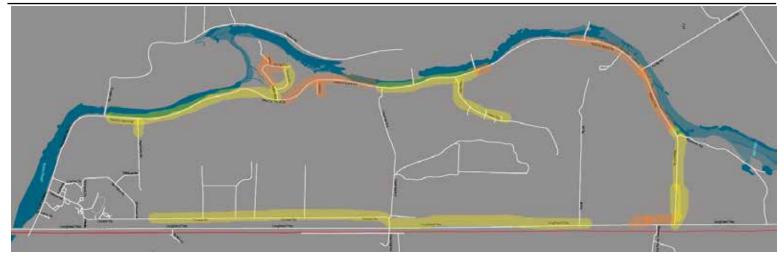


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Dates to Remember:

All Facilities CLOSED

January 17 for Staff Development Day (Mandatory all staff attendance)

- ECD CLOSED January 17
- Pro D Day SICS & SD78 January 17
- Band Quarterly Meeting January 29, 2020.

SEABIRD INTERNET UPDATE:

CONSTRUCTION:

Contractors are scheduled for more work on the weeks of January 20th and February 10th, weather permitting. The contractors are on site putting pipes under the roads and connecting service wires to homes.

Chief & Council have approved funding to connect all the houses in the orange areas of the map. Weather permitting, this part of the project will be completed by the end of February.

The Yellow areas should already have connection to their home. Those who have the wiring coming into the home can come into the office and sign up for internet to services.

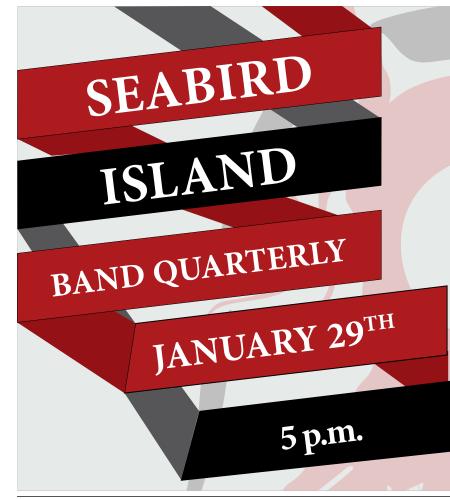
These services will be available to all Community Member homes in the highlighted areas. Seabird has 3 internet plans to choose from. Those interested in subscribing to a plan can contact the IT Program to register for one of 3 plans and receive a modem or to request more information.

Like other internet providers, you will be able to connect to your TV and stream services that you subscribe to for games, movies, tv programs (Netflix) and more. However, at this time, there are no options to subscribe to live cablevision channels or phone services with Seabird internet services.

Understanding the Map:

- **Orange** in progress now.
- **Yellow** wired in, ready for hook-up upon request.
- None colored North End: There are no houses there.
- None colored Core: as there are other options available with Shaw Cable these homes will be the last to be connected, this area may not be in place for years.

Dates to remember: February 10, 2020 - Notice of Nomination March 6, 2020 - Nomination Closes April 15, 2020 - Election Day



Main Boardroom, Seabird Island Band Office 604-796-6813 to pre-register/RSVP.

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Chief & Council

Elections

For childminding, please pre-register.

Dinner provided, please RSVP.

Door prizes will be drawn after the meeting.



SEABIRD ISLAND Band Quarterly Meeting Agenda

DATE: Wednesday, January 29, 2020 | LOCATION: Main Boardroom

5:00 – 5:05 p.m.	Welcome – <i>Chief Clem Seymour</i>				
	Prayer & Refreshments (light meal)				
5:05 – 5:45 p.m.	Special Presenters				
5:45 – 6:15 p. m.	Special Presenters				
6:15 – 6:45 p.m.	Special Presenters				
6:45 – 7:45 p.m.	Portfolio Holders Reports. – all portfolios will report on key issues				

Chief Clem Seymour

Administration Department – (Lead Paul Andrew, 2nd, Janice Parsey and 3rd Marcie Peters)

• HR, IT and Finance

Culture, Language and Heritage Natural Resources - (Lead Zack Joe and

2nd Linda Kay-Peters)

- Forestry
- Gravel

Development Corporation – (Lead Paul Andrew, 2nd Janice Parsey and 3rd Alexis Grace)

Education – (*Lead Stacy McNeil*, 2nd Linda Kay-Peters and 3rd Janice Parsey)

- K-12
- Post-Secondary

Education – (Lead Rod Peters and 2nd Alexis Grace)

• College

Housing and Public Works – (Lead Stacy McNeil, 2nd Rod Peters and 3rd Marcie Peters)

- Operations and Maintenance
- Fire Department

Health and Early Childhood Development Program – (Lead Linda Kay-Peters and 2nd Alexis Grace)

- Recreation
- Employment
- Doctors/Nurses/Dentist
- Social Development

Health – (Lead Marcie Peters and 2nd Zack Joe)

- Early Childhood Development Program
- Child and Family Services

Justice – (Lead Alexis Grace and 2nd Stacy McNeil)

Lands and Government Affairs – (Lead Janice Parsey and 2nd Stacy McNeil)

Aboriginal Rights and Title & Fishing – (Lead Paul Andrew, 2nd Zack Joe and 3rd Janice Parsey)

Door Prize Draws

8:00 p.m. Adjournment

Open house style booths for each Department will be avalaible to answer questions inreguards to information presented.

éy kw'as e' me lá:ts'ewtxwem (It's good you come to visit/be here) Child minding care available!!!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA, Sts'ailes & IMMACULATE **CONCEPTION, Seabird Island MASS SCHEDULE 2020**

** All Mass times are at 11:00 a.m. with the exception of Holy Saturday (April 11 at 8:00 p.m.) and Christmas Eve (Sts'ailes 5:00 p.m.; Seabird Island 8:00 p.m.)**

10. Reflect the heat

MONTH	SEABIRD	STS'AILES
	ISLAND	
January	5 & 19	12 & 26
February	2 & 16	9 & 23
March	1, 15, 29	8, 22
April	12 (Easter	5, 11 (Holy
	Sunday) &	Saturday),
	26	19
May	10 & 24	3, 17, 31
June	7 & 21	14 & 28
July	5 & 19	12 & 26
August	2, 16, 30	9 & 23
September	13 & 27	6 & 20
October	ober 11 & 25	
November	8 & 22	1, 15, 29
December	6, 20, 24	13, 24, 27

Housing Renewals

Reminder: as per Housing Policy 2.5, any applications received after 1 p.m. on December 31st will be placed at the bottom of the waitlist.

The time to renew your Housing Application, deadline was December 31st to remain on the waitlist. Anyone who did not renew their applications came off the list and must now reapply if interested.

Applications can be picked up and dropped off with the Main Receptionist at the front desk.

Please make sure the Housing Program has your current contact information. Housing must have a working phone number or email address. Unfortunately, if we cannot contact you within 48 hours to offer you an available unit, we will move onto the next applicant.

Don't know your waitlist number?

Contact Housing to see where you sit on the waitlist! 604-796-2177.

NOTE: When you have outstanding debt with the Band, you will NOT be placed into a rental unit, as per Housing Policy. Those with an outstanding debt are highlighted.

Housing Wait List

1 Bedroom		2 Bedroom			3+ Bedroom	
1	09232016-1039	1	08222017-6006	1	02232016-4002	
2	11272018-5024	2	02222016-1029	2	12202017-7012	
3	11272018-5025	3	03192013-3088	3	03192013-3088	
4	12032018-5026	4	03122018-6014	4	12102018-6014	
5	12242018-5028	5	06042018-6018	5	01182019-6025	
6	01302018-5015	6	11262018-5020	6	01232019-4019	
7	01282019-5030	7	12032018-5026	7	01282019-6027	
8	07022019-6031	8	12242018-5028	8	02082019-7021	
9	12272019-5042	9	01302018-5015	9	03132019-6011	
10	01062020-5022	10	01182019-6025	10	03222019-4007	
01 0.		11	01282019-5030	11	04102019-7028	
	touse Tips:	12	02012019-5000	12	04102019-7029	
Staying warm at a		13	06042019-6030	13	06042019-6030	
	low cost	14	07012019-7033	14	07012019-7033	
1.	Use your curtains	15	10222019-7042	15	08202019-7034	
2.	Use timers on your	16	12042019-5041	16	02112019-7040	
	central heating	17	12272019-5042	17	10222019-7042	
3.	Maximise your insulation	18	12302019-7015	18	12042019-5041	
4		19	04102019-7028	19	11262018-5020	
4.	Only have heat on when home	20	11242019-7044	20	12172019-7017	
5.	Wrap up warm	21	12172019-7045	21	12302019-7015	
6.	Turn down the dial	22	12182018-5014	22	02012019-5000	
7.	Block out the	23	12312019-7046	23	11152018-6022	
7.	draughts	24	01072020-7031	24	12302019-4005	
8.	Install			25	12162019-7043	
thermostatic		"Stay warm and		26	12182018-5014	
0	radiator valves	safe this winter		27	01072020-6024	
9.	Upgrade your boiler	-			01072020-7031	
10		season"				

Family violence has many faces

I know people can tell that he hits me because he leaves bruises, but I've never told anyone about how he controls me with money.

He doesn't let me have any of my own. So I feel like I can never get away.

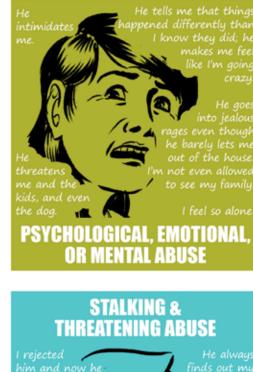
PHYSICAL & FINANCIAL ABUSE

SEXUAL ABUSE



Watch Clear Skies a video about family violence

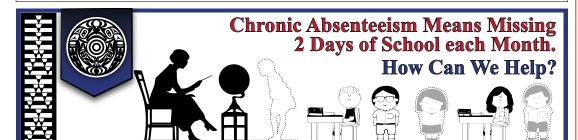
You Tube /LegalAidBC lawbc.help/clearskies











Emergency Kits

Are you prepared for winter weather?

Gather supplies for your "Grab and Go" emergency kit. Make sure that the kit is easy to carry.

Use a duffel bag, back pack or suitcase with wheels. The kit should have all the supplies you need for your family to survive 3-days without assistance. Your family's "Grab and Go" kit should include:

- □ **Drinking water.** 2-litres/ person per day. Store in water bottles for easy carrying.
- Food that won't spoil. Canned goods, energy bars, dried food.
- □ Manual can opener.
- □ **Flashlight with batteries** or wind-up recharger.
- □ Candles and matches/lighter.
- Radio and batteries or wind-up recharger.
- □ Warm change of clothes for each person.
- Special items and medications for people with medical needs.
- First aid kit (band-aids large/ small, gloves, Tylenol/Advil/ Aspirin, scissors, gauze, tensor bandages, antibiotic ointment, first aid instructions, thermometer, clean clothes, tape, tweezers, instant cold compress).
- Important documents (passport, status card, insurance papers, contact numbers and an emergency plan).
- □ Blankets.
- □ Games, cards and books.
- Leash, kennel and food for your pet.
- □ **Cash** to buy any supplies you cannot bring with you.

Be Prepared to Stay Safe and Healthy in Winter

Winter storms and cold temperatures can be dangerous. Stay safe and healthy by planning ahead. Prepare your home and cars. Prepare for power outages and outdoor activity. Check on your Elders.



Although winter comes as no surprise, many of us may not be ready for its arrival. If you are prepared for the hazards of winter, you are more likely to stay safe and healthy when temperatures start to fall.

Take These Steps for Your Home

Staying inside is no guarantee of safety. Take these steps to keep your home safe and warm during the winter months.

- 1. Winterize your home.
 - Install weather stripping, insulation and storm windows.
 - Insulate water lines that run along exterior walls.
 - Clean out gutters and repair roof leaks.
- 2. Check your heating systems.
 - Have your heating system serviced professionally to make sure that it is clean, working properly and ventilated to the outside.
 - Inspect and clean fireplaces and chimneys.
 - If you do not have a working smoke detector, install one. Test

batteries monthly and replace them twice a year.

- Have a safe alternate heating source and alternate fuels available.
- Prevent carbon monoxide (CO) emergencies.
 - Install a CO detector to alert you of the presence of the deadly, odorless, colorless gas. Check batteries when you change your clocks in the fall and spring.
 - Learn symptoms of CO poisoning: headache, dizziness, weakness, upset stomach, vomiting, chest pain and confusion.

Get your car ready for cold weather use before winter arrives.



- 1. Don't Forget to Prepare Your Vehicle
 - Get your car ready for cold weather use before winter arrives.
 - Service the radiator and maintain antifreeze level.
 - Check tire tread or, if necessary, replace tires with all-weather or snow tires.
 - Keep gas tank full to avoid ice in the tank and fuel lines.
 - Use a wintertime formula in your windshield washer.
 - Prepare a winter emergency kit to keep in your car in case you become stranded. The kit should include: cell phone, portable charger and extra batteries;
 - blankets
 - food and water

- booster cables, flares, tire pump and a bag of sand or cat litter (for traction)
- compass and maps
- Shovel
- flashlight, battery-powered radio and extra batteries
- first-aid kit
 - plastic bags (for sanitation)



In Advance of Emergencies

- 1. Be prepared for weather-related emergencies, including power outages.
 - Stock food that needs no cooking or refrigeration and water stored in clean containers.
 - Ensure that your cell phone is fully charged.
 - When planning travel, be aware of current and forecast weather conditions.
 - Keep an up-to-date emergency kit, including:
 - Battery-operated devices, such as a flashlight, a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Weather Radio and lamps
 - extra batteries
 - first-aid kit and extra medicine

- baby item
- cat litter or sand for icy walkways
- Protect your family from carbon monoxide.
 - Keep grills, camp stoves and generators out of the house, basement and garage.
 - Locate generators at least 20 feet from the house.
 - Leave your home immediately if the CO detector sounds and call 911.



Wear appropriate outdoor clothing: layers of light, warm clothing; windproof coat, mittens; hats; scarves; and waterproof boots.

Take These Precautions Outdoors

- Outdoor activities can expose you to several safety hazards, but you can take these steps to prepare for them:
 - Wear appropriate outdoor clothing: wear a tightly woven, preferably wind-resistant coat or jacket; inner layers of light, warm clothing; mittens; hats; scarves; and waterproof boots.

- Sprinkle cat litter or sand on icy patches.
- Learn safety precautions to follow when outdoors.
 - Work slowly when doing outside chores.
 - Take a buddy and an emergency kit when you are participating in outdoor recreation.
 - Carry a cell phone.

Do This When You Plan to Travel

- 1. When planning travel, be aware of current and forecast weather conditions.
 - Avoid traveling when the weather service has issued advisories. *drivebc.ca*
 - If you must travel, inform a friend or relative of your proposed route and expected time of arrival.
 - Follow these safety rules if you become stranded in your car.
 - Make your car visible to rescuers. Tie a brightly colored cloth to the antenna, raise the hood of the car (if it is not snowing) and turn on the inside overhead lights (when your engine is running).
 - Move anything you need from the trunk into the passenger area. Stay with



your car unless safety is no more than 100 yards away.

- Keep your body warm.
 Wrap your entire body, including your head, in extra clothing, blankets, or newspapers. Huddle with other people if you can.
- Stay awake and stay moving. You will be less vulnerable to cold-related health problems. As you sit, keep moving your arms and legs to improve circulation and stay warmer.
- Run the motor (and heater) for about 10 minutes per hour, opening one window slightly to let in air. Make sure that snow is not blocking the exhaust pipe—this will reduce the risk of carbon monoxide poisoning.



Above all, be ready to check on family and neighbors who are especially at risk from cold weather hazards: young children, older adults, Elders and the chronically ill. If you have pets, bring them inside. If you cannot bring them inside, provide adequate, warm shelter and unfrozen water to drink.

No one can stop the onset of winter. However, if you follow these suggestions, you will be ready for it when it comes.

Be sure to visit CDC's Winter Weather webpage for more winter weather safety tips. *https://www.cdc.gov/features/ winterweather/index.html*



COSTCO IS COMING!

Wednesday, January 29th 9:00 - 3:00 p.m. Band Office Lobby

Come and see what is new at Costco. We will be able to answer any questions you may have about the products we sell as well as questions about our memberships!

We will have information about how everyone can save on prescription medications, eye glasses, contact lenses, hearing aids and more.

Costco is ever changing and has a lot of new products and services for our members ... such as our COSTCO TRAVEL!

ALL NEW SIGN-UPS WILL RECEIVE A \$20 COSTCO CASH CARD WHEN SIGNING UP FOR AN EXECUTIVE MEMBERSHIP OR A \$10 COSTCO CASH CARD WHEN SIGNING UP FOR A GOLD ST AR MEMBERSHIPI

We look forward to seeing you!

Costco Wholesale Canada Ltd. faisant affaire au Quebec sous le nom Les Enlrepcils Cosico.

I I 27 Sumas Way, Abbotsford, BC V2S BH2 Telephone: 604.850.3458 - Fax: 604.850.7623 Your are Welcome to join Me and Ed's Family CONTROL

> When: Postponed until further notice! Place: Seabird Island Community School

Join us for Comedy and a Meal! Bring the tickets you collect up until this event for a chance to enter and win a prize. One prize is a family night out valued at \$200 or one of our other awesome prizes!

If you have any questions feel free to contact Katelyn Moon at 604-819-7897

Looking for a tutor? We can help!

Free

Laughs

Prizes

Tuesday & Thursday after school 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. at 2821 Chowat Rd.

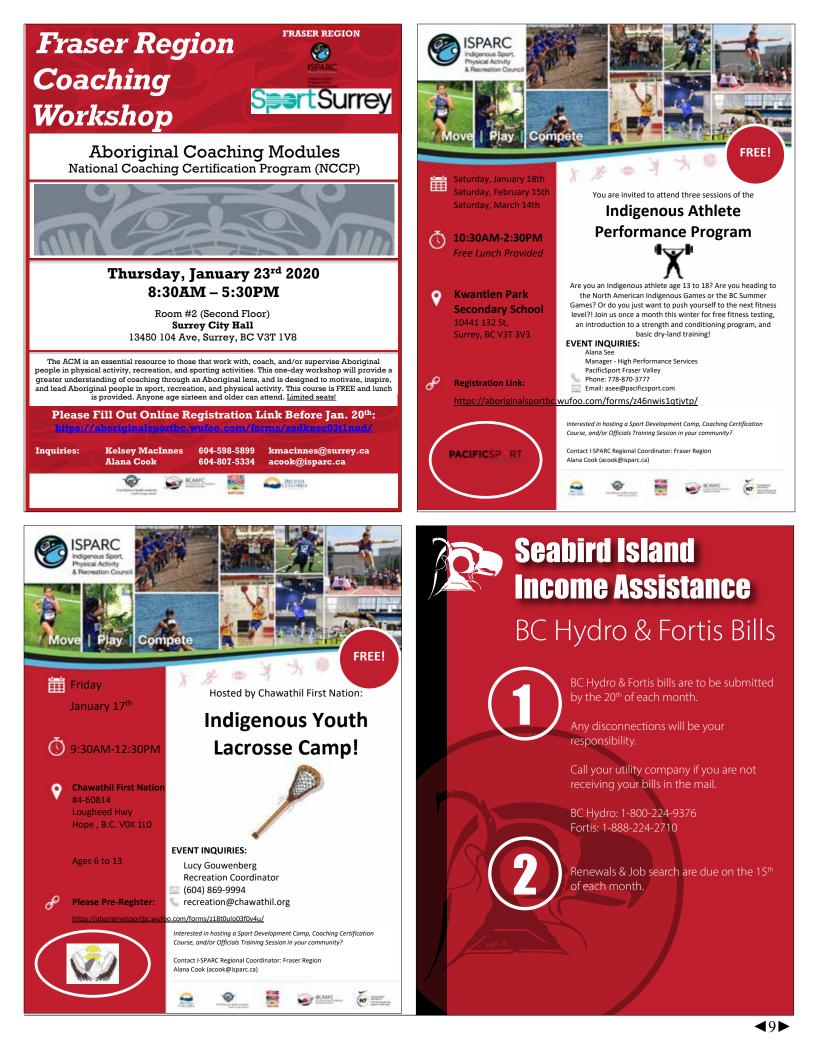
Seabird Island Community High School student lounge.

Tired of struggling with your classes. One on one learning and homework assistance.

Come join Courtney and Tamara. Snacks will be provided.

Cindy Kelly - 604-796-6834 or 604-997-3956





JOB POSTINGS

Student Mentor/ Counsellor

Seabird Island Community School is seeking to fill a position of Student Mentor and Counselor 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. This will be a part time position requiring the person to work up to 5 hours on school days.

Recreation Coordinator

The Recreation Coordinator is responsible for creating and leading fitness and recreation activities for the community. The Recreation Coordinator will consult with staff and Community Members to determine their needs and interests and establish activities in response to those needs. The Recreation Coordinator will report to the Director of Community Development. This is a part-time position of 15 hours per week.

Life Skills Coach

The primary goal of the FLSC is to ensure that the families in the family home are supported in developing healthy parenting and other life skills, with attention to children's needs (helping with homework, structured mealtimes, healthy meals, bedtime routines etc.). The FLSC will ensure strong cultural values and manage programming that builds family bonds and resilience as well as a grounding in culture and community supports. Approaches to household chores, shopping and finances will also be modeled. The FLSC will ensure that families are directed to health, healing and other services and programs and encourage them to make choices that are nurturing to self and family. The Life skills Coach ensures that culture is embedded in all services

Economic Development Manager

The Economic Development Officer (EDO) will play a vital role in defining the character and trajectory of economic growth within Seabird Island. The EDO will be a highly visible, accomplished professional, who reports to the Strategic Planner and will have a lead role in activities and initiatives that will attract investment and business opportunities to Seabird Island.

The EDO will be responsible for the delivery and administration of business development programs, management as well as attraction of new business, maintaining relationships with partners and any other organizations doing business with the Seabird Island Band (SIB).

SIB is also in the process of establishing the business arm of the Band to centralize and streamline all economic development ventures within the structure of the Sqewqel Development Corporation. The EDO will assist in the transition of economic development activities from the Band to the corporation.

IT Teacher

This position involves the provision of instruction to students of Seabird Island Community School/High 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.

Information Technology or IT Teachers must prepare lessons and activities that help students develop knowledge and understanding in concepts of computing, software use, troubleshooting, etc. The IT Teacher's daily tasks will depend mostly on the age and ability level of the students. Younger classrooms will focus on keyboarding and understanding basic word processing and other typical office programs, as well as Internet basics. With older students, more advanced classes in software use, data processing, hardware and even web design.

Special Education Teacher

Under the supervision of school administration, the Special Education Teacher will work with Students who have a wide range of learning, mental, emotional, physical and learning disabilities. Special Ed. Assistant's adapt general education lessons and teach various subjects, such as reading, writing and math, to students with mild and moderate disabilities. They also teach basic skills, such as literacy and communication techniques, to students with severe disabilities.

Some Special Ed. Teachers will work with students who have physical and sensory disabilities, such as blindness and deafness and with students who are wheelchair-bound. They may also work with those who have autism spectrum disorders and emotional disorders, such as anxiety and depression.

Special Ed. Teachers help students with severe disabilities develop basic life skills, such as how to respond to questions and how to follow directions.

Dental Hygienist On-Call

Perform basic dental care tasks, mostly focused on keeping patients' teeth and gums clean and giving instruction in proper dental hygiene. The Dental Hygienist will work under the supervision of licensed Dentist. They are not qualified to make the same kind of diagnostic decisions or perform the same procedures as Dentists. Unlike Dental Assistants, who work directly with Dentists, Hygienists often see patients on their own and direct their own tasks.

Certified Dental Assistant - Part Time/ On Call

The Certified Dental Assistant will greet and prepare patients for dental exams and procedures. The Certified Dental Assistant will be trained to use a variety of dental equipment and they will assist the Dentist during dental and oral procedures and instruct patients on post-operative and general oral health care. The Certified Dental Assistant will also be responsible for maintaining dental equipment, sterilizing instruments and ensuring necessary items are stocked.

Early Childhood Education Cultural Worker

The Early Childhood Cultural Worker provides cultural programming, activities in all our Early Childhood Programs. To engage and teach our children, families and staff our language and cultural through age appropriate activities

The Executive Assistant will be privy to all business relations and information. It is expected that the ability to maintain the highest level of confidence is a priority. The nature of this position requires the Executive Assistant to have knowledge and the ability to access resources. It is also expected the Executive Assistant must be able to retain this information without allowing it to impact their treatment of those groups or individuals such as information pertaining to many Band/Community Members, staff members and other stake holders.

Purchasing Agent

The Purchasing Agent will verify goods and service orders; prepare and forward purchase orders to vendors and staff; verify receipt of goods and services; and authorize payment for goods and services. The goal is to acquire goods and services that are critical for the success of operating standards, with the best price and quality standards.

The Purchasing Agent ensures that corresponding departments at Seabird Island Band, have the materials and services they need to function on a day-to-day basis. The Purchasing Agent performs extensive research to find the most cost-effective materials, supplies, goods and services; which requires that they stay up-to-date on marketing and pricing trends.

Intermediate Teacher

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. The Salary is inclusive of all teaching duties as detailed below.

Recovery Home Support Worker

The role of the Residential Support Worker is to support residents struggling with substance use issues possible to facilitate personal growth and relationship building, as well as other duties associated with the recovery home such as cooking, cleaning, charting, participating in group sessions, driving and shopping.

Home Care Aide

The Home Care Aide's primary goals are to improve the quality of life of the Seabird Island Band Community Members by assisting them to make healthier lifestyle choices; promote client dignity, independence, comfort, mobility, personal appearance and safety; and to provide support to the Community Health Nurse(s) (CHN) and/or Home and Community Care (HCC) Nurse. These goals are to be achieved by using the professional public health knowledge and skills within the Medicine Wheel practice model.

Professional Cook Instructor

Seabird College is seeking a qualified teacher/ instructor to provide Professional Cook 1 instruction to Adult Learners completing their Professional Cook 1 Industry Training Authority Program. The position will start in January. The successful candidate will be offered a one-year term, subject to sufficient student enrollment.

Supported Child Development Support Worker

Under the supervision of the Supported Child Development Supervisor for the Supported Child Development Program, the Support Worker is to provide front line support to children with extra support needs to assist them to fully participate in a child care setting.

Home Care RN

Under the direction and supervision of the Health Director, 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.

Aboriginal Rights & Titles Manager

Under the direction of the Strategy Advisor, of Government Affairs, the Aboriginal Rights and Titles Supervisor is responsible for conducting and overseeing guided and independent research on a range of issues related to Aboriginal rights and titles.

The Aboriginal Rights and Titles Supervisor oversees the use of lands and resources and is involved in decisions regarding the development of those lands and resources. He/she will also engage in work to analyze and develop laws and policies concerning how the lands and resources are utilized.

Aboriginal Rights and Title affirm rights to Traditional Territories and the right to maintain and protect the resources within traditional lands and waters.

Policy Writer

The Policy Writer, under the direction of the Executiver Director (ED) 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 Policy Development.

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

Responsibilities will include planning, formulating, coordinating and implementing operational policies, programs, codes, laws, bylaws, strategies necessary to support and guide the organization's overall plans and objectives, as required. The POLICY WRITER is skilled at articulating and influencing comprehensive and inclusive policy, governance and planning advice both oral and written.

Job postings are also available at the Band Office and the Employment Office.

Please ensure you have received confirmation for your online submission. If you have not received confirmation, email: humanresources@seabirdisland.ca.

Pursuant to the Aboriginal Employment Preference Program, preference may be given to applicants of Aboriginal Ancestry. Interested candidates are invited to submit a cover letter, resume and three references. We regret that we will only respond to those applicants chosen for an interview. We thank all applicants for their interest.

XOO HOO NEWSLETTER

DEADLINES Submissions and advertisements are due 7 business days prior to delivery.

Contact comm@seabirdisland.ca.

AVAILABILITY

Twice a month. The 15th of each month (or closest business day) and the last business day of each month. Apply for email distribution or pick-up at the red community newsletter boxes.

CONTACT US

Have an ad or story idea? Email comm@seabirdisland.ca Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Closed on all statutory holidays. www.seabirdisland.ca

Advertising sales:

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

Editing Team: Sandra Bobb, Rose Giroux, Zorana Edwards-Shippentower, Kristy Johnson and Jason Forseth.

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

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: January and $19^{th} \sim 11 \text{ a.m.} - 12 \text{ p.m.}$

Study Groups: Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. 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 Amanda Peters 604-796-2177.

FUNERAL 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

Tuesday and Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Appointments required. Serving Seabird Members only! Contact 604-796-2177

Remember to bring;

2 pieces of photo Government ID
 New Photo (see Communications, appointment required)

SIB has the right to refuse service.

Status Card Photography

Laminated style: \$10 New style w/ authenticated photo \$15 Monday to Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 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.

If you need a **bin dropped off** for your major cleaning please submit your request in writing, there is a long wait-list.

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

OPTOMETRY CLINIC

Book now for the next clinic dates: 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.

Contact Amanda Peters 604-796-2177.

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 Amanda Peters 604-796-2177

BABIES ID CARDS

Apply for a Medical Care Card as soon as possible. Contact Amanda Peters 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 in an ambulance after a stay in the hospital, this will not be covered and it will be the client's responsibility to pay.

Contact Amanda Peters 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

Seabird Island High School Grad Students Fundraiser

Seabird Island High School Grad Students are doing a Bottle Drive Fundraiser. Please support our graduates this year by dropping off your bottle donations at the High School.

Anytime between 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thank you!



Classifieds



Volunteer to enter to WIN A FREE CAR

All volunteers get a ticket for every 2 hours served.

This contest is open to everybody **16**+ who volunteers for Seabird Events. Staff participants are only eligible for after hour work only (non-time sheet related and not including Community Christmas Dinner)

Draw Date: February 20th 2020

For more information, event dates and to register for volunteer hours contact: Charlene Point 604-796-6813 email: charlenep@seabirdisland.ca

