

Riverboat Days 2010

Schedule of Events

(as of July 31)

Ongoing Exhibits during Riverboat Days

Terrace Art Gallery' Members Show continues throughout August in the Art Gallery, downstairs in the library building.

Heritage Park unveils a new **"Terrace at War"** exhibit, featuring artifacts and stories of local men and women's experience in wartime. More information at www.heritageparkmuseum.com

House of Carvers, located in the 4600 block Lazelle Avenue will be hosting through August a fine arts exhibit featuring the works of local First Nations graduates of the **Freda Diesing School of Northwest Coast Art**.

Visit the **Skeena Mall Community Room**, July 26 to August 9, from 1pm to 4pm, for a display of Terrace and area historical artifacts plus occasional entertainment. The display, assembled by Yvonne & Friends, includes photographs, posters and models of historical buildings of Terrace.

Friday, July 30

Crimestoppers "Jail & Bail"

Sponsors: Terrace Crimestoppers, Astral Media, Terrace RCMP

Time: 11:00 am to 2:00 pm

Place: Astral Media Parking Lot (4625 Lazelle Avenue)

Did someone do a "crime" which needs to be corrected with some jail time? You could arrange for a visit from the RCMP and have this person brought in for fun in Crimestopper's Jail & Bail. (\$30 recommended as a minimum donation for bail.)

2010 Riverboat Days Opening Ceremonies

Sponsors: City of Terrace

Time: 7:00 pm

Place: Spirit Square, (George Little Memorial Park)
Gather under the Big Tent for the official opening of Riverboat Days 2010. There will be a sampling of the musical talent this area has to offer and introduction of this year's Riverboat Days Captain and Queen.

Opening Reception - August Art Exhibition

Sponsors: Terrace Art Association

Time: 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Place: Terrace Art Gallery (Terrace Library, 4610 Park Avenue)

Fees: no charge

This is opening night of the Art Gallery's annual members' show. Whether it is paint, pottery or mixed media, you'll be inspired by the creativity of local artists. Then come back next Friday evening for the "Name the Artist" fund-raising auction of "mini-masterpieces" contributed by local artists and celebrities.

"From the Garden" - Live Band

Sponsors: Boston Pizza, Molson Canadian

Time: 8:00 pm to 11:00 pm

Place: Boston Pizza (4924 Highway 16 West)

Fees: no charge

It's Friday night and the band "From the Garden" will be playing at Boston Pizza. Come and sit outside in the smoking/non-smoking patios and enjoy cold drink specials.

3 on 3 Basketball

Sponsor: Pizza Hut, CFNR Network

Dates: July 30 to August 1

Times: to be determined

Place: Pizza Hut (4665 Lazelle)

Pizza Hut and CFNR are bringing 3 on 3 Basketball to Riverboat Days 2010. There's a competition for just about any age group--from Coed kindergarten & Grade 1 to Senior Women and Masters. The hoops will be waiting for you on Lazelle Avenue beside Pizza Hut, Friday through Sunday. For registration and rules visit Pizza Hut or download from www.riverboatdays.ca. Please register by July 27. Half the proceeds are for charity: the REM Lee Hospital Foundation and Jim Ciccone Memorial Bursary.

Mixed Slo-Pitch Tournament

Sponsor: CK Advertising Solutions

Dates: July 30 to August 2

Time: 7:00 pm, Friday, all day Saturday, Sunday & Monday
Place: Riverside Park, Rotary Kerr Field and Thornhill Regional Field. Schedule posted at Riverside Park.
Home Run Derby to be held Saturday evening. Limited camping is available for out of town teams at Riverside Park. For tournament registration information call Carl Goodall at (250) 615-1147 or info@ckadvertisingsolutions.com

Saturday, July 31

Happy Gang Pancake Breakfast

Sponsor: BC Old Age Pensioners Organization Branch 73

Time: 8:00 am to 11:00 am

Place: Happy Gang Centre, 3226 Kalum Street

Fees: Adults: \$5, Half-Order: \$3

A Terrace tradition is to attend the Happy Gang Centre's pancake breakfasts held the first Saturday of the month—but it's extra special when it's Riverboat Days. You've got a full day of Riverboat Days events ahead of you, so start the morning off right with pancakes, eggs, bacon, sausages, coffee, tea and juice.

Farmers Market

Sponsor: Skeena Valley Farmers Market

Time: 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Place: Spirit Square (George Little Memorial Park)

One of BC's most successful farmers markets for nearly two decades, the Skeena Valley Market relocated in 2010 to be the cornerstone of the new Spirit Square. Fresh produce, baked goods, crafts and music draw huge numbers of locals every Saturday morning from May to October.

Mixed Slo-Pitch Tournament

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Dates: July 30 to August 2

Time: Continues all day Saturday, Sunday & Monday

Place: Riverside Park, Rotary Kerr Field and Thornhill Regional Field.

Tonight's the night for the Home Run Derby taking place at Riverside. Stay on later for a great view of the fireworks. See July 30 for event details.

4th Annual Riverboat Days Paintball Tournament

Sponsors: Canadian Tire, Ideal Paintball

Dates: July 31 and August 1

Times: Players Meeting 9:30 am; Games Start 10:00 am (subject to change)

Place: rear of Canadian Tire, 5100 Highway 16 West

Entry Fees: \$30 per person + the cost of paint (3 player teams)

If you are not going to participate it will be fun to watch. This "Speedball" tournament is organized to accommodate all levels of play. Young Guns is for players with little or no experience (Division 4); Top Guns is for players with experience (Divisions 2/3). It's messy but most entertaining. For information on entering a team, contact Ideal Paintball at 250 615-7082 (www.idealpaintball.net). Registration forms are available at Canadian Tire. (Check out the Celebrity Paintball Match starting at 1:00 pm, Sunday.)

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Dates: July 30 to August 1

Times: to be determined

Place: Pizza Hut (4665 Lazelle)

3 on 3 Basketball comes to Riverboat Days for 2010! See July 30 for details.

Riverboat Days Legion Parade & Family

Barbecue

Sponsor: Royal Canadian Legion Branch 13

Time: 11:00 am

The annual Riverboat Days Parade is one of the highlights of the festivities and a delight for local people and visitors alike. The 2010 parade theme is "Bridging the Generations." The parade starts at City Hall on Lakelse Avenue and travels east to end at the Legion. All are invited to gather afterwards at the Legion for a great barbecue and announcement of the winning parade entries. Your \$5 gets you a hamburger, drink and chips. Come support local veterans. (Road closures in effect downtown. Bus routes will be altered.)

Burger Eating Contest

Sponsors: Boston Pizza, Molson Canadian

Time: 11:00 am

Place: Boston Pizza (4924 Highway 16 West)

Fees: \$10 for Age Groups 10-15 and 15+; \$5 for Age Group 5-10.

Yes it is a mini-burger eating contest held in one minute intervals. Competition in three Age Groups: 5 -10 years old, 10-15 and 15 plus. Prizes donated by Molson.

Skeena Valley Cruizers Car Show & Valve Cover Race

Sponsor: Skeena Valley Cruizers

Time: 12 noon to 4:00 pm

Place: Terrace Sportsplex

Fees: No admission fee; \$10 to enter a vehicle
Immaculate paint, brilliant chrome and lots of shine--come and enjoy the patient and painstaking work of car hobbyists from across the northwest. And this year Alice Cooper's "Billion Dollar Baby" is up for viewing. Plus an added attraction is the 1st annual Valve Cover Race. Check www.skeenavalleycruizers for rules on how you can build a racer--with no propulsion, no more than 10 lbs and not longer than 30". Should be easy. Right!?

Concerts in the Park

Sponsors: CFNR Classic Rock, Sight & Sound Audiotronic, Hawkair, Chances - Terrace, Enbridge Northern Gateway Pipelines, Dairy Queen, Silvertip Promotions, Creative Zone

Time: 12 noon to approx. 9:00 pm.

(Featured band Headpins is scheduled for Saturday at approx. 7:00 pm)

Place: George Little Memorial Park

All you have to think about is bringing a lawn chair, blanket, sunscreen and sunglasses, because it is a full day of entertainment at George Little Park. Concerts in the Park is a showcase of the northwest's most talented bands. And thanks to the sponsors and hard-working organizers, it's all free. Look for the full Concerts Program at www.riverboatdays.ca. Food, refreshments and children's activities will be available from a variety of vendors.

Skeena Diversity Society Potluck

Sponsor: Skeena Diversity Society

Time: 6:00 pm

Place: Skeena Diversity Society Centre, 4617 Lazelle Avenue

Fees: No charge but please bring a dish to share.

Come and join in on Skeena Diversity's Monthly Potluck Dinner and presentation. This month's theme is First Nations history of our territory. Come taste authentic cultural food and listen to stories from elders. Please bring a dish to share.

Terrace Speedway Auto Racing

Sponsors: Terrace Stock Car Association, Jock's Excavating

Time: Time Trials: 6:00 pm, Racing: 7:00 pm

Place: Terrace Speedway

(follow the signs on Queensway Drive in Thornhill)

Fees: (cash only) Adult \$8.00; Student & Seniors \$5.00; Family \$20.00; Kids 7 and under Free

The only paved oval in northwestern BC. The drivers always put on an exciting night of racing. You can see the fireworks near the Old Skeena Bridge on your way back to Terrace after the races. For more info visit the website at www.terrace Speedway.ca.

Headpins - Concerts in the Park Headline Act

Sponsors: CFNR Classic Rock, Sight & Sound Audiotronic, Hawkair, Chances - Terrace, Enbridge Northern Gateway Pipelines, Dairy Queen, Silvertip Promotions, Creative Zone

Time: approx. 7:00 pm

Place: George Little Memorial Park

It all started with one of the biggest selling debut albums in Canadian rock history. "Turn it Loud" was released in 1982; yet Headpins endures as one of the west coast's hottest bands. Songs like "Don't Stand in the Line of Fire" and "Don't it Make Ya Feel" earned their place in Canadian rock through strong guitar work and the remarkable voice of lead singer Darby Mills. "Heralded as having one of the most powerful set of pipes in the business, her growl was matched only by her purr" (www.headpins.net). Headpins are renowned for their on-stage energy. And we have them live at George Little Park on July 31.

Fireworks Extravaganza

Sponsors: City of Terrace/Terrace Fire Department

Time: 11:00 pm

Place: Ferry Island (north end)

What a way to end the day and what a setting overlooking the Skeena River! Fireworks light the sky. Road closures are in effect on and near the Old Skeena Bridge. (If postponed by weather the fireworks will be held Sunday evening. We will try to provide a status report at www.riverboatdays.ca.)

Sunday, August 1

Mr. Mikes Beach Blast Volleyball "10"

Sponsors: Mr. Mikes Steakhouse and Bar, 4 Sure Automotive, Terrace Totem Ford, National Car, Hawkair, Shames Mountain, Skeena Valley Expeditions, Westpoint Rentals, Compusmart, Ruins Board Shop, Canadian Tire, All Seasons Source for Sports, McBike, Okanagan Springs, Rona, Bert's Deli, Totem Press, Northern Savings Credit Union, ProVac, Norburd RV, CK Advertising Solutions, City of Terrace

Dates: August 1 and 2

Time: 9:00 a.m. start Sunday & Monday

Place: Mr. Mike's parking lot (Lakelse Avenue)

Fees: \$20 per participant per category

Where once there was a parking lot, there's suddenly a beach. And it's time for beach volleyball! Significant cash and draw prizes this year. Competition in three categories: 4 on 4 (must have one female), 2 on 2 Open, and, new this year, 3 on 3 female only. Registration information available at Mr. Mike's and at www.riverboatdays.ca. Please register by July 30.

"Hot August Nites" Drag Racing

Sponsors: Terrace Drag Race Association

Dates: August 1 and 2

Time: Racing: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm (subject to change)

Place: Northwest Regional Airport

Fees: \$10 for adults and students; 12 & under and seniors are free.

Two full days of loud and fast 1/8th mile drag racing--featuring, a "Quick 8" competition among the fastest 8 cars. And come witness NitroMike in his spectacular tricked out '06 PT Cruiser "Walking Tall." Look for more details at www.terracedrags.ca.

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Place: Riverside Park, Rotary Kerr Field and Thornhill Regional Field.

See July 30 for more details.

Riverboat Days Paintball Tournament

Sponsors: Canadian Tire, Ideal Paintball

Dates: July 31 and August 1

Times: Players Meeting 9:30 am; Games Start 10:00 am (subject to change)

Place: Canadian Tire, 5100 Highway 16 West
Paint will be splattered for a second day at the Paintball Field behind Canadian Tire. Celebrity event today at 1:00pm. See Saturday's schedule for more details.

3 on 3 Basketball

Sponsor: Pizza Hut, CFNR Network

Dates: July 30 to August 1

Times: to be determined

Place: Pizza Hut (4665 Lazelle)

3 on 3 Basketball comes to Riverboat Days for 2010! See July 30 for details.

Flea Market

Sponsor: George Little House

Time: 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Place: George Little House, 3100 Kalum Street

Fees: \$10 for a vendor space

Purchase unique finds on treasure laden tables or come and sell treasures to anxious buyers. Every Sunday through the summer, outside the grand restored home of the Founder of Terrace.

Fast Lane Road Hockey Challenge

Sponsors: Fast Lane Tire and Auto Center

Time: 10:00 am to 7:00 pm

Place: Terrace Totem Ford, 4631 Keith Avenue

Fees: \$50 registration per team (6 player teams)

In summer we take hockey to the street. For Riverboat Days it's the always popular 4 on 4 road hockey tournament outside at Totem Ford. Multiple divisions at various age groupings. Registrations available from Fast Lane at Totem Ford or for more info call Joanne or Kevin at 635-4984. Prizes, refreshments and a barbecue provided.

Church in the Park

Sponsors: Terrace Ministerial Association, the churches of Terrace

Time: 11:00 am to noon

Place: George Little Memorial Park

The churches of Terrace are offering a time featuring a mix of contemporary and traditional gospel music. There will be a service of song, prayer, Scripture, children's lesson and a brief meditation commencing at 11:00 am.

Sunday Music in the Park

Sponsors: Copper Mountain Music

Time: noon to approx. 4:00 pm

Place: George Little Memorial Park

Starting with Debbie Toovey singing a selection of gospel songs followed performances by Copper Mountain Music, it will be great afternoon to for music in the park.

11th Annual Ruins Skateboard Competition

Sponsors: Ruins Board Shop, Circa Footwear, Dakine, Matix

Time: registration at noon; competition starts at 1:00 pm

Place: Skateboard Park (behind Terrace Sportsplex)

Fees: \$10 registration fee

Come watch the tricks, spins and jumps that elevate skateboarding from a pastime to a skill sport. Competitions in 13 & under, 14 - 17, Open and Women's Open. For further information contact Ruins at 635-9404. Always a crowd-pleaser.

"Buckets" vs. "Bullets" - Celebrity Paintball Challenge

Sponsors: Canadian Tire, Ideal Paintball

Time: 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm

Place: Canadian Tire Paintball Field

Good thing they do this inside a big cage. The "Buckets" (local firefighters) do battle with the "Bullets" (the RCMP) in a challenge paintball match. Come for lunch and watch the fun!

Slingers Race

Sponsor: Northern Motor Inn

Time: 1:00 pm

Place: Northern Motor Inn, Highway 16, Thornhill
Pride is on the line for the waiters and waitresses of Terrace. as they try to navigate the course and not spill their tray of beverages. Laughs are guaranteed at this long-standing event in Riverboat Days. This year in addition to the racing there will be a dunk tank and other games and activities.

Monday, August 2

Mr. Mikes Beach Blast Volleyball “10”

Sponsors: see August 1

Dates: August 1 and 2

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Mr. Mike's parking lot (Lakelse Avenue)

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Place: Riverside Park, Rotary Kerr Field and Thornhill Regional Field.

Tournament finals today at Riverside.

“Hot August Nites” Drag Racing

Sponsors: Terrace Drag Race Association

Dates: August 1 and 2

Time: Racing: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm (subject to change)

Place: Northwest Regional Airport

Fees: \$10 for adults and students; 12 & under and seniors are free.

Day two of drag racing. Look for more details at www.terracedrags.ca.

Kitselas Canyon National Historic Site Tours

Sponsors: Kitselas First Nation

Time: 9:00 am, 12 noon & 3:00 pm

Place: Approx. 20 km east of Terrace on Highway 16 at Gitaus; across from Kleanza Subdivision.

Fees: by donation

Kitselas Canyon is the traditional home of the Kitselas people, a location of important First Nations and pioneer history and becoming a centre of a major cultural tourism development. Learn more about the people and place, visit the longhouses and walk the interpretive trail to the canyon at today's 3 Open House Tours.

Skeena Valley Model Railroad Open House

Sponsor: Skeena Valley Model Railroad Association

Time: 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Place: Old CNR passenger railcar (Highway 16 west, Grand Trunk Pathway)

Fees: by donation

One of the great treasures of Terrace is found in the old railcar along the Millennium Pathway. Watch the trains run

between Terrace and Prince Rupert, and to Kitimat, in this remarkable “HO” scale model railroad re-creation of the CN Skeena Subdivision. Very popular for young and old.

Uplands Pond Tour

Sponsor: Uplands Nursery Inc.

Time: 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

Place: various locations

Fees: \$10 per person

Get inspired to renovate your garden by visiting backyard ponds in Terrace and Kitimat. A map showing all the pond locations open for viewing is provided at the time your tickets are purchased. Self-guided tour. Tickets for sale at Uplands Nursery, 4628 Park Avenue. Photo i.d. required at time of purchase.

The Great Rotary Wild Duck Race

Sponsors: Rotary Club of Terrace, MacCarthy Motors, Hawkair, Canada Safeway, Canadian Tire

Time: 1:00 pm

Place: Ferry Island

It's the grand finale of the annual Rotary Duck Race. Thousands of yellow ducks will leap from a helicopter into the west channel of the Skeena River and race under the bridge to finish at Ferry Island. If you've bought your \$10 ticket, you might win a MacCarthy Motors 2010 Chevrolet Cobalt valued at \$17,020 (or take \$10,00 cash), Hawkair return tickets for two to Vancouver, or \$500 gift cards from Canada Safeway or Canadian Tire.

Ferry Island Interpretive Walk

Sponsor: Skeena Network of Forest Professionals

Dates: August 2 to 4

Time: 7:00 pm

Place: Ferry Island (meet at the Rotary Playground)

Fees: no charge

Here's a chance to appreciate in a completely new way one of Terrace's favourite places. Forest professionals (Registered Professional Foresters and Registered Forest Technologists) will be leading tours on Ferry Island, explaining the natural resources on the island, identifying trees and plants, and revealing evidence of logging from days gone by. An added feature this year is a plant/tree identification scavenger tour. The 1.5 hour walk is suitable for all age groups, so make it a family outing.

Tuesday, August 3

Youth Painting Workshop & Exhibit

Sponsor: Wilp Simgan Carving Studio

Dates: Workshop: Aug 3 to 5; Exhibit: Aug 6 & 7

Time: 11:00 am to 4:00 pm

Place: Wilp Simgan Carving Shed, 3100 Kalum Street

Fees: Workshop: \$25, (Terrace Nisga'a Society will sponsor Terrace Nisga'a members); Exhibit: by donation

The Wilp Simgan Carving Studio, located in the George Little House, is offering a three day painting workshop for youth between the ages of 10 and 18. The youth will learn the basics of Northwest Coast First Nations Art and paint their designs. On Friday and Saturday, the public is invited to tour the carving shed and enjoy an exhibition of works produced in the workshop. For workshop information contact Todd Stephens at 635-8668.

Children's Pioneer Crafts Workshops

Sponsors: Heritage Park Museum, Clay Artists of Terrace Society

Dates: August 3 to 5

Time: 12 noon to 3:00 pm

Place: Heritage Park Museum, 4702 Kerby Road

Fees: \$15 per child/workshop

New this year, the Clay Artists of Terrace are bringing hands on instruction in painting and firing pottery to these arts and crafts workshops. Ideal for children ages 5 to 12. These workshops involve fun craftwork such as paper-making, plus time for games. Snacks provided too. Please register in advance for any number of workshops, as space is limited. Adult accompaniment is encouraged. Phone 635-4546 or email heritageparkmuseum@gmail.com.

Artists in Motion

Sponsor: Terrace Riverboat Days Society

Time: noon to 4:00 pm

Place: Old Esso Site (corner of Emerson Street and Lakelse Avenue)

Fees: no charge

Local artists will make this empty city lot come alive by setting up their easels and tables and creating art. Take time this afternoon to wander by to appreciate the enthusiasm and talent of our local artists.

Skeena Mall Water Balloon Competition

Sponsor: Skeena Mall

Time: 2:00 pm

Place: Skeena Mall

Fees: no charge but please call 635-2546 to register 5 to 10 year olds.

Catapults, water balloons and Hoola Hoops for targets, the perfect combination for fun! Prizes in several different categories. Good old wet water fun.

Ferry Island Interpretive Walk

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Dates: August 2 to 4

Time: 7:00 pm

Place: Ferry Island (meet at the Rotary Playground)

Fees: no charge

An interpretive walking tour of Ferry Island. See Monday, August 2 for details.

Wednesday, August 4

Youth Painting Workshop & Exhibit

Sponsor: Wilp Simgan Carving Studio

Dates: Workshop: Aug 3 to 5; Exhibit: Aug 6 & 7

Time: 11:00 am to 4:00 pm

Place: George Little House, 3100 Kalum Street

Fees: Workshop: \$25; Exhibit: by donation

Youth carving workshop continues. (See August 3 for details.)

The Serendipity Circus Youth Show

Sponsor: City of Terrace, Leisure Services, SPARC Program

Time: 11:30 am to 12:30 pm

Place: Spirit Square; George Little Park

Fees: no charge

SPARC, the summer program in arts, recreation and culture presents "The Serendipity Circus." A fun, family show featuring music, drama, magic and comedy! Bring your lunch; enjoy the show.

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Place: Ferry Island (meet at the Rotary Playground)

Fees: no charge

An interpretive walking tour of Ferry Island. See Monday, August 2 for details.

Thursday, August 5

Youth Painting Workshop & Exhibit

Sponsor: Wilp Simgan Carving Studio

Dates: Workshop: Aug 3 to 5; Exhibit: Aug 6 & 7

Time: 11:00 am to 4:00 pm

Place: George Little House, 3100 Kalum Street

Fees: Workshop: \$25; Exhibit: by donation

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Kiddies Bike Parade

Sponsor: Skeena Mall Merchants

Time: 2:00 pm

Place: Skeena Mall

Fees: no charge but please call 635-2546 to register.

For children 8 and under a chance to show off their decorated bikes, wagons or anything else on wheels. Prizes, ribbons and fun for all!

Friday, August 6

Youth Painting Workshop & Exhibit

Sponsor: Wilp Simgan Carving Studio

Dates: Workshop: Aug 3 to 5; Exhibit: Aug 6 & 7

Time: 11:00 am to 4:00 pm

Place: George Little House, 3100 Kalum Street

Fees: Exhibit: by donation

On Friday and Saturday, the public is invited to tour the carving shed and enjoy an exhibition of works produced in the three day workshop held earlier in the week.

Riverside Festival

Sponsors: Northwest BC Metis Association, Terrace Metis Elders Society

Dates: August 6 to 8

Times: 4:00 pm, Friday; 10:00 am, Saturday;
10:00 am to 4:00 pm, Sunday

Place: "Har-Lee's Place" – 14km north on Kalum Lake Drive

Fees: Weekend Pass: \$30 per person advance;
\$35 at the gate.

Day rates: Friday: \$10; Saturday: \$20; Sunday: \$10

Children 12 and under are free

The very popular Riverside Festival is all about music-- and music of many styles. There will be Metis & Old Style fiddling, classic country, rock, bluegrass and gospel music. Check out www.coppermountainmusic.ca to see who is scheduled this year. On site camping, food concessions and vendors will be available. Open mic Saturday and Sunday. Sunday morning will start with a gospel hour.

"Name the Artist" Art Auction

Sponsors: Terrace Art Association

Time: 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Place: Terrace Art Gallery
(Terrace Library, 4610 Park Avenue)

Is there another Picasso among us? Local celebrities and artists have been diligently producing "mini-masterpieces" of art on 6" x 6" canvases. The colourful results will be on display in July at Cafenara coffee house and in the Library foyer. The artworks will be up for auction at the Art Gallery on August 6 or one can place a silent bid in advance at Cafenara. This is a fun, fund-raiser for the Terrace Art Gallery.

Saturday, August 7

Terrace 3-Breed Horse Show

Sponsors: Totem Saddle Club, Spotted Horse Farm & Nursery

Dates: Aug 7 & 8

Time: start time 8:00 am

Place: Thornhill Community Grounds

The Totem Saddle Club is hosting two days of equestrian events. Horse riding events include Western & English plus trail courses.

Farmers Market

Sponsor: Skeena Valley Farmers Market

Time: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Place: Spirit Square (George Little Memorial Park)

The best community farmers market in northern British Columbia. This is where the locals congregate every Saturday morning to buy local produce, foodstuffs and crafts. It's August--time to enjoy the harvest.

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Riverside Festival

Sponsors: see August 6

Dates: August 6 to 8

Times: 10:00 am, Saturday

Place: "Har-Lee's Place" – 14km north on Kalum Lake Drive

Fees: Weekend Pass: \$30 per person advance; \$35 at the gate

Day rates: Friday: \$10; Saturday: \$20; Sunday: \$10

Children 12 and under are free

Check out www.coppermountainmusic.ca for program information. See Friday, August 8 for more details.

Terrace Rod & Gun/Terrace Whiskey Jack Archers

Open House

Sponsor: Terrace Rod & Gun Club

Time: 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

Place: 3512 Rifle Range Road, Thornhill

Fees: no charge

The Rod & Gun Club and the Whiskey Jack Archers are holding an Open House at the much improved facilities in Thornhill. There will be hands on demonstrations of firearms and archery equipment, including small bore rifle & pistol shooting, and trap shooting. The canteen will be open too.

The Tastes of Terrace

Sponsor: Skeena Diversity Society

Time: 2:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Place: various downtown restaurants

Fees: \$10 per person

In a few short years, this has become one of Riverboat Days' most popular events. Celebrate the "Tastes of Terrace" by taking a delicious tour of Terrace's diverse food and cultures. Participating restaurants will be offering sample fare to those on the tour. Maps can be purchased until 1pm on event day at the Farmers Market. Tickets also on sale at Misty River Books and the Skeena Diversity Society office on Lazelle Avenue. Walk, taste, enjoy!

Sunday, August 8

Terrace 3-Breed Horse Show

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Time: start time 8:00 am

Place: Thornhill Community Grounds

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Place: George Little House, 3100 Kalum Street

Fees: \$10 for a vendor space

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Food & Flower Garden Tour

Sponsors: Women & Development Society, Cambria Gordon Ltd.

Time: 11:00 am to 4:00 pm

Place: Map guided tour.

Fees: \$12 per person; under 11 free. Tickets with maps available at Misty River Books and Sidewalkers.

Being "north" doesn't mean one can't create beautiful and abundant gardens. Enjoy a tour of Terrace's finest food and flower gardens this summer Sunday afternoon. All proceeds support communities in the developing world. Bring a friend, bring the family and get inspired!

