

# The Ploughboy

## Farm Review

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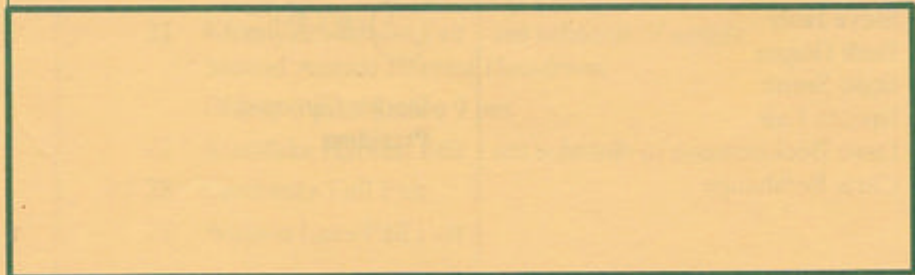
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**President's Message**

Hey! We're back!

The office is up and running. We have new boards of directors in each Chapter. In Mayo, Jack Smith is heading up the team. Thanks to Gordon Kerr for his leadership as president in Dawson for the past two years. We're sorry you have resigned, Gordon. Thanks for all your hard work.; we particularly appreciated your energy with the Young Farmers of Canada. There will always be a place for you in the Yukon Agricultural Association.

Indeed, there is a place and opportunity for everyone in YAA. Here is what your executive is doing:

- ✿ Working co-operatively with the YTG Agriculture Branch
- ✿ Building ties with Agriculture Canada
- ✿ Planning a fall fair
- ✿ Working toward Phase II of CARD
- ✿ Discussing changes to the agriculture policy with government and other stakeholders.
- ✿ Supporting education programs
- ✿ Increasing public awareness through Agriculture week and Agri-Food Celebration

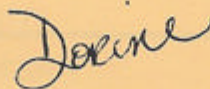
Your executive is working for you; BUT we need you to help us.

- ✿ Tell us how CARD monies should be spent
- ✿ Tell us what education programs are important
- ✿ Tell us what farm management programs are needed
- ✿ Outline infrastructure needs
- ✿ **GET INVOLVED!!**

The only way we can get your input is by hearing from you. Please contact the office through the internet, phone, fax, or the good, old-fashioned mail.

Remember, this organisation is working on your behalf for the future of all agriculture-related business.

Looking forward to hearing from you and hoping to see you at the Fair!



Dorine Girouard  
President

## Klondyke Harvest Fair Posters

The Yukon artist, Chris Caldwell, has illustrated the Klondyke Harvest Fair from the animals' point of view. Her original painting is one of the raffle prizes in the YAA Farm Gate Sales raffle. Poster print copies of the Caldwell painting are available from the YAA office or Whitehorse Kiwanis members. They are being sold for \$10 each as a fund raiser. Colourful, humorous, and suitable for framing, they make lovely gifts or mementos of the Fair.

## New Faces in the YAA Office

Two new people are ready to help you in the YAA office. Spence Hill started work as the Office Administrator in April. Adriana Venasse joined the team as book-keeper and Project Officer in May.

With two bodies available, you will be able to reach someone between 9 am and 3 pm Monday to Friday at the YAA office, Rm 202 - 302 Steele Street Whitehorse. Drop in for a coffee or give us a call at (867)668-6864. We're here to serve you.

## CARD Fund

(Canadian Adaptation & Rural Development Fund)

The following projects were supported by the CARD fund over the past two years. All projects are completed, or will be by November, 1999.

4-H Club Yukon	Human Resource Development	\$ 7,500
4-H Club Yukon	Infrastructure Development	5,625
Valerie Celuszak	Market Research, Native Plants	6,685
Downtown Urban Gardeners	Community Garden	7,500
Ken Gies/Scott Smith	Field Application of Elemental Sulphur	4,470
Ken Gies, Tagish Mayo Renewable Resources	Organic Verification Officer Assessment And Description	1,000
Patricia Smith	Agricultural Land	7,500
R.M. Tait, Haines Junction	Wild Mushroom Study	2,600
Cal Waddington Whitehorse	Potato Trials	6,000
YAA Stewart Valley Chapter	Radio Public Service Announcements	7,500
YAA, Whitehorse	Community Granary	9,075
YAA, Whitehorse	Grades 3-4 Education	9,260
YAA, Whitehorse	Career Development, Grades 11-12	7,950
YAA, Whitehorse	Klondyke Harvest Fair	14,445
YAA, Whitehorse	Agricultural Policy Review	14,100
YAA, Whitehorse	Circumpolar Conference	16,020
YTG Agriculture Branch	Meat Inspector Training	7,293
Gary & Pamela Zgeb Whitehorse	Raspberry Varieties	7,293
Dawne Mitchell	From Seed To Harvest	4,820
YTG Agriculture Branch	Yukon Gardeners' Course Manual	3,974
Patricia Smith	Horse Care In The North	7,500
YAA, Whitehorse	Yukon-Grown Marketing Strategy	5,000
Marilee Irwin	Basic Organic Farm Inspector Training	2275

## Fresh chickens

**\$2.75/lb**

- ✦ Slaughtered once a month
- ✦ Delivered to Whitehorse the next day
- ✦ Well chilled / not frozen
- ✦ Each bird weighs about 4-5 pounds
- ✦ July / August / September
- ✦ Grain fed / no antibiotics
- ✦ 4 birds in a bag / individually wrapped

To order call

**Partridge Creek Farms** at 1-867-667-1068

## Best Garden Competition of 1999

The Whitehorse Chapter of the YAA is sponsoring its annual Best Garden Competition again this year. You can enter three categories:

- ❖ Greenhouse—sponsored by Adorna Flowers & Landscaping
- ❖ Vegetable Garden—sponsored by Yukon Gardens
- ❖ Home Grounds—sponsored by Decora Landscaping

The Whitehorse area gardens will be judged by Andrew Landscaping between August 8 and 14. Presentation of trophies and plaques will be done at the Klondyke Harvest Fair on August 22 at 2:30 pm at Rotary Peace Park. For entry forms and judging criteria see the Klondyke Harvest Fair catalogue.

### For Sale

- ◆ 7 ft Power take-off mower \$600
- ◆ Forks for round bales—fits on 3-point hitch or front-end loader \$100
- ◆ Threshing machine—excellent wood inside \$4000

### Wanted

- ◆ 1 Disc for preparing seedbed 14'-16'
- ◆ Have 2 binders, need someone to make into one good one

For more information, contact Norma Mease at (867) 996-2276 or 2M-3470

## Notes from the Stewart Valley Chapter

Norma Mease, the secretary/treasurer of the Stewart Valley Chapter of YAA reports that gardening is going well in the Mayo area. There hasn't been much need for watering as the heavens have been providing well-timed showers at frequent intervals. Norma says the weeds are doing well and the hay looks good.

There are 500 chickens on the Mease's farm; Norma says most of them are spoken for but she can still take a few orders. She's got the usual crowd of ducks and rabbits as well.

Fires burning in the Mayo area are keeping the men busy and out of the gardens. Norma says as usual the women are left to do most of the gardening. Norma is confident enough about this year's harvest that she's claiming she's going to "clean up the prizes" at this year's Fair. Last year Norma took home six wins from the Klondyke Harvest Fair. She says that's nothing compared to how she's going to do this year! Anyone who wants to rise to Norma's challenge should get growing and fill out those entry forms for the Bench Show at the Klondyke Harvest Fair.

## Game Growers Update

by Barbary Drury

'Tis the season for elk and bison babies, and for elk antler growth. Most of the elk calves have been born now in the Nowlan, David and Shirley Ford, Calvin and Patti Ford, Coates, and Drury herds, with just a few expectant mothers remaining. An interesting statistic from the Ford and Nowlan herds is the abundance of bull calves born this year. One theory is that it is nature's way of keeping the population low as a result of last year's drought, which peaked during the breeding season. This might make an interesting study!

The First Annual Elk Antler competition will take place at the Drury Ranch (Circle D) on July 17 for all local elk ranchers. This should be a fun and friendly competition to see which bulls have the biggest antlers this year. There will be 2-year-old, 3-year-old, and mature bull classes.

The Game Growers are in the midst of producing a short video featuring our Yukon animals, which have some of the finest genetics in North America. Doug Phillips is doing the camera work and editing. It will be shown at an international elk Expo in Alberta this summer.

Most of the bison calves have been born on the LaPrairie Ranch. They are looking good.

## Agricultural Art Collection

All students and youngsters in the territory are invited to submit their impressions of "Agriculture in the Yukon."

The Yukon Agricultural Association is accumulating an art collection of paintings and drawings representing different aspects of farming.

Artists can choose any season and a theme... then let the creative juices flow!

Suggested themes:

- ❖ Animals on the Farm
- ❖ Growing up on the Farm
- ❖ Life on the Farm
- ❖ Going to Market
- ❖ Farm Gardens
- ❖ Berry Picking
- ❖ Clearing Land
- ❖ Preserving the Produce
- ❖ Greenhouse Dreams
- ❖ Growing in the Yukon
- ❖ Harvesting

Submissions will be displayed during Agriculture week in October and again at the Agricultural Symposium in November. Some pieces may be used to illustrate a YAA Calendar.

***This is not a contest.***

Artists whose submissions are reproduced by the YAA will receive a gift certificate for art supplies in recognition of their work..

Details and submission release forms are available at the YAA office. Call (867) 668-6864.

## Klondyke Valley Chapter News

**Klondyke Horsemen's Association** and the Hoof Beats Equestrian Centre held a gymkhana on Father's Day, June 20. Fifteen riders participated in the various events, taking turns on various horses. Hard to keep track of who was where... especially with the kids because they had to share horses and do a lot of teamwork. Carlene Kerr was really proud of the youngsters because they managed very well themselves, making all the switches and trades without her even getting off her horse!

The highlight of the day was the Father's Day Fun Run where the father of the "child" riding the horse was supposed to run half the obstacle course before "youngster" and horse took over to complete the course.

Not everybody had a "Dad" handy to share the race. Julia Fellers shared her win with a borrowed "Father" from the Dawson Ambulance team. Carlene adopted Stan Reynolds as Dad for the race and together they placed fourth. Stand-ins and real Dads all had a good time.

Thanks to the Tintina Bakery for running the concession, and the Dawson City Ambulance Crew for standing by for safety all day.

**Bits 'n Bridles 4 H Club** is raising money to attend the Whitehorse Horseshow on July 16-18. The members cleaned up a section of the Klondyke Highway and now they're selling manure. It is available all summer; great for heating up compost! \$4 a bag delivered. Contact Carlene Kerr at Hoof Beats 993-6993.

**Greenhouse Raffle** in Dawson was won by Fred and Rosie Taylor who said they were just thrilled to win. The Klondyke Valley Chapter made about \$750 on the raffle. Thanks to everyone who bought and sold tickets.

**Farmer's Market** is open for business Saturdays on Front Street in Dawson.

## Education Training Trust Fund

The Education Trust Fund Board wants proposals for projects which give Yukoners ideas, knowledge and skills to develop a strong and diversified agricultural economy. The Board can fund projects which provide training in five broad categories:

- ❖ Farm Management
- ❖ Agricultural Methods
- ❖ Market Diversification
- ❖ Homesteading
- ❖ Farm Efficiency Strategies
- ❖

The Deadline for applications is November 30, 1999. Contact the YAA Whitehorse office at 668-6864 for further information.

## Seed to Harvest...

Garden Education Program/CARD Project

Gardeners in the **Seed to Harvest** program are seeing the first fruits of their labour this month. Dawne Mitchell, program co-ordinator, says the students are excited to be harvesting lettuce, spinach, radishes and zukes.

Ten students, mostly women are enrolled in the learn-to-garden program. Some are first time gardeners; others have tried gardening before but wanted some tips and support from an experienced gardener. Some of the gardeners are particularly interested in adapting their knowledge to the unique Northern conditions.

Dawne says most of us learn to garden from parents or relatives, but many people in Dawson don't have family around to show them how to do it. The Seed to Harvest program is designed to give basic instruction and encouragement so that participants learn that they can do it themselves.

The students have been working since March growing seedling, learning greenhouse techniques and preparing soil. Some are growing in their own backyards; others have planted in containers and window boxes. Dawne has donated some of her garden space to the project as well.

Dawne says everyone is learning each step of the way. The most important learning is that gardening is hard work ... but it's worth it

## Education Projects Report

By Barbara Drury

This spring saw the successful completion of the Grade 4 "Agriculture in the Classroom" project, and also the Grade 11/12 "Careers in Agriculture" project. Both programs were devised and delivered by Barbary Drury on contract to the Yukon Agricultural Association.

The Grade 4 program was similar to the program of 1993, 1994, and 1995, and was made up of a one-and-a-half hour in-class presentation delivered to all the schools in the Yukon which wished to participate, except Old Crow. An extra bonus for the Whitehorse school children was a "day at the farm," in which they came out to Circle D Ranch, and saw the hay lands, the animals, the machinery, the greenhouse, and a huge beaver dam. The teachers who remembered the program from 1995 were really happy to see its return, and all the children enjoyed learning about agriculture. It is the only exposure that many of them have ever had. A copy of the final report is available to be viewed at the YAA office in the TC Richards building.

The Grades 11/12 "Careers in Agriculture" program was brand new this year. It was presented to all Grade 11/12s in the course "Careers and Personal Planning" (CAPP) who were enrolled in the spring 1999 semester. It had three main parts to the presentation:

- ❖ The Yukon slide show in which Yukon farms were profiled
- ❖ Career overheads in which we looked in depth at what it would take to pursue seven different agriculture careers
- ❖ Supplementary hand-out material, including a CD computer disk which highlighted agricultural careers from a young adults' perspective

The Grade 11/12 program was well received by teachers and students alike; many expressed surprise at the variety of farms in the Yukon. For example, if students lived in Mayo, they weren't usually aware of what was happening agriculturally around Whitehorse, and vice versa. So even if we don't see a massive influx of agriculture students from the Yukon, we can be confident that we opened quite a few eyes and minds as to the potential of agriculture in the Territory, and that's a step in the right direction!

The final report on this project is also at the YAA office.

## Agri-Business Tax Incentive for Y2K Compliance

by Stephen Thompson in *Your Office*

Last year the federal government announced an incentive to encourage and assist **small- and medium-sized businesses** that address the Y2K problem. On certain eligible purchases of computer hardware and software, you may be eligible to deduct 100 percent of the purchase in the first year. Normally on computer purchases, you can

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15 percent in the first year and then 30 percent each year thereafter. With software, normally 50 percent can be deducted in the first year and then 50 percent in the second.

You must meet a number of conditions to qualify for the fast write-off: The computer hardware or software must be Y2K compliant and be acquired to replace non-compliant property acquired before 1998, and it must have been purchased during the period from January 1, 1998, to June 30, 1999.

To obtain the incentive, attach a letter with your tax return describing the eligible property, its cost, date of acquisition, a description of the non-compliant property being replaced and the date that the non-compliance was acquired.



## Whitehorse Horsemen's Association

The big event on the calendar for members of the Horsemen's Association is the Annual Horse Show planned for July 16-18. Organizers are expecting at least 60 entries from around the territory. If you are planning to enter, the deadline is July 9. Please submit your entry form to Sport Yukon in Whitehorse.

Friday July 16 is 4 H Day with young people presenting their horses and doing their routines from 9 am to 3 pm. Everyone is invited to come out and watch the kids perform!

Saturday and Sunday are busy days around the clock. There will be dressage and various jumping combinations. The gymkhana events include barrel racing, pole bending, keyhole trials, figure 8 stake race, flag races and bare-back races. On Saturday night at 6 pm the Hoof & Woof competitions will see dogs and horses doing a timed, combined jump course together.

The judging of this year's show will be of special interest to riders and trainers. Judge Eddie Rodie from Calgary will be overseeing all the events. Judge Rodie is renowned for her work and is expected to give worthwhile comments to participants. Judge Rodie's long list of credentials include judging the 1976 summer Olympics in Montreal.

For more information or registration details contact Sandra Prosko at 668-6326 (w) or 668-6045 (fax)

## Farm Gate Raffle "99"

### Prizes Value

1	Side of Beef by Circle D Ranch/Whitehorse	\$ 900.00
2	Klondyke Harvest Fair Framed Painting by Chris Caldwell	\$ 850.00
3	Whole Pig by Harold Gaschnitz/Whitehorse	\$ 600.00
4	Lion Mask Wall Fountain by Adorna Flowers & Landscaping	\$ 400.00
5	Minature Orchard by Decora Landscaping/Whitehorse	\$ 350.00
6	1000 sq. Ft. of Sod by Sourdough Sodbuster/Whitehorse	\$ 350.00
7	1 Turkey & 3 Chickens by Mease Farm/Mayo	\$ 120.00
8	1 Turkey & 3 Chickens by Mease Farm/Mayo	\$ 120.00
9	1 Turkey & 3 Chickens by Mease Farm/Mayo	\$ 120.00
10	100 lbs Potatoes by Rod Tait/Haines Junction	\$ 65.00
11	100 lbs Potatoes by Rod Tait/Haines Junction	\$ 65.00
12	100 lbs Potatoes by Rod Tait/Haines Junction	\$ 65.00

Draw Date - Nov. 6 1999 at the Agricultural Symposium

**Tickets now on sale!**

## Klondyke Harvest Fair Program

The catalogue is hot off the press and available at public libraries, garden centres, the YAA office, and YTG Agriculture Branch. It includes information about how to enter the competitions at the Klondyke Harvest Fair. It outlines the categories for entries - flowers, produce, preserves, crafts, beer & wine, crops, livestock. The catalogue tells you what the prizes are, who is sponsoring the competitions and what the judges will be looking for. It also outlines the activities for the KHF weekend and it is full of news about agriculture in the territory.

Pick up your **FREE** copy of the catalogue ... and **GET GROWING!**



### TENT FOR RENT

The YAA has a hexagon tent for rent. Dimensions are roughly 35' x 40' x 10' high. Cost is \$400.

Call YAA office for more details (867)668-6864.

## CARD Fund Update

### Canadian Adaptation Rural Development Fund

The Department of Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada is moving toward funding another round of CARD projects. The government says it will provide \$498,000 to the Yukon in CARD funding over the next four years. See page 3 for a list of projects supported by CARD over the last couple of years.

Dorine Girouard, the president of the Yukon Agricultural Association, went to Ottawa in early June for meetings with the Minister of Agriculture. Dorine says the meetings were worthwhile in many ways but particularly because she found out what CARD money has funded in other provinces. If you are interested you can review the CARD reports from elsewhere in the YAA office.

The Minister of Agriculture says six points should be covered in new CARD funded projects:

- ❖ rural development
- ❖ marketing initiatives
- ❖ innovation and diversification (new ideas and products)
- ❖ education of farm business managers
- ❖ food safety and quality
- ❖ environmental sustainability

Before projects can be reviewed and another round of funding handed out, the Yukon needs a new CARD Committee. The former committee members are welcome to serve again, but newcomers are welcome too. The committee evaluates applications to the CARD fund and oversees the completion of projects. If you are interested or know someone who would be a responsible, informed member of this committee, please submit nominations to the YAA office at (867) 668-6864.

The goal is to have the new CARD committee up and running by the Fall. Look for guidelines and application forms during Agriculture Week in October.

## CARD Fund Committee Members

Marsha Flumerfelt  
Shelly Dalziel  
Rick Cocks  
Steve Holy  
Barb Hogan  
Scott Smith  
Brenda Fair  
Dave Beckman  
Chris Refshaug

Kluane Region, Chair  
Watson Lake Region  
Stewart Valley Region  
Whitehorse Region  
Dawson City Region  
Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada  
Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada  
Agriculture Branch, YTG  
Facilitator



## Colouring Contest

Kids are invited to enter the YAA Colouring Contest.

The Klondyke Harvest Fair poster is available for kids to colour.

Three prizes will be awarded; one in each age category:

- ✧ under five years old
- ✧ 6- 8 years old
- ✧ 9 to 12 years old

Posters are available at the YAA office in Whitehorse. We will mail copies to out-of-town residents. Call (867) 667-6864 to request a poster.

Entry details are on the poster. Deadline to receive entries is July 23, 1999.

Winners will be announced at the Klondyke Harvest Fair.

## Curious about Agriculture in Latin America?

The deadline for applications to the Exchange Program for Canadian and Latin American/Caribbean Farmer is August 30, 1999. If you are interested in a partially subsidized trip to meet with Latin American and Caribbean farmers and farm groups, then contact the YAA office for more information. The goal of the exchange program is to foster the sharing of technical information and establishing links between farm associations.

## Kiss The Pig Contest

This annual event at the Klondyke Harvest Fair is always a crowd-pleaser. Everyone gets to vote on who should KISS THE PIG. This year's contestants are from the City of Whitehorse Bylaw Enforcement gang and one conservation officer from YTG Renewable Resources. This is your chance to get back at your favourite conservation/bylaw officer!

All you have to do to place your vote is put your loonies, twonies and change into the box with the name of your "favourite" officer. There will be boxes scattered around Whitehorse, so keep your eyes open. The officer with the winning amount of money gets to Kiss the Pig at 2 pm Sunday August 22 at the Klondyke Harvest Fair. All monies donated in the voting go to the Kiwanis Club to support community projects such as the Klondyke Harvest Fair and the Humane Society.

This year's contestants are Tony Grabowski, Alex Furlong, Dave Pruden, Harvey Rafter and John Taylor. You can vote as often as you wish. Be sure to be there for the finale when someone will smooch a swine!

## What does "Organic" mean?

The meaning of organic became clearer at the end of June, when the federal government announced its new standards for organic agriculture

The Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food, Lyle Vanclief, says the new standards will provide consumers with a consistent meaning for organic. Among it's provisions, the standard

- ✧ encourages maximum use of recycling
- ✧ encourages maximum crop rotation and promotion of biodiversity
- ✧ prohibits the use in ionizing radiation in the preservation of food
- ✧ prohibits the use of genetically engineered or modified organisms

The national standard will be recognized gobally and will help international marketing. The document is called the National Standard of Canada for Organic Agriculture. It can be found on the web at [www.pwgsc.gc.ca/cgsb](http://www.pwgsc.gc.ca/cgsb), or phone Ottawa 1-800-665-2472 to order.

GROWN IN THE  
  
 YUKON

# Klondyke Harvest Fair

## Schedule of Events

### Saturday, August 21, 1999

#### Show Ring

- 11 am Yukon 4-H**  
Equine Competition  
Yearly Horsemanship Test
- 12 am Dog Agility Demonstration**
- 1 pm Hoof n Woof**  
Horses and riders compete in a timed jump course while dogs run a jump course of their own. Competition is for the best combined times.
- 2 pm Pet Costume Contest**  
Prizes for Best Dressed Pet and Best Dressed Pet Handler
- 2:30 pm Gymkhana Events**  
Horse and Riders Perform

#### Main Stage

- 10 am Live Entertainment Begins**
- 12 pm Opening Ceremonies**
- 12:30 pm Live Entertainment Continues**
- 6 pm Steak Dinner at Elks Hall**
- 9 pm Harvest Hoe-Down Dance**  
Elks Hall  
Music by the Undertakin' Daddies

### Sunday, August 22, 1999

#### Show Ring

- 11 am Yukon 4-H**  
Equine Competition  
Yearly Horsemanship Test
- 12 am Dog Agility Demonstration**
- 1 pm Hoof n Woof**  
Horses and riders compete in a timed jump course while dogs run a jump course of their own. Competition is for the best combined times.
- 2:30 pm Gymkhana Events**  
Horse and Riders Perform

#### Main Stage

- 10 am Live Entertainment (TBA)**
- 2 pm Kiss the Pig**  
The votes have been cast. The public has spoken. Find out which Conservation/By-Law Officer humbles himself to smooch the swine!
- 2:15 pm Awards**  
Announcing the Grand Prize winners of the bench show, livestock competitions, and garden competition
- 3 pm Auction - Bench Show**  
Winning items from the Bench Show combined into 20 delightful gift baskets for the auction. Be there to make a bid on the winners!
- 4 pm Live Entertainment (TBA)**

Second Annual  
**Harvest  
Hoe-Down**

**Saturday, August 21, 1999**

**Elks Hall**

Steak Dinner • 5pm • \$14

Dance • 9pm • \$10

Dance the Night Away  
to the Music of

**The  
Undertakin'  
Daddies**

with  
Kevin Barr,  
George McConkey  
& Bob Hamilton

Advance Tickets for Dinner and Dance Available  
from the YAA Office, 2nd Floor, TC Richards Bldg.

Dinner Music provided by  
**Mikel Miller**

# Registration Information

**Thursday, August 19, 1999, 4–7 pm**

**Donnenworth Building 3126 3rd Avenue**

Section IV	Traditional Native Crafts
Section VII	Quilting
Section VIII	Knitting
Section IX	Needlework
Section X	Crocheting

**Friday, August 20, 1999, 7–9 pm**

**Fair Grounds Rotary Peace Park**

Section III	Farm Produce
Section V	Preserved Foods
Section VI	Home Baking
Section XI	Home-Made Beer & Wine
Section XIII	Creative Recycling

**Saturday, August 21, 1999, 8–10 am**

**Fair Grounds Rotary Peace Park**

Section I	Vegetables
Section II	Flowers
Section XII	A - Livestock & Poultry
	B - Junior Sunflower
	C - Pet Costume

## Cost of Registration

Seniors	\$1 per entry (max. \$5)*
Juniors	50¢ per entry (max \$2.50)*

\* Maximum designates the most to be charged for an unlimited number of entries



# Calendar of Events

## July

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

- 1 Canada Day 11 am-5 pm  
YAA Whitehorse Chapter celebrates at Rotary Peace Park
- 7 YAA Whitehorse Chapter, Executive Meeting
- 9-11 Whitehorse Rodeo
- 15 Deadline for applications to the Midway and Farmers & Crafters Market at the Klondyke Harvest Fair
- 16-18 Watson Lake Rodeo
- 16-18 Whitehorse Horsemen's Association Annual Horse Show
- 21 Klondyke Harvest Fair Committee meeting - Noon-1 pm  
Volunteers welcome
- 23 Deadline for Klondyke Harvest Fair colouring contest
- 28 KHF Committee meeting - Noon-1 pm Volunteers welcome

## August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

- 4 YAA Whitehorse Chapter Executive Meeting Noon-2pm  
All members welcome
- 4 KHF Committee meeting - Noon-1 pm Volunteers welcome
- 5 Deadline for entries in the Best Garden Competition Whitehorse
- 8-14 Judging for Best Garden Competition, Whitehorse
- 11 KHF Committee meeting - Noon-1 pm Volunteers welcome
- 18 KHF Committee meeting - Noon-1 pm Last call for volunteers!
- 19 Set-up for KHF at Rotary Peace Park  
Bench Show Registration - crafts at Donnenworth House
- 20 Bench Show Registration at Fairgrounds
- 21 Klondyke Harvest Fair - see schedule of events  
Second Annual Harvest Hoe-down  
Dinner 6 pm / Dance 9 pm
- 22 Klondyke Harvest Fair - see schedule of events
- 27-28 Carmacks Fall Fair
- 28 Watson Lake Fall Fair

# Calendar of Events

## September

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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- 1 YAA Whse Chapter, Executive meeting Noon-2 pm
- 4 Mount Lorne Fall Fair
- 6 Labour Day
- 15 Klondyke Harvest Fair Committee meeting Noon-1 pm  
YAA General Membership meeting 7:30 pm-9 pm
- 17 Agricultural Planning & Advisory Committee mtg

## October

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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- 6 YAA Whitehorse Chapter, Executive meeting Noon-2 pm
- 10-16 Agriculture Week .... watch for announcements of Events & Celebrations
- 11 Thanksgiving Day
- 16 World Food Day
- 20 Klondyke Harvest Fair Committee meeting Noon-1 pm  
YAA General Membership meeting 7:30-9 pm
- 29 - Deadline for submissions to next Ploughboy News

## November

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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- 3 YAA Whitehorse Chapter Executive meeting Noon- 2pm
- 6 Agricultural Symposium in Whitehorse  
Draw Date for the Farm Gate Sales Raffle - 2pm
- 17 YAA General Membership meeting 7:30 - 9pm