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**TUESDAY**  
12:00 pm/Open: Joy of Living Group  
305 Wood Street (Back Entrance)  
7:00 pm/Closed: Juste pour aujourd'hui (en français)  
205 Black Street  
8:00 pm/Closed: Ugly Ducklings Group  
Hellaby Hall – 4th & Elliott Street

**WEDNESDAY**  
12:00 pm/Open: Joy of Living Group  
305 Wood Street (Back Entrance)  
8:00 pm/Closed: No Puffin Group,  
Hellaby Hall – 4th & Elliott Street  
8:00 pm/Closed: Porter Creek Step Group, Our Lady of Victory Church, 1607 Birch St., Porter Creek

**THURSDAY**  
12:00 pm/Open: Joy of Living Group  
305 Wood Street (Back Entrance)  
7:30 pm/Open: Polar Group, Zoom Room  
- contact aapolargroup@gmail.com

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12:00 pm/Open: Joy of Living Group  
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1:30 pm/Open: Yukon Unity Group, Zoom Room  
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1:00 pm/Open: Detox Meeting, Zoom Room  
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- 4th & Elliott Street

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(June 24)

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(June 24)

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(June 25)

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(June 25)

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**COMING EVENTS****ARTIST IN THE Window**, artists will demonstrate their practice in the gallery window, 4129-4th Avenue Wednesday-Friday, 11am-2pm, Detailed schedule at [yaaw.com](http://yaaw.com)**BUSINESSES IMPACTED BY COVID-19** can apply to the PIVOT program for support. Innovation and Entrepreneurship is taking applications until June 30th. Learn more at [yukonu.ca/PIVOT](http://yukonu.ca/PIVOT).**KCIBR SPECIAL MEETING** to approve revised bylaws July 6th via online meeting. E-mail at [Ken@kcibr.org](mailto:Ken@kcibr.org) or 332-7592 for meeting invite.**WHITEHORSE AA MEETINGS** are held daily. Call 1-833-985-6622 for a meeting schedule.**ESCARPMENT PARKS SOCIETY AGM** July 16th, 5:30pm at Cook Street Park, socially distant field gathering, lets talk trails, bbq snacks. All welcome. Call 393-2977 for info.**GARAGE SALES****RIVERDALE****2 VANGORDA PLACE** Sat. June 27th & Sunday June 28th, 9am-7pm. Outdoor trees & shrubs only, northern Tamarack, purple lilacs, birch & much*Get rid of that old computer!  
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Child & Family Liaison Worker

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Department: Justice

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Department: Administration

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Yukon Water Board – Application Notice

Office des eaux du Yukon – Avis de demande

Application Number <i>Numéro de la demande</i>	Applicant/Licensee <i>Demandeur/Titulaire</i>	Water Source Location <i>Point d'eau/Lieu</i>	Type of Undertaking <i>Type d'entreprise</i>	Deadline for Comments <b>4:00pm</b> <i>Date limite pour commentaires, avant 16 h</i>
MS17-035-1 Amendment	Government of Yukon, Community Services	Groundwater; Tributary of Yukon River	Miscellaneous	July 13, 2020
PM15-032-1 Assignment	From Farley's Machine Inc. to Glen Slonski & Kevin Douglas Elgie	Klondike River out of stream pond & Groundwater, Hunker Creek and Bergamin Gulch; Tributary of Klondike River	Placer	July 13, 2020
PM18-031-1 Assignment	From Carey Cook & Don Hrehirchek to Roy & Marilynne Manary	Iron and Sidney Creeks; Tributary of Nisutlin River	Placer	July 13, 2020
PM20-024	40056 Yukon Inc.	Stoddart Creek; Tributary of Big Creek	Placer	July 21, 2020

Any person may submit comments or recommendations, in writing, by the deadline for notice.

Applications are available for viewing on the Yukon Water Board's online registry, WATERLINE at <http://www.yukonwaterboard.ca> or in person at the Yukon Water Board office. For more information, contact the Yukon Water Board Secretariat at 867-456-3980.

*Toute personne peut soumettre ses commentaires ou ses recommandations à l'Office avant la date limite indiquée sur le présent avis.*

*Pour voir les demandes, consultez le registre en ligne WATERLINE au <http://www.yukonwaterboard.ca> ou rendez-vous au bureau de l'Office des eaux du Yukon. Pour de plus amples renseignements, veuillez communiquer avec le secrétariat de l'Office au 867-456-3980.*

Public Notice

Pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Subdivision Regulations made pursuant to the Subdivision Act, the Yukon government gives notice of the following subdivision applications.


File No. 2020-60-CX38: Buchanan Storage & Rentals Inc. applied for subdivision approval to create four lots from Lot 1131, Quad 105D02, Plan 2005-0003 LTO, Carcross, Yukon.

File No. 2020-60-TG51: Michelle Phillips and Ed Hopkins applied for subdivision approval to create three lots from Lot 1035, Quad 105D01, Plan 2016-0026 LTO, near 10 Mile Road, Tagish.

File No. 2020-60-TH106: Penelope Gawn and Roy Ness applied for subdivision approval to create two lots from Lot 6A, Quad 105D14, Plan 2016-0064 LTO, Pilot Mountain Subdivision, Hot Springs Road Development Area.


Please submit your comments by end of day Friday, July 17, 2020.

For further information or to comment on the applications please visit [yukon.ca/housing-and-property/view-land-planning-applications](http://yukon.ca/housing-and-property/view-land-planning-applications) or contact the Government of Yukon's Land Planning Branch at 867-667-8877, toll-free 1-800-661-0408 ext. 8877 or email [shannon.gladwin@gov.yk.ca](mailto:shannon.gladwin@gov.yk.ca).




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MARTHA BENJAMIN - 1963

MARTHA BENJAMIN:  
CANADIAN CHAMP

"Martha beats them all" a STAR headline proclaimed in 1963 when an Old Crow skier and mother of five children became the first Yukoner to win a national skiing title.

Twenty-five year old Martha Benjamin won the senior women's cross country skiing title at the Canadian championships in Midland, Ontario. Her time over the 10 kilometre race was 43.29 minutes. And in 1989, 26 years after that historic event, Benjamin was inducted in the Yukon Sports Hall of Fame. "After all these years, I didn't expect to receive something like this," she said. "I just had it in me that I wanted to do it, and I did it," she said of her win in Midland Ontario.

Benjamin and Ben Charlie were the only two skiers to attend the championships. Charlie ranked 11th in a field of 48. His toughest competition came from a group of Finns from Sudbury who swept the field.

Both skiers brought high credit and distinction (not to mention the publicity) to their community and to the Yukon as a whole. Star correspondent Edith Josie wrote before they left: "I had wire from Mr. Harry at Whitehorse. He said Ben Charlie and Mrs. Martha Benjamin will go to Ottawa for International Olympic Competition for skiers on February 13. Frank Cook will take them out. Everyone is very glad to hear these two will go out long travel. Hope they had good trip. Old Crow is little town and Father Mouchet is training boys and girls for the skiers. Now they even go way out to Ottawa. Sure big surprise for the people in Old Crow."

Mouchet, an experienced ski instructor for the French army, designed a training program which is now called TEST (Territorial Experimental Ski Training). This program strives to stimulate and motivate children to discover themselves, develop self-reliance through a rigorous training schedule and gain self-confidence through a series of tough, but surmountable challenges.

Whitehorse Star, 1990 Special Edition



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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

**Wolverine Mine Environmental Effects Monitoring**  
Submissions must be clearly marked with the above project title. The closing date for submissions is **July 14, 2020**. Please refer to the procurement documents for the closing time and location.  
Documents may be obtained from the Procurement Support Centre, Department of Highways and Public Works, Suite 101 - 104 Elliott Street, Whitehorse, Yukon (867) 667-5385. Technical questions may be directed to Geena Grossinger at [geena.grossinger@gov.yk.ca](mailto:geena.grossinger@gov.yk.ca).  
All tenders and proposals are subject to a Compliance Review performed by the Procurement Support Centre.  
The highest ranked or lowest priced submission may not necessarily be accepted.  
This tender is subject to Chapter Five of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement.  
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REQUEST FOR BID

**Whitehorse Emergency Shelter Front Door Replacement, Roof Top Railing Addition With Ladder, And Attic Access Point Enhancements.**  
Project Description: Replacement of the failing front door and addition of safety elements for accessing the roof top handlers, and enhancing the attic access entry  
Submissions must be clearly marked with the above project title. The closing date for submissions is **July 16, 2020**. Please refer to the procurement documents for the closing time and location.  
Documents may be obtained from the Procurement Support Centre, Department of Highways and Public Works, Suite 101 - 104 Elliott Street, Whitehorse, Yukon (867) 667-5385. Technical questions may be directed to Alan Terry at [alan.terry@gov.yk.ca](mailto:alan.terry@gov.yk.ca).  
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

**Dome Road Future Subdivision Master Plan**  
Project Description: Requesting services to complete detailed planning and preliminary engineering work for the proposed residential subdivision in the Dome Road area of Dawson City.  
Submissions must be clearly marked with the above project title. The closing date for submissions is **July 9, 2020**. Please refer to the procurement documents for the closing time and location.  
Documents may be obtained from the Procurement Support Centre, Department of Highways and Public Works, Suite 101 - 104 Elliott Street, Whitehorse, Yukon (867) 667-5385. Technical questions may be directed to Ben Campbell at [ben.campbell@gov.yk.ca](mailto:ben.campbell@gov.yk.ca).  
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REQUEST FOR BID

**Granular Resurfacing, Teslin Aerodrome, Km 1246, Alaska Highway # 1**  
Project Description: The project consists of granular resurfacing at the Teslin aerodrome. The resurfacing work at the aerodrome will comprise of resurfacing of runway, taxiway, and apron; airside security escorting and traffic control level 1; supply and install tie-down chains; raising startup pads and environmental compliance.  
Submissions must be clearly marked with the above project title. The closing date for submissions is **July 15, 2020**. Please refer to the procurement documents for the closing time and location.  
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REQUEST FOR BID

**Public Address System Upgrade; Holy Family School, Summer 2020**  
Project Description: Install a new IP based public-address system, remove the unused public-address system equipment, and supply and install new accessible classroom devices into each classroom.  
Submissions must be clearly marked with the above project title. The closing date for submissions is **July 15, 2020**. Please refer to the procurement documents for the closing time and location.  
Documents may be obtained from the Procurement Support Centre, Department of Highways and Public Works, Suite 101 - 104 Elliott Street, Whitehorse, Yukon (867) 667-5385. Technical questions may be directed to Brendan O'Shea at [brendan.oshea@gov.yk.ca](mailto:brendan.oshea@gov.yk.ca).  
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**Request for Proposal**  
RFP 2020-032  
Whistle Bend Town Square Detailed Design  
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**Request for Tender**  
RFT 2020-047  
Supply and Delivery of Mobile Steamer Truck  
*Closes July 22, 2020 at 3:00:00 PM PT.*  
**Expression of Interest**  
EOI 2020-054  
Website Redesign  
*Closes July 28, 2020 at 3:00:00 PM PT.*  
**Notice of Upcoming Project**  
NOI 2020-057  
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1962 News from the Whitehorse Star

## TWO PLANES DOWN SATURDAY

Both Crashes Near Highway

The light planes were brought down late Saturday afternoon by blinding snow that swept the Alaska Highway area north and south of Whitehorse.

A Cessna aircraft piloted by Lloyd Ryder of Whitehorse piled into the trees about 200 yards from the highway at mile 927.

Seriously injured in the crash was Art Christenson, who is with the territorial engineer's department here. He suffered a fractured skull and a badly broken arm.

Also in the plane were Mrs. Christenson and Mrs. Ryder. They escaped with a severe shaking up and bruises as did also Mr. Ryder.

The second downed plane also a Cessna, was flown by Lloyd Romfo of Yukon Flying Services. With him was Game Director J.B. Fitzgerald. They hit a "whiteout" over Teslin Lake which brought visibility down to the zero point.

The plane had just taken off from Teslin where a third passenger was dropped. Having left the airstrip, they were over the lake when the blinding snow hit. The plane smashed into the snow-covered ice of the lake, tearing off the undercarriage and skidding for a long distance along the surface.

Owner Romfo said the plane is salvageable. He was knocked briefly unconscious in the crash and suffered a severe gash on his head. Mr. Fitzgerald escaped with "sprains and bruises". About three-quarters of a mile from the shoreline, both men were able to snowshoe to the highway.

The Ryder party had been planning to attend a fly-in at Northway, just over the Alaskan border. They set off in company with a plane flown by Bob Campbell, another piloted by Jack Chapman and a third plane, blown by a U.S. resident.

Over Burwash landing the weather looked bad ahead and so they decided to turn back. The Campbell and Chapman planes landed at 1016 to wait out the weather but the Ryder aircraft headed on to town. Meanwhile the U.S. aircraft continued on successfully to Northway.

Mr. Ryder said the weather was clear to Takhini Hot Springs. A forecast received indicated one thousand feet at Whitehorse. He flew down the Takhini river to the Yukon but there the storm had moved in and he "couldn't see a thing". Turning to come back he lost direction in the snow and came down in the trees of a hillside.

Mr. Christenson's condition is satisfactory.

*The Whitehorse Star, March 12, 1962*

*The Semi-Weekly Star, Saturday, March 1, 1902*

## Telephone Service

The next public improvement to be inaugurated in White Horse will be a telephone system. Already the wires have been strung, the switch boards placed in working order and the receiving instruments will be installed next week. The work now being done is of a private nature, but when completed will in all probability be absorbed and become a part of the Yukon Electrical company.

The system being put in is what is known as the Strowger Automatic Telephone, one of the latest and most up-to-date known, by the use of which absolute secrecy is guaranteed to every patron of the line. Each telephone has an automatic sliding dial by turning so that the figures on the dial correspond to a plate beneath. The sender can be automatically connected with any other instrument on the circuit which he may desire. Should the line be in use, connection cannot be made, a knowledge of this being conveyed to the one wishing to use the same by a slight buzzing sound.

The Strowger Automatic telephone does away with a receiver at the central office. While a message is being sent the central office is disconnected the same as other phones on the circuit, and there is no danger whatever of any communication which you wish to make being conveyed to disinterested parties.

The Strowger Automatic telephone is rapidly replacing companies in the east where central telephone operators are employed, and there is now being formed in Chicago a company with \$5,000,000 capital to put in the system in that city.

The rules for the telephone will at the commencement be \$10 per month for business houses and \$5 per month for residences.

*Find more stories like this on the Whitehorse Star Website.  
Go to [whitehorsestar.com](http://whitehorsestar.com) and click on "History".*