

2007 Skeena – BVLD Woodstove Exchange Program

## Gearing up for Fall



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Fall is on its way, and it's time to think about home heating once again! With your year's supply of firewood already split, stacked and seasoned, it's now time to give the chimney a good sweep and to make sure that your wood stove is ready to operate at peak efficiency. If your wood stove was built or installed before 1994, then the best way to improve your wood burning efficiency is by upgrading to a super-efficient, clean-burning appliance. **Super Stove and the Wood Stove Exchange Program are here to help.**

There are still over **200 rebates of \$250** each to be distributed by the BVLD Airshed Management Society to residents between Burns Lake and Terrace who upgrade to a more clean burning appliance. Visit a participating retailer or contact Colin at the X-Change Hotline to get your hands on a voucher before they are gone.

In addition, there are still 14 **\$500 Rebates** from the **Village of Burns Lake** (contact Fire Chief Jim McBride or Village office for details), and 20 **\$300 rebates** from the **District of Houston** (contact Fire Chief Ken Thomson for details).

And remember,

**Save on Firewood:** New, high efficiency woodstoves use 1/3 less wood, saving you time and money.

**Save on House Insurance:** Clean burning stoves greatly reduce risks of chimney fire and if your annual wood use drops below two or three cords, then your woodstove may qualify as a secondary heat source, reducing your monthly house insurance rate.

**Favourable Financing** at local Credit Unions. Loans up to **\$5000** for program participants with an interest rate of **prime plus 0%** (Contact your local credit union for loan applications and details).

**Many Retailers also offer In-store Discounts and Financing.** Ask your local retailer for details.

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**Taking the show on the Road...** you may have recently seen us at a community event near you. Over the past year we have held 11 Burn Trailer Demonstrations at community events throughout the region, including:

- Bulkley Valley Fall Fair, Aug 06
- Houston Trade Show, Sept 06
- Smithers Mountain Hockey Tournament, Winter 07
- Houston Mall Demonstration, Winter 07
- Smithers Trade Show, Spring 07
- Terrace Trade Show, Spring 07
- Smithers Burn it Smart Workshop, Spring 07
- Houston Burn it Smart Workshop, Spring 07
- Burns Lake Trade Show, Spring 07
- Granisle Days and Parade, Summer 07
- Hazelton's Pioneer Days, Summer 07

If you would like to meet us and see the difference for yourself, visit us at the **Bulkley Valley Fall Fair August 23-26** or the **Houston Trade Show, September 7 and 8**. Or, let us know if there's an event coming up in your neighbourhood that we could participate in.

**Take advantage of rebates, financing and firewood savings by Upgrading to a new efficient woodstove today!**



**Use LESS WOOD and be GOOD to your neighbourhood!**

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