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We need to find alternatives to chemicals, to become aware of the toxic poisons that are accumulating in our food chain, poisoning our children and the earth for generations to come. We need to take the time to rediscover the natural healing therapies, using what nature does provide. We must get in touch with our inner wisdom so that it may provide us with the knowledge. We need to live in harmony with nature and our neighbours.

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Healthy Hints

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# **Digestion or Indigestion**

Indigestion is perhaps the most common ailment that is affecting mankind today.

Over the counter remedies are a multi-million dollar industry, providing temporary relief to sufferers of indigestion around the world.

As mentioned these remedies are only for temporary relief, they do nor correct the problem.

Food or anything that is ingested does not become part of the body or its functions unless it is broken down to minute, absorbable particles. This is the process that is preformed by the digestion mechanism, which is a very complex process interrelated with just about every other function in the human body.

It is a documented fact that proper nutrition is vital to the maintenance of a healthy body, but if the digestive mechanism is hampered or tampered with, even if the best food is eaten, it could be wasted and/or become gas forming toxic or putrefactive material, doing more harm than good and bringing about symptoms such as heartburn, bloating, flatulence, nausea and cramping.

The reason why traditional remedies do not provide long term effectiveness is that their use does not address imbalances in the human's body chemistry that continue to interfere with the digestion, assimilation and utilization of food nutrients.

As every person is different, so are their digestion problems different. A proper analysis must be done to discern the individual's needs before the cause of indigestion can be corrected.

The body's acid/alkaline balance is of utmost importance. If there is an imbalance major problems may be the result.

Our digestion system has two opposing sets of secretions. One is very acid and the other very alkaline. For the maximum digestion efficiency to take place, these two secretions must balance each other. We cannot ignore this PH level if we wish to maintain perfect, vibrant health.

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# Wholistic Health

by Haddy Abra

Many people see the wholistic movement as an offshoot of the Sixties when California Crazies turned to yogurt and tofu instead of the meat and potatoes that was good enough for their parents. While it may have had a reawakening then, wholistic health has been with us since the dawn of time.

Wholistic approaches in health care refer to dealing with the person as a whole instead of as a broken arm, heart attack or cancer victim. During medical emergencies there is little time for niceties, but that is such a small part of the total health picture. In ancient times, physicians used surgery and medicine to treat their patients, but they also employed music, colour, baths, nutrition, massage, and other approaches as necessary parts of the treatment. As we became more and more enamoured with scientific technological breakthroughs, the tried and true methods fell by the wayside as outdated or unscientific.

The term "quack" comes from "quacksalver" or "quicksilver" meaning mercury, which was used by the medical profession, to the great detriment of their patients. Confining people in rooms without fresh air or sunshine, bleeding, X-ray therapy, using powerful and unproven drugs and numerous other approaches have all been accepted as scientific. Hippocrates, the Father of Medicine, advised his students that they should do nothing to harm the patients. In our headlong rush to utilize the latest treatment, the modern physician has often unconsciously done just that.

I would not suggest for a moment that we should forego the marvels of Modern Medicine, nor do I condemn physicians for not being schooled in a broader approach. In these days of specialization, they have enough on their plate just keeping up with what they have been taught.

What is needed is greater "schooling" for everyone. Practitioners need to better understand and respect what is being done by others with different training, and consumers need to know what it is that is the best approach for their needs. This is where workshops and events such as the **Spring Festival of Awareness** play an important role.

People need to take responsibility for their health and be informed consumers when it comes to seeking assistance. They must realize that although a health practitioner may have found a truth, it is not necessarily the total truth. Does that practitioner seemed concerned about you as a person? Did he or she take the time to hear what you had to say and properly assess your situation? Was he or she prepared to refer you to someone else as part of your therapy if it was appropriate? We all must keep striving for greater truths.



Haddy Abra is President of the Canadian Coalition of Wholistic Health Practitioners This is an umbrella organization for wholistic minded individuals & organizations. If interested in joining or just finding out what it is they do. Phone Haddy in Vancouver 879-0304 or Joan McIntyre in Vernon at 542-6881

## **The First Step**

by Laara Bracken

Self Authority. Self Empowerment. What do these words mean? Dare we make them a part of our reality? If we dare, where do we begin? How do we find our way out of the quagmire of thoughts, tapes, images and conditioning that says "Don't make waves,""You are not important,"or "Loving yourself is egotistical and wrong"?

Self love is not egotistical--it is an artesian well from which to draw on love for others, as well as ourselves. To draw on the strength to be there for others, caring and nurturing freely, without fear of depleting ourselves. When we love ourselves, we feel neither greater nor lesser than others--we see ourselves as part of the whole of humanity. This is true humility. This self concept creates a link with the universal source, and love and power flow through us. We become filled with it --healing and serving simply by being.

How do we get there? By exploding a couple of myths. The first, and most insidious is that we do not love ourselves. Horsefeathers! We feed and clothe ourselves, don't we? We house ourselves, and keep ourselves warm, don't we? This, and a myriad of other survival techniques, prove that we <u>do</u> love ourselves. Think about it for a while. Focus on that part of you which has been keeping you fed, warm, and sheltered. Then you will be ready to explode myth # 2....

We can't afford to get help with our conflicts and confusions (subtitled: I don't deserve that much happiness) Question: If you had a dear friend who was suffering terribly, and he/she asked you to loan him/her some money to find relief, would you do it? You bet you would. So would I. We would cut out some other expenditure, we might even take out a loan--but it would be worth it for our dear friend. End of second myth.

Having exploded these illusions, the question becomes to whom, or where, do we go? There are so many people offering so many things that it is confusing. First, we stop panicking about the whole choice issue. We allow ourselves to make mistakes. We experiment with different counselors, healers and methods. We ask a lot of questions. We ask our friends for their impressions of people and techniques. We realize that it took years to create our present situation. We cannot expect to create another reality in a month.

Having affirmed our self love, that we can afford it, that it may take time, we are already half way to clearing the mists that obscure our inner light. This is when the "magic" happens. When we are in this state, we attract to us a person or a method that resonates with our own energies, and will "work" for us. All that remains is to do it.

# Musing

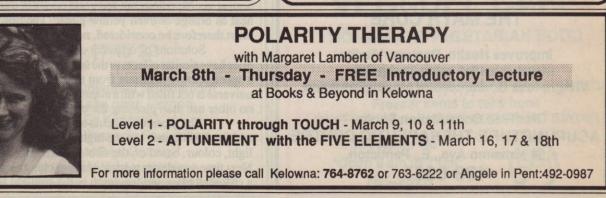


I looked up the word muse in the dictionary and it means to meditate in silence; think deeply; dream. My column will be to share with you, thoughts and dreams. I feel that wholistic health is very important, but not many people are aware of the benefits. Many practitioners are very talented but don't always make a living doing what they love. I hope my skills as a promoter will entice people to give the wholistic practitioners a try. 'I'm a networker not a writer so I'm depending on you to supply me with interesting articles. I'd like to thank my supporters and the sponsors who helped make this publication a reality. I hope you enjoy and share this premiere edition of ISSUES.

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The Alpine Herbal College is a reality. Yarrow Alpine of Salmon Arm will soon be starting an eight month course titled "The Spirit and Therapeutic Use of Herbs". Yarrow's background is impressive, B.A. from University of California, professional basic teaching credentials, two certificates from Herbal Colleges, one from Green Leaf, under Norma Myers and the other from Rosemary Gladstar. Certificate of completion of Applied Nutritional Education in 1981 and professional training in use of Flower Essences. In addition Yarrow has written a book, owned a health food store, organized Medicine Wheels and works as a Health Consultant full time.

Rosemary Gladstar is providing the 500 page apprenticeship program and is the resource consultant for Yarrow. Rosemary founded the California School of Herbal Studies. Yarrow's keyword is participation while learning these gentle alternatives for healing the whole body. The College will grant the title "Herbalist" to students successfully completing assignments. If you are interested in the Herbal College, it starts April 28, phone Yarrow for more info: 835-8393





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### No aches, no pains

I'm always interested in new ways to regenerate the body, so when I heard of the Mayr Cure, I was curious. I spoke with Ostap Korecki, (Penticton's Acupuncturist) and to Dr. Craig Wagstaff, (Kelowna's Naturopathic Physician). They had just returned from a two week intensive at Whistler. I was told Mayr Therapy offers a modern citizen a natural preventive and regenerative treatment for body and soul.

I also spoke with several of Ostap's clients and they confirmed what he had told me. They said they had more energy, got rid of aches and pains, lost weight and their digestion improved.

The routine for cleansing sounded fairly easy as you did get to eat certain foods.

If you would like more information to find out what the Mayr Cure can do for you, phone either Wagstaff or Korecki.



### Colour for Healing by Ana Fassman

Light, with its component colours, is a marvelous storehouse of power to vitalize and heal mankind. It produces not only colour, but chemical effects, heat, electricity, magnetism; its organic reaction is witnessed in the flora and fauna of the earth.

All things manifest their potencies and their qualities by means of colour. There is tremendous power in colour repulsions and colour affinities. From these facts an exact materia medica can be constructed.

The seven different colours in sunlight are each composed of a different style and number of vibrations and each has special properties and chemical powers. Everything possesses a finer positive principle and a coarser negative principle.

The coarsest particles scatter white light. The finer particles scatter some rays from the red end of the spectrum. the finest particles scatter rays only from the blue end.

Different kinds of glass transmit different powers of colour. The cobalt blue glass, called mazarine blue, transmits not only blue but other colours in the spectrum, both hot and cold, visible and invisible. the yellow ray is absent and much of the green. Orange and red are partially transmitted. The infrared rays pass through cobalt. It is thus not advisable for persons with inflammatory conditions, but for nervousness and some dormancy of the bodily functions, it is beneficial. Deep blue glass coloured by cupro-diammonium sulphate is the best of the electric colours having no thermal rays. For calming and cooling brain, nerves, and inflammatory conditions, it is unexcelled.

Glass coloured with iron oxide, a deep iron green, admits violet, blue, and orange freely and some yellow and red. It is good for cooling electric effects.

Very brilliant copper green admits violet, blue, and a small amount of orange, some yellow, and full green.

Manganese violet glass extends into ultraviolet, has a few yellow rays, red is shortened, green fades into black shadows, and the other rays blend into an intense blue.

Many other combinations both in glass and solutions are possible. Heat is transmitted by red or ruby glass, but the orange glass admitting a small amount of electric rays seems to produce even more heat, while clear glass, especially a little warm, causes the greatest amount of heat.

The healing powers of water in coloured glass or colourful liquids in a glass are quite different from their appearance to the eye. So remember, red, for instance is the hottest visible colour but red glass does not transmit as much heat as orange or even yellow glass. The power to transmit must therefore be considered, not the visual effect.

Solutions of different colours or thin coloured draperies have similar effects to the solared glass. Every colour has a special power different from that of any other colour. The universe is not filled with a meaningless array of hues that have no other use than pleasing the eye.

The grosser elements of man's can be built with food and food medicines but the higher elements can be healed by light, colour, based on the noble philosophy of colour.

Next time you desire a drink of water charge it by placing it in a coloured glass and leaving it in the sunlight for 20 minutes.

# **Calendar of Workshops**

### February 3 - Saturday

The Healing of Relationships

according to "A Course in Miracles" principles. Learn how to experience the joy and fun that relationships are meant to be. "To heal is to make happy" T66 Workshop Leaders: Faye Stroo & Marie Prosser Kelowna at Books & Beyond - cost \$50.00 Please phone Faye at 763-6222 for more info.

#### **Ayurvedic Cooking Class**

Learn the basics of food combining with this 5,000 year old science with James Battle of California. All food supplied. Cost is \$50.00 Cooking class Sat. - 10 am to 6 pm Penticton: to register phone Angele 492-0987

### February 17 - Saturday

"TIME" It's Role & Goal in our Life A workshop designed to put you in the driver's seat. Mastering goals and success is easy when you know how. Cost is \$60.00 - 10 am to 6 pm. Inner Directions Training Centre. 1725 Dolphin Ave, Kelowna. 763-8588

### February 25 - Sunday

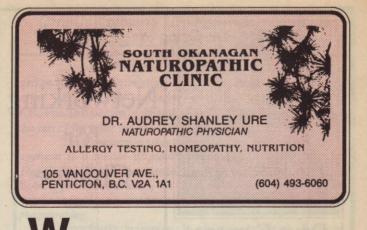
Mini Wholistic Health Fair 12 Instructors will share knowledge with you. Classes are 1 1/2 hours long, all day. Healers and Displays 10 am to 10 pm - Cost is \$15.00 for the day. at Leir House in Penticton - 492-0987 Everyone is Welcome!

### March 30, 31 & April 1

Spring Festival of Awareness See ad on back of this magazine

### June 17 to 22

Full Retreat in Universal Shamanism at Gardom Lake near Vernon With Ed Kenney founder of the Shamanic Foundation in Thunder Bay, Ontario Register before May 1st and save. For more information: Please phone 838-7587



We need a vegetarian restaurant in Penticton. People's attitudes are changing towards a healthier life style and knowing what is in the food they eat. With the poultry industry using so many chemicals to feed the mass of chickens and the beef industry using hormones to fatten the cows and with books like Diet for a New America, giving us the facts about the multi-million dollar food industry. People are now looking for quality food. The 1990's are here, the shift in consciousness is happening now on a level where we can see it.

Travelling through the valley I found two restaurants that make their meals from scratch, using organic products. One is in Rutland, just off the highway, at 164 Asher Road and the other in Vernon, on 30th Avenue.

The Vegi-Del in Kelowna serves lots of homemade tofu as they make it fresh daily in the back of the restaurant, plus Gluten, Protein and Vegi Burgers and tofu cheese. They make their muffins with no eggs or sugar. In the evening this cafe bustles with people learning to cook the vegetarian way.

In Vernon there is the Sunseed Health Food Store and Cafe. They serve the most delicious organic vegetarian homestyle meals. They grind organic flour daily to make their bread and serve desserts that are a meal in themselves. They have filtered water to drink or you can order organic carrot juice.

I do hope you will support these people in their endeavor to provide us with good quality organic cooking. For more information, these restaurants are listed in the Directory under Wholesome Meals. I hope this article will encourage someone to open a vegetarian restaurant in Penticton.





Steve Tomlinson Photo

"It's a sad person who does nothing because he can only do a little." That's Edmund Burke, a conservative British Politician of nearly two centuries ago. He also gave us "All that is required for evil to overcome us is for enough good people to do nothing." It's a wonderful opportunity to write this column in the first of what we expect will be an informative and useful periodical for Interior of B.C. readers.

Your Networking for Change columnist, has lived in the Okanagan and Kootenays since 1976, having spent his first 25 years in the moister climates of the Lower Mainland. My connections with people in the Interior have revolved around community theatre, peace and disarmament, green politics, the uranium issue and Central American issues.

Networking for Change will support, and hopefully advance the efforts of people who are ready to work for their communities to secure good water, air and soil, to promote secondary resource recovery (recycling), re-use; to back with words and in practice, appropriate energy, agriculture and industry.

This column is for those interested in being more socially and politically active, those interested in "progress as if survival mattered."

One of the emerging "grass roots" human energy sources is Watershed Protection Alliances. At Darke Lake behind Summerland, a water crisis draw the community's interest in forestry issues. At Trepanier Creek above Peachland the Kelowna connecter of the Coquihalla Highway swept through the watershed alerting people to water and landuse issues.

It's happening all over the Interior. In mid-November when we were doing some political organizing we attended a meeting at Rossland of a new group called Rosslanders Advising Council on the Environment. They were talking about what they might do to prevent a private tree lot owner from clear- cutting lands adjacent to their water supply.

Taking the lead in the Interior of B.C. was The Slocan Watershed Alliance when in 1984 their FLOW (for the love of water) conference led to the publication of Herb and Susan Hammond's <u>British Columbia Watershed Protection</u> <u>Handbook</u>. It's a big comprehensive workbook in a three ring binder so you can add your watershed's chapter to the book.

Order one from the Slocan Valley Watershed Alliance, P.O. Box 139 Winlaw, B.C. VOG 2JO.

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**Network** with these organizations when you get active in preserving **your** watershed.

# **Ecological Perspective**

Your columnist is going to cultivate a radical perspective on a lot of issues, especially in relation to environmental concerns. Many will have heard of Deep Ecology. It's a term coined by Norwegian philosopher, Arne Naess. In brief Naess says (and I agree with him) as follows.

1. all life has it's own intrinsic value. Humans have no right to exploit their companions on earth except to meet absolutely vital needs.

2. humans are too numerous and a "substantial" population decrease is required.

3. to achieve harmony and balance humans must severely limit or change their economic, technological and material ambitions.

Given these beliefs, I'm not particularly taken with such popular ideas as "sustainable development". S.D. tells us that we can "have our cake and eat it too" planet wise.

Network for Change can be your forum for opinion and information. Be brief, be tough, if you must.

> There's lots to be done. Don't panic. Share the load. Write us.

> > Issues, 2645 McKenzie St., Penticton, B.C., V2A 6J1



Here's a great way to get active and have fun as well. In the Interior of B.C. there are a number of Tools for Peace Committees. They are listed by contact person below.

Since its beginning in 1981, Tools for Peace has shipped over \$8 million worth of priority goods to Nicaragua.

The Tools for Peace campaign has five Priority Projects to meet Nicaragua's most urgent needs.

Notebooks. Education for all is an essential part of Nicaragua's commitment to a better life for their children. Notebooks are in short supply.

**Farm Tools.** Food production is a top priority in Nicaragua. Simple tools (shovels, rakes, hoes and axes).

**Rubber Boots** for agricultural workers are scarce. Boots should be in excellent condition.

Safety Gear. Safety goggles, gloves and ear protectors are basic equipment for helping Nicaraguans.

**Roofing.** The contra war and Hurricane Joan have forced thousands of Nicaraguans to rebuild their communities. Donated funds will purchase roofing materials

Other items are also being collected. If you can donate any of these priority items, or funds for the general campaign, please contact your local Tools for Peace committee.

Here are your contacts in the Interior of B.C.

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### CHBC Kelowna to show balance over "FORESTS FOREVER" complaints

Summerland resident Tom Anderson complained to the Canadian Radio and Television Commission about the "Forests Forever" ads featured regularly on CHBC television out of Kelowna. This portion of the text of the CRTC reply went along with the rest of the letter to CHBC President, Ron Evans.

"The Commission takes the view that the issue of forest management is a matter of public concern to the people of B.C. Therefore, while the Commission is not in a position to preclude the licensee from broadcasting the "Forests Forever" ads, a licensee may be obliged to present alternative perspectives on this issue in its programming.

Accordingly, in response to previous complaints, the Commission obliged the licensee in question to demonstrate the manner in which adequate balance was provided with respect to the views expressed in the ads."

The letter was signed by Fernand Belisle for the CRTC.

# **COLUMBIA RIVER TREATY** Renegotiation of Downstream Benefits

In September of 1964 the Governments of Canada and the United States exchanged instruments of ratification putting the <u>Columbia River Treaty</u> into effect..

The Columbia River Treaty Downstream Benefits resulted from the construction of the <u>Mica. Keenlyside and</u> <u>Duncan Dams</u> in B.C. The benefits are in the additional energy and capacity for hydrelectric power generation through delayed flow release. Half these downstream benefits belong to B.C., the other half were sold to <u>Bonneville Power</u> <u>Authority</u> for 30 years.

The orginal sale ends commencing in 1998 and their return or resale must be arranged well before that date. The downstream benefits spoken of here are estimated at 5.25 billion kilowatts. Compare that with Site C on the Peace River at 4.6 billion kilowatts.

The North Columbia Group, Sierra Club in conjunction with the Northwest Conservation Act Coalition (USA) has determined the best environmental solution to be as follows:

- (1) Resale of the benefits to Bonneville Power Authority
- (2) BPA to pay the full monetary value of the benefits.
- (3) BPA funds a conservation program equal to the energy component of the benefits
- (4) Investment in the conservation program to begin immediately upon agreement,
- (5) In B.C., West Kootenay Power to receive a share of the energy capacity at no cost for use only in the WKP service area.

This proposal will serve to:

- (a) Satisfy the US that the benefits stay in the US NW.
- (b) B.C. acquires the money for the benefits plus a conservation program
- (c) We avoid the construction, indeed the "need" to construct new dams in B.C.

For further info contact: Bob Miles at (604) 860-8200.

- 542-4858

# Leave it in the Ground!

# Networking to stop uranium mining.

One of the places where peace activists have been rubbing shoulders with the broad stream of environmental activists is around the issue of nuclear energy and in the Interior of B.C., uranium.

Substantial uranium ore deposits are contained in the Okanagan, Similkameen and Kettle River Valleys. Birch Island on the North Thompson is another hot spot. In 1980 Premier Bill Bennett stopped exploration and mining halfway through a Royal Commission of Inquiry headed by UBC's Dr. David Bates. Seven years later (1987) the moratorium was lifted by Bill Vander Zalm.

Uranium and associated elements such as Thorium are lodged within ancient ore bodies which have gone undisturbed over vast periods of geologic time.

Radioactive elements emit sub-atomic particles over long periods of time. Radioactivity, even at low levels, has an effect upon living organisms and is associated with occurrences of cancer and birth defects in animal populations. See Dr. Rosalie Bertell's book titled *No Immediate Danger*.

The mining industry wishes to develop uranium deposits for profit in a world market which includes the nuclear power plant industry and the nuclear weapons industry. Development of uranium means digging it up. Ore tailings are nonmarketable left-overs from the mining process and are radioactive. From these tailings radioactivity is dispersed into the surface environment through air and watercourses.

Watersheds where drilling takes place are affected by the introduction of freshly dislodged radioactive materials. There is normal background radiation in the environment which varies from place to place. With the introduction of freshly dislodged radioactive materials into the surface environment and watercourses the radiation level increases overall.Community based organizations such as the South Okanagan Similkameen Union Board of Health are calling for comprehensive base line studies to show what the existing or natural background radiation levels are in the Okanagan, Similkameen and Kettle River Valleys. This is the only way of determining the changes which are being brought about through activity on the uranium-bearing ore bodies. To date, no comprehensive base line studies have been done in the Interior through studies of a limited sort have been done from time to time.

Politically, uranium has been a "hot issue" with environmental, native, religious, municipal, and public health organizations. All have lobbied for a cessation of uranium exploration and mining.

Since February of 1987 designated uranium claims must be worked by the claim-holder in accordance with new regulations. Opponents of uranium exploration and mining say the regulations are inadequate and unenforceable.

Groups such as the B.C. Medical Association backed by a loose coalition of groups called the Uranium Room have called for:

(a) an immediate ban on exploration and mining of uranium in British Columbia.

(b) immediate convening of a board of public inquiry to include environmentalists and women to determine "whether", not "how", uranium exploration shall occur.

Concerned citizens are urged to write to their city or village council, their Regional District Representative, their Member of the Legislative Assembly and their Member of Parliament to ask what they are doing to stop the drilling in uranium-bearing ore bodies in the Okanagan, Similkameen and Kettle River Valleys.

Concerned citizens who want to further involve themselves in solving the problem can contact the Similkameen Ecological Society (499-5715), Committee for A Clean Kettle Valley (446-2363), or Canadian Coalition for Nuclear Responsibility (860-7663).

This issue, like many other critical environmental issues requires solutions and the beginning is with individuals who learn, communicate and thus empower themselves and others.



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Chlorine is added to our water supply as a disinfectant to reduce the bacteria count thereby playing a key role in eradicating water borne infectious diseases, such as typhoid and gastroenteritis. The desired chlorine level is usually one part per million although system repairs, malfunctions or high bacterial count may increase this level.

The potential health threat of chlorine was recognized as far back as 1934 when it was cited as a cause of asthma. For the chlorine-sensitive person the heating and splashing of water in a shower, washing machine or swimming pool can cause problems by aerosoling the chlorine infused droplets and liberating the gas. For the less sensitive the effects are not as apparent, but chlorine is, after all, a virulent poison. That is why it kills bacteria so effectively.

A recent survey in Wisconsin implicates chlorinated water as a factor in raised cholesterol levels, particularly for women. Cholesterol levels were about 4 % higher in women who drank municipal water than in women drinking unchlorinated well water. This represents an 8% increased risk of heart attack. Links between chlorinated water and gastrointestinal and urinary tract cancers are also disturbing. Toxic and carcinogenic compounds called trihalomethanes (e.g. Chloroform and trichloroethylene) are formed when chlorine reacts with organic matter. The National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences says that the immune system is one of the most sensitive targets of toxicity for such chlorinated chemicals as dioxin and trichloroethylene.

Health and Welfare Canada advises against the removal of chlorine because of the possibility of contamination after the removal of the disinfectant and the potential of bacterial contamination from inadequately maintained filters.

Chlorine can be removed from the entire household water supply by installing a high capacity activated carbon filter with regular back washing or at point of use with a smaller activated carbon filter by itself or as part of a reverse osmosis drinking water system. A point of use filter should be replaced every six months or 1,000 gallons. Filter systems which are claimed to last longer should be avoided because of potential bacterial contamination.

Sources Why your home may endanger your health, Zamm A. Your home, your health, and well being, Rousseau D. Domestic Water Treatment, Lehr. J. East West Journal. December 1989 Consumer Reports. January 1990. Do you have a question for David? Write Issues.

### **Bio-medical Waste Incineration**

One of those government ads calling for input from "interested parties" regarding a new bio-medical waste burner in Penticton caught the eye of Cheryl Saxon.

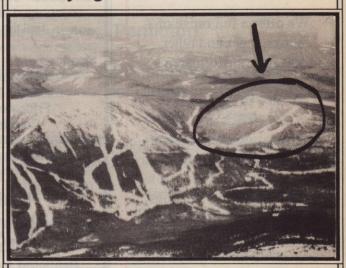
Bio-medical waste is all the paper, plastic, tubing, tissue, spent fluids, old drugs, chemicals and assorted gunk that hospitals have to get rid of. As with all "waste" there's no place to get rid of it except right here - planet earth. Industry is happy to come up with incineration schemes.

The Regional District in Penticton (RDOS) and elsewhere under a recent amendment to the Waste Management Act must develop and implement a waste management plan for bio-medical wastes by <u>December 31, 1992.</u>

J.J. Randall, Municipal Engineer, Waste Management Programs, Ministry of the Environment notes in his letter to Ms. Saxon of November 14, 1989, that at this time Waste Management has no regulations established for bio-medical wastes and no emission standards have been established for incinerators handling bio-medical waste.

Interior of B.C. activists might wish to ask hospital, municipal and health board people in their area what is happening with bio-medical waste

# S.A.R.A. is trying to SAVE this mountain!



from a proposed open pit quarry. They would like you to be aware of it. Are You? Do you want Apex Recreation preserved? Do you care? If you do phone Mike Reed at 492-8584 If not, then the area may be turned over to Polestar. The choice is yours.



# Vernon Wholistic Living Centre

An ongoing program of events every Friday night designed to help you with personal transformation.

Our program instructors bring you information relevant for dealing with body, mind, spirit and emotions.

We offer a full range of books, tapes and other tools for transformation.

We also provide lots of FREE information about events in our community.

We have ongoing meetings, meditations and socials, plus <u>Workshops</u> just about every week-end.

We are a non-profit society. Open 10 am to 4 pm Drop in & Browse at 2915 - 30th Avenue Phone 542-6140 Penticton Metaphysical Club

### Friday - February 2nd Ayurvedic Principles of Food Combinations.

James Battle from California Understanding the elements of nature and how they relate to food. Cooking Class on Saturday.

Sunday - February 25th Mini Wholistic Health Fair 10 am to 10 pm

### Friday - March 9th Qi Gong

Philip Jiang from the Shao-Lin Qi Gong Healing Arts College of Calgary will be here to demonstrate the power of this ancient healing art. Participation in the demonstration encouraged so that you may feel the energy.

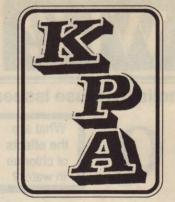
Meetings are at the Leir House 220 Manor Park Ave Starts - 7:30 p.m. Friday evenings Cost is \$5.00

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Penticton & Summerland

Schedule

Friday - 9 p.m. Saturday - 5 p.m. Sunday - 7 p.m. Monday - 10 a.m. Thursday - 8 p.m.



# Kelowna Parapsychology Association

Meets last Wednesday of each month at the Sandman Inn

January 31st Qi Gong Chinese Healing Arts

Master Lui Xin Guo will demostrate this ancient healing art. His incredible source of life energy is something that must be experienced personally as it cannot be seen.

### February 28th Heather Luise Zais

Her lecture will be on psychic readings and astrology. She has her own radio show Starscope and Channel 11 T.V. Show called Wheel of Destiny

### March 28th Ed Kenney Universal Shamanism

Counsellor - Therapist from Thunder Bay, Ontario. He will take us on a Shamanic Journey with his drum and singing crystal bowl.

Meeting Place Sandman Inn 2130 Harvey Ave., Kelowna Meetings start at 7:30 pm Cost : \$3.00 member \$6.00 non-members

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#### **Penticton Events** Saturday - February 3rd Ayurvedic Cooking Class All day at the Leir House - Cost \$50.00 To register phone Angele 492-0987 JAMES BATTLE MONDAY \*\*\* FEBRUARY 12 \*\*\* Free Introductory Class in Soft Kung Fu & Meditation 10 am - 1 pm 6 - 9 pm or at the Leir House in Penticton MARC for more information phone Angele 492-0987 A Mini Wholistic Health Fair Sunday - February 25th 10 am to 10 pm at the Leir House - 220 Manor Park Ave. - Penticton Need more information phone Angele 492-0987 THREE Instructors teaching at ONE time, Healers, Reflexologists, Displays Experience the Learning Enhancement System from Hollywood Health Studios **Tenative Schedule Topics & Speakers** Room 2 Psycho Physics - Marsha Warman Room 1 Room 3 Time Dreamquest - Mariah Milligan Kerry Saari Bev St. Croix Marsha Warman 10 - 11:30 am Auras - Bev St. Croix (Hotno) Carole Glockling 11:45 - 1:15 Yarrow Mariah Milligan Indigestion - Hank Pelser Lunch Break Course in Miracles - Faye Stroo Bev St. Croix 2:00 - 3:30 pm Faye Stroo **Rolf Fassman** Reflexology - Kerry Saari Hank Pelser Salura 3:45 - 4:15 Mariah Milligan Nutrition, Herbs - Yarrow Alpine **Dinner Break** Earth Healing & Psycho Spiritual Healing with Salura 2 5:00 - 6:30 pm Yarrow Marsha Warman Polarity Therapy - Carole Glockling Lorna Schwenk Hollywood Health Carole Glockling 6:45 - 8:15 Insight into Female eating Tea Break disorders with Lorna Schwenk Lorna Schwenk Salura Hank Pelser 8:30 - 10 pm Enhanced Learning - The Time & Instructors may vary due to unforseen circumstances Hollywood Health Studios Astrology - Rolf Fassman Cost \$15.00 for the day



# Focus on Women

## Laurel Burnham

It's always a treat to be able to expound on one's philosophies/world view and interests. I thank Angele Rowe and ISSUES for the opportunity and feel privileged to do so. This column will be devoted to those issues and concerns which must be addressed for women and men to achieve equality within this society.

#### WARNING: The writer is a FEMINIST.

She believes in the social, political, economic and spiritual equality of women and men. She does not hate men, wreck families, nor protest in a loud, shrill voice about how nasty and horrible men are. She loves (beyond all reason) people, (male and female, young and old), this beautiful planet and her place on it. But she does recognize, from her studies and perceptions of human society, that women and men do not occupy the same, equal spheres in this world, are not treated equally, not perceived equally, not paid equally, nor do they have the same freedoms and opportunities.

The reasons for these inequalities are many and complex. There are no simple "band-aid" solutions. The issues that have been considered "women's issues" such as child care, violence in the home, sexual abuse, are widely recognized as social problems, in that they are related to the overall social patterns of behavior and only to be remedied by a complete change in social attitude and by education, counselling and support for everyone involved, including men. If as a society, we fail to come to terms with the fact that we are collectively responsible for the well-being of children, for preventing violence and abuse of women and children, we are doomed to failure as a civilization. Placing the burden of the care of the children and the home solely on the shoulders of one half of the population by gender is one way the oppression and inequalities are perpetuated.

In all our interior communities, women face the same problems: lack of decent housing, lack of day care, violence in the home, inadequate wages, poverty, the stress of holding two full-time jobs, one waged and one not. These are the same problems faced by women across Canada--indeed all over the world.

I run a Women's Centre, one of thirty federally funded such centres across B.C. I'm paid half-time to do a job that is full-time for two....not an unusual situation. I try, with limited resources, to provide information, programs, speakers, classes and a lobbying and advocacy service within our restrictive funding mandate, to address some of the staggering social inequalities that exist.

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We are still accepting names for our housing survey and could use more help on the committees.

In my community of Penticton, women make half of what men make-- not 63 cents to every dollar a man makes--50 cents!!! How does one reverse years of entrenched social attitudes? What do you say to a single mother of two on welfare who is desperately searching for a decent, affordable place to live in a community that openly and actively discriminates in the discrete "Adults Only" or "Senior Oriented" style? What do you tell the mother of a 14 year old who has just found out that her daughter was raped? or that she has been sexually abused by her uncle since she was 2? Have a nice day?

I don't mean to sound cynical/bitter (for fear of being accused of some unsavory behavior, such as angry), I'm just trying to give you a sense of an "average" day at Women's Centre. The problems are real. The issues are real. And they won't just go away.

There are Women's Centres in Penticton, Kelowna, Vernon, Kamloops and Nelson. If you need statistical information on women: in the labour force, poverty, violence, violence in the home, sexual abuse, you will find it at one of these centres. This can be especially valuable for students, teachers, researchers. You will also be able to browse through our small but extensive libraries on women and women's studies, and meet with caring, involved, intelligent women who are devoted to the equality of women not just in their own communities but world-wide. You'll get a schedule of programs, events, a newsletter, magazines, free brochures and interested attention. Men are NOT turned away at the door, either.....

In the next ISSUES, I'll cover some of the topics I've touched on here. Plus, I'll try to keep you posted on these issues and topics of importance directly affecting women as a gender. The next ten years will be a crucial decade, not only for the environment but for human beings, male and female, young and old, everywhere. So stay tuned!

### **PMS & Menopause Workshop**

with Sharon Thompson, R.N. Learn how to effectively deal in natural ways with PMS and/or Menopause February 10th at the Library Auditorium Meeting Room. Pre-registration advised. For more information: Phone 493-6822

Heal Yourself!

### THE MIND AS PHYSICIAN by D.R. Vincent Love

Scientists have learned more about the brain in the last decade than in all of previous history, and the implications of the latest research are clear - the human mind is far more powerful, and has the potential for immensely greater growth and transformation than was ever before imagined. The idea that there is a mental element to healing has gained wide acceptance. Many physicians who once discounted the mind's ability to influence healing are now reconsidering in light of new scientific evidence, and researchers are probing a variety of phenomena. All this has led some physicians and institutions towards a more *wholistic* approach to treating the mind and body as a unit, rather than two distinct entities. Inherent in this *wholistic* philosophy is the belief that patients themselves must be active participants in the treatment of their illnesses.

s it possible with our current level of technology that we could have at our disposal, machines and devices that could dramatically increase one's ability to memorize new information, and recall information already learned? Could you improve your ability to think creatively, to be totally in control? Can you synchronize the mind/body to be whole?

Y es, such devices and technology now exist, and are being used by an increasing number of people of all ages. With the wisdom of all our years we must continually seek out the things that may allow us to come closer to healing ourselves *wholistically*.

### February 25th

Women's Car Care Clinic at the Penticton's Women's Centre

Phone - 493-6822 - for info.

Save Time, Money, the Environment and the Health of your Baby's Bottom.

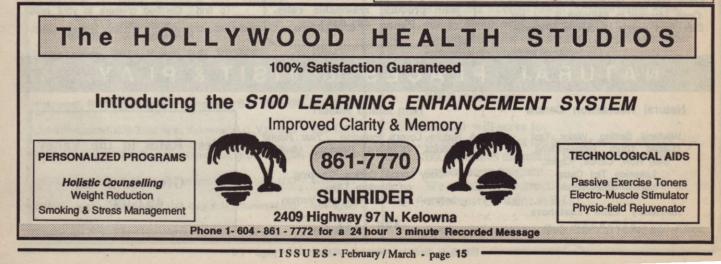
Sounds too good to be true! Disposable diapers were developed only 30 years ago, and the advertising produced by the manufacturers convinced parents that they are a necessity. They aren't. There are many alternatives. Parents are starting to realize that our fragile ecosystem is being destroyed.

Fact 1: One baby will send 1/2 ton of waste diaper material to the landfill. Once they are soaked they become fire resistant and release toxic gases into the atmosphere. The human waste and the viruses in them are not being destroyed and this is turning into a disaster.

Fact 2: The Super Absorbent diapers draw moisture into the lining, so diapers feel dry when in fact they are wet, providing a nice warm environment for bacteria to form. Rashes are three times more likely to occur with disposables.

Fact 3: Disposables cost more than cloth diapers, and if you have more than one child the savings can really add up.

Disposables have their place, if used as an emergency convenience, otherwise do yourself, your pocket book, the environment, and your baby a favour and choose a natural alternative. Many parents are choosing to return to the old way with a twist, a time saving fitted cloth diaper made of 100 % cotton with velcro closures. We have several mothers that are putting in time and energy to talk with people about the advantage of returning to cloth diapers. If you would like more infomation please phone the numbers listed in the Directory at the back of this magazine under Healthy Products for Little People.



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Lifestyles Natural Foods Orchard Park North Mall: 762-9711 Vitamins, Cosmetics, Herbs & Books "Helping you to change your lifestyle"

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### The WHOLISTIC GLOSSARY

Acupressure A technique for utilizing varying degees of finger pressure to open and align various energy pathways.

Acupuncture A traditional Chinese therapy which stimulates and balances the body's energy flow by inserting fine needles at specific meridians, or energy points, in the body.

Aromatherapy A form of healing using essential oils from flowers and herbs.

Astrology The study of positions and aspects of the planets as they relate to an individual's reality.

Aura An invisible emanation surrounding living things.

Auricular Therapy A reflex in which points on the auricle of the ear that are sensitive to pressure and/or electrical measurement are detected; these points are used to treat functional disorders by means of manual, electrical or other suitable stimulation.

Ayurveda A holistic medical practice, originated in India 5,000 years ago, utilizing diet, herbs, yoga, exercise, and breathing techniques.

Breath Integration A deep circular breathing technique that increases awareness of our innermost thoughts and feelings allowing for change and personal growth.

Bodywork A variety of hands-on techniques for healing and/or relaxation.

## The WHOLISTIC GLOSSARY

Chakras Numerous energy centres in the body that control the energy systems in the physical/spiritiual body.

Channelling Communication of spirits thru another body/voice.

Chinese Quinary An ancient philosophy using Yin and Yang interaction to achieve proper balance. Total harmony can be easily attained if through the Quinary your five elements are kept in an organized synergistic structure.

Chiropractic A system of aligning the body through adjustments of the spine.

Colonic Irrigation An internal bath to cleanse waste matter from the colon.

Core Belief Engineering A gentle, rapid but lasting cognitive change therapy which facilitates accessing and healing counter productive subconscious beliefs.

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Flower Remedies Pioneered by Dr. Bach, tinctures of flower essences are used to balance mind and body.

Gestalt Therapy Integrates a "whole life" approach to psychological therapy, by aligning the different and opposing forces of body, mind and spirit.

Herbal Preparations Tinctures, oils, extracts, ointments, salves and compresses created from plants. Thought to strengthen the body by natural means.

Homeopathy Promoting an individual's healing capacity by administering minute quantities of mineral and plant remedies that resemble the disease.

**Iridology** Is the science and practice of analyzing the delicate structures of the Iris of the eye to reveal imbalances and inflammation, where they are located, and in what stage it is manifesting

**Kung Fu** Kung means accomplishment, Fu means a martial art. *Soft* Kung Fu is studying the art to acheive inner peace and balance, knowledge of the inner self. *Hard* Kung Fu is used for competition and combat, using a fighting technique.

Laser is short for "Light amplification by stimulated emission of radiation". It is concentrated beam of light.

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Lee Jun Fan A Martial Art training, incorparating Chinese, Filipino & Indonesian styles.

Meditation Any number of methods used to quiet the mind. Helps to relax the body, improves circulation and slows the brain waves.

Naturopathic Physician A general practitioner trained to diagnose and treat disease to restore health using natural therapies, including nutrition, hydrotherapy, herbs, allergy testing, exercise, homeopathy and acupuncture

Neuro-Linguistic Programming (NLP) A modern approach to psychology. Learn to use your own resources to rid yourself of stress, phobias, dis-ease, learning disabilities, etc.

Nutripathic Focus on a list of conditions to which one may be prone, on energy loss, metabolic effiency, reserve energy and your life expectancy, assuming current lifestyle.

Physiofield Combines an electrical signal generator and electromagnetic field applicator to quickly recharge those cells in our body that have lost their electrical energy through degeneration, accident or natural aging. Promoting body to heal faster.

Polarity Therapy To bring our body's electromagnetic field back into balance. Enhances health, promotes relaxation. calms the mind & reduces stress. Profoundly effective.

Psycho-Physics A technique designed to address the physiological, emotional and mental responses and their direct impact on our body.

Psycho Immuno Therapy Working with the mind / body relationships to help increase the immune system.

Psychic The intuitive ability to visualize and understand the past, present and future.

QI Gong An ancient Chinese art of healing using one's own energy. Improves vital energy to heal one's self.

Rebalancing A system of massage and rocking to relieve stress and allow the body's natural energy to flow.

Reiki An ancient Japanese healing art which uses your hands to channel Universal Life Energy to treat four levels of a being; body, mind, emotions, and spirit.

Reflexology is the science of manipulation of specific reflexes in the hands and feet, which correspond to all the glands, organs, parts of the body. Normalizes the body, reduces stress.

Rolfing A slow manipulative technique that releases tension.

Shamanism Influencing of spirits by the Shaman, or Indian medicine man to heal us when we need it.

Sonic Sound Therapy A direct treatment through earphones using audible sound pulses (resonance) of varying degrees with measurements of different frequencies of Bio-oscillations to individual organs to achieve harmony.

Symptomatology An analysis of the body's nutritional needs.

Tai Chi An eastern martial art that combines concentration, breathing and graceful body moves.

T.B.M. (Total Body Modification) Deals with functional physiology using touch points and an indicator muscle along with soft muscle tissue manipulation.

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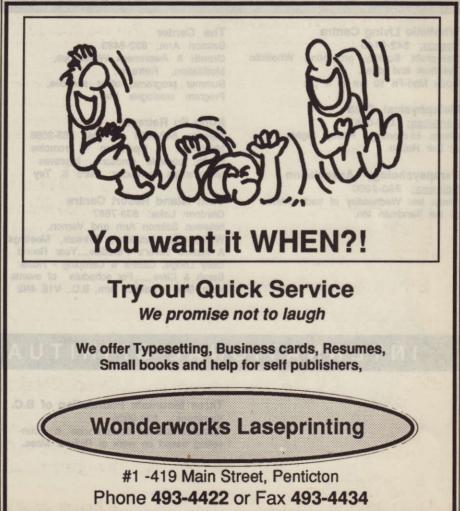
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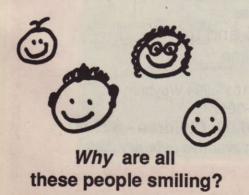
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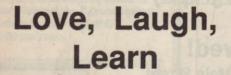
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