

The Messenger

August 23rd, 2023

Zion United Church

Sunday worship — 9:30 am

St Andrews United Church

Sunday worship — 11:00 am

Summer Worship Schedule

Month of August & September 3:

Services at **Zion Armstrong** at 10:00 am

No services at St. Andrew's

We look forward to this summertime of shared gatherings.

Leona

on behalf of the Joint Worship Committee

If you have announcements to be included here please email them to: ckooyman@shaw.ca

It would be helpful if announcements for The Messenger are sent to the above address before Wednesday.

Next Messenger will be

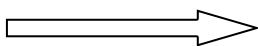
August 30th, 2023



It is a go!

IPE days:

August 30-Sept 3 (Wednesday to Sunday)



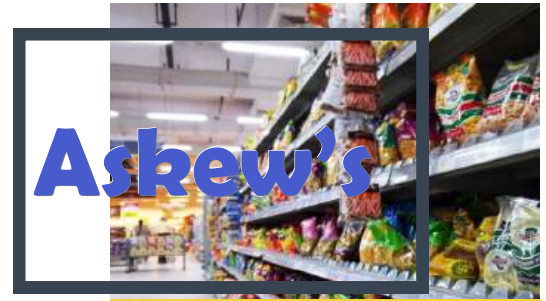
The entry fees (for non-exhibitors) of the IPE. Please note that those 85 years, or older, are FREE :)

Wilma

***General Admission does not include rodeo/PBR/dances/rides**

General Admission	Day Pass	3-Day	5- Day
Adult	\$22	\$55	\$95
Senior	\$16	\$40	\$55
Senior Wed & Thurs	\$14		
Youth (13 – 17 years)	\$16	\$40	\$60
Child (6 – 12 years)	\$10	\$25	\$40
Under 5	Free	Free	Free
Over 85	Free	Free	Free
Family	\$55	\$140	\$200
Family Early bird	\$45		
Mobility Impaired	\$18		
Includes assistant			

An excellent turnout on a very smoky Sunday Aug 20th at Zion United Church, including a family of four from the Netherlands.



Thank you for continuing to support our Askew's card program.

As of the end of July we have sold enough cards to give our church a profit of \$2450 this year .

They will be available on Sundays at Zion from Eleanor, Sharon or Isobel. Or phone Eleanor at 250-546-8195 to order yours.

Eleanor



ZUC Hall Breakfast & Lunch Option

A big Thank You to all that contributed to the 'ZUC Hall Breakfast & Lunch Option' event held during the Rods & Rails Show & Shine of August 19th. We are very appreciative of the many folk who were able to support us with donations of baking, corn, time, and attendance! Over \$500 profit was submitted to the ZUC treasurer!

Marj, Maureen, Catherine, Wilma





The Church Hall Roof and Church Finances.....

***Let the rains come!
No more leaky 70 year old church hall
roof!
No more drip pans inside the hall!
Yeah!***

As promised, Quality Roofing finished installing the new hall roof by the end of July, and on August 15 Zion's cheque for payment in full was cashed.

In the past week several members have inquired about the effect of the new roof on Zion's finances. The total cost of the roof was \$19,263.30 with GST included. We will recover GST of \$458.65 leaving \$18,804.65 to come out of the Building Fund.

As you can see in the statement below, payment for the roof left the Building Fund \$8,222.30 in the hole. The \$8,222.30 has been temporarily borrowed from operating reserves.

Our total operating revenue to the end of July is \$12,500 more than last year, and that is over and above the \$7,048.93 donated to the Building Fund. We are very grateful and encouraged by the additional offerings made, and the energy put into fundraising, catering, and rentals. But we still have a YTD operating deficit of (\$7,144.56).

Donations to replenish the funds used for the hall roof would be very much appreciated.

Submitted by Leona Harrison on behalf of the Finance Committee