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Good Afternoon,

Just passing along this info that was just shared with our TNRD Board of Directors.

Have a lovely weekend!



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Good Afternoon and Happy Friday,

Here is a brief update on some of the recent Film Commission activities:

- Local productions wrapped in March:
  - My Secret Santa (Sun Peaks / Kamloops)
  - 13<sup>th</sup> Wife (Ashcroft)
- New productions added to the interactive Movie Map.
  - [Sierra Truck Ad](#)
  - TVO Kids “[All Round Champion](#)” (filmed partially at Shumway Lake)
  - [Incandescence](#) (National Film Board) (filmed partially at Monte Lake)
  - [Travels With Agatha Christie and Sir David Suchet](#) (Britbox) (filmed partially on the Rocky Mountain Rail with footage near Lytton)
  - [Great Alaskan and Canadian Railroad Journeys](#) (Knowledge Network) – episode 4 Vancouver Island to Kamloops.
- Learn About Film

- We hosted over 50 eager filmmakers from within the TNRD and as far away as Abbotsford and the Cariboo on March 7/8 for two successful days of learning about filmmaking
- Although there were many highlights, one special one was that we were privileged to see one of the episodes of the new Knowledge Network 5 part docuseries, [Wildfire](#), and hear how the series came together from Showrunner Kevin Eastwood. Some of this series was filmed in the TNRD.
- F.I.N.E. – Our monthly film networking event for March celebrated International Women’s Day with a talk by [Women in the Director’s Chair](#) founder, Dr. Carol Whiteman.
- [W7EYLE \(MOON’S WIFE\)](#), written and directed by local filmmaker Amanda Wandler, was shown at the [Crazy8s Film Society](#) gala screening in Vancouver, featuring Secwépemc actress, Grace Dove.
- A recent film production that used our egenerators for 4 weeks, saved the planet approximately 132 kg of Co2 emissions.
- Partially filmed in TNRD, “Die Alone,” received a nomination of *Performance in a Leading Role, Drama Carrie-Anne Moss* at the [Canadian Screen Awards](#).
- Upcoming events:
  - April 11 - [Get Fast showing in Cache Creek](#)
  - April 11 – 13 [Celebration of 70 years of the Paramount Theatre](#), by the Kamloops Film Society
    - April - September - [Kamloops Museum and Archives exhibit](#), “Wide Angle: The Landscape of film in Kamloops. The landscape of Kamloops in Film” – part of the celebrations for the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Paramount Theatre and the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Kamloops Film society.
  - April 14-17, Attending Creative Industries Week in Victoria.
  - April 20 FINE hosted by Kamloops Afro Film Society “What You Don’t Know About Your Story”
  - April 28 – 30, Upcoming Familiarization tour for location managers, partially supported by Tourism Kamloops and Cariboo Chilcotin Coast Tourism Association.

Feel free to reach out if you have follow up inquiries. Thank you for your ongoing support of Film Industry growth in the Thompson-Nicola.



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