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"Awesome, thanks a lot PTC Canada for the fast turn around. Great job as always Neel!"

Gabe Tremoyne
 California, USA

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Thanksgiving Message

Dear Clients and Friends,

Another summer has passed by us, and we are having a warm fall so far here in Southern Alberta after records of summer heat waves. Farmers in our community have had a lousy crop from the lack of rain and with all the forest fires in the West, the smoke that covered us most of the summer was unbearable. The mountains still do not have much snow and we need the moisture badly, so hoping for large dumps soon.

Friends, it's time to wake up now! There's never been a time in history when the world is finally pushing back against the deep state agenda of globalism. The recent Project Veritas undercover videos of bureaucrats admitting murdering people with the vaccine is confirmed with Johnson & Johnson employees confessing to the dangers of vaccines, and the vaccinated are getting COVID. The good thing about these exposés is the mainstream media is so hated now, even when they tell the truth, no one believes them. Independents like Project Veritas are taken at face value, no questions asked. That's amazing for a company barely over 10 years old, so it just goes to show anybody can do this. Del Bigtree, a long-time vaccine revealer through two movies, Vaxxed: From Cover Up to Catastrophe (2016) and Vaxxed II: The People's Truth Documentary (2019), has been in the game a long time and had nowhere the success Project Veritas did last month. The revelations making headlines about the medical industry are not only profound, the public is now learning about the tyranny practised by practitioners behind the scenes.

Many doctors and health professionals are now speaking out with proclamations like the 7,000+ member Rome Declaration and the near million signatures of the Barrington Declaration stating we never needed to have

a lockdown, and, needless to say, social media has stepped up their censorship campaigns. Back in July, President Donald Trump wrote in the Wall Street Journal why he launched a class action lawsuit to sue big tech. He's had tens of thousands of joiners with a litany of evidence to go after them all. Google whistle blower Zach Vorhies has been on a year long mission to explain Google's real goal is to enslave humanity and it's no wonder so many have switched over to alternatives like Duckduckgo, Startpage, and more. Google's even skewing their translation website so you can't accurately understand another language! And don't think their own employees were exempt; as soon as they were all working remotely at home, they started getting their pay cut, so no one escapes Google's tentacles.

If anybody is watching what's going on in Australia right now with the tyrannical lockdowns, it's pretty close to martial law. Well, bad news: some bulletins I'm looking at right now look like that or worse is heading to Canada as we speak. Unfortunately, the War Measures Act can suspend civil liberties much like we've seen during COVID since last March and that's the reason you're seeing uprisings happening here. Many don't know Canada has over 6,000,000 gun owners and that judges have upheld self defense charges, so no surprise the Feds can't stormtrooper us like our "down under" counterparts.

That's why it is important to prepare now. I highly recommend being ready for it with food, supplies, etc. I always keep 2 weeks of perishables like dairy and fruits, 2 months of frozen goods like meats and vegetables, and 2 years of harder staples like spices, rice, pasta, and canned goods. For gosh sakes, don't take the law into your own hand and go rogue on them. I know many are frustrated

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Neel's Message, continued

and want all this to end now but it must be "lawfully done," so let the military and law enforcement do their jobs. Canadians have been incredibly restrained so far, and I know it's hard to trust those in charge but I'm confident the good guys will be back soon, so hang on to your integrity.

One trend I see emerging out of this is the "Intuitive Economy," which is going to be the beginning of a new concept of interacting like never before. As this old, controlling system is dying, new opportunities are opening. COVID has proven you can now work, learn, and do much out of your residence. Home schooling is up over 1,000% in under a year with no sign of reversing, and computers and telecommunication have done the same for the workforce. One trend I've noticed the last few years is the increase of RV parks. I thought it was strange considering people have less discretionary income but it turns out people are selling their homes and becoming full time road warriors. They are creating their own communities without being tied down, and it's not just retirees but young families, too.

Cities like Vancouver are outrageously expensive and it's easy to have \$1 million+ of equity in a home. You could easily get a nice, winterized RV with a new vehicle for a fraction of the price and probably have over \$700k in the bank. If several have found it in themselves to make this move, you not only have positive cashflow, but are not tied down to a

municipality in case things go bad. I had a few clients who did this, and the main reason was not just finances, but they wanted to preserve their freedoms. Many are discontent with corporate agendas and want their individualities with privacy honoured without mobile restrictions, so the intuitive economy will be an autonomous, decentralized, small markets trading with low restrictions. More on this as it develops, but it's an exciting movement!

Last Thanksgiving, I had the usual deep fried turkey which I've been doing since 2012. This year I'm having roasted wild boar. Alberta is reputed for this critter, and if you haven't had it before it is something to behold. While it is gamey tasting, it's very lean and goes down nice. You'll get lots of compliments from your guests so see if there is a seller close to you if you want something new. I'd like to thank all the regulars for years of loyalty since 1998 and the opportunity to wish you, your family, and all loved ones a safe and restful Thanksgiving while enjoying the latest **Tax Tipper with your turkey--wherever that may be, and remember, "THE BEST IS YET TO COME"**!

Neel Roberts
President and Founder

What's Happening

E-File Available All Year

For those of you who have been following my newsletters over the years, it's exciting to know that E-file is now available year round for personal returns.

You can now file previous returns if you're behind up to 4 years, meaning you can go back to 2017. For corporate and GST returns, you may be able to go back as far as 10 years. For further information check out the "E-File" webpage or contact the call center at 1-800-959-8281.



2021 Tax Service Now Available



As some of you were alerted to in the summer, 2021 tax preparation service is now available. Those who have all their information or are filing zero income can take advantage of this service and avoid the rush. You can also get the paperwork yourself from the forms website. Unfortunately most will have to wait until early March 2022 when they have all their T-slips, etc. One of the bonuses is the 2021 calculations are also available (of course based on the current information) so, for example, if a client foresees a sizable amount of money coming from a buyout with the option to defer, it's always recommended they book a consultation to utilize the most tax advantageous strategy. I have done several of these and have saved clients untold thousands with a brief planning tactic. Unfortunately, most end up paying too much tax on severances because they are not properly informed on how to address it!

More on What's Happening

Another Federal Election Come and Gone

For those who care, yes, another election has come and gone.

Knowledge Bureau has put together a [special report](#) going over what to expect for the rest of 2021 and moving into the New Year. More on this as events unfold but it has been unusually quiet since it's been over for a couple of weeks.



Seven Areas the Canada Revenue Agency is Scrutinizing

The CRA is selecting certain transactions at which to take a closer look. This does not necessarily mean an audit but more like an FYI. Sometimes fishing letters go out to trick people into admissions which were not required but, according to a [Fasken Law article](#), here are the ones to look out for: Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy ("CEWS") Applications, Gains or Income from Cryptocurrency Transactions, Transfer Pricing Transactions, Transactions Involving Treaties, GST/HST Avoidance and Evasion, Tax Evasion Involving Trusts and Shareholder Benefits. That's quite a list and technically it can cover almost everybody for everything in this country but we must wait at least one tax season to see how much actually happens.



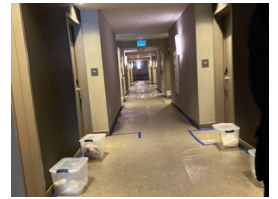
Today's Youth Will Pay For Yesterday's Debt Tomorrow

Recent budget expenditures are placing high tax burdens on youth entering the work force. According to a [Fraser Institute article](#), 16 to 25 year olds can expect to pay a lifetime tax burden of at least \$20,000 as a consequence of the increase in federal debt. Compared to a few thousand for senior citizens, it's another setback for the upcoming generation. Add on the cost of a failing health system, inflation out of control, and an uncertain job market, life will no doubt be tough for them unless there's a dramatic change in the financial system.



Claiming Quarantine Hotel Costs and COVID Testing

Many who were unexpectedly quarantined in hotels for testing positive for COVID were often stuck with bills for thousands of dollars. While the testing should be deductible under current legislation, unfortunately the hotel costs aren't, according to a [recent article by Knowledge Bureau](#). Don't throw those receipts out as there may be enough push from the public for policy changes to allow this claim. Much of the COVID pandemic is not settled yet and it's up to the people to insist this is deductible, so contact your MP about this.



New International Tax on the Way?

You can't make this up, but rumors of a new International Tax may be on the way. A [recent article by Knowledge Bureau](#) explains the details but the theory behind this is businesses are moving some of their operations overseas to avoid taxes in countries like Canada. Therefore, the tax base is eroding, and government must find some way to make this up. While Canadian jurisprudence argues these recommendations aren't enforceable, I have no doubt this will be filled with sophistry and the little people will get stuck with the burden. Amazingly you can't find much of this in mainstream media which is no surprise!



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CRA Not Collecting COVID-19 Overpayments?

Real People with Real Questions About Real Situations



Dear Neel,
I claimed the CERB last year even though I'm probably not entitled to it since I've been a pensioner for years and my wife and I haven't worked in years. Is CRA actively requesting this money back? We can't seem to get a straight answer anywhere and friends of ours are in similar situations anxiously waiting.

Steve W.

Dear Steve W.,

It seems to be an enigma since much of CRA employees are still working out of their homes with no expected date of return. With over 45,000 employees and pending vaccination mandates, it's hard to tell what their future is if many lose their jobs for refusing the vaccine. There are instances where CRA has back tracked on their own rules with the recipient keeping \$5,000.00. There seems to be audits going on for previous claims but, on the other hand, there is an expansion of worker's benefits. I have heard through various meetings that CRA collections has started to talk to people but I don't know if any enforcement actions have been taken. You can check out the COVID 19 website for updates but my conclusion is there's no official word on the street CRA has executed any type of reclamation of these payments so far. Good Luck!

Neel

Are you *Just Asking* tax questions?
Neel can *Just Answer* them.



Don't miss ...



The Leonids meteor shower peaking Tuesday, November 16, 2021. Astronomy fans and enthusiasts can follow Neel's monthly columns the first Wednesday of every month!

It's a Photo Finish!

It's The Great Pumpkin "Weekend" Charlie Brown



One of the top 10 pumpkins in their backyard

Courtesy www.twincities.com

Remember that classic 60's Peanuts cartoon "It's the Great Pumpkin Charlie Brown"? Well, it still airs after 55 years around this time but Linus Van Pelt, the believer of the October 31st visitor, now has competition. The Stillwater Harvest Festival has a milestone holder from Chris Stevens and his daughter Amber of New Richmond, Wisconsin. At 1,810 lbs., they still hold a record which they grew in their backyard 11 years ago and which is now known as the "Great Pumpkin Weekend." While the Peanuts' mystical figure didn't show up in the patch like Linus had hoped, this legacy will last a long time!

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Did You Know?



A wild turkey can sprint up to 30km/hr?



Now that's a road runner!



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