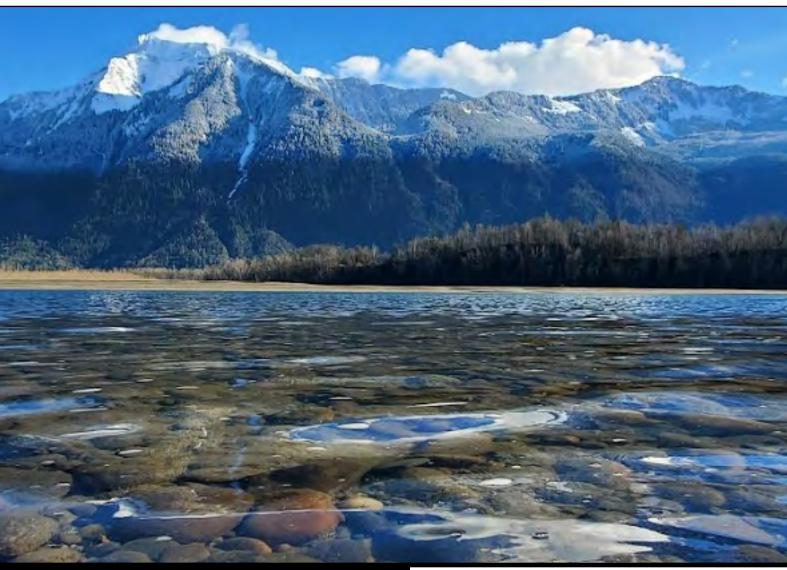


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CHEAM FIRST NATION

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER: June 17, 2022



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CHEAM VISION STATEMENT

We the people of Cheam are committed to developing a united and harmonious community. We respect individual's diversity and promote a healthy, self-sufficient lifestyle. We need one another and value one another's views. In appreciation of our uniqueness, we foster mental, physical, emotional and spiritualwellbeing. In doing so, we strive to build pride, dignity and respect amongst our people.

FIND US ONLINE:









ADMINISTRATION NOTICES/UPDATES

SAFETY DURING COVID-19

Only by working together can we keep our community safe!

If you have symptoms please contact the Seabird Nursing Team to request rapid tests:

Cheam Nursing Office 604-794-7171

Seabird Health 604-796-2177

If you test positive for COVID-19, you need to:

- Self-isolate and manage your symptoms
- 2. Let your close contacts know
- 3. Complete an online form to report your test result

PROVINCIAL UPDATE SITE

Safety recommendations:

- Keep personal gatherings as small as possible
- Stick to the same group of people and only with those you know are fully vaccinated
- Outdoor gatherings are safer than indoor
- Reduce social interactions
- Ensure proper ventilation indoors by opening windows
- Avoid all travel, if you're not fully vaccinated
- Follow the current federal travel advisory
- Stay home if you feel sick

ENBRIDGE

PUBLIC NOTICE

Natural Gas Pipeline Work Underway in Your Area

Westcoast Energy Inc., an Enbridge Company, will be conducting controlled natural gas venting in June and July (2022) at Compressor Station 9, within Cheam First Nation lands.

The approximate dates for this work are as follows: June 06th, 07th, 08th, 09th, 10th, 13th, 15th, 17th, and July 5th, 09th, 28th. We expect that the venting will occur once or twice per day and will vary in duration. This is a standard procedure necessary to conduct operations and maintence work at our compressor station.

You may hear noise as a result of this work or smell a gas odor. However, there is no health or safety risk to the public.

Enbridge apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause.

For more information, please contact:

Paul Summers Land and Community Advisor paul.summers@enbridge.com (604) 997-5416



NOTICE TO COMMUNITY OF A CHANGE TO THE CHEAM COUNCIL MEETING DATES IN 2022

The Cheam First Nation Chief and Council approve to amend the Cheam First Nation Chief and Council 2022 Meeting Schedule to the following dates:



- June 28
- July 26
- August 23
- September 13 & September 27
- October 11 & October 25
- November 8 & November 22
- December 13



SAVE THE DATE - UPCOMING EVENTS!



June 21, 2022 Band Office Closed for Indigenous Peoples Day

Canada's National Indigenous Peoples Day gives us a chance to recognize the many achievements of the country's Indigenous peoples. The day also celebrates the distinct cultures and unique traditions of these Indigenous communities.



June 23, 2022 Cheam Gondola Gathering 3-6pm

An invitation for the Cheam Community to learn about all the different components of the Cascade Skyline Gondola Project broken down into different tables and activities. Give your feedback, ask questions, enjoy a catered dinner, and win prizes for your participation. For more information see the <u>event page</u>.



<u>June 25, 2022</u> Cheam's Indigenous Peoples Day Celebration 11am-3pm Stick games, face painting, bouncy castle, arts & crafts. Outside the Cheam Multiplex. Lunch at 12:00pm





Cheam's participation in the First Nations Drinking Water Class Action Lawsuit Settlement

This Class Action Lawsuit is pertaining to Canada's failure to ensure clean, safe drinking water within First Nation Communities. Fifty (50) First Nations across Canada participated in a National Class Action Lawsuit and won support from the Courts directing Canada to pay compensation to those who suffered from a lack of access to clean drinking water.

Cheam First Nation joined the Class Action in June 2021 as we were subject to long-term boil water advisories from October 2011 to October 2012 and November 2013 to November 2014. Members and non-members (with Status Cards) living in the Community during the boil water advisories can and will be included in the Class Action.

Council has directed staff to compile and submit a list of Members and non-members (with Status Cards) that lived in the Community during the years of the boil water advisories. **To confirm that** you have been included in the Class Action Lawsuit and/or to update your contact information, please connect Rachel Wille at 604-794-7924 or via email at rachel.wille@cheamband.com by June 30, 2022.

Once the list has been submitted, the First Nations Drinking Water Administrator will contact you directly to collect additional information such as banking information, Status Card Number, current address, etc. All individual financial compensation awarded will be sent to you, directly.

If you suffered specific injuries due to the boil water advisory, you may also submit a specific claim for compensation. To submit the Specific Claim, please log onto https://firstnationsdrinkingwater.ca/ and click on claims. All Specific Claims must be filed and received by the First Nations Drinking Water Administrator by March 7, 2023.

For any additional information on the Class Action Lawsuit, please log onto https://firstnationsdrinkingwater.ca/ or call 1-833-252-4220.



Call 1-833-265-7589 or visit firstnationsdrinkingwater.ca for more information.

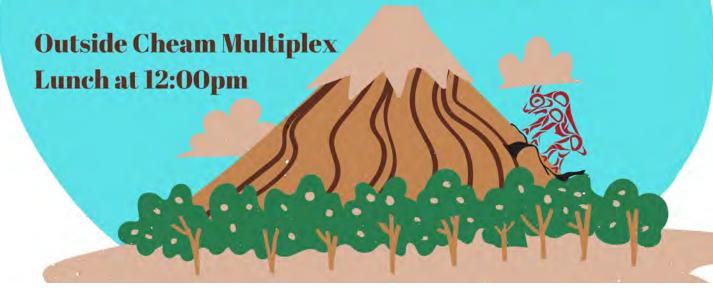




Cheam Indigenous Peoples Day

June 25th, 2022 11am-3pm Everyone Welcome!

Stick games, face painting, bouncy castle, arts & crafts



HALQ'EMEYLEM LANGUAGE TEACHINGS

Friday, June 24th 12-1pm Virtual Meeting: Zoom

Session will include: Halq'emeylem
Language history, volume chart (alphabet),
resources, greetings.

Guest speaker:

Eddy Gardner, Sqwa (Skwah) First Nations and Gracie Kelly



MOVIENIGHT

★ Now Showing ★



SATURDAY 25 JUNE

Join us on the Arena Dry Floor for a family-friendly movie experience on a big screen presented by Fresh Air Cinema.

6:30 PM



CHEAM ELDERS CORNER

Residential School Memorial Grant

On Wednesday, May 25th the Elders met and formed their first working group pertaining to the Residential School Memorial grant. This funding is to support a memorial and healing are within the Community. A few of the suggestions that were brought forward from the Elders that attended the working group were for:

- A Pit House and Healing Garden;
- Art installations;
- A House Post: or
- A Memorial Bench

As there is not enough funding to support all of the suggestions, the Elders have requested your assistance on how to use this funding and hope that you would please take a moment to provide comments to the following questions?

1. Do you feel that the Residential School Memorial Grant funding should be expanded to incorporate all those that we have lost due to Addiction, the 60's Scoop, Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls, and Children in Care?

- If you were to select one, which would be a priority for you: 2.
 - A Memorial Bench:
 - Art Installations:
 - A House Post: or
 - A Pit House Surrounded by a Healing Garden.
- Do you have any other suggestions on what the funds could be used for? 3.
- Would you be interested in submitting artwork or a conceptual drawing? 4.
- If there were to be a Healing Garden, House Post, Art Installation, or Memorial Bench where would you like to see it placed in the Community?

Please drop off your comments to Daphne or email them to rachel.wille@cheamband.com On behalf of the Elder's, we appreciate all of your comments and suggestions.

2022 CHEAM ELDERS MEETINGS

The Elders meeting schedule for 2022 is below (Cheam Members only). Lunch is available at 12 pm with the meeting to follow.

- June 28, 2022
- July 19, 2022
- August 16, 2022
- September 20, 2022
- October 18, 2022
- November 15, 2022
- December 13, 2022



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EUGENE MURPHY	JUNE 17
JUNE QUIPP	JUNE 17

ERNEST WALTER CREY JUNE 21

MARY AGNES VAN IEPEREN JUNE 22

JUNE 24 VINCENT P. DOUGLAS









HEALTH & WELLNESS NOTICES/UPDATES

FREE SOMATIC TRAUMA THERAPY FOR CHEAM MEMBERS

All Cheam Community Members are welcome to register for this free Trauma Therapy. Initial intake sessions are one on one with Winchester Victor. They can be booked with Diana Giroux in the Health Department. For questions specific to the program please contact Winchester at winchester.victor39@gmail.com

SOMATIC TRAUMA THERAPY

To be traumatized is to have parts of ourselves stuck in a stage of reacting to something that made our body feel threatened. The process is instinctive, but the experience is very personal and sensitive. Being traumatized affects all parts of us: spirit, body, emotions, and mind. Our body can help get us to the end of the process.

To distinguish between "trauma" and "being traumatized":

- Trauma is an event or situation that triggers our short-term survival instincts.
- Being traumatized is a stage in the process of responding to the trauma. Our body knows how to process threats to survival. This is an instinctive process. Similar to
- digestion. With digestion, our body just processes on its own. We can't put the brakes
 on digestion by choosing to mentally. But with processing being traumatized, we can
- mentally choose to put the brakes on the process. Most of us have learned to do
- exactly that.

The way to complete the process is to choose to allow uncomfortable physical sensations and emotions to do what they want. When we can give control of our body to our body, our body will guide us to the end of the stuck stage.

Completing the process of being traumatized brings up feelings of fear, anger, and grief. When we stay with those feelings, they will get processed just by being given the space. All we have to do is stick with them. This is easier said than done.

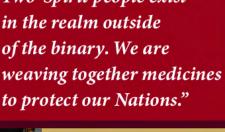
Somatic trauma therapy will be run in groups of 4 people, meeting weekly, for 12 weeks. Consider how committing to this program would affect other parts of life.

In small groups, we support each other through an adapted talking circle and a somatic trauma therapy session.



- Each meeting includes a grounding tool, something to help us reconnect to our
- physical and emotional state.
- Then we learn about trauma and emotions through teachings, from both western and Indigenous cultures.
- We learn to compassionately witness each other and to be witnessed.
- The last portion of the meeting is somatic trauma therapy. Together in our small group, I guide people one at a time through the process of giving control of their bodies over to their bodies. There is often some shaking, crying, or other involuntary movement or sounds. This is part of the body's instinctive process of resolving being traumatized.







Medicine Bundles for Indigenous Peoples 18+

We appreciate your support with this initiative and spreading the word as we aim to make accessible this resource to our many Indigenous and Two-Spirit kin in your area.

It is all about distributing "Medicine Bundles" to Indigenous adults in BC! The Medicine Bundle is hand-sewn and filled with items chosen by Two-Spirit and Indigenous people. It contains HIV Self Test kits/Dried Blood Spot Tests, and you can customize it with White Sage, Tobacco Ties, Cedar, Smudge Bowls, Bear Grease, Labrador Tea, and more!

The "priority" people the project aims to reach would identify as Two-spirit but it is available to any and all indigenous people in BC age 18 and up.

This Bundle encourages safety in sexual health and combines it with culture and community through the choice and pairing of traditional medicines - ultimately strengthening and nurturing our indigenous identity as ceremonial gifts.

Here is the link to the Medicine Bundle initial survey, where folks can create and request their own **Bundles:**

https://www.cbrc.net/medicinebundle



FREE FOOD PROGRAMS IN CHILLIWACK



Last Updated November 2021

Free Food Programs in Chilliwack

		Program Name Starfish		Hosting Organization(s) Chwk Community Services, Chwk	Families of scho	Who this is for Families of school aged children in
		Backpack Program	through the schools	School District, Salvation Army	the Chilliwack School District (elementary to high school)	District chool)
		Salvation Army Pantry	Self selection hamper program	Chilliwack Salvation Army	anyone	
	Hamper	Salvation Army Food Bank	Monthly hamper program	Chilliwack Salvation Army	anyone	
	Pick Up	Food Closet	Basic dry food items up to 6X per calendar year	Sardis Community Church	Anyone living in Sardis	
		Hands Up Chilliwack!	Meal kit ingredients, recipes, & virtual cooking demonstrations	Chilliwack Bowls of Hope Society	Families of school aged (elementary and high school) children (delivery available)	mentary alivery
de		Cyrus Centre Youth Hampers	Bi-weekly food hampers for youth	Chilliwack Cyrus Centre (satellite location of the Salvation Army Foodbank)	Youth 24 years old and under	
Pick L	Baby Food and	Basics for Babies	Baby food, formula, and supplies	Sardis Doorway for Mothers and Children	infants & toddlers up to 6x per calendar year living in Sardis	L
	Formula Pick Up	Meadow Rose Baby supplies	Baby food, formula and anything babies need	Meadow Rose Society	Children 3 and under, 2 visits per month	Jec
	Pantry (& other) item pick up	Chilliwack Community Cupboard	Food, clothing, and other household items available to Chilliwack families at no charge	Chilliwack Community Cupboard Society	Chilliwack families with children under the age of 19	u e
	Meal Pick	Community	Dinner Take Out	Ruth and Naomi's Mission	Anyone	
	d	Soup Kitchen	Lunch Take Out	Chilliwack Salvation Army	Adults only	
	Meal	Feed the Children	Hot, nutritious lunch delivered to schools	Chilliwack Bowls of Hope Society	School aged (elementary and high school) students in need in Chilliwack Public School District	high illiwack
	Service	Cyrus Centre Youth Meals	Packaged meals (lunch, snacks and dinner; breakfast Tues & Thurs)	Chilliwack Cyrus Centre	Youth 24 years old and under	
	Hamper Delivery	Seniors Grocery Program	Free groceries weekly to low- income seniors	Chilliwack & District Seniors Resources Society	Seniors	
1	Meal and Hamper Delivery	Wilma's Transition Society	Hampers and meals (fresh and frozen options), other needs met	Wilma's Transition Society	anyone	

There is also the Food Warehouse behind the Salvation Army in Chilliwack on Yale Road. Warren Schatz is the contact person. warrens@salvationarmychilliwack.ca.







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:QWELSTOM DAY TREATMENT **PROGRAM**

May 3rd - July 12th 2022

Time: 10:00 - 11:00 am Tuesdays

Register: Darren Charlie 604-824-3200

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INDIGENOUS OUTREACH

Our team can provide a range of services to support you in your substance use journey.

- -HARM REDUCTION SUPPLIES
 - INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY COUNSELLING
- -SUBSTANCE USE TREATMENT REFERRALS
 - NALOXONE TRAINING
 - GRIEF AND LOSS SUPPORT
 - GROUP THERAPY
 - RESOURCE NAVIGATION

Are you struggling with substance use? Or know someone that does? Are you wanting support but unsure how to reach out?



Office Phone: 604-701-3660



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We recognize Fraser Health provides care on the unceeded and traditional territories of the Coast Salish and Nlaka'pamux Nations

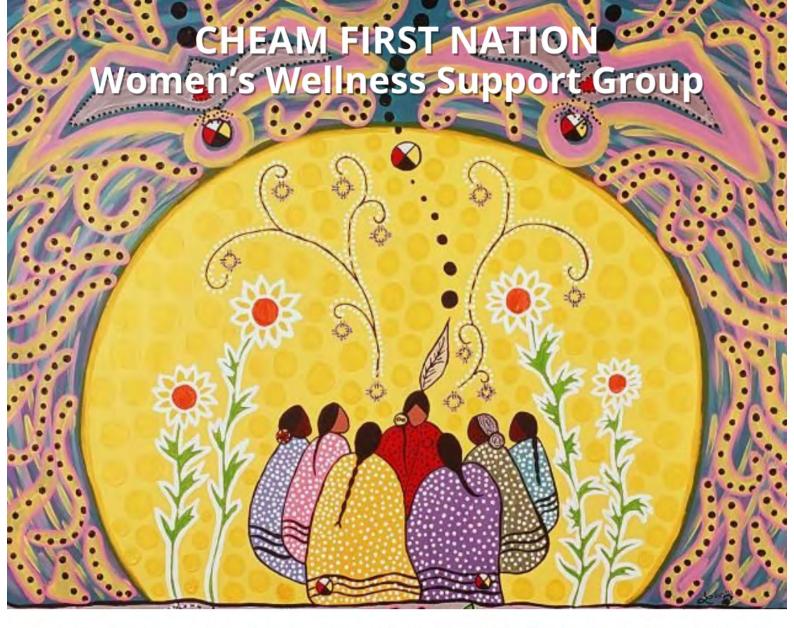
FIND US ONLINE:











Developing Personal Wellness is a weekly open group offered by Cheam Wellness Advocate, Corinne Stone to support women during the on-going COVID-19 restrictions and beyond.

This group meets every Wednesday from 11am-1:30pm in person in the Community Health Room (There will be an option to Zoom in for those unable to

Some of the areas we will explore are:

- * Self-Care
- * Mindfulness Practices
- * Setting Healthy Boundaries
- * Elders' Teachings
- * Crafts and Sewing
- * Beading
- * Workshops (on any needs the group may identify)
- * Visiting Elders/Knowledge Keepers and Ceremony
- * Basic Life Skills

Start Date: Thursday, May 4th, 2022 from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm, in person at the Band office in the Community Health room (by Health reception). Please call 604-794-7927 or email corinne.stone@cheamband.com to sign up.









TUESDAYS MAY 3RD-JULY 5TH 2022 TIME: 1:30PM-3:00PM

Respectful Relationships is a 10 week Men's program. It offers information on how behavior affects our relationships.

JOIN US ON O

TO REGISTER CALL: DARREN CHARLIE

(604) 824-3200
Gain skills to
communitcate as
our Elders would
say "In a good way"

- Respect
- Honour
- Connection





Wellness Supports

HEALTH CARE

FNHA Virtual Doctor of the Day

1-855-344-3800

Prescription refills, access medical support and Virtual Substance Use and Psychiatry Service.
7 days a week from 8:30am – 4:30 pm

FNHA Health Benefits

1-855-550-5454

Access health benefits such as: pharmacy, pregnancy and infant care, medical supplies and medical transportation. Can also put individuals in touch with mental health providers for counselling.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Shares teachings about respecting tobacco and use through a traditional lens. Tools and support to help individuals on their road to being vape and smoke free.

Terrence Pierre: Tobacco Cessation and Reduction Terrence.Pierre@fnha.ca

Administrative support for response and action to combat the COVID-19 Pandemic within communities. Tracks data on positive cases and supports vaccine clinics.

Jacob Kortenbach: Pandemic Response Coordinator Jacob.Kortenbach@fnha.ca

MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Navigation of services including treatment, harm reduction, virtual psychiatry services, counselling, and/or traditional wellness.

Sierra Kortenbach: Regional Mental Health and

Wellness Liaison

Sierra.Kortenbach@fnha.ca

Tracey Jirak: Harm Reduction Educator

Tracey.Jirak@fnha.ca

Mehrdad Ghafouri: Harm Reduction Educator

Mehrdad.Ghafouri@fnha.ca

Leah Brody: Regional Addictions Specialist

Leah.Brody@fnha.ca

COMMUNITY WELLNESS INITIATIVES FACILITATORS

Healthy living activities to support the health and wellness of individuals, families and communities.

Nadine Mross:

Nadine.Mross@fnha.ca

Jennifer Heaven:

Jennifer.Heaven@fnha.ca

WELLNESS SYSTEMS NAVIGATORS

Assist individuals to navigate the health care system, connect to and access services and link with appropriate health, wellness and social services.

Marilyn Dalton:

Marilyn.Dalton@fnha.ca

Nardia Brown:

Nardia.Brown@fnha.ca

Jennifer Kazun (Charchun): Children, Youth and Families Jennifer.Charchun@fnha.ca

Kegan Madeira:

Kegan.Madeira@fnha.ca

WELLNESS SYSTEMS QUALITY CARE COORDINATOR

Works with individuals to bring forward stories or experiences that require attention. Connects to resources to support healing through transparent and accountable documentation and resolution of issues.

Deanna Rabeneck:

Deanna.Rabeneck@fnha.ca

FNHA SYSTEM SUPPORT LINE

systems.support@fnha.ca

604-743-0635

MENTAL HEALTH AND CRISIS SUPPORT LINES

Indian Residential School Survivors Society: 1-604-985-4464 or toll-free 1-800-721-0066

1-004-963-4404 01 (011-1166 1-800-721-0000

KUU-US Crisis Line Society: 1-800-588-8717 *Indigenous crisis line in BC. Available 24 hours a day*

Tsow-Tun Le Lum Society: 1-888-403-3123

For counselling and cultural support

Indigenous Text Line

Text "First Nations" "Metis" or "Inuit" to: 68 68 68 (youth) or; 741 741 (adults)

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Hope for Wellness Line

1-855-242-3310 or; online chat at:

chat.fn-i-hopeforwellness.ca

Suicide Prevention Center

1-800-SUICIDE

Mental Health Support Line

310-6789 (no area code)









YOUTH PROGRAMS/OPPORTUNITIES



Tanguage Program

Youth Empowered Speakers (YES!) Program

Deadline: July 11, 2022

Funding amounts up to: \$29,550

The YES program is for B.C. First Nations students age 18-30 who are working towards a career as a language immersion teacher or early childhood immersion educator.

This program includes:

- Tuition
- Mentor-apprentice language learning
- Living allowance
- Paid internship

The goal of the program is for youth to learn their language while preparing for a career in language revitalization in one of two streams:

- 1. Early Childhood Immersion Educator Stream for ECE students
- 2. Language Immersion Teacher Stream for BEd. students



Hannah Green, Language Programs Coordinator, yes@fpcc.ca

For more information and guidelines, visit: **fpcc.ca/grants**

DMA 2022 UBC In-person Summer Tech Camps Indigenous Scholarships!



More than 40 + camp courses in Seven Career Pathways

- Computer Science + Al
- Business + Entrepreneurship
- Music Production
- Creative Design
- Game Development
- Digital Storytelling
- Robotics + Engineering

July 4th - 29th

Age 9-18

Small classes

One week camp

ISTE Curriculum Gold Standard

Learn cutting-edge digital

technologies

8 levels after-camp classes,

university portfolio ready

Black-chain tech digital

credential

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INDIGENOUS YOUTH CAREER CAMP

Building Bridges, Breaking Barriers, Encouraging Connections

Justice Institute of British Columbia
New Westminster & Maple Ridge Campuses
July 18 - 22, 2022

A weeklong day camp for Indigenous youth ages 15-20. Explore exciting careers in justice, public safety and health through applied education, cultural experiences, and connections. Join us to reflect on your gifts and how they might be applied to exciting and impactful careers.

Apply Online by July 8, 2022

For more information contact: Indigenization@jibc.ca or call 604-528-5621





Watch the Video

Visit Website

Learn more and register jibc.ca/IYCC





"I never realized how easy it was to access support through an app on my phone. I accessed Foundry's app from the comfort of my bedroom and spoke with a counsellor the same day. I left my session with resources and a follow- up appointment with a primary care provider. For the first time in a long time, I feel hopeful."

- Youth accessing Foundry Virtual BC services.

Foundry Virtual BC

We offer free drop-in and scheduled counselling & peer support, primary care, employment support and groups for young people aged 12-24 across British Columbia.

All services are free and confidential, no referrals are needed. We offer video, audio and chat options.

Drop-in services: Access same-day counselling and peer support.

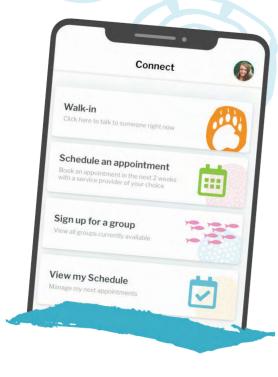
Scheduled appointments: Book counselling or peer support appointments in advance.

Group sessions: Connect with peers, learn coping strategies and life skills.

Primary Care: Speak with a Nurse Practitioner about sexual health, medication, gender affirming care or other medical/health-related concerns.

Employment services: Explore employment opportunities, educational/certification programs or discuss other job or school-related options.

Visit **foundrybc.ca/virtual** to learn more. If you don't have internet access you can contact us at **1-833-308-6379** or email **online@foundrybc.ca**



Download the App or use in a browser

Hours: 7 days/week 1:00pm-9:00pm





The voice of youth is the voice of change.

Put your experience, values, and views about health and wellness into action.

Join the

Fraser Salish Youth Council



FRASER SALISH REGION
First Nations Health Authority

Many fish, same water... your voice matters!

Contact Katelyn.Moon@fnha.ca









EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES



Come Work With Us at Cheam!

To apply to any of the jobs listed below, please visit our website, apply on Indeed.ca, or drop off your resume at the Band Office.

- Adult In-home Care Worker
- Housing Wellness Coordinator
- Social Development & Education Coordinator

Benefits:

- · Disability & Life insurance
- Extended health care, Dental care & Vision care
- Cultural and Personal Development Training Opportunities
- On-site parking

BE BEAR AWARE IN OUR COMMUNITY AND IN THE WILD!

If you encounter a bear:

Stay calm

If the bear sees you, talk in a low, calm voice and then regardless if it has seen you or not.

Back up slowly

Never turn your back on a bear, or run. Running could trigger an attack.

Do not stare

The bear will see a direct stare as a challenge.

Give it space

Make sure it has a way to get away, and that you are not blocking access to a bear's cubs or its food.

If a bear approaches you or charges:

• Do not run! Use your bear spray as it approaches



Call BC Conservation 1-877-952-7277



SASET Employment Services At Cheam

Every Thursday from 9:00am-3:00pm

Are you looking for employment or training? Do you need assistance with your resume/cover letter, job search or are you just not sure where to start? We can help you! A SASET Employment Counsellor is here to assist you in taking the steps you need to gain skills to employment.

Sto: lo Aboriginal Skills & Employment Training (SASET) through Service Canada ISET funding provides employment services to under/un-employed Indigenous people who are status, non-status, on/off reserve and who reside in our catchment area which extends from Katzie/Langley to Boston Bar and the three communities of Samahquam, Skatin and Xa'xtsa, part of the Lower Stl'atl'imx Tribal Council, regardless of origin in Canada. Within SASET's catchment area there are 31 First Nations. Indigenous individuals can access services from any employment services location in the catchment area.

If you would like to book an appointment, please call 604-858-3691 or

Email: info@saset.ca. Or drop in on a Thursday to get started on your career goals today!

SASET Employment Counsellor can assist with the following and more!

Employment And Career Counselling	Career Research & Exploration	Education And Training Information
Interview Skills	Short & Long-Term Training Applications	Career Planning
Job Search Assistance	Labour Market Information	Job Postings
Resume/Cover Letter	Scholarships, Grants & Bursary Information	Basic Computer Skills













TRANSMOUNTAIN CAREERS

Mechanical Maintenance Technician - Abbotsford

As a Mechanical Maintenance Technician with Trans Mountain, you'll have the opportunity to work with a progressive and fast-paced group of experts.

The Mechanical Maintenance Technician is responsible for ensuring maximum up-time availability of the pipeline pumping equipment and components and the day-to-day safe remote Operations of the pipeline.

Administrative Assistant - Burnaby

As an Administrative Assistant with Trans Mountain, you'll have the opportunity to work with a progressive and fast-paced group of professionals in the Burnaby office, reporting to the Director, Burnaby & Westridge Terminal. This position is based in our Burnaby Regional office.

The successful candidate will be responsible for providing administrative and clerical services to ensure effective and efficient operation of the office and support the work of management and other staff.

Coordinator, Indigenous Relations, Expansion Project (term role) - Burnaby

As a Coordinator, Indigenous Relations (IR) with Trans Mountain, you'll have the opportunity to work with a progressive and fast-paced group of Indigenous Relations professionals. This position may be based in either our Calgary or Burnaby office locations. The Coordinator will be responsible for providing the coordination of logistics, planning, records maintenance and documentation of Indigenous consultation and engagement activities in support of Trans Mountain's permit consultation and engagement in BC and Alberta. This position will coordinate correspondence and consultation/engagement related interactions between members of the Indigenous Relations Team (IRT) and other departments, including both the Trans Mountain Expansion Project (TMEP) and Operations.

<u>Stakeholder Engagement and Communications Specialist, Marine, Expansion Project</u> (term role) - Burnaby

The SE&C Specialist contributes to all engagement and communications specific to the marine aspects of Trans Mountain, with a focus on Westridge Marine Terminal and engagement within the Port of Vancouver communities. The SE&C Specialist will coordinate and support on marine regulatory filings and compliance, as well support engagement with marine stakeholders, including marine industry, applicable regulatory bodies, coastal local government, residents, interest groups, and the public; provides information and insights to the Project team in consideration of stakeholders' interest in Project plans; and completes the necessary reporting requirements related to Project marine conditions and commitments.

View all jobs and sign up for alerts here.







Position: Ground Crew (Linear Debris Field Technician)

Location: Hope & Merritt (HQ) / Hope & Coquihalla River (OPS), British Columbia

Date: ASAP to June 30th, 2022 - Freshet dependent

Job Overview

The Ocean Legacy Foundation is bringing together a passionate and hard-working crew to collect debris caused by flooding. You will be joining a diligent and determined crew who prioritize teamwork, safety, and communication.

Crews will be transported daily to worksites alongside river systems to clean up debris. Activities consist of collecting and loading debris into designated super sacks. Materials will be removed by helicopter operators and moved to a staging area. There is potential for transportation by helicopter into field work sites. Disassembling challenging debris materials and some hazardous debris materials may be encountered on location.

Job Responsibilities and Duties

- Arrive on time ready to work fully equipped with appropriate PPE, radios charged, lunch packed, etc.
- Organize, sort, and categorize material removed, if required
- Collect assorted debris items from riverbanks and place them in designated super sacks
- Ensure all personal gear and required field gear is present each day
- Report any issues with equipment or unnoticed hazards to the Team Lead right away
- The ability to lift up to 30lbs regularly
- The ability to move safely on uneven terrains and stand for long periods
- Able to work for extended periods outdoors in various weather
- The ability to wear personal protective gear correctly all day
- Work in a safe and efficient manner
- Ability to receive and follow detailed instructions
- Independent thinking and problem-solving skills required

Ideal Candidate

- Can follow direction with good attention to detail
- Punctual, reliable, and well organized
- Work cohesively as part of a team
- Strong interpersonal and verbal communication skills
- Enthusiastic and positive attitude even in challenging work conditions
- Ensure Daily Check In Form (COVID-19 Daily Health Check Questionnaire) and Check Out Form is completed QR codes provided in designated areas

Required Certificates & Qualifications;

- Previous outdoor work experience such as tree planting, field research, landscaping, shoreline clean-up, wildland firefighting, search and rescue, etc.
- Must be comfortable working outdoors in challenging work environments for prolong work periods Assets
- Familiarity with Incident Command System
- Experience operating radios
- Valid Occupational First Aid Level 1 3 Certifications provided and paid by OLF to complete prior to Fieldwork
- Swiftwater Awareness (online or in-person)
- Accidental Release Measures and Spill Cleanup Procedures (online)
- Wild Safe Awareness (online)

If applying with OLF, please send all completed certifications to careers@oceanlegacy.ca with your name and certification in the subject line.





FNESS PROVINCIAL FIRESMART COORDINATOR Competition 22-11

FNESS is currently inviting applicants for the position: FNESS Provincial FireSmart Coordinator

The First Nations' Emergency Services Society of British Columbia (FNESS) is a not-for-profit organization, as well as a registered charity, under the governance of a First Nation Board of Directors. FNESS assists BC First Nations in developing and sustaining safer, healthier and thriving communities. Our programs focus on Awareness, Preparedness, Mitigation and Recovery.

FNESS is expanding on both current and new initiatives in the Mitigation department. Our team is looking for talented individuals who are passionate about making a difference for First Nation communities and empowering others across the province.

Do you have a mitigation background?

POSITION SUMMARY

Reporting to the Mitigation Manager, this is a technical position based in British Columbia. The position involves travel, extensive at times, along with a hands-on approach with duties within the office. The position also plays a crucial role in advising the management team, through the Mitigation Manager.

FireSmartTM is a national program that provides the tools and resources necessary for communities to increase their wildfire resiliency. The FNESS Provincial FireSmart Coordinator will be part of the <u>FireSmart BC team</u> and work alongside the Provincial Home Partners Program Coordinator with the Fire Chiefs Association of BC. The Home Partners Program (HPP) was designed to engage homeowners in voluntary wildfire mitigation activities by offering a professional home assessment with property-specific recommendations.

Duties and Responsibilities (include but are not limited to):

- Act as the single point of contact for the Home Partners Program provincially for all First Nations and Indigenous communities.
- Act as the single point of contact for all First Nations FireSmart Coordinators.
- Support the duties of the FireSmart Rapid Mitigation teams for First Nations in varying capacities.
- Liaise on HPP wildfire resiliency projects internally and externally with stakeholders and partners.
- Recruit, coordinate and provide training for HPP Wildfire Mitigation Specialists and Facilitators.
- Work closely with FireSmart BC and the BC FireSmart Committee to ensure FNESS FireSmart activities align with provincial and national FireSmart objectives.
- Provide leadership, support and direction to the Mitigation staff in meeting the goals, objectives and deliverables of the Mitigation Department.

102 - 70 Orwell Street, North Vancouver, BC V7J 3R5

Tel 604.669.7305 | Fax 604.669.9832 | Toll Free 1.888.388.4431 | Email <u>info@fness.bc.ca</u> | Web <u>www.fness.bc.ca</u>







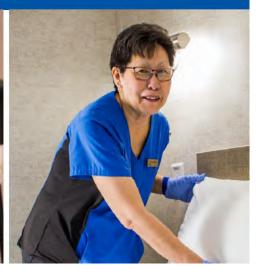


TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

NOW HIRING CAMP POSITIONS







We're seeking motivated individuals for a variety of camp positions available in Valemount, Clearwater and Blue River, BC.

- **General Helper**
- Bakers Helper Maker
- 3rd (Breakfast) Cook
- Salad/Sandwich

 - Janitor

Positions are 20/10 OR 5/5 off rotations. **Full Time Positions**

APPLY TODAY!

Email - FrontecRecruitment@atco.com











Sto:lo Aboriginal Skills & Employment Training is pleased to offer the:

Pre-Trade Program

Next classes start: September 6, 2022



individual residing in the SASET catchment area who has an interest in the cooking profession?

If so, contact a SASET employment counsellor to book an appointment and complete the application package.

CONTACT US TODAY!



604-858-3691 Fax: 604-858-3528

Toll Free (BC): 1-888-845-4455



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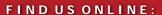
Program Includes:



- Certificates: FoodSafe, First Aid level 1, WHMIS, WCB Awareness
- **Occupational Skills**
- Stocks, soups and sauces
- Vegetables and fruits
- **Starches**
- Meats
- **Poultry**
- Seafood
- **Garde-mange**
- Eggs, breakfast cookery and dairy
- Baked good, desserts and beverages
- **Basic kitchen management**
- Two week practicum placement



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Northwest Community College is now Coast Mountain College.















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FREE Tech Training for Indigenous People Start Your Journey Today

We believe in potential over experience. If you are committed to your personal growth we will train you!

No experience in tech? That's no problem! You will obtain all the skills necessary to gain meaningful employment in the tech space while working at your own pace.

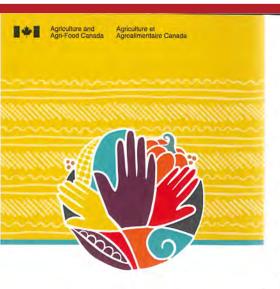
Join Our Community

We have a diverse community at WYWM all positive like-minded people always extending our hand to assist with your journey. Our community is like no other! We do not have all the answers, but we are curious and want to learn together.

Indigenous Action Plan

We have a team of Indigenous Canadians, Aboriginal Australians, and allies who are creating a reconciliation action plan. This plan will be used as the strategic framework for our Indigenous program.

https://growth.wywm.io/seeker/free-tech-training-for-indigenous-people



INDIGENOUS STUDENT RECRUITMENT INITIATIVE

The Indigenous Student Recruitment Initiative at Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC) offers meaningful and rewarding employment to Indigenous university, college and high school students.



STUDENT EMPLOYMENT **OPPORTUNITIES**

Students can apply through:

- Federal Student Work Experience Program (FSWEP) bit.ly/ISRI-FSWEP
- Co-operative Education and Internship Program bit.ly/AAFC_RECRUITMENT
- Research Affiliate Program bit.ly/PSC-RECRUITMENT



GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

If you have completed a diploma, degree, graduate diploma, Master's degree or a PhD from a post-secondary institution, consider:

- · Post-Secondary Recruitment bit.ly/PS_RECRUITMENT
- · Recruitment of Policy Leaders bit.ly/POLICY_LEADERS

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS,



BENEFITS OF WORKING AT AAFC

NETWORKING WITH PEERS

Students stay connected with each other through a monthly newsletter that includes:

- · Important Indigenous dates and milestones
- · AAFC employment opportunities
- · Student surveys
- · Stories from the Indigenous Network Circle employee community

STUDENT SUPPORT PROGRAM

In the work environment, student support is provided through:

- · Training
- · Indigenous Mentorship program
- · Knowledge sharing activities

KEY STUDENT RESOURCES INCLUDE

- · One-on-one and group coaching
- · Access to Elder services
- · Indigenous student advisors
- · Advice and guidance
- · Cultural awareness activities

CULTURE OF DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION

AAFC is committed to developing, supporting, and retaining a diverse, innovative and high-performing workforce. Students can support diversity, equity and inclusion through AAFC's various networks, including the Indigenous Network Circle.







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aafc.isri-irea.aac@agr.gc.ca



Applications are open November 01 – January 15!

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WHAT IS INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY PLANNING?

Indigenous Community Planning (ICP) is a concentration in SCARP's 2-year Masters of Community and Regional Planning (MCRP) program, which is accredited by planning institutions in both Canada and the USA.

ICP has been designated a Noteworthy Practice by the Planning Accreditation Board.

WHY ICP IS IMPORTANT

Planners specialize in identifying, assessing, and implementing solutions to today's community problems. Indigenous Community Planning trains a new generation of planners to break with the colonial legacy and culture of planning, to work in respectful partnership with Indigenous communities, centered on their priorities.

ICP attracts Indigenous and non-Indigenous students from a range of academic and professional backgrounds. We accept 10 students each year.

HOW ICP WORKS

The ICP Concentration:

- ✓ Teaches a blend of Indigenous Knowledge and Indigenous Planning with contemporary planning methods
- Offers education grounded in on-reserve learning, community experience, and knowledge sharing
- Immerses students in an 8-month practicum in a host First Nations community, supporting their own comprehensive community planning process.

JOIN US IF YOU SUPPORT THIS VISION!

The path to reconciliation starts with a people's right to plan their own future and live according to their values. Communities with ICP-supported plans are clear on their priorities and are prepared to move forward with partners towards common ground.

If this vision calls to you, join the next generation of Indigenous Community Planners!

For more information:

- VISIT SCARP.UBC.CA/ICP
- CONTACT MAGGIE.LOW@UBC.CA









SERVICE CANADA

READY TO HELP



We are ready to help Canadians through the COVID-19 outbreak. Find financial help during COVID-19: Covid-benefits.alpha.canada.ca/en/start



Canada COVID-19 App

A tool to help you track your symptoms, receive the latest updates on COVID-19, and access trusted resources.

EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (EI) PROGRAM

We made temporary changes to the Employment Insurance (EI) program to better support Canadians looking for work. If you are eligible for El benefits, you will receive a minimum taxable benefit at a rate of \$500 per week, or \$300 per week for extended parental benefits. If you are not eligible for EI, you may be eligible for the proposed new benefits:

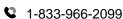
- Canada Recovery Benefit (CRB)
- Canada Recovery Sickness Benefit (CRSB)
- Canada Recovery Caregiving Benefit (CRCB)
- https://bit.ly/368vygl
- 1-800-206-7218

If you require assistance accessing services, please complete an e-Service request form at Canada.ca/service-canada-e-service. An agent will contact you within two business days to assist you or to schedule an appointment.

CANADA RECOVERY BENEFIT (CRB)

The CRB provides \$500 per week for up to 26 weeks for workers who have stopped working or had their income reduced by at least 50% due to COVID-19, and who are not eligible for Employment Insurance (EI). Applications will open on October 12.

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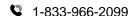
CANADA **RECOVERY SICKNESS BENEFIT (CRSB)**

The CRSB provides \$500 per week for up to a maximum of two weeks, for workers who:

- Are unable to work for at least 50% of the week because they contracted COVID-19.
- Are self-isolated for reasons related to COVID-19.
- Have underlying conditions, are undergoing treatments or have contracted other sicknesses that, in the opinion of a medical practitioner, nurse practitioner, person in authority, government or public health authority, would make them more susceptible to COVID-19.



https://bit.ly/36zGjZH



CANADA **RECOVERY** CAREGIVING **BENEFIT**

The Canada Recovery Caregiving Benefit (CRCB) provides \$500 per week for up to 26 weeks per household for workers. The CRCB gives income support to employed and self-employed individuals who are unable to work because they must care for their child under 12 years old or a family member who needs supervised care.

https://bit.ly/2F6YxXm

1-833-966-2099

SOCIAL **INSURANCE** NUMBER

You can apply for your Social Insurance Number (SIN) online. Agents are available Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm Canadian Local Time, except on statutory holidays.

https://bit.ly/3mCINMK

1-866-274-6627

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UNITED WAY

We are contributing \$9 million through United Way Canada for local organizations to support practical services to Canadian seniors. These services could include the delivery of groceries, medications, or other needed items, or personal outreach to assess individuals' needs and connect them to community supports.



unitedway.ca/how-we-help/find-your-uwc/

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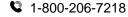
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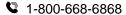
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MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT

We are giving \$7.5 million in funding to Kids Help Phone to provide young people with the mental health support they need during this difficult time.



Kidshelpphone.ca



JOBS AND OPPORTUNITIES

We are expanding existing federal employment, skills development, and youth programming to help students find employment and develop valuable skills this summer and over the coming months. Learn more about youth programs:



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CHEAM FIRST NATION FORMS





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ENROLLMENT APPLICATION FOR GROUP BENEFITS

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CHEAM COMMUNICATION SURVEY 2022

Every survey returned to the band office gets you in a draw to win gift cards (1 per address)

Home Address:	
Phone:	
Email:	
Names in Household:	
I would like the Cheam newsletter & notices:	
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