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Carolyn Neufeld, Seabird Health Director Says Farewell

Last full day in the office is September 3.

From September 3 - November 30 she will be available for occasional emails/phone calls/meetings.

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Coastal Fire Center Fire Ban Update

Full Fire Ban in Effect



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DATES TO REMEMBER

- Summer Program Ends August 24
- Ride to Conquer Cancer August 26
- Income Assistance day August 29

NOTICE

The next scheduled
AGM
will be held
October 24, 2018.



Early Childhood Development (ECD) team building

On July 25, 2018 during the evening after work, the ECD department got together in the Mill Hall for a Paint Night. We invited the Paint Nite company to come and help us do a painting. Artist Serena Michajluk came and helped us create our own masterpieces!

We had so much fun with tons of laughs, great music, instruction and best of all.... AMAZING results! We are very proud of

our paintings and have them displayed in the hallways of our building.

After seeing some of our pictures on Facebook, Andrea from employment contacted me about getting information about Paint Nite, and now the Employment program is thinking about doing the same thing!

Sandra Haukeland



In 2019 we will celebrate 50 years of Seabird Festival!

Over the years we have also had; Slahal, 2 Pitch, Hockey, Festival Princesses, Traditional Canoe Races, Soccer Tournaments, Cultural Performers and more!

We would like to recognize volunteers and workers from past years.

We are interested in your ideas and will be looking for volunteers to make this celebration grand.

Please join us to celebrate May 25th & 26th 2019



School Supply Allowance

School Supply Allowance Forms are available for students / parents at Seabird Island Band Reception or Seabird College Reception.

****Note: **** School Supply Allowance is only for students that:

- Reside within the Seabird Island Community (Band Member or Community Member)
- Student will be attending a school outside the Seabird Island Community

****NEW**** Student Consent to Release Information must be completed for each child that is requesting a school supply allowance. Please complete this form if you have not previously submitted one for your child.

All completed forms can be submitted for payment:

- **Seabird Island Band Reception**
- **Seabird College Reception**

Please have all forms completed and submitted by August 16.

School supply allowance cheques will be processed after August 16.

Please pick up cheques at Finance allowing 7 days to process.

Full Fire Ban in Effect!

WILDFIRE Season

Spot a fire call toll-free
1-800-663-5555
or *5555 on most
cellular networks.

Story Time in the Park

August 1

Location: Soccer field outside the Early Childhood/Daycare building

Registration: 10:30 a.m.

All families with children welcome!



Early Childhood Carnival

August 17

Location: Soccer field outside the Early Childhood/Daycare building

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

All families with children
ages 0-6 years welcome!





Farewell to Carolyn Neufeld as Seabird Health Director

Carolyn Neufeld is moving on, to become Executive Director of Aboriginal Health at Fraser Health. It has not been an easy decision, but she looks forward to doing as much for First Nations health across the Health Region as has been accomplished for Seabird and our surrounding communities. She was the first full time nurse at Seabird, and has now grown a department of more than 130 staff and programs that include the doctors' and dental clinics, community nursing, mental health, early childhood development, employment and income assistance, community services and the college. The recovery homes for people with substance use

issues, the family home for people putting the pieces back together, the early childhood development center, the health wing – these are all thanks to relationships with our partners in funding and service delivery and could not have been accomplished without a committed team effort.

What do you see for the future of Seabird? “I hope more and more people will get trained, get jobs, take on more and more things. Keep going, keep growing.

Say more about partnerships. “We need them. There are only 800 people on Seabird and to sustain any of





the services we have, you need to be servicing a bigger population. Through including other communities, we are providing 2-3 thousand people with a doctors' clinic, dentists, community health nurses, access to recovery homes... We partner with funding bodies and with other communities. ”

What appeals to you about the position at Fraser Health?
 “My position at Fraser Health might be the opportunity to bring something to the whole area, to lobby for some services that I think are missing. Fraser Health partners with First Nations Health Authority to bring needed services to communities: I hope to build three way partnerships everywhere.”

To the community Carolyne would like to say the following:
 “I thank everyone for all the good words, all the shared experiences and kindness. I appreciate so many people for the times they stayed strong when it wasn't easy to stay strong. Seabird has great strength, I see it everywhere. All some people need is to have others believe in them, help people, and put your hand out to lift people up with positive things.”

We will miss Carolyne's presence every day and look forward to her visits to Seabird in her new role as Executive Director of Aboriginal Health at Fraser Health.

Sandra Bobb





Local Forest Fire

On Wednesday August 08, 2018 at 10:30 a.m. the Agassiz Fire Department was dispatched to a grass / brush fire along the roadside of the Lougheed Hwy just west of Ruby Creek. There were multiple spot fires located along the road allegedly caused due to a mechanical problem with a vehicle travelling west on the highway. The main fire was found to be just west of the Johnson Slough rest area on the west side of the Seabird bluffs. First arriving fire crews encountered an aggressive fast moving fire that was spreading up the hillside into the forest at a rapid rate. Immediate calls went out for mutual aid fire departments from Seabird Island and Popkum Fire Departments to assist. The BC Wildfire Service (BCWS) is the lead agency on the fire and is attacking the fire with 3 helicopters, 2 air tankers

and numerous ground crews. The BCWS is back on site today working to gain control and extinguish the fire. Both the Seabird and Agassiz Fire Departments are supporting the BCWS as requested and needed.

At this time there is no danger to the Seabird Island community, although the smoke from the fire and other fires is creating poor air quality conditions in the Fraser Valley. The public is asked to stay clear of the area as it is an active fire zone with helicopters and air tankers working the fire.

Gerald Basten

Youth sports camps

All camps are free for self-identified Indigenous youth! Please check to see what attire is required and whether the camp is intended for youth ages 6-12, 13-17, or all-inclusive. Finally, please Pre-Register your youth before the event:

Indigenous Sports Day in the Forest August 14, in Maple Ridge

<https://aboriginalsportbc.wufoo.com/forms/ks3x4xi1p4ra3a/>

Lacrosse with Sts'ailes August 15, in Agassiz

<https://aboriginalsportbc.wufoo.com/forms/k1s6dfa201zjsc5/>

Lacrosse with Chilliwack Metis Association August 18 in Burnaby

Registration Link TBA (Drop-in allowed)

Ultimate Frisbee with Tzeachten First Nation August 21 in Chilliwack

<https://aboriginalsportbc.wufoo.com/forms/k1ogcnpd1t8do8e/>

Ultimate Frisbee with FRAFCA August 24, in Surrey

<https://aboriginalsportbc.wufoo.com/forms/k1nqw3jx1w44qll/>

Please note: Information about camps and other news (such as Team BC and NAIG updates) is also available on our website

<http://isparc.ca/community-sport-development/fraser/fraser-region-programs-activities-calendar/>

Chanea Gabriel

Report on the status of B.C. First Nations languages 2018

We are excited to release the third edition of the First Peoples’ Cultural Council’s [Report on the Status of B.C. First Nations Languages 2018](#). This report reveals that while the number of language learners continues to increase, there are still serious threats to language vitality with an ongoing loss of aging fluent speakers and challenges accessing language resources. While B.C. language revitalization efforts continue to face many challenges, there has also been positive progress with the development of federal language legislation, increased investment from the B.C. government, a growing interest in language revitalization, and an increasing number of people — especially young people — who are learning and speaking their languages.

2018 Current Language Status from 177 of 203 First Nations Communities in B.C.

- There are 4,132 (3%) fluent speakers in B.C.
- Fluent speakers decreased by 1,157 (4,1%) since 2014.
- 52% of fluent speakers 65+ resulting in the decline of fluent speakers.
- Younger fluent speakers (ages 0-24) increased to 117 from 54 in 2014.
- There are 13,997 (10.2%) language learners, an increase from 9.1% in 2014.
- 78.1% of learners are under the age of 25.
- 24/34 B.C. languages have been partially documented on [FirstVoices.com](#).

B.C.’s Unique Language Diversity

- B.C. has more than 50% of Canada’s First Nations Languages.
- B.C. has 34 First Nations languages with 7 distinct, unrelated language families.
- There are 93+ dialects within the languages.
- There are 3 languages once spoken that are now sleeping.
- Languages Indigenous to other parts of Canada are also spoken in B.C.

Increase in Government Support

[Truth & Reconciliation Commission’s \(TRC\) Calls to Action](#) support language rights and revitalization work.

Federal language legislation is currently in development in consultation with First Nations.

In 2018, the B.C. government made a historic investment of \$50 million, over three years, to support language revitalization efforts across the province

We are encouraged that the 2018 report points to a growth in the number of young fluent speakers and learners in the province, but also see areas where more is needed for First Nations communities in their language revitalization efforts.

It’s also important to note that this work will not happen overnight but will require stable, long-term investments in community-based revitalization programs to help turn the tide on Canada’s dark colonial history of language suppression. Increased support

is needed for immersive language programs at all age levels, for language recording and archiving, for strategic planning and for language programming in educational institutions.

As individuals, we can all consider the role we play in supporting language revitalization in B.C. by supporting language champions, requesting language programs in schools and communities, and advocating with all levels of government to support the TRC Calls to Action for language.

“Learning my language has been an amazing journey that I wouldn’t trade for any monetary value because it is priceless. My identity is slowly emerging and I’m beginning to feel whole and powerful as a woman of my Nation!”

Yvonne Joe,

Nle?kepmxcin language apprentice

For more information see the following resources:

- Link to [Report on the Status of B.C. First Nations Languages 2018](#)
- Link to [2018 Language Report Fact Sheet](#)
- Link to [Press Release](#)
- Link to [TRC Calls to Action](#)

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www.fpcc.ca

Mammogram Clinic October 11

For any women over the age of 40.

Please see Kristi McNeil or Dr.’s clinic or Maggie Pettis for registration form.

The form is to be filled and approved by the Cancer Clinic in Vancouver, prior to your appointment.



Community Events Calendar

(S) Sxexlhat	(M) Yila:welhát	(T) Sthémelts	(W) Sllh
<p>NOTE: “Some Youth events may change. For the most up to date information, contact Chanea Gabriel at 604-798-6914 or chaneagabriel@seabirdisland.ca to be part of our weekly updates.”</p>	<p>We are no longer delivering to residents homes! You may pick-up your Yoo Hoo at the Lobby of the Band Office or at the red newsletter boxes in the Community.</p> <p>Nature Friendly Option! Those who prefer to receive newsletters by email, submit requests to comm@seabirdisland.ca Listing: Name, email</p>	<p>Pre & Post Natal and Prenatal Circle Who can attend? Expecting moms, newborns up to 6 weeks, partners, support person and siblings. Open to families living on-reserve and transportation can be provided. Questions? Text or call Diana Phan at 604-765-8769 or 604-796-6858</p> <p>Bodies in Motion focuses solely on pre & post natal fitness and is free for First Nations living on-reserve.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elders Flow Class 10 a.m. • Story Time in the Park 1-3 p.m. • Prenatal Circle 1-3 p.m. • Seabird College Writers • Meals on Wheels 5-6 p.m. • Youth Éyem 13-18 yr 3-
5	6	7	8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seabird Mass 11-12 p.m. 	<p>Facilities Closed Canada Day - Stat Holiday</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lands Bannock & Tea • Dental & Doctor Walk-in Clinics 1-5 p.m. • Fitness Camp Activity Drop-in 5-6:30 p.m. • Fire Practice 7-9 p.m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prenatal Circle 1-3 p.m. • Seabird College Writers • Meals on Wheels 5-6 p.m. • Youth Éyem 13-18 yr 3-
12	13	14	15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sts'ailes Mass 11-12 p.m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elders Meeting 10 a.m. • Youth 10-12 yr 3-5 p.m. • Meals on Wheels 5-6 p.m. • Youth Baking 5-6:30 p.m. • Garbage, Recycle & Compost 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dental & Doctor Walk-in Clinics 1-5 p.m. • Fitness Camp Activity Drop-in 5-6:30 p.m. • Fire Practice 7-9 p.m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Womens Prenatal Group • Seabird College Writers • Youth Éyem 13-18 yr 3- • APALS 4:30-7:30 p.m. • Meals on Wheels 5-6 p.m. • Education Committee
19	20	21	22
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seabird Mass 11-12 p.m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth / Elders Workshop • Youth 10-12 yr 3-5 p.m. • Meals on Wheels 5-6 p.m. • Youth Baking 5-6:30 p.m. • Garbage, Recycle & Compost 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dental & Doctor Walk-in Clinics 1-5 p.m. • Chief & Council 5 p.m. • Fitness Camp Activity Drop-in 5-6:30 p.m. • Fire Practice 7-9 p.m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elders Flow Class 10 a.m. • Bodies in Motion 1-3 p.m. • Seabird College Writers • Youth Éyem 13-18 yr 3- • Meals on Wheels 5-6 p.m.
26	27	28	29
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sts'ailes Mass 11-12 p.m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth & Elders Dinner 3-5 p.m. • Meals on Wheels 5-6 p.m. • Garbage, Recycle & Compost 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dental & Doctor Walk-in Clinics 1-5 p.m. • Fitness Camp Activity Drop-in 5-6:30 p.m. • Fire Practice 7-9 p.m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Income Assistance Day • Elders Grocery Shop • Youth Éyem 13-18 yr 3- • Meals on Wheels 5-6 p.m.

Calendar – August 2018

Days	(T) Sxeó:thels	(F) Sheqá'tses	(S) T'óqw'tem
1 n. 10:30 a.m. Group 3-4 p.m. m. 5 p.m.	2 • Elders Bake Sale 9-1 p.m. • Youth 13-18 yr "Who We Are" 3-5 p.m.	3 • Youth Drop in 3-8:30 p.m. • Someone So Small	4
8 Group 3-4 p.m. m. 5 p.m.	9 • Youth 13-18 yr "Who We Are" 3-5 p.m.	10 • Resiliency Drop-In 3-8:30 p.m. • Someone So Small	11
15 p 1-3 p.m. Group 3-4 p.m. 5 p.m. m.	16 • Youth 13-18 yr "Who We Are" 3-5 p.m. • Youth Council 5-6 p.m.	17 • Early Childhood Carnival 10-2 p.m. • Youth Drop in 3-8:30 p.m. • Someone So Small	18
22 n. m. Group 3-4 p.m. 5 p.m. m.	23 • Youth 13-18 yr "Who We Are" 3-5 p.m. • Youth Council 5-6 p.m. • Prayer Circle	24 • Last Day of Summer Program • Youth Drop in 3-8:30 p.m. • Someone So Small	25
29 5 p.m. m.	30 • Elders Bake Sale 9-1 p.m. • Youth 13-18 yr "Who We Are" 3-5 p.m. • Youth Council 5-6 p.m.	31 • Youth Drop in 3-8:30 p.m. • Someone So Small	Summer Program Monday - Friday July 3 - August 24 8 - 4:00 p.m.

Housing waitlist August 2018

Please make sure the Housing Department has your current contact information. We must have a working phone number or email address.

Unfortunately, if we cannot contact you within 48 hours to offer you an available unit, we will move onto the next applicant.

Don't know your waitlist number?

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

NOTE:

Those who have outstanding debt with the Band, you will NOT be placed into a rental unit, as per housing policy.

REMINDER!

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

1 BEDROOM

1	09232016-1039
2	06152017-5001
3	11162017-6009
4	02222016-1029
5	01032018-5010
6	01032018-5011
7	01032018-5012
8	09202017-5007
9	10042017-7007
10	02102015-1014
11	01192018-5013
12	01192018-5014
13	01302018-5015
14	08242017-5006
15	03052018-5016
16	04112018-5017
17	04112018-5018
18	09272017-5008
19	04192018-5019
20	04282018-5020
21	06052018-5021

2 BEDROOM

1	07082015-1019
2	01122016-3093
3	05032016-1032
4	02032016-4003
5	07142016-1037
6	12142016-1044
7	12302016-4015
8	01252017-1046
9	06152017-5001
10	08222017-6006
11	09062017-7005
12	10042017-6008
13	10042017-7007
14	11162017-6009
15	02222016-1029
16	12122017-6010
17	12282016-2098
18	01032018-5011
19	03192013-3088
20	03152017-6000
21	08172017-6005
22	06152017-5000
23	08232017-6007
24	01222018-6011
25	01242018-6012
26	01302018-5015
27	05312016-1035
28	03122018-6014
29	04112018-7015
30	04122018-6015
31	05082018-6016
32	05162018-6017
33	06042018-6018
34	12062018-6019
35	06192018-6020
36	06272018-6021

3+ BEDROOM

1	12192012-3076
2	02082013-3084
3	07082014-3087
4	01122015-1009
5	01142015-1011
6	07082015-1019
7	01252016-4001
8	02232016-4002
9	02032016-4003
10	05032016-1032
11	07252016-4006
12	07272016-4007
13	07142016-1037
14	04282014-1031
15	12142016-4014
16	12232016-2097
17	12302016-4015
18	01192017-4016
19	09062017-7005
20	10042017-7007
21	11162017-6009
22	12122017-7009
23	12122017-7010
24	12122017-7011
25	12202017-7012
26	02022017-4019
27	01032018-6010
28	12282016-2098
29	03192013-3088
30	03152017-6000
31	08172017-6005
32	05272016-4005
33	06152017-5000
34	01162018-7013
35	08232017-6007
36	01222018-6011
37	02232018-7014
38	07292014-3090
39	08092017-6004
40	04112018-7015
41	04122018-6015
42	04232018-7016
43	04242018-7017
44	05162018-6017
45	05182018-7018
46	12062018-6019
47	06192018-6020
48	06272018-6021
49	06282018-7019



SUMMER *Team* **LEARNING**

Lalmé Iwesawtexw
Seabird Island Community School

[Water for Fish] Water Shortage Strategies for First Nations

The FNFC is encouraging communities to **be proactive and prepare to manage for low water flows connected to fisheries this summer**. In conditions of extreme water shortage due to drought or water over-allocation, the BC Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development (FLNRORD) can implement one or more temporary regulatory tools under the *Water Sustainability Act* to protect aquatic ecosystems as well as water user rights and basic household needs.

“**Fish Population Protection Orders**” temporarily give priority to fish ahead of other water uses (except for basic household indoor needs). For more info, please see the **FNFC Memo on Fish Population Protection Orders**: https://www.dropbox.com/s/cuv2u5txph3n9qe/BN_Fish%20Protection%20Orders%20under%20WSA_July%2014%202016.pdf?dl=0

“**Critical Environmental Flow Protection Orders**” determine the volume of water flow in the stream below which significant or irreversible harm to the aquatic ecosystem of the stream is likely to occur. This volume of water is known as the “critical environmental flow threshold” and takes precedence over all water use licences issued under the WSA, regardless of their precedence or when they were issued. For more info, please see the March 2017 **FNFC Memo on Environmental Flow Needs**: https://www.dropbox.com/s/dntyi0df9108x7b/BN_Eflows%20and%20Workshop_March%202%202017.pdf?dl=0

If your First Nation has concerns about impending water shortages, it is recommended to **communicate to the Regional Water Manager or Comptroller of Water Rights** within the FLNRORD as early as possible.: https://www.dropbox.com/s/f4ns95oi7umqfal/List%20of%20Water%20Comptroller%20and%20Regional%20Water%20Managers_July%202018.pdf?dl=0

During our March 2017 Water Wednesday webinar, **Charles Hunter, Director of the FLNRORD First Nations Relations Branch**, presented on the current drought situation and forecast in BC, the impacts of drought and actions that First Nation communities can take to plan, prepare and respond to drought. Charles also shared many **online resources** where First Nations can get more **information on drought conditions and management** in BC. You can access the webinar video and Charles’s PowerPoint slides: <https://www.dropbox.com/sh/qc96dl2lpnm7pioE8yWSnvBm3uYA3stAn2sva?dl=0>

As you may have noticed, the *Water for Fish* program did not run a Water Wednesday webinar in June. The summer season is always very quiet and we will hold our next one in September. Stay tuned! In the meantime, please contact me if you have any water-related questions or concerns.

First Nations Fisheries Council of BC
www.fnfisheriescouncil.ca



Seabird College Graduation Photos!



Seabird College students of the following programs:

- Adult Dogwood
- Construction Craft Worker
- Education Assistant
- Early Childhood Educator
- Health Care Assistant
- First Nations Speech and Language Assistant

Please contact Seabird College to ensure we have your current email and mailing addresses!

Graduation Photos:
Wednesday, August 22, 2018
At Seabird College
From 12 noon - 6 pm



Seabird College
Ph: 604-796-6839
E: schapman@seabirdisland.ca

Call to update
your contact
info and to
make grad
photo
appointment.



Seabird College Graduation

Date: Friday, October 26, 2018
Time: 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm approx.
Seabird Island Band Gym
Ceremony and Dinner

We will be honoring the accomplishments of our students from the following programs:

- Adult Dogwood
- Construction Craft Worker
- Early Childhood Educator
- Education Assistant
- Health Care Assistant
- First Nations Speech and Language Assistant



Seabird College
Ph: 604-796-6839
E: schapman@seabirdisland.ca

Quote of the Month

*"The Best Way
To Brighten **YOUR** Day
Is To Help
SOMEONE ELSE
Shine"*

Monthly Action Plans

Monthly action plans are due a week before of Income Assistance day. Appointments can be made with Andrea or Whyles prior to Income Assistance day to avoid waiting in line.

College students are also reminded to bring in your monthly student attendance record to your appointment.

Driving School



We are offering driving lessons. We offer the use of our vehicle for all class 7N and 5 road tests. Please call Hillary at 604-796-6865 to schedule an appointment with Jim.

Labor Pool

Labour Pool is accepting applications for casual/temporary employment. This program is in place to assist anyone in the community that would like to work on call for the Seabird Island Band. Must be 16 years+. Please stop by our office when you are interested.

Funding Packages

** When you're planning on taking training or an educational program this September please see either Andrea or Whyles regarding funding options. ** Funding requests/applications are for approved accredited educational programs. Please call to set up an appointment at 604-796-6865 to learn more.

Self-Serve Options

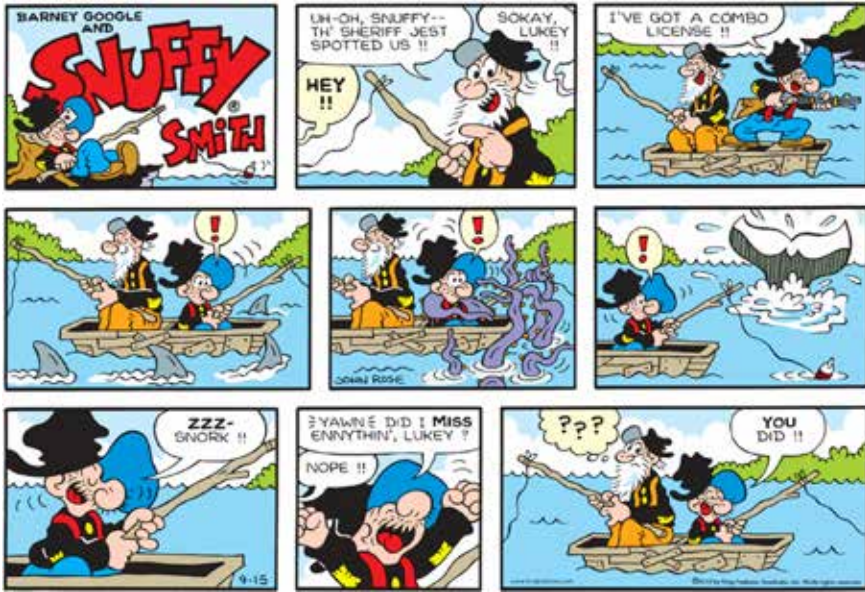
We have computers and a printer available for anyone in the community that would like to job search, create resumes or research educational programs. We are happy to assist you and offer guidance if needed.

Job Posting

Cheam View Greenhouse is looking to fill several positions for their next season. They are looking for individuals who can work independently, be punctual, reliable with reliable transportation and be able to handle heat and humidity. You will be required to pick, twist, pun and handle greenhouse equipment and need to follow a food safety program, stand for long periods and be able to lift 15 KG. No experience is necessary, 12.65 per hour Email or fax resume to 604-796-3643.

CLASSIFIEDS

Comic



Reference: <http://snuffysmithcomics.com/tag/fishing/>

August / Temtheqil
"Sockeye salmon time"



Leo

July 23 - August 23

Key characteristics: strong-minded, firm and definite, determined, empathic and loyal.

Flower: Gladiola

Birthstone: Peridot



Virgo

August 23 - September 22

Key characteristics: You are organized and very observant. You have a natural eye for detail, and can be very analytical. You love to help people.

Flower: Morning Glory

Birthstone: Amazonite



Quotes of the Month:

I fish knowing every moment on a river is a gift.

~ unknown

Conservation is a great moral issue, for it involves the patriotic duty of insuring the safety and continuance of the nation.

~ Theodore Roosevelt

Halq'eméylem Word Search

x w i w x i y ó s t l y h h y
 e q l s s y y q h e w ó l l w
 h ' x t é m : é x w l e y h e
 w é w e s s e m w ' y á e ó y
 q y l í k q é l q i x s w q q
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Words:

- Íxel – to paddle
- xwoyí:wel – Happy
- xwémxel – Pouring rain
- xwiwxiyós – wide awake
- xekw'óles – salmon backbone
- shxwt'ólestel – window shade
- shxwtí'álá – teapot
- shxwqw'élqstel – Nose-ring
- shxwqó:m – water-basket
- qíqeq'els – Policeman
- tém:éxw – Earth, Land
- cháchu – beach
- p'éwí – Flounder, Halibut
- hómò:y – shrimp
- s'oxwe – clam
- yewí:leqw – Medicine Song
- st'íwiyelh – prayer, hymn
- q'éysetsel – to make a net
- ts'eqw'ówelh – Making a cedar-root basket
- lhóqwe'ls – peel bark

by: Zorana Edwards-Shippentower

Teacher on Call

Seabird Island Community School is seeking to fill various positions for On Call Teachers. As a TOC, you will work in the absence of a regular teacher to aid students in understanding a subject matter, as well as to provide skills required for programmed lessons and purposeful training for the assigned classroom.

Music Teacher

This position involves the provision of instruction to students of Seabird Island Community School/High School and includes instruction, preparation, assessment, classroom management, professional development and school meetings, community and parental relations and adherence to all Seabird Island Community School and BC Ministry of Education policies and procedures. Music Teachers provide instruction in music performance and theory. Teachers can specialize in only one instrument or instruct on a range of different instruments.

Kindergarten Teacher

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.

Aboriginal Coordinator

Under the direction of the School Principal, this position is responsible for supporting, coordinating and contributing to education, training and services focused on Aboriginal learners, organizations and communities as well as other specific aboriginal activities. The coordinator works across the school in collaboration with Administration, parents, communities and students to promote attendance, student success, program completion and community relationships. The coordinator also has a significant role in parent engagement to foster learning approaches and outcomes reflective of School Literacy and Numeracy Programs, Aboriginal cultures and history and the Institute's program graduates' core competencies.

Grade 7 Teacher

We believe that a strong literacy and numeracy program that nurtures children's curiosity gives them the tools to successfully transition into high school from middle school. We are in search of a kind, patient, focused educator who understands student's motivations, encourages students to take calculated risks and has high expectations of our students.

School Cook

Responsible for preparing, cooking and serving food for school breakfast/lunch programs and special events organized and participated by Seabird School as instructed by the Principal / Vice Principal in accordance with current health, safety and hygiene legislation.

Halq'eméylem Teacher

Teach Halq'eméylem 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'eméylem Language and Stó:ló Culture into the curriculum while meeting the academic needs of First Nation students.

School Secretary

Typically the first point of contact for the school and is often the heartbeat of the school office. The Secretary is the person behind every schedule, meeting and file contained in the school building; and often the keeper of all pertinent information relating to the administration of the school.

Learning Assistance Teacher

We believe that all children can learn, are capable and resilient. Our Learning Assistance/Special Education teacher will have high expectations and constantly refine instructional practices to improve student outcomes. We strive to be a trauma informed school and our LA teacher is a critical part of our team helping to in an ideal position helping to create a safe, calm and loving environment within which all students can thrive.

Certified Dental Assistant

Greet and prepare patients for dental exams and procedures. The CDA will be trained to use a variety of dental equipment and they will assist the Dentist during dental and oral procedures and instruct patients on post-operative and general oral health care. This position will also be responsible for maintaining dental equipment, sterilizing instruments and ensuring necessary items are stocked and managing day-to-day office operations.

Many Voices One Mind Coordinator

A network of Aboriginal Early Childhood Development service providers from across the Fraser Region that works to achieve its vision by advancing common knowledge, shared experience and open communication amongst participating agencies across territories. Maximum of 35 hours per week, may involve days/evenings/weekends work. Must be willing to work a flexible schedule depending upon duties required.

Supported Child Development Program Consultant

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

Administrative Assistant - Pre-employment Supports Program

The Seabird Employment and Social Development Center is providing an opportunity for a Pre-employment Supports Program (PESP) Administrative Assistant. Responsibilities will include answering phones, booking appointments for clients, file management, organizing, driving school administration and other clerical duties. This position will also require the successful applicant to be able to provide exceptional client and customer service; courteous, friendly, and professional assistance to clients from a broad demographic.

Manager - Employment & Social Development

Under the direction of the Health and Social Development Director, the Employment and Social Development Manager (ESDM) will operate efficiently in accordance with the philosophies, policies and objectives established by Seabird Island Band Management. Programs (with their sub-programs) under the care and supervision of the ESDM include:

- Employment and Training Services
- Income Assistance (Basic Needs, Shelter, Special Needs, Child out of Parental Home)
- Social Development (including the Food Bank and Clothing depot)
- Seabird Island Driving School

College Administration Generalist

Under the direction of the College Registrar/Data Management, the College Administration Generalist will provide support to and back up for the College Registrar / Data Manager as well as the Receptionist / Student Support positions of Seabird College, in accordance with various funding and accreditation bodies and the philosophies, policies, and objectives established by Seabird Island Band Management.

Computer Instructor

Seabird College is seeking a qualified teacher for a fixed term to provide computer and Microsoft Office instruction to adult learners. Computer Teacher will be responsible for teaching student's computer usage and typing skills at the college. They guide and assist students in their entire learning experience, including welcoming them to the class, creating a curriculum and presenting all class information. This assignment includes developing and implementing an IT program. Successful candidate will be offered a one-year term, subject to sufficient student enrollment.

Residential Support Worker

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

HR Generalist

The Human Resources (HR) Generalist is responsible for providing front-line support to Supervisors, Managers and Employees in assigned departments/programs. These duties will typically focus around Full-cycle Recruitment, Employee Relations, Disability/WSBC Case Management, Training/Development, Performance/Attendance Management and Administration. The Generalist will also be expected to provide administrative support to the HR Manager and the HR program as a whole

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, filling, record keeping, report preparation, scheduling and data entry.

Health Director

Under the direction and supervision of the CAO, the Health Director shall provide leadership and management expertise, in accordance with Band policies. The Health Director is responsible for leadership, development and implementation of strategic and operational projects(s) and efficient, effective and productive operation of the overall Health Department.

The Director is responsible for providing direction and supervision to programs like the Doctors Office, Dental Office, Community Health Services, Child and Family Services and Mental Health. The Director will ensure that all services provided meet the licensing needs and are consistent with Health Canada and similar organizations requirements. The Director will ensure that all communities have access to efficient and quality health services. The position requires substantial operational and planning oversight as well as planning and health service delivery across all Communities.

Peer House Leader

The A:yelxw Peer House Leader (APHL) will operate efficiently in accordance with the philosophies, policies, and objectives established by Seabird Island Band and within the specifications and regulations of the Community Care Facility Act. COMMUNITY IN-HOUSE POSTING.

General Applications

While uploading your resume, mention the position you are interested in, next to your name. If you don't see a job opening matching your profile on our website then you can apply under the General Applications Category.

Please ensure you have received confirmation for your online submission.

Job postings are also available at the Band Office and the Employment Office. If you have not received confirmation, email: humanresources@seabirdisland.ca.

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

We thank all applicants for their interest.

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:	Grey-scale:
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

.40¢ per word \$4.00 Minimum

DIGITAL DISPLAY (TV) AD RATES

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

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

PACKAGES

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

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.

AVAILABILITY

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

CONTACT US

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

Advertising sales and design:
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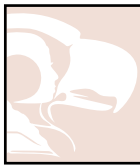
AGREEMENT/LEGAL

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 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

Book now for the next clinic dates:
TBA

Recommended annual checkups for
children under the age of 19 and every
2 years for ages 19-64.

Elders 65+ can be seen annually.

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

Contact Maggie Pettis 604-796-2177.

BABIES ID CARDS

Apply for a medical care card as soon
as possible.

Contact Maggie Pettis 604-796-2177.

Apply for Status Cards as soon as possible.

Contact Carol Hope 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 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 first.
Others seen on a first come, first serve basis.

Contact the Dental Clinic 604-796-6853.

BUILDING BOOKING AND MEETING ROOMS

To book the Band Office gymnasium,
boardrooms and Millennium Hall, please
complete a Rental Form. Forms are available
at the Office.

Contact Chanea Gabriel 604-796-2177.

FIELD LIGHT BOOKING

► \$2.⁵⁰ for Band Members and

► \$8.⁵⁰ for Non-Band Members.

Contact Chanea Gabriel 604-796-2177.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

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

Contact Chanea Gabriel 604-796-2177.

SIFD FIRE PRACTICE

Tuesdays 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Now recruiting new members.

Contact the 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.bcayukonaa.org

GARBAGE SCHEDULE

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

MAJOR GARBAGE: 1st Wednesday of each
month, by request.

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

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

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.

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 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 Sandy Bobb or Kristy Johnson
at 604-796-2177.

SEABIRD CHURCH

Mass: August 5 and 19
11 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Prayer Circle: August 23

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

EMERGENCY / SECURITY

EMERGENCY 911
GRIFFIN SECURITY 604-703-0888

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.**

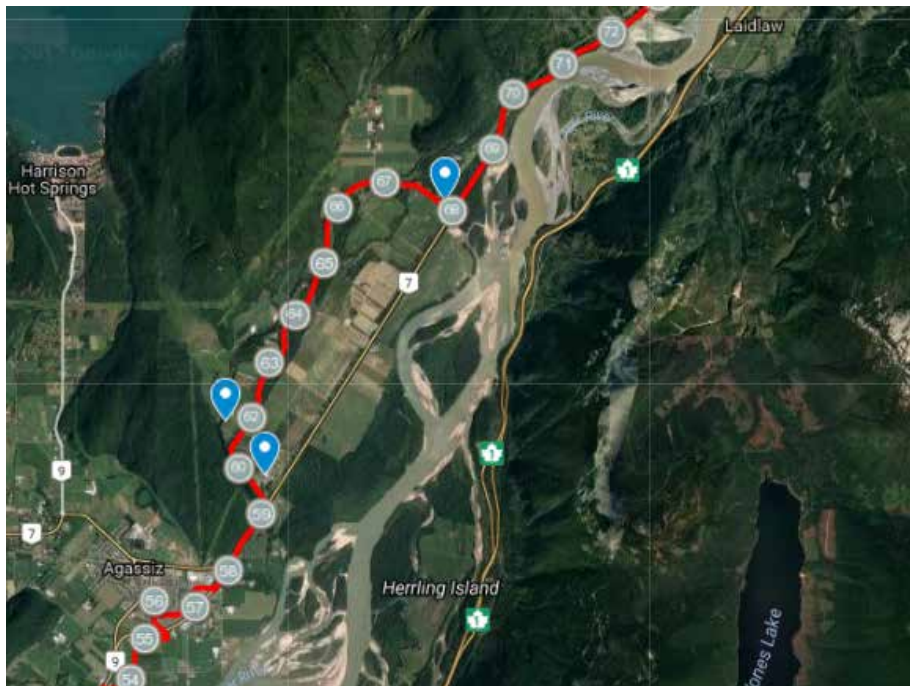
BE THE RIDE



The Ride to Conquer Cancer Presented by Wheaton Precious Metals benefiting BC Cancer Foundation turns 10 in 2018. The last decade has seen many cancer care breakthroughs and countless lives saved, which are successes that impact all British Columbians!

The ride has about 2000 riders, cycling about 100km each day all raising over \$2500 each. Since 2009, the Ride to Conquer Cancer has raised over \$85 million for the BC Cancer Foundation.

This year, the event is following an all-new route through the Fraser Valley and will be coming through Seabird Island on August 26, 2018 with a lunch stop at the Seabird Island Community School.



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