

The Edge

Monthly Newsletter

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COLUMBIA BASIN TRUST
YOUTH COMMITTEE

Virtual Museum
update

Youth Cyber Camp...
COMING UP!

By Bre Volansky

Back in June, the Columbia Basin Trust (CBT) sent out applications for their youth committee. I sent in my application and I was fortunate enough to be chosen as a member of this committee. The committee is made up of basin youth and meetings are held once a month at various locations around the basin. The committee is responsible for youth initiatives in the area and also reviewing and over looking the Basin Youth in Communities program and SCRATCH magazine.

If anyone would like any information on the committee and what it has to offer, come down to *The Edge* and I will fill you in!

By Jennie Jones

This month *The Edge* is proud to update our readers on the Virtual Museum! This month, we have gradually made the conversion from gathering the first wonderful bits of our history and digitizing them, to gathering them into a web format, and again to a new area of the web! Yes friends, we've had a promise of acceptance from Canada's Digital Collection, to host the Inonoaklin Valley's history in their collection!

What does this mean, you may wonder? It means we want all of the pictures, stories, and movies of the area you can find, now that we have a place to put them. Presently, you may enjoy the fruits of all our labour at:

<http://theedge.enacre.net>

To view other collections in Canada's Digital Collection:

<http://collections.ic.gc.ca>

By Kelly Settle

A youth Cyber Camp will be held on October 6th 2003. The material we will cover in the cyber camp will be basic user knowledge for the digital camera. We will also cover downloading the pictures on the computers and digitally manipulating them and printing them for your own personal pleasure.

If any youth would like to learn more about the equipment that we have at *The Edge* please feel free to come on down and sign up.



Contest!

We need logos!

For *The Edge* and the Virtual Museum

Submit entries before September 30
- the winners will receive an Out of the Woods CD and two hours of free recording or a service of your choice.

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Our hours are:

Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm and 7-9pm each night except Wednesday and Saturday when the Studio is open for music recording.

We look forward to your visit! See you soon!

Job Postings

The Edge will be hiring one Project Manager and three technical staff for the Virtual Museum project that will be funded under Canada's Digital Collections. Please have your applications in by Oct 1, 2003. Come into The Edge to get a job description.

Hooray for *The Edge!*

To bring all of our friends out there up to date, we'd like to say this:

The contribution agreements for KootenArrow Network from Industry Canada, along with the contribution agreement from Canada's Digital Collection are in the mail! That's right everyone, *The Edge* will be around for a while longer yet!

The Virtual Museum

By: Derek Nicholson

There are well over 1000 images and documents scanned into our expanding library knowledge. Our team is busy processing this information and preparing our pilot web site. We are making available samples of our work on our web site, <http://theedge.enacre.net>. Please check it out.

The research team is still in the midst of gathering material for the archives, and we would still like to hear from anyone who has a piece of Edgewood's history.

Thank you very much to all who have donated time, effort and materials, your kindness and support has made progress thus far possible.

Financial Report

By Carlene Enge

The second payment for the 2002 – 2003 funding has arrived and cheques have been issued to 38 CAP Sites within the KootenArrow Networks.

The proposal for 2003 – 2004 funding has been accepted and the contribution agreements from Industry Canada are in the mail. This year, we will be funding 51 sites. The new sites include: Trail Public Library, Nakusp Public Library, Beaver Valley Public Library and Sparwood Public Library.

Community Events

On Friday, September 19 there will be a benefit dance at the Legion for Debbie Word. There will be karaoke and a twoonie bar so come on down and show your support!

If anyone has any events to add to the newsletter, give us a call!