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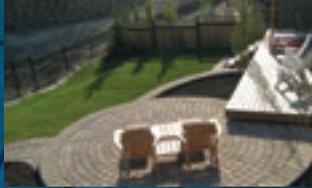


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### County slows spread of invasive plants while reducing use of herbicides

The battle against invasive plants continues and Rocky View County has adopted the most advanced tools available to reduce herbicide use while still preventing the spread of invasive weeds. Rocky View County is pleased to announce since 2008, the successful reduction of 58 per cent of the total litres of herbicides used for weed control.

To decrease the amount of active ingredient herbicides being placed in the environment, Rocky View County Agricultural Services staff has implemented leading edge technology with new reduced risk herbicides. Agricultural Services track herbicide practices in the county and assess which methods are most effective at reducing herbicide usage while still maintaining an effective invasive weed control program.

"We are very happy to see a significant reduction in herbicide use," says Jeff Fleischer, Agricultural Services officer for Rocky View County. "New technology is enabling us to continually improve our ability to control invasive species and still reduce herbicides. Since 1990 there has been an 85 per cent reduction of the active ingredient of herbicides used per acre."

Agricultural Services implemented a variety of tools to reduce herbicide use:

- An insect release program was used on seven sites to control three different weed species.
- Leading edge precision technology was used to increase the accuracy of herbicide applications to reduce waste.
- New reduced risk herbicides used for weed control.
- Staff mapped out all prohibited noxious and noxious weed infestations for quick response to prevent the spread of invasive weeds.
- An education plan was implemented to assist the citizens of Rocky View with proper weed identification and control.

Invasive species displace native vegetation and habitats and cost the agriculture industry in Canada \$2.2 billion annually.

"Our aim is prevent, control and eliminate invasive plants to protect our natural areas, parks, lands and wildlife habitats," says Fleischer. "To achieve this, we will continue with a monitoring and education program and use the most advanced tools available to us to reduce herbicide use while still preventing the spread of invasive weeds."



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The County's final grader arrived on March 10, 2012, after extensive research and analysis to lease the best quality grader and price on the market to accommodate the County's requirements. Leasing graders saves in general costs, as it enables the County to secure a fixed budget with a leasing agreement including the maintenance of the graders.

"Leasing for five years at a time is the best option for us, as we do not wish to have any surprise maintenance issues," says Howard Bell, Maintenance Manager for Rocky View County. "The leasing contract was awarded based on the price, the quality and feedback from County grader operators."

Rocky View County researched and tested three different types of graders, and chose the John Deere 870GP grader due to many advantageous features suitable for efficient operations and built for the southern Alberta climate and conditions, including:

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"Our grader operators are impressed with the upgraded features and they are looking forward to putting them into action, making our operations more efficient and effective," says Bell. "The ergonomic design of the interior also prevents injuries to our drivers and is equipped with state-of-the-art safety features."

**Level II Fire Ban Lifted for Rocky View County**

Effective 12:00 pm, on Friday, February 24, 2012, the Level II fire ban has been lifted due to a positive change in weather improving fire conditions. The Level II ban put into effect on February 6, 2012, was due to dry and windy conditions.

All residents requesting renewal of a burning permit can contact the Emergency Services department at 403.230.1401.

For further information or media inquiries on the Rocky View County fire ban, please contact Fire Chief Ken McMullen at 403.478.8164.

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## DENTAL DISEASE AND YOUR PET

I see dental disease in almost every pet I examine in my veterinary clinic. Every dog, cat, and ferret should have its teeth checked during an annual physical examination. Does your pet have gleaming white teeth? What about his back molars? Are they free of yellow hard tartar? Are the gums a nice pink or is there a line of hot red swollen inflammation along the teeth? Put your nail against the gum line, does your cat wince and pull away?

I continually see glorious shining coats on dogs and cats. Then as I continue my examination I open the pet's mouth and see rotten foul-smelling teeth and gums. Some of these pets are probably in constant pain. Taking care of your pet's teeth can be time-consuming and expensive. Owners tend to ignore the teeth because they don't see them, but healthy teeth are directly linked to your pet's short and long-term well being.

Many people believe if they feed their pet a hard food they will not get dental disease. Specialized diets, mouthwashes, and dental products help, but if there was some magic component added to food that eliminated dental disease, wouldn't people be eating it to avoid our own dental disease and the ensuing costs.

A dog or cat, ideally, should have their teeth brushed daily. You can use a soft tooth brush. Finger brushes have bumps that do not get under the gum line. Animal

toothpastes do not foam or contain sodium bicarbonate so they can be swallowed. They come in flavors ranging from tuna to chicken to beef. Yum yum! In the carnivore, it is the outer surfaces of the teeth where the most tartar collects. Your veterinarian will show you how to start to brush your pet's teeth. Many of my clients have even taught their pets to tolerate electric brushes.

A few pets will not allow brushing under any circumstance. These pets will benefit from the chewy products on the market as well as a specialized dental diet. These products range from chewy rawhides impregnated with enzymatic toothpastes, to foods developed with particles to clean as close to the gum line as possible. Some enzymatic products will have some benefits if just sprayed in the pet's mouth, but none of these products outperform a daily tooth brushing. I just had a crown replaced because I love to crunch hard candies; for the same reason never give pets hard bones and toys. Fractured crowns expose pulp and cause dental abscesses. Abscesses hurt.

Ideally pets would have preventative cleanings like us, but more often owners will only agree if tartar, gingivitis, or periodontal disease becomes visible. Then your veterinarian is going to recommend a cleaning and examination of your pet's teeth under a general anesthetic. No self-respecting pet will allow a complete scaling, polishing, and fluoride treatment awake. I recently expected the examination of a young dog's mouth after cleaning to be entirely normal. Visually things looked good, but I discovered four deep pockets between the gum and four teeth. Dental radiographs confirmed the bone around the roots of the teeth was completely eaten away by disease. The removal of those diseased teeth allows a better chance to keep the surrounding teeth healthy. This disease would not have been discovered without a proper examination of an anesthetized pet. Superficial scraping of visual tartar only hides disease and lulls a person into thinking their pet's mouth is healthy.

Rotten teeth and gums can be a portal to bacteria entering the blood stream and traveling through out the pet's body. When the teeth are infected it is painful and can cause an otherwise sweet pet to become cantankerous. Start brushing early and try to make your pet as beautiful on the inside as he is on the outside.

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- **May 11 Smokin’ Joe Kubek & Bnois King** part of Epcor Centre’s Acoustic Blues Series at Engineered Air Theatre. Concert begins at 8:00 pm. 403.294.9494 / [epcorcentre.org](http://epcorcentre.org)
- **May 12, 19, 26 & June 2 Sleeping Beauty** presented by Stage West for Kids. True to the classic fairy tale, this play is dreamy, full of adventure and excitement for children. 403.243.6642 / [www.stagewest.calgary.com](http://www.stagewest.calgary.com)
- **May 13 & June 17 Free Family Skating** at Winsport Canada Olympic Park Markin MacPhail Centre (ice complex), from 10:30 am – 4:00 pm. These skates are free and open to all community associations. Please show your community cards upon arrival. No purchase necessary. \*Helmets are mandatory for all public skaters at all times. Hockey or All Sport helmets are accepted. No shoes permitted on the ice – only skates. [www.winsportcanada.ca](http://www.winsportcanada.ca)
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# CRESCENT HEIGHTS HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI 10TH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Crescent Heights High School Alumni will be holding the 10<sup>th</sup> annual Crescent Heights Alumni Golf Classic at The Canal at Delacour Golf Course, June 19, 2012.

There will be lots of prizes, a great golf course, excellent steak lunch and an opportunity to meet with many graduates and friends of Crescent Heights. For more information and an entry form e-mail [chhsalumnigolf@shaw.ca](mailto:chhsalumnigolf@shaw.ca)

## Volunteer Information Meeting

The Volunteer Information meeting for the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Crescent Heights High School is scheduled for 7:00pm on April 25, 2012 in the teachers lounge at the school. This meeting will outline the many volunteer positions need to make this a memorable event. The committee is currently in need of a Public Relations Specialist who could lead a group in contact with the media in Calgary and other areas. There are also positions available for those who have an interest in working in the Social Media such as Facebook, Twitter, Linked In and others.

## Contacting Crescent Heights High School Alumni Association

The alumni website is [www.chhsfriends.com](http://www.chhsfriends.com). It has information regarding ongoing activities as well as a registration form that can be filled in. This registration will put you on file to receive e-mail regarding current events. If you want general information or information regarding the CHHS Alumni Golf tournament e-mail [chhsalumnigolf@shaw.ca](mailto:chhsalumnigolf@shaw.ca).

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# WEBBER ACADEMY ANNOUNCES NEW BOARD MEMBER DR. MARY ANNE MOSER



Webber Academy is pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. Mary Anne Moser to the Board of Directors. Dr. Moser has built a career in public sector leadership where society and science intersect. She has worked as a journalist, an award-winning designer and became the founding editor of the Banff Centre Press in 1995.

She started the Banff Science Communications Program in 2005, Canada's Iron Science Teacher competition in 2007 and was a member of the start-up steering committee for the Science Media Centre of Canada, launched in 2010.

Dr. Moser is the editor of two books on science in society: *Immersed in Technology* (MIT Press 1995) and *Science, She Loves Me* (Banff Centre Press 2011). Her latest initiative, Beakerhead, is a major collaborative arts and engineering festival for the City of Calgary, to start in 2013. Most recently, Dr. Moser was communications director at the Schulich School of Engineering at the University of Calgary and now works as Vice President, Strategic Communications, at Cybera.

She has a passion for the sciences and the arts and will be a valuable addition to the existing board of directors including: Hon. Jack Major, Mrs. Jeanette King, Mr. Milt Paul, Mr. Myron Tetreault, Dr. Mahfooz Kanwar, Mr. Lorne Webber and Dr. Neil Webber.

Applications are now being accepted for enrollment for the 2012/2013 school year.

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For more information on Webber Academy please attend our upcoming Information Evening:

> Thursday, April 26, 2012 at 7:00 pm

WEBBER ACADEMY

# HERBS - BASIL

Herbs are valued in the kitchen for their aromatic essential oils and are primarily used to accent and enhance the flavour of foods. It's hard to imagine an Italian tomato sauce without oregano, for example, even though the dominant flavour is tomato. In some dishes, though, the herb is the main ingredient, such as basil is in an Italian pesto.

Fresh hothouse basil is available all year round, but you might want to try your hand at growing your own in the summer months.

Basil leaves can be used whole or chopped. Wash them and dry them thoroughly before use. When cut with a knife, the leaves tend to discolour, so use them quickly, or in cooked dishes. Tear the leaves by hand for use in uncooked dishes.

Fresh basil will keep successfully for 3-4 days if wrapped in damp paper towels, then plastic wrap, and refrigerated. To freeze, snip the leaves into small pieces and freeze in plastic bags. To dry basil, hang bunches upside down in a warm, dry place, and store the dried basil in an airtight jar in a cool, dark place. If you substitute dried herbs for fresh, the general rule of thumb is  $\frac{3}{4}$  - 1 teaspoon of a dried herb equals approximately 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  - 2 teaspoons of a chopped, fresh herb.

Another bonus is that herbs can be added to just about any dish, and can liven up the taste without using additional salt.

## PESTO

2 cups fresh basil  
 ½ cup light olive oil  
 2 tablespoons toasted pine nuts  
 1-2 cloves coarsely chopped garlic  
 1 teaspoon sea salt

½ cup freshly grated Parmesan cheese  
 2 tablespoons freshly grated Romano cheese  
 3 tablespoons unsalted butter, room temperature

Place the first five ingredients in a food processor and pulse until smooth. Transfer to a serving dish, and stir in the cheeses and butter until well blended. Mix it in to pasta dishes, meatballs, etc., use as a spread, or thin with additional olive oil and drizzle over meats and vegetables.

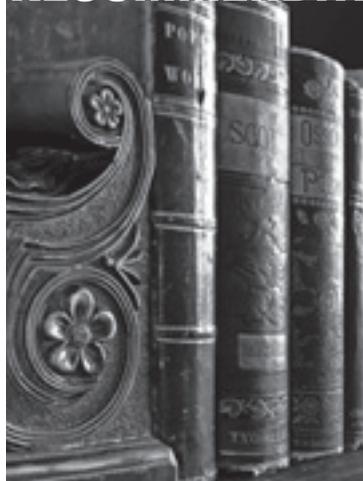
Yield: 1 cup

Enjoy!  
 - *BG Rose*

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- Cutting For Stone – Abraham Verghese
- Kill Me If You Can – James Patterson
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- Covert Warriors – W.E.B. Griffin

### Non-fiction

- Quiet: The Power of Introverts in a World That Can't Stop Talking – Susan Cain
- Dion: The Wanderer Talks Truth – Dion DiMucci with Mike Aquilina
- The Art of Raising a Puppy – Monks of New Skete
- Edible Plants for Prairie Gardens – June Flanagan
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by Lon Hofer

### Playoff Memories

One can only be so lucky to remember the classic days of the old rivalries in the playoffs, especially the first round. The rough, intense, 'let 'em play' game it used to be. Many memories to look back on: the old best of fives, the white out, Dallas vs Edmonton in first rounds, Calgary vs Vancouver, more recently Chicago vs Vancouver, and the excitement of a new playoff series for the home team in games 1 and 3.

Things have changed a bit as the 'new' league is promoting a cleaner, younger, faster game – and alignment and conference layout dictate less rivalry. Hopefully rivalries will return and will dictate the intensity no matter what, and not necessarily the style of officiating. I look forward to the day when divisional matchups are amplified by home and homes during the year. Classic moments, classic playoff memories:

"Vernon again!" (Bob Cole, Game 7 OT, 1989 Vancouver versus Calgary, on Stan Smyl).

Dale Hunter on Pierre Turgeon. (Was that dirty - or was that hockey? If I can remember it was a five one goal in game seven. No endorsing of injury).

Claude Lemieux.

Selanne's interview reaction when he won the cup with Anaheim. Choking back tears.

2004. Martin Gelin. Iginla's performance in game 7 in Vancouver on the road. The energy in the Saddledome in the first period of game 3 versus Tampa. The anticipation in the city that Saturday afternoon prior to game 6 in the finals.

Hextall on Chelios. (Was that even the playoffs? Either way, classic).

The cross-crease sauce from Toews last year on the powerplay in game 7 that just missed but that could have sunk an arena, and a city.

Do you have any memories? If so, shooooooooooooooooot.



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