

Chamber News – September 20, 2010

1. New Moon Family Street Festival

- a. *Saturday, Sept 25, 11am -5pm* – RAIN OR SHINE! With close to 70 events, activities and sales promotions scattered around the downtown of Revelstoke, this is proving to be a huge grassroots event! There will be something for everyone, please plan to come down and check it out as well as talking about it to your customers and clients this week. **There will be a special insert in this week's Revelstoke Times Review with a list of all activities and the locations.**
- b. *New Moon "Golden Ticket"* – **Don't forget to purchase your "New Moon Golden Ticket"** and take advantage of all the free samples, giveaways and more! Proceeds from the sale of the ticket go towards covering the cost of this event. If we sell enough, we can do this all again next year! Tickets are available from the following participating Chamber members:

~ Style Trend ~ Free Spirit Sports ~ Inspiration ~ Sangha
Bean ~ Castle Joe Books ~ Escape Within ~ The Village Idiot ~
Chantilly Kitchen, Bed N' Bath ~ Dollar Dollar ~
Conversations ~ WK Gardens ~ Bad Paul's ~ Pure Studios ~
The Cabin ~ Spice O' Life ~ The River City Pub ~ Crescendo
~ The Last Drop ~ Main Street Café ~ Nectar Tea Bar ~ Little
Caesar's ~ Mountain Meals ~

2. Movie Filming in Downtown Revelstoke – Monday, September 27 AND Tuesday, September 28

- a. Please be advised that the City of Revelstoke has given permission for a production company to undertake filming for a new movie in parts of downtown Revelstoke on the above noted dates.
- b. There will be partial street closures of Mackenzie Avenue between Victoria Road and Second Street AND between Track Street and Maple Street. As well First Street will be closed between Mackenzie Avenue and Orton Avenue. These closures will be for short periods from 6am-12pm AND 1pm-6pm both days.
- c. For more information contact Alan Mason at 837-5345

3. Business Excellence Awards – Saturday, November 6

- a. *Nominations* – **Nomination forms will be made available online starting October 1st.** Nominations will be open for 3 weeks. Stay tuned for further information.

- b. *Tickets* – Tickets for the event will be released the week of October 4th.

4. New Chamber Committees

During the Chamber Strategic Planning Sessions, the Board of Directors has created 2 committees to proactively approach issues facing our membership. Committees will meet as often as they deem necessary and will help guide the leadership and advocacy of the Chamber of Commerce. **If you have wanted to get more involved with the Chamber, this is an excellent opportunity!** Please continue reading for more info.

- a. *Governance Committee*: This committee will be responsible for tackling issues related to Municipal, Provincial and Federal affairs. In the coming months, the committee will be strategizing on how to effectively lobby the City of Revelstoke to lower Commercial Taxes! If you are interested in joining the committee or providing input, please contact the Chair

- i. Chair of Governance Committee – Brydon Roe

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- b. *Membership Committee*: This committee will be responsible for organizing networking and social events as well as developing ways to bring in new members and retain our existing members. If you are interested in this committee, please contact the Chair

- i. Chair of Membership Committee – Lesley

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