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Welék'es - Little Frog Season (March) 2021

# Province-wide restrictions



## Provincial restrictions are in place to help stop the spread of COVID-19.

Some restrictions are made by the Provincial Health Officer under the Public Health Act and others are made under the Emergency Program Act. Most orders can be enforced by police, compliance and enforcement officials.

Last updated: February 8, 2021

By order of the Provincial Health Officer (PHO), all gatherings and events are suspended to significantly reduce COVID-19 transmission related to social interactions.

### Gatherings at residences or vacation accommodations

No social gatherings of any size at your residence with anyone other than your household or, if you live alone, your core bubble. For example:

- Do not invite friends or extended family into your residence or vacation accommodation

- Do not gather in your backyard, patio, driveway or anywhere else on your property
- Do not host playdates for children

### Core bubble

For most people, their core bubble is their immediate household. An immediate household is a group of people who live in the same residence. For example:

- If you have a rental suite in your home, the suite is a separate residence
- If you live in an apartment or house with roommates, you are all members of the same household

For people who live alone, a core bubble is a maximum of two people you see regularly.

### Co-parenting and legal parenting arrangements

The order does not impact arrangements where children are occupants of two separate households. Children may go back and forth between the two residences.

**Supporting family members or isolated people** - For those who rely on a family member or close friends for support with things like picking up children after school or delivering essential items like mail, medication or groceries, these activities can continue.

**University students** - Welcoming your child home from university is okay. This is not a social gathering.

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**Visiting people who live alone** - People who live alone may have up to two visitors at their residence for a social purpose. These are the two people in your core bubble.

- If those two people regularly interact with each other, they may visit the residence of the person who lives alone at the same time

People who live alone may also visit one other residence with more than one occupant.

### **Activities allowed under the order. These activities are not considered a social gathering:**

- Going for a walk or hike. You must make sure a walk or hike does not turn into a group of people meeting outside
- Parents carpooling kids to and from school
- Grandparents providing child care
- Public pools and public skating rinks, when not associated with an event, are allowed to continue to operate with a COVID-19 Safety Plan

## **Gatherings and events by sector:**

### **Cultural events and gatherings** -

Cultural events and gatherings are prohibited. For example:

- Musical or theatre performances
- Silent auctions
- Movie viewings in cinemas

### **Drive-in and drop-off events** -

Drive-in events may proceed with a limited number of people. Drive-in events can have a maximum of 50 cars in attendance. People must stay in their cars and should attend with their household or core bubble. Drive-in events must have a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place.

Drop-off events may proceed with a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place.

Examples of drop-off events:

- Fundraisers
- Toy drives

All drive-in and drop-off events must:

- Maintain physical distancing
- Control the entry and exit points
- Avoid congestion of cars and congregating of people

### **Funerals, weddings and baptisms** -

may proceed with a limited number of people and a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place. You can have a maximum of 10 people attend, including the officiant. Review BC Centre for Disease Control (BCCDC) information on event planning.

- The event organizer and staff present at the event are not included in the 10 people limit
- If the event organizer also acts as the officiant, that person is included in the 10 people limit

Receptions associated with funerals, weddings or baptisms are NOT allowed at any location, that includes:

- Inside or outside homes
- Any public or community-based venues

**Formal meetings** - The order restricts most formal in-person meetings outside the workplace, with some exceptions including:

- The B.C. legislature and cabinet meetings
- City council meetings. It is recommended virtual meetings be held as much as possible. The public is not allowed to attend
- Support groups like Alcoholics and Narcotics Anonymous
- Critical service meetings

**Meals for people in need** - Meals for people in need may proceed with a limited number of people and a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place. You can have a maximum of 50 people in attendance in addition to the organizer and people assisting. This includes:

- Soup kitchens
- Meals at shelters
- Charities offering meals

Pre-packaged meals are the best option to limit gatherings inside a dining area..

### **Religious gatherings and worship services** -

In-person religious gatherings and worship services of any size are prohibited.

- You must not attend a service at a church, synagogue, mosque, gurdwara, temple or other place of worship
- Religious services can continue using remote or virtual attendance options, like Zoom or Skype

You can still visit your place of worship for individual activities such as guidance from spiritual leaders, contemplation or personal prayer.

Religious leaders may attend the home of a member of their religious community to provide religious services to the occupant.

**Garbage day** is every Monday. Unless that Monday falls on a statutory holiday, garbage pick up will be the following day.

Each house hold will have 2 bags picked up weekly. Please try to reduce this with recycling as much as you can.

**Recycling day** is every Tuesday. Unless that Monday falls on a statutory holiday, recycling will be picked up the following day.

*Note\* Blue recycling bags are no longer accepted, please place all recyclables in the blue bins.*

If you did not receive a bin please phone the Band Office 604-796-2177

## Retail businesses, vending markets and episodic markets

Retail businesses are required to:

- Establish capacity limits based on 5 square metres of unencumbered space per person
- Post occupancy limits
- Where practical, post directional signs to keep people moving in the same direction and not congregating

Workplaces - Employers must review and redouble their efforts on their COVID-19 Safety Plan, remind employees to monitor themselves daily and to always stay home if they have symptoms.

Employers must make every effort to provide work from home options.

- Workplaces must ensure that all workers and customers maintain an appropriate physical distance and extra care should be taken in small office spaces, break rooms and kitchens

## Daily health check

A daily health check should already be included in every business's existing COVID-19 Safety Plan.

EPA order on masks in public indoor settings

As outlined in the EPA mask mandate order, masks are required for everyone in many public indoor settings. A face shield is not a substitute for a mask as it has an opening below the mouth.

## There are exemptions for:

- People with health conditions or with physical, cognitive or mental impairments who cannot wear one
- People who cannot remove a mask on their own
- Children under the age of 12
- People who need to remove their masks to communicate due to another person's hearing impairment

## Masks are required in many indoor public settings and all retail stores.

This includes:

- Malls, shopping centres
- Grocery stores
- Airports
- Coffee shops
- On public transportation, in a taxi or ride-sharing vehicle
- Places of worship
- Libraries
- Common areas of post-secondary institutions, office buildings, court houses, hospitals and hotels
- Clothing stores
- Liquor stores
- Drug stores
- Community centres
- Recreation centres
- City Halls
- Restaurants, pubs and bars when not seated at a table
- Sport or fitness facilities when not working out
- Mask enforcement

## You could be subject to a \$230 fine if you:

- Do not wear a mask in an indoor public setting, unless you are exempt
- Refuse to comply with the direction of an enforcement officer, including the direction to leave the space
- Engage in abusive or belligerent behaviour

Masks at workplaces and shared living areas

It is strongly recommended that masks be worn in the following areas:

Common areas in apartment buildings and condos, including:

- Elevators
- Hallways
- Lobbies
- Stairwells

Shared indoor workplace spaces, including:

- Elevators
- Kitchens
- Hallways
- Break rooms

## Travel advisory

At this time, all non-essential travel should be avoided. This includes travel into and out of B.C. and between regions of the province. For example:

- Do not travel for a vacation
- Do not travel to visit friends or family outside of your household or core bubble

## What is essential travel?

Individual circumstances may affect whether a trip is considered essential or non-essential. Essential travel within B.C. includes:

- Regular travel for work within your region
- Travel for things like medical appointments and hospital visits

For example, if you live in Vancouver and work in Surrey you can continue to commute.

If you need to travel for essential reasons, take the same health and safety precautions you do at home.

- Wash your hands often
- Practice safe distancing, 2 m
- Travel only with yourself, household or core bubble
- Stick to the outdoors whenever possible
- Clean spaces often
- Wear a mask in indoor spaces

## First Nations communities

Many First Nations have declared a state of emergency for their communities and enacted COVID-19 community protection by-laws including travel bans for non-residents and non-essential visitors. It is important to respect these restrictions in addition to the province-wide travel advisory.

*More information at link below:*  
<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/emergency-preparedness-response-recovery/covid-19-provincial-support/restrictions#pho-order>

# Nations Creations

WE HAVE A NEW ADDRESS: 6958 PIONEER AVE, AGASSIZ BC

## Now accepting orders

Contact us for product and price brochures

Phone: 604-798-1687

sales@nationscreations.ca



## Sandra

**Q: What would you say is the most important thing that you're working on right now?**

A: Training and set-up. We hired local people, we've got three from Seabird and one from Agassiz, all connected to Seabird in one way or another. They are getting training on the machinery and producing artwork. We plan to go global this year with the Gift Shop, where people can order online.

**When are you shooting for that to happen?**

Hopefully by this summer. We are speaking with artists outside of our company to supply artwork to showcase in the store and online they would earn a commission on those.

**You're coaching two teams right now, is developing talent something that you're focusing on to encourage them to reach their next level personally and professionally?**

You can always develop talent. It's a matter of finding the people who have initiative and the drive. The ones who are interested in expanding their own talent, I look for ways to inspire and motivate them.

**Do you feel that everyone kind of finds their own strength and you foster that? How does it work?**

A little bit of both. A lot of the time I find people won't even realize their own strengths until you point it out to them and let them know how valuable they are. Once they realize their potential and have learned a bunch they help strengthen the organization. It gives them some independence and group opportunities arise.

**I've noticed you've given them the space to create what they would like to create, but then they are also going to be able to work hand in hand closely with the communities who trust us and appreciate what we're doing here. Building that relationship with surrounding Nations and helping their concepts become a reality.**

Yeah. Which is kind of cool! So they're designing their own pieces, but they're also working with each other for inspiration.

**I know you guys have only been here for probably what is it, two weeks?**

Yes and there has already been a strong sense of team culture. We are going into our third week. It's exciting. It's a good team. We've all meshed together.



# Production and Design Team



## Bert

**Q: what inspires you to create?**

A: Jeepers, anything beautiful!

**I like that answer. What do you find beauty in?**

Everything. Being able to create and have people appreciate my work, react to it. I want to keep designing for as many items as I can for in the gift shop.



**What started you in designing?**

I have always been artistic. Painting, drawing and carving.



## Tiernan

**Q: I noticed you are working on an eagle canvas today, have you had the opportunity to work on any of the machines?**

A: I've been working with the laser cutter a lot. We did some key-chains and some other engraving. I did that sign for the front door where the letters pop up. The UV sublimation printer too, it prints on anything really. There's more options to use as mediums. We have done some tiles and wood coasters.

*"I want to do animation, graphic design. You know, create on any medium. I even like video editing, that kind of stuff!"*





## Braxtyn



**Q: How do you feel about the squirrel that's up in the display tree ?**

A: Yeah. I was admiring the tree and then we're standing here and I saw that it stares directly into Sandy's office, It's going to creep her out a lot. I'm sure.

**Q: Do you have a favourite machine?**

A: The glass engraver. Yeah, that's my absolute favorite! Being able to play with the different textures and the gradient. When I use more of a lighter grade, it won't make the design as prominent. Today I was playing with the robin I designed. I inverted it on the stemless glasses, it's just the outline of the design.

The ones that say husband and wife are a set that we'll be selling together! They are beautiful. Sandy designed them then I went and programmed it into the computer, figured out all the settings and dimensions to fit the wine glasses we decided to engrave on.



Braxtyn's first design for Nations Creations - Landing Robin

## Haley



**Q: What is your position here?**

A: Order Clerk at the store front.

**You're going to be handling high volume orders from surrounding nations, schools, corporations, sports teams and stuff like that?**

That's right! Yes. I also learned that I can help them do their placements make sure the color is right, the font and then I shoot it upstairs for the design and production team.

**Tell me a little bit about starting here.**

When I found out Nations Creations will have a Gift Shop and I will be part of opening with Seabird - I was super excited! I came in and I saw the shelves wrapped around the tree, I was like, Oh my gosh, there's going to be candles, glasses and mugs!



Dogwood Flower - Zorana

# Our knowledgeable Health Care team organized a successful vaccine clinic for round two of our COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic.



Seabird and First Nations Health Authority went above and beyond their commitment to provide safe and effective vaccine clinics. The planning ahead of time was shown throughout the day. The layout of the site kept the flow of everything moving nicely. High standards of COVID protocol ensured the Community Members were well cared for and they had a 15 minute wait area to monitor each persons health afterwards was a hit and added a level of comfort. Cedar brushing was provided along with snacks and water. It was really special to see familiar faces, well half faces as we all wore masks. The smiling eyes, chit-chat and laughing was comforting and reassuring.

We were happy to see everyone come together to help protect themselves and the people around them. Our volunteer staff inside and out of the gym ran our clinic smoothly; we are proud of our community and grateful to you all for taking the time to handle the mass volume of people we served.

The potholes at the gym parking lot were also filled and parking stall lines were applied to make entry and parking easier. Appreciate the team who had their part in that success.

Thanks everyone for doing your part. We accomplish so much more this way.



## Chief and Council Notice:

That Chief and Council rescind the previous Banishment Order from December 15, 2014 and replace it with the following new Motion:

That Chief and Council reserve the right to Banish any individual that has been charged and/or convicted of a serious criminal offence that could jeopardize the well-being and/or safety of the Seabird Island Community. That Chief & Council, after proper consultation with the Executive Director (ED) or Chief Administrative Office (CAO), authorize the ED or CAO to execute a Banishment Order towards the individual.

This banishment will be carried out as long as the conditions of release or supervision order and/or conviction term (sentence) including incarceration, Probation (B.C. Community Corrections Branch) and Parole (Correctional Service of Canada; Parole Board of Canada) at which point, upon written request, the case will be reviewed by Council; and that this motion will be put in the community newsletter.

Seabird Island Band Chief & Council



*“Thoughts and words have intention and are power. Be mindful of how you speak and think about yourself.”*

## Housing Wait List

1 bedroom	
1	11272018-5024
2	12242018-5028
3	06172019-5037
4	12272019-5042
5	04282020-5045
6	11152018-6022
7	12022020-5051
8	12142020-5053

2 Bedroom	
1	12102018-6014
2	12032018-5026
3	01282019-5030
4	02012019-5000
5	03212019-6028
6	12272019-5042
7	04102019-7028
8	12182018-5014
9	01072020-7031
10	08122020-5050
11	11252020-2098
12	01072020-6024
13	11152018-6022
14	12022020-4015
15	12082020-5032
16	11272018-5024
17	12142020-5053
18	04282020-5045
19	12232020-7057
20	10042017-6008

3 Bedroom	
1	12192012-3076
2	02082013-3084
3	02232016-4002
4	12202017-7012
5	12102018-6014
6	03132019-6011
7	03212019-6028
8	03222019-4007
9	04102019-7028
10	07012019-7033
11	12182018-5014
12	01072020-6024
13	01072020-7031
14	01222020-1031
15	11182020-7053
16	11192020-7054
17	11252020-2098
18	12022020-4015
19	12032018-5026
20	12232020-7056
21	12232020-7057
22	02082019-7021
23	01052021-7058
24	10042017-6008

### REMINDER!

Housing applications must be renewed before JANUARY 1<sup>st</sup> each year to remain on the list!

Anyone who did not renew came off the list and must now reapply if interested.

Please make sure the Housing Program has your current contact information.

# 5-10KM RUN WALK TRAINING

Are you interested in doing a walking program? Learning to walk/run 5 to 10 km. We have training guides for you please contact Sharlene Johnny to sign up and get your booklet.

Start date: Monday, January 25, 2021  
 Email: [sharlene.johnny@seabirdisland.ca](mailto:sharlene.johnny@seabirdisland.ca)  
 Phone: 604-796-6829



Are you ready to take some Upgrading, College or University Courses?

# Post-Secondary Application Deadlines

Are you a registered Seabird Island Band Member interested in post-secondary studies to obtain a Certificate, Diploma or Degree?? Then REMEMBER these important deadlines to apply for post-secondary sponsorship...

Deadlines for **completed** applications are:

- ▶ **For September** (Fall)
- ▶ For January (Winter/Spring depending on institution)
- ▶ For May (Spring/ Summer depending on institution)

**April 1<sup>st</sup>**  
**October 1<sup>st</sup>**  
**January 1<sup>st</sup>**

Funding of any application is dependent upon available budget.

For further information please contact:  
Cindy Kelly-Student Services Worker at  
604-796-2177 or [cindykelly@seabirdisland.ca](mailto:cindykelly@seabirdisland.ca)



## Reminder All Grade 7-12 Students Allowances

**1st student allowance payment will be December 15, 2020** September, October and November.

**2nd student allowance payment will be March 15, 2021** December, January and February.

**3rd student allowance payment will be June 30, 2021** March, April, May, June.

### Student Allowances are as follows:

Grade 7-10            \$10.00 per month       = \$100.<sup>00</sup> per school year.  
Grade 11-12        \$20.00 per month       = \$200.<sup>00</sup> per school year.





















Student allowances will be directly deposited for the students with bank accounts.

**Attention Seabird Island Band Students**, there will be no distribution of cash in the school, due to Covid 19. Student allowance checks grades 7-12 for September October November and December **will be sent by mail by December 15,2020.**

*Student allowances are based on monthly attendance.  
Students must not miss more than 4 school days per month to be eligible for allowance.*



# Community Events Calendar – W

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Years Clinician</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.</li> </ul>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daylight Savings Spring Forward One Hour (2 a.m.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.</li> </ul>
<i>School District 78 Spring Break</i>			
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<i>Seabird Island Community School Spring Break</i>			
<i>School District 78 Spring Break</i>			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meals on Wheels 5 - 6 p.m.</li> <li>• Income Assistance Day</li> </ul>

# Velék'es - Little Frog Season 2021

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<i>School District78 Spring Break</i>			
24	25	26	27
<i>Seabird Island Community School Spring Break</i>			
<i>School District78 Spring Break</i>			
31		<p> Doctor's Office is by appointment only. Please call ahead for an appointment.</p> <p> Dental Office is urgent/emergency appointment only. Please call ahead.</p> <p> Fire practise is cancelled until future notice.</p> <p> Garbage day, has not changed unless notified (2 bags per house hold please).</p> <p> Recycle day, No longer accepting blue bags. Use blue bins please.</p>	

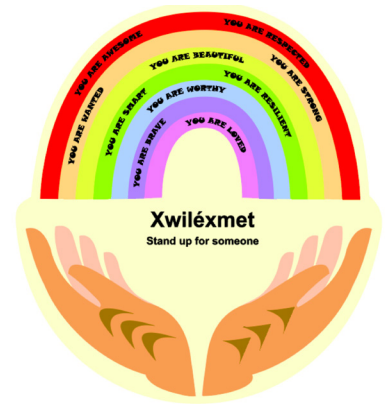


## Pink Shirt Day: Encourage building each other up because bullying belongs nowhere

If you visited the Band Office on February 24<sup>th</sup> you may have seen staff wearing pink shirts with with messages on them is meant to build people up. The messaging in the image is to show that it's in our hands to make a change. Little acts of kindness go a long way. The rainbow is a symbol of hope, peace and the beauty after a storm. Storms happen inside us when we experience bullying.

All the different colours represents our differences and how they all fit together to create something positive and beautiful.

Nations Creations production work Designers put a bunch of thought and work into this design for our teams at Seabird. Then Seabird Staff did their part to spread the message. Keep it up!



### Council Member Mandatory Meeting: Attendance Record 3 Year Term April 2020-April 2023

Absent = X  
 Absent due to approved Exterior meeting = ☒  
 Arrive late; leave early = L  
 LOA – Leave of Absence

Mtg. Date	Meeting Name	Council Member								
		Jim	Janice	Marcie	Rod	Stacy	Paul	Matt	Zack	Alexis
04/23/20	Orientation									
04/27/20	Orientation									
05/19/20	C&C Meeting	☒								
06/30/20	C&C Meeting								LOA	
07/21/20	C&C Meeting								LOA	
08/18/20	C&C Meeting	LOA					LOA		LOA	
09/15/20	C&C Meeting								LOA	
10/20/20	C&C Meeting									
10/21/20	C&C Quarterly									
11/17/20	C&C Meeting			LOA						
12/22/20	C&C Meeting						X			
01/19/21	C&C Meeting Postponed									
02/16/21	C&C Meeting									
02/24/21	C&C Quarterly									

# Chief and Council Calendar - February 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Lands Committee	2 Chief and Council Executive Lands/housing/PW restructure discussion	3 Admin portfolio	4 Lands Strategic Planning Youth Program Meeting with Portfolios	5	6
7	8 Stq'oya Monthly Meeting	9 Vaccine roll out update Seabird College Board Meeting	10 Finance and Audit Committee meeting	11	12 Covid Bylaw Update	13
14	15 Stq'oya Monthly Meeting	16 IT Committee Fraser Salish Regional Joint Working Group MCFD Family Mtg Chief and Council	17 Addressing Violence Justice portfolios meeting	18 Health Portfolio Meeting Lands Law Development	19 Quality Assurance Committee (QAC) Planning FN Housing & Infrastructure Council	20
21	22 MCFD Family Mtg	23 Housing & PW portfolio Governance Training FN Market Housing Fund MCFD Family Mtg	24 Admin portfolio Governance Training Band Quarterly Meeting	25 Education committee MCFD Family Mtg	26 Justice First Nations Chinook Evaluation Technical Meeting Sq'ep Cultural Committee	27
28						

**LEGEND:**  
 Purple = portfolio meetings  
 Green = committee meetings  
 Blue = external meetings  
 Brown – training

**Chief and Council Executive Committee Meetings**

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month. This meeting is to set the agenda for Chief and Council meetings.

**Chief and Council Meetings**

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month.

**Chief and Council Quarterly**

January, April, July, October

# Halq'eméylem

## Translation Contest

**THEME: The Sounds of Upriver Halq'eméylem**  
Ó:xwest kw'e slháqwe m te Halq'eméylem qel

Registration:

Teachers or responsible adult will submit a team. Links will be sent to the responsible adult to register their group on the Learning Branch Platform for an accumulative score. It will be the responsible adult's responsibility to divide the assessment up fairly amongst their team members.

**DATE: April 30, 2021**

**TIME: 10am-Noon**

**ZOOM LINK: HTC2021**

**Meeting ID: 668 9193 2637**

Contact: [dianna@seabirdisland.ca](mailto:dianna@seabirdisland.ca)



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## Pisces

February 20 - March 20

**Key characteristics:** Cares about ideals and aspirations. Pisces likes to dream and is drawn to the arts, especially the stage.

**Flower:** Water Lily

**Birthstone:** Amethyst

## 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

## Quotes of the Month:

"I believe that the greatest gift you can give your family and the world is a healthy you."

~ Joyce Meyer

"A healthy outside starts from the inside."

~ Robert Ulrich

## Halq'eméylem Word Search

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í	e	í	s	c	h	'	á	:	y	x	w	e	l	s
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by: Zorana Edwards-Shippentower

## Words:

- 1) íqw'em - rub off, smear
- 2) íqw'et - to wipe (it)
- 3) í:lwelw - side of the body
- 4) iyóqest - change money
- 5) álewem - to stay home
- 6) áyelexw - alive, be living, get better
- 7) ó:lmetsel - to wait around
- 8) melmílets' - confused
- 9) chóxw - go down to water
- 10) chó:leqw - In the forest
- 11) ch'íthométsel - I Thank You
- 12) kwólòmèt - to get away
- 13) kw'óqwletstel - Ax
- 14) kw'óxwemel - hoof
- 15) qíqeq'els - Policeman
- 16) th'ítsemelhp - Hazelnut tree
- 17) láxel - fishing spot
- 18) halts'elít - seperate them
- 19) sch'á:yxwels - Dried meat
- 20) shxwelàm - echo

# JOB POSTINGS

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

## Tutor - Math/English

We are looking for an experienced and reliable Tutor to join our educational team. You will work with students of various ages, either one-on-one or in groups, to provide help on a particular assignment or with basics in a specific subject. After each tutoring session, you will need to document what tasks you worked so that you can share the student's progress with their parents and teachers. We also offer test preparation services, especially to high school students, so you must be able to work with older students on improving their test scores. Our ideal candidate has worked professionally with school-age students for at least one year and is comfortable tutoring in at least two of the four core subjects.

### Pre-employment Supports Program – Case Worker - Medical Coverage until March 31, 2021

The Case Worker is responsible for working with clients one-on-one and in small groups to assist them to overcome one or more barriers that are inhibiting their ability to gain employment. Clients will range from 19-24 and 25-49 years of age. The successful candidate will provide education, information and assistance to clients on all aspects of employment, education, training, and life career planning. The Case Worker takes a hands on approach to assisting their clients in exploring careers and finding employment including building relationships with potential employers

### Driver - College - On Call

The College Bus Driver is responsible for the safe transportation of students on the assigned route to and from school.

### Director of Operations - Sqéwqel Dev Corp

To organize and oversee the daily operations of our diverse business units. The successful candidate will demonstrate excellent senior leadership skills through ensuring that our business is well-coordinated and productive by managing procedures and coaching our people.

### Sqéwqel Development Corporation External Board of Directors Recruitment

Due to the recent growth of business and economic opportunities, SqDC is currently seeking two (2) External Board Directors to assist our organization through continued strategic growth and development.

### Information Technology (IT) Teacher

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. Must prepare lessons and activities that help students develop knowledge and understanding in concepts of computing, software use, troubleshooting, etc. Expected to solve minor technical problems that happen within classrooms, so computer troubleshooting experience is important.

### Math/English Adult Dogwood Instructor

Instruct a variety of education courses including English, math to adult learners working to improve their competency in literacy and numeracy, as preparation for vocational training and employment.

### Education Assistant (EA) - On call

Under the supervision of school administration, 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.

### Special Education Teacher

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. Teach basic skills, such as literacy and communication techniques, to students with severe disabilities.

## Teacher On Call (TOC)

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.

### Payroll Clerk

Provide support for Payroll functions under the direction of the Payroll Supervisor. Assist in the payroll function, filing, and other general clerical duties. Provide information to staff regarding their benefit plans, ensure timely reconciliation of benefits, and liaise with the benefit provider as required to ensure effective and efficient service delivery for staff. May be required to provide support as needed to other programs and team members in Human Resources, Reception and Finance.

### Computer Technician II

Reporting to the IT Program Manager, this position works with all Seabird Island (SI) Departments. The Computer Technician II involves maintenance of systems and technical equipment. The Computer Technician II will analyze requirements, resolve problems, and install hardware and software as required. Tasks also include end-user support, toner inventory maintenance and procurement, and various tasks received through the IT Help Desk. Please note this is a one year full time term contract.

### School Bus Driver - On Call

The School Bus Driver is responsible for the safe transportation of students on the assigned route to and from school.

### Maternal Child Health Nurse - Term ends March 31, 2022

Provide Maternity care, newborn care and expertise in accordance with Band policies and procedures. Responsible for the delivery of services to families living off reserve and families where substance use is occurring. Work closely other members of the Maternal Child Health team and with pre and post-natal moms, youth and families in the program. Work closely with the Mid-Wife and required to take training as labour/delivery back-up to the Mid-Wife.

### 22 Week Targeted Wage Subsidy Public Works Assistant

Responsible for taking care of the essential everyday administrative tasks in the Public Works Dept. like computerizing the scheduling and recording building maintenance/repairs work orders, assisting in documenting the needs of the Public Works team, filing, record keeping, report preparation, scheduling and data entry.

### Manager of Leasing & Property Management

The SqDC is looking for an experienced Manager of Leasing & Property Management (MLPM) to develop, manage and strengthen the daily operations of our leasing and property management portfolio. The successful candidate will demonstrate excellent management skills and use these skills to ensure that our existing and new leases are effectively and prudently managed. This skills to ensure that our existing and new leases are effectively and prudently managed. This position reports directly to the Director of Operations.

### Assistant Comptroller

This position provides support to the Comptroller in their ongoing supervision to the Finance Department through the Accounts Payable Administrator, the Accounts Receivable Administrator, the Payroll Administrator, and the Finance Analyst. This team ensures a high degree of accuracy and quality in all financial documents and records concerning the Band's financial status.

## Community Liaison

Provides support to communities to enhance culturally safe COVID-19 mitigation measures, community preparedness and response capacity. The Community Liaison role assists the leadership of the Sub-Region, Family, Nation, Community or Agency to which they are assigned to through effective engagement with community member, and health partners such as the First Nations Health Authority and Regional Health Authority (RHA). In addition, they use their local knowledge and context about the community, family units, structures and processes in the region to ensure that needs arising from the COVID-19 pandemic are being addressed in a manner that is relevant to the community context.

### Gas Bar Supervisor

The Supervisor is responsible for assisting the Manager in ensuring all Government and Store regulations and policies are upheld at the Sqéwqel Gas Bar. The supervisor will also be responsible for reconciliation of government sheets, deposits and quota. The supervisor will report to the manager of Sqéwqel Gas Bar. The hours will be full time evenings and weekends.

### Aboriginal Infant Development Practitioner AIDP/ASCD Regional Advisor (Fraser South & East)

The AIDP/ASCD Regional Advisor provides information, advice, support, mentoring, cultural perspectives and coordination of training to AIDP/ASCD programs and staff. The Regional Advisor will work up 21 hours per week with the possibility of full-time hours within the ECE Program.

### Youth Mentor - on call

The role of the youth mentor is to facilitate programs for youth ages 6-18 including planning and implementing activities; developing appropriate youth to mentee relationships; guiding youth behavior; maintaining the physical space of the youth building and reporting program activities and incidents to the Child and Youth Initiatives Supervisor. The Youth Mentor is responsible for maintaining relationships with youth who are engaged in the program and doing outreach to develop new relationships.

### (Youth) Elder Apprentice Term Ends March 31, 2021

The Elders Apprentice will be responsible for actively engaging and building a relationship with Elder(s). The purpose of the position is to create a symbiotic relationship between Youth and Elder where both are benefitting. The Elders apprentice will assist in reducing risk of social isolation for Seabird Island Elders. This position will help future generations have an understanding of the past so that it can be transitioned into the future. This is a temporary position that will end March 31, 2021

### Early Childhood Educator I/T (Infant/Toddler)

Under the direction of the Daycare Supervisor, 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.

### Speech and Language Assistant

The Speech and Language Assistant will work directly under licensed speech pathologists, aiding them in their daily responsibilities to provide a range of clinical services that focus on promoting communication, language and speech that contributes to a client/patient's overall cognitive, physical, social and emotional well-being.

### Recovery Home Support Worker - On Call

The role of the Recovery Support Worker is to support clients in residence 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.

## 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.

### Project Officer - Term until March 31, 2022

This is term position to March 31, 2022. The Project Officer will assist research leads on a number of Natural Resources Canada funded projects, including traditional land use research; cumulative effects of corporate infrastructure, development, and climate on Seabird Island Band reserve; terrestrial and aquatic habitat restoration frameworks.

### Driving Instructor - on call

The Driving Instructor is responsible for teaching students the rules of the road and the safe way to handle an automobile. This position will entail providing full service drivers training for students of varying ages and experiences who are looking to acquire their BC Driver's License or to acquire a higher class of license. Students will range in age from teenagers through to elders. Training will include practical sessions and should fully prepare the student for their knowledge and driven tests.

### Elder's Mobility Program Coordinator

The Elders Mobility Program Coordinator is a role model for health and wellness, who is passionate about helping elders to pursue overall improvements in health through engagement in activity. This position will design, instruct, schedule and coordinate recreation programming for the elders. Working closely with the Fraser Health's Elders Day Program Coordinator, the Mobility Coordinator will implement impactful mobility programs that will engage elders, in all our partner communities, to participate in activities that benefit their mobility and social interactions.

### Registered Nurse - Home Care - Term ends March 31, 2022

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 within 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.

### Youth Worker - Term until September 31, 2021

The Youth Worker is directly responsible for engaging Seabird Island Band youths (age 10 – 19) in youth-led programming. The core of this work will be done through the drop-in program but may also include secondary programs such as gender specific groups, recreational activities groups and outreach programs

### Administrative Assistant

The Public Works Administrative Assistant will be responsible for taking care of the essential everyday administrative tasks in the Public Works Dept. like computerizing the scheduling and recording building maintenance/repairs work orders, assisting in documenting the needs of the Public Works team, filing, record keeping, report preparation, scheduling and data entry.

### Community Liaison

Provides support to communities to enhance culturally safe COVID-19 mitigation measures, community preparedness and response capacity. The Community Liaison role assists the leadership of the Sub-Region, Family, Nation, Community or Agency to which they are assigned to through effective engagement with community member, and health partners such as the First Nations Health Authority and Regional Health Authority (RHA).

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](mailto: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.



# JOB POSTING of the MONTH

## Administrative Assistant

Infrastructure · Agassiz, British Columbia

### Position Summary:

The AIDP/ASCD Regional Advisor provides information, advice, support, mentoring, cultural perspectives and coordination of training to AIDP/ASCD programs and staff, The Regional Advisor will work up 21 hours per week with the possibility of full-time hours within the ECE Program.

### Responsibilities:

- Facilitate regular regional meetings at different AIDP/ASCD program locations or at a mutually agreed to site (usually 5 per year) and to make program visits and communicate with staff to answer all questions and concerns as they arise.
- Assist the regional programs to communicate and network with each other, the Provincial Steering Committees and Provincial Advisors.
- Support AIDP/ASCD Consultants in Fraser South and East – particularly those who are new
- Investigate, model, distribute and promote culturally relevant practice through knowledge of a variety of Aboriginal teachings, cultures, languages and traditions.
- Investigate and share relevant information on best practices, resources, articles, and research to enhance Consultant services. Work in partnership with the Offices of the AIDP and ASCD Provincial Advisors to bring awareness and valuable information to all the Consultants; share pertinent information with the Provincial offices.
- Participate as a representative at the AIDP/ASCD Provincial and Regional steering committee meetings, provide a Regional Advisor report to committee members, participate in the MVOM Network, Regional AIDP/ASCD and other regional ECD committees as appropriate and applicable.
- Plan and facilitate regional training and workshops for AIDP and ASCD Consultants based on input and identified needs of Consultants as well as prepare an annual training plan and budget for approval of the MCFD Community Services Manager.

### Qualifications:

- Undergraduate degree in a related field (i.e. child and youth care, early education, social work etc.,) or an equivalent combination of education and experience
- ECE Certificate
- Infant Development and Supported Child Development Certificates or Diplomas an asset
- Minimum 3 years' experience in the AIDP and/or ASCD field.
- Demonstrated working knowledge of early intervention, child development, family centred practice and community based services required.
- Hold a valid Class 5 BC Driver's license (with a clean Driver's Abstract) and have own reliable vehicle.
- Working knowledge of appropriate assessment tools required.
- Familiarity with Aboriginal culture, language and traditions an asset, as well as extensive knowledge of social-economic issues affecting urban Aboriginal children and families on and off reserve a requirement.
- A commitment to ongoing professional development with excellent written and verbal communication skills, as well as basic computer skills including Microsoft Word and Outlook required.
- Strong interpersonal and advocacy skills with the ability to advocate for AIDP/ASCD services and supports when needed.
- Excellent coordination and time management skills required.
- Ability to follow through with tasks with minimal supervision.
- Physically & emotionally capable of carrying out the duties of this position while maintaining a positive and non-judgmental attitude.
- Maintain confidentiality in regards to all AIDP/ASCD information, recorded or not, received or acquired in connection with the position duties.
- Criminal Checks are required for all employees.
- Preference will be given to those of First Nations heritage.
- Position can include the possibility of full-time and remote hours.

**DEADLINES**

Submissions and advertisements are due **7 business days prior to delivery.**  
Contact comm@seabirdisland.ca.

**AVAILABILITY**

Once a month. The 1<sup>st</sup> of each month (or closest business day).  
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, Kristy Johnson,  
Zorana Edwards-Shippentower and  
Jacqueline Blanchard

**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 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, Wednesday 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:** 1<sup>st</sup> 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**

**CLOSED DUE TO COVID**

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 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](http://www.bcyukonaa.org)

**Do you have questions or concerns about your child's social and emotional health?**

**Does your child seem anxious?**

**Are you interested in counselling or play therapy?**

**WE ARE HERE TO HELP**

Come and meet our Early Years Clinician from Child and Youth Mental Health and get some of your questions or concerns addressed.

**2021 Dates**

- Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021
- Mar. 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021
- Apr. 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021
- May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021
- Jun. 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**Seabird Island Early Childhood Center of Excellence**  
8250 Charles Drive  
to book an appointment between 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Call Jen McNeil @ 604-796-6886  
Or drop-in

# Seabird Island Band QUARTERLY MEETING

# Q3

# THANK YOU!

We would like to raise our hands and thank everyone that participated at Seabird Island's Quarterly Meeting. We had a **GREAT** turnout and there were a lot of great comments from our community.

We look forward to your participation and hearing more of your comments at our next Quarterly Meeting.

If you would like a copy of the documents/Power Point presentations that were reviewed please send an email to [comm@seabirdisland.ca](mailto:comm@seabirdisland.ca) or call **604-796-2177** and request them on a USB drive that will be available for pickup at the Band Office.



# Seabird Island Band QUARTERLY MEETING

# Q4

WEDNESDAY  
**APRIL  
21<sup>st</sup>**

**Save the  
date!**

We look forward to your participation and hearing your comments at our next Quarterly Meeting.



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## Entry Level Pipeline Training

**March 22<sup>nd</sup> - April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**This Program comprises three components running consecutively. Each component is a pre-requisite to the next.**

### 1. Essential Skills training at Seabird College

(March 22 - April 9) – Students will review essential knowledge and skills needed for Pipeline training.

### 2. Preparation Courses at Seabird College

(April 12- 23) – Students will have access to the following online training preparation courses:

- WHMIS
- Pipeline Construction Safety Training
- Transportation of Dangerous Goods
- Ground Disturbance for Supervisors
- H2S Awareness

*The online preparation courses must be achieved prior to Program admission to the one week combined theory and Practical training.*

### 3. One week of combined theory and practical training at IUOE in Maple Ridge ( 2 Classes: 1<sup>st</sup> group from April 19-23 and 2<sup>nd</sup> from April 26-30 ):

- Pipeline industry overview
- Safety
- Regulations
- Rigging Level 1 (4-hours)
- Communications
- Grades and Stakes
- Track shoveling
- Basic heavy equipment operation
- Grease gun tutorial
- Bucket teeth removal and replacement
- Track adjustments
- Changing attachments

**Program Dates:** From March 22 - April 30, 2021

**Maximum Class Size:** 6 Students per class.

**Sponsored seats for First Nations Students**

