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Mid-June 2017



Fifty-six soccer teams and eleven war canoe teams took part in the 48th Annual Seabird Island First Nations Festival pg. 3 - 5.

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Closure

June 21 for Aboriginal Day

July 3 for Canada Day

Correction: Chief and Council will be meeting:

June 20 from 5:00 p.m. in the Main Boardroom, not June 17 or 22 as advertised in the June newsletter.

Seabird Island Lands Invites you to attend

BANNOCK - AND - TEA

Tuesday, July 11 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

HEALTH & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Youth employment for ages 12 - 15

We're now taking applications for Youth employment opportunities. Please complete the application on pg. 12. Applications are due by June 16. Interviews will be scheduled for June 19 - 23. The program will run from July 4 - 20.

Youth will earn a \$25.00/day allowance and take part in field trips and fun!

For more information or to drop off your application, stop by the Employment, Training and Social Development Office.

Preference will be given to new applicants. Returning applicants will be placed on a waiting list.

Maximum of 8 participants.

Summer work experience for ages 16+

This summer, we're offering an array of work experience opportunities. The program will run from August 8 - 25 from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday (times may vary).

Participating Youth will earn a \$25/day allowance and earn certifications in: WHMIS, First Aid, Food Safe, Cashier Training and more.

Resumes are due June 23 and can be dropped off at the Employment, Training and Social Development Office. Interviews will be scheduled from June 27 - 29. Participants must be returning to high school in September. Preference will be given to new applicants. Returning applicants will be placed on a waiting list. Maximum of 8 participants.

Tenancy Agreement Renewals due June 30

For all tenants currently residing in rental homes, please make an appointment to re-sign your tenancy agreement

Appointments can be scheduled for Tuesdays between 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. and are approximately 15 minutes long.

All agreements must be signed by June 30. Contact Erna at 604-796-2177.

Please bring the following items to your appointment:

1. Current contact information (cell phone, home phone and email address)
2. Name and birthdate of all people residing in your home
3. Make, model and license plate number of all vehicles

Location: Seabird Island Band Office Gymnasium
2895 Chowat Road, Agassiz BC



Join us to celebrate Aboriginal Day!
Learn about the meaning of Aboriginal Day and take part in fun activities and games!

**Family walk begins at 11 a.m.
Two timed laps around the track**

Traditional Feast | Prizes | First Nations Games and Relay Races
Arts and Crafts | Bounce Houses | Face Painting and Tattoos
Slahal Teaching in the Afternoon

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Seabird Island



48th Annual Seabird Island First Nations Festival

It was a sunny, hot weekend at Seabird Island - a first to be sure. The usual rains were replaced with summer weather. Not the only first for the weekend. This was the first year Seabird's Festival Committee booked fundraising groups to manage concessions.

"The Festival Committee's goal was to have more Member involvement and allow the community to take on aspects of the Festival," said Angie Chapman, Event Coordinator.

A total of 56 soccer teams and 11 war canoe teams came to compete at the Festival. This year we saw an increase in Youth canoe teams and overall Youth involvement in the races.

Many of our own Youth will be heading to the North American Indigenous Games (NAIG) in Toronto, Ontario this July, including: Makayla Sam-Greene, Rachel Charlie, Amber Charlie, Dylan Harris and Dredan Naistus. Seabird couldn't be prouder of our Youth.

"Great respect to the parents and athletes for showing who they are, representing Seabird at NAIG 2017," said Angie.

Seabird was well represented this year, with teams in each soccer division except Ladies.

"Thank you to all the vendors for all their hard work and great food supplied to everyone this year," said Angie, who also wanted to thank staff volunteers, first aid, judges, referees, labour pool clients, the Public Works and Maintenance teams as well as our guests.

"We would like to thank and acknowledge all the spectators, coaches, managers and athletes for a great weekend of soccer and canoeing for all their hard work, training, travel and dedication it takes to keep playing the sport they all love," said Angie.

There were a few areas where Seabird is looking at improving. This was the first year we opened up bathroom facilities in the Church Hall, Millennium Hall, High School, Band Office and Fitness Centre.

"We acknowledge that we need to improve in this area by having more signs and better outlined on the map next year."

The Festival Committee is open to all comments and feedback regarding the Festival. If you have a comment or feedback, email festival@seabirdisland.ca.

The Festival Committee provides direction and makes decisions regarding the Festival while the Events team follows and implements those decisions.

Thank you to Chuck McNeil, Jennifer Andrew, Kristy Johnson and Donna Andrew for helping with the schedules. We'd also like to acknowledge the community for allowing this event to take place each year.

We value all of our Members and work to ensure there is little interruption to daily lives during the Festival weekend.

Soccer winners

Mens

1: Musqueam Spurs A 2: Capilano Crew
3: Sto:lo United A

Ladies

1: BC Cougars 2: Hurricanes
3: Cowichan FC

16 & Under

1: Scowlitz 2: Lil'wat 3: Team BC

13 & Under

1: Cheam Selects 2: Musqueam Blues
3: Lil'wat

10 & Under

1: About to Get Messi
2: Sts'ailes Jr. Chiefs 3: Seabird

7 & Under

1: Sts'ailes 2: Seabird 3: Cheam

Winners continue on pg. 4 - 5.

And the winners are.... *Co-ed teams have all-stars names are listed male then female.*



7 & Under all-stars

- Seabird Island - Chase Campbell | Rachel Malloway
- Musqueam - Ethan Mathison | Kelly Friesen
- Sts'ailes Lil Chiefs - Taj Gus | Ashlynn Charlie
- Chawathil - Lance Toney | Lacinda Peters
- Cheam Storm - Wyatt Edwards | Mackenzie Batt-Newman
- Scowlitz - Dylan Williams | Jenna Pennier

10 & Under all-stars

- Blues - Jomar Stoganrwas | Persais Paul
- Squamish Thunder - Dominic Ross | Mabel Nannee
- Seabird - Lance Thompson | Layla Thompson
- Sechelt - Duncan George | Callie Baptiste
- About to get MESSI - Maddox Moon | Kaleigh Seymour
- Sts'ailes Chiefs 1 - Vincent Silver | Natalie Julian
- Sts'ailes Chiefs 2 - Nano Charlie | Jeannie Phillips
- Chawathil - Kobe Peters | Ava Fraser
- Lil'wat - Grady Wells | Kaoee Dank

13 & Under all-stars

- Seabird - Mateo Nickel | Tehya Gutierrez
- Sts'ailes Thunderbirds - Justin Leon | Santana Defazio
- Cheam Selects - Alexis Victor | Nicanna Hall
- Blues - Felix Grant | Ashely Thorne
- Lil'wat - Evan Wallace | Deja Paul
- Salish Storm - Hayden Seymour | Philo Wilson
- Wolf Pack - Tyson Thomas | Kairi Dick
- Spurs - Kash Silver | Taryn Point

16 & Under all-stars

- Team BC - Kaya | Mackenzie
- Lil'wat - Carson Andrews | Nikki Wallace
- Seabird - Dillan | Tamaela
- Squamish Nation Stealth - Logan | Bella
- Scowlitz - Connor | Vienna

Mens all-stars

- Sto:lo United A - Cameron Garner
- Semath Warriors - Kyle August
- Panthers - Earl Jones
- Sto:lo United B - Caden Jack
- Spurs - Joe George
- Sto:lo Braves - Rocky Joe
- Capilano Crew - Damien George
- Saanich Braves - Brad Thorne
- Kitsegas Providers - Josh Wesley
- Lil'wat - Mark Gabriel
- Musqueam A - Kelsey Louie

Ladies all-stars

- Saanich Hurricanes - Danya Harris
- BC Cougars - Jade Victor
- Squamish United - Lacey Baker
- Stolo United - Brylee James
- Bumblebees - Britt Felix
- Spurs - Vienna Timothy
- Cowichan FC - Madison Jack

Saturday War Canoe winners

Single Paddle: 10 & Under Girls

1. Serena Joe
2. Autumn Malloway
3. Shawna James

Single Paddle: 10 & Under Boys

1. Damian Sulkanum
2. Jace Bailey
3. Trevon Lee

Single Paddle: 13 & Under Girls

1. Taylor Charlie
2. Sara George
3. Aiyona Morris

Single Paddle: 13 & Under Boys

1. James Jones
2. Noah Gray
3. Phillips Swathem

Single Paddle: 16 & Under Girls

1. Kyleisha Davis
2. Emerald John
3. Jessica

Single Paddle: 16 & Under Boys

1. Gordon Olsen
2. Richard
3. Ethan

Single Paddle: Women

1. Rikkole Edwards
2. Sharon Desnomie
3. Crystal Lawrence

Single Paddle: Men

1. Brandon Chappell
2. Darian Williams
3. Corey

Double Paddle: 10 & Under Co-ed

1. Damian Sulkanum & Jace Bailey
2. Autumn Malloway & Serena Bantalia

Double Paddle: 13 & Under Co-ed

1. James Jones & Jada Martin
2. Sara George & Miah George
3. Jace & Megan

Double Paddle: 16 & Under Co-ed

1. Ethan
2. James & Alicia
3. Emerald John & Lesson Prevost

Double Paddle: Women

1. Ang George & Kristi LaRock
2. Heather Damien & Angela
3. Sakara & Jessica

Double Paddle: Men

1. Brandon Chappell & Collin Point
2. Gordon George & Gabe George
3. Fran Williams & Darian Williams

Mixed Doubles

1. P.Colin & Sharon
2. Patricia & Craig
3. Angela & Darian

4 Paddle: Women

1. Lil Cree
2. Sto:lo
3. Lil Rayne

4 Paddle: Men

1. Five Star
2. Lil Cookie
3. Winter Prince

11 Paddle: Jr Buckskins

1. Wika
2. Lady Rose
3. Southwinds

11 Paddle: Bucks

1. Rikkole Cree
2. Lady Rose
3. Wika

11 Paddle: Women

1. Rikkole Cree
2. Sto:lo Princess
3. Mystical Lady

11 Paddle: Men

1. Unknown
2. South Wind
3. River Spirit

Sunday War Canoes winners

Single Paddle: Women

1. Rikkole
2. Sharon Desnomie
3. Saylene Rabang

Single Paddle: Men

1. Joe Rodriguez
2. Darren Malloway
3. Darian Williams

Double Paddle: Women

1. Lona & Rikkole
2. Courtney & Shaylene
3. Angela & Kristy

Double Paddle: Men

1. Colin & Brandon
2. Joe & Devin
3. Darian & Blake

Mixed Double

1. Colin & Sharon
2. Daniel & Sage Point
3. Joe & Twin

6 Paddle: 10 & Under

1. Lil Cookie
2. Lil Rayne
3. Lil Rose

6 Paddle: 13 & Under

1. Lil Rayne
2. Lil Cookie
3. Winter Prince

6 Paddle: 16 & Under

1. Rikkole Cree
2. Rocky 2
3. Lina Lyn

6 Paddle: Women

1. Rikkole Cree
2. Stalo Chief
3. Lil Raven

6 Paddle: Men

1. King Fisher
2. Lil Raven
3. Lady Jane

11 Paddle: Jr. Buckskins

1. Wika
2. Lady Rose
3. South Wind

11 Paddle: Bucks

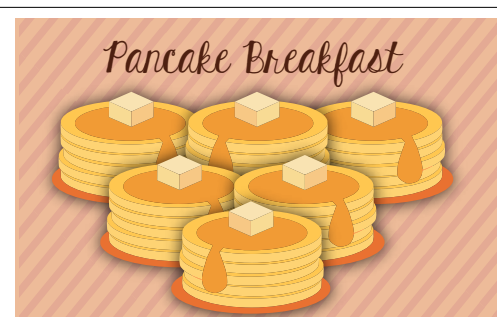
1. Lady Rose
2. Mystical Lady
3. Rikkole Cree

11 Paddle: Women

1. Rikkole Cree
2. Stalo Chief

11 Paddle: Men

1. Unknown
2. Unknown
3. River Spirit



College Room #4 Wednesdays
from 9 - 11 a.m.

Elders visit the UBC Museum of Anthropology



In the early morning of May 30, Elders began their journey to the University of British Columbia (UBC) Museum of Anthropology.

Located in Vancouver, BC, the museum is renowned for its displays of world arts and cultures – in particular, its works by First Nations of the Pacific Northwest.

As well as being a major tourist destination, the museum is a research facility which teaches arts, anthropology, archeology, conservation and museum studies.

The museum houses 38,000 ethnographic and 535,000 archeological objects. During the trip, Elders learned about some new weavings that will be visiting the museum in November 2017.

The Elders viewed all items showcased at the museum including several that have been identified as Seabird artifacts, many of which were displayed in a special viewing room for the Elders.

They were very delighted to have such hospitality and guidance for the day. The tour was great and the Elders plan to go back to learn more.

Earlier in May, Elders enjoyed fun activities planned by the Elders College including brain teasers, crafting, social time and bingo.

Victorine Louis, Barb Chapman, Irene George, Cathy Hope, Andy Louie, Jennifer Bobb, Wanda Forseth and Lorna Prette will all be embarking on an Alaskan cruise later this summer.

While Tillie Henry, Celestine Louis, Shirley Peters, Vivian Ferguson, Cliff Whitford, Linda Kay-Peters and Wayne Bobb are planning to travel to the upcoming Elders Gathering.

Have a great trip!

The Elder's June schedule includes:

- Seabird College Days every Tuesday from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- Tai Chi every Wednesday from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- Bake sales every Thursday from 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Elders Outing June 26 from 3 – 10 p.m. with dinner and movie

**PRE-REGISTER
NOW FOR FALL**

Spaces are limited.

SEABIRD ISLAND PRE-SCHOOL 3's and 4's Program

Stop by the Early Childhood Centre or call 604-796-6855 or 604-796-6854.

Youth shopping adventure to Tsawwassen

Last month, Youth had the opportunity to visit Tsawwassen Mills for a day of shopping. Tsawwassen Mills offers a range of premium fashion brands, factory outlets, restaurants and first-to-market retailers.

Some stores include Bass Pro Shops, Adidas Outlet, Bath & Body Works, Lululemon, Michael Kors, Nike Factory Store and many more.

The new facility opened October 5, 2016 and offers a great shopping experience with prices that are hard to match.

Youth also spent time learning different ways to express themselves and their feeling. They were able to enjoy the sunny weather by playing field games as well as spending some time indoors at the Fitness Centre.

We're so proud of the Youth for making physical activity a priority.

The Youth June schedule includes:

Youth Outing June 17 to Castle Fun Park, Abbotsford BC. Please register with Tara-Lyn. Youth should bring their own spending money to play games.

Lunch will be provided.

Summer outings will include: camping, traditional harvesting, food preservation and more.

Reminder: Youth are encouraged and welcomed to attend any Chief and Council meetings. The next meeting is being held June 20 starting at 5:00 p.m. in the Main Boardroom.

Mondays:

- 10-12yr group 3 - 5 p.m. Circle, snack, outdoor play and games
- 13-18yr group and baking 101 5 - 6:30 p.m. Learn to bake simple recipes and work together as a team

Tuesdays:

- 10-18yr Peer Mentoring/Drop-In 3 - 6:30 p.m. This group gives Youth a chance to receive homework help from both the Youth Worker and their peers.

Providing an opportunity to build friendships, learn about mentorship and give support and guidance to one another.

Wednesday:

- 13-18yr Éyem Group 3 - 5 p.m. Éyem, meaning "strength", is a group intended for Youth to learn and grow through the medicine wheel.

We will grow stronger by learning and practicing knowledge and skills related to our physical, emotional, spiritual and mental health.

- Bi-Weekly Youth Council Meetings Come together and talk about issues affecting Youth or the community.

Thursday:

- 13-18yr Who We Are Who We Are is a group that focuses on our culture and our community.

Through this group, we will participate in cultural activities, connect with the Elders and become more active in the community.

- Fitness/Organized Sport (13-18yr unless posted otherwise) 5 - 7 p.m. Ball Hockey in the gymnasium June 15 and 22.

Friday

- 13 - 18yr Drop-In/Resiliency Drop-In 3 -8:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Tara-Lyn at 604-798-6524.

Post-Secondary Application Deadlines

Are you a registered Band Member interested in post-secondary studies to obtain a Certificate, Diploma or Degree? Deadlines for completed applications are:

Apr. 1 for Sept. (Fall)

Oct 1. for Jan. (Winter/Spring*)

Jan 1. for May. (Spring/Summer*)

*Depending on institution

Funding dependent upon available budget.

For more information, contact Cindy Kelly 604-796-2177. She is located at Seabird College.

Grade 7 - 12 Student Allowances

2nd student allowance payment
Mar. 15, 2017 (for Dec. - Feb.)

3rd student allowance payment
Jun. 30, 2017 (for March - June)

Student Allowances are as follows:

Grade 7-10 \$9/mon = \$90/school yr

Grade 11 -12 \$19/mon = \$190/school yr

Student allowances will be direct deposited for students with bank accounts.

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



Aboriginal Day focuses on wellness on the river

Community Members are invited to join us on June 21 to celebrate Aboriginal Day.

This year, there will be an outdoor food sampling booth and BBQ to focus on healthy outdoor eating.

We will also have sessions on rod fishing, agate hunting, river and water safety, sun safety, a slahal demonstration, make-n-take and story telling with the Elders.

Don't forget to bring folding chairs, water bottles, umbrellas, bug repellent and sunscreen.

Bring your own fishing rod, plates/cups, drums or rattles for extra chances to win door prizes.

Need a ride? Transportation is available if booked in advance. Contact Chanea at 604-796-2177. The first bus will leave from the gymnasium at 8:30 a.m. and buses are scheduled every 20 minutes after this.

The Aboriginal Day event is offered in partnership between the Events and Nutrition teams.

The event is funded in part by Seabird Island and Heritage Canada.

Burning on Pipehom Jun. 1 – Dec. 3, 2017

Sqéwqel Development Corporation has found Eastern Filbert Blight Virus on some of our crop trees, so we need to cut and burn the wild hazelnut trees that are infected in the community.

Sqéwqel staff will be burning wild hazelnut trees in the old hazelnut crop located along Pipehom Rd. from June 1 – December 3, 2017.

For safety concerns, please be aware of where your children are playing. The burning will be monitored by staff at all times. If you have any questions, contact Sqéwqel at 604-796-2177.

Employment, Training and Social Development news

Reminders for the month

- June 20 - Deadline for college/school attendance for the May 15 – June 16 period
- June 20 - Deadline for all income assistance renewals
- June 28 - Income Assistant Day

Driving School

Jim Harris, Driving Instructor, will be available for summer appointments after June 26.

Contact the Employment, Training and Social Development Office at 604-796-2177 to set-up an appointment.

Other news

Ashley Armstrong, Social Development Administrative Assistant, and Andrea Paul, CDP, will be out of the office for the month of July.

They will return in August.

Community Services news

In the month of May, Seabird Island provided sports sponsorships to 6 teams and 11 kids for NAIG 2017 and Agassiz Baseball League. Sponsorships totalled \$1,675.00.

Bookings in May:

- Foyer bookings by Band Members: 17
- Gym bookings: 1 (Circle of Families)

Foyer bookings for June (8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.)

- 5th - Seabird Island Family Travel Club
- 6th - Sally Hope & Danielle Gabriel
- 7th - Seabird Youth Soccer
- 8th - Seabird Elders
- 12th - Yvonne Harry
- 13th - Sally Hope & Danielle Gabriel
- 14th - Seabird Youth Soccer
- 15th - Seabird Elders
- 19th - Seabird Island Family Travel Club
- 20th - Sally Hope & Danielle Gabriel
- 21st - Seabird Youth Soccer
- 22nd - Seabird Elders
- 26th - Yvonne Harry
- 27th - Sally Hope & Danielle Gabriel
- 28th - Seabird Youth Soccer
- 29th - *NO BAKE SALES CAN BE BOOKED*
Union of BC Indian Chiefs booking

Gymnasium and Kitchen Booking for June:

- 3rd - Lisa Mason
- 7th - Family Travel Club Café Night
- 11th - Family Travel Club Dinner and Games Night
- 16th - Circle of Families Baking Night
- 21st - Family Travel Club Café Night
- 24th - Circle of Families Flea Market
- 24th - Hawaii Travel Group Auction

To book the foyer, gymnasium or kitchen, contact Chanea at 604-796-2177.

Drop-in Classes



For parents and caregivers with infants up to 8 months
Wear comfortable clothing. Light snack provided.
Certificate of participation after completion of 4 classes.

Thursday, June 22 from 1 - 2:30 p.m.
Early Childhood Centre - Cultural Room

**For more information call or text Connie at 604-845-4958
or Cheryl at 604-793-6463**



Report Wildlife Sightings

Help to ensure wildlife and our community
are protected by reporting sightings.

Call Art Andrew
604-796-2177

**If the animal poses an immediate threat
to public safety, call the COS Call Centre
1-877-952-7277**

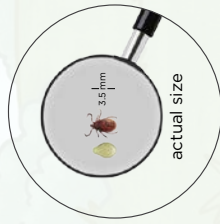
It's tick season, do you know what to look for and how to protect yourself?

<http://www.bccdc.ca/resource-gallery/Documents/Educational%20Materials/Epid/Vector-borne/TickTalkBrochureA5.pdf>



Where do ticks live?

Ticks are commonly found in many areas of British Columbia, including the Southern Interior, Lower Mainland, the Gulf Islands, and Vancouver Island. Ticks live in brush — tall grass, bushes, and shrubs.



How big are ticks?

Ticks are very small bugs. They are about the same size as a sesame seed, 3.5 mm. That's pretty tiny so it's very important to take precautions to prevent these little critters from latching on to you when you are outside in areas where ticks live.

How do I protect myself?

There are many ways to reduce your risk of getting tick bites:

- Tuck your pants into your socks
- Use DEET, but remember to pick a repellent with 10% DEET or less for children (20-30% for people over 12)
- Wear appropriate clothing: light coloured clothing, long sleeves, pants, close toed shoes
- Stay on a clear path and avoid brush
- Perform daily tick checks on yourself and your pets
- Take a shower and put your clothes in the dryer when you get home from playing outside in areas where ticks are common



What should I do at home?

Perform a tick check on yourself, and your pets after a day outside. Kids should get help from an adult family member for their check.

I found a tick! What now?

Is there a tick on your clothing or do you have a tick attached to your skin?

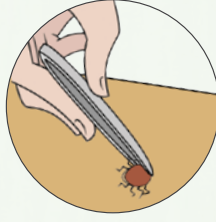
If you find a tick on your clothing,

remove the tick, kill it, and dispose of it.

Ticks take at least 24 hours to attach, so a big part of prevention is removing ticks before they bite.

If you have a tick attached to your skin, follow the steps below:

- Tell an adult
- The adult will need to remove the tick using tweezers: grasp the tick at the head, where the tick attaches to the skin, and pull straight up slowly
- Clean the tick bite area using soap and water. You can then put a small amount of antibiotic ointment on the area
- If the tick is still alive, place it in a sealed container with a damp cotton ball
- Label the container with your name and where the tick came from. Take the container to a doctor, a vet, or the BC Centre for Disease Control



When removing a tick, remember this tip: Ease, don't squeeze!

Lands Advisory Committee seeks three committee members

Chief & Council are pleased to announce that the effective date for the Seabird Island Land Code was September 1, 2009.

The term for three (3) committee positions have become vacant, one (1) Elder position and two (2) regular committee positions.

The terms of these positions are for four (4) years.

Any eligible voter may apply to become a member of the Seabird Island Land Advisory Committee. Applications should include a Covering Letter, Resume and three (3) References and must be received before September 1, 2017.

This Advisory Committee shall provide advice and recommendations to Council regarding Land Use and Proposed Developments.

For more information please contact:

Danielle Gabriel at 604-796-6835 or email dgabriel@seabirdisland.ca

Donna Andrew at 604-796-6836 or email donna@seabirdisland.ca

Security Guard training

Passionate about protecting people and property? Interested in a career in law-enforcement? Looking for a rewarding career that gives back to your community directly?

If yes, have you ever considered becoming a security guard? Security guards deter risks and crime, prevent danger, report crimes, protecting people, property and assets. If this sounds of interest to you, please enroll in our security guard training course today!

Course runs July 3 - 7 at Seabird College.

Contact Trevor Morrison at 604-796-6846 to register.

LEGAL CLINIC

June 19 & 26

To book an appointment, contact
Genna Joseph at 604-796-3363.

Application Youth Employment Program Ages 12-15 years old



Date: _____

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Phone (msg): _____

Reason for applying: _____

What would you like to gain from this program: _____

What would you like to see in this program: _____

JOB POSTINGS

View more detailed information about these and other opportunities, or to apply for current opportunities:

<https://seabirdisland.startdate.ca>

Kindergarten Teacher

Job ID: JP-2017-034 | Closing Date: 20 Jun 2017

Seabird Island Community School is seeking to fill the position of a K4 teacher. We believe that kindergarten readiness requires indicators of success in social, emotional, physical, spiritual and cognitive domains. It also requires a preparatory information plan prior to admission to the formal kindergarten program to achieve the greatest success possible for each student.

Grade 2 Teacher

Job ID: JP-2017-035 | Closing Date: 20 Jun 2017

Seabird Island Community School is seeking to fill the position of a Grade 2 teacher. We believe that the areas of literacy and numeracy are absolutely critical from the kindergarten to grade 3 years. When students leave grade 3 reading at grade level, research suggests that their prospects for graduation are substantially improved.

Halq'émeylēm Teacher

Job ID: JP-2017-036 | Closing Date: 20 Jun 2017

Halq'émeylēm Teacher will teach Halq'émeylēm language courses to students from K-12. The successful candidate may also be expected to teach elective courses of their choice.

The School has a strong emphasis of incorporating the traditional Halq'émeylēm Language and Stó:lō Culture into the curriculum while meeting the academic needs of First Nation students.

Early Childhood Educator

Job ID: JP-2016-060

Under the direction of the Early Childhood Program Manager, the Early Childhood Educator will provide hands-on child care to children in Early Childhood Education programs on an on-call basis, in accordance with all child care licensing requirements and the philosophies, policies and objectives established by Management.

Possible programs include the Out of School Care, Seabird Island Daycare, etc.

Senior Director

Job ID: JP-2016-086

The Senior Director will report to the Chief Administrative Officer (CAO). Primary responsibilities will include assisting the CAO with planning, organizing, coordinating, maintaining, leading and directing the overall operations and activities of Seabird Island.

The Senior Director will have superior negotiation and resolution skills, will coordinate and develop relationships with agencies, Boards/Committees, government affiliates, etc. to further Seabird Island's strategic goals.

S/he will be well versed in the overall management of the organization's operations, including: finance, personnel and strategic planning and will act for the CAO in their absence.

Please ensure you have received confirmation for your online submission. If you have not received confirmation please contact humanresources@seabirdisland.ca. Job postings are also available at the Band Office and the Employment Office.

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.

ADVERTISING RATES

PRINT AD RATES PER ISSUE

300+ hard copy production
800+ e-mail production
average 1,300 reads on Seabird website.

Front Page Colour: limited availability

1/4 pg banner (8"x2.5") \$40
2.5"x3" \$25

	Colour:	Grayscale:
8"x10"	\$135	\$37.50
8"x5" or 10"x4"	\$65	\$25
3.8"x5"	\$32.50	\$17.50
2.5"x3"	\$20	\$12.50

Classified Advertisements

.40c per word \$4.00 Minimum

DIGITAL DISPLAY AD RATES

Weekly Rates	15sec	30sec	60sec
Full Screen	\$20	\$40	\$50
Banner	\$10	\$20	\$30

Digital advertisements will play
no less than 5 times a day.

PACKAGES

Starter 1/4 page colour 30 second Banner \$60	Premium 1/2 page colour 30 second Banner \$100	Starter Full page colour 30 second Banner \$140
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DISCOUNTS AND FEES:

Only one discount may be applied /order.

Band Member	-35%
Non-Profit	-10%
3 month term	-25%
6 month term	-35%
Design & Layout (additional)	\$40/hr
Flyer Insert (furnished)	\$20
Returned Cheque	\$35
Late Fee	+3%

Fees are not for profit and
help us produce this newsletter.

DEADLINES

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

DELIVERY

The 15th of each month (or closest business
day) and the last business day of each month.
Deliveries will not take place on Mondays.

CONTACT US

Have an ad or story idea?
Call 604-796-2177 ext. 5050 or email
comm@seabirdisland.ca
Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Closed on all statutory holidays.
www.seabirdisland.ca

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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 the 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.



Classifieds

OPTOMETRY CLINIC

July 4 - 6 (June clinic cancelled)

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 Maggie Pettis 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 to first.
Others seen on a first come, first serve basis.

Contact Dental Clinic 604-796-2177.

BUILDING BOOKING AND MEETING ROOMS

► **Gymnasium and boardrooms** located
within the Band Office. All requests must be
submitted using a rental form.

Contact Angie Chapman 604-796-2177.

► **Millennium Hall.**

Contact Sandra Haukeland 604-796-2177.

FIELD LIGHT BOOKING

► \$2.⁵⁰ for Band Members and

► \$8.⁵⁰ for Non-Band Members.

Contact Angie Chapman 604-796-2177.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

Would you like to help during events with
set-up, clean-up, cooking, decorating or
child minding?

Contact Angie Chapman 604-796-2177.

SIFD FIRE PRACTICE

Tuesdays 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Now recruiting new members.

Contact Fire Hall 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

BABIES ID CARDS

Apply for medical for babies as soon as
possible.

Contact Maggie Pettis 604-796-2177.

Apply for Status Cards for babies as soon as
possible.

Contact Carol Hope 604-796-2177.

GARBAGE SCHEDULE

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.

Contact Public Works 604-796-6844.

PRINTING SERVICES

Graphic Communications provides the
following paid services:

- Printing/copying services
- Status card photography
- Lamination
- Advertising and more

Contact Sandy Bobb 604-796-2177.

HAD A LOVED ONE PASS AWAY?

We can help you send a copy of the death
certificate to the First Nations Health
Authority.

Contact Maggie Pettis 604-796-2177.

FUNERAL PAMPHLETS

As per Seabird Funeral Policy, the first
100 colour and 150 grayscale 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 Member, inquire for fees.

Contact Phaine Wegener 604-796-2177.

SUNDAY MASS

Mass takes place at the Seabird Church
11 a.m. - 12 p.m. on the following dates:

Jun. 18 | Jul. 2, 16 & 30
Aug. 6 & 20 | Sept. 3 & 17 | Oct. 1 & 15
Nov. 5 & 19 | Dec. 3, 17 & 25

EMERGENCY / SECURITY

Emergency	911
Seabird Security	604-991-8635
Griffin Security	604-703-0888

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 Maggie Pettis 604-796-2177.

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 Maggie Pettis 604-796-2177.

NOTICE

**NO SOLICITING
PEDDLING
DISTRIBUTION OF
PAMPHLETS**

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

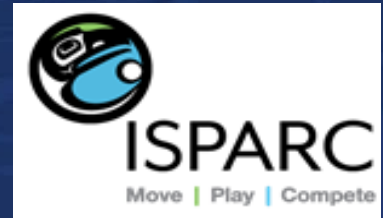
By order of Chief and Council

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.**

NCCP Baseball: Regional Trained Coaching Workshop



We are seeking BASEBALL coaches who wish to become Certified Regional Coaches. The new *Baseball Canada Regional/Provincial Coach Program* is designed to provide valuable and accessible resources and training to coaches who are working with children in the introduction to competition level baseball programs.

Saturday, June 24th 9:00AM – 5:30PM
Initiation Course (4 hours)
Half-Hour Lunch Break
Teaching and Learning Course (4 hours)

Sunday, June 25th 9:00AM – 5:30PM
Absolutes Course (4 hours)
Half-Hour Lunch Break
Planning Course (4 hours)

BASEBALL BC

Registration Cost: \$100.00

Hosted by:
Seabird Island Band
2895 Chowat Road, Agassiz

Saturday & Sunday Lunch Provided

Please Register Online by June 20th:
<https://aboriginalsportbc.wufoo.eu/forms/r72quha180yogv/>

For questions, please contact: Alana Cook acook@isparc.ca 604-807-5334





48th Annual Seabird Island First Nations Festival

KWA'S HOY, THANK YOU

TO OUR SPONSORS, VENDORS, PARTICIPANTS & GUESTS

Special thank you to Team BC, Family Travel Club, Sqeqotel, J&J Concession and Lenny's Lemonade