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Welcome to Summer

Welcome to summer, a season that at its very best is about reveling in the goodness of day-to-day living. As the pace of life slows down these next few months, it's hoped that you set aside time to rest and relax, enjoy your favorite hobbies, and spend time with family and friends.

This last month we did just that and took a break from the daily rush of life. We took a fun filled family vacation to Cancun, Mexico. The last time Annie and I were in Cancun was during our honeymoon. This trip we had the pleasure to share it with Aidan, Janet and my mother in law Peggy. I hope you enjoy the photos.

This issue celebrates summertime bliss. We open the doors to four different homes that make the most of their outdoor spaces while bringing the best of the season indoors as well. Our destination feature explores Banff and Lake Louise, some of the most gorgeous scenery in all of North America. Free up time for your favorite pastimes by heeding our tips for better work-life balance. And to fuel your energy for those hot summer days, we've assembled a handful of nutritious, simple-to-prepare dishes that are easily portable, making them the perfect addition to backyard barbecues, poolside get-togethers, and picnics in the park.

As always, thank you for your business, support, and friendship. If you are ever in need of professional assistance and advice regarding your home and the current real estate market, please do not hesitate to call. You can be assured that your needs will be met with the utmost integrity and professionalism.

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