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If you have tuned into any news programs lately, there is no doubt that you have been touched by the destruction and devastation that is occurring in Haiti after the 7 point earthquake hit the caribbean country over a week ago. It is hard to imagine the suffering and hopelessness that these people are enduring. With solemn, empty faces, lost in the rubble of their fallen city, they hope, pray and search for their loved ones. The loss of life is unmeasurable. As the media networks show mass graves, discarded bodies and death without dignity, millions of dollars of financial aid are pouring in from around the world.

It is human nature that makes us ask why did this have to happen and how could it have been prevented? Why does it take so much death and suffering to urge us to share or wealth and want to help our poverty stricken neighbours?

If the aid had come sooner, before the earthquake hit and put towards seismic upgrades in the impoverished country, there would be more miracles than disaster. In these deprived countries, couldn't we at least offer our aid by building safe schools and hospitals?

And if we can give from our hearts and wallets in times of crisis, then why can't we offer help to many in our own communities that live in a state of crisis day to day?

As I write this, I hear that another aftershock just hit Haiti last night. The terror and fear in the minds of the Haitian people must be intolerable. Yet, many of them remain hopeful and faithful, that help will come and their lives will be restored. It is obvious that Haiti will never be the same but we must learn from their suffering how fortunate we are, how we are capable of giving and that there is hope for a brighter future for all of us. ~ Sandi Poystila

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## APPLIANCES

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## **AUTO PARTS & ACCESS**

Michelin winter tires - 185/65 R15 XICE 75% low mileage 4 for \$100, phone 250 537-5272. 01-22

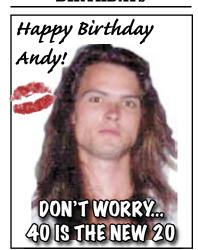
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## The Islands Marketplace CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 22

Library StoryTime: It's in the bag! Stories & surprises with Kaz. For children in early grades 1 p.m. at the library.

Rugg Huggers Baby & Parent Drop-In, 10:00-1:00 (includes light lunch) at Family Place, 120 Park Dr. (Behind All Saints Anglican Church). 250-537-9176. familyplace@ssics.ca

Saori Freestyle Weaving Classes 10-Noon. No weaving experience necessary. Contact Terri @ 250-537-8813 (www. saorisaltspring.com).

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Roller Blading at the Fulford Hall on Saltspring from 7:30 to 9pm.

Fierce Light - by Velcrow Ripper. film screening at the Salt Spring Film Festival fundraiser at The Frtiz Cinema. 6:30pm

## **SATURDAY, JANUARY 23**

Dad 'n' Me - Meet and eat pancakes with dads and kids at Family Place at 120 Park Drive, Saltspring. 8:30-10:30 a.m. 537-9176.

Fierce Light workshop with filmmaker Velcrow Ripper. Personal Activism. Mahon Hall 1 to 5pm. Register at SS Rooks

Auntie Kate and the Uncles of Funk at the Dancing Bean Cafe in Chemainus.

### **SUNDAY, JANUARY 24**

Argentine Practica at the Core Inn, 4:30 - 6:30pm \$5 Beginners Welcome! Info: Karen Pedersen 250.653.4589.

Dances of Universal Peace at the Lions Hall from 7 to 9pm. Songs, dancing from cultures and spiritual traditions.

Jazz Night with QuintEssential at Moby's Oyster Bar & Grill. 7pm to 10pm.

## **MONDAY, JANUARY 25**

Toastmasters Speaking at 7pm in the Crofton Room, Harbour House Hotel.537-2581. Guests Welcome.

Parent - Child Drop-in, 9:00 - 12:30, at Family Place, 120 Park Dr. (Behind All Saints Anglican Church). 250-537-9176. familyplace@ssics.ca

Saori Freestyle Weaving Classes 1-3PM. No weaving experience necessary. Contact Terri @ 250-537-8813 (www.saorisaltspring.com).

## **TUESDAY, JANUARY 26**

SynergyFit Strength & Balance at Beaver Point Hall 8:30-9:30 a.m. Info: 250-653-4656 trisha@synergyfit.ca

Circuit Training 5:30 - 6:30pm\$10 dropin, 8 or more people, just \$5. Free for first session. Burn fat, build muscle. Call Val at 250-931-5483 or 250-538-7447. 02-19

Mother Goose - For all Toddlers & Preschool Aged Children (babies in arms are welcome) at Fernwood School from 10-11 am for 8 sessions. Faciltators: Sarah Shugar and Colleen Irwin. Registration at the first session, please come early and be ready to sing at 10:00am. Please email us at familyplace@ssics.ca or call the Family Place @ 250- 537-9176 for info.

Laughter Yoga from 5:30-6:30pm (Until Feb 9th) at United Church (111 Hereford St.) Suggested donation \$10 (Bring a friend to try for \$5) Contact Meaghan at 778 235 4859.

## **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27**

Moby's Pint Club. Beer and appy specials! Proceeds to local causes.

SynergyFit Total Body Challenge at Beaver Point Hall 5:30-6:30 p.m. Info: 250-653-4656 trisha@synergyfit.ca

Swing Classes at Mahon Hall - 7pm. Contact-Morley 537-4898 or Julianna 537-1818

Texas Hold-em poker fun at the Local Bar next to the Centennial Park, SSI at 6:30pm.

## **THURSDAY, JANUARY 28**

Bingo at the Meaden Hall, Royal Canadian Legion, 7pm. 120 Blain Road.

Blues Night with Soul Shakedown at Moby's Oyster Bar & Grill. 7pm to 10pm.

Circuit Training Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30 - 6:30pm and Saturdays at 10am. \$10 drop-in, 8 or more people, just \$5. Free for first session. Burn fat, build muscle. Call Val at 250-931-5483 or 250-538-7447. 02-19

Join us at THE LOCAL for Local talent for OPEN MIC NIGHT (New faces always Welcome)

Open Mic Night at the Fulford Inn, SSI.

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Library StoryTime: Library Lion leads us on a new adventure with stories. For children in early grades and preschoolers. 1:00 at the Library

Burns Night at the Canadian Legion on Saltspring Island, 537-1676.

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 29

Roller Blading at the Fulford Hall on Saltspring from 7:30 to 9pm.

Gold Party - bring unwanted and broken jewellery to the United Church from 3-9pm. Also: Sterling Jewellery at wholesale prices

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 30

The Coaching Accelerator - a dynamic one-day Coaching Intensive, from 10am-5pm. Call Leah Hansel at 538-8718 for details.

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Circuit Training at 10am. \$10 drop-in, 8 or more people, just \$5. Free for first session. Burn fat, build muscle. Call Val at or 250-538-7447. 02-19

Live Music with Donny Brook and the Haymakers at Moby's Bar & Grill. 537-5559.

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Jazz Night with at Moby's Oyster Bar & Grill. 7pm to 10pm.

Diamond Joe White Family Band at the Dancing Bean Cafe in Chemainus.

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Salt Spring Scottish Country Dance Club Open House to welcome new members. Please join us at All Saints Church Hall, dancing starts at 6pm. No experience necessary, soft-soled shoes are fine. Need more info - call Judy Heddle 250 5372672.

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Open Mic Night at the Fulford Inn, SSI.

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Roller Blading at the Fulford Hall on Saltspring from 7:30 to 9pm.

## **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6**

Men's breakfast every first Saturday of a month starts at 8 am. Great time to meet others. at 215 Baker Road, Pentecostal church. Or phone 537- 4143.

MamallMama's Prenatal Education Classes for 2010 begin today. Details and information can be found on our website at www.mama2mama.ca

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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\*\* ALL EVENTS LISTED ABOVE ARE LOCATED ON SALTSPRING ISLAND, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

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## Advice, recipes and stories by Georgiana Reehl

ne of my specialties that are very popular are my Eggs Benedict. I thought I would do some research for us and I found some interesting history on them. Did you know that National Eggs Benedict Day is on April 16, in the USA? The origin of this popular breakfast are not truly known, and there are 4 stories of its birth, and all of them originate in North America.

The most quoted one is this one. There was a retired Wall Street broker who claimed that in 1984, while suffering from a bad hangover, he ambled into the Waldorf Hotel and decided to try a cure for his suffering. He ordered buttered toast, poached eggs, crisp bacon and hollandaise sauce. When the illustrious maitre d'hotel, Oscar Tschirky heard about it, he added to the luncheon menu with the addition of a toasted English Muffin and ham in place of the bacon. And the Eggs Benedict was born, so they say.

Hollandaise sauce itself has an interesting history. As early as 1651, Francois Pierre La Varenne describes a sauce similar to Hollandaise sauce in his groundbreaking cookbook Le Cusinier François.

And the sauce using egg yolks and butter appeared in the 19th century.

It is always interesting tracking down the history and the beginnings of foods. Through the ages the effort, care and development of all the dishes we delight in and enjoy today shows the careful heritage and special importance of the foods we prepare for each other.

Here is a recipe for quick Hollandaise and Eggs Benedict, you may enjoy.

Heat up a tablespoon of white wine vinegar and two tablespoons of lemon juice in a small pan. Place them into the bowl of a food processor with 3 large egg yolks and a dash of salt. Mix the ingredients with the food processor.

Then melt 175 g of butter in a pan and very slowly trickle the butter into the food processor with the motor at medium low speed. Watch the sauce emulsify, and if it looks a little thick, add a splash of hot water to loosen it up. If it takes too long, be sure to keep it warm by placing the bowl over a pan of hot water.

Then grill or fry some strip bacon to your taste. I like it soft, but many prefer it crispy and a little overdone. The most common bacon is Canadian Back bacon/Ham.

Poach an egg in lots of boiling water, with a bit of vinegar added to the water. Then toast an English Muffin.

Putting it all together is quite simple and easy. Place the back bacon or strip bacon on the muffin, slide the egg on top and cover it with your hot Hollandaise sauce and serve immediately.

Or, try something different:

Salmon Lox (also known as Pacifica.) Using salmon instead of bacon.

Spinach-Florentine. Tomato with bacon strips.

And, Steak with tomato, poached eggs and Hollandaise. Yum!

So many interesting and delicious options to try. Make sure your food is always served piping hot, and as always prepared with TLC for the special people in your life. Thanks for listening and have a lovely breakfast! Looking forward to seeing you at Valentine's Day Special @ Moby's. ~ Georgiana



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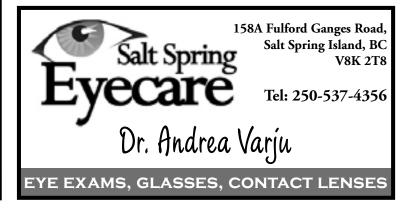
- 1. Believe in yourself. Believe that you can quit. Think about some of the most difficult things you have done in your life and realize that you have the guts and determination to quit smoking. It's up to you.
- 2. After reading this list, sit down and write your own list, customized to your personality and way of doing things. Create you own plan for quitting.
- 3. Write down the benefits of quitting: live longer, feel better, for your family, save money, smell better, etc. Put it on paper and read it daily.
- 4. Ask your family and friends to support your decision to quit. Ask them to be completely supportive and non-judgmental. Let them know ahead of time that you will probably be irritable and even irrational while you withdraw from your smoking habit.
- 5. Set a quit date. Decide what day you will extinguish your cigarettes forever. Write it down. Plan for it. Prepare your mind for the "first day of the rest of your life". You might even hold a small ceremony when you smoke you last cigarette, or on the morning of the quit date.
- 6. Talk with your doctor about quitting. Support and guidance from a physician is a proven way to better your chances to quit.
- 7. Begin an exercise program. Exercise is simply incompatible with smoking. Exercise relieves stress and helps your body recover from years of damage from cigarettes. If necessary, start slow, with a short walk once or twice per day. Build up to 30 to 40 minutes of rigorous activity, 3 or 4 times per week. Consult your physician before beginning any exercise program.
- 8. Do some deep breathing each day for 3 to 5 minutes. Breathe in through your nose very slowly, hold the breath for a few seconds, and exhale very slowly through your mouth. Try doing your breathing with your eyes closed and go to step 9.
- 9. Visualize your way to becoming a non-smoker. While doing your deep breathing in step 8, you can close your eyes and begin to imagine yourself as a non-smoker. See yourself enjoying your exercise in step 7. See yourself turning down a cigarette that someone offers you. See yourself throwing all your cigarettes away, and winning a gold medal for doing so. Develop your own creative visualizations. Visualization works.
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- 10. Cut back on cigarettes gradually (if you cut back gradually, be sure to set a quit date on which you WILL quit). Ways to cut back gradually include: plan how many cigarettes you will smoke each day until your quit date, making the number you smoke smaller each day; buy only one pack at a time; change brands so you don't enjoy smoking as much; give your cigarettes to someone else, so that you have to ask for them each time you want to smoke.
- 11. Quit smoking "cold turkey". Many smokers find that the only way they can truly quit once and for all is to just quit abruptly without trying to slowly taper off. Find the method that works best for you: gradually quitting or cold turkey. If one way doesn't work do the other.
- 12. Find another smoker who is trying to quit, and help each other with positive words and by lending an ear when quitting becomes difficult. Visit this Bulletin Board and this Chat Room to find a "quit buddy."
- 13. Have your teeth cleaned. Enjoy the way your teeth look and feel and plan to keep them that way.
- 14. After you quit, plan to celebrate the milestones in your journey to becoming a non-smoker. After two weeks of being smoke-free, see a movie. After a month, go to a fancy restaurant (be sure to sit in the non-smoking section). After three months, go for a long weekend to a favorite get-away. After six months, buy yourself something frivolous. After a year, have a party for yourself. Invite your family and friends to your "birthday" party and celebrate your new chance at a long, healthy life.
- 15. Drink lots of water. Water is good for you anyway, and most people don't get enough. It will help flush the nicotine and other chemicals out of your body, plus it can help reduce cravings by fulfilling the "oral desires" that vou may have.
- 16. Learn what triggers your desire for a cigarette, such as stress, the end of a meal, arrival at work, entering a bar, etc. Avoid these triggers or if that's impossible, plan alternative ways to deal with the triggers.
- 17. Find something to hold in your hand and mouth, to replace cigarettes. Consider carrot sticks, chewing gum or another alternative.
- 18. Write yourself an inspirational song or poem about quitting, cigarettes, and what it means to you to quit. Read it daily.
- 19. Keep a picture of your family or someone very important to you with you at all times. On a piece of paper, write the words "I'm quitting for myself and for you (or "them")". Tape your written message to the picture. Whenever you have the urge to smoke, look at the picture and read the message.
- 20. Whenever you have a craving for a cigarette, instead of lighting up, write down your feelings or whatever is on your mind. Keep this "journal" with you at all times.

Good luck in your efforts to quit smoking. It's worth it!

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By Leah Hansel



e all have areas where we can create improvement in when it comes to our Balanced Wellness. For some it is the need to quit smoking, for others, it is the desire to shed excess weight, and yet again, for others, it is the seemingly insurmountable goal of winning an Olympic medal.

Let's begin with smoking – and I am going to go against conventional thought here – and say that smoking is actually very EASY to quit. What? It's true, and I know this from experience! The trick to realizing ANY goal is understanding the underlying positive intention surrounding the unwanted behaviour or emotion and then creating new habits around what will then support this intention without having the detrimental behaviour.

Here's what I mean - most women smoke for emotional reasons (sometimes to satisfy the need for solitude, sometimes to satisfy the need for social contact), and most men smoke due to having too much stress in their lives. With both genders, the underlying positive intention is presenting itself as the need for peace, fun, or calm, whereas the habit could be shifted to any number of activities to feed that need. One can either take up regular meditation practice, learn how to set better boundaries, take up a team sport, or begin a regular exercise regime that allows one to get stress and anxiety out of the body.

All of these activities create a feeling of happiness and contentment within the physiology and psychology of an individual because they raise many different levels of positive hormones within the system, including serotonin. This "Happy Hormone" also feeds the underlying need without the harmful side-effects of the unwanted habit. One can also seek the assistance of a professional in the fields of Counselling, Coaching, Psychotherapy and Hypnotherapy to best support themselves in creating beneficial habits and behaviours in many areas in their life.

Weight loss is also an area that a great portion of our North American society is

constantly focused on. If it so common, why do many fail? There are many reasons that people are unsuccessful in goal attainment, but the number one is that they are unable to stay connected to their desired outcome. The initial steps and stages of any goal are still feeding the excitement and fun areas of our persons, kind of like when you are first falling in love. Once the first wave fades off, then reality sets in and it becomes not as much fun to keep going! Hold yourself accountable and focused to your desired outcome by creating as much fun as you can within the experience, have a buddy that will be on the same path with you, or find a personal trainer or coach to keep you on your path!

Becoming an Olympian is something that most of us never even consider, and although these individuals seem to be super-human in their abilities and achievements, they follow the same set of rules for successful goal attainment! Not only does it take incredible mental focus, visualization, and determination, but it also takes the capacity to trust, have faith, and to rely on others for support when needed.

One Olympian that comes to mind is three-time Olympian, mother, author and child advocate, Silken Laumann. In 1992, Silken came back from a devastating accident only 10 weeks before the Olympic games to win a Bronze medal for Canada! The same principles that she has applied to her Olympic achievements are evident today in her writing and speaking engagements. I will be interviewing Silken on my radio program on CFSI-FM 107.9 on Monday, January 25 at 1:00 pm where Silken will give us a taste of her presentation, "The Courage to Shine". We are very fortunate to have her create time in her exceptionally busy schedule to present at the The Juicy Amazing Goddess Woman event on March 7, 2010!

So, be sure to tune in! Perhaps you will Discover your Inner Olympian, or at least, find the inspiration to stay focused on your Health and Wellness Goals for 2010! Wishing you all Joy and Success this year, Leah.





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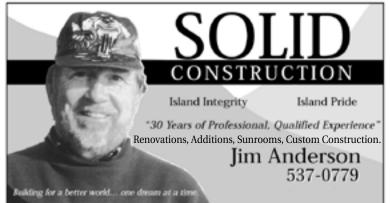
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### ARIES Mar 21st - Apr 20th

A really sunny and friendly vibe can warm the last phase of January for you. Expect lots of attention and for your popularity to be riding high. Yet despite this, cash and friendship don't make very happy bedfellows, so you may be best to keep these two areas apart. Confidential advice given or taken can prove invaluable. Be open to this now.

## TAURUS Apr 21st - May 21st

Stay conscious that your reputation is your license to success. If you have trodden on an important person's toes, the feedback can be felt now. Yet if you understand who holds the power in your relationships, this can be time when your star can be in the ascendant. Impressions really do count. Consider the impact you make and ask if it is good Taurus.

### GEMINI May 22nd - Jun 21st

Your enthusiasm can be absolutely awesome this week, and faraway places and faces can truly enchant you. So an ideal time to book or plan a holiday. If you are on the move or go to see a show, band or exhibition, you can have a fabulous time. Just be conscious that one person could be rather jealous of your hot streak and may prove spiteful.

### CANCER Jun 22nd - Jul 23rd

Education can be a really important feature these days. And for many of us, there is a need to constantly update our skill set, especially as technology becomes more and more important. You and a friend can help each other, perhaps going on a course together or providing mutual encouragement. In love, things can spice up but also be mysterious!

## LEO Jul 24th - Aug 23rd

Meet people in the middle and this can turn out to be a sparkling week. A spirit of compromise really can work wonders. And if you do make any agreements or get chatting to someone new, Saturn can anchor down the more frivolous side of Venus, and see these become lasting and satisfying bonds. Be sincere, and life will reward you handsomely Leo.

### VIRGO Aug 24th - Sep 23rd

Okay, the jobs market has been depressed, so I don't say the following lightly, but this can be a week when things turn for you - if finding a job is your main goal. This may be a role where you can combine your powers of concentration and eye for detail with helping others. So service industry roles, retailing, health and caring, can all see you prosper.

### LIBRA Sep 24th - Oct 23rd

This is a week to relish. Not only will you feel more outgoing, you can also begin to feel like spending time with others. Romance is particularly well aspected, but you can't sit back and wait for a fantasy admirer to hunt you down, you need to busy yourself with as many buzzy events as possible. A fairer share of domestic chores can lift an existing tie.

## SCORPIO Oct 24th - Nov 22nd

The Quarter Moon in your opposite sign of Taurus, right angles the Sun. This gives you an opportunity to confront a painful emotional or family event, which has been causing some sadness. Have the courage to do this, for Venus is going to be very protective of you and will ensure that things can be sorted with less ill will than you may fear or suspect.

### SAGITTARIUS Nov 23rd - Dec 21st

All forms of communications can see you do spectacularly well, so a great week to book a refresher course for computing skills or to start a website or personal blog. Yet, there are only so many hours in each day. So, do plan prudently what you want to do with yours. Don't try to do too much. Concentrate your focus and you can be awesome Sagittarius.

## CAPRICORN Dec 22nd - Jan 20th

The stars put you in full-on temptation mode, and anything remotely luscious can be a real draw. This can also therefore, be a diet breaker, but just as easily you can find yourself daydreaming about a new, sizzling love interest. Yet however sultry they may be remember that after the initial glow has worn off, they're likely to be fallible, just like us all.

## AQUARIUS Jan 21st - Feb 19th

You can be a bit of a magnet, for all sorts of good things, as the Sun in Aquarius combines with Venus. With lucky Jupiter also angling well with the transformative Pluto, the hard work you have invested behind the scenes can start to pay off, and this can see an improvement in your income and self-esteem. Don't let a doubter hold you back.

### PISCES Feb 20th - Mar 20th

Life is fluid. Situations, as well as friendships can come and go. But a blast from the past can cheer you this week, when an old friend gets in touch, out of the blue. This person may have changed quite a bit since you last spoke, and you can be pleased to reacquaint yourself with them. A great time to plan future and potentially life changing events.

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## **SALTSPRING SOLILOQUIES**

## Thinking About Human Thought

Pretty soon now in the lives we lead and the games we play- who wins, and who loses will not matter anymore. Somehow we have to finally recognize that we all... all of us... are on the same team. And Humankind needs a new dream, a new spiritual renaissance, or we will not survive.

I have discovered that there is a hidden and secret foundation that underlies all human logical and rational thought. Without realizing it, all of us insidiously use this hidden platform to reason, order and understand universe. Every one of us. Every man, woman and child. Red, yellow, black, white and brown. It is the same. Always the same. And it has always been that way since the beginning.

From that secret and prehistoric foundation we always..always ...absolutely, totally and without fail begin with and focus upon parts and pieces in universe. Everywhere we break universe into bits and pieces..."things", to understand it. Discrete, isolated essence is the central and primary focus. We cannot instinctively understand and know "wholes" in universe. We can only instinctively understand and know the "part." The simple, and discrete part. This is where

we begin. This is where we always start to form reason and order. A universe of objects, particles, events, mass. This is what we see. This is how our logical minds function. And from this primary focus we try to capture perfect enlightenment and understanding of the mysterious "whole" by constructing it piece upon piece.

This, then is the fundamental problem. The capacity to see and know "wholes" directly represents a dimension beyond our absolute fixation upon the "part." It is a dimension which we are now oblivious and ignorant of. This primitive myopia is the real cause of the human condition, the human enigma and the human tragedy in our world. And every human being that has ever walked this earth has formed thought and reason constructed upon this hidden foundation.

From that secret and primitive platform we have created a cosmology radiated completely from the "part." It is a perspective that is therefore always singular. Related to one center, one isolated and discrete locus. There is always one and only one singular answer and solution to any problem. Everything can and must be reduced and represented in Jim Anderson is a writer living on Saltspring. He is working on a metamorphosis of the human mind. © 2010 by Jim Anderson, Saltspring Island

singular, particulate and discrete form. It is a cosmology built upon symbols. Words. Numbers. Names. A universe made real at the center, defined and composed of "elementary particles." This is how we think. This is how universe makes sense to us now.

Always only one dimension and direction can be conceived of at a time. A cosmology centered always upon the "part" is therefore always a linear world. And the more perfectly we can describe and define isolated "things", events, phenomena, forces and particles in universe- in discrete, singular and linear form, the more sense and security there is.

With gargantuan effort we laboriously interrelate, organize and order our universe of discrete parts into a collage of hierarchy, opposition and equality- conformed into laws and organized form where the whole is seen to be the sum of its parts. But it is a fragile and tenuous arrangement that we continuously labor to make invariant, unchanging and eternal. With herculean effort we have built this primitive and fragile order.

But that order is now crumbling around us everywhere. The mortal agony we live and the madness we call civilization torments us simply because the whole is always more, much more than the sum of its

parts.

The whole cannot be reached or created from part. It requires thought from a totally new dimension.

Until our minds can evolve into that dimension the mystery of universe will elude us, and we will stumble blindly towards extinction. Human beings will continue to endure unimaginable inhumanity and agony, and we will suffer and die in ignorance.

You and I have to find the way out... find the way into a new dimension with our minds. Then perhaps we will understand and know how to create sublime unity from ignorant chaos. Learn how sperm and egg create life, how the two can miraculously become one. How the universe can be simultaneous, instantaneous and multidimensional beyond our primitive designs of linearity and singularity. How a society can honor and treasure the sanctity and integrity of the individual and still preserve the harmony and freedom of community. And most importantly for our civilization, how human beings can finally live together in harmony, sustainability and peace on this beleaguered planet. Small wonder we live in such challenging times.

Comments, criticism, compliments? Talk to me: sevenunion77@shaw.ca

## The Islands Marketplace CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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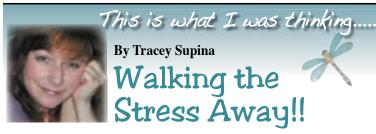
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In light of health and wellness for the month of January I decided on bushing the topic of walking. To my friends I am sure you are laughing about now, I am by far the biggest procrastinator for the "walk of death" as I call it. Every time my friends try and make me walk anywhere I am mad....cranky to say the least and they as only true friends can be are happy to make me walk, they laugh and relish in the whole idea that they actually got me out there so I thought I would tell you of a few things that make walking one of the most beneficial forms of exercise both mentally and physically.

Put physical and mental distance between you and the stresscausing environment. (my kids usual follow me but good luck)

When you are stressed your muscles tense up so walking will help you unknot those muscles. (unless you fall down like I usually do)

Take time to enjoy the flowers, the weather, our beautiful SSI surroundings and most people would say the birds chirping. (birds scare me....Alfred Hitchcock need I say more)

Walking wears off the stress related calories I just thought they were calories from eating but hey it actually makes me feel good and allows my brain to OK the dessert that night.

Walking does lower blood pressure that stress and excess weight cause it to rise, I have no pun or joke to this as my Dr. has instructed me to get walking ......

I will say as hard is it is to get me with my runners on and out on the pavement, I enjoy walking so much that every time I do walk I say.....man this feels great. I encourage the walk.....take a moment and do it....just do it....





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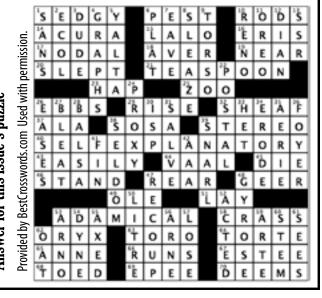


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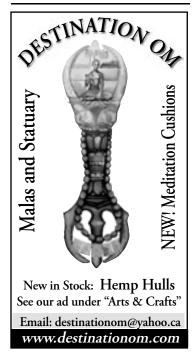
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Clean, cozy, one bedroom cottage, furnished, minutes to Bennett Bay beach, available for monthly rental until end of May 2010. Wood/electric heat. \$700./month. Suit single person or a couple. mayne539@yahoo.ca. Phone: 250-539-3195. 01-22

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Wanted mortorcycle 250-600cc size. Phone: 250-653-4352. 02-08

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