

The Edge

Monthly Newsletter

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KootenArrow Network Tour

From October 12th through October 15th I toured half of the CAP sites in the KootenArrow Networks. We had a great reception from the Supervisors of the Castlegar Station Museum CAP, Castlegar Public Library CAP, Salmo Public Library CAP, Salmo Community Access Program Site, Creston Library CAP, Erikson Elementary School CAP, Canyon-Lister Elementary School CAP, Elkford Public Library CAP, Sparwood Public Library CAP, Fernie Public Library CAP, Radium Chamber of Commerce CAP, Invermere Career Seekers CAP, Kimberly College of the Rockies CAP, Kimberly Public Library CAP, Cranbrook CDFC CAP, Cranbrook Academy of Learning CAP, and Cranbrook Public Library CAP. Each one of these great sites had at least one idea for how to offer great internet oriented public service that I had not seen anywhere else, and we at The Edge have been working hard to try to blend some of these ideas into how we do things here in Edgewood.



In addition, Jean Bassett and Carlene Enge visited the Beaver Valley Public Library CAP, the Rossland Chamber of Commerce CAP, the Christina Lake, the Greenwood Museum CAP, the Lardeau Valley Community Club CAP, the Grand Forks Public Library CAP, and AFKO Net in Nelson, the Midway Public Library CAP. These site visits were part of an effort to visit all of the sites in the KootenArrow Networks before the next round of CAP funding come out, to get an idea of where our network stands in terms of meeting CAP's mandate, and to share ideas on how to better serve the public, as well as to meet face to face with people we have been communicating with electronically all year.-Perry Jones

Christmas Pictures

The Edge will have digital picture services available at the Edgewood Christmas Fair. Be sure to plan some time to get family photographs at this festive holiday event!

AFKONET Feature

The Association des francophones des Kootenays Ouest is a CAP site in Nelson that is dedicated to providing affordable Internet services to their community, in a francophone friendly environment, and to promote the language and culture of French Canada in the Kootenays. AFKONet was founded in 1986 and today boasts more than five hundred members. Its services include Internet access, library services, and cultural programs for all ages, including a preschool.

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