

BY THE WAY

by John McKinley

Country album

- 1) **Anything Goes**
Florida Georgia Line
- 2) **Montevallo**
Sam Hunt
- 3) **Old Boots, New Dirt**
Jason Aldean

from topcountry.ca

Famous

- 1) **Jodie Foster**
actress is 5
- 2) **Calvin Klein**
designer is
- 3) **Meg Ryan**
actress is 5

Help make fantasy come true

By the way, did you hear:

- **Lynn Hale** and the local **VI Film and Entertainment Co-op** needs our help for a chance at winning \$10,000 to help fund its **Lady of the Bridge** film project. The project is participating in a **Telus Storyhive** competition where winning projects are decided through popular voting (which is where you come in!).

“Go to Storyhive.com, go to the right and click on “Sign Up”, then Vote, then change the tab to A-Z for alpha and drag your cursor down the side about half way until you get to “L” and Lady of the Bridge,” Hales says.

The medieval fantasy series was written by **Nicole Faucher** who is a big *Games of Thrones* fan. The \$10,000 means funding for equipment, costumes, makeup, permits and more to help make the film happen

- **Karyne Bailey** tells us her daughters **Tia** and **Becka** and the rest of the crew at **Duncan Dynamics Gymnastics** are doing a fundraiser with Purdy’s chocolates. Email duncandynamics@shaw.ca for info.

- Vancouver Island volleyball guru **Vic Lindal** and his buddy **Kent Andrews** say they keep coming back as volunteer volleyball referees at **Duncan Christian School** because of the outstanding organization, quality volunteer line

judging and scorekeeping, and the best chili concession a ref could ask for.

- **Hayley Picard** tells us Fine Arts students at **Queen Margaret’s School** are preparing to stage *Fame—The Musical* this spring. **Martina Blake** and **Alison Hounsome** will lead more than 40 students, including **Yuki Watanabez**, **Cassy Marr**, **Sierra Tanner**, **Jacob McIntyre**, **Stephen Igbiosa** and **Alexzandra Haggith-Sookachoff**.

- We hear from **Emily Kiloh** that **Duncan’s Mr. Mike’s Steakhouse** is kicking off the holiday season with a **Deeds Well Done** program. Between Nov. 17 and Dec. 31, diners are encouraged to nominate fellow community members for their good deeds. One will be randomly selected and receive \$500 to donate to a registered charity of their choice. They will also receive a \$100 Mr. Mike’s gift card.

The restaurant will also be hosting a toy drive supporting the **Kiwanis Society**. Until Dec. 14, guests are encouraged to bring in a new, unwrapped toy with a minimum \$10 value. You’ll get a free appetizer.

Exciting things happening for you, your friends or your family that you want to share with your community? Send me a quick email at editor@cowichannewsleader.com. We’d love to spread the word.