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Check us out at our new website,
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McKenzie Towne Community Association meets the fourth Wednesday of the month. Our next meeting is June 28 – check out the website for location at www.mckenziatownecommunityassociation.ca.

Please Note: We are the MTCA, not the MTC. The McKenzie Towne Council (MTC) is the board that is in control of our annual Home Owner Association (HOA) fees and they are in charge of maintaining the environment and physical amenities in McKenzie Towne.



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Carolyn's Corner: Plan Your Front Yard Edible Garden

Get ready to move your vegetable garden beyond the back yard this year. In many cases, the front yard may be the only place with the full sun needed for tomatoes, strawberries, squash, peppers, and other delicious edible plants.

Concerns about what the neighbours might think prevents some homeowners from planting in their front yard. Consider telling them your plans in advance with a pledge to keep the garden neat and attractive. Another concern in planting front yard edibles is that passersby might take the produce. You may lose the odd tomato, strawberry or handful of raspberries, but will be surprised at how respectful of your plantings people are.

From self-watering heirloom cedar planters to in-ground galvanized in all shapes and sizes, to small space layered garden boxes, you can grow above or in the ground. Squeeze something in between driveways. Create interesting patterns in the middle of the yard with geometric shapes. You might choose circles or a series of rectangles and squares to create a formal pattern like those found on old European estates. Utilize paths made out of brick, stump rounds, flagstone, or just mulch, to ensure safe and clean movement through the area.

When well-designed and well-tended, a vegetable garden can be attractive enough to serve as a focal point of the landscape. The key is providing structure for the layout. Remember that fruit trees, bushes, and herbs all combine to create 'stories' in the garden. Plant colourful vegetable varieties, flowering shrubs, striking perennials, spring bulbs, and ornamental grasses for year-round interest. Consider leaving a strip of grass along the sidewalk to blend into adjoining yards... and to keep the veggie snatchers at bay!



This attractive front yard in SW Calgary proves that with purposeful planning, you can create a functional and beautiful vegetable garden right in the middle of your street. Photo compliments of Kathy Cameron.

GAMES & PUZZLES

Guess That Book!



1. A nurse accidentally time travels to the 18th century.
2. On Long Island, a bond salesman rents a bungalow next to a wealthy man.
3. Humans are artificially bred and sorted based on intelligence.
4. A former physics postdoctoral student goes on a road trip with his girlfriend.
5. A forbidden romance ruins the lives of two close-knit Yorkshire families.
6. The 200-year-old protagonist is interviewed by a reporter.

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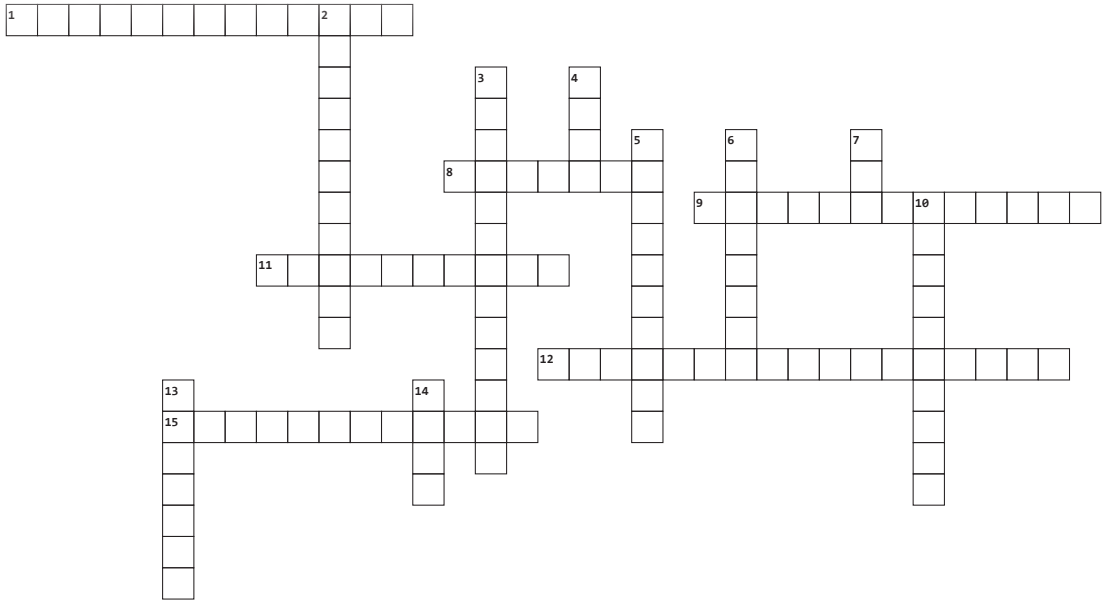
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June Crossword Puzzle



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1. Born on June 27, 1859, Mildred J. Hill composed this song, which is considered to be one of the most well-known songs in the English language.
8. In Sweden and Finland, Midsummer Day is traditionally celebrated by singing and dancing around this.
9. Canadian singer-songwriter Alanis Morissette wrote this breakup song in about 30 minutes.
11. Midland, Ontario holds an annual festival in honour of this classic Canadian pastry every June.
12. Canadian author Lucy Maud Montgomery's debut novel, which was released in June of 1908.
15. This Calgary landmark was opened to the public on June 30, 1968.

Down

2. The song "I Will Always Love You," first recorded on June 12, 1973, by _____ gained renewed popularity with a re-release by Whitney Houston.
3. 43 years ago, this NHL hockey team relocated to Calgary.
4. The month of June is named after this Roman goddess.
5. In North America, National _____ Day is celebrated on June 8.
6. 29 years ago, this popular Disney movie, based on Shakespeare's play, *Hamlet*, was released.
7. The first Friday after Father's Day is National Take Your _____ to Work Day.
10. On June 2, 1967, this band released their iconic album, "Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band," in the US.
13. This European country experiences the longest summer solstice due to its geographical location.
14. The official Father's Day flower.

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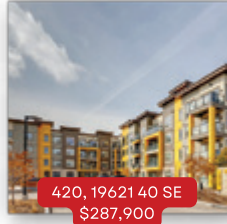
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