

THE CORDOVAN

Volume 10, Number 3,
April, 1986

FOR A BIT OF WILD EXCITEMENT THIS YEAR

why not plan to attend

the

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE CORDOVA BAY ASSOCIATION

Wednesday, April 30

7:30 p.m.

Claremont Senior Secondary Lunchroom

WELCOME TO

The New COTTAGE LOAF

in the Plaza

Andrew and Pat Carter and John 15, Natalie 10, Samantha 7 and Amanda 4, have come from Freshwater in the Isle of Wight, and look forward to meeting their new customers.

Pies Pastries Cakes Buns Pasties Birthday Cakes and Wedding Cakes
Fresh Bread

Come in for a cup of tea or coffee with your cake or pastry, and stay a while!

THANKS TO MUM AND DAD FOR ALL THEIR HELP

WHAT THE CORDOVA BAY ASSOCIATION DOES FOR YOU

- * examines all proposals for development, subdivision and zoning changes in the community, to make sure they meet the requirements of the Local Area Plan;
- * attends council and other relevant municipal meetings to monitor all issues of concern to the community, and to put the community position to the mayor and aldermen when required;
- * provides information and assistance to community residents with problems or questions about changes in local planning and, through two trained referral agents, information for residents on personal and family concerns;
- * provided and maintains the community notice board in the shopping plaza;
- * supports the activities of the Cordova Bay Seniors' Lodge Society in promoting seniors' housing in the community;
- * and, last but not least, publishes "The Cordovan" and delivers it to your door six times a year.

THIS WORK IS ALL DONE BY VOLUNTEERS

THE SECOND PAGE COLUMN

Lisa Huus is 19. She's just completed her first year of university. Without help, she won't get a chance at second year.

But Lisa has never given up yet. Born with a rare disease that stops her muscles from developing, she fought her way into the regular school system while she was still an elementary student. When she was ready for highschool, Claremont put in an elevator for her. And when she graduated, it was then-Education Minister Jack Heinrich who handed her the diploma. None of it was easy for a 38-pounder, but then nothing comes easy for Lisa. You could say that Lisa has a commitment to education.

Lisa needs a little more help than the rest of us do. She has to have a support worker with her when she goes to classes - to take notes, open doors, help her to eat, and get her from one place to another. It costs \$ 15,000 a year, and all of a sudden there isn't any government money coming in for it.

Lisa lives in Cordova Bay. If you want to help her, write a letter to
Russell Fraser,
Minister for Post-Secondary
Education
and another one to Hugh Curtis, who is our M.L.A. Let them know that you think B.C. shouldn't abandon Lisa at this point.

Address those letters to the
Parliament Buildings in Victoria.

Letters count. They could make all the difference for Lisa Huus this year.

LITTER

Homo Sapiens have the responsibility of taking care of all the environment due to the fact that their brain power is greater than that of animals. They have earned this right and should have pride in their surroundings. The litter cast carelessly on the ground is unbelievable. What has happened to this decade that most people take delight in throwing away papers, cartons, plastic bags, cigarette packages, bottles and tins - anything they no longer want? Their garbage has a habit of being very conspicuous as it usually shows up white, yellow, or any other garish colour that attracts the eye. It litters our parks, especially the one at the end of Agate Lane where students and others eat their lunches and drink their drinks and throw the packaging out the window of their vehicles. Are they afraid to take it home or are they unable to get out of their cars to put it in the garbage can?

The Shopping Mart area is occasionally swept by rain and wind. Otherwise, the litter collects in corners and on lawns. A year ago it was cleaned up regularly, but now it just shifts around and ends up on the side of the roads.

Come on, Homo Sapiens, think before you toss and be proud of your surroundings.

A concerned resident.

I'm afraid if I sign my name that the garbage will be dumped on the lawn and bottles thrown to break windows. I can't take that chance.

DOGS ON THE BEACH

Cordova Bay is truly "A Jewel in the Crown." We have super merchants, a community spirit, and we lack for very little. However, our sidewalk is a disgrace - I am sure there's no competition with the Dallas Road walk. We are nearing the time when dogs are prohibited from our beaches, and it is for a very good reason. We need to keep our sidewalks and our beaches clean so everybody may enjoy them.

Pet owners, please remember we do have a by-law which says one must clean up after their dog.

J. Bowles
5053 Cordova Bay Rd.

In the last Cordovan I read the suggestion for a Pet Hot Line which was an interesting idea. However, if pets were kept under control, there would be no need for this service. A more useful action by Cordova Bay pet owners would be to strictly observe the Saanich by-law which bans pets from the beaches and public parks between May 1 and August 31. The sanitation of our community has to be a concern for all of us. As a pet owner and a beach resident, I feel it is reasonable to keep my dog off the beach in the summer so that the beaches and parks can be clean for people to enjoy.

S.K. Burkhardt
50-- Cordova Bay Rd.



Cordova Bay Enterprises Ltd D.B.A.

CORDOVA BAY TEXACO

5229 Cordova Bay Road
Victoria, B.C. V8Y 2L1

Lyall Steer

Service By The Sea

658-5014

658-8021

CORDOVA
BAY PLAZA

CORDOVA BAY HARDWARE AND RENTALS

"equipment and tools for the home handyman"

SPECIALIZING IN SERVICE

Housewares - Giftwares - Pesticides - Tool Rentals
Gardening Supplies - Sharpening Service - Keys &
Window Glass Cut - Lawn Mower Repairs

DAVE AND FRANCES OSBORNE

5138 CORDOVA BAY ROAD
VICTORIA, B.C. V8Y 2K5

ALLEN JENSEN LTD.

- Landscape Designer • Consultations
- Garden & Landscape Service

771 Haliburton Road
Victoria, B.C. V8Y 1H7

(604) 658-1303

658-1119

VAN ISLE CUSTOM SHADES

Specializing in:

- venetians
- verticals
- woven woods
- pleated shades
- roll-ups
- drapery hardware

- Free in-home estimates •

SUNFLOWER

A NATURAL FOOD STORE

7060 W. SAANICH RD.
BRENTWOOD BAY PH. 652-1211

FOR SENIORS 10% off SUPPLEMENTS
5% off MOST FOODS

We have a Special Section of SALT FREE FOODS. e.g. Soups, Seasonings, Snacks, Crackers, Salt Substitutes, Mayonnaise, Sauces, etc.

WINE & BEER MAKING SUPPLIES
OPEN SUNDAYS

CARE: the SUNFLOWER WAY

UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS

YARN BARN

knitting & needlepoint supplies

Leclerc Handlooms & Accessories

Shelbourne at McKenzie

KMart Mall

WANTED

WANTED - live-in housekeeper with car, separate accommodation (bedroom, bath, living room with fireplace, separate entrance) for a 93-year old man. For May 1. Remuneration flexible. Mrs. K.W. McCoy, 2250 Queens Avenue, West Vancouver, V7V 2Y3 - 922-7990.

WANTED TO RENT - small suite or cottage, preferably with a water view. 658-1680.

WANTED TO RENT - 2 bedroom apartment or house in the Bay, preferably with view on water and fireplace. Young professional couple with no pets, no children. Call Martine - work, 721-1441, or home, 658-1747.

K I W A N I S

It is with great pride that we announce that Al Leavitt has been voted Lieutenant Governor Designate for Division 17, Pacific Northwest Division for 1986-87. We all offer sincere congratulations to "Big Al."

COMING EVENTS:

Garage Sale, Saturday, May 3. All saleable items, big or small, gladly accepted. Collection arranged or drop off at the Texaco or hardware.

Bingo at Playland continues each Thursday at 6:30 p.m. Support your local service club and have fun. Cash prizes to be won.

Thanks to residents who donated used eyeglasses for Third World countries, we now have 250 pairs to send off for underprivileged people.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN KIWANIS?

Membership is open to men who wish to contribute a little of their time and a lot of themselves towards raising funds to aid local charities.

Are you interested in helping others and making life better for the disabled and other unfortunate people? Contact Dave Osborne at 658-8021 for details.

HAVE YOUR GARDEN ROTOTILLED AND SUPPORT CORDOVA BAY SPORTS. I will donate \$5 from each job to the team of your choice. - Ian Robinson, 658-5191 or 652-4879

Maurice Glover

On April 4th, St. David's Church overflowed for the service in tribute to Maurice H.A. Glover, a long-time resident of Cordova Bay, who died April 1 at the age of 68 years.

Maurice was born in Vancouver and came to Victoria in 1944. He had received his commerce degree from UBC, where he was very active in the Outdoors Club, and a member of the university soccer team. His main love was the sea, and until his death he was a staunch member of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club.

Maurice was a senior government economist who contributed greatly to B.C.'s rapid growth during the 1950's and 1960's. After 30 years with the provincial government, Parkinson's disease forced his early retirement. With the encouragement of his wife, Marjorie, he continued to contribute to the community, and was particularly valuable in his support and participation in the growth of St. David's. His courage was an inspiration to everyone who knew him.

LEW ECKFORD

Lew suffered a massive heart attack the middle of March and died ten days later, leaving his wife Jean, two sons and two daughters as well as grandchildren and other relatives and friends both here and in Saskatchewan where he was born.

A resident of Cordova Bay for 17 years, Lew served in the navy during the war and afterwards was health inspector for Kimberley, Duncan and Victoria.

Before coming to Victoria he enjoyed playing the saxophone in dance bands, latterly playing with neighbours now and then. His travels in the last few years included two winters in Hawaii, plus trips to Britain, California, and back to Saskatchewan. He had many a pleasant outing with the Wednesday Walkers.

An avid beachcomber, Lew could be found almost any morning walking along the beach, usually in company with Jean, always alert for anything new or interesting. People gravitated towards Lew and many were the subjects and world problems debated on or around his doorstep.

St. David-by-the-Sea
5182 Cordova Bay Road

CORDOVA BAY UNITED CHURCH

...is holding the annual "Flowers in Praise" festival on Saturday, May 3 and Sunday, May 4. The displays will feature children of the Bible, and the church will be open both days from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service
Sunday School and Babyfold
Everyone welcome

UNITED CHURCH COUNTRY FAIR
Saturday, June 7
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

...at the same time, in the church hall, there will be a display of art and crafts by artists primarily former and present parish members.

Tea will be served each day in the hall. Everyone is warmly invited. Further information can be obtained from Vera Harris at 595-6153.

Anyone with items of clothing, household goods, furniture, etc. from your spring cleaning that you would like to donate, please call 658-5911, 658-5153 or 479-9144.

THE LOCAL AREA PLAN

Latest word from Saanich Planning Department is that they are attempting to have the revised Background Paper and the draft policies ready by Monday, May 5.

For confirmation, watch the notices in the Times/Colonist, and watch the Plaza notice-board.

When the papers are ready, they may be obtained from Saanich Municipal Hall at 770 Vernon, or from Sheilagh Ogilvie, Planning Committee Chairman of the Cordova Bay Association, at 5037 Wesley Road, 658-8937.

Comments on these papers should be by written submission. If you wish to have the Association submit them for you, please get in touch with us.

J. A. EATON

Painting and Decorating

658-8565

- FREE ESTIMATES, REASONABLE PRICES
- OWN BUSINESS 25 YEARS, 15 YEARS
LIVING IN CORDOVA BAY

5065 Catalina Terrace Victoria, B.C.

CORDOVA BAY STORE LIMITED

5150 Cordova Bay Road, Victoria, B.C. V8Y 2K6
(604) 658-5714



10-5 Tues. to Sat.
— July & Aug.
Phone First.

Pottery, Ceramics & China Painting
Sales, Supplies & Classes.



BOB BARLOW
Sales Consultant

Bus: 385-1451 Res: 658-8330

810 Johnson Street,
Victoria, B.C. V8W 1N3



PETER KENDAL

ROYAL OAK SHOPPING CENTRE (PENNBIDGE BLDG.) 727-2422
206A - 4475 VIEWMONT AVENUE, VICTORIA, B.C. V8Z 6L8

 Ole Armfelt 

YOUR LOCAL REALTOR

Newport
Realty

595-2233

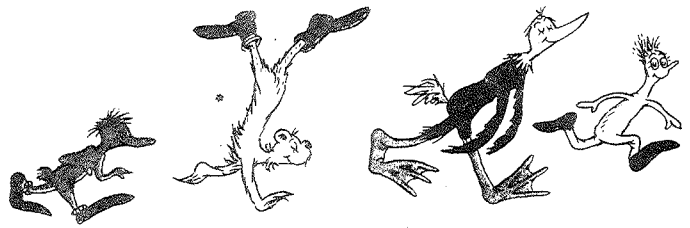
Adrienne's TEA GARDEN

Open 7 days a week
7 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.



Home-style cooked meals,
served in a cozy parlour setting.

Al Mattson Mattick's Farm
658-1535



FRIDAY WALKING GROUP

Anyone wishing to join our walk, be at the shopping plaza at 9:30. Let's hope for better weather than we have been having and try for Mill Hill on the 25th. It can be slippery when wet.

CORDOVA BAY SCHOOL GROUNDS

During the last two months we have been having problems keeping our playgrounds litter-free. After weekends, especially, broken glass has been found in the covered play area and on some blacktop areas. Paper from fast food outlets is also evident. We expect our children to develop into responsible citizens and show consideration and respect for private and public property. It is therefore important for all groups and individuals who use the grounds to be good models for our children.

PLEASE park cars in the parking lot in front or outside the fence at the rear of the building.

PLEASE take your snack papers, pop cans and bottles home with you.

Remember, this is your community school. Set a good example. It is up to you! Thank you.

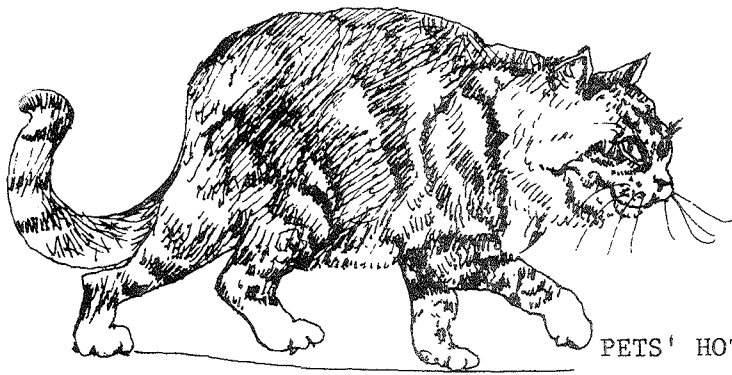
NEW HORIZONS

The annual general meeting of the Cordova Bay New Horizons was held Thursday, April 10. Reports showed that the past year had been very successful in all areas. Thursdays start with carpet bowling at 10 a.m. followed by lunch at noon. We then break into three groups at 1 p.m. Some do Tai Chi, others paint or play crib, and yet a third group plays bridge. Tea is served about 3 p.m. and drop-ins are welcome.

Our Christmas treat this year was a bus tour of the lights in Victoria and Langford. We were also invited to attend the Christmas concert at Cordova Bay Elementary. Both events were greatly enjoyed.

Our usual monthly film will be on Tuesday, April 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the pre-school room of St. David's Church hall. All are welcome.

We look forward to another year of companionship and fun and hope we can bring new members into our group. If interested, call 479-4270 or 658-5063.



PETS' HOT LINE

The suggestion that a Pets' Hot Line be set up in Cordova Bay met with an immediate and enthusiastic response, and we can go into operation right away.

Here's what the Hot Line provides:

- * Numbers to call if your pet is lost or has got away by accident and does not reappear shortly;
- * Numbers to call if you have seen a pet that seems lost or in trouble of any kind;
- * Space reserved exclusively for Pets' Hot Line on the Cordova Bay Community Association notice board in the Plaza (opposite the hardware and variety stores), where owners can post notices of lost pets, giving name and address, telephone number, description of lost pet, and any other helpful details.

Pets' Hot Line contacts will keep track of missing pets and relay the first available news to owners. If a lost animal is located and can be handled, we can also arrange safe shelter for it for a few days in the hope that owners can be found.

Please keep the following numbers handy to your telephone:

Sylvia Clark	658-8910
Carol Skapa	658-1747 (back up)
Dorothy Robinson	658-8725 (back up)

IMPORTANT: If a pet is home again, safe, please call and let us know so that the alert can be called off.

CORDOVA BAY SOCCER CLUB

Congratulations to the following teams:

GIRLS: Strikers, winners of the League and Island Cup for Division 4, and now in the semi-finals for the B.C. Cup;

Panthers, winners of the Powell River tournament and League runners-up;

WOMEN: Cougars, Division 2 champions, and contenders for the B.C. Cup;

BOYS: Spartans, Division 5B District Cup finalists;

Bobcats, Division 2A District Cup champions;

United, Division 1 Premier District Cup champions and winners of the Langley International tournament.

The team also organized the first World Cup's Seven-a-Side tournament over Easter, involving more than 450 players and 56 teams, and which was highly acclaimed.

REGISTRATION FOR SOCCER takes place June 7 and 8 and June 14 and 15, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Lochside Park. New players bring photocopy of birth certificate.

NEW BUSINESSES IN CORDOVA BAY

Kallima Aloe Vera Skin Care Products call Barbara Waldner at 658-5680

Private lessons - speak, read, write French. For voice students, pronunciation of French, German, Italian, Spanish, Russian, Japanese. 658-5145.

CORDOVA BAY PRE-SCHOOL

Cordova Bay Pre-School is now accepting registrations for 3 and 4 year olds for the program beginning September 1986.

The philosophy of the play school is learning through play. Parents and supervisor work together to provide a satisfying transition from home to primary grades.

For further information, please call
 Kathy Pringle 658-1129
 or
 Bonnie Moro 658-8721

NEED LEGAL HELP?

Counselling

The Law Centre provides crisis counselling, conciliation and mediation counselling in family matters, and referrals to community agencies.

Lawyer Referral (382-1415)

For clients who can afford a lawyer but don't know one or wonder if they have a legal problem. Available only by telephone.

Shut-in and Hospital Legal Services

For persons who are hospitalized, including mental patients, and persons unable by handicap or illness to attend the Law Centre --- telephone the Centre. A staff member will visit them to take their legal aid application.

And remember - Cordova Bay has two trained referral agents to advise you: call

Gwen MacPherson 658-5451
 Sheilagh Ogilvie 658-8937

CORDOVA BAY WALKERS

On Wednesdays at the Shopping Plaza
 9:00 a.m. sharp

- April 23 Willow Way
- April 30 . Thetis Lake - Lewis Clark Trail
- May 7 . Metchosin Mountain/Devonian Park
- May 14 Elk/Beaver
- May 21 Witty's Lagoon
- May 28 Cowichan Valley (LUNCH)
- June 4 Botanical Beach (to be discussed further)
- June 11 Island View/Parker (LUNCH)
- June 18 East Sooke/Mount Maguire (LUNCH)
- June 25 all day island trip

EVERYONE WELCOME

Explore China in 1986

19 tours from April to November

For information & brochures, contact Molly Phillips, National Tour Director, Federation of Canada-China Friendship Associations

988 Claremont Avenue
 Victoria, B.C. V8Y 1K8
 Tel: 658-5594

Photocopying service available.



Small Equipment Specialists

(604) 658-8882

5197 Pat Bay Hwy. Victoria, B.C. V8Y 1S8



FIRST RATE
 FINANCIAL SERVICES
 FOR GREATER
 VICTORIA

**Bill & Marianne Hartley
 YOUR LOCAL
 INSURANCE AGENTS**

COMPETITIVE RATES
 on

all insurance
388-5014 bus.
658-8759 res.



5187 CORDOVA BAY ROAD, VICTORIA, B.C. V8Y 2K7 (604) 658-5741

- RESIDENTS PASS FREE WITH FIRST ADMISSION OF SEASON
- RAINBOW TEA PAVILION - REFRESHMENTS IN THE GARDEN
- OPEN DAILY, LATE MARCH THROUGH LATE OCTOBER

Cordova Bay VARIETY

your variety 'plus' store

- SUB POST OFFICE
- FISHING LICENSES
- GREETING CARDS
- SEWING NOTIONS
- BOOKS - MAGAZINES
- SCHOOL & OFFICE SUPPLIES
- TELEPHONE PAYMENTS
- DRY CLEANING DEPOT
- LOTTERY TICKET CENTRE

5134 Cordova Bay Rd., 658-5722

A COMPLETE TRANSMISSION SERVICE

Mister transmission

YOUR LOCAL REPAIR & TRANSMISSION MAN
FREE Pick-up & Delivery

2417 DOUGLAS ST.
VICTORIA, B.C.
PHONE (604) 388-4522

RES. 658-1032

TED HENLY

(opposite Dairy Queen)

Mt. view TREE SERVICE LTD.

MARK SNOW

greenleaves
TREE
PRESERVATION
COMPANY LTD.

4370 Interurban Rd.
R.R. 3, Victoria
V8X 3X1

479-3873 or 479-8525
(24 hours)



Division of JOHN H. DERRICK CO. LTD.

• 658-8812

5450 PAT BAY HWY. VICTORIA, B.C. V8Y 1T1

5488 PAT BAY HWY
AT ELK LAKE



PHONE 658-8211

Cunningham's Shell Service

COMPLETE AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS
TIRES — ACCESSORIES

24 HOUR TOWING SERVICE

Highton & Associates

REAL ESTATE LTD.

Phil Warren
ASSOCIATE

#207 - 3561 Shelbourne St.
Victoria, B.C.
V8P 4G8

BUS: 592-1244
RES: 658-5411

Wanted - daytime babysitter for children
2, 5 and 7, on an on-call basis. 658-1761.

IF YOU'RE GOING AWAY

- * discontinue mail, milk, paper delivery.
- * let a neighbour know
- * arrange for someone to pick up all those advertising flyers left on your doorstep or in your mailbox
- * set up a timer to switch various lights on at night and off in the morning.
- * leave a key with someone you trust.
- * have someone come in and re-position your curtains occasionally.
- * arrange to have someone mow your lawn, so your house won't look deserted.

NOTE

It is the policy of the Cordovan to make its columns and delivery service available to any local interests that are not commercial. Opinions expressed are not those of the Association unless specifically stated. Additional materials that may accompany the newsletter from time to time are not paid for by the Cordovan.

Meetings of the Cordova Bay Association Board of Directors are held once a month (except during the summer, when they are held at the call of the President).

As provided by the CBA Constitution, meetings are open to interested members of the Association. If you wish to attend, please advise one of the board.

Advertising:	Susan Jamieson	658-1492
Delivery:	Rhoda Higenbottam	658-8538
	Margaret Moore	658-8789
	Dave Allen	658-1314
Production:	Dave Allen	658-1314
Copy:	Sheilagh Ogilvie	658-8937
	Gwen MacPherson	658-5451
	Alison Reid	658-5820
	Myrtle Dyer	658-8833
Typists:	Jacqui Bailey	
	Jean Baines	
	Valerie Kent	
	Margaret Moore	
	Cordova Bay Word Processing	

CORDOVA BAY ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FORM

Name _____

Address _____

Postal Code _____ Phone _____

Fees: \$3/person or \$5/household

Make cheque out to C.B. Association and send to:

Edwin Hipsey
993 Abbey Road
V8Y 101