

AROUND TOWN

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MOSAIC CRANSTON UNVEILS NEW TOWNHOMES

The popular community of Cranston in the southeast gets its newest multi-family jewel, as Hawthorne Homes' Mosaic Cranston opened five new townhome show suites on September 1.

Mosaic Cranston offers contemporary condominium row townhomes with single and double attached garages. "We feature seven thoughtfully-designed floor plans — ranging from 720 to 1,450 square-feet — with one- to three-bedroom models to choose from with either rear or mid kitchens," says Hawthorne Homes' Jill Maryniuk.

Each Mosaic Cranston townhome boasts a maintenance free yard, in-suite laundry and attached garage, she adds.

Prices in Mosaic Cranston start at the \$280,000s plus GST. Mosaic Cranston is located at 206 Cranford Road SE.

For more information, visit www.rightplacerrighttime.ca



BALL HOCKEY FIGHTS PROSTATE CANCER

In an effort to raise awareness and funds in the fight against prostate cancer, Karoleena Homes' Kurt Goodjohn is forming a team to compete in Scotiabank's Stick It 2010 ball hockey tournament being held October 3 at the Cross Iron Mills mall in Balzac.

Prostate cancer hasn't received the attention it deserves. This is a disease that will affect a staggering one in six men in their lifetime. More than 24,600 men across Canada will be diagnosed in 2010, and more than 4,400 will die of the disease, Goodjohn says. "To beat it, we need to get men and families talking openly about prostate cancer, and to raise funds for groundbreaking research."

For more information, visit www.stickit.net

NEW GOLF RESIDENCES DELIVER ULTIMATE OKANAGAN LIFESTYLE

Nestled in a charming southern corner of British Columbia's celebrated South Okanagan, Canyon Desert Resort is set to sell a collection of 20 golf villas, hugging the greens of the existing Nk'mip Canyon Golf Course.

With an attractive starting price of \$299,000, these villas will mark the beginning of a master-planned resort, which will offer the best value within the Okanagan Valley. Bellstar Hotels & Resorts is currently accepting priority registration for its eagerly anticipated launch on September 28th.

In partnership with the Osoyoos Indian Band and Watermark Asset Management, Bellstar will develop and manage this

exciting project, reinforcing the appeal of the area's wine country lifestyle and shaping the town of Oliver to deliver its first residential resort. Surrounded by lakes, mountains, vineyards and orchards, this picturesque community situated at the northern-most tip of the Sonora Desert offers easy access to more than 120 wineries in the region and has earned a reputation as the Wine Capital of Canada.

"Our refreshing and unique resort concept will draw further attention to the South Okanagan as a compelling year-round destination with vacation, conference and residential opportunities," says Curt Jansen, Director of Real Estate for Bellstar Hotels & Resorts.



Artists rendering, Canyon Desert Resort

"The two and three bedroom golf villas will offer range from 1,050 to 1,550 square-feet with an additional 1,000 square-feet of integrated outdoor-living space."

Phase One of the golf villas will be released on September 28. **CL**

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