

# TAKE PART IN THE ARTS

## DIMENSIONS of REALITY

at Peace Gallery North with Peace River Chapter of the Federation of Canadian Artists until May 24

## Beauty and the Beast

May 24 By Bert Bowes School students NPCC

## Comedy of Shaun Majumder

May 31 North Peace Cultural Centre

## Experience a Hands-On Day in Theatre

May 31 With Stage North at The Space on the East Bypass 10am-4pm

## Spring into Summer

May 29 With Northern Winds Band at Lido Theatre

## Frame It

May 31 at the Artspost  
10320 94 Ave 10am - 4pm

## Life and Death of the Passenger Pigeon Exhibit

until May 31 FSJ North Peace Museum until May 31

## Looking forward to.....

### Chili Bowl Bash June 21

with North Peace Potter's Guild at the Artspost

**FOR MORE ON ARTS HAPPENINGS**  
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# TAKE PART IN THE ARTS IN APRIL

## BC Arts and Cultural Week

April 21-26

Celebrate the Arts of all Kinds

## Artists in the Schools Information Session

Apr 23 with School District #60 at Board Office 4-6pm

## Alice The Musical April 25, 26, 27

With Stage North at NPCC  
7pm with matinees 26/27 at 1pm

## Treasures of the Museum

Presentations - Part II: The Fur Trade Apr 25  
Fort St. John North Peace Museum 7 pm

## Young People Perform April 27

With Tapping into Talent at Patch Java FSJ Hospital 2:30pm

## Monday Night at the Movies The Lunchbox

Apr 28

with FSJ Film Society at Aurora Cinema

## Life and Death of the Passenger Pigeon

Exhibit until May 31

FSJ North Peace Museum in Fort St. John

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Opening Gala May 2

With Peace River Chapter of the Federation of Canadian Artists

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## In October

Oct 4, 2013  
The Northerner

**Dora the Explorer Oct 5**  
at North Peace Cultural Centre

**Magician and Hypnotist Oct 5**  
with FSJ Dance Society Fundraiser Lido Theatre

**Largo Painting Class Oct 5**  
with Donna Folk Studio

**Step by Step Painting Class Oct 12**  
with Donna Folk Studio

**"Peace and Plenty" Documentary Night Oct 18**  
at FSJ North Peace Museum 7pm

**Printmaking Workshop Oct 18 and 20**  
with Canadian Federation of Artists

### LOOK FOR CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISING BY ARTS GROUPS

*Irish Dance Christmas Wreaths and Rotary Mega Lottery*

*Central Ecole Elementary PAC Art Cards, Poinsettias, and Walker's Green House Raffle*

*North Peace Gymnastics Rotary Mega Lottery*

*FSJ Dance Society (The Move) Christmas Baskets*

*Northern Dance Theatre Society (Studio to Stage) Rotary Mega Lottery and Purdy's Chocolates*

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Used Book Sale Jan. 25  
with the Friends of the Library  
at FSJ Public Library 10am-3pm

PLRAC Annual General Meeting Jan. 25  
with Peace Liard Regional Arts Council in  
Dawson Creek 9:30am

Registration for NL Youth Choir Jan. 17  
with Jen Giesbrecht [www.theNLYC.com](http://www.theNLYC.com)  
at NPCC

Monday Night at the Movies *Philomena* Feb. 3  
with FSJ Film Society at Aurora Cinema

Art Exhibit Points of View Art Exhibit Feb. 4-28  
with Flying Colours at DC Art Gallery

Oil Pastel Art Classes Adults/Kids Feb. 8 and 9  
with Spectrum Studio  
[shymkotg@netscape.net](mailto:shymkotg@netscape.net) at Artspost

Coloured Ice Exhibit by Eliza Stanford Feb. 10-16  
at High on Ice Centennial Park Fort St. John

The Backyardigans *Sea Deep in Adventure* Feb. 12  
At the North Peace Cultural Centre

Monday Night at the Movies WADJDA Feb. 14  
with FSJ Film Society at Aurora Cinema

Annual Chocolate Festival Feb. 8  
with Peace Gallery North at NPCC  
Open at 6pm Auction 7pm

Stage North Musical *Alice* Feb. 21-28  
with Stage North at NPCC 7pm

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# TAKE PART IN THE ARTS IN JUNE

7th Annual Summer Solstice Chili Bowl Bash  
June 21  
with North Peace Potter's Guild at the  
Artspost

Artwalk 2014 until June 21  
with Flying Colours and NPCC throughout  
Fort St. John

In the Eyes of.....NPSS Student Exhibition  
until June 18  
At Peace Gallery North NPCC

Stoney String Quartet June 21  
At the North Peace Cultural Centre 7pm

Museum Yard Sale June 21  
With the NP Historical Society at the FSJ NP  
Museum 9am-3pm

Tapping Into Talent Youth Performance  
June 22

At Patch Java in the Hospital Lobby 1pm

KARTA Printmaking Exhibition  
until June 27  
At Peace Gallery North NPCC

Meeting to plan Handel's Messiah for  
Christmas June 24  
With Community Bands and Choirs at  
NPCC 7pm

Robert David Symons – Countryman  
Watercolour Exhibit on now  
At the Fort St John North Peace Museum

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DEC 19, 2014

WILLIAM STODALKA PHOTO

**Fort St. John Arts Council Treasurer Connie Surerus examines Christmas decorations at the ArtSpot in Fort St. John last Friday. Her non-profit group is offering new and used Christmas decorations for sale at ArtSpot weekdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. until Dec. 20.**

WS

# Flower pot artwork smashed

William Stodalka  
Staff Writer

Vandals smashed eleven decorative flower pots around Fort St. John recently.

The pots, located around 100 St. and Centennial Park, were vandalized between the evening of July 11 and the morning of July 12.

Four pots were replanted, but seven of the larger self-watering pots could not be saved.

The city of Fort St. John has filed a report with police and asking that anyone with information about this incident will contact the Fort St. John RCMP on their non-emergency number at 250-787-8100.

The city has run the flower pot program with the Fort St. John Community Arts Council for the past 13 years, placing them around the downtown core and at the airport.

In the past, local artists and certain high school students painted flower pots each year and after two summers of use they were auctioned off as a fundraiser.

The city still operates the flower pot program, but new pots are not painted with artwork.

Wally Ferris, the city's general manager of community service, said the move was "disappointing."

"It's a shame that beautiful pieces of arts ... have been damaged," he said. "It's a loss to the city ... they certainly mean something to the people who created them."

Ferris noted that visitors and regular citizens enjoyed seeing these pieces of art, and that this vandalism will cost taxpayers money.



COURTESY PHOTO

**City of Fort St. John staff are asking for the public's help in identifying the person(s) who are responsible for smashing potted flower artwork located around town.**

# FRAME IT

May 31





# ***One Day of Creative Framing for All Ages***

*Fun for young people. Tips for serious adults.  
Oodles of frames and ideas.*

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