



Welcome New Chamber Members

Please join us in welcoming our newest Chamber members. For a complete listing of all members click [here](#).

Salmon Arm Shell

311—10 Street SW, Salmon Arm

Owners: Andrew & Heather Peacock

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A&H Peacock Holdings Ltd (dba Salmon Arm Shell) is a contracting management company managing Shell Canada corporate stores in Salmon Arm, Sicamous & Revelstoke.

Williamson Lake Campground

1800 Williamson Lake Road, Revelstoke

Manager: Lisa Long

Website: [Williamson Lake Campground](#)

Stay at the "best kept secret in Revelstoke".. Relax and enjoy a beautiful lakeside setting in our family-oriented campground. 50 sites for either RV or tenting. Mini-golf, canoe and paddleboard rentals, free WiFi and much more.

Melanie Hart—Business Coaching & Marketing Solutions

761—8 Avenue NE, Salmon Arm

Owner: Melanie Hart

Website: [The Dream Room](#)

We offer business coaching and marketing solutions re-sourced from a wealth of professional and personal life experiences, a strong network and a pool of talent. We provide advice and services in the area of branding, content, strategy and creativity.



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Upcoming Events:

- Salmon Arm Home Show—Apr 18-19
- The Sounds of Music—Apr 24-26
- Launch-a-Preneur—Apr 30

See our Event Calendar @ www.sachamber.bc.ca for

Chamber Hosts Lunch with Premier Christy Clark

The Salmon Arm Chamber was extremely pleased to have been asked by the Premier's office to host a luncheon with Premier Christy Clark on April 1, 2015 at the Prestige Harbourfront Resort in Salmon Arm.

Speaking to an audience of 130 individuals, Premier Clark had a number of exciting projects and opportunities to share with our business membership and community. Business opportunities associated with BC LNG projects as well as job training initiatives were highlights from Premier Clark's presentation.



Chamber Chair Jim Kimmery, Premier Christy Clark

As the luncheon host, the Chamber was afforded the privilege of being able to ask 3 questions (prepared by the Chamber) directly to Premier Clark. Those three questions were:

1. Salmon Arm has approximately 1,200—1,500 transport trucks running on the TransCanada Highway through our city and downtown core every day. With 8 traffic lights on the Salmon Arm portion of the TCH, we witness numerous near tragic incidents within Salmon Arm, and multiple fatalities on the outskirts. This has been identified as a major safety concern for our region. What types of solutions might we expect to alleviate these issues?
2. What opportunities do you see for small communities, such as Salmon Arm, as they relate to LNG projects in British Columbia?
3. What is the province currently doing to ensure wage parity between men and women, most specifically the issue of equal pay for equal work?

Premier Clark's responses were detailed on each of the questions, however equally as important as her responses, it was the Chamber's desire to ensure these issues were brought directly to the attention of the Premier for consideration in future discussions and decisions.



Business after Business —Tappen Co-Op 100 Year Anniversary | April 23 | 4-6pm



**TAPPEN BC
1915 - 2015**

The Co-Op Granite Trading Association is proud to celebrate 100 years in business. You are invited to join them in commemorating this milestone on Thursday, April 23, 2015 from 4—6 pm.

Featuring food and beverage from Recline Ridge Winery, Tappen Valley Meats and Grass Root Dairies, along with the amazing selection of Tappen Co-Op ice creams, you are in for an enjoyable afternoon of amazing food, drink and company.

Rsvp to admin@sachamber.bc.ca | tapcoop@airspeedwireless.ca

Business Mixer—Salmar Classic Theatre | May 13

Chamber of Commerce Charity Golf Tournament—June 7, 2015



The Board is very excited to invite you to our First Annual Charity Golf Tournament

**Chamber of Commerce Charity Golf Tournament & Silent Auction
The Breathe of Life—in support of Cystic Fibrosis**

Sunday, June 7, 2015 | 2:00 pm (Shot-gun, Texas Scramble)
Golf—Salmon Arm Golf Course
Dinner— The Wicked Spoon Tap & Grill



Click here for [Golf Tournament — Invitation](#) | [Golf Tournament —Registration & Sponsorship/Donation Form](#)

Win \$10,000—BC Chamber Article Contest

The BC Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a writing contest for Chamber members and BC residents with a grand prize of \$10,000 (second and regional cash prizes are also available).

The theme is **Rurals & Urbans: The Great Shift**. With a significant shift from rural to urban living, the ability to produce and extract raw goods from our seven natural resources is left to only 20% of the population. The question is: How is this sustainable and how do we educate urbanites on the balance and perceived dichotomy between urban values and BC's resourced-based economy?



Share your insight (in 1200 words or less) and possibly win \$10,000. Article submission to the **Salmon Arm Chamber before May 15, 2015**. Click here [Rurals & Urbans: The Great Shift](#) for additional details. Good luck!!



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2015 Chamber Scholarship—Application & Criteria

Since 1996, the Salmon Arm & District Chamber of Commerce has provided a \$500 scholarship to a student, either beginning, continuing or returning to full-time studies (no age restrictions on scholarship applicants).

To qualify, the student must be accepted to full-time studies at an accredited Canadian university, college, technical or trade school within the three western provinces.

Contact the Chamber directly at (250) 832-6247 or click on the following links to receive the necessary documentation. **The deadline for application submission is June 17, 2015.**

[Scholarship Criteria](#)

[Scholarship Application](#)



2015 Business Excellence Awards—Subcommittee Invitation

Salmon Arm



business excellence awards

The subcommittee for the 2015 Business Excellence Awards is busy putting together the event for this year and we would like to invite any of our Chamber members to consider joining our group to help in the re-creation and development of the 2015 Business Excellence Awards Gala.

If you are interested and able to commit a couple hours a month to our group please contact Corryn at the Chamber office (250) 832-6247 or admin@sachamber.bc.ca

Everything Shuswap—A Natural & Human History of the Shuswap

Everything Shuswap is a joint venture between Jim Cooperman and Schools District #83 to create a 300 page hardcover book that will include stunning photos, graphs, statistics, maps, and historical photos of the Shuswap. In addition the book will provide a comprehensive history of both the natural and human development within the Shuswap region.

This book will form part of the local learning resource in support of existing school curriculum and all book sales revenue will go directly to support funding of the SD#83 Outdoor Education program.

Fundraising in the amount of \$22,000 is necessary to cover the publishing costs. Donations will receive a charitable tax receipt from the school district.

For more information click on the following links:

[Everything Shuswap—Manuscript \(part 1\)](#)

[Everything Shuswap—Manuscript \(part 2\) & SD#83 Letter Requesting Support](#)