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Christmas Fund reaches \$1.186 million



Donations to the Times Colonist Christmas Fund are still arriving online and by mail, pushing the total to \$1.186 million. The money is being used to help Island residents in need.

There is still time to give. Donate online at timescolonist.com/donate. That will take you to the Canada Helps website, which is open 24 hours a day and provides an immediate tax receipt.

Or mail a cheque, payable to the Times Colonist Christmas Fund Society, to the Times Colonist Christmas Fund, 201-655 Tye Road, Victoria V8A 6X5.

Or use your credit card by phoning 250-995-4438 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. today. Outside those hours, messages will be accepted. Donate refundable cans and bottles at Bottle Depot and GFL Environmental.

Where to take your Christmas tree

Times Colonist

There is no shortage of places to get your Christmas tree chipped over this weekend and next.

Remember to remove all screws, nails, lights and ornaments from the tree before recycling, as they can pose a hazard while passing through chipping equipment.

The Capital Regional District has put together the following list of Christmas-tree chipping sites. Community events are typically by donation, while there are fees at most public works yards.

Know of another event? Let us know by sending an email to localnews@timescolonist.com. Be sure to include when and where it is happening and who the organizer is. Put the words "tree chipping" in the subject line.

TREE-CHIPPING EVENTS

• Central Saanich Lions Club — 1700 Keating Cross Rd. across from the municipal yard. Saturday, Sunday, Jan. 9 and Jan. 10, 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

• Colwood Volunteer Firefighters Association — Colwood Fire Hall, 3215 Metcosh Rd. Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. 250-478-5999

• Community Youth Program — Archie Browning Sports Centre parking lot, 1151 Esquimalt Rd. Saturday and Sunday, noon to 4 p.m. 250-412-8500

• Juan de Fuca Search and Rescue — Slegg Lumber at 2901 Sooke Rd. Sunday 10 a.m.-2 p.m. There's also a bottle drive.

• Oak Bay Fire Department — Fireman's Park, behind the fire hall at 1703 Monterey Ave. Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

• Castaway Wanderers Rugby Club — Windsor Park next to the rose garden. Friday, noon-4 p.m., Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m.-4 p.m., and Jan. 9 noon-4 p.m.

• University of Victoria Vikes cross-country and track teams — Centennial Stadium, Uvic. Saturday, Sunday, Jan. 9 and Jan. 10, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

• Community Living Victoria — 3861 Cedar Hill Cross Rd. Saturday



The University of Victoria Vikes are one of many groups holding tree-chipping events this weekend and next. DARRIN STONE, TIMES COLONIST

and Sunday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

• McKenzie Elementary Parent Advisory Council — School parking lot at 4005 Raymond St. North. Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

• Victoria Judo Club — Lochside Elementary School, 1145 Royal Oak Dr. Saturday, Sunday and Jan. 9, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

• Claremont Key Club — Claremont Secondary School parking lot at 4980 Wesley Ave. Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

• Sidney Lions Club — overflow parking lot at Troquois Park on Ocean Boulevard. Saturday and Jan. 9, 10:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

• Knights of Columbus Council 14356 — St. Joseph the Worker Parish parking lot at 753 Burnside Rd. West. Saturday and Jan. 9, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

• B.C. Lions Society Chip in for the Kids — Westshore Town Centre, Tillicum Centre, Saanich Centre Save-on-Foods, and University Heights Shopping Centre, Save-on-Foods parking lot at Fort Street, and Foul Bay Road. Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

OTHER PLACES TO TAKE YOUR TREE

• Ellice Recycle — 524 David St. Monday to Friday 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

• Hartland Landfill — Hartland Ave. Monday to Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 7 a.m.-2 p.m. 250-360-3030

• Colwood public works yard — 3300 Wishart Rd. 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. on the first and third Saturday of the month. 250-475-4133

• Esquimalt/Vicw Royal yard and waste transfer station — 605 Canteen Rd. Tuesday to Sunday 8 a.m.-5 p.m. 250-883-8683

• North Saanich public works yard — 10180 Littlewood Rd. For hours, go to northsaanich.ca. 250-656-0781

• Saanich public works yard — 1040 McKenzie Ave. For hours, go to saanich.ca. 250-475-5599

• Victoria public works yard, 417 Garbally Rd. Saturday 7 a.m.-2 p.m. 250-361-0400

Slide in Norway leaves 10 injured, 21 missing

The Associated Press

HELSINKI — A landslide smashed into a residential area near the Norwegian capital Wednesday, injuring at least 10 people, leaving 21 unaccounted for and destroying several homes, authorities said. About 700 people were moved out amid fears of further landslides.

Norwegian police were alerted at 4 a.m. to the slide in the village of Ask, in the municipality of Gjerderum, about 20 kilometres northeast of Oslo.

The landslide cut across a road through Ask, leaving a deep ravine that cars could not pass. Video footage showed dramatic scenes including one house falling into the ravine. Photos showed at least eight homes destroyed.

Police spokesman Roger Pettersen told Norwegian media there were no reports of missing, but officials could not rule out the possibility of people in

collapsed buildings. He said some 21 people registered to live in the area are unaccounted for. "The 21 people may have evacuated themselves, but may also still be in the landslide area," Pettersen told news agency NTB.

One of the injured was seriously hurt, while nine had lighter injuries. Weather at the time was reported to be challenging, with snow and full winter conditions.

Ask is home to about 5,000 people.

"It hurts to see how the forces of nature have ravaged Gjerderum. My thoughts go to all those affected by the landslide. Now it is important that the emergency services get their job done," Norwegian Prime Minister Erna Solberg tweeted.

In a separate statement, she called the disaster "probably one of the biggest landslides we have had, and with the highest consequences."

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