

LOCAL EVENTS CALENDAR

Toby Keith In Concert

W/ Aaron Pritchett and Jessie Ferrell
Sunday October 5th 7:00pm
CN Centre
614.9100 or ticketmaster.ca

Extreme Fighting Challenge VI

Saturday October 11th 6:00pm
CN Centre
614.9100 or ticketmaster.ca

Citizen of the Year

Friday October 17th 6:00pm
Coast Inn of the North
Organizer: PG Community Foundation

West of the Rockies Pro Rodeo

Friday October 17th to Sunday 19th
CN Centre
Patti 250.998.4645 for more info

West of the Rockies Rodeo Dance

Saturday October 18th 9:00pm
Roll-A-Dome ~ Tickets \$20
614.9100 or ticketmaster.ca

Dance North Halloween Ball

Saturday October 25th 8:00pm
Connaught Youth Centre
565.8888 or jmahaffey@shaw.ca

Bigfoot Monster Madness

Saturday October 25th 2:00 & 7:00pm
CN Centre
614.9100 or ticketmaster.ca

Spooktacular Halloween Haunt

Saturday October 25th
Huble Homestead
564.7033 for more information

PHOTOS FROM EQUINE DENTAL HEALTH MONTH



Fury Cronshaw



Rio Cronshaw



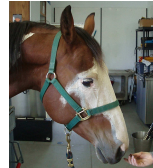
Opal Mooney



Allez Peterson



Nimble Peterson



Paint Mare Dunn



Belle Dunn



Peggy Senechal



Bugs Knickle



Cricket Chance



Woody Wiens



Blue Chance

A BIG THANKS TO ALL OF OUR CLIENTS THAT PARTICIPATED IN DENTAL HEALTH MONTH ☺

Congratulations to Bugs Knickle, winner of the equine first aid kit and grooming set!

PHOTOS MISSING:

- Cynda Seaton
- Sanchez Seaton
- Bonita Lewis
- Elation Lewis
- Robbie Preston
- Suzie Preston
- Sundae Martin
- Audrey Wilson

JOIN US IN NOVEMBER FOR...

...SENIOR'S MONTH

During the month of November, you and your canine or feline companion are invited to participate in Senior's Month? If over the age of 7, book today and save 20% on a complete exam, blood work and urinalysis. Receive a free bag of recommended food and take home your pets own personalized wellness report and more!

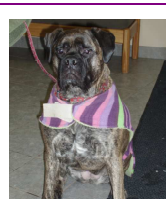
The health and happiness of our patients and a rewarding relationship with you is of utmost importance to us! We continually strive to provide you and your pet with quality service and special promotions to better meet your pet's individual and unique needs.

Senior care is important. Our pets are precious family members and we must strive to recognize the change in their needs, which is crucial to improving and increasing their quality of life.

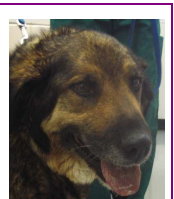
Pets develop different nutritional and health care requirements as they age. Ailments common with growing older include diabetes, arthritis, kidney and thyroid disease; digestive and dental problems, heart and lung disease; immune system problems and cancer.

Book today to make sure that you and your pets stay on the road to wellness!

See you soon!



Some of our Senior Visitors from 2007



Extending Our Thanks for A Very Successful 15 Years!

Within the heart of our business beats our dedicated, hard working, irreplaceable staff. Within the veins of our business flow our devoted clientele and the hundreds of special patients we see each year. For the past fifteen years, Dr. Murdoch has focused on and strived to successfully meet the unique needs of each patient and client that walks through our doors. Many years ago she set out to open an animal hospital boasting a healthy work environment, long-term happy employees and the utmost satisfied clientele. On behalf of the staff here at the clinic, we thank Dr. Murdoch for the opportunity to work in such a great veterinary hospital with excellent opportunities and great team morale. On behalf of all of us here we thank you, our clients and patients, for bringing joy into our lives and providing us the experience to learn and grow and be the best that we can be! Cheers to 15 more years!

Manager's Message...

During your next visit with one of our doctors, be sure to fill out our monthly draw form for your chance to win a small gift. Draws will take place at the end of each month and begin anew at the beginning of the following month. Winners will be announced in the newsletter. Prizes will include such items as equine fly bait, canine/feline pet beds, canine/feline hypoallergenic treats and more!

This time of year is beautiful... Soaking up warm, soothing sunshine during the day... Resting on the porch curled in a blanket with a steamy cup of tea in the evening... Horseback riding through rusted orange leaf covered trails... Scents of clover sweetening the air... ☺

WE WANT TO KNOW WHAT YOU KNOW . . . !

Heard any really good, long lasting, gut wrenching, bend-ya-over kinda jokes lately? Read any inspiring "that is so true" sayings or quotes you'd like to share with others? Have a success story you'd love to let somebody in on and possibly bring them a smile?

I want to know. Email me at main@murdochvet.com
Don't forget to visit our website www.murdochvet.com to learn more about our services, read about our staff members and see our past and present newsletters...

What you might like to know about "Rat Poisoning In Dogs" Rodenticide is a poison intended to kill rodents. Rodenticides are a category of pest control chemicals known as anticoagulants that effectively block the said animal's Vitamin K cycle and destroy its blood clotting ability. Pest control chemicals include first generation and second generation anticoagulation agents. Second generations are much more toxic than first. First generation agents often require higher concentration and continual ingestion to take effect. Second generation agents (baits) are most often lethal after a single ingestion and prove to be effective even on those rodents resistant to first generation agents.

There are many misconceived notions that rodenticide ingested by dogs will cause vomiting due to an attack of the stomach. However, there may be no vomiting at all. In fact, the symptoms of such poisoning may be extremely subtle and if missed, exceedingly deadly! Some dog owners having been unfortunate enough to experience rodenticide poisoning have claimed to witness only slight coughing, not enough for concern. Others have witnessed bloody stool, bloody urine, blood streaming from the nose and/or blood around their gums.

Vitamin K₁ has been successfully used for both pets and humans as an antidote to treat anticoagulant poisoning. In some cases, a complete blood transfusion is necessary. If you believe your dog may have ingested poison, contact your veterinarian immediately.

VISIT OUR RETAIL SECTION...

Oatmeal and Aloe Shampoo great for dogs and horses

SWAT Fly Repellent Cream to keep wounds clean and flies out

Ectospray to stop and kill those pesky bugs

Horse Dewormer Quest Plus, Quest, Equalan, Panacur & more

Pill Poppers for regular administration of medication

Leashes and Collars, Halti's and Seat Belts for your pet's safety

MediCal Royal Canin and Hill's Prescription diets

Hypoallergenic Dog & Cat Treats we have free samples☺

Breathalyser water additive for bad breath

Toothbrushes and Toothpaste for your pet's dental needs

Ear Cleaning Solution for those avid swimmers

Toe Nail Trimmers and Bloodstop powder for those 'oops' trims

...IF WE DON'T HAVE WHAT YOU NEED - JUST ASK!

Closed: Monday October 13th ~ Tuesday November 11th ~ December 25th, 26th, 27th

DR. CHRISTINE MURDOCH, Owner & Veterinarian

DR. JODYNE GREEN, Associate Veterinarian

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