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### Daffodils for cancer

The NV Heritage Society/Baillie House is accepting reservations for bunches of daffodils. Ten daffodils in a bunch is \$5.60. This year there is also a pot of 5 live mini-daffodil bulbs for \$8.40, that can be planted in the garden when they finish blooming. All proceeds go to the Canadian Cancer Society. FMI & to reserve your daffs, call 378-0349.

**Learn about crowdfunding**  
On Wednesday, March 16, Community Futures NV will stream the 2016 *Community Crowdfunding Summit* live broadcast from Prince George. Learn how your small/medium business or your favourite not-for-profit group can more effectively raise funds.

This year is anticipated to be a year of exponential growth on the crowdfunding scene. Globally, crowdfunding expanded from \$6.1 billion raised in 2013 to \$16.2 billion raised in 2014.

Find out how you can get in on the advantages of the 'new' future. There's lots more info at [www.investlocalbc.ca](http://www.investlocalbc.ca)

Coffee is on at 8am, event runs 8:30am-4pm. The event is free, but seating is limited, RSVP to CFNV 378-3923.

### Nicola Canford's 'Operation Green'

Grade 5 & 6 students at Nicola Canford Elementary are again participating in BC Hydro Powersmart & Encor Return-It's BC Green Games. The enterprise started back in October, and this month they're down to the wire on getting votes for their project. As of last evening, they were leading the pack in their category, heading over 19,000 votes (the next closest team has 15,157; 3rd place has 7,562 & 4th place has 4,874). But votes can change in a blink.

"We have what feels like a really strong lead... It was up to 3100 votes last night... But remember that the other team has been known to mobilize over 1700 votes in a single night.... And we need to fight them off until the end of March. So please, keep voting. Keep sharing and encouraging people in your own personal networks to vote and support our local kids," posted teacher Yvonne Lord.

You can read all about their projects — gardening, composting, recycling, energy saving, and the study of biosolids, "an issue that gained a lot of attention in our community over the last couple of years" at [www.bcgreengames.ca](http://www.bcgreengames.ca), search Nicola Canford.

**What's the Difference?** What's the difference between a jeweler, a vendor, and a bottle of glue? A jeweler sells watches. A vendor sells what he sells. As for the bottle of glue, I thought you might have got stuck with that one.

**Your Relatives Are Mine Too** A couple drove down a country road for several miles, not saying a word. An earlier discussion had led to an argument and neither of them wanted to concede their position. As they passed a barnyard of mules, goats and cows, the husband asked sarcastically, "Relatives of yours?" "Yep," the wife replied, "in-laws!"

### THIS WEEK'S HOROSCOPE



Aries  
March 21 - April 19

People aren't always easy to please. Yet despite all you find so daunting, there is hope on the horizon this week and the distinct possibility of significant change.



Taurus  
April 20 - May 20

'Necessity is the mother of invention'. Events this week offer you a real chance to fulfil a much deeper need than that. Don't be afraid to be inventive.



Gemini  
May 21 - June 21

The only thing you need to apologise to yourself about, is your own tendency to make yourself feel inadequate! Treat yourself better this week, and the world will treat you better too.



Cancer  
June 21 - July 22

If you feel restricted, know that it is largely psychological and self-imposed. You need to outgrow a belief that has become irrelevant. Then the sky is the limit this week.



Leo  
July 23 - Aug 22

You are able to move on, let go, come of age and benefit from a greater level of inner maturity. Go beyond a past prejudice and you will be an inspiration to others too.



Virgo  
Aug 23 - Sept 22

Pride is more expendable than money and there is no shame in saying, "I gave it my best shot." Now you can change something that you feared would never alter.



Libra  
Sept 23 - Oct 22

Some people are so afraid of the unknown, but a journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step. If, this week, you can't move a mountain, move a stone or two.



Scorpio  
Oct. 23 - Nov 21

Perhaps you fear you will lose out or sell yourself short if you compromise. But there is no shame in adapting to a changing set of circumstances. Be brave this week.



Sagittarius  
Nov 22 - Dec 21

You may feel that you owe it to yourself to strive for the more difficult result. But this week, don't overlook the value of the obvious.



Capricorn  
Dec 22 - Jan 19

Be wary this week, of an enthusiasm that borders on a passion for a plan that it might be wiser to mull over longer and to view with slightly more suspicion.



Aquarius  
Jan 20 - Feb 18

There isn't such a rush and a process can be allowed to take its time. But you are keen to see it succeed before opportunities evaporate as events overtake you. Even so, go gently.



Pisces  
Feb 19 - Mar 20

Amazing changes are possible if you mix effort and determination with imagination. This week, you will be able to seize the many chances for progress that are all around now.

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Nicola Valley Community Arts Council

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of the  
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### GARAGE SALE

ON-GOING garage sale at Baillie House Open Tues-Sat, 10am-4pm

### PERSONAL

NV Fish & Game club will hold Core Program, req. to obtain BC hunting license, Apr 1, 2, 3, 4. Paul Komornoski 378-4904

**TO ANYONE** burning garbage in your fire place: I went out one morning this week, could not breathe. Please do not burn garbage, there are many hazardous chemicals.

**SPRING IS** in the air! Want to get a jump start on cleaning? Carpets, walls, windows, organizing, downsizing, gar. cleaning or sale, babysitting or respite care 378-8383

**ODD JOBS** wanted: can do painting, house cleaning, yardwork, minor plumbing Maryruth (778)349-1277

**LOOKING TO HIRE** a resp. & reliable babysitter for children aged 4 & 1 for every Sat, starting Mar. 12. In Lower Nicola, could driving sitter to/ from our home if necessary. Pay neg., look forward to hearing from you! bailee106@ hotmail.com, 250-378-8355, txt 250-315-9649

**TUMBLEWEED PLAYSCHOOL** is accepting registration forms for 2016-17 school year, FMI pls email Gian at [registration@tumbleweedplayschool.com](http://registration@tumbleweedplayschool.com)

**MISSING:** cat, Feb 9 btwn Merritt & Shulus, young tabby blk/ grey, ear tattoo NEC94, 378-4469

**MATURE** female seeking employment. Exper d, will do hsecleaning, yrd & grdn wrk, painting, dog walking 280-6103

**FEELING GUILTY** because there's no time to walk Fido? Let someone with experience help you. Mike 378-9577. Rates based on length of walks; ½ hr - 1hr long.

**NEED SPRING** cleaning, yard work? call 378-4022

**FOUND:** set of keys outside City Hall near the bench. 2 keys on braided key chain, with a PC/ea charity token. Claimed at Community Futures Nicola Valley, bottom floor City Hall, right across from Subway

**MOTIVATIONAL**/inspirational speaker. Mike 378-5909, cell 315-5174

**ANGIE'S TEALEAF** reading. Accurate, born gift, no questions asked, affordable/cheapest rates in town 378-8326 anything/

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

**HELP WTD:** Grass maintenance contractor etc w/ own ride-on mower & weedeater for 2016 season, for lrg mbl home prk w/ refs., 1-800-361-8111 w/ contact info

**SERVICES**

**GET READY** for spring break. Nd someone to take care of your home? Honest & reliable, call Bill 378-4534

**WOODY'S Tree Services & yard work.** Pruning, toppling, hedges, etc. 315-8087

**WTD CARETAKER JOB:** on a farm or ranch. We are retired couple with experience and mechanically inclined. bladdangaybdr@gmail.com or 378-4004

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**RESP, RELIABLE** mat, woman, social worker bckground/exper, vry gd w/ youth, children, elders, available for var. assistance daily living tasks, short-term care in your home, exper. w/ those experiencing dementia/alzheimers/depression, reas. rates 315-0179

**DRYWALL**, textured ceiling, painting. Call Jeff (250)378-3709, (250)315-2066

**GRANNY'S House Quilting & Retreat** has fabric and sewing notions. 378-3734

### CHILDCARE

**FAMILY PLACE** for children 4 to 12 years. Open Monday to Saturday. Hrs 9am-9pm. At Railyard Mall. 2172 Coute Ave. 378-4878. We will help complete subsidy paperwork. Drop-ins welcome

**ECE CERT'D** mom of 2 can do childcare, my home or yours, exc. refs & 15+ yrs exper. in profess. childcare settings. Evenings in my home & Saturdays too! Tammy 936-8869

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**COFFEE** tbl \$35. **Floral couch** \$100obo. Lrg blue floral trunk \$35. Oldr Singer sew. mach., tension nds work \$70obo. Small coll. tv 13" \$10. **VHS mach.**, works w/ tapes \$15. Lots misc **household items** 378-4640

**REDUCED:** 4 old cream cans \$60ea. 378-1880

**FREE:** gd cond. stove, queen mattress box & twin beds. 525-0575

**2 MBL** home porches, 4' x 4' complete w/ roofs, one has stairs. \$20ea. 378-5370

**VIKING** rubber caulk boots, size 10 \$25. Dakota heavy duty steel toe winter boots, size 12 \$100. 378-7562

**ORGANIC** llama fertilizer \$50/20kg. Linda 378-2341

**BOX OF** boy's clothing sz 4.5-6.6x, sm, med, gd condition: 40 pieces: pj's, shorts, jeans, tees, shirts. \$20 315-8158

**NW 30"** prehung interior door w/ zinc bar bevelled glass \$150 315-4484

**WELL ROTTED** steer manure, 5-6 yd loads, pick up or dlr \$80-\$100 315-1032

**RECORD** collection 1960's & 70's, 100+ records, must sell all \$125 315-3544

**16" BOYS** bike \$45. BMX full susp. boys bike \$55. Bauer junior hockey helmet, gently used \$20. Junior hockey shoulder/chest pads \$35 378-9860

**MENS** 7-spd & woman's 5-spnd bicycles \$50ea. or \$75/bth both 378-1880

**3 PAIRS** rollerblades, 2 sz 5, 1 sz 7. Ladies skates sz 6 & 8. Child's super cycle 16" trn. Pr Nike skates, nvr worn sz 5. Mtn bike 378-8383

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**94 PROWLER** 5th-whl, mint cond., 27' 6", micro/f/s, a/c, qu. bd, slps 6, stereo/radio, b-1 bth tub/shwr, 3000w generator, heat, 2 b-1 solar panels, hk-up for tv, hwing, awning \$10,000 378-4634

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**SNOWMOBILE** trolley, can be disassembled for stor. \$140. 378-4853

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**07 YAMAHA** phazer, elect. start, 144" trck, exc cond., heated handlebars, etc., gar-kept, \$3800obo 378-6915

**NORDIC** walking poles, set of 2, never used, incl. feet & instruction video \$80 378-3764

**MENS CCm** skates sz 10 \$15 378-6027

**GARMIN** fish finder, brand nw in bx \$157obo 378-6915

**2011 GRIZZLY** 700, p/s w/ wnhc, 750km/57hrs, lk nw, after mrtk rims/tires 378-5841, 280-0493

**PRO-FORM** treadmill, lrg adjust. trck, display for dist., time, pulse, heart, etc., nw cond. \$300obo 378-2325

**SKIS**, Yamaha \$20 378-1336

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