

Saturday, May 27

- May Day parade starts at 10 am, Rebecca Spit
- Live Music: The Eclectics Quadra Legion \$15

Saturday-Sunday, June 3-4

• Quadra Island Artists Studio Tour, \$5

Friday, June 2

- Live Music: Twin Peaks at Kameleon doors 6pm
- Live Music: Duffy Live HBI Pub 9pm N/C

The Regulars

MONDAY

AA, Big Book Study, 7pm Quadra United Church

TUESDAY

Al-Anon Meeting, Quadra Children's Centre, 7:30pm

WEDNESDAY

1st & 3rd Wednesday Food Bank,QCC 1–2pm Prayer Meeting, Quadra Island Bible Church, 7pm Poker Night, Quadra Legion, Heriot Bay 7:30pm Hand Drum Jam, 7:30 p.m. Upper Realm, Q. Cove

FRIDAY

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8pm Quadra United Church

SATURDAY

Farmers Market in Quathiaski Cove 10 am - 2pm Meat Draw, Quadra Legion, Heriot Bay 5 pm Open Mic with Mo, 9pm at the HBI pub

SUNDAY

Buddhist Meditation, 10 a.m., Upper Realm, Q. Cove Family Service, Quadra Island Bible Church, 10:30am Quadra Sunday Painters, 11am-2pm, 285.3390 United Church Service 11am except for 3rd Sunday Evening Service, 7:30pm, 285.3163

Source: Environment Canada

Fri 19 May	Sat 20 May	Sun 21 May	Mon 22 May	Tue 23 May
17°C	19°C	22°C	25°C	25°C
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What's Happening at Quadra Community Centre

THIS WEEK MAY 19 - 26

FRIDAY: 8:30 Fitness w/Jeannie; 10:30 Friday Painters

MONDAY: 8:30 Fitness w/Jeannie; 10:00 Parents & Tots; 10:00Yoga w/Josephine; 1:00 Sing For Pure Joy; 4:00 Chess

TUESDAY: 9:00 Yoga w/ Brenda; 11:00 Q Circle Somatics; 1:30 Caregivers Support Group; 2:00 Talk on Dementia

WEDNESDAY: 8:30 Body Sculpt; 10:00 Yoga w/ Trinity; 11:00 Moms and Babes

THURSDAY: 9:00 Yoga w/Brenda; 10:00 Parents and Tots

FRIDAY: 8:30 Fitness with Jeannie; 10:30 Friday Painters

NEXT WEEK MAY 27 - JUNE 2

Saturday: MAY DAY at Rebecca Spit, parade starts at 10am

MONDAY: 8:30 Fitness w/Jeannie; 10:00 Parents & Tots; 10:00 Yoga w/Josephine; 1:00 Sing For Pure Joy; 4:00 Chess; 7:00 Photo Club

TUESDAY: 9:00 Yoga w/ Brenda; 11:00 Quadra Circle Somatics

WEDNESDAY: 10:00 Yoga w/Trinity; 11:00 Moms & Babes **THURSDAY:** 9:00 Yoga w/ Brenda; 5:00 Yoga w/Trinity **FRIDAY:** 8:30 Fitness with Jeannie; 10:30 Friday Painters

Quadra Island Seniors

B.C.O.A.P.O.--BR.91

Between the rain and some sunny days our seniors are plugging along with their yard work and the house which needs care.

We are now working in the Tourist Information Booth and meeting many people who are absolutely in love with Quadra Island. Some Tourists walk on, others drive on and some come across on the small boat to April Point and either rent scooters, bikes or phone the taxi to pick them up. Our Island is so beautiful that many are interested in buying property here.

Our members are going on an excursion May 25th for lunch at the Driftwood Chinese Food Restaurant and then to the Island Distillery. Call Daphne Young @ 3842 if others still wish to go for a fun day.

We are getting prepared to attend the B.C.O.A.P.O Convention in June at Agassiz and staying in the Harrison Hot Springs Hotel. If you wish to join are active group call Elke Kelly@ 250-895-0258--for transportation call Ruth Amiabel @ 3801 or cell ph. 250-895-9188



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7pm on Monday, May 29 for publication on Friday, June 2, 2017

> Have an opinion to share? Submit your letter to the DI by email:

news@discoveryislands.ca PREFERRED

If it's too long it may be chopped!
Please be concise

COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS

Quadra's Old Growth - Ancients

Thank you to the volunteers on Quadra who have taken to walking their favourite trails and now record the presence of the very scarce Old Growth Trees (250+ years of age).

Aging of a tree: I've developed the following chart for Quadra Island. Foresters / purist tree botanists will argue that without an actual core bore my chart is inaccurate. True, but I'm doing citizen science, not a PhD Thesis. Foresters will report their measurements as diameter at breast height dbh. The dbh standard is no less subjective: where is breast height?

Trees by size and approximate age

- a) 5 ft. C / 1.6 m C / 60 years (ready to harvest)
- b) 8 ft. C / 2.5m = 100 years (mature / prime to harvest)
- c) 10 ft C / 3.0m C = 150 years (over mature)
- d) 11 ft C / 3.3 m = 200 years (decadent / over mature)
- e) 12 ft C / 3.6 m C = 250 years plus
- labeled by government as Old Growth
- worth big \$\$\$\$ as export logs f) 13 ft C / 3.9 m C = 350 years OG

g) 14 ft C / 4.2 m C = 400 years OG h) 15 ft C / 4.5 m C = 450 years OG



i) 16 ft C / 4.8 m. C = 500 years OG j) 17 ft C / 5.1 m C = 600 years OG k) 18 ft C / 5.5 m C = 700 years OG l) 20 ft C / 6 m C = 850 years OG m) 26 ft C / 7.87 m C / 1,000 + years OG

Walk any of the numerous trails, this time stop, to really look at the trees in the forest. If they are as wide as your shoulders the trees are about 100 years; 2 people wide could be 300 – 400 years. Any tree smaller than 2 men at the shoulder, was too small to cut in 1930!

Look for the gnarly trees, sapdripping trees, those with many limbs starting just meters above the forest floor. Guess why they were not cut 80 years ago. A closing thought to muse over: Human old growth on Quadra Island, those over age 60, are approximately 1,000 in number. We outnumber the forest ancients 4:1. Some economists will argue that human ancients, those over 65, are well beyond having any productive value! Why is this belief the same for old growth forests?

Want to post a calendar listing? Lots of choices for getting it to the DI!

Rod Burns

- Email: news@discoveryislands.ca
- Drop off your listing at Inspirations in the Cove
- Or you can leave it at our office, 701 Cape Mudge Road
- The mail works too! Box 280, Q Cove, BC V0P 1N0





Problems with the Golf Course Subdivision

Quadra Links has applied for rezoning of approx. 26 hectares (approx. 64 acres) of the land currently zoned as a golf course (Recreation Commercial). The plan is to develop a 17 lot strata subdivision with the entrance off Milton Road. The lots planned are 1.7 to 3.7 acres.

These are the problems with this plan.

Not so many years ago, there was a review of Quadra's Official Community Plan which involved almost a year of neighbourhood meetings on various parts of the island. One of these Local Area Plans focused on the area bounded by Heriot Bay Rd to Topcliffe, Animal Farm/ Barton to Milford. As part of these meetings, significant consideration was given to the possibility of allowing the subdivision of the existing 5 acre lots. The idea of smaller lots was rejected for two reasons:

the rural character of the area would be damaged and the sustainability of the water supply might be at risk. It was also decided in the OCP review that any increase in housing density should be confined to the Cove and possibly to Heriot Bay.

This proposed development of 17 small lots on the golf course land is not in accord with the OCP, contrary to statements made in the rezoning application, nor is it consistent

with the Recreation Commercial designation as also stated in the application.

At the time the land for the golf course was rezoned to Recreation Commercial, both Quadra Links and our Regional Director made a commitment to keeping the land free form housing.

Right now there is a shortage of housing on Quadra, both for purchase and for rent.

This shortage will definitely be alleviated by the exciting possibilities for a real village at the Cove for which plans are in the works. It is the purpose of the Cove Village Plan and the intention of the new owners to provide a mixed income, mixed generation community in greater density than is allowed elsewhere on the island. You can be sure that if the subdivision at the golf course is allowed, the lots will not be reasonably priced and houses will be subject to a covenant with respect to design.

The small park proposed in the application is in fact largely swamp and so not usable year round. In spite of this wetland, there have always been water concerns in this neighbourhood. I believe many residents are using shallow wells which could be impacted by new development on this scale.

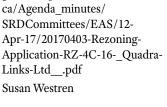
Quadra Links has not made its rezoning application available to

the public, nor have they made arrangements for community participation or response as other developers have done in the past and before the public hearing concerning their application. In fact it's very difficult to even locate this application on the regional district website.

It's sad to say that the Regional District planners who worked on this proposal and added their recommendations to it have never been on Quadra and therefore can't possibly say that this proposal fits with the country residential character of the area as is stated in the application. They have never seen the area. Milton Rd. is currently used for walking by many islanders who come from other parts

of the island, including young mothers who bring their children in strollers. As the proposed road entrance to this subdivision is from Milton Rd, it is quite likely that traffic along Milton will be significantly increased which will change its rural nature and its safety for non vehicular usage. To see the rezoning application

go to: http://srdws.strathconard. ca/Agenda minutes/ SRDCommittees/EAS/12-Apr-17/20170403-Rezoning-Links-Ltd .pdf







Find out when the DI is posted online





Swanson Island, Pristine, south-facing 75 acres boasting towering trees & ~1.5 miles of waterfront. This old homestead offers 6 pretty bays, level building sites & year round stream. One of only two private parcels on the Island, the rest is crown land & part of Broughton Archipelago Park, a nature lover's paradise! Located close to Telegraph Cove, and Port McNeill (12 miles). Deep water moorage in bay and float plane access on the beach. Asking \$1,900,000

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Folk Duo - Twin Peaks

Kameleon Food and Drink is excited to host folk duo Twin Peaks!

Friday June 2

Doors at 6pm and show at 7pm.

Suggested donation \$10.

Reservations strongly recommended.

Children's Centre Raffle

Quadra Children's Centre is holding a fundraising raffle this spring. There are six great prizes to be won:

- 1. Get-A-Way Holiday at Beach Acres Resort in Parksville - Value \$350
- 2. 1 Night at Taku Resort on Quadra Island -Value \$150
- 3. Quadra Island Golf Course 18 Holes for two - Value \$120
- 4. Gowlland Harbour Resort Dinner for two - Value \$120
- 5. Thrifty Foods \$100 Gift Certificate
- 6. Quality Foods \$100 Gift Certificate

Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20. Tickets can be purchased from Quadra Children's Centre parents and at the Market. Draw date is May 31st. We would like to thank all of the generous donors for supporting early care and learning in our community.



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Hand Drum Jam

Believe it or not, you can get "High" from drumming in a circle. Even beginners can experience this wonderful, warm feeling from head to toe.

So come to our weekly Drum Jam on Wednesday nights at 7:30 pm in Spirit Books upstairs in the Upper Realm at the Q. Cove Shopping Centre.

We can provide you with a drum if you don't have one. A \$5 donation helps pay the rent. Call Steve at 285-3323 for more info.

Quadra Island Studio Tour

Discover the Arts

Mark your calendars for June 3 & 4, as the Quadra Island Studio Tour returns for its 15th year! Discover the amazing works of more than 30 artists at 17 studios and the community centre while touring beautiful Quadra Island.

Enjoy the vast array of artistic styles and mediums, ranging from pottery, fused glass, painting, metal work, printmaking, pencil art, fibre art, carving, photography, and so much more.

The Quadra Community Centre will present many artists, a group overview exhibition, bistro served by Kameleon and door prizes.

Tickets are \$5 (kids 12 and under free) available at Campbell River Art Gallery, **Quadra Tourist Info Booth, Impressions** Framing or on Quadra at Inspirations, Works of H'Art and local resorts.

Explore the artistic side of Quadra. But if you can't make kick-off weekend remember that 14 studios remain open year-round.

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RCMP Report

On May 6th, 2017 Quadra RCMP conducted a traffic stop on a person operating a motorcycle in Heriot Bay. The person was prohibited from driving and was issued an appearance notice to attend court and the motorcycle was impounded.

On May 9th, 2017 Quadra RCMP and Quadra Fire Department responded to a logging truck accident on Heriot Bay road by Taku road on Quadra Island. The logging truck was travelling on Heriot Bay road and had its grappling hook up which caught the power lines. The power lines were pulled down and a fire resulted which was dealt with by Ouadra Fire department. The driver did receive a shock and was taken to the hospital for precautionary measures but was relatively uninjured.

On May 12th, 2017 Quadra RCMP received a report in which the victim lost several hundred dollars in a computer scam. The suspect was calling from a New York area code and gained access to the victims computer. The scam artist then convinced the victim to buy several hundred dollars in Itunes gift cards and the card numbers were then given to the suspect. Quadra RCMP would like to remind the public that there are many different types of scams out there trying to get your hard earned money. One of the indicators of a scam like this is when the scam artist asks for money in the form of Itunes gift cards. Normal reputable companies do not ask for Itunes gift cards for payment. If you have any doubts call the Quadra RCMP before you part with your money.

On May 12th, 2017 Quadra RCMP conducted a traffic stop on a male in Squirrel Cove. The male had been consuming alcohol earlier in the day. The male provided breath samples into two different approved screening devices both resulting in a FAIL reading. The male was issued a 90 day Immediate Roadside Prohibition (IRP) from driving as well as a violation ticket for not having a valid drivers licence.

Cpl.Kevin CHRISTENSEN Quadra RCMP



Royal Canadian Gendarmerie royale Mounted Police du Canada

Market Music

Local musicians will be performing at the open Community Market next to the Quadra Credit Union from 10 am to lunch time every Saturday.

On May 6th Ray Bennett and Richard Christie are playing acoustic blues. Kris Wellstein plays guitar and sings on May 13th. Hal Douglas & Friends play rock and blues on May 20th. May 27th Willowishes, Kris Wellstein returns on June 3rd. Jacki McPhee performs on June 10th. Barry Hodgson rocks on June 17th. Roadside Rattle plays on June 24th. John Toelle, Quadra Drummers, Banjo Joe and MaryEllen Wilkins will perform latter in the Summer.

Come support our local vendors and please consider making generous donations to our local musicians. For more info, phone Steve at 285-3323 and if you can perform on May 27th give Steve a call.

Farmers' Market

What a great start to our market season! Lots of Islanders as well as visitors came out for the super weather and great selection of hand crafted items, artisan foods, plants, clothing for adults and adorable things for teeny wee ones! Did you get your vegetable starters? There was photography, farm fruits, chocolates, soaps, and terrific blues guitar. We look forward to seeing everyone again this week, and some!

Note to vendors:

Due to some unexpected changes to the Credit Union grounds we have had to revise our layout of reservable spaces. If you plan to reserve a space for the season, please contact Naomi at quadramarket@gmail.com for an application form and/or the revised map. Applications will be accepted beginning Saturday May 13 at 8am, at the market. See Naomi at her booth, Quadra Island Soap, look for the balloons! We apologize for any inconvenience with respect to the changes and because this is a new system we can expect adjustments throughout the season. We are working hard to figure everything out. We look forward to seeing you there and we welcome constructive feedback, positive suggestions and offers for volunteering!

Rebecca Spit Broompull.

Come one, come all and lend a hand pulling this year's crop of broom. It's mostly small stuff now, which is easier.

It's a pleasant, sociable hour or two in the open air doing a good turn for our little park. It does need annual attention because those old seeds haven't stopped sprouting yet.

Monday, May 22, 10a.m. to noon.

Meet in the parking lot before the boat ramp. There will be a sign. Bring gloves.

Info: Riki 2640, Carol 3157

Seafest 2017

Saturday, May 20 Gorge Harbour Marina

Seafood farmers and friends serving you a

- Gourmet lunch of oysters sautéed, wrapped and barbecued;
- Clams and prawns, Asian salad with Tamarind chili dressing;
- Artisan bread, desserts and delectables by local vendors.

Free shuttle meets every Cortes Ferry so come early for an espresso and stay for island style music. Organization partners: Cortes Island Fire Department

Adult ticket \$20 before the festival at Cortes stores, \$22 at the Festival on May 20.

Gorge Harbour Marina Resort

Serving begins at 11:30am

Free shuttle from Cortes ferry to Gorge Marina, and back.

Buddhist Meditation

There is a 40 minute silent meditation every Sunday on Quadra Island.

It takes place at 10 am in Spirit Books at the Upper Realm in Quathiaski Cove. After Meditation we have refreshments and read and discuss a few pages from a spiritual text. Everyone is welcome. You don't have to be a Buddhist to enjoy the spiritual energy of a dozen people in silent group mediation. It's free or by donation. Call Steve or Danielle at 250-285-3323 for more information.









CELEBRATE 150 YEARS OF

Quadra Recreation Society - May Day Saturday May 27, 2017

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS... who does what, Where & when

"CELEBRATE 150 YEARS OF ALL THINGS CANADIAN -1867 to

2017" is this years May Day theme. Join your friends and neighbours in a big community picnic at Rebecca Spit, Saturday May 27th, 2017. Celebrate the coming of spring and summer with colour, costumes, floats, and music — the more zany and bizarre the better! Let your imaginations soar and unveil your creativity! The best way to get to the end of the Spit is on a float!

MAY DAY is a volunteer-powered, non-commercial, traditional community event first held on Quadra in 1898. The Recreation Society Board of Directors thanks the many dozens of people who contribute to the event in big and little ways and wishes everyone a happy, joy filled, sunny day!

PLEASE LEAVE DOGS AT HOME

Let's keep May Day happy and safe for everyone by being aware of any potential dangers and acting accordingly. Parents, we need your help with this!

SCHEDULE

8:30 am	Gates open for parade entries		
9 -10:00 am	Shuttle starts at the HBI (thanks to Spirit of the West!)		
10:00 am 10:30 am	Parade starts at Rebecca Spit Face painting starts. Concession open		
11:00 am	Official ceremonies		
12:00 -ish	Box Lunch auction		
12:30 -ish	Afternoon entertainment begins		
1 - 3:00 pm	Fort building		
12:30 -ish	Foot races begin		
1:30 pm	Sailing dinghy race begins (weather dependent)		

Shuttle back to the HBI

thanks to Spirit of the West!)

(infant & next-size-up car seats available

2 - 3:00 pm

POSTERS: See posters by Candace Holmes up around the island.

PARADE: Get your neighbourhood, business, or group together and challenge other groups to out-do your float! There is the Trophy for best float; prize money for costumes, bike, walkers. [Many say the best fun of May Day is in the parade line up... so come on and get involved!] Thank you judges (anonymous) and parade marshals, Jeanie Stoppard, Robin Beaton, Barbara Mindell and Nadine Mar.

M.C.: Terryl Bertagnolli will be our master of ceremonies this year.

SOUND: Daniel Sutherland will supply the sound equipment and be the sound techie.

PARKING: On arriving at Rebecca Spit, please do not park beyond the park gate, as the parade floats will need room to set up. All floats will end up in the parking lot after the parade so please don't expect to follow the parade up to the parking lot, as It will already be full! Thank you to Paul Ryan and Clint Young for gate control. Physically challenged people may ask permission of the gatekeeper to drive to the parking lot.



ALL THINGS CANADIAN 1867 to 2017



GREASE POLE: Doug and Gretchen Peters grease the pole and monitor the contestants. No pyramids please. Note at the top tells the winner to collect \$50 from Doug Peters.

GRADE 5/6 PICNIC: May Day is a time to honour the Grade 5 class which will be leaving for Campbell River next year. Check out the last picnic table with the balloons. Thanks to Deb Cowper, Fern James, Jenny Olsen and Grade 5/6 parents for organizing this. Thanks to the Coastal Community Credit Union for donating their tent. (Grade 5 & 6 homeschoolers are welcome to join as well.)

QUEEN AND COURT: Speech contestants in Grade 6 deliver a speech at the Community Centre 2 weeks before May Day. The winner is the May Queen and runners up are in the court. Thanks to Robin Beaton for guiding this process. Former May Queens are the speech contest judges.

STAGE: Thanks to Mel & Ross Doak for supplying and setting up the stage; and grade 5/6 parents for decorating it. Special thanks Mel & Ross, for also donating the porta-potties!

MAY DAY DEDICATION: Each year a citizen or group who has given positive service to the community over a lengthy period of time is honoured.

MAY POLE DANCERS: Linda McClusky & Mandy Hart prepare the Grade 3 and 4 dancers for the traditional May Pole dance. Thank you also to the staff of Quadra Elementary. Bravo!

BOX LUNCH AUCTION: Please support all the local businesses who donate magnificent "box" lunches each May Day. This is a big fund-raiser for next year's May Day. Get your friends together to bid and have a marvelous banquet. Huge appreciations go out to our fabulous Deb Manery for organizing this and to Terryl Bertagnolli for being the auctioneer.

CONCESSION: Thanks to the dozens of volunteers who do a shift or two. Phone Q.C.C. at 285-3243 to volunteer.

RACES: Thank you to Michael Redican, Helen Lee, Murray & Marion Garland for organizing this.

ENTERTAINMENT: After the box lunch auction, stay tuned. There will be some action on the stage lead by local musicians Kris Wellstine & Jaci McPhee.

SAIL BOAT RACES: If dinghy sailing is your sport, call John Barclay at 285-3897. Start time is 1:30 for the dinghies (weather permitting).

FACE PAINTING: FACE PAINTNG VOLUNTEERS WE NEED YOU! Thanks

to Megan Hartley for organizing face painting this year! Some four hundred faces are decorated by the end of the day! It's free and starting at 10:30 a.m. Phone Q.C.C. at 285-3243 to volunteer.

FORT BUILDING: Barbara Mindell (with helper Vaughn Collins) organizes this for the kids, from 1:00 to 3:00 on the Drew Harbour side of the Spit. Kids will comb the beach for items, and then build forts with their findings. People can vote on their favorite fort by buying a flag for a loonie (all money goes to the kids); voting is from 2:00-3:00.

VOLLEYBALL: Pat Field and family will start you off.

CREDIT UNION DISPLAY WINDOW:

Check out the theme based display at the Coastal Community Credit Union in the weeks before May Day. Display created by Sue Mitchell.

PHOTOGRAPHER: Jo-Anne Johnson and Carol Woolsey are the official Q Rec photographers this year, thanks photographers! We would also like YOU to be a May Day photographer! If you get some good shots, send them to: info@quadrarec. bc.ca and be part of our archives.

EQUIPMENT GUARDIANS: Thanks to Rosalind Dysart & Adam McGuffie for care-taking over night. Thanks also to Nick Knuit, Paul Renda and crew for trucking tables to the Spit. They need help taking them back at 4:30 -ish. Want to help? Phone 285-3243.

CLEAN UP and recycling: Thanks to Waste Management for donating dumpsters and recycling bins. Please do your part in helping to keep the park clean. Please pick up litter when you see it.

Have a great May Day and thanks to all who made suggestions for themes and put them in the theme suggestion boxes; and of course big appreciations to all the volunteers!

Thanks from Q.C.C. staff, Rebecca Young & Sue Mitchell 285-3243

Let's Harmonize Quadra Island's Fire Prevention Standards!

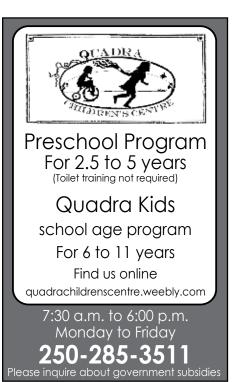
The residents of Bold Point and Village Bay Lakes communities are organizing to protect not only their community from fire, but all of Quadra Island, by networking with all stakeholders to construct a Quadra Island Burn Bylaw that will harmonzie, regulate and enforce all burning activities on public and private lands.

"Wildfires are a serious risk to all of us on Quadra Island. The residents living in the Village Bay Lakes area, including the longestablished Bold Point community have no fire protection except ourselves. We have no fire department. If a fire starts in our community, it could spread quickly to the south end, too. So it is imperative that the regulations that protect the rest of Quadra include our part of the island. We are all in this together and together we need to find a solution," says Lu Schanfarber, one of the community members of the organizing committee."

A Community Petition to Help Prevent Wild Fires on Quadra

To: Tom Yates, Chief Administrative Officer, Strathcona Regional Distinct; Dave Leitch, Chief Administrative Officer, Strathcona Regional District; Jim Abram, Regional Director, Area C

We, the undersigned residents of Quadra Island, petition the Strathcona Regional District to research options for creating a Quadra Island Burn Bylaw, that harmonizes the Fire Prevention Standards for all of Quadra Island. The purpose of this bylaw is to regulate, and enforce all burning activities on public and private land. Currently Quadra Island has two separate mandates for fire prevention strategies. One administered by the South Quadra Improvement District. North Quadra is administered by the Ministry of Forests. One set of standards would make



sense. Quadra Island is extremely vulnerable to wildfire, human caused or otherwise. A wildfire anywhere on the island has potential to affect everyone.

On March 7, 2017 a draft copy of this Petition was presented to the Fire Dept. Board of Directors meeting for discussion. The petition was asking to authorize the Quadra Island Fire Dept to set fire hazard ratings as well as, regulating and enforcing all burning on public and private land. The Burn Bylaw model that was looked at demanded that the South Quadra Improvement District extend their boundary to service North Quadra with a Firehall. This model was rejected by the Board as unworkable due to liability expenses, lack of enforcement capabilities, and the huge expense and logistic problems of response times and staffing of a Fire Hall somewhere on North Quadra.

On April 12, 2017 the Strathcona Regional District had a meeting and discussed a committee report regarding the Burn Bylaw. The complexities of two separate jurisdictions on Quadra Island would make it necessary for the Strathcona Regional District to custom design a Bylaw that will fit Quadra Island. Subsequent to that meeting, a discussion with Tom Yates - S.R.D. was had. He spoke to the importance of the community demonstrating strong support for this initiative before they proceed to do research and development. If you support this initiative, please sign the petition.

This petition will be available to sign starting May 20, 2017 @

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Logging Truck Fire in Heriot Bay



The recent logging truck fire in Heriot Bay could have happened anywhere and perhaps highlights the need to review the fire protection coverage on the northern end of Quadra Island.

In this incident the Quadra Fire Department were on scene quickly and the fire was extinguished efficiently. The driver was mercifully, relatively unscathed.

Photo by Lawrie Bowles

Spring Yoga Classes with Trinity Gogolin

Tuesday & Thursday evenings 5 - 6:30 Hatha Flow classes.

Wednesday mornings before Community Lunch / Gentle Yoga, designed for those with injuries or health conditions, Seniors, or anybody wanting a slower more mindful approach.

All classes explore meditation, deep relaxation, some yoga philosophy and the beautiful sounds of the harmonium.

Classes are held at QCC upstairs in Room 3. Please call Trinity with any questions at 250 203 4529

Qigong at the Spit

Qigong for health and vitality. Come and join us at Rebecca Spit. Weather permitting, Everyone welcome. Every Tuesday 9:30 - 11am starting May 9 to June 27.

Money donation to the Quadra Food Bank. Held on the grassy area on the left after the campsite, opposite the parks sign.

For more info call Denise at 250-285-3743

Quadra Island Outdoor Club Upcoming Events

We have a few special outings in the near future. We are very pleased to have a local expert help us explore the caves near Sayward on May 31. We have been trying to have a cave trip for a while, but these visits are quite complicated and often expensive. We will explore two caves, Chicken II and Scallop Falls, with Bill West-Sells. If you have any interest in caves, this is an opportunity not to be missed.

The following week we will have kayak training out at Mine Lake on June 6th. Doug Taylor from Courtenay returns again to be our instructor. There will be two sessions. The three-hour morning session will be for rescue practice as well as basic safety and paddling skills. The three-hour session in the afternoon will be on edging and maneuvering as well as rescue practice, offered to intermediate or advanced paddlers.

Throughout the spring, there is a lot of variety in the trips for activity and destinations. Here is the list:

24 May, Wednesday - hike a Hopespring/ Homewood Loop

31 May, Wednesday - caving with Bill in the Sayward area

6 June, Tuesday - kayak training with Doug Taylor at Mine Lake

14 June, Wednesday - hiking the Beech's Mountain Loop

mid-June - backpacking the Wildside Trail, Flores Island, Clayoquot Sound

21 June, Wednesday - kayaking at Granite Bay For the details on (most of) these trips and to see the schedule beyond June you can visit: https://qioutdoorclub.org/trips/trip-schedule/schedule-summer-2017/Remember to contact the coordinators well in advance if you are interested in a trip. Spring is the perfect time to join or renew your membership.

At The Legion

May 20th, May long Metal Fest, featuring Nylithia & Terrifier with local support from Master Bastards. Doors at 8:00, \$15. 19+ Presale tickets coming soon! May 27th The Eclectics, a 5 piece Blues & Rock band featuring Shawn Carle & Mike Viera from the Streamliners, Gerry Barnum on harmonica & vocals, Greg Beldham from the Enablers on drums & keyboard wizard Dan Dube. Doors at 8:pm, \$15. Tickets on sale at the Legion!

New to Quadra?

The Discovery Islands Chamber of Commerce and local businesses welcome you with a gift bag. Contact Judy @ 285.2150.

Quadra Island United Church

Sunday Services

11am on the 1st, 2nd and 4th Sunday of every month

Evening Service

7:30pm on the 3rd Sunday of every month **Choir**

Wednesdays at 7:45pm

Program for Children and Youth

We also provide assistance with Baptisms Funeral and Marriage planning

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- Don't pre-program 9-1-1 into any phone.
- Never give old cell phones to children to use as toys; de-commissioned phones can still dial 9-1-1.
- If you dial by accident, stay on the line so we can ensure you're okay.

E-Comm 9-1-1
Help us help.

For more information visit www.ni911.ca/education





Quadra Circle News

Foot Care: Are your wonderful feet and toes crying out for attention! Yet you can't help them because the rest of your body is also calling out for attention! If you receive GIS or MSP subsidy Quadra Circle can help you by subsidizing the cost of caring for your feet. Please drop in to our office to sign up for a qualified LPN to come to your home and privide this very important service. Stay mentally & physically healthy by having happy feet. Call our office 285-2255 Wed, Thurs, Friday 11am-3pm

Friendly Phone Calls/Friendly Visits: Are you home alone due to illness or injury? Do you live alone and need some supportive phone calls or visits? Receive daily check-in calls from our volunteers, or a visit for support & connections with services on Quadra. This could include social visits to your home, provided by our Seniors Peer Councillors. Free service. Call our office 285-2255. Wed. Thurs & Fri.

Emotional Wellness: Do you or someone you love need help with their emotional health? Assistance is available twice a month here on Quadra Is. For appointments with an Island Health Counsellor, at Quadra Island Medical &/or attend free Relaxation classes with Rebecca. Call 250-850-2620 or email Rebecca. Miller@viha.ca Rebecca's Schedule is May 30th. Take Care of Yourself First!

Quadra Home Meals: If you're unable to cook, or are recovering from illness, injury or surgery we can assist you. Meals are prepared at food-cost by Gowlland Harbour Resort. The meals are ordered weekly, by noon, on Saturday & picked up at Quadra Circle Office 11:30 – noon on Wednesday. Or delivered upon request. Call Karen: 285-3064. You will be very pleased you did.

Friday Lunch at the Legion: Come & join us for the food, fun and our Book club discussions that happens over lunch. Look for the designated table to participate. Arm Chair exercises start at 11am & Lunch begins at 12noon with Pool (8 ball) starting at 12:45. Donations of \$5 suggested. Last Friday Lunch for the Spring Season is May 26th. It will also be our Annual General Meeting which will be held at 1pm following the lunch. Please plan on staying to hear our news.

Transportation: Need A Ride to Social Events or Medical Appts? Call our Coordinators Diana & John, 250-285-3630. At least 24hrs notice is required to set up a driver, so please book ahead. This service is FREE

Seniors Activity Centre: Join our Team on Mondays & Wednesdays at Quadra School for Ping Pong at 9:15, Walking Group at 9:30, Social time at 10am, exercise programs (Qi Gong or Armchair Exercises) starting at 11am, our delicious lunch at noon, Pastels and Percussion with Laura McLaren or Drop in Bridge with Michael Redican in the afternoon. Come for your Mental & Physical Health.

Please come in to Quadra Circle Office and receive a copy of the latest BC Seniors' Guide & Healthy Eating Guide. Learning something new is always good for our brains.

Market Music Musicians

As you know the Saturday Market has Quadra Musicians playing every Saturday from 10 a.m. to lunch time. The next two markets are feature some of best three and four piece groups on our beloved island.

This Saturday (May 20th), two of the youngest musicians on our island are playing blues and rock music with Hal Douglas.

Tommy Younger and Cameron Younger will blow your mind.

Next Saturday (May 27th), four of the most talented women on our island will be playing there own music at the market.

Maureen Fox, Trinity Gogolin, Elsa Das Neves and Andrea Blaseckie will share their collective bliss with you. The band is called Willowishes.

The live music continues because the market vendors and you make generous contributions. Thank you again for supporting our talented local musicians.

Coming Events...

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May 19 - Harmonica Blues \$15 @door

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Help Reduce Accidental 9-1-1 Calls **Public Education Campaign Aims** to Make North Island Safer

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation in partnership with E-Comm 9-1-1 are launching a public education campaign to help reduce accidental 9-1-1 phone calls within your community. North Island 9-1-1 Corporation was established in 1995 to provide and manage emergency 9-1-1 services to the Comox Valley Regional District, the Strathcona Regional Hospital District, the Regional Districts of Mount Waddington and Alberni-Clayoquot and a portion (School District No. 69) of the Nanaimo Regional District. In 1999, Powell River Regional District joined the service (excluding Lasqueti Island). Initial call answering for 9-1-1 calls within North Island region are handled through E-Comm. The emergency communications centre handles thousands of accidental calls to 9-1-1 each year.

"Every year thousands of accidental 9-1-1 calls occur within our vast coverage area," states North Island 9-1-1 President Larry Samson. "What residents might not be aware of is that there are few simple tips to help reduce these calls to ensure time is spent on real emergencies."

Every time 9-1-1 is accidently called from a landline, operators are required to call back these dropped calls to determine whether they are real emergencies. If the operator can't contact anyone, a police officer can be dispatched to physically verify. Cellphones further complicate the process because, unlike with landlines, they provide only general location information to the call-taker so tracking down callers to confirm it was an accidental call is a challenge.

North Island 9-1-1 and E-Comm are asking residents to:

- Protect your phone by locking it and storing it carefully.
- Ensure 911 is not preprogrammed into mobile or landline phones.
- Never give old cell phones to children to use as toys; decommissioned phones can still dial 911.

Finally if you happen to accidentally call 911 please stay on the line to ensure the operator is aware there is no emergency. For more simple tips and learn

more about accidental calls please visit www.ni911.com/ education



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Quadrapalooza Spreads the Music



Quadra Islands annual music festival Quadrapalooza has made a wonderful donation from festival proceeds of xylophones to Quadra Elementary School. The new instruments will join the school's music program proving that what goes around makes a great sound!!!

7th Annual Festival of Chamber Music

The Quadra Island Chamber Music Society is pleased to announce preparations are well underway for the 7th Annual Festival of Chamber Music. Please note a change in this summer's schedule. The Festival will run from Tuesday, July 18 to Saturday, July 22.

This year's theme is Rythmagic. This year's theme is Rythmagic. Rhythm dictates our lives, from the beat of our hearts to our daily routines. Rhythmically speaking, Phil has master minded a programme to engage a panoply of tastes based on works that musicians find most interesting. Chosen works include: the "harmonic" rhythm of J.S. Bach; immoveable beats of Brazil:

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Tickets will be available in June from: Quadra: Works of H'Art: 250-285-2834; Inspirations: 250-285-3334; Campbell River: Tidemark Theatre: 250-287-7465

For further information please visit: www.quadrafestival.com

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very blustery day is just what I needed to be inside writing a report! I am just wondering when we are actually going to get some consistently good weather!?! Oh well! At least it is not snowing or flooding, so I am grateful for that.

Congratulations!

First and foremost I would like to congratulate our MLA for her re-election. All the very best to you Claire, and I look forward to working with you over your term. I know you personally worked very hard during the election because you believe in what you do and I thank you for doing it!

I would also like to thank the other candidates for allowing their names to stand in the election process. It is a tough decision and takes courage, especially when running against a strong incumbent. The important thing is that you cared enough to try and I thank you for that.

Connectivity / Cell coverage and more

Just the topic everyone is waiting to hear about and I have not been able to adequately report on due to it being dealt with in confidence at the SRD Board table. It has been so very frustrating to have people think that nothing was going on when I knew that behind the scenes we were working our backsides off. Many staff, our consultant and I have had this on the front burner for months and I have been working on connectivity in general since 1993 when I got the ADSL in the Cove central area. I later managed to hound Telus enough to get them to put their equipment on the Cantel / Rogers tower at Noble and Heriot Bay Rd. to improve the area covered and with a higher level of coverage being LTE in some parts. This has been a slow never ending battle, but one I chose to fight to the end and am still continuing on your behalf.

I met with the Discovery Islands Chamber of Commerce and others some months ago and some have finally picked up on trying to gather support from Telus to increase coverage through a petition and letters as I suggested. I am confident that this effort will at least show the ever increasing need for better connectivity of all sorts, but what Telus does with it is anyone's guess! I will certainly use the info in my lobbying efforts and it is so important that whatever people are doing, they forward it to me for use... letters, petitions or whatever!. I would caution everyone that the petition and letters, though asking for improved coverage,

will require a number of very expensive cell towers and will never reach all of the nooks and crannies on the island's topography. It just isn't possible, so don't expect a perfect world. Some areas will never have cell service back in the areas that it is being sought for... Also remember this "ask" will be subject to public (neighbourhood) scrutiny, and the willingness of the companies to spend the huge amounts of money to put in such a network if it is even possible in our terrain ...

The following is the latest email that I received from Telus regarding my hounding them for better service. I have only included the first portion as the rest would require his permission:

"Jim I continue to look for opportunities to get Quadra included in the programs. Over the past few years the transport, xDLS infrastructure, and cell services have upgraded and I have been cyclically inserting requests to the planners of the fibre and cellular build programs. I hope to have some additional details in a few weeks. I'll get you an update when I get the info back from the planners on my most recent ask.

Cheers,

(Telus Manager)"

And now on to the news that I have kept you hanging for!

SRD Moves on its Strategic Priority to Improve Broadband Connectivity in the Region

The SRD has also made a significant application to the Connect to Innovate Program. This is a \$500 Million federal funding program aimed at improving broadband connectivity for rural and remote communities. The application put forward by the SRD is for a new subsea fibre-optic network with the potential to benefit many coastal communities within the region and beyond. If successful, this fully-funded 'backbone' infrastructure will deliver high speed broadband to landing points in eligible coastal communities (that would be "us"). Internet service providers can access these 'points of presence' to provide improved service to residents, institutions and businesses through local distribution networks. Applications closed on April 20th and funding announcements are expected later this year. We are told that we are on the top of the list and this will allow us to remove ourselves from the Telus network and be on one that is run by the SRD, most likely. The cost will be

far less and it will actually be available!!!
Improvements and upgrades to 'last-mile' or local distribution networks owned and operated by ISP's (Independent Service Providers) are also being contemplated.
Through the provincial Strategic Priorities Fund, the SRD will be submitting an application for capital improvement projects nominated by local ISPs. Applications for this program close on June 1st. This will include our local providers and will allow high-speed fibre-optic and cable connectivity to all of our residents. This is what is meant by "last mile". There is the "backbone" (undersea fibre) and there is the "last mile" (the delivery to your door").

It is important to note here that the Board came up with three eligible projects for this funding but the funding program only allowed for two projects to be submitted. This is where I had to do my work at the Board table and convince the Board that the two that would be applied for would be for Strathcona Gardens and for Broadband Connectivity. The third project was for a long-standing Area D water project I felt horrible having to deny support to Area D, but we do have to make tough decisions and this was one that I could not let slip by. We "discussed" as a Board at length and when the vote was taken, we won!!! So the two applications will go in and provide sufficient money to deal with the "last mile" connections. Phew!

This is so very exciting and brings autonomy to so many communities along the coast and around Vancouver Island. There is so much more that I have to tell you about this but it has not yet been released to the public. As soon as it is I will be free to share it with you. I hope this is all considered good news and you will continue to support my efforts at the Board and Provincial level to improve our service.

Planning Grant for Area C

I also successfully argued for the fine work done by our staff in getting an application in for a planning grant to review the Area C and the Desolation Sound Rural Land Use Bylaw in the next year. This will include a sustainability component and is something that is being included in the most progressive regions. It will help us to develop tools so that we can put all of your good ideas on how to be sustainable into action. Another very exciting development for our area and I have to thank our staff for keeping their eyes open for these grants when they become available. We don't get much notice nor much time to apply and

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I hate to lose out on available money when it is offered.

Dog Bylaw update

After my complete rejection of the very expensive bylaw that was brought forward over a year ago, I have been working directly with the owner of the animal control service on Vancouver Island and with the RCMP. After numerous long phone calls, negotiations with SRD staff and an in person meeting with our RCMP I think we are very close to an acceptable bylaw that will meet our needs and not cost us lots of money. I am due to talk to the owner in a few days and will update you further. This has not been a situation of "nothing is happening", it has been a situation of there is a lot to sort out. It is happening!

Upcoming events, etc.

There will be a Public Hearing for the Tula Foundation (based here on Quadra) for a large foreshore lease for research purposes on May 17th at 7pm at the Quadra Island Community Centre (QICC).

There will also be a Public Hearing for a proposal to sub-divide a portion off of the Golf Course property and create a number of smaller lots to be held at the QICC at 7pm on June 21st.

I will be attending two days of Provincial / First Nations marine planning meetings (MaPP) in Campbell River and another day of Federal marine planning meetings the following day from May 29 - June 1.

The usual Committee and Board meetings will also be on my agenda as well as the Comox Valley Solid Waste meetings and the new committee that I am on dealing with Waste to Energy (an offshoot of that Board) and the Comox Strathcona Regional Hospital District Board meetings.

I will also be presenting at the Province wide Community to Community Forum which is hosted by the Union of BC Municipalities and the First Nations Summit in Vancouver on June 6th. I was one of the founding members of this forum and all of the Regional Community to Community Forums that were spawned by this larger forum. Most First Nations and local governments will be in attendance. Am I nervous? You bet! But what an honour!

Another full month ahead!

I think that is enough to fill your heads for now, so I'll stop here. Feel free to contact me between the hours of 8:30 am and 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday (please, not on weekends or holidays, folks!) at 285-3355, or you can fax me at 285-3533 or you can email me anytime at jimabram@xplornet.ca or by mail at Box 278 in the Cove, V0P 1N0... or on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/JimAbram.... If it is important, my cell is 250-830-8005... Lots of choices.

Please do not use my residential phone number for SRD calls. All business calls should be on 285-3355. Many thanks! Respectfully submitted, Jim Abram





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Home & Garden

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Certified horticulturist and lifelong passionate gardener Ryan Nassichuk is currently available for garden maintenance, improvement, and creation projects. This is an opportunity to bring the passion, skills, and experience of one of Quadra's best gardeners to your landscape. Ryan works in food, ornamental and mixed gardens, and also offers soil testing and fruit tree pruning services. Call 250-202-2326 or email nassichuk@gmail.com

Medical

HARBOURSIDE MEDICAL CLINIC

Check out our new webpage for clinic schedule, frequently asked questions, and general information. Thanks to our local talents of Heidi Scheifley for the Web Design and Lime Soda Photography for the photos!

Visit us at www.harboursidemedical.ca

Help Wanted

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FOOD VENDORS WANTED

Do you have a food truck, a specialty stand or are a group of bakers looking to sell yummy treats - then we want to hear from you! Standing Together - Tribal Journeys 2017 is looking for local food vendors for the two and half day stay on Quadra Island. Local vendors will be given preference in the application process. Please visit tribaljourneys2017.com to complete a Vendor Application Form and submit ASAP.

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