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## The Macktown Buzzette

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May 11, 2022



RCMP Constable Shami presents a certificate of appreciation to Kevin Tomlinson. Photo: Mackenzie RCMP

## Airport a-buzz for future

Travis Lodge from KS2 Management gave an update to Council on airport operations, building on District-led improvements in 2021. Among plans are increased charter flights for forestry companies up the lake.

In early talks also is a potential stopover between Fort Nelson and Vancouver for a small passenger service with nine seats potentially

selling at \$400 to Vancouver one way.

The airport is planning a community day in August which would piggyback off the Vanderhoof Airshow. Details are still being worked out.

## Did you know?

"The Price is Right" game show is the longest running in television history, beginning in 1956. Bob Barker hosted from 1972 to 2007.

Some of the most exotic prizes have included a submarine, a Ferris Wheel, an island in the St. Lawrence seaway.

## Locals speak at SD57 Mack meeting

Several Mackenzie residents spoke during Public Input at the regular School Board meeting held in Mackenzie this week.

Former MSS student Fred Brumovsky spoke on feeling unprepared academically for his first year of applied sciences at UNBC.

Mr. Brumovsky said he received high grades in his course work at Mackenzie Secondary but found himself struggling at university to keep up

with students from other districts. He said he doesn't blame local teachers but rather a lack of preparation through "work ethic and raw materials."

Shannon Pride, of the Mackenzie Teachers' Association spoke on a dire need for TTOCs (on-call teachers) in time for September.

Local student Sylvia Brumovsky spoke on the loss of student murals for school spirit at Mackenzie Secondary.

## Quotes:

"Just because you are seeing divine light, experiencing waves of bliss, or conversing with Gods and Goddesses is no reason to not know your zip code. — Ram Dass

## What's Your News?



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## RCMP thank local man for assistance

Mackenzie RCMP presented a Certificate of Appreciation to Kevin Tomlinson who helped officers respond to a person in distress on the Parsnip Forest Service Road in March.

The certificate statement describes Tomlinson's actions that day, guiding officers to the subject's vehicle, and returning with a bobcat when the police vehicle got stuck in snow. Tomlinson continued to plow the roadway where police were able to assist the female and bring her to safety.

The statement expresses the unit's "... sincerest appreciation for your outstanding actions in assisting our members to rescue an individual that was in crisis."

## RCMP Report

### Investigations of Interest – March –

- On 2022-03-01 RCMP members responded to a report of a truck stolen from Pack River FSR. Truck located further down the road. No avenues to identify suspect.
- On 2022-03-02 a Dell hard drive was stolen from the Mackenzie Public Library. Attempts to identify a suspect through video surveillance negative. It is

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sales! Saturday April 30, 9  
am - 1 pm. CN Centre Main  
Parking Lot. (Used tires  
from residents can also be  
dropped off.)

**SPRING EXPO** May 6<sup>th</sup> -  
7<sup>th</sup>, Rec Centre. Annual  
trade show. Tables, music,  
prizes, swag. \$5 entry (kids  
under 6 free). (See ad front  
page.)

**DANCE w/ TUNE  
COUNCIL** May 6<sup>th</sup> @ the  
Legion. Spring Expo event.  
\$10. (See ad front page.)

**IRIS ENERGY** is offering  
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**THE TREE PLANTERS**  
Photographs by Rita Leistner  
April 29<sup>th</sup> - July 17<sup>th</sup> @ Two  
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2. Operatic solo
3. Buildup of healing tissue
4. Portion of a whole

Down

1. Sharp intake of breath
2. Killer whale
3. Dishonest person
4. Odorous expulsion of gas

**WORD SCRAMBLE** from last issue: Newfoundland, Saskatchewan, British Columbia. **CRYPTOQUOTE:** I hate it when I gain ten pounds for a role and then realize I'm not an actress. - Unknown.

**TRIVIA ANSWER:** His/Her Majesty's Ship and Royal Mail Ship (in England)



I'm spending a year dead for tax reasons.

— Douglas Adams

## Thought of the Day...

I'm a strict, strict agnostic. It's very different from a casual, 'I don't know.' It's that you cannot present as knowledge something that is not knowledge. You can present it as faith, you can present it as belief, but you can't present it as fact.

-- Margaret Atwood

## RCMP Report ...

believed the suspect took it during the winter fest some time. Witness unable to provide any serial numbers to be added to police data base.

- On 2022-03-03 RCMP were on patrol and located a possible suspect vehicle in a shooting from Prince George. Attempts to stop the vehicle negative as it fled out of Mackenzie and South on Highway 97. Mackenzie members able to work in conjunction with Prince George RCMP Street Crew (plain clothes unit). Spike belt deployed on vehicle at

Salmon Valley bridge. Three of four occupants taken into custody utilizing police dog services. This suspect vehicle was believed to be connected to the recent violence in Mackenzie.

- On 2022-03-04 RCMP responded to a report of theft of copper wire in progress at Conifex. With assistance from staff at Conifex two people taken into custody and released on an undertaking with a court date in a few months.

Read the rest of this report at  
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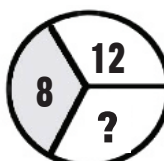
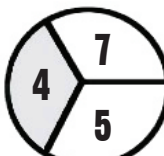
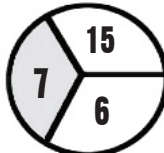


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## That's Not the Half of It



## MISSING NUMBER



How do the three numbers in each circle relate mathematically? Figure out the logic and you can guess the missing number.