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The West Kootenay Women's Association wishes to thank sincerely, the following individuals and businesses for their donations to our 5th Annual Women's Festival, Aug. 21st.

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Response warm to annual festival

The West Kootenay Women's Association held its fifth annual Women's Festival at the Vallican Whole Community Centre on Aug. 21. As a fun and fund-raising event it was a great success and attracted women from all over the province and the United States.

The festival started at noon. The festival quickly came alive as more and more women began to fill the Centre and the grounds in the early afternoon.

The workshop on Wen-Do attracted a large number of women. Equally popular and enjoyable were the workshops on astrology, natural healing, feminist politics, poetry and a healing circle. During the

workshops children were entertained with films and trips to the river for a swim.

Many women brought food donations and a marvellous pot-luck supper was shared, followed by live entertainment provided by women artists from the community — J. Gratanni, S. Cogan, K. Godfrey, L.C. Allen, M. Seagull and Lynn Lidstone.

An auction was interspersed throughout the live entertainment. Items auctioned had been donated by individuals and businesses from the Nelson community and surrounding areas.

Due to the response from the audience to the live entertainment, dancing started later than planned and continued into the early hours of the morning.

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