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CHEAM FIRST NATION

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER: May 19, 2023





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Qas temtames cha xwe'eyems Te temexws qasu ey xwela ye xwechiyom

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 spiritual wellbeing. In doing so, we strive to build pride, dignity and respect amongst our people.

FIND US ONLINE:









ADMINISTRATION NOTICES/UPDATES

UPOMING CHEAM EVENTS:

May 22 Band Office Closed for Stat Holiday

May 23, 30 Seabird Island Bear Bus @ Cheam 1-3pm

May 28 Trev's Flea Market 8:30am - 2:30pm

May 29 Cheam Elder's Society Meeting 2-4pm

May 30 Cheam Regular Council Meetings (new date)

June 3 <u>Cheam Education Awards</u> 11am-3:30pm

June 4, 18, 25 <u>Trev's Flea Market</u> 8:30am - 2:30pm

June 13 & 27 Cheam Regular Council Meetings

June 20 Dental Bus returns 10am - 4pm

July 15 <u>Annual Cheam Days</u>

July 25 Cheam Regular Council Meeting

SEPTIC ISSUES: Housing Maintenance



If you're asking the question, can you pour grease down the drain? The answer is a strong **NO!**

Solution:

When you're done cooking, simply allow the grease to cool and harden. You can leave it in the pan you cooked with, or you can transfer the grease into another container so it can cool – totally up to you. Just throw it right into the trash can.

There is some concern smaller passenger vehicles may bottom out, or high center, at the Upriver/East boat launch, due to a hump. Larger passenger trucks and SUV's should be able to clear the hump, however, smaller ones may not. the area above the bump is not intended to be a part of the boat launch; however, we wanted to notify you in case any members try to drive up there. Please use caution when using the Upriver/East Boat Launch until the project has been completed in September.



Cheam Beach Erosion Mitigationand Bank Stabilization Project

SEASONAL SHUTDOWN

The Nation has invoked a seasonal shutdown of the Cheam Beach Erosion Mitigation and Bank Stabilization Project due to the rising waters. This means that the topsoiling and seeding of the concrete mats in front of the Grand Chief Heilamacha building could not be completed at this time. Safety fencing and do not enter signs have been installed along the area to prevent entry and to mitigate a potential tripping hazard and/or risk of injury. When the water recedes, the contractors will return to finish the topsoiling, seeding and any deficiencies.

Please use extreme caution if launching from the upriver/east boat launch. The angle of the launch is not visible and there is the potential risk of hitting the Rip Rap and damaging your truck/trailer.

Below are a few pictures, courtesy of Chief Victor, of the work that has been completed so far.









The next phase of the project is the repair to the road leading to Cheam Beach, which we hope to begin in June, followed by the restoration work at the Grand Chief Heilamacha building. Although there will be additional disruptions in accessing the Beach, it is important that the project be completed prior to the fishing season.

We appreciate your patience while this work is being completed. If you have any questions or want an update, please connect with Rachel Wille at rachel.wille@cheamband.com, or 604-794-7924 or by visiting the office.



SOCCER ENTRY FEES:

- Men's 11-aside \$500 (Top 3 Cash Prize, pending number of teams entered)
- Women's 7-aside \$350
 (Top 3 Cash Prize, pending number of teams entered)
 - 16U 11-aside \$350
 - 13U 11-aside \$350
 - 10U 11-aside \$350
 - 7U 7-aside \$250
- 5U 5v5 Mini-Ball \$100

3-PITCH BASEBALL FEES:

Co-ed \$350
 (Top 3 Cash Prize, pending number of teams entered)

WAR CANOE RACES

VENDOR FEES:

10x10 lot (excluding Kitchen Rentals)

- Kitchen Rental (2 available) \$700
- Food Vendor \$350
- Arts/Crafts Vendor \$175
- Non-Profit \$100

GATE FEES:

- Day Rate \$5
- Weekend Rate \$10
- Camping Rate \$20

3rd annual #MarchForRecognition June 3 2023

Open for all!! Asking for any and all big drums, hand drums, singers, vendors and supporters.



MARCH FOR RECOGNITION

10AM - 6PM SATURDAY JUNE 3, 2023

GATHER AT FRASER RIVER
HERITAGE PARK
10:00AM

MARCH TO ST. MARY'S RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL 11:30AM

- PRESENTED BY THE CRAZY INDIANS BROTHERHOOD ACCEPTING DONATIONS FOR TEDDY BEARS AND SHOES FOR THE VANCOUVER VIGIL

Celebration of Life for Evelyn Munro



Carrielynn Victor, Winchester Victor, Meredith Douglas, and Frankie Victor would like family and friends to come out for the Celebration of Life for their grandma/mother Evelyn Munro, who lived a long life in Rosedale BC.

When: June 10th, 2023 Time: 1:30pm

Place: Harrison Hot Springs Memorial Hall Address: 290 Esplanade Avenue Harrison Hot Springs BC

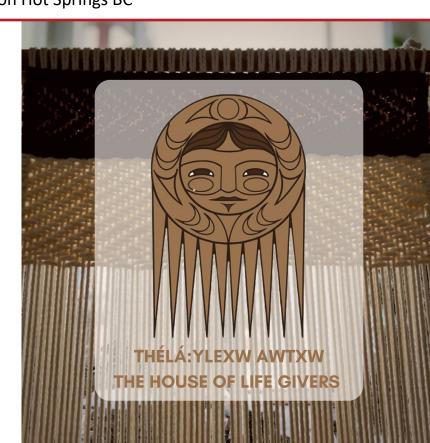
Thélá:ylexw Awtxw - House of Life Givers A Stó:lō Women's Group

Inviting Stó:lō woman to join as members.

Follow the link here:

http://www.stolowomen.com/join.html

Thank you Carrielynn Victor, Chi:yom, for contributing this beautiful, meaningful logo. The logo is a combing weave in honor of womxn's tools and representing who we are as xwélmexw womxn, and weaving us together.



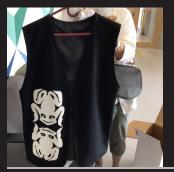
CHEAM ELDERS CORNER

Cheam Elder's Society Raffle

Tickets are \$2 each, 3 for \$5, or 5 for \$20

Tickets can be purchased by cash from Lovey Victor or by e-transfer to lovey.victor@outlook.com Draw date yet to be determined yet

First Prize









Second Prize





Third Prize



Brenda Douglas



June 2

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Thank you and good luck!

'Elder's Society Discussion' meeting May 29th, 2023 @ 2:00pm-4:00pm in the boardroom, all Elder's welcome.

CHEAM ELDER'S MEETINGS 2023

June 13, 2023

July 18, 2023

August 15, 2023

September 19, 2023

October 17, 2023

November 21, 2023

December 12, 2023



Upcoming Birthdays	Birthdate
Judith L. Douglas	May 20
Kelly Casimir	May 23
Theresa Douglas	May 25
Rose Hudson	May 29
Philomena Fraser	May 30
Ernest Crey	June 1
James Desmul	June 1

The Wellness Team Presents:



Sit with an Elder Tea Time

Join us once a month, to sit and talk with an Elder. Connect as a group or one to one.

When: May 23rd, 2023

Where: Building 7-7201 Vedder

Road, Health Clinic Room

TIME: 10:00am-12:00pm

Please call Heather Walker for more information. 604-824-3200













'Expressions of interest' to join this year's Elder's conference; please contact Kelsy by email kelsy.fredette@cheamband.com or phone 604-745-8034 and let her know if you're attending this year so we can compile a list and know how much funding will be needed, hotel accommodations, transportation, etc.



BC Elders Communication Center Society (BCECCS)/2023 Elders Gathering 1415 Weiwaikum Rd. Campbell River, BC, V9W 5W9

Ph: 250-286-9977 Fax: 250-286-4809

Toll Free: 1-877-738-7288 Email: <u>bcelders@telus.net</u>

<u>@telus.net</u>

Website: www.bcelders.com

2023 ELDERS GATHERING "Stronger Together"

DATE: August 15-16, 2023, with Early

Check-In Aug. 14 from 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm

PLACE: Vancouver Convention Centre, East Building

INFO AND CRAFT BOOTHS AVAILABLE AT

www.bcelders.com

* Note: The Craft Booth Price has Dropped!







HEALTH & WELLNESS NOTICES/UPDATES



Join Project AIM & MLA Kelli Paddon for a free conversation about Period Education & Menstruation Products!







June 5th: 10am to 12pm

June 8th: 7pm to 9pm

June 17th: 4pm to 6pm

June 24th: 2pm to 4pm

register at www.ProjectAIMCommunity.com



PROFESSIONAL DENTAL CLEANING WITH SARA BABAEIN, BDSC, RDH – SMILES VAN

June 20, 2023 Time: 10:00am-4:00pm

New clients will receive a \$50 electric tooth brush!



Location: Cheam Multiplex 52161 West Victor Drive

- 45-minute appointments
- Dental Hygiene exam + Cleaning
- Full status coverage

Book with Cori Victor at cori.victor@cheamband.com

Attention Cheam Parents/Guardians:

We have car seats available:

- * Bucket seats
- * Regular backless booster

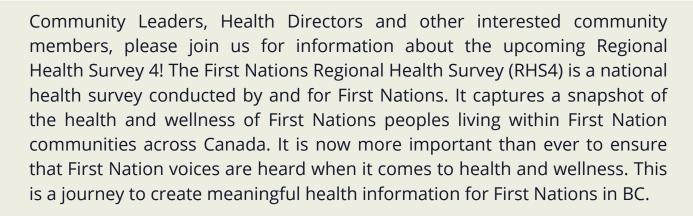


Please contact Cori Victor to inquire - cori.victor@cheamband.com



REGIONAL HEALTH SURVEY (RHS) 4

Drop-in Webinar Series



FORMAT

This is a drop in style webinar. Come when it works for you, no need to register ahead of time. Stay for a few minutes or as long as your schedule allows. Learn the background of the Regional Health Survey 4, changes made to better meet communities' needs and benefits of participation. This is a conversational webinar and questions and dialogue are encouraged throughout.

DATES

June 13, 2023	10:00 am
June 14, 2023	5:30 pm
June 15, 2023	2:00 pm
June 19, 2023	12:00 pm
June 27, 2023	3:00 pm
June 28, 2023	8:00 am

Participants will be entered to win a \$75 Gift Card

JOIN HERE



https://fnha.zoom.us/j/7982971093

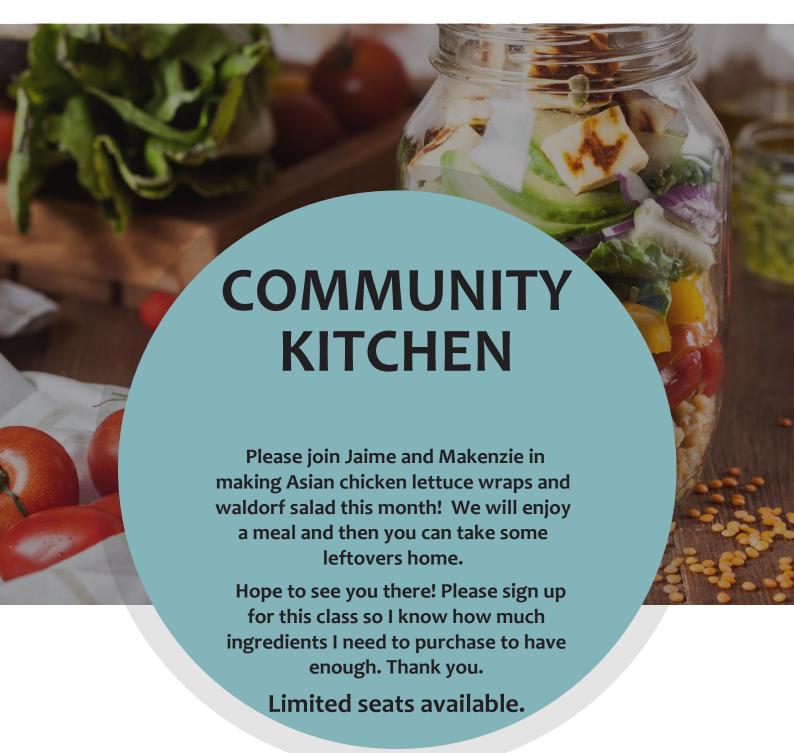
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Cheam Band Office kitchen
Friday May 26th, 2023
@ 11:00am

If interested please sign up with Makenzie at makenzie.peters@seabirdisland.ca

FIND US ONLINE:



BRINGING CULTURALLY SAFE SERVICES TO YOU

Indigenous Health Liaisons promote culturally safe experiences for First Nations, Métis and Inuit patients accessing health and wellness services. Liaisons support Indigenous patients with navigating the health care system, safe transitions from hospital to home, and connections to community services.

WHEN TO CALL:

- To refer First Nations, Métis and Inuit patients
- To ask any questions regarding Indigenous Health Services available
- To help Indigenous patients access services throughout the health care system

REFERRALS CAN BE MADE BY:

- **Patients**
- Family members
- Friends
- Health professionals

To access Indigenous Health Liaison services, call the referral line: 1-866-766-6960

Hours of service: Monday - Friday from 8:30 AM-4:30 PM (excluding holidays)

To contact a Wellness System Navigator from First Nations Health Authority, call 604-743-0635











First Nations Health **Benefit Program**



The First Nations Health Benefit (FNHB) Program covers specific medically necessary items, services, and travel that support First Nations peoples' health and wellness needs. The program is administered through partnerships with Pacific Blue Cross and PharmaCare.

Eligibility

The FNHB Program is available to First Nations people with Indian status who live in BC and infants (up to 24 months) of an eligible parent. To access the benefits and coverage under the Health Benefits Program, First Nations people must first enroll in the program. Please call 1-855-550-5454 or visit fnha.ca/benefits/eligibility for more information on how to enroll.

Health Benefits Coverage

The FNHB Program covers six benefit areas:



DENTAL

The Dental benefit provides coverage for items and services to maintain good oral health, prevent cavities, gum disease, and restore damaged tooth function. Some items and services covered under the dental benefit are bridges, crowns, exams and x-rays, fillings, and preventive services.



MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT

The Medical Supplies and Equipment (MS&E) benefit provides coverage for items and services needed in the short or long-term to support health and wellness. Some items and services covered under the MS&E benefit are bathing and toileting aids, hearing aids and repairs, limb and body orthotics, ostomy supplies, walking aids, and wheelchairs.



MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION

The Medical Transportation (MT) benefit assists with the cost of meals, accommodation, and transportation towards travel for a medical appointment outside your community of residence. The MT benefit may also cover travel escorts under certain conditions.











MENTAL HEALTH

The Mental Health benefit covers in-person and virtual counselling services from a qualified mental health provider registered with the FNHB. Coverage is available for Mental Health counselling from four programs. The Mental Wellness and Counselling program is for Status First Nations individuals, while the Indian Day Schools Health Support Program, Indian Residential School Resolution Health Support Program, and Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls Health Support Services are available to both status and non-status individuals. Talk to your Mental Health Provider to determine the appropriate program for you.



PHARMACY

The Pharmacy benefit, administered mainly through Plan Wellness (Plan W), provides coverage for medications and items that support First Nations people on their wellness journeys. The Pharmacy benefit covers specific prescription drugs, over-the-counter drugs, non-drug over-the-counter items, and Shingrix® vaccine. Please call 1-855-550-5454 to enroll in Plan W.

In addition to Plan W, the provincial agencies, including the BC Cancer Agency, BC Transplant, BC Renal Agency, and the BC Centre for Excellence in HIV/AIDS, provide specialty pharmacy items to all BC residents living with specific illnesses or conditions.



VISION CARE

The Vision Care benefit provides coverage for items and services to ensure proper eye health and support access to preventative care. The benefit covers eye exams, sight tests, prescription eyewear and repairs.

OTHER COVERAGE

BC Medical Services Plan (MSP)

The FNHB manages MSP for First Nations people in BC. If you have status and need to register for MSP, call 1-855-550-5454.

Ambulance Bills

The FNHB covers the cost of ambulance transport to a hospital in an emergency situation and from a lower level care facility to a higher level care facility (e.g., longterm care home to a hospital).

View Your Plan Details

To check details about your coverage for dental, vision, medical supplies, and mental health, please create an online PBC Member Profile on www.pac.bluecross.ca or download the PBC app on your smartphone or tablet. The PBC Member Profile offers convenient and secure access to detailed information about your benefits coverage 24 hours a day.

Please call Health Benefits at 1-855-550-5454, email <u>healthbenefits@fnha.ca</u> or visit <u>fnha.ca/benefits</u> to learn more about the First Nations Health Benefits program and benefit coverages.











FRASER EAST RAPID ACCESS TO ADDICTIONS CARE

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



Beffer health, Best in health care

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

FIND US ONLINE:











Mental Health and Cultural Supports

Virtual Substance Use and Psychiatry

TELEPHONE AND ONLINE SUPPORT

Service. A free, referral-based service for First Nations people in BC and their family members. Health care providers, including the <u>Virtual Doctor of the Day</u> program, can refer you to this service. Available Monday to Friday. <u>FNHA.ca/VirtualHealth</u>

First Nations and Inuit Hope for Wellness Help Line and On-line Counselling Service offers mental health counselling and crisis intervention to

Indigenous people across Canada. **Toll-Free:** 1-855-242-3310 www.hopeforwellness.ca

Kids Help Phone is a 24/7 national support service offering professional counselling, information and referrals and volunteer-led, text-based support to youth.

1-800-668-6868 or text the word "connect" to 686868 to access text support.

KUU-US Crisis Services is available 24/7 to support Indigenous people in BC.

https://www.kuu-uscrisisline.com/24-hour-crisis-line

Toll-Free: 1-800-KUU-US17 (1-800-588-8717)

Adult/Elder: 1-250-723-4050 Child/Youth: 1-250-723-2040

National Indian Residential School Crisis

Line supports former Residential School students. The crisis line provides emotional and crisis services 24/7.

Toll-Free: 1-866-925-4419

Provincial Alcohol and Drug Information Referral Service provides free referral ser-

vices to support with any kind of substance use issue (alcohol or other drugs).

Toll-free: 1-800-663-1441 **Lower Mainland:** 604-660-9382

Foundry: health and wellness supports, services and resources for young people ages 12 – 24 and their caregivers. No referral or assessment required. In-person: https://foundrybc.ca/find-a-centre/

Virtual: https://foundrybc.ca/virtual/

FNHA MENTAL WELLNESS AND COUNSELLING SUPPORT THROUGH HEALTH BENEFITS

Health Benefits provides access to mental wellness and counselling services. All services require prior approval. A list of providers registered with Health Benefits can be found on the <u>Provider List</u> or by contacting: **1-855-550-5454**.

INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL RESOLUTION HEALTH SUPPORT PROGRAM PROVIDERS (IRS RHSP)

Adah Dene Cultural Healing Camp Society

Margo Sagalon: 250-996-3813 Admin.elders@telus.net

Tracey Charlebois: 250-996-1475 Nakazdlieelders@telus.net

Carrier Sekani Family Services

For Vanderhoof: Catherine Lessard: 250-567-2900 or **Toll-free:** 1-800-889-6855 **For Prince George:** Rhonda Hourie or Cheryl Thomas: 778-675-0419

Gitanyow Human Services

Wanda Good: 250-849-5651 Wanda.e.good@gmail.com

Gitsxan Health Society

Martha Wilson: 250-842-6876

Nuu Chah Nulth Tribal Council

Vina Robinson: 1-250-724-3939 vina.robinson@nuuchahnulth.org Daily Elliott: 250-720-1736

Indian Residential School Survivors Society

Carol Stegman: 604-985-4464 or **Toll-free:** 1-800-721-0066

Okanagan Nation Alliance

Toll-free: 1-866-662-9609

Tsow-Tun-Le-Lum Society

Toll-free: 1-888-590-3123

FNHA TREATMENT AND HEALING CENTRES

During the pandemic, Round Lake Treatment Centre and Gya'waa'Tlaab House of Purification are maintaining a live-in treatment program with additional precautions taken to abide by physical distancing and associated safety requirements. Most treatment centres have moved to providing virtual support to individuals and families.

Carrier Sekani Family Services

Call: 250-567-2900 or **Toll-free:** 1-800-889-6855 and ask for an ARP Team member

Email: rjohn@csfs.org

Kackaamin Family Development Centre

Call: 250-723-7789 or Toll-free: 1-833-205-6946

Namgis Treatment Centre

Call: 250-974-8015 or

Toll-free: 1-888-962-6447 Ext. 2141

Nenqayni Wellness Centre

Call: 250-989-0301 or **Toll-free:** 1-888-668-4245

North Wind Wellness Centre

Call: 250-843-6977 or **Toll-free:** 1-888-698-4333

Telmexw Awtexw (Sts'ailes First Nations)

Call: 604-796-9829

Tsow Tun Le Lum

Call: 250-268-2463 or **Toll-free:** 1-888-590-3123

Wilp Si'Satxw Healing Centre

Call: 778-202-0162, 778-202-1349 or

Toll-free: 1-877-849-5211

All information in this document is accurate as of September, 2022.

YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES

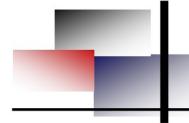


HOSTED BY MCFD'S HUNTER FORSETH

EVERY THURSDAY MAY 18TH - JUNE 29TH, 3-4:00PM IN THE HEALTH CLASSROOM.



GRADES 1-8. THE GROUP WILL FOCUS PRIMARILY ON SELF-REGULATION SKILLS, MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS (ANXIETY, DEPRESSION, SELF-WORTH), AS WELL AS THERAPY-BASED PLAY, GAMES, ARTS AND CRAFTS ALL WITH AN INDIGENOUS FOCUS



Rosedale Traditional Community School Society (RTCSS) Summer 2023

Lil Gymnast 4-6yrs

Join us for fun while learning the basics of rhythmic gymnastics. You will learn leaping, tumbling and balancing. You will also be introduced to ribbons, balls and hoops.

Monday-Friday 9:30am-10:30am

July 24-28

Tiny Cooks

1-7yrs

For children who love to help out in the kitchen. Full hands on experience making different dishes to take home and share with the family.

Monday-Friday July 10-14 9:30-10:30am 12:30-1:30pm August 14-18

Chefs in Training 8-12yrs

Full hands on program, each day students will make two dishes to take home and share with mom and dad. New recipes are explored in each day.

Monday-Friday \$70

July 10-14 11:00-12:30pm August 14-18 2:00-3:30pm

At Home Alone 10+vrs

This is an interactive, participatory program that is designed to teach children to make safe choices while At Home Alone.

9:00-1:00pm Wednesday July 12

HOW TO REGISTER

- -email rtcss@rtcss.ca
- -request registration form
- -complete and return
- -send etransfer to complete

Gymnastics 7-10yrs

Join us for fun while learning the basics of rhythmic gymnastics. You will learn leaping, tumbling and balancing. You will also be introduced to ribbons, balls and hoops.



Cheerleading-Infinity Cheer Elite

Come see what cheerleading is all about in this fun no experience necessary summer camp for ages 6-12. Make new friends and have fun while learning the basics of all four components of cheerleading. Athletes will learn tumbling, stunts, jumps and dance. Infinity is here to provide a safe and caring environment for athletes to learn and grow while building their confidence!

10:00am-12:00pm Monday-Thursday Aug 21-24 \$115

Mad Scientist 8-12yrs

Do creative science experiments exploring your imagination with hands-on fun experiments. Don't forget to wear clothes appropriate for messy fun!

Monday-Friday \$65

July 10-14 2:30-3:30pm August 14-18 11:00-12pm

Get involved

Looking for a way to share a skill with your community? Looking for different activities? Let us know! We are continually looking for new programs to offer! So get in touch!



Check us out on Facebook!

http://www.facebook.com/

RosedaleTraditionalCommunitySchoolSocietyrtcss

Cupcake Decorating

Is it food? Best of both worlds.

Monday-Friday

Little Einstein

Monday-Friday

Babysitters Training

\$50 must attend both days

July 10-14

July 5/6

August 14-18

July 17-21

Have you ever wondered how those cupcake

decorate cupcakes in an artistic way! Is it art?

fish look so real? Learn basic techniques to

The perfect combination of science and art.

Each day your little Einstein will be engaging in an

age appropriate science experiment, and making

an art project in conjunction with the experiment.

Learn about your rights and responsibilities, how to

care for a child and how to deal with emergency

Facility Rentals

RTCSS is the perfect place to host birth-

day parties, meetings, practices and all

kinds of community events. Get in touch

today to find out how you can hold your

next event at our beautiful facilities.

of this Canadian Safety Counsel Babysitters

Course. Please note this a two day course.

situations. You will receive a certificate at the end

\$60

1:00-2:00pm

9:30-10:30am

11+yrs

9:00am-1:00pm

8-12yrs

9:30am-11:00am

\$70

4-7yrs

What is a Community School?

Community Schools in British Columbia are elementary or secondary schools with a special emphasis upon the belief held by residents and staff in the value of community involvement. The Rosedale facility was built in partnership with the City of Chilliwack and deemed a Neighbourhood Learning Centre. NLC's are inviting places where people of all ages can access education, community services, recreation and culture seven days a week, twelve months a year - places that promote the well-being of children, families and the entire community.

RTCSS Memberships

Members of the society consist of any person enrolled in a RTCSS program. When participant is under the age of 16 parent or guardian will be considered a member of the society. Memberships are at no charge when enrolled in a program.



50850 Yale Road Rosedale BC V0X 1X2 Phone: 604 378-0300

Get in touch

Phone: 604 378-0300

Email: rtcss@rtcss.ca Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00 pm

To register

Email rtcss@rtcss.ca to receive a registration package. Return and pay

by etransfer or Credit Card.









YOUTH EMPOWERED SPEAKERS



fpcc.ca/yes

Do you want to learn your language as part of your post-secondary education?

Receive up to \$30,000 in funding for B.C. First Nations students age 18-35!

Apply by June 14, 2023

This program includes:

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

Program Contact: Beckie Wesley yes@fpcc.ca









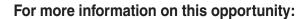






Are you interested in collaborating with Indigenous Youth to co-create impactful social art that promotes the significance of water? Are you open to exploring innovative collaborative efforts to challenge the current state of water issues in Canada, particularly those disproportionately affecting Indigenous communities?

Be part of the Indigenous Youth, Art and Water Initiative



 $\frac{https://yourcier.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/FINAL-Youth-Art-and-Water-Application-Guide-ENG.pdf}{}$

To submit an application:

https://yourcier.jotform.com/230585597279271

Or contact: rterbasket@yourcier.org

We look forward to receiving your application by June 11, 2023!

The Indigenous Youth, Art and Water Initiative

offers technical assistance and financial support of up to \$50,000 for organizations interested or actively engaged in social art projects addressing water issues by Indigenous communities and collaborators.

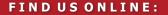
https://yourcier.org/indigenous-youth-water-art-initiative

An initiative of the Indigenous Water Allyship

https://www.onedrop.org/en/projects/the-indigenous-water-allyship/











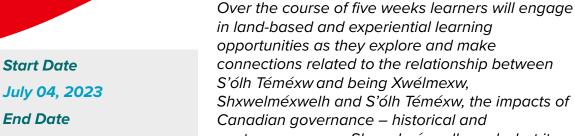




Stó:lō Land Stewardship and **Governance Course**

A five-week cohort program for Stó:lō youth (ages 16-21) who wish to further their understanding and knowledge of Stó:lō ways relating to Land Stewardship and governance.





contemporary - on Shxwelméxwelh, and what it means to steward the land in a good way moving forward.

This course will be delivered using a variety of methods for teaching and learning including being on the land, listening to Knowledge Holders and other experts, group discussions, self-reflection, guided tours, listening to audio, watching videos, and reading texts. Throughout all five modules, learners will be guided through a process of inquiry, wherein they will be supported in their exploration of a topic of their choosing related to Stó:lō land and governance.

S'ólh Téméxw — Our world; Our land Xwélmexw - First Nations person Shxwelméxwelh — Stó:lō way/constitution





S'ólh Téméxw Stewardship Alliance



Aug. 04, 2023

Commitment:

4 days a week

9:00AM to 2:00PM

Send Nominations to:

Lisa Wolgram

Lisa@alongsiderc.ca

778-808-3451

Michael Blackburn

Michael@alongsiderc.ca

604-997-8763

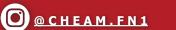


Stó:lō Research and Resource **Management Centre**











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Summer School 2023

July 4 - 28, 2023 Monday to Friday



Summer school will operate for 19 sessions, starting on July 4th, from 10:00 am - 2:45 pm. The teacher will be available in the mornings from 8:30 am - 10:00 am for extra help as needed. Regular attendance will be expected, and attendance will be communicated with parents.

LOCATIONS:

HSS - Hope Secondary School

AESS - Agassiz Elementary Secondary School

(Room #'s TBA)

Expectations

Regular progress is expected. With only one month to complete their assigned work, students will be expected to make the most of their in-class time and behave in a mature, business-like manner. When students have completed their assigned course(s)they will no longer be required to attend.

Referrals will be made by teachers with the approval of their principal. If your child is referred for summer school, a consent form will need to be completed. If you or your child would like to be referred for summer school, please talk to your school principal.

Referrals

REFERRAL DEADLINEJUNE 16, 2023

Capacity limits will be determined during the first week of June. If your child is referred prior to June 16, you will be contacted by summer school staff the week of June 19 to confirm enrollment. If your child is referred after June 16, enrollment will need the approval of summer school administration in order to ensure that space is available.

Programs

Students in Grade 7-9 may be offered a compressed version of Math and/or English to prepare them for the next grade level.

II Students currently enrolled in online learning will be allowed to continue their online course(s) to their completion.

III Students who have not passed a course with in-class instruction will be allowed to complete additional units online to bring them to a passing level.

IV Students wishing to complete a course not previously attempted in its entirety may do so if space is available.

Technology

DEVICE REQUIREMENTS

Students will be provided with devices to use while at school. If students would like to complete extra work at home they will need:

- Computer or tablet with up-to-date browser
- Word processor (not required for Math courses)
- Webcam recommended

- Access to internet capable of streaming video
- Headphones
- · Printer recommended

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES



<u>Administrative Assistant – SASET</u>

The Administration Clerk is responsible for the administration of HR, funding and governance, and communication functions. This position will assist with implementing better structures and processes within administration.

Adult In-Home Care Worker

The Adult In-Home Care (AIHC) Worker is responsible for providing confidential home care services based on the Nurse's assessment. The AIHC Worker provides home care services and support to individuals and families experiencing minor set-backs due to illness, injury or age.

Emergency Program Coordinator - (15 month Contract)

The Emergency Program Coordinator (EPC) is responsible for supporting the coordination of the Emergency Management Program, and for the review, maintenance and implementation of Cheam's Emergency Response Plans, All Hazards Plan, and Health Plan. It is the responsibility of EPC to ensure that adequate attention is given to all aspects of Emergency Management Program-including direct and indirect support for related planning supports for the Comprehensive Community Plan.

General Maintenance Worker - SASET

Under the direction of the Public Works Supervisor, the primary purpose of the Cheam Maintenance Worker is to conduct general grounds and building maintenance tasks for all Cheam public/common areas, community grounds, community buildings, water systems, wastewater systems, and Band Rental and Social Housing.

Health Assistant – SASET

Under the direction of the Health and Wellness Manager, the Health Assistant is responsible for assisting the Health Coordinators in the development, coordination, administration and management of health programs.

<u>Human Resources Assistant – SASET</u>

The Human Resources Assistant is responsible for administrative functions and support for the HR department. This position will assist with implementing better structure and process within the administration under the direction of the HR Manager.

Social Development & Education Clerk - (SASET)

Under the direction of the Social Development and Education Manager, the Clerk's primary goal is to assist the Coordinator in improving the quality of life for Cheam Band Members requiring assistance and access to Education and Social Assistance programs.

Wellness Advocate

Under the direction of the Health and Wellness Manager, the Wellness Advocate's primary goal is to provide non-clinical counselling services including, confidential addiction counselling, referrals to detox and treatment facilities, education and support to Cheam Members and their families, and to promote positive and healthy lifestyles and choices.



Campground Student Position

1. Key Responsibilities:

This position supports the efforts of the Manager and Assistant Campground Manager.

Without limiting the generality of the following:

- Clean campsites by performing minor maintenance tasks such as raking the campsite pad, lawn care, litter pick up, outhouse cleaning, maintaining fire rings, filling potholes, and planting trees
- Be observant for activities within the campground requiring immediate attention ranging from a tree needing to be trimmed to a problem camper. Notify the Manager as these problems arise.
- Staff customer check-in center during scheduled hours
- Ensure Campground Master reservations are correct and up to date
- Collects all applicable fees
- · Assist with reporting, cash balance, and inventory
- Conduct routine campground, garbage, and washroom checks.

2. Scheduled Hours/Days

- Four (4) days per week, seven and a half (7.5) hours per day (9:00 am to 4:30 pm)
- This is an eight (8) week position (July 3rd to August 31st, 2023)

3. Requirements

- Must be at least 15 years of age with a Social Insurance Number
- Have reliable means of transportation

4. Resume submission:

Resumes must be received by: Monday, June 19, 2023, at 4:30 pm Email resumes to: info@cheamenterprises.ca

630 Appel Road, Agassiz BC VOM 1A2





JOIN OUR TEAM

Senior Communications & Engagement Officer



Discover Parks Ambassador (Chilliwack)



Apply Online

Position description

We are seeking energetic, motivated individuals with a deep respect for the natural environment to deliver fun, educational programs in parks across BC this summer! You will join a network of staff and volunteers across the province. You will engage children and adults about responsible recreation and local flora and fauna. You will add value to the experience of park visitors through your engaging programs, and help visitors appreciate the features that make each park a special place. Note that hiring for these positions is dependent on the outcome of pending funding applications.

What does a typical day look like?

Your days will be split between working from home (1-2 days/week) and in Parks (3-4 days/week). When working from home, you'll have team meetings, reflect on the previous weekend, plan for the coming weekend, prepare for programs, draft posters, and brush up on your local knowledge. When working in Parks, you'll check in with your local park staff, set up your information booth and engage with visitors about local flora and fauna. You might run a nature walk with families, before collecting observations of nature with iNaturalist. You'll finish the day running fun kids' activities such as plant scavenger hunts and games about local animals, then pack up for the day. On some Saturdays, your schedule will be shifted so that you can run evening amphitheatre programs at your Park/s.



June 3, 2023 Education awards Dinner Bid

This is open for Cheam Members & Community members

Name of Bidder:			
Phone number:			
Is your catering business licensed?		Yes No	
Do you and have a valid food safe certificate?		Yes No	
Is your food safe certificate attached?		Yes No	
Does your support kitchen crew have food safe certificate?		Yes No	
Is their food safe certificate attached?		Yes No	
Do you have your own transportation?		Yes No	
Do you need to use the Gym kitchen?		Yes No	
Did you attach a menu for 200 people? Did you attach the costs for?		Yes No	
	Food	Yes No	
	Desserts	Yes No	
	Condiments	Yes No	
	Plates, cutlery, cups	Yes No	
	Coffee, tea, juice	Yes No	
Do your costs include clean-up of the Gym and kitchen?		Yes No	
Other catering ideas that you will include in your bid:			
(If you need more room, please submit additional separate sheet of paper			
Total catering cost is:			
Signature of bidder:			

Please include a copy of all supporting documents, including break down of per plate costs, any food safe certificates and business license. Please also refer to the attached menu.

WorkBC

Work BC - Aggasiz/Kent 103 Jobs

7086 Pioneer Avenue
Agassiz, BC, V0M 1A0
604-796-0266
centre-agassiz@workbc.ca
http://workbccentre-agassiz.ca



Work BC - Hope 202 Jobs

895 3rd Avenue
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centre-hope@workbc.ca
http://workbccentre-hope.ca

Work BC - Chilliwack 650

200 - 45905 Yale Road Chilliwack, BC, V2P 2M6 778-860-5452 centre-chilliwack@workbc.ca http://workbccentre-chilliwack.ca

Trans Mountain is committed to Indigenous and local inclusion. Please visit our website to view our current opportunities here:

Trans Mountain Opportunities: 22 current postings

Alternatively individuals interested in working directly for a Trans Mountain contractor are strongly encouraged to follow this link and populate the "Expression of Interest for Employment":

https://csi.transmountain.com/csi/isinfo/







May 3, 2023

S'ólh Téméxw Guardian (EXTERNAL)

Stó: lō Service Agency (SSA) requires the services of 2 (two) S'ólh Téméxw Guardians to fill a vacancy within the Stó: lō Research and Resource Management Centre (SRRMC) Department.

The **S'ólh Téméxw Guardian** is a motivated and collaborative individual, dedicated to advancing Stó:lō-led Indigenous stewardship of the land, water, and the natural and cultural resources within S'ólh Téméxw (Stó:lō traditional lands; the lower Fraser River watershed). The S'ólh Téméxw Guardian acts on behalf of the 17 Stó:lō First Nations of the S'ólh Téméxw Stewardship Alliance (www.thestsa.ca).

This position is primarily outdoors on the land and water. Work will include environmental monitoring and enforcement linked to Stó:lō policies and regulatory processes, natural and cultural heritage stewardship, recreation management and relations, cross-cultural awareness, research support, and Indigenous Monitoring for development projects including the Trans Mountain Expansion Project.

These positions will report to the Guardians Supervisor within the SRRMC's Land Stewardship Unit. The successful candidate will work out of the Central (Chilliwack) office.

QUALIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS:

- Relevant work or study experience in environmental monitoring, environmental studies, geography, land stewardship planning, fisheries, forestry, heritage studies, or a related field.
- Strong communication skills.
- Willing and able to work outdoors in different weather conditions and challenging terrain.
- Experience working collaboratively in a team setting.
- Ability to follow directions as well as work independently.
- Proficient computer skills, including a working knowledge of Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook, and PowerPoint.
- Must be able to work irregular work hours, including 12-hour construction monitoring shifts and on evenings and weekends, as may be required from time to time.
- General understanding of Stó:lō culture, traditions, history, and current land/resource issues, and dedication to learning more.
- Good organizational, time-management skills, judgement, reasoning, and decision-making skills.
- Good observational and problem-solving skills to proactively identify hazards and ensure safety of self and others.
- Ability to respond effectively in emergency or major incident situations.
- Ability to manage conflict and effectively work with individuals who may be potentially agitated, upset, or demanding.
- Ability to collect data in the field and write detailed field activity reports.
- Ability to use radios, smart phones, tablets, InReach, and GPS, or a willingness to learn.
- Ability to operate and maintain a wide range of hand tools, power tools, vehicles, and equipment, or a willingness to learn.
- Ability to work in remote backcountry situations and travel by foot, all-terrain or other vehicles, watercraft, or aircraft.
- Ability to lift and move up to 20kg.
- Ability to take part in maintenance and repair activities.

Successful candidates will be required to provide the following if screened in for an interview:

- Proof of education documentation
- References: Three names and emails of recent supervisors
- Must possess and maintain a valid Class 5 BC Drivers' License
- Must successfully pass the required pre-employment Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General Check
- Must be fully vaccinated for Coronavirus/Covid-19 with a Federally approved vaccine
- Must successfully pass drug and alcohol testing and maintain passing results as an ongoing requirement of the position

SALARY RANGE: \$26.00 - \$30.00 per hour based on qualifications/experience.

TYPE OF POSITION: Full-Time Annual Term with benefits, subject to 3-month probationary period.

APPLICATIONS DEADLINE: 4:00 PM, May 23, 2023

Candidates will be screened according to the qualifications/requirements. **Interested candidates are required to submit a resume and covering letter.** Please include position title on subject line. Send to:

Stó:lō Service Agency Personnel Department Bldg. #8A, Floor #1 – 7201 Vedder Road Chilliwack, BC V2R 4G5

Email: jobs@stolonation.bc.ca



SASET Outreach Services on-site at Cheam First Nation Every Friday from 9:30am to 3:00pm

Who are we?

We provide Indigenous Employment and Training Services to First Nation working age population in the Fraser Valley Catchment area.

Who do we serve?

If you are an Indigenous person and are either the following:

- Is un-under employed
- Student
- Employed but unable to meeting basic living requirements
- Resides in SASET's catchment area (Langley to Boston Bar and throughout the Fraser Valley; or with 3 communities in the Head of the Lakes)

Outreach Employment Services:

Employment and Career Counselling Resumes and Cover Letters Education and training information Computer with internet access Job postings Employment Readiness Career Planning/Decision Making Labour Market Information Scholarships, Grants and Bursary information
Job Search assistance
Applying online
Employability workshops
Basic Computer Skills Workshops
And much more

Lucinda Louie, Employment Counsellor

Phone or text: 778-684-1464 or email: Lucinda.Louie@saset.ca

Or email: info@saset.ca

See our website for more information at www.saset.ca



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- GOLDEN
- HOPE
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- TERRACE
- TETE JAUNE CACHE
- VANDERHOOF

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DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A POSITIVE IMPACT ON THE SAFETY OF BRITISH COLUMBIANS?

ARE YOU MECHANICALLY INCLINED?

ARE YOU READY FOR THE NEXT STEP IN YOUR CAREER?

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We're seeking a motivated individual for a camp position, available in Valemount and Blue River, BC.

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Position is a 20/10 rotation. **Full Time Position**

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Sardac Construction Ltd. is an established residential framing company in Chilliwack specializing in residential and commercial construction and has recently branched out into spec home building. As a small company, our focus is on high-quality work and excellent customer service. I have trained 5 apprentices in my 30 years of experience and enjoy sharing my knowledge of the trade. **We are currently looking for 2 employees who are interested in residential construction and are interested in taking their apprenticeship.** The majority of the work is on foundations and framing outdoors in all weather conditions.

Requirements:

- Ability to work closely with others
- Ability to work at heights
- Ability to work in all weather conditions
- Have a valid driver's licence and reliable transportation to work
- Have a basic knowledge of power tools
- Steel toed boots and a tool belt with personal hand tools
- Rain gear and cold weather gear

Job types: Full-time, part-time and apprenticeship

Schedule:

- Monday to Friday, 8-hour shift
- Paid overtime is available
- Part time also available
- Work location is mainly in the Chilliwack area with some opportunities to work at unique places in the Vancouver area (carpooling available for those)

Wages:

\$21.00-30.00 per hr depending on experience and ability. Resumes can be emailed to al.sardacltd@gmail.com



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Are you passionate about painting?

We are a small local painting company, with a focus on repainting old homes, and we are looking for a full time experienced painter, as well as someone looking to get into the trade, and learn how to be a professional painter from the ground up.

Full Time work, starting ASAP. Wage based on experience. Tools provided.

Must be able to get themselves to and from work, Monday to Friday, in and around Chilliwack.

Must be able to work well with others, and take direction.

If this is something that you're interested in, please reach out to us via email or call\text.

info@elevationpaintingco.ca 604-991-2739



TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES



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BASIC COMPUTER SKILLS WORKSHOP

If you are Aboriginal, underemployed, or unemployed and you want to learn the basics of how to use a computer, this workshop is for you!

Book an appointment with your SASET Employment Counsellor to sign up!

JOIN US EVERY
TUESDAY AND THURSDAY
9 AM—12PM

Building 5B - 7201 Vedder Road
Chilliwack, BC

Phone: 604-858-3691 Email: info@saset.ca

Basic Computer
Skills &
Knowledge

How To Use the Internet

Email

Word Basics

How To Use a Laptop

Sto:Lo Aboriginal Skills And Employment Training

5B-7201 Vedder Rd

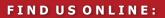
Chilliwack, BC V2R 4G5

604-858-3691

Toll Free: 1-888-845-4455

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HOSPITALITY WORK SKILLS TRAINING PROGRAM

JULY 3-9, 2023 SQEMEL LALEM CAMP HOPE, BC









To apply, scan QR or visit: https://bit.ly/40iczKn

For questions contact Kim: kwestlake@landseacamps.com

This free five day immersive program is designed for Indigenous Participants interested in kick-starting their career in workforce camp hospitality.

The Pre-Employment Skills program will include:

- An introduction to Workforce Hospitality
- Required certification and training
- Health and safety in the workplace
- · Camp specific policies and roles
- Kitchen equipment and safety
- · Cooking methods and nutrition
- Job shadowing
- Professional development

Upon program completion, participants will be invited to apply to work at Sqemel Lalem Camp in Hope, BC.

The program is open and free to Indigenous persons living in BC, age 19 or older. Meals, accommodation, and training is included.





TRANSMOUNTAIN



UPCOMING SASET PROGRAMS!!!



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FOR MORE INFORMATION: call 604-858-3691 OR email info@saset.ca

PLEASE VISIT WWW.SASET.CA FOR EMPLOYMENT ASSIS-**TANCE SERIVICES AND MORE** INFORMATION

Wildlands Fire Fighting

Chilliwack: May 15-26

Basic Security Training

Chilliwack: June 2023

Chawathil: TBA

Traffic Control Training

June 22& 23

First Aid Level 3 (2 groups)

Chilliwack-June 12-23

Chilliwack-June 19-30

Customer Service Training

Seabird: July 2023 Dates TBA

Landscaping with Traffic Control

Boston Bar: June 2023 dates TBA

Getting Your L Workshop:

Seabird: May 16

SASET Chilliwack: May 19

Shxwowhamel: May 29

Cheam: May 26

Chawathil: May 24

SASET FULLTIME EAS OFFICES:

SASET—Chilliwack Office 5B-7201 Vedder Road Chilliwack, BC Phone: 604-858-3691

SASET— Sts'ailes Office 4690 Salish Way Agassiz, BC Phone: 604-796-5536

SASET—Seabird Office 2895 Chowat Road Agassiz, BC Phone: 604-796-6865













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Digital literacy is a valuable skill set that supports life-long learning and increases employability. Learn to use technology to effectively find information, communicate, and apply for work.

Digital Literacy OPENS DOORS

Join this **FREE** online program to learn digital tools for daily living and employment purposes. Coaches are available to help you be successful!

Contact Stó:lō Aboriginal Skills & Employment Training (SASET) at info@saset.ca or 1-888-845-4455

Laptops available to borrow if you need one!



















tó:lő Aboriginal Skills Employment Training

There are a limited number of seats so don't delay in scheduling an appointment with a SASET employment counsellor today!

3 Weeks (Mon-Tues)

June 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 2023

Class Time: 8:30AM-4:30PM

Program will take place at:

2D—7201 Vedder Road, Chilliwack

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5B-7201 Vedder Road
Chilliwack, BC
Phone: 604-858-3691

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Indigenous Public Health Summer Institute applications are now open!

Join us in August for an intensive week to explore:
Approaches to Understanding the Health of Indigenous
Peoples/Environmental Health and Indigenous Communities!

Learn more



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INDGENOUS HEALTH PRESENTS:

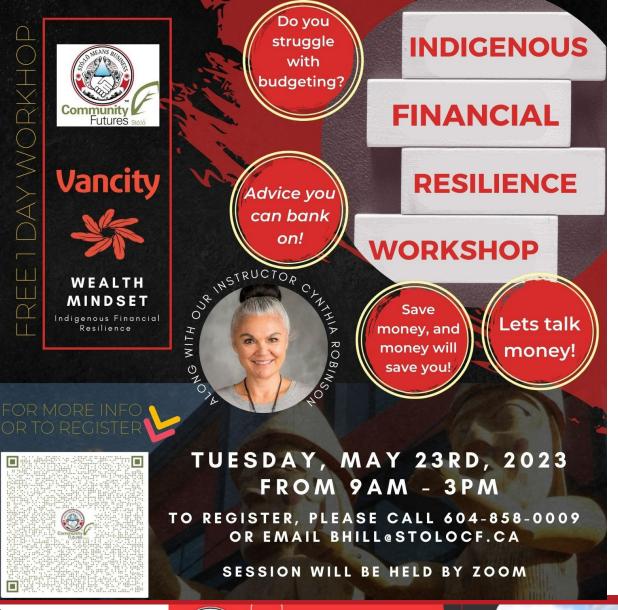
ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS NOW!

INDIGENOUS PUBLIC HEALTH TRAINING (IPH) PROGRAM

Deadline: MAY 31st, 2023

COURSES OFFERING:

- Interdisciplinary Approaches to Understanding the Health of Indigenous Peoples (SPPH 589 1.5 credits / non-credit)
 - Environmental Health and Indigenous Communities (SPPH 577 1.5 credits/non-credit)





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WANTING TO START A SMALL BUSINESS?

HERE IS A WORKSHOP PERFECT FOR YOU!



HERE ARE THE TOPICS THAT WILL BE **COVERED:**

- Are you ready to start
 10 things a lender a business
- Building a better business plan
- money
- · Plan a cash flow
- looks for
- · Key to market research
- Make the most of your
 Connecting with customers
 - Maintain work like balance



DATE: THURSDAY, JUNE 8TH 2023

TIME: 9:00AM - 3:00PM

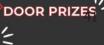
LOCATION: MÉTIS HOUSE **BUILDING 4-7201 VEDDER RD** CHILLIWACK, BC

TO REGISTER

CALL 604-858-0009 OR **EMAIL BHILL@STOLOCF.CA**

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Reclaiming My Language

Reclaiming My Language is a course to assist silent speakers to reclaim their language

DEADLINE: MAY 31, 2023

Funding up to \$35,000

The course runs 10 weeks for up to three hours each week. It uses Cognitive Behavioral Therapy and offers supports for silent speakers, including tools and coaching to help them move forward in a good way to reclaim their language.

Program Contact

Melinda Pick, Language Program Associate rml@fpcc.ca

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

fpcc.ca/grants









Industry Internship Program for Indigenous High School Students

Summer 2023



"We are providing First Nation youth a foundational skillset to become leaders in the technology field and support their communities".

Brenden Mercer, FNESS Decision Support Manager
 2023

The 8-week Program Includes

A **SALARY** and a **LAPTOP** to keep

Learn Technology & Professional Skills

Cloud | Cybersecurity | Data Analytics Customer Service | Financial Literacy

Speaker Series with Inspirational Leaders

Chiefs | Indigenous Leaders | Industry Executives

Work Experience through an Industry IT & Data Project

Network with High School Interns across Canada

The Program Details



July 3rd – August 25th



Monday – Friday 10AM – 3PM



Check out the tools of tomorrow you'll develop in Summer

Don't miss out, please reach out!

No Previous Experience Required.

Tammy Dong
tdong@fness.bc.ca
By April 21, 2023















Social Assistance Cheque Schedule 2023

Cheque	Renewals Due By:	Ck. Release Date	Mid-Month 2	
January 2023	3 December 15, 2022 December 21, 2022		January 14, 2023	
February 2023	January 14, 2023	February 1, 2023	February 15, 2023	
March 2023	February 15, 2023	March 1, 2023	March 15, 2023	
April 2023	March 15, 2023	March 31, 2023	April 14, 2023	
May 2023	April 14, 2023	May 1, 2023	May 15, 2023	
June 2023	May 13, 2023	June 1, 2023	June 15, 2023	
July 2023	June 15, 2023	June 30, 2023	July 14, 2023	
August 2023	July 15, 2023	August 1, 2023	August 15, 2023	
September 2023	August 15, 2023	September 1, 2023	September 15, 2023	
October 2023	September 15, 2023	September 29, 2023	October 13, 2023	
November 2023	October 14, 2023	November 1, 2023	November 15, 2023	
December 2023	November 14, 2023	December 1, 2023	December 15, 2023	







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CHEAM HEALTH

PHONE 604-794-7927

FAX 604-794-7928

May 8, 2023

TO INCOME ASSISTANCE CLIENTS

WE HAVE A DEPOSIT OF INFLATION FUNDS THAT WE WILL BE DISTRIBUTING OUT ON THE FOLLOWING DATE:

APRIL 21, 2023

MAY 1, 2023

MAY 15, 2023

JUNE 1, 2023

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO ASK.

AMANDA AUBICHON

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT MANAGER







CHEAM HOUSING - NEEDS ASSESSMENT (Deadline to submit May 31st)

1. CLASSIFICATION QUESTIONS

The following questions are for classification purposes.

Please specify your age group:	
18 to 24 years	55 to 64 years
25 to 34 years	65 and over
35 to 44 years	Prefer not to say.
45 to 54 years	
Please specify your gender:	
Male	
Female	
Other	
Prefer not to say.	
What is your marital status?	
Single	Widowed
Married	Divorced
Common Law	Prefer not to say.
Is your spays /portror a registered member of	Chaam Einst Nation?
Is your spouse/partner a registered member of	Cheam First Nation?
Yes	
○ No ○ N/A	
) N/A	
LOCATION	
he following questions are related to the loc	ation where you live.
Do you currently live on Cheam First Nation lan	ids?
Yes	
○ No	
I do not know.	
Would you like to live, (or continue to live) on C	heam First Nation lands in the future?
Yes	
○ No	
Maybe	

3. PEOPLE								
What is the total nu	ımber of p	eople livi	ng in the	home you	currently	live in (in	cluding	
yourself)?								
Please breakdown th	e number o	f people in	your hom	ie based on	the follow	ing categor	ries.	
Note that the number o	f people sho	uld add up	to the total	number of p	people in you	ır home, inc	luding your	self.
Married or commo	n law adu	lt (18 yea	rs or olde	r)				
Single adult (18 ye	ars or old	er)	Fe	emale chil	d betwee	n 6 and 17	vears	
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Male child between	n 6 and 17	years old	d Cl	hild 5 year	s or youn	iger		
Please specify the nu	ımber of de	pendents l	living in th	ne same ho	me as you ((if any) by a	ige group.	
Note that a dependent is example, this could be			ı you, espec	rially a famil	ly member, j	for financial	l support. Fo	or
Please specify the n	number of	dependen	ıts living i	n the sam	e house as	s you (if ar	ny) by age	
group.								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	+
Under 18								
18-24 years old			\bigcirc					
25-34 years old		\bigcirc						
35-44 years old								
45-54 years old								
55-64 years old		\bigcirc					\bigcirc	
65 years and over								
How many separa	ate family	7 units aı	re living	in the ho	me you c	currently	live in?	
Note that a family	unit woul	d he conci	idered ar	individua	l or grou	n of neon!	e that we	ald
typically live in sep								ши
independent single					_			

4. CURRENT HOUSING	
The following questions will help us understand the home yo	u live in.
Please specify your current living situation:	
Own on Cheam First Nation Reserve	Rent off Cheam First Nation Reserve
Own off Cheam First Nation Reserve	Rent to Own on Cheam First Nation Reserve
Rent on Cheam First Nation Reserve	Other
What is the age of your on-reserve home? Mo	ore specific
Note: Please provide an approximate age (numbe	er of years).
How many finished bedrooms are there in	your current home?
Note: a bedroom would be considered a private	e room with a door and a window.
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<u> </u>	<u> </u>
<u>2</u>	<u> </u>
3	7 or more
If you live on Cheam First Nation lands, pleas	e rate the condition of your home on a scale of 1
to 5 (where 1 is Poor and 5 is Excellent).	·
Poor	Good
○ Fair	Excellent
Average	O Do not know
Is your current on-reserve home in need o	f maintenance or repairs?
Yes	
O No	
○ N/A	
If your home needs maintenance or repair required:	, please indicate the types of repairs
Interior finishes (walls, stairs, floors, paint,	Electrical (outlets, switches, lighting, etc.)
appliances, cabinets, etc.)	Fire & Life Safety (smoke detectors, sprinklers,
Structural (foundation, exterior deck, and stairs, etc.)	etc.) Other
Roof & Envelope (roof, windows, doors, siding etc.)	Guid
Mechanical (heating, water heater, plumbing, sewer, etc.)	

5. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

You are halfway there!

 $The following \ questions \ will \ help \ us \ understand \ the \ costs \ associated \ with \ your \ home.$

	e or rent for the home you live in, not just the portion you
pay.	
\$0	\$600- \$799
\$1 - \$199	\$800 - \$999
\$200 - \$399	\$1000 or more
\$400 - \$599	I do not know.
What is your estimated total housel	nold income? Note: this includes the total of all
incomes contributing to the rent or mort	gage payment.
Less than \$10,000	\$50,000 to \$59,999
\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$60,000 to \$69,999
\$20,000 to \$29,999	\$70,000 to \$79,999
\$30,000 to \$39,999	\$80,000 or more
\$40,000 to \$49,999	
What is the average monthly cos Natural Gas)? I don't pay for utilities.	t of utilities for your home (Hydro, Electricity, \$200 - \$299
\$99 or less	\$300 or greater
\$100 - \$199	
6. HOUSING NEEDS	
This section will help us get information on your	· current and future housing needs.
Are you currently on the wait list?	
Yes	
○ No	
Are you eligible to be on the wait	: list?
Yes	
No	
I do not know.	
*Does your current home suit you	ur needs?
Yes	

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) No

If your current home does not suit your	needs, please indicate why:
O Too big	In need of handicap accessibility
Too small	Location
Too expensive	Other
Overcrowded	
If a more suitable home became available	le, would you trade in your current home for
that option?	
Yes	
O No	
○ N/A	
If your current home does not suit your needs Cheam First Nation lands in the future, wh	s and you would like to live or continue living on ich size would best suit your needs?
Studio - no bedroom	3 bedrooms
1 bedroom	4 bedrooms or more
2 bedrooms	
	needs and you would like to live or continue le future, which type of home would suit your
Select all that apply.	
Apartment	Tiny home (under 500 square feet)
Basement or secondary suite	Townhouse or row home
Ouplex	Other
Mobile home	Other
Single detached home (regular house)	

7. HOUSING OPTIONS

Final section! Thank you for sticking with it:)

These questions will help us gather your opinion on the type of homes you would like to see in the community in the future.

To what level do you agree with the construction of each of the following types of homes in the community?

ne community:						
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	I do not know
Apartment towers (over 4 stories)						
Basement or secondary suites						
Combined retail and apartment building						
Duplexes						
Mobile homes						
Single detached homes						
Small, secondary free-standing structure (Example: garden suite) next to your home						
Townhouse or row homes						
Tiny homes (under 500 square feet)						
are there other type	es of homes	that you wou	ıld like to see	in the comn	nunity?	
Would you suppo	ort the devel	opment of m	ixed-market l	nousing on C	heam First	Nation lands?
Note: Mixed mar or subdivision, w						nent building
Yes						
○ No						
I do not know						

Do you tillik Cheam i	members should be able to have recreational property on Cheam Prist
Nation Lands? Note: t	this means a member living part-time on Band Lands and part-time off
Band Lands.	
Yes	
○ No	
I do not know	
The Draw - We apprecia	ate your feedback. Please enter your contact information below to
enter a draw for 6 \$50 g	ift certificates. If you are not interested in entering the draw, please
click "Submit".	
Name	
Email Address	
Phone Number	

Please return to the Band Office, Attn: Lydia - Housing

WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK!



1. Please provide any feedback you want to the Band Office:	
Future planning - top 3 things that you want to see in your community in the	e next 5 years
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2)	
3)	
3. Community planning circle - Would you like to attend a community planning circle	in June or July?
Please circle your preferences:	
Yes or No	
In Person or on Web	
Name:	
Phone:	
Email:	

Please drop off at the Band Office or email your answers to communications@cheamband.com.