Wednesday March 13th, 2019

The Atlin Whisper

"Never doubt that a small group of committed citizens can change the world."

Margaret Mead





Kate Harris is the winner of the 2019 RBC Taylor Prize for her travel memoir Lands of Lost Borders. The \$30,000 prize annually recognizes the best in Canadian literary nonfiction.

In Lands of Lost Borders, Harris recounts her 10,000 kilometre cycling trip along the Silk Road, crossing into 10 countries — including Turkey, Kyrgyzstan and Tibet — with her friend Mel Yule. Along the 10-month journey, Harris explores the political, cultural and environmental history of the places and people she encounters.

Harris grew up in Ontario and currently lives off-grid on the border of B.C. and the Yukon.

Photo and comments from CBC on-line website

HOCKEY DAY IN ATLIN!!



When: Friday March 15th at 10:30 am Where: Atlin School Skating Rink

All are Welcome

Burgers and Hotdogs will be cooked For Lunch



Monday, March 18

Atlin Recreation Centre

Doors open at 6pm, Games start at 7pm.

You must be 19 years of age or older to play





"Winter Storm"

No one will ever forget the Winter Storm that roared into town before dawn that morning. The hard driven sleet coming down like crashing waves caused concern, but it was the fierceness of the wind raging as a force to be reckoned with that caused alarm.

Windows were at risk of being smashed to pieces at any moment. Doors rattled so loudly they gave the feeling nothing could prevent them from being blown open.

People huddled inside in fear and yet, made special efforts to comfort their children and pets.

In fact, every building giving shelter did not bestow confidence that they would remain standing much longer.

And then, soon after dawn the storm swept past on its way

The drama was over. A hush settled on the town and its residents felt relieved enough to breathe normally again. By some miracle, no lives were lost and no one was hurt. Slowly, people came outside, nodded to their neighbors and each in his own way spoke a prayer of gratitude.

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A whole lot of fun was had at the 2019 31st annual Ladies



Bonspiel.



The Trixie's skipped by Dani McNeil came in 1st beating out School Dist. 87's Sherry MacInnis.

The Morning Glories kept us entertained over the weekend. (Scott Cole, Skip Hale, Shane Coutts and Chris Rye.)

A big THANK YOU to the ice crew, the concession crew, the bartenders, to all that brought food, to the set up & clean up crews, and especially our sponsors.......

Grizzly Home Services***Food Basket***Pine Tree
Services***Brewery Bay Chalet***Jeanette
Sather***Colin Carter***Atlin Mountain Coffee
Roasters***Aaron McKenzie***Shirley
McKenzie***Lynn Turnbull***Wild
Wood***Tammy Fetterly***Margaret
Newell***Gail Hindbo

DON'T DRINK & DRIVE



Planning a night out at the Rec Centre or at friends?

Please plan ahead!

George Holman is available any evening to ensure that you get home safe

Rates—\$20.00 in town & \$35.00 to 5 Mile or equivalent Call George at 651-7717

More March Movies

The Historic Globe Theatre

Matinee	Friday March 15:	Ghost Busters	
$\overline{\hspace{1cm}}$	Doors Open 1:30	Show Time $2:00 - 4:00$	rated PG
Starring Bil	l Murray, Harold Ramis, Da	n Aykroyd, Rick Moranis, directed	by Ivan Reitman

<u>Fantasy Comedy</u>: 3 para psychology professors decide to go into business chasing down ghastly ghosts, and the occasional insolent succubae. They face their greatest challenge when their client discovers her refrigerator door leads directly to the gates of hell.

Sunday March 17: the Pursuit of Happyness

Doors Open 6:30 Show Time 7:00 – 9:00 rated PG Starring Will Smith & son Jaden Smith directed by Gabriele Muccino

<u>Biographical drama:</u> A moving tale inspired by the true story of Chris Gardner, a San Francisco salesman who's struggling to make ends meet, when his girlfriend walks out, leaving Chris to raise their son on his own. Chris's determination lands him an unpaid internship in a stockbroker-training program but, without a salary, Chris and his son are evicted from their apartment and are forced to sleep on the streets. Chris Gardner rises above his obstacles to become a Wall Street legend.

Sunday March 24: Rambo: First Blood

Doors Open 6:30 Show Time 7:00-8:30 rated R Starring Sylvester Stallone, Richard Crenna, Brian Dennehy directed by Ted Kotcheff

Action Thriller Seven years after his discharge, Vietnam War veteran John Rambo, wanders into the small town of Hope, Washington. He is intercepted by the town's Sheriff, who considers Rambo an unwanted nuisance. When Rambo asks for directions to a diner, the sheriff drives him out of town and tells him not to come back. After Rambo returns, he is arrests on charges of vagrancy, resisting arrest and possessing a concealed knife.

Sunday March 31: Marley: Bob Marley

Doors Open 6:30 Show Time 7:00 – 9:300

Starring Bob Marley, directed by Kevin Macdonald

<u>Documentary-Biography</u>: showing the life and musical career of Bob Marley, seen through the eyes of those who knew him. The documentary deals with Marley's struggle with racial identity and acceptance. Being mixed race, "they saw Bob as an outcast, because he didn't really belong to anyone.

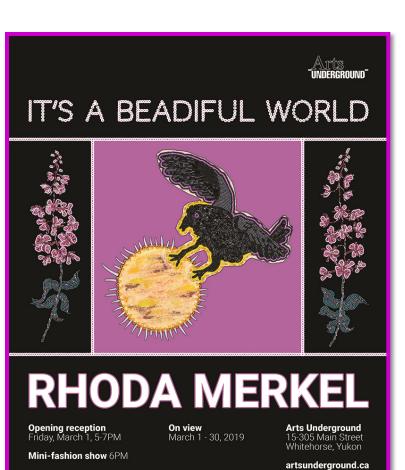
Admission Donation

Concession items marked All proceeds go towards the heating bill

Facebook: <u>@ExploreAtlin</u> Email: <u>exploreatlin@gmail.com</u> Presented by Heather

Are you looking for a great way to support your community and—by doing so—making a little extra \$\$\$? Come join our team—we're looking to fill a staff position for 2019...







ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday March 20, 2019 7:00 PM

ATLIN RECREATION CENTRE HALL

ELECTION OF:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Curling Club Executive

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PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU ARE A MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING AND THAT YOUR MEMBERSHIP DUES HAVE BEEN PAID



With winter coming we would like to remind everyone to please keep their driveways well plowed and pathways to water fills shovelled and clear of debris.

If your driveway is not clear for the water or sewer truck to use safely and he has to chain up a fee will be added to your invoice.

Please also note that calls for same day water delivery service throughout the winter must be received no later than 11 a.m. of said day. Thank you!

Our mailing address is Box 318, Atlin BC V0W 1A0

You can also email us at grizzlyhomeservices@gmail.com 250-651-7463

With thanks, Dana and Mary Hammond

LONG TERM RENTAL REQUIRED

B.C. Govt Conservation Officer Service is looking for a long term rental house in Atlin for a second CO. Term between 3-5 years. Anyone wishing more info please contact

Tracy Walbauer

Tracy.walbauer@gov.bc.ca

250-638-6534

Or

Cam

SchleyCameron.Schley@gov.bc.ca

250-847-7321



Men's Group

All men 17 and older welcome

Mondays 7-9 pm

"Tuta'n"
Centre of Hope
(Community Wellness Centre)

Five Mile ReserveLarge brown building beside the log Centre for Culture

Enter through door on the right

- This is your group to make it what you want
- Men supporting men to be the best they can

Coffee/tea/snacks provided

For more info contact:

Stephen Badhwar, Family Support Worker 250-651-7695 Ext. 4 Taku River Tlingit First Nation
Health and Social Services

Women's Support Group

A Safe Place to talk and receive support about life issues that we as women experience in our daily lives, partnerships, families and in our community

Location: TRTFN Health and Social, 5 Mile, Titan (Centre of Hope) Time: Every Tuesday from 7pm-9pm

PosterMyWall.com



Taku River Tlingit First Nation



Weekly Parenting Group

With a focus on parents and/or caregivers of youth ages 12 and up. Anyone is welcome to join!

Facilitators: Laura Lee Nimilowich ε Svenja Weber Location: Health ε Social, Titan (Centre of Hope)

Drop in/counselling: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Dinner: 5:00pm - 5:30pm Group Start: 5:30pm to 7:30pm

Dates of Group Meetings

Wednesday, February 20

Wednesday, February 27

Wednesday, March 13

Wednesday, March 20

Wednesday, March 27

Wednesday, April 3

To sign up or for more information please contact TRTFN:

Stephen Badhwar (651 7965 ext. 4) or Roger Thorlakson (651 7965 ext. 5)



You can pick up colouring pages at various stores & businesses in Atlin. (If you can't make it into a store, we can email you a copy of the page to print off yourself!)

Completed colouring pages must be submitted by Friday, March 15th at noon. Winners will be announced at the festival on Saturday, March 16th.

Good luck, artists!

Please email Cass with any questions! casscollinsart@gmail.com



NORTHERN HOMES REAL ESTATE



Second Street

Three adjoining lots totaling 90x100', great view of the lake. Second street level is estimated 7' higher than alley level. \$100,000

Bear Creek Run

1200 sq.ft., 2 BR home with huge shop, incredible greenhouse, root cellar and excellent well plus power! 6.42 acres with lots of room for expansion. \$345,000

First Street

2500 sq.ft. basement entry home with 4 bedrooms, 24x24' garage, 60' shed for wood, quads or whatever you need, very private 2 acres. \$187,000

Ruffner Bay

Stunning five-bedroom beautiful 4,000+ sqft home with two guest cottages and hangar. Lakefront, off the grid 24-acre parcel, no neighbors! \$1,499,000

Green Street

Quiet three-bedroom 2,058 sq ft family home, quality built to code, one of the best shops in town on two acres. \$299,700

Trond Gulch

In a pastoral setting this one-bedroom, 715 sqft off-the-grid home on 9.88 acres surrounded by Crown Land. Sauna and guest cabin. \$350,000

Bear Creek Road

This two-story, three-bedroom log home with outbuildings is on 3.95 acres along Bear Creek Road and has had lots of recent updates. \$198,500.

Wilson Street

Quiet mountain views from this four-bedroom, 1600 sqft home on two acres. Open yard with raised beds and greenhouse. Where else can you find a kitchen like this at this price? Great value at \$197,500

Pine Creek Subdivision

Three-bedroom 1,336 sq ft family home on 1.75-acres in Pine Creek subdivision. Backs onto Pine Creek. \$215,000

Lake Street

Beautiful three-bedroom, renovated to brand new, 3,500 sq.ft. lakeside home. Stunning lake and mountain views. Nothing between you and the lake! \$698,000

Food Basket

Thriving business in Atlin! The building, land, rental suite, and grocery store are all included. A great way for someone wanting an early retirement to make a comfortable living \$448,000

Second Street

Shop with 60-amp service plus a 600 sq.ft. home (bachelor pad). Grab your tools and get to work right away! \$115,000

Discovery

Single lot, 28x80, level, gravel, perfect for permanent RV, easy access on Discovery. \$20,000 **SOLD**

Discovery

3 adjoining lots, level, corner access **SOLD**

First Street

Rare building site, 75x100', level and ready for you to develop. \$160,000. **SOLD**

Monarch Mountain

Beautiful 4 BR log home on 4.45 acres with a great panoramic view. \$399,900 **SOLD**

Second Street

Two adjoining lots totaling 60x100', view property. \$50,000. **SOLD**

Call Myrna at (250) 775-1019

I will be in Atlin Mar 22 & 23. Please text (rather than voice mail) me if you wish to view, or send me an email!

myrnablake1@gmail.com

Go to northernhomesbc.ca for more details.

Employment Opportunity

The Atlin Rec Centre Lounge is looking for a part time bartender to start immediately through the summer including the Music Festival

- Must be 19 years or over
- Have or willing to get Serving It Right and BC lottery Certification
- Must be willing to work late nights and weekends

Experience is an asset but training will be provided

If interested, please drop off resume after 4 pm in the lounge

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St. Martin's Anglican Church 10 a.m. Sunday **Everyone**

Welcome

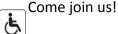


Atlin Christian

<u>Centre</u>

Affiliated with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Services Sunday 10:30 a.m.



WILLOW COTTAGE HAIRCUTTING



Reasonable Rates

Cutting hair for family/friends for 30yrs Not a licensed stylist/barber

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God has given us two hands, one to receive with and the other to give with.

Billy Graham









Fire Wood Pellets

Snow Removal

Wood Stove



Driveway Sanding
Bob's Contracting can help you with it all.
Give them a call 250-651-2488 or
email atlinhouseboat@gmail.com

The next Whisper is Wednesday March 27th.

Submissions are due no later than Sunday 9pm March 24th.

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Classifieds, news, upcoming events Contact 1-250-651-7861 or lynnephipps@hotmail.com if you have, pictures or articles you would like to submit.

Please note that submissions should be sent in either <u>WORD or JPEG whenever possible</u>. PDF must first be printed and then scanned back into the computer in order to format it into the paper. This costs in both paper and ink. We know that at times a PDF is the only way, which is okay when necessary, but otherwise, as the Whisper is a FREE community service we appreciate your support in helping to keep the costs down as much as possible. Thank You!