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Sq'ewqel

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Because news isn't all bad or boring!

Temkwikwexyel ~ "Time for baby sockeye salmon" ~ (April) 2023

Chief & Council ELECTION

April 19th ~ 9 a.m. 8 p.m.

VOTE In Person - Seabird Band Office Gym

SEABIRD ISLAND BAND NOTICE OF CANDIDATES

Notice is hereby given that Seabird Island has called an Election in accordance with the *Seabird Island Election Code (2016)* for the purpose of electing one (1) Chief and eight (8) Councillors to the Office of Chief and Council for the ensuing three (3) year term.

FINAL LIST OF CANDIDATES - UPDATED

CANDIDATES CONFIRMED FOR THE OFFICE OF CHIEF		
HARRIS, JAMES (JIM) THOMAS	MUSSELL, FRANCIS ALEXANDER	PETTIS, MARGARET (MAGGIE)
CANDIDATES CONFIRMED FOR THE OFFICE OF COUNCILLOR		
ANDREW, ARTHUR (WITHDRAWN)	ANDREW, PAUL THOMAS	ANDREW, TAMARA ELLAINA
ARMSTRONG, ROBERT DARREL	BOBB, ASHLEY MARIE	FISHER, CHAUNDINE (QUIPP)
GRACE, ALEXIS	HOPE, SALLY-MAY EMMA	MAILHOT, JORDIN NICLAS
MARCHAND, ALAIN ROBERT	MCNEIL, STACY LYNN	PETERS, MARCIA CHRISTINE
PETERS, MARLANA NICOLE	PETERS, NAOMI	PETERS, RODNEY CURTIS
SCHULTZ (BOBB), TREVOR SYDNEY	WALKER, WILLOW DAWN	

PLEASE NOTE THE OFFICIAL ELECTION NOTICE IS POSTED SEPERATELY. REGISTERED SEABIRD ISLAND BAND MEMBERS WHO ARE AT LEAST 18 YEARS OLD AS OF THE DATE OF THE ELECTION ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN PERSON, BY MAIL OR ELECTRONICALLY.

This notice for reference has been posted March 16, 2023

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Office Closed



Stat Holiday - Good Friday

Friday, April 7th, 2023

Office Closed



Stat Holiday -
Easter Monday (obs.)

Monday, April 10th, 2023

Sharing Back History



Wednesday,
April 12th, 2023



Chief Clem Seymour Honouring Ceremony

On February 25th, 2023 there was a gathering to honour Chief Clem Seymour's years of service and to celebrate his retirement.

Mark Point was MC of the event. Daryl from Sts'ailes performed the dinner song and everybody enjoyed a meal before the festivities started. It was inspiring to see that all of Chief and Council was in attendance.

The Sts'ailes drum and dance group lead the procession and performed a happy dance. The group of dancers was impressive from the toddlers and Youth dancing up to the adults drumming. They left the crowd in awe.

Rod Peters got up to speak telling stories from the old days. Clem was a plumber and a logger back then. *"Archie mentored Clem and Clem mentored some of us on Council, even before we were on council."* Clem did a lot of work in the community repairing the old homes.

Clem's family; wife Marilyn and their kids, Myra and Cass were also recognized for all their support of Clem in his work with the community for all these years. They gave up a lot because the community came first, now is time for him to focus on his family. They were thanked and honoured for their contributions and support.

Sí:emiya (Clem) of the Stq'oya Clan got up to speak. He stated that listening to all the stories the Elders taught when he was young taught him to be a leader. If it wasn't for the people, we wouldn't have this building. The work we do here is for the people. *"What you look after in life, looks after you."*

"For 25 years my wife waited for me. Now that I am retired, my life is dedicated to her." Clem went on to thank the staff, *"it was your hard work that made me look good."*

The Sts'ailes drum and dance group finished things off with a couple more songs. In honour of the Matriarchal, they sang and danced the "My little girl" song. Then they followed that up with the sásq'ets song by Hietit where two boys danced with sásq'ets masks.

Written by Sandra Bobb



Council Candidates

A word from some nominees



Naomi Peters

Hello, my name is Naomi Peters. I'm running for council.

I live on Seabird Island.

Currently I work one day a week in Hope, I work with people that have disability, were doing First Nations crafts. I also have worked on Seabird Island as a building service worker for 10 years. I have also done house cleaning for the elders. I love to sew and gardening.

Naomi Peters

Remember to
VOTE
for your candidates



on
April 19th

Tamara Andrew



Ey swayél,

For those who don't know me, my name is Tamara Andrew. I've been encouraged by some of the Community Leaders to run in our election for Council, I have decided to accept because of what I think is the spirit telling me it's my time. I would like to show that there are young people that are passionate about our community and its issues, while making space for young leaders to shine.

I'm 24, which means I still have a lot of learning to do. My parents are Paul and Jennifer Andrew. My grandparents are Mary Lou Andrew, Arthur Andrew, Swanny McIntyre, Loraine McIntyre, Pickles Oliver, and David Oliver. A bit about my background is that I am close to finishing my bachelors in Business Administration Accounting, with a minor in Psychology. My recent/current work has me working in many areas including First Nation Governance, Community Planning, Development, and Capital Projects.

If you think I'm worthy enough to join council, I would like to support the development of Sq'ewqel Letse'mot (*one heart, one mind, one spirit*). I believe we've come so far in terms of services, economic prosperity, and resources. However, I think the progress is missing the connection to the people. I hear you when you say that you want Council Members to be one with the community, to share the same values and priorities. I hear you that we need to make the organization a safe place mentally, emotionally, and spiritually that puts the people and culture first. I see you, I hear you.

Most of all I've heard the Elders. I believe the Elders have spoken and its our time to listen and act. I hear their concern that we need to preserve the culture and their knowledge. To do this we need to be working on succession planning, training and mentoring our people. I hear the Elders saying that the longhouse is needed, that the ancestors are telling us the longhouse is needed, so that our culture can thrive again, so that we as community can move along our healing journey, so that we can strengthen the connections within the community. We need everyone to pull together so we can start tackling issues together as one (Lets'emot): community, Council, and administration.

We cannot do this without you, without your involvement. The power is in every single one of you, every one of your voices is important.

All my relations.

Tamara Andrew

Council Candidates Continued

A word from some nominees

Paul Andrew



Ey swayél,

Squa:thom tel skwix. My last 2 terms on Council have been an honour to serve our people. Through my passion hasn't waned for working on the betterment of our community. My mission remains to be continuing to strengthen our governance while also moving towards self-governance. Self-governance meaning that we assert our rights to determining our future instead of the government doing it for us. However, our progress hinges on our connection

and support to the Tiyt Tribes, so that we can assert our rights and title.

This term I've gotten to be heavily involved in the development of the 10-year health plan. The process has been rewarding. The most powerful engagement being the table of family heads, hearing the voices of the matriarchs and patriarchs invokes hope for our future, that we can make change together. It all relies on the Council table acting and managing accountability, especially the CAO/ Executive Director Accountability. The CAO/Executive Director is key for the direction at council to be carried out and implemented.

Education has also made some unique progress with education jurisdiction that I've been able to be involved in. Education jurisdiction allowing us to govern the accreditation of our culture. Additionally, the progress of economic prosperity for the development

corporation is back on track. We have published our first annual report and plan to report on the first 10 years in 2023. We have been able to reinvest into scholarships, post secondary students and pay back the band. Meaning we are ready to implement our strategic plan where our earnings support our people, culture, and services financially.

I have been proud of the development in the Rights and Title program. The additional professionals have created a legitimacy for our stewardship of our traditional territory. We need to expand our involvement to support the Tiyt Tribes to bring the resources and change with developing talks with BC and Canada.

Our future is bright, everything is within our grasp. It relies on the involvement of the community going forward.

Paul Andrew

Robert Armstrong Woweqe

I am here to introduce myself as a Band Member of Seabird Island and I am putting my name forward as a candidate for Council. I was hesitant at first, but I was asked to run for Council and I must accept if I am to follow my teachings.

My father, Ambrose Point, was from Sts'ailes and my mother, Leona Armstrong, is from Seabird Island. I have been working for Seabird on and off since my teens. Uncle Dave would look after me in my younger years, teaching me to fish, cut wood and look after my Elders.

My work history at Seabird is as follows:

- Picking sticks in the fields
- Worked on the Slough cleanup
- Cut cord wood for Chief Archie Charles
- Supervised the truck stop
- Supervised the forestry program back in the late 1980's
- Supervised housing (filled in for Scotty)
- Taught at Seabird School
- Worked at Seabird College, various positions
- Two previous terms on Council
- Drove school bus
- Volunteered to teach jewelry in the evenings
- Helped some Elders with various troubles such as; water tank replacement, auto repair, rights advocate and more

Relevant educational and business background:

- » Indigenous Corporate Relations – Royal Roads University
- » Leadership – Royal Roads University
- » Education Teaching Certificate – Ministry of Education
- » Council - Two terms Seabird Island Band
- » Manager – Seabird College
- » Supervisor – various programs
- » Red Seal

Robert Armstrong

Loose Dogs, No Joke!

- March 5th, 2023, A 5-year-old boy died after being attacked by 3 dogs on a First Nation north of Slave Lake Alberta.
- January 21st, 2023, Fort Hall, Idaho – A 7-year-old boy died, and his mother sustained serious injuries after being attacked by four dogs on the Fort Hall Reservation.
- 2013 a 15-year-old girl was likely killed by a pack of wild dogs on God's Lake First Nation in Manitoba.
- In 2010, a 10-year-old boy on Canoe Lake First Nation in northern Saskatchewan was killed by a pack of roaming dogs while trying to visit his cousin.
- In 2006, Alberta's North Tallcree First Nation a 5-year-old was killed — seven years after his young cousin was also killed by dogs on a nearby reserve.

This is no laughing matter!

These loose pack dogs need to be properly taken care of, before we have an instance like this on Seabird.

Seabird 2023, there have been multiple reported attacks on people by packs of dogs. To date there have been no serious injuries reported. However, many members are scared to walk around the community, in fear of being attacked by these loose dogs. If you have had an instance like this, please call 911 when it happens, then report it to the Seabird Lands staff for assistance. If you have pictures of these dogs, these could also help the investigation.

Do these dogs belong to anyone on Seabird? We need to identify the strays and have them picked up. Contact Seabird Lands staff for assistance in these matters.

We are not a small village of 5 homes sharing 1-2 dogs anymore, loose dogs in a community this size are not good. If you want your dog to be able to run free, there are a few options available that will give them freedom but keep them safe at home:

1. Put a fence around your yard and they can run free in your yard.
2. Purchase a run for your dog and it can run free from tree to tree.

When the regular “store-bought run” from the pet store not strong enough, you can look at how it is constructed and get supplies from the hardware store that are similar but more heavy duty to create your own super strong dog run.

3. Tie your dog to secure (tangle free) location in your yard with a long rope.

Keep your dog safe at home, where they are loved. There are many dangers in the community that could harm your dog. They could get attacked. They could eat poison. They could choke on things they shouldn't be eating. They could be snatched up. They could be called out by a pack of coyotes and killed. They could get hit by a vehicle.

Let's do our part to protect our dogs and our fellow Community Members by eliminating loose dogs in the community by having them safe at home or if they don't have a home have them removed from the community. We appreciate everybody's assistance in this matter.

*Written by
Sandra Bobb*



Javed Jokhoo Says Goodbye

Dear Seabird Community,

It is with a heavy heart that I write this farewell message to you today. As much as I have cherished being your pharmacist on the reserve for the last 4.5 years, the time has come for me to move on to the next chapter in my life.

Over the years, I have had the privilege of getting to know most of you. Your stories, your struggles, and your triumphs have

touched my heart in ways that I cannot express in words. It has been an honor to be a part of your lives and to play a role in your health and wellness journey. You have been more than just patients to me; you have been friends and family. I will miss the daily check ins, laughter, the tears, the hugs, and the meaningful conversations that we have shared.

As I say goodbye (not a definite goodbye though!), I want to thank you for trusting me with your health and allowing me to be a part of your lives. I hope that our paths will cross again in the future. Seabird will always have a special place in my heart.

Wishing you all the very best in life and health.

With gratitude and love,

Javed

High School Trips



The grade 10 careers class has been working to connect with the community this semester. They are visiting with the Elders group every Tuesday to talk, create art, and play games. They also began a reading buddies program with the grade 2 class. We are practicing ways of giving back to our community and learning the value of volunteering.



Grade 9 and eleven spent an afternoon at the Cheam Wetlands to document local landforms and be inspired to write descriptive pieces of the beautiful landscape. It was a peaceful, snowy day to extend our learning and get out on the land with our Elder in residence, Yummo.



Dip Net Making Workshop

On March 11th Brenon McIntyre put on a great set of classes with 18 students showing up for the morning class. The students carved their own net needles. They used fir for the frame, vine maple has also been used by some fishers, you want a strong flexible wood.

Dip net is a traditional form of fishing that is opening more and is supported by the DFO, they like the idea of bringing back more traditional ways of fishing.

Brenon warns, that even though dip net fishing can be done by one person, never go fishing by yourself. The river is powerful and at the very least you need a spotter. The net can catch up to 8 fish, when it is this full

which can be quite heavy and could pull you in.

He recommends hanging your twine from the rope about every 2 inches with a traditional bull knot.

Matt Campbell from Boston Bar visited to display and talk about his dip net and experiences dip netting.

In the end each student was able to take home their nets to finish building at home. They ended the class with a lunch, then a whole new class came in to learn how to build a dip net as well.

Written by Sandra Bobb



Are you entitled to register under the *Indian Act*?



Bill S-3 changed the *Indian Act* to remove known sex-based inequities from the registration provisions. **More people are now entitled to register.**

Why was the *Indian Act* changed?



When an entitled woman married a non-entitled man before 1985, she lost her right to registration. That loss also affected her descendants' rights to registration.

Bill S-3 was introduced to fix the impacts of this loss of status for all affected descendants.

You may now be entitled to register:



If you have a parent, grandparent or ancestor who was affected by sex-based inequities in the *Indian Act*.



If anyone from your immediate or extended family is registered or entitled to be registered.

Find out more about registration and how to apply:

Call Indigenous Services Canada at **1-800-567-9604** and select **option 1**, Monday to Friday from 9 am to 6 pm Eastern time

Visit canada.ca/indian-status



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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!

Please note: **Training is available from Youth to Elders.**

Contact: Shannon Smith
Phone Number: 604-824-5278
Email: ssmith@stolocf.ca



Sharing Back History

Where: Band Office Gym
When: **April 12, 2023**
Time: 5 – 8 p.m.
Supper will be provided
Prize Draws Available

Future Session dates:
April 26, 2023 ~ SICS Gym

Presentation by Dr. Keith Carlson

Dr. Carlson will share his research results with the Stó:lō peoples and Seabird Island to seek feedback and guidance in creating a new Seabird Island Community Book and Curriculum Resources.



Remember to **VOTE** for Chief & Council April 19th in the Band Gym.

The Wisdom of Trauma Film Screening

APRIL 24, 2023

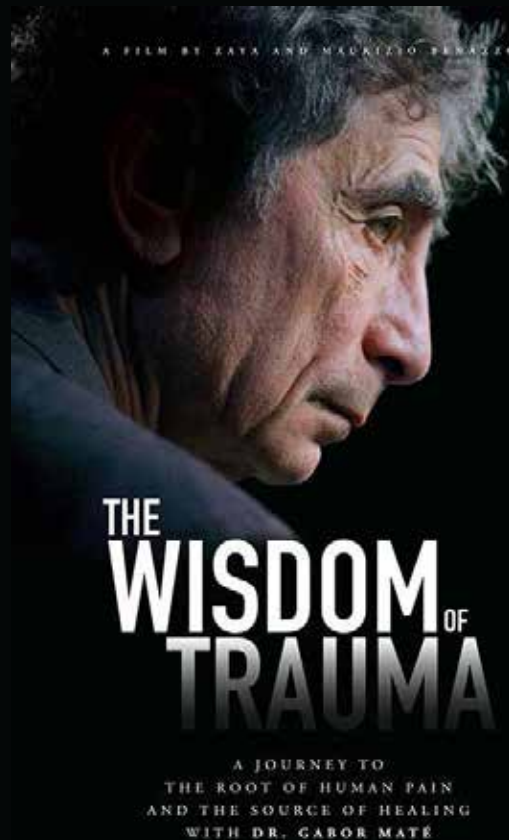
Dinner @ 5:00 p.m. | Screening @ 6:00 p.m.

Location: Band Office Gymnasium

Door prizes & more

For more information contact:

kiranjit.toor@seabirdisland.ca or 604-798-4836



**Child Care available for kids
during film screening.**

**Disclaimer: Please be advised this film can
be triggering. Supports will be available
before, during and after screening.**

Seabird Pharmacy



New Pharmacy Manager



We have a new Pharmacy Manager at Seabird pharmacy and his name is : **Ramez Istafanous (RAM)**.

8 years ago when Seabird Pharmacy was founded on 2 main principles: to provide you with **The Care you deserve and the Convenience you need**, and since day one Seabird Pharmacy was offering this through their excellent and caring staff.

Being a pharmacist for the past 20 years plus my caring, passionate and knowledgeable personality made me very excited to accept the Seabird Pharmacy Manager position. I felt privileged and honored to help such caring community in this position. Mainly I have been in Agassiz for the past 3 years which has made me very well prepared and ready to provide my best for the Seabird community.

I am looking forward to helping you all in person, to better take care of your health and wellness.

Kind regards,
Ramez Istafanous (RAM),
Pharmacy Manager
and

Tareq Aly
Director of Business Development/Owner
Agassiz , Seabird ,Sardis and Burnaby
Square Pharmacies



Seeking Drummers & Singers



Are you interested in drumming or singing for events and gatherings?

Seabird Events is looking for interested people to add to our call list.

Contact the Events Coordinator at events@seabirdisland.ca

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Community Events Calendar ~ Temkwíkwexyel

(S) Sxexlhat	(M) Yila:welhát	(T) Sthémelts	(W) Silhí
	 Doctor's Office is by appointment only. Please call ahead for an appointment.  Dental Office is urgent/emergency appointment only. Please call ahead.  Fire practice is canceled until future notice.  Garbage day, has not changed unless notified (2 bags per house hold please).  Recycle day, No longer accepting blue bags. Use blue bins please.		
2	3	4	
Sts'áiles Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council Executive Committee Meeting • Back to School (SICS & SD28) • Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m. 	   	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Register w/ Public Works Major Garbage Pick-up • Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.
9	10	11	
 Easter	 Easter Monday (obs) - Office Closed	   	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing Back History 5- • Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.
Sts'áiles Church	Trail Building Workshop	Trail Building Workshop	
16	17	18	
Seabird Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drop in Community Skateboard & Scooter 3-5 p.m. • Environmental Technician Certificate Program (runs until May 19th) • Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m. 	    <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chief & Council 	<p style="text-align: center; color: blue; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">VOTE a Chief & C ELECT in person S 9 a.m. - 8</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major Garbage Pick-up • Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.
23	24	25	
Sts'áiles Church		   	
30			
Seabird Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Movie: Wisdom of Trauma Screening SIB Gym 5 p.m. • Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing Back History 5- • Income Assistance Day • Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.

~ "Time for baby sockeye salmon" ~ (April) 2023

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5	6	7 Good Friday - Office Closed	8
12	13	14 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult Dogwood Program (ADW) Work Experience 12 B (runs until May 27th) • Income Assistance Renewal / Job Search 	15
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.		Trail Building Workshop	9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
19	20	21	22
26	27	28	29

Easy Easter Eggs

1. Boil Eggs

Place eggs in a pot of cold water so the water is over your eggs. Bring your eggs to a rolling boil. Remove from heat and let stand in the water with a lid on, for 10-12 minutes. Then drain the water and run cold water over the eggs until cool. Rapid cooling helps prevent a green ring from forming around your yolks.

2. Color Your Eggs

Colour your eggs with crayons before you place them in the dye. This helps colors pop. I always liked using a white crayon and seeing my invisible image come to life when I put it in the dye. The dye does not stick where you coloured.

3. Home-made Egg Dye

Mix 1/2 cup boiling water, 1 tsp vinegar and 10-20 drops of food colour. Repeat in different bowls with other colours to make a variety of different egg colours. Dip your hard-boiled and colored eggs in the dye. The longer you leave the egg in the dye the darker the colour will be. Up to 5 minutes.

Written by Sandra Bobb

Skateboard lessons available upon request

Thursday, April 20th 3-5 P.M.

All ages, everyone welcome to

Drop in Community Skateboard & Scooter

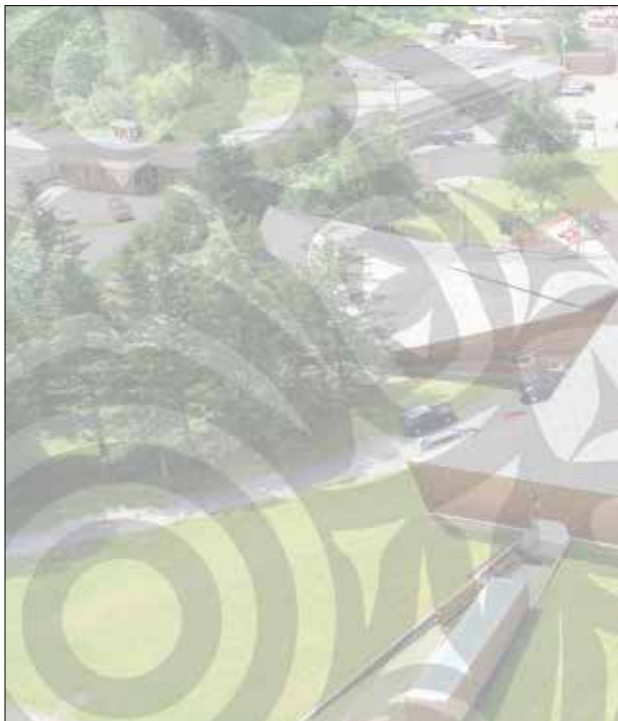
Seabird Lacrosse Box Meal provided

Extra helmets, skateboards and scooters available

Contact Rob Dunning at 604-819-2781 or robert.dunning@seabirdisland.ca



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Seabird Island Community School
Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting

Dates:
April 18th, 2023
May 23rd, 2023
June 13th, 2023

Location:
SICS Elementary ~ Grade 6 Classroom

Time:
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Child Care is provided.

Joint Statement of Bishops of the Church

Joint Statement of the Dicastries for Culture and Education and for Promoting Integral Human Development on the “Doctrine of Discovery”, 30.03.2023

1. In fidelity to the mandate received from Christ, the Catholic Church strives to promote universal fraternity and respect for the dignity of every human being.
2. For this reason, in the course of history the Popes have condemned acts of violence, oppression, social injustice and slavery, including those committed against indigenous peoples. There have also been numerous examples of bishops, priests, women and men religious and lay faithful who gave their lives in defense of the dignity of those peoples.
3. At the same time, respect for the facts of history demands an acknowledgment of the human weakness and failings of Christ’s disciples in every generation. Many Christians have committed evil acts against indigenous peoples for which recent Popes have asked forgiveness on numerous occasions.
4. In our own day, a renewed dialogue with indigenous peoples, especially with those who profess the Catholic Faith, has helped the Church to understand better their values and cultures. With their help, the Church has acquired a greater awareness of their sufferings, past and present, due to the expropriation of their lands, which they consider a sacred gift from God and their ancestors, as well as the policies of forced assimilation, promoted by the governmental authorities of the time, intended to eliminate their indigenous cultures. As Pope Francis has emphasized, their sufferings constitute a powerful summons to abandon the colonizing mentality and to walk with them side by side, in mutual respect and dialogue, recognizing the rights and cultural values of all individuals and peoples. In this regard, the Church is committed to accompany indigenous peoples and to foster efforts aimed at promoting reconciliation and healing.
5. It is in this context of listening to indigenous peoples that the Church has heard the importance of addressing the concept referred to as the “doctrine of discovery.” The legal concept of “discovery” was debated by colonial powers from the sixteenth century onward and found particular expression in the nineteenth century jurisprudence of courts in several countries, according to which the discovery of lands by settlers granted an exclusive right to extinguish, either by purchase or conquest, the title to or possession of those lands by indigenous peoples. Certain scholars have argued that the basis of the aforementioned “doctrine” is to be found in several papal documents, such as the Bulls *Dum Diversas* (1452), *Romanus Pontifex*(1455) and *Inter Caetera* (1493).
6. The “doctrine of discovery” is not part of the teaching of the Catholic Church. Historical research clearly demonstrates that the papal documents in question, written in a specific

historical period and linked to political questions, have never been considered expressions of the Catholic faith. At the same time, the Church acknowledges that these papal bulls did not adequately reflect the equal dignity and rights of indigenous peoples. The Church is also aware that the contents of these documents were manipulated for political purposes by competing colonial powers in order to justify immoral acts against indigenous peoples that were carried out, at times, without opposition from ecclesiastical authorities. It is only just to recognize these errors, acknowledge the terrible effects of the assimilation policies and the pain experienced by indigenous peoples, and ask for pardon. Furthermore, Pope Francis has urged: “Never again can the Christian community allow itself to be infected by the idea that one culture is superior to others, or that it is legitimate to employ ways of coercing others.”

7. In no uncertain terms, the Church’s magisterium upholds the respect due to every human being. The Catholic Church therefore repudiates those concepts that fail to recognize the inherent human rights of indigenous peoples, including what has become known as the legal and political “doctrine of discovery”.
8. Numerous and repeated statements by the Church and the Popes uphold the rights of indigenous peoples. For example, in the 1537 Bull *Sublimis Deus*, Pope Paul III wrote, “We define and declare [...] that [, ..] the said Indians and all other people who may later be discovered by Christians, are by no means to be deprived of their liberty or the possession of their property, even though they be outside the Christian faith; and that they may and should, freely and legitimately, enjoy their liberty and possession of their property; nor should they be in any way enslaved; should the contrary happen, it shall be null and have no effect”.
9. More recently, the Church’s solidarity with indigenous peoples has given rise to the Holy See’s strong support for the principles contained in the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples. The implementation of those principles would improve the living conditions and help protect the rights of indigenous peoples as well as facilitate their development in a way that respects their identity, language and culture.

Our Lady of Fatima, Sts’ailes & Immaculate Conception, Seabird Island Schedule of Homilists			
Date	Cmty	Homilist	Priest
Apr. 2 nd	Sts’ailes	Father Giovanni	Father Giovanni
Apr. 9 th	Sts’ailes	Father Jijimon	Father Jijimon
Apr. 16 th	Seabird Island	Deacon Meskas	Father Jijimon
Apr. 23 rd	Sts’ailes	Deacon Meskas	Father Giovanni
Apr. 30 th	Seabird Island	Deacon Meskas	Father Giovanni

Deacon Jamie
Jamiemeskas@gmail.com
 Cell Phone: 604 615 5677



SIB Membership Code

JOIN US for an Information Session

Thursday, April 13th, at 5 p.m.

Attend on TEAMS or in person

Location: Seabird Band Gym

Dinner Provided

**Door
Prizes**

Seabird is starting round 2 of
Updating the Seabird Island Membership Code.
Must be a SIB Member to participate.

The Membership Code is the legal document that determines who can and cannot become a Seabird Member, and much more. Seabird has controlled its own Membership List since 1987.

Have YOUR say!

Please invite all other family & friends who are **SIB Members**.

Future Meeting Dates:

April 20th, 2023

May 1st, 2023

May 8th, 2023

Key Focus Areas:

- Membership & Indian Status
- Removal of Membership

GRAND PRIZE!!

Each Membership Code Meeting you attend, you get entered into to the GRAND PRIZE DRAW!!

Increase your chances to WIN, attend all meeting!!

(Must be SIB Member to be entered)

A Night of Gathering Feedback!

For more information on this campaign, please contact Simone at membership@seabirdisland.ca

Major Garbage Notification

Register for large garbage pickup



Garbage **MUST** be piled at the end of the driveway and accessible by 8 a.m. to ensure pick up.

April 5th & 19th

Accepted for Pickup

- **Appliances** (e.g. stoves, dishwashers, washers, dryers, microwaves, empty deep freezers, empty fridges)
- **Barbecues** (remove lava rocks, briquettes, and propane tanks)
- **Mattresses, headboards, and frames** (Mattresses must be wrapped in plastic)
- **Furniture** (e.g. couches, coffee tables, chairs, desks, dressers, TV stands, cabinets, drawers, tables, hutches, cribs, highchairs, entertainment centers)
- **Outdoor furniture** (e.g. chairs, patio tables, patio umbrellas)
- **Small household goods** – must be boxed or bundled together

Not Accepted for Pickup

- **Car bodies or parts**
- **Tree stumps**
- **Carpets**
- **Lumber**
- **Propane tanks**
- **Gas mowers**
- **Demolition materials** (drywall, roofing, plumbing materials)
- **Home renovation materials** (sinks, bathtubs, flooring, doors, windows)
- **Hazardous waste** (e.g. Antifreeze, brake fluid, chlorine bleach, drain cleaners, fire extinguishers)

Items that cannot be accepted by Seabird Island Public Works can be dropped off in Chilliwack at Bailey Sanitary Landfill or Valley Waste Management.

Register by contacting Veronica Rafuse either by calling 604-796-8009 or email veronica.rafuse@seabirdisland.ca

Name and address needed for registration.

Housing Wait List

1 Bedroom	
1	12202021-5058
2	11192021-5056
3	05272022-5066
4	05302022-5067
5	09072022-5068
6	01262021-5054
7	06042018-6018
8	11252022-7090
9	12062022-7091
10	01172023-7093
11	02092023-7096
12	02132023-7097
13	02222023-7098
14	03012023-7100
15	03032023-7101

2 Bedroom	
1	12102018-6014
2	12032018-5026
3	12272019-5042
4	06172019-5037
5	01072020-7031
6	11022020-5051
7	01072020-6024
8	12232020-7057
9	01092021-7061
10	12232020-7056
11	12202021-5058
12	12142020-5053
13	11192021-5056
14	09122019-6032
15	09072022-5068
16	05202022-5064
17	04282020-5045
18	01172023-7093
19	11272018-5024
20	01032018-5012

3 Bedroom	
1	12192012-3076
2	02082013-3084
3	01142015-1011
4	02232016-4002
5	12102018-6014
6	07012019-7033
7	12172019-7017
8	12182018-5014
9	01072020-6024
10	01072020-7031
11	01222020-1031
12	11022020-5051
13	12032018-5026
14	12232020-7056
15	12232020-7057
16	01092021-7061
17	11152021-7066
18	12192021-7070
19	12222021-7072
20	12022020-4015

3 Bedroom cont.	
23	01092020-6000
24	10272022-7060
25	03222019-4007
26	12202017-7012
27	12162022-7078
28	05202022-5064
29	12092022-7092
30	01182023-7094
31	08202019-7034
32	01232023-7095
33	07032023-7102

NOTE!

Any highlighted listings, owe the Band money. They will not be eligible to receive a home until the dept is paid.

REMINDER!

Housing Applications must be renewed before January 1st each year to remain on the list. Anyone who did not renew came off the list and must now reapply if interested.

WebDonuts.com



Temkwikwexyel

"Time for baby sockeye salmon"

Aries

March 21 - April 19

Key characteristics: Assertive, strong and determined, a natural leader. Natural charm and grace, you have confidence that attracts a wide variety of friends and business partners.

Flower: Motto

Birthstone: Diamond

Taurus

April 20 - May 20

Key characteristics: Chill and laid-back, self-starters, go-getters, they don't like to rely on handouts and make their own luck, they are practical people.

Flower: Rose

Birthstone: Emerald

Quotes of the Month:

"I'm just a little energizer bunny. I just have a lot of energy "

- Jessie James Decker

"When the flower blooms, the bees come uninvited "

- Ramakrishna

Halq'eméylem Word Search

p s p ' á : q ' e m h e p e q
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Words

1. slhq'él:exw – knowledge, knowing (it)
2. sqewáth – Rabbit (Large)
3. chokwélelqem – Tracking an animal
4. temkw'éyles – Spring
5. syó:qwem – sun
6. swétexel – rainbow
7. méq' – be full (from eating)
8. xwoyí:wel – happy
9. tskwíkwemel – pink
10. pehá:ls – to blow (of the wind)
11. smómeleqw – mixed
12. sp'á:q'em – Flower
13. kwōxweth – Coho Salmon
14. th'éxth'ex – Stinging Nettle
15. smímeyáth – Butterfly
16. spathó:llh- Baby bear (black)
17. melmá:le – Bait
18. kw'íyeqel – to climb a Hill, mountain
19. p'xwélhp – Oak tree
20. ts'át'em – jumping, Hopping

Created by Jasmine Paul-Louis

DEADLINES

Submissions and advertisements are due around the 15th of each month. Contact comm@seabirdisland.ca.

AVAILABILITY

Once a month. The 1st of each month (or closest business day). Apply for email distribution or pick-up at the red community newsletter boxes.

ADVERTISING / SALES:

Have a story idea?

CONTACT US

Email: comm@seabirdisland.ca Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Closed on all statutory holidays. www.seabirdisland.ca

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Sandra Bobb, Ciara Busby, Kristy Johnson, Zorana Edwards-Shippentower

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Editor & Supervisor: Sandra Bobb

AGREEMENT/LEGAL

It is agreed by any display or classified advertiser requesting space that the liability of the paper in the event of failure to publish an advertisement shall be limited to the amount paid by the advertiser for the portion of the advertising space occupied by the incorrect item only and that there shall be no liability in any event beyond the amount paid for such advertisement. The publisher shall not be liable for any slight changes in typographical errors that do not lessen the value of an advertisement.

Editorials are chosen and written by Seabird staff, they are the expressed opinion of the staff and do not necessarily reflect the views of Seabird Island.

Letters to the Editor must be under 300 words and include your name, phone number, status number, signature (not for publication), as well as date/year submitted.

We reserve the right to revise, edit and/or reject any advertisement or story submissions.

NOTICE

NO SOLICITING PEDDLING DISTRIBUTION OF PAMPHLETS

All offenders will be reported and prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

By order of Chief and Council

Chief and Council assert there is to be no solicitation of any sort. Visitors need permission from Chief and Council to solicit door to door.

If you get a questionable person knocking on your door, you do not need to let them in. You have the right to close the door and contact the RCMP. There is an open file at the RCMP.

Community safety is a Chief and Council priority.

Please contact us if you have any concerns.



SEABIRD CHURCH

Mass: Contact Deacon Jamie for information

Study Groups: Contact Deacon Jamie

Contact Deacon Jamie 604-491-3053 or 604-615-5677.

LOVED ONE PASS AWAY?

We can help you send a copy of the death certificate to the First Nations Health Authority. Contact Lena Paul 604-796-2177.

FUNERAL PAMPHLETS

Creating pamphlets from our catalogue or custom pamphlets.

As per Seabird Funeral Policy, the first 100 colour and 150 grey-scale funeral pamphlets, as well as 1 hour of design time is free for all Band Members. Additional design time or pamphlets can be requested for a fee. We can also assist with pamphlets for non-Band Members, inquire for fees.

Contact Communications at 604-796-2177 or email comm@seabirdisland.ca.

MEMBERSHIP STATUS CARDS

Booking a Status Card Appointment Tuesday to Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Appointments are required. Serving Seabird Members only! SIB has the right to refuse service.

Remember to bring: - 2 pieces of photo Government ID - New Photo (see Communications, appointment required)

Contact Simone Jimmie 604-796-2177

Status Card Photography Laminated style: \$13.50 New style w/ authenticated photo \$18.50 Monday to Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Appointments required.

Contact Communications at 604-796-2177 or comm@seabirdisland.ca

WILDSAFE BC CONSERVATION

To report animals who pose immediate threat or danger to public safety. 1-877-952-7277 or #7277

SIFD FIRE PRACTICE

Tuesdays 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Now recruiting new members. Contact the Fire Hall 604-796-2177.

GARBAGE SCHEDULE

CURBSIDE PICK-UP OF COMPOST, RECYCLE and GARBAGE: Every Monday, unless Monday is a statutory holiday, then pick up will take place on the Tuesday immediately following the holiday. 2 garbage bags per household per week.

MAJOR GARBAGE: 1st Wednesday of each month, by request. When you need major garbage pick-up please submit your request in writing and hand it in to the Band Office.

Contact Public Works at 604-796-2177 or email: publicworks@seabirdisland.ca

OPTOMETRY CLINIC

Appointments Only: TBA

Recommended annual checkups for children under the age of 19 and every 2 years for ages 19-64. Elders 65+ can be seen annually.

Have a medical condition, such as diabetes, or taking high risk medicines? You can also be seen annually.

DENTAL CLINIC

Accepting new STATUS PATIENTS

Open Monday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Closed Fridays

DENTAL WALK-IN PAIN CLINICS

Every Tuesday from 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Patients will be screened and those with most urgent problems will be seen first. Others seen on a first come, first serve basis.

Contact the Dental Clinic 604-796-6853.

MEDICAL CARDS

Need to apply for a new Medical Card because it was lost or stolen? We can assist you when applying for a new one.

Each client is responsible for paying for their Medical Cards. If they've been lost or stolen more than two times the cost is \$20 for each new card.

Please note, we do not assist with BC ID applications.

Contact Lena Paul 604-796-2177

Classifieds

BABIES ID CARDS

Apply for a Medical Care Card as soon as possible. Contact Lena Paul 604-796-2177.

Apply for Status Cards as soon as possible. Contact 604-796-2177.

AMBULANCE BILLS

Please submit ambulance bills as soon as you receive them. If the bill is more than 1 year old, ambulance costs will no longer be covered under the Non-Insured Health Benefits (NIHB). Anyone with a status number can have the ambulance paid for by Health Canada as long as it's not an ICBC claim.

We can only provide assistance to those with a status number.

Unfortunately, ambulance bills will not be covered if you were also incarcerated in jail. Ambulance billing will know if you were incarcerated based on the bill's address. Please do not bring these in as they will be denied and it will be the client's responsibility to pay.

Please note, if you were taken home by ambulance after a stay in the hospital, this will not be covered and it will be the client's responsibility to pay.

Contact Lena Paul 604-796-2177.

ALCOHOLICS

ANONYMOUS MEETING

Every Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. at the Seabird Island Community Hall. AA in BC website: www.bcyukonaa.org

Advertisement for Seabird Island Band Membership. Features a circular logo with a bird and the text 'REGISTER TODAY!'. The main headline asks 'Are you a Seabird Island Band Member?'. Below this are several photographs of community infrastructure: a modern building with a large archway, a large green field with buildings, a parking lot with a bus, and a building with a red roof. A central text box asks 'Would you like to know what is happening within your community, infrastructure and land, information available for Band Members Only?'. At the bottom, contact information for Seabird Island Band Membership is provided: 'Contact Seabird Island Band Membership for your login. An email address and password will be provided to you. membership@seabirdisland.ca'.

Health & Social Development

Diabetes Nurse

The Registered Nurse (RN) shall provide care, leadership, and expertise, in accordance with Band policies. Specifically, the Nurse is responsible for ensuring that timely health services are provided to all families that Seabird Island Health Programs serve. As with all positions with-in the Health Department, the RN will be expected to support the success of other Health programs. This may include supporting Home and Community Care and providing other Nursing services in general.

Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)

The LPN's are responsible for providing routine care, observing patients' health, assisting doctors and registered nurses, and communicating with patients and their families. This will also include improving the quality of life of the client (Community Members) by assisting them to make healthier lifestyle choices; promote client dignity, independence, comfort, mobility, personal appearance, and safety. To also provide support to the Community Health Nurse (CHN) and/or Home and Community Care (HCC) nurse. These goals are to be achieved by using the professional public health knowledge.

Registered Nurse (RN)

The RN shall provide care, leadership and expertise, in accordance with Band policies. Specifically the Nurse is responsible for ensuring that timely health services are provided to all families that Seabird Island Health Programs serve. As with all positions with-in the Health Department, the RN will be expected to support the success of other Health programs. This may include supporting Home and Community Care and providing other Nursing services in general.

Health Administrative Assistant

The Administrative Assistant will be responsible for taking care of the essential everyday tasks like filling, record keeping, report preparation, scheduling and data entry.

Recovery Home Support Worker (RSW) - Men's Home On Call

The Residential Support Worker (RSW) promotes recovery, stabilization, and independence by providing comprehensive support to clients. The RSW supports and promotes the following: client safety, assisting with activities of daily living, and encouraging full participation in community activities included but not limited to cooking, cleaning, charting, participating in group sessions, driving, and shopping.

Recovery Home Support Worker (RSW) - Women's Home On Call

The Residential Support Worker (RSW) promotes recovery, stabilization, and independence by providing comprehensive support to clients. The RSW supports and promotes the following: client safety, assisting with activities of daily living, and encouraging full participation in community activities included but not limited to cooking, cleaning, charting, participating in group sessions, driving, and shopping.

Case Manager - Women's Home

The primary goal of the Case Manager is to support residents with a caring and supported environment in which to address addictions and substance use. Through a variety of programs, the Case Manager will ensure that residents can access health, healing and other services and programs, through programming in the home and through broader community services, to address the underlying causes of addiction and substance use, and to make choices that are life sustaining and positive.

Health Care Assistant

The Health Care Assistant supports clients and Elder's in their homes. We are looking for a compassionate Home Health Aide to assist in daily living and personal care services in patients homes in accordance with an established care plan.

Education

Education Assistant (EA) Grade K4-12

The EA will work with students individually or in small groups to deliver activities that reinforce and advance the educational program and make the educational experiences of the children more rewarding.

Grade 3 Teacher

Working within Lalme' lwasawtexw (Seabird Island Community School) for the school year, The Grade 3 Teacher will be responsible for providing instruction, preparation, assessment, classroom management, professional development and school meetings, community and parental relations and adherence to all Seabird Island Community School and BC Ministry of Education policies and procedures. You will be a member of an interdisciplinary, collaborative teaching team, liaising with other professionals, students, family members, and community to provide students with holistic, culturally focused education.

Halq'eméylem Teacher

The Halq'eméylem Language Teacher is responsible for teaching students how to speak, understand, and write Seabird Islands' traditional language – Halq'eméylem. This teacher is an unrelenting advocate for language revitalization and works with staff and administration to promote the language throughout the school. You will be a member of an interdisciplinary, collaborative teaching team, liaising with other professionals, students, family members, and community to provide students with holistic, culturally focused education.

Income Assistance First Nations Youth Employment Strategy (IAFNYES)

Income Assistance First Nations Youth Employment Strategy (IAFNYES) pilot strategy. The goal of this pilot strategy is to support on-reserve First Nations youth between the ages of 19 and 30 receiving ISC's Income Assistance transition to the workforce, or return to school, through their participation in mentored work placements while receiving some case management supports.

Education Manager (EM)

The Education Manager will be responsible for post-secondary programs and options, in partnership with other post-secondary institutions and according to grant funding success. The EM will assist in education advocacy, compliance and reporting to the community, governing and funding bodies. The EM will play an integral role in planning, coordination and assistance in the delivery of post-secondary / continuing education / summer education programs; in the implementation and evaluation of changes and new initiatives in the education programs (Education Jurisdiction for example); and ensuring details for successful implementation have been considered, addressed and delivered.

Labour Pool

The spirit of the labour pool is to give Community Members a chance to gain work experience, be provided mentorship and to make some supplemental income.

Post-Secondary Recruitment & Marketing Coordinator

The College Recruitment & Marketing Coordinator will provide recruitment, admissions, advising, and liaison services to attract prospective students into SIB College Programs.

Secondary & Post-Secondary Coordinator

The Secondary and Post-Secondary Coordinator is primarily responsible for the coordination, promotion, and administration of the Secondary and Post-Secondary Program.

Student Counsellor

The Student Counsellor will provide counselling and support for K-12 students. Essentially, your responsibility is to equip students with a variety of strategies for coping with life's challenges: help students establish their personal goals, guiding and helping children make action plans, motivate and inspire children, identifying and providing resources, referrals and follow-ups and providing assistance in crisis situations.

Teacher On Call (TOC)

This position involves the provision of instruction to students of Seabird Island Community School and includes instruction, preparation, assessment, classroom management, professional development and school meetings, community and parental relations and adherence to all Seabird Island Community School and BC Ministry of Education policies and procedures. Individual contracts will govern the specific teaching assignment and number of hours.

Technology Education Teacher

The Technology Education Teacher will provide lessons and activities to help students develop knowledge and understanding of concepts of computers, as well as practical software use, and troubleshooting skills. You'll present a wide variety of beginner to complex lessons that focus on keyboarding, word processing, Microsoft Office and internet basics to software, data processing, hardware and web-design.

Receptionist - School on call

The Receptionist is responsible for a wide variety of clerical office duties in support of the School which includes communicating office activities, greeting and screening students and parents, answering and transferring telephone calls.

Receptionist and Student Support

The Receptionist is responsible for a wide variety of clerical office duties in support of the School which includes communicating office activities, greeting and screening students and parents, answering and transferring telephone calls.

Finance & Administration

Records Coordinator

This position plans, coordinates and provides records / information management daily support in the development, implementation, and on-going maintenance of corporate information. The Records Coordinator must be responsible, accurate, proficient in the duties assigned, maintain a high degree of independent judgment and personal initiative. At this level, the person understands more than the basic techniques and technologies, has managed, or developed RM projects, and has knowledge of IM life-cycle concepts. In addition, the Practitioner may be developing specialty skills (e.g., analysis, auditing, warehousing, and application technologies) and may also have experience supervising other IM staff.

Economic Development

SQDC Administrative Assistant

The Administrative Assistant is responsible for overseeing the day-to-day administrative functions at SqDC. Furthermore, the Administrative Assistant is responsible for providing support to the management team at SqDC and acts as a communications liaison on an inter-departmental level.

The Administrative Assistant will play a critical role in strengthening the administrative functions necessary to providing outstanding financial reporting, data entry, and high levels of customer service. This position will help the organization perform efficiently and effectively by providing general office support, coordinating personnel, and assisting in scheduling & prioritizing tasks.

SQDC Finance Clerk

Reporting to the Financial Officer and the Director of Finance, the Finance Clerk is responsible for processing the day-to-day data entries for SqDC and the Sq'eqwel Gas Bar. Furthermore, the Finance Clerk is responsible for providing support to the Financial Officer as required.

The Finance Clerk will play a critical role in strengthening the administrative functions necessary to providing outstanding financial reporting, data entry, and high levels of customer service. This position will help the organization perform efficiently and effectively by providing general office support, data entry, task prioritization, and other accounting-related functions, as required.

Seabird Job Postings cont.

View more detailed information about these and other opportunities or to apply for current opportunities: <https://www.seabirdisland.ca/careers/>

SQDC Senior Communications & Engagement Coordinator

The CEC position helps to develop, organize, deliver, and measure tactical communication initiatives and execute on elements of the corporate strategic communications plan and other corporate priorities. The position also plays an important role in developing and implementing the Internal Communications/Engagement Strategy, with support from the SqDC Management Team. The position is responsible for writing and preparing content for a variety of SqDC audiences and stakeholder groups.

Production Worker - Nations Creations

The Production Worker will operate print and cut plotters, direct to garment printers, embroidery machines, laser engravers and cutter, UV Printers and Sublimation printers. The Production worker position is essential to our operations. Not only will you assist with our printing, shipping, packing, and other fulfillment needs, you'll also be an essential part of managing our customer experience.

Inter-Governmental Affairs

Policy Writer

The Policy Writer will be responsible for the research, analysis of information and consulting with the executive team, stakeholders, internal staff, and technical experts in formulating recommendations on a wide range of Policy Development.

The role is privy to sensitive, and private information and requires a high degree of integrity, accountability and confidentiality.

Early Childhood Education

Aboriginal Supported Child Development (ASCD) Regional Advisor

The Aboriginal Supported Child Development (ASCD) Regional Advisor (Fraser South & East) will provide information, advice, support, mentoring, cultural perspectives, and coordination of training to AIDP/ASCD programs and staff. This is a part time position with the potential to become a full time position.

Cook - Daycare/Preschool

The Cook will plan, prepare, and serve the children within our Education & Daycare Centre, which includes, snacks. The cook will also, assist with and ensure that the cleanup, dishes, and overall cleanliness of the program food prep area is always up to health standard.

Early Childhood Educator

The Educator will provide hands-on childcare to children in Seabird Island Band's early childhood education programs, in accordance with all childcare licensing requirements and the philosophies, policies and objectives established by Seabird Island Band Management.

Janitor - ECE

Working within the Early Childhood Development department the Janitor will be hardworking and detail oriented. The individual will assist with the cleaning and care of our Early Childhood Centre. The Janitor will be responsible for keeping our building clean and presentable for staff, students and families to enjoy. You will perform routine duties and minor building service tasks, including floor care, maintaining cleanliness in all school rooms and washrooms, entrances, and hallways.

Supported Child Development Worker

The Supported Child Development program provides services to Aboriginal and Non-Aboriginal children who require extra support due to physical, social, intellectual, emotional, and developmental challenges. Children are provided support in a variety of ways to support them to meet their full potential in inclusive childcare centers.

Early Childhood Educator I/T (Infant/Toddler)

The Infant/Toddler Educator will provide hands-on childcare to children in Seabird Island Band's early childhood education programs, in accordance with all childcare licensing requirements and the philosophies, policies, and objectives established by Seabird Island Band Management.

Infrastructure

Executive Assistant to Director of Community Infrastructure

Working within the Community Infrastructure department, you will provide project support and act as the executive assistant to the Director of Community Infrastructure. Providing assistance regarding financial administration, briefings to the Director, organizing schedules, monitoring electronic data, responding to inquiries and communications. You will be a member of an interdisciplinary team of trades professionals, working collaboratively to support the community infrastructure of Seabird Island.



FREE BABYSITTING COURSE FOR YOUTH AGES 11-15 @ SEABIRD ISLAND WITH CERTIFICATION

(LIMITED CAPACITY)

With First Aid Hero-Canadian Red Cross

When: April 19th & 20th
Time: 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Location: TBA

Pizza + Juice Provided

Course Content

- How to be responsible and demonstrate leadership
- How to make good decisions and manage difficult behaviours
- Information on Children's development stages, and specific strategies for each stage
- How to feed, diaper, dress and play with children and babies
- How to recognize and prevent unsafe situations, make safe choices and promote safe behaviours
- First Aid skills
- The business of Babysitting



Contact: Kiran Toor @ 604-798-4836 or kiranjit.toor@seabirdisland.ca to sign up
Parent/Guardian consent required. Forms will be provided.



Designed by SBC Communications

Over 30 openings at Seabird Island

Interested candidates are invited to submit a cover letter, resume and three references.

<https://www.seabirdisland.ca/careers/>

We regret that we will only respond to those applicants chosen for an interview.

email: humanresources@seabirdisland.ca.

We thank all applicants for their interest.

Renew Your Status Card

-Seabird Band Members Only-

Available only 3 days a week

Tuesday Wednesday Thursday



Contact membership Tuesday to Thursday to book your appointment
membership@seabirdisland.ca or 604-796-2177

Created by Seabird Communications Program



Register by:
May 10th, 2023
@ 4:00 p.m.

UMPIRES
NEEDED

SEABIRD ISLAND FIRST NATIONS FESTIVAL

May 26-28, 2023

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 7-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

Contact: Charlene Point, events@seabirdisland.ca
Registration forms available at www.seabirdisland.ca
Hard copies can be mailed upon request