



## New Regional Calendar Launched



The Peace Liard Regional Arts Council has produced a distinctive calendar for 2008 featuring twelve works chosen from the 2007 Regional Juried Art Exhibit, held in Fort Nelson this spring. Housed in a CD case, the calendar is compact and makes an excellent Christmas gift, highlighting the talents of our regional visual artists.

The CD is available at the Dawson Creek Art Gallery for \$17 each. Mail orders are available at \$20 each. Phone 782-2601 to order or for more information.

## Ink-Stained Reading Series

Local poet Rebekah Rempel has spearheaded a new reading series in Dawson Creek, titled Ink-Stained Reading Series. The kickoff for the series was September 27, and featured Ian LeTourneau and Sherry Coffey from Athabasca.

The next reading will be held at the Dawson Creek Art Gallery on Tuesday, November 6th at 7:00 pm. Dawson Creek's Marilyn Belak and Dymphny Dronyk will be reading, with an open mic to start. A suggested donation of \$2 will help cover expenses for this new series, and refreshments will be provided.

## Acting & Improv Workshop with John Stuart

\*In partnership with Peace Liard Regional Arts Council, Theatre BC, and the Peace River Zone.

### Workshop #1: Improv in a Nutshell

Ever see an improv show and think: "How did they do that? It must have been set up beforehand!" Learn to think on your feet like a pro. This 3 hour workshop is designed for inexperienced actors, but can be adapted based on the experience level of the group. Bring comfy clothes. Shed your inhibitions.

### Workshop #2: Make It Clear: Using Intentions in Acting

"What are you doing? I don't believe you!" Avoid the 'Stand over there and just say your line' syndrome. This 3 hour workshop is designed to give actors and directors the tools for more natural scene work. "Where should I stand?" "What should I do with my hands?" These questions fade when an actor uses strong intentions. Scripts will be provided or John can work with your group on scenes from your own productions.

Workshops are \$40 each or free to TBC members.

**Thursday, November 1:** Improve Your Improv  
Fort St John (Host Club Stage North): 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Contact Sue Popesku at [spopesku@shaw.ca](mailto:spopesku@shaw.ca) or call 785-6214.

**Friday, November 2:** Using Intentions in Acting  
Hudson's Hope (Host Club Reviving the Spirit):  
6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

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**Saturday, November 3:** Improve Your Improv +  
Using Intentions in Acting  
Dawson Creek (Dionysus Theatre, Sudeten Hall,  
Pioneer Village):

9:00 am - 12:00 pm, Using Intentions in Acting

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm, Improve Your Improv

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