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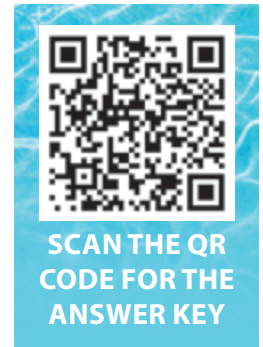
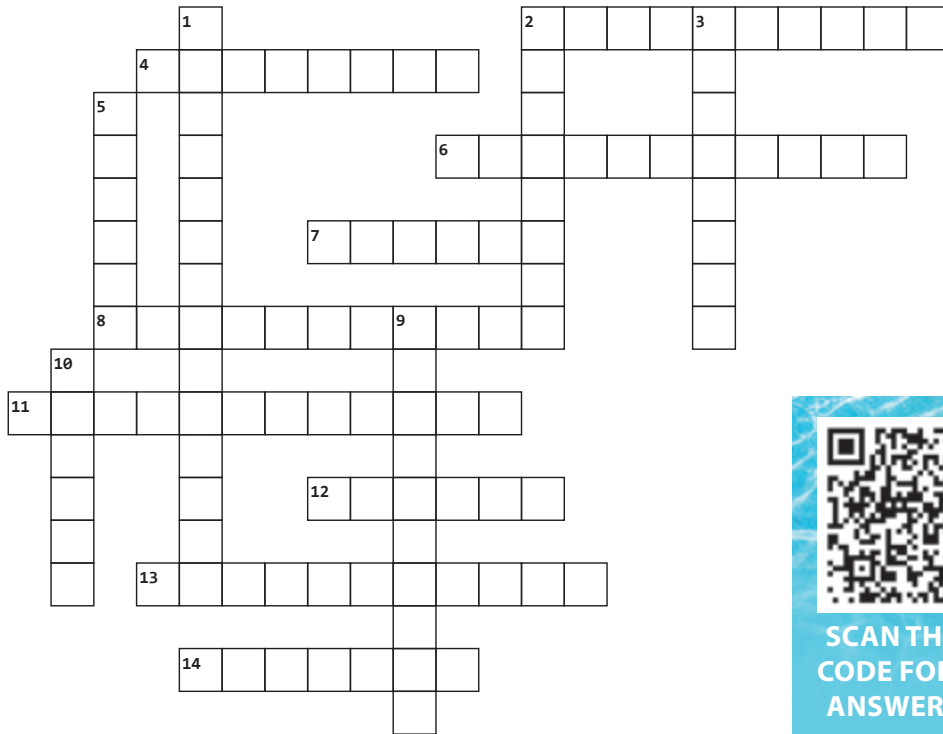
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August Crossword



Across

2. This Pickering, Ontario singer-songwriter rose to fame on Vine.
4. This heroic 18-year-old from Port Coquitlam, BC aimed to complete a cross-Canada run to raise funds for cancer after being diagnosed and having his leg amputated.
6. The cities of Pompeii and _____ were destroyed on August 24, 79 A.D., by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius.
7. National _____ Day, celebrated on August 24, commemorates the patent for this modern breakfast appliance.
8. Born on August 28, she is Canada's "queen of country pop."
11. This Cole Harbour-born hockey player was the youngest NHL captain to lead his team to a Stanley Cup victory in the modern era.
12. National _____ Day celebrates the accidental invention of this helical children's toy.
13. This holiday is observed on the first Monday in August in Alberta.
14. This lime green stone is August's primary birthstone.

Down

1. This dystopian debut novel is narrated by Wil Wheaton, who is also briefly mentioned in this well-known sci-fi book by Ernest Cline.
2. In August, the _____ moon appears in the sky and is named such because of the abundant fish that Algonquin tribes were able to catch at this time of year.
3. On August 21, 1911, this artwork was stolen, making it one of the most famous pieces in the world.
5. The reason August is referred to as the "dog days" of summer is because of this star that rose at the same time as sunrise in August during Roman times.
9. On August 28, 1963, Martin Luther King Jr. famously delivered his "I Have a Dream" speech in this city.
10. August 1, 1997, was the Canadian release date of the first movie in this popular family-friendly series featuring an athletic golden retriever.

**QUEENSLAND DIAMOND COVE
COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

Hi Everyone,

By the time you get this, we will be in the middle of the summer season and school will be out. So, I would like to remind everyone once again to obey the speed limit in the playground zones.

The Park and Play and Stay and Play programs are being held at Haultain Memorial School again this summer. See this publication for more information or visit Calgary.ca/free to see what is available in your area.

Great Beginnings summer camp is from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm, Monday through Thursday until August 17. Come join them for an exciting science camp where they will join in on the fun with experiments! Call 403-452-5222 to register today!

Our pickleball groups are still running for the summer at their regular times. Call the office at 403-278-3366 for more information.

Jazzercise is running all of August on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings starting at 6:30 pm.

That's it for now. Stay safe and have fun. I'll talk to you all next month.

Cheers,

Brian



Hall Rental Rates

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| Gym use | \$60/hr + GST |
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Stay 'n' Play

For children aged 3 to 5 years with an adult

These safe, supervised programs help children and adults make new friends and stay active through a play-based learning environment. Participants engage in games and activities that they can use on their path to healthy and active lifestyles. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Programs run Monday to Friday. Sign up through the above link. Walk-ups will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

Park 'n' Play

For children aged 6 to 12 years

These safe, supervised programs help children make new friends and learn. Games and activities are designed to encourage them on their path to healthy and active lifestyles. Programs run Monday to Friday. Sign up through the above link. Walk-ups will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

Dates: August 8 to 11

Tuesday to Friday

Stay 'n' Play – 10:00 am to noon

Park 'n' Play – 10:00 am to 3:30 pm

Location: Queensland

Haultain Memorial School

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QUEENSLAND



DIAMOND COVE



RECIPE

Sesame Cucumber Salad

Servings: 4 to 6

Ingredients

Dressing:

- 2 Large English Cucumbers
- 2 to 3 Green Onions
- 2 Tbsp Sesame Seeds
- 1/4 Cup Chopped Peanuts
- 2 Tbsp Rice Vinegar
- 1 Tbsp Toasted Sesame Oil (or regular)
- 1 Tsp Raw Honey
- 1/2 Tsp Red Pepper Flakes



Directions

1. Slice cucumbers and green onions and place in serving bowl.
2. Whisk all dressing ingredients and pour over cucumber/green onion mixture.
3. Toss gently to combine.

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DIAMOND COVE HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Diamond Cove Residents,

I hope this letter finds everyone well as we progress into the heart of summer.

We had a good turnout on Saturday, June 17 for our annual Neighbour Day barbecue celebration in the tot lot park. Was nice to reconnect with some neighbours and the weather cooperated nicely. Thanks again to Dorothea Sautter and Viki Fairbairn from Royal Lepage for once again sponsoring the event.

Next up will be our Parade of Garage Sales weekend. This will be taking place the weekend after Labour Day long weekend in September. Watch for more forthcoming news here and check the Diamond Cove Facebook page as well concerning registration. Royal Lepage will once again be our sponsor for this event.

Also, please feel free to contact me with any other concerns or questions at ajmclellan@shaw.ca.

Sincerely,

Jerry McLellan

President



Cleanup Day Thank-You

Hosted by Queensland Diamond Cove and Deer Ridge community associations

Thank you to all the amazing volunteers who ran the community cleanup on June 10:

- Don Burdeyney
- Linda Brown
- Bob Hall
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- Martine Myrthu
- Jeff Myrthu
- Nevelda Sands
- Brian Heritage
- Roy Reid
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Extra thanks to the City for their garbage trucks and the kind folks to run them, Bob Hall for the coffee and donuts, Jeff Myrthu for the juice boxes, Kathy Lang for the cold treats, and some unnamed community members who returned after dumping their garbage off with cold water for our volunteers. Thank you also to Techno Trash for all of the electronics and to Recon Metals for collecting the metals.

It went really well and we were able to remove almost three garbage trucks full of trash from our communities!

Day Camps

Great Beginnings summer camp runs from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm from Monday to Thursday until August 17. Come join us for exciting learning at our science camp; we will get hands on with fun experiments! Call 403-452-5222 to register today!



Joke of the Month

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Fees are \$25 per month.

Bring your craft, your own coffee mug, and join us!

Family Dance Recap

Queensland Diamond Cove Community Association's Pre-Stampede Dance was a roaring success. A good time was had by all on Saturday June 24; approximately 250 guests danced the night away.

We would like to thank the following for this huge success:

- Monarch Music DJ Jason and his assistant Steven for the great tunes
- Haultain Memorial Parents' Association for the awesome concession
- Linda Brown and Martine Myrthu for organizing this function

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