

# Newsletter

Aug 2020

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**TO SUBMIT TO NEWSLETTER**

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# August

## Garbage Days

Mondays and Fridays  
O&M will also pick up garbage  
on recycling days

## Recycle Days

First and third Wednesday  
of the month



*T'it'q'et*

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## Communities of the St'at'imc

July 24, 2020

Fishing on T'it'q'et Fishing Grounds. There will not be an opening for fishing for the 2020 Season. This decision is based on the state of Fraser River fishery (extremely low stocks), community conservation values, and the COVID-19 State of Emergency in effect within the T'it'q'et community.

Should stocks return at a much higher rate, this decision may be revisited.

We appreciate your cooperation and understanding.

T'it'q'et Community

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3 Stat. Holiday- No garbage pickup	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15 Drive-Thru BBQ (see page 21 for more info)
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2	3	4	5





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# P'egp'ig7lha Council

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## SAVONA SPECIALTY PLYWOOD - LILLOOET DIVISION

*Savona Specialty Plywood, Lillooet Division is a producer of high quality veneers for our specialty plywood operation. With quality fir veneer produced in our veneer plant, Savona Specialty Plywood is committed to producing panel products exceeding our customers' expectations.*

### CASUAL CLERICAL SUPPORT CLERK

We have an immediate opening for a capable and enthusiastic individual to join our team. The casual Clerical Support clerk will have a variety of duties in all departments including general filing and data input.

The successful candidate will have a minimum of five years office experience. Attention to detail and the ability to maintain accuracy while maintaining a fast steady work pace is essential. They will have excellent communication and organizational skills and possess the ability to work both independently and within a team environment. Strong computer skills are required.

Interested candidates are encouraged to submit a covering letter and resume along with internal application outlining their experience and qualifications by August 21st, 2020.

Internal applications can be picked up at the following address below or downloaded from our web site: Savona Specialty Plywood – Lillooet Division.

**Savona Specialty Plywood, Lillooet Division**  
**PO Box 880**  
**Lillooet, BC V0K 1V0**  
**Fax: (250) 256-5220**  
**Or email to [jobs.lillooet@apgroup.ca](mailto:jobs.lillooet@apgroup.ca)**

We thank all applicants who express interest; however only those selected for interview will be contacted.

July 24, 2020  
Tribal Chief Report  
Shelley Leech

**Treaties** –Ongoing work for the St'at'imc Chiefs Council. No new updates

**Overlapping/Shared Areas** – A letter addressed to Chief Courteney from the St'at'imc Northern Leadership was received by P'ep'ig'lha Council and will be dealt with by the PC. The letter stressed concerns about and focused on our community's FCRSA (Forest and Range Consultation and Revenue Sharing Agreement). The real issues are areas of interest and other collective nation issues.

**Transition Paper** - Shannon left a transition paper for PC to ensure operations was able to carry on the important work of the PC. An ad hoc committee was formed to begin the process of going through the document. The committee members are Sarah Moberg, Marilyn Napoleon and Myself.

**PCGAC** – The P'egp'ig'lha Council Governance Advisory Committee continues to meet. The committee members are Nora Greenway, Millee MacKenzie, Gen Humphries, and Stella Ostrander. I also sit in the meetings. The PCGAC has been dealing with the PCGAC workplan, staffing issues, land code concerns and questions and many other issues. The PCGAC will be having a 2 day retreat in August to catch up with the work. The retreat will be facilitated. There was a sub-group formed from the PCGAC to work on Fishery agreement with DFO (Department of Fisheries and Oceans). This is post exit from the Lillooet Tribal Council. The sub group members are Millee MacKenzie and Nora Greenway and I sit in the meetings as well. Currently, a proposal was presented to DFO and we are awaiting word from DFO.

**St'at'imc Chiefs Council** – The SCC Strategic Plan is still being reviewed by staff and will be presented when we can all meet as a group. Senior staff will be reviewing and editing the governance manual for presentation to the SCC when we can meet as a group. The Water Sustainability Act was discussed as well as the issue of Groundwater Licensing. It was stated that the WSA will have a direct impact on our Aboriginal Title and Rights. There was discussion on Sutikalh and a letter was to be sent to the province declaring Sutikalh as a Protected Cultural Site. There was a meeting with Shane Berg, Deputy Chief Forester, about the Timber Supply Review. It was stressed that these are higher level issues and need to be discussed at a government to government table. Shane is committed to coordinating this table.

**Reconciliation and Engagement** – This work is ongoing. The Provincial and Federal Governments have indicated a willingness to work towards a better relationship with First Nations.

**Referrals**– The Referral Committee continues to meet and go through referrals. Sid is currently organizing a committee meeting before the end of the month.

**Strategic Forest Initiative**– This project is ongoing with Sue Sengar leading the project. The committee with members Sam Copeland, Ted Napoleon, Marie Barney and sometimes Brandon Barney continue to meet to ensure completion of the project. Leslie Riley is currently working with Sue on this project.

**Grizzly Bear Business** – No new information.

# T'it'q'et Council Report

## Marilyn Napoleon, Report to Council, July 20, 2020

### 1. Personnel Committee

- a. Reviewed and revised the Lands and Natural Resources Position Description.
- b. Developed the postings, one internal and one external.
- c. Began the review and revision of the Lands and Resources Officer Position Description
- d. Reviewed and revised the interview questions for the Health Director position.

### 2. T'it'q'et Fishing Laws working group

- a. The committee obtained a copy of the position paper that had been developed by P'egg'ig'lha Council. Each committee member will be reviewing the paper to assess the relevance and whether the paper is comprehensive enough to meet the planning needs of all three councils.
- b. Discussed the development of a foundation paper based on the research being conducted by committee members. The foundation paper will inform the development of the Fishery Law that the committee has been assigned.
- c. The committee is articulating the appeal process for fishers who have had their licence revoked.
- d. The latest license application form has been sent to Mandel Pinder for legal review.
- e. The committee is recommending that if the fishery opens that the T'it'q'et Fishing Areas only be open to T'it'q'et members.
- f. Suggest that T'it'q'et promotes the concept of N'snekwnukwa7 at the fishing rocks.
- g. Nora Greenway has developed a proposal for NRT funding to assist with the law development work of the committee.

### Issue list for NTP to consider

- a. On reserve lawmaking and off reserve law making. On reserve law making is lot easier as Council has Authority under the Indian Act and under the land code and the First Nations Land Management Act to enact laws. It's off reserve title and rights that are more difficult.
- b. Conservation
- c. Increased monitors' responsibilities and training.
- d. Safety issues for monitors and fishers.
- e. Enforcement
- f. Climate change

- g. Capacity building
- h. Habitat restoration
- i. Big industry and pollution, community and municipalities' waste disposal.
- j. Farming industry and pesticides and insecticides.
- k. Plastics ending up in the ocean.
- l. Water conservation.
- m. With rights come responsibilities.
- n. Liability issues around laws and how they pertain to off reserve. Traditional fishing grounds and rights to fish.
- o. T'it'q'et roles and responsibilities regarding fish, fisheries and fish laws.
- p. These are topics for the NTP to have available in case there are calls for proposals that we receive.
- q. Also helpful for foundation document that may be developed.

## Councillor Sarah Moberg

### July 8<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>

As part of the personnel committee worked with Marilyn on the Lands and resource officer and the Lands and Natural resources Director job descriptions and the job postings for both.

### June/July

assisted with daycare since the Manager was on leave.

### July 16<sup>th</sup>

Participated in an interview for Health manager, the candidate wasn't successful. The position will be reposted.



Approved by Council  
June 8, 2020

**TIT'Q'ET ADMINISTRATION  
BUDGET  
#N/A  
FOR 2020/2021  
NOT APPROVED BY COUNCIL**

	Budget YEAR 1	Budget YEAR 2	Budget YEAR 3	Budget YEAR 4	Budget YEAR 5
<b>Revenue</b>					
Contributions - ISC	2,538,028.71	2,588,789.28	2,640,565.07	2,693,376.37	2,747,243.90
Contributions - FNHA	712,942.00	727,200.84	741,744.86	756,579.75	771,711.35
Contributions - LABRC	100,429.00	102,437.58	104,486.33	106,576.06	108,707.58
Contributions - FCRSA	354,213.25	361,297.52	368,523.47	375,893.93	383,411.81
Contributions - Prov of BC	44,665.56	45,558.87	46,470.05	47,399.45	48,347.44
Contributions - Fisheries/Other	17,500.00	17,850.00	18,207.00	18,571.14	18,942.56
Contributions - Tribal Councils	20,000.00	20,400.00	20,808.00	21,224.16	21,648.64
Contributions - Misc/Other	189,159.10	192,942.28	196,801.13	200,737.15	204,751.89
Contributions - W.O.P.	6,453.48	6,582.55	6,714.20	6,848.48	6,985.45
Investment/Interest income	60,073.19	61,274.65	62,500.15	63,750.15	65,025.15
Revenue - BC Hydro/St'at'imc Hydro	496,774.30	506,709.79	516,843.98	527,180.86	537,724.48
Revenue - Taxation/Other	93,500.00	95,370.00	97,277.40	99,222.95	101,207.41
Revenue - Permits/Licenses	40.00	40.80	41.62	42.45	43.30
Revenue - Land Lease	94.50	96.39	98.32	100.28	102.29
Rental Revenue - Band Housing	62,160.00	63,403.20	64,671.26	65,964.69	67,283.98
Rental Revenue - Community Facilities	31,500.00	32,130.00	32,772.60	33,428.05	34,096.61
Rental Revenue - Other	193,097.00	196,958.94	200,898.12	204,916.08	209,014.40
Rental Revenue - Equipment	8,400.00	8,568.00	8,739.36	8,914.15	9,092.43
Revenue - User Fees	15,000.00	15,300.00	15,606.00	15,918.12	16,236.48
Revenue - Hats/tshirts coffee/pop cale	5,600.00	5,712.00	5,826.24	5,942.76	6,061.62
Revenue - Miscellaneous	10,455.10	10,664.20	10,877.49	11,095.04	11,316.94
Revenue - Fundraising	2,500.00	2,550.00	2,601.00	2,653.02	2,706.08
Loan Proceeds	89,510.00	91,300.20	93,126.20	94,988.73	96,888.50
GST Recoveries	10,000.00	10,200.00	10,404.00	10,612.08	10,824.32
Other Recoveries	54,689.00	55,782.78	56,898.44	58,036.40	59,197.13
Admin Recoveries	212,353.59	216,600.66	220,932.68	225,351.33	229,858.36
	5,329,137.78	5,435,720.54	5,544,434.95	5,655,323.65	5,768,430.12
<b>Expenses</b>					
Salaries & Wages expense	1,481,184.63	1,510,808.32	1,541,024.49	1,571,844.98	1,603,281.88
Casual labour expense	10,000.00	10,200.00	10,404.00	10,612.08	10,824.32
Employee benefits expense	252,134.44	257,177.13	262,320.67	267,567.08	272,918.43
Honoraria	62,376.78	63,624.32	64,896.80	66,194.74	67,518.63
Honoraria - C&C	74,000.00	75,480.00	76,989.60	78,529.39	80,099.98
Advertising/Signage	2,000.00	2,040.00	2,080.80	2,122.42	2,164.86
Audit fees	20,195.00	20,598.90	21,010.88	21,431.10	21,859.72
Bank charges & interest	130,500.00	133,110.00	135,772.20	138,487.64	141,257.40
Building Materials	3,298.01	3,363.97	3,431.25	3,499.87	3,569.87
Community meetings/events/activities	30,950.00	31,569.00	32,200.38	32,844.39	33,501.28
Contracted Services	289,669.05	295,462.43	301,371.68	307,399.11	313,547.10
Communication/Distribution/Newslette	10,896.05	11,113.97	11,336.25	11,562.98	11,794.23
Consultant fees	102,653.32	104,706.39	106,800.51	108,936.52	111,115.25
Contingency	1,973.32	2,012.79	2,053.04	2,094.10	2,135.99
Courier/Postage/Freight expense	7,150.00	7,293.00	7,438.86	7,587.64	7,739.39
Culture/Elders expenses	2,500.00	2,550.00	2,601.00	2,653.02	2,706.08
Discretionary	8,000.00	8,160.00	8,323.20	8,489.66	8,659.46
Emergency expenses	11,584.66	11,816.35	12,052.68	12,293.73	12,539.61
Equipment lease	60,219.15	61,423.53	62,652.00	63,905.04	65,183.14
Fire/Security/Alarm system	22,464.00	22,913.28	23,371.55	23,838.98	24,315.76

Fuel - heating	48,029.98	48,990.58	49,970.39	50,969.80	51,989.19
Fuel - vehicles	20,054.00	20,455.08	20,864.18	21,281.47	21,707.09
GST expense	5,000.00	5,100.00	5,202.00	5,306.04	5,412.16
Insurance expense	67,931.36	69,289.99	70,675.79	72,089.30	73,531.09
Interest & bank charges expense	8,300.00	8,466.00	8,635.32	8,808.03	8,984.19
Irrigation/Landscaping expense	770.00	785.40	801.11	817.13	833.47
IT/Computer expense	25,156.00	25,659.12	26,172.30	26,695.75	27,229.66
Janitorial	69,312.00	70,698.24	72,112.20	73,554.45	75,025.54
Language/Culture expense	50,184.85	51,188.55	52,212.32	53,256.56	54,321.70
Legal fees	78,183.36	79,747.03	81,341.97	82,968.81	84,628.18
License, dues & subscriptions	2,973.72	3,033.19	3,093.86	3,155.74	3,218.85
Management/Administration fees expe	197,875.05	201,832.55	205,869.20	209,986.59	214,186.32
Materials & supplies	261,683.26	266,916.93	272,255.26	277,700.37	283,254.38
Meals/Lunches/Snacks/Catering exper	104,115.00	106,197.30	108,321.25	110,487.67	112,697.42
Miscellaneous expenses	65,599.61	66,911.60	68,249.83	69,614.83	71,007.13
Meeting expenses	68,794.30	70,170.19	71,573.59	73,005.06	74,465.16
Meeting expenses - C&C	35,000.00	35,700.00	36,414.00	37,142.28	37,885.13
Office supplies	6,042.51	6,163.36	6,286.63	6,412.36	6,540.61
Photocopying	15,500.00	15,810.00	16,126.20	16,448.72	16,777.70
Professional fees	72,026.98	73,467.52	74,936.87	76,435.61	77,964.32
Program activites	14,000.00	14,280.00	14,565.60	14,856.91	15,154.05
R&M - Community Buildings	54,080.35	55,161.96	56,265.20	57,390.50	58,538.31
R&M - Equipment	77,557.56	79,108.71	80,690.89	82,304.70	83,950.80
R&M - Vehicles	1,800.00	1,836.00	1,872.72	1,910.17	1,948.38
Rental expense - Office/Room	115,211.00	117,515.22	119,865.52	122,262.83	124,708.09
Project expense	10,000.00	10,200.00	10,404.00	10,612.08	10,824.32
Telephone, cell, internet	51,781.24	52,816.86	53,873.20	54,950.67	56,049.68
Training/Workshops expense	44,681.88	45,575.52	46,487.03	47,416.77	48,365.10
Travel	121,906.91	124,345.05	126,831.95	129,368.59	131,955.96
Utilities	81,881.46	83,519.09	85,189.47	86,893.26	88,631.13
Vehicle expense	17,670.72	18,024.13	18,384.62	18,752.31	19,127.36
Municipal expense	153,715.12	156,789.42	159,925.21	163,123.72	166,386.19
Wellness	27,000.00	27,540.00	28,090.80	28,652.62	29,225.67
Youth	5,000.00	5,100.00	5,202.00	5,306.04	5,412.16
Education program expenses	239,223.94	244,008.42	248,888.59	253,866.36	258,943.69
Health program expenses	52,863.60	53,920.87	54,999.29	56,099.28	57,221.26
Housing expenses	487,626.90	497,379.44	507,327.03	517,473.57	527,823.04
O&M expenses	66,477.00	67,806.54	69,162.67	70,545.92	71,966.84
Social Assistance program expenses	688,352.91	702,119.97	716,162.37	730,485.61	745,095.33
EOC/Fire expenses	47,594.09	48,545.97	49,516.89	50,507.23	51,517.37
Administration & Governamnce expense	10,000.00	10,200.00	10,404.00	10,612.08	10,824.32
Lands expense	20,000.00	20,400.00	20,808.00	21,224.16	21,648.64
Tools/Equipment/Furniture purchases	45,025.00	45,925.50	46,844.01	47,780.89	48,736.51
Capital acquisitions - Other	255,454.86	260,563.96	265,775.24	271,090.74	276,512.56
Loan Payments	294,586.64	300,478.37	306,487.94	312,617.70	318,870.05
Allocation to Replacement Reserve	18,000.00	18,360.00	18,727.20	19,101.74	19,483.78
	6,787,771.57	6,923,527.00	7,061,997.54	7,203,237.49	7,347,302.24
<b>Surplus (deficit) for year</b>	(1,458,633.79)	(1,487,806.47)	(1,517,562.60)	(1,547,913.85)	(1,578,872.12)
<b>Surplus (deficit) beginning of year</b>	5,653,230.14	4,297,268.54	2,914,187.71	1,503,445.26	64,487.96
<b>Transfers in/out</b>	102,672.19	104,725.63	106,820.15	108,956.55	111,135.68
<b>Ending surplus (deficit) end of year</b>	4,297,268.54	2,914,187.71	1,503,445.26	64,487.96	(1,403,248.48)



Community Support FUNDS (ISC)

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Revenue	
Contribution ISC	\$165,622.71
Expenses	
Security	\$40,170.00
Computer Purchase P’egp’ig’lha Council	\$6,156.00
Material/Supplies	\$25,000.00
Honoraria	\$6,250.00
Equipment Purchase	\$3,000.00
Meals/Snacks (Food Security)	\$75,000.00
Contracted Services	\$5,000.00
Miscellaneous	\$5,046.71
Total Expenses	\$165,622.71



Invasive plants and mussels can hitchhike on a types of boats & gear. It is important to CleanDrainDry your paddle board, canoe, kayak, fishing waders and motor boat. Inspections stations are set up in key border locations in BC to look for invasive mussels. BC has an active prevention program that involves the Conservation Officer Service and the BC Govt. If you suspect that a boat has mussels or has come from a mussel infested lake, call the RAPP Line: 1-800-952-RAPP.

# Attention

## Re: Medical Travel

Medical Travel, I would like to remind everyone, requests are to be submitted a week in advance to ensure your travel cheque is ready in time for your appointment.

Cheques can be picked up **Wednesdays** and **Fridays** after 9am.  
**A photocopy or fax of your appointment/referral:**

**HEALTH FAX # 778-784-4070**

Date, time and whose office you are going to see is required for me to submit your travel request. **It is your responsibility to provide this information to me.**

In addition, if a driver is required and/or an overnight stay is needed, *it needs to be stated on the Medical Application form.*

**Please note that it is the client's responsibility to return the confirmation card to the medical clerk in order for upcoming medical to be funded**

If a gas voucher is provided for an appointment, please remember to bring back the receipt so I can calculate if all funds were used in order to determine the proper reimbursement, this is your responsibility to submit the gas receipt to the medical clerk in order to receive the full reimbursement otherwise it may be considered fully paid out.

For T'it'q'et members the Top-Up rate has been adjusted and only one will be provided for coordinated family's appointments out of town, for Kamloops appointments the Top-Up is set at \$21.34, for Vancouver appointments the rate of Top-Up is \$26.88. As the medical travel, mileage adjusted from .20 cents to .23 cents back in October 2014.

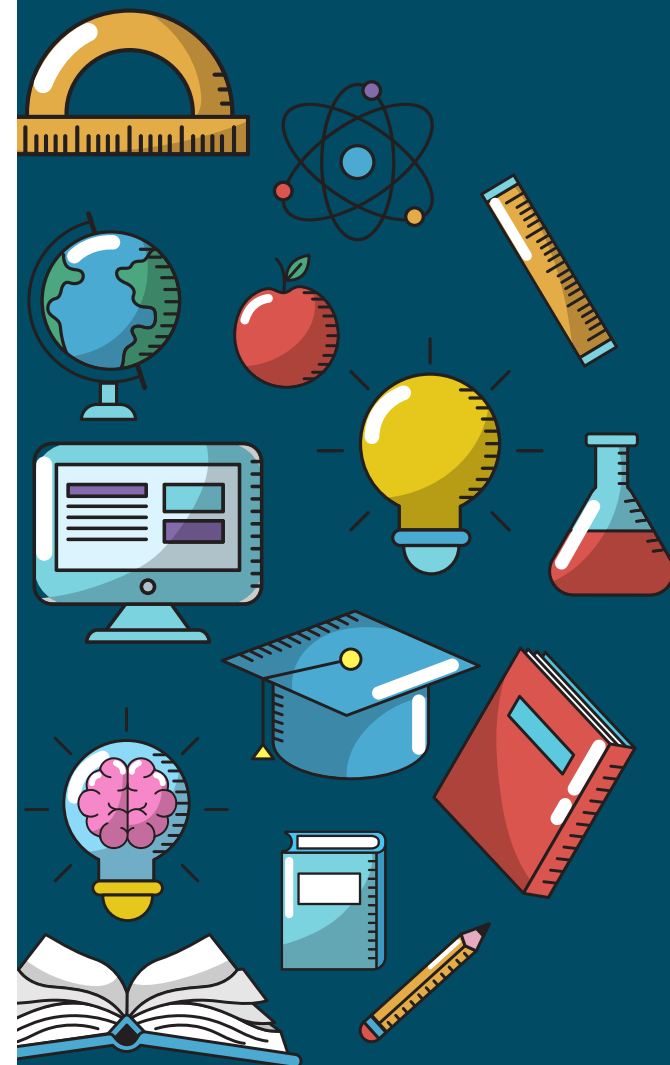
May I please remind that the First Nations Health Authority does not cover client fees for exams only medical travel, accommodations, and meal allowances for the client and the medical escort if required. There is a \$10.00 meal allowance provided to all same day trips out of town

Questions or concerns, please contact me

Nicole Napoleon  
T'it'q'et Medical Clerk  
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# Post-Secondary Student Support Program

## Funding for First Nation Students



### Who's Eligible?

Students who are:

- Registered Status Indians
- Do not have band membership
- BC residents



### How to Apply

Go to:

[bcaafc.com/education/PSSSP](http://bcaafc.com/education/PSSSP)

Send complete  
application to:

[education@bcaafc.com](mailto:education@bcaafc.com)

**Apply by July 31, 2020  
for the Fall Semester**







## INVASIVE PLANT WARNING: WILD PARSNIP

**Name:** Wild Parsnip (*Pastina sativa* L.). Also known as poison parsnip.

**Description:** Part of the carrot family. Grows up to 1.5m (5ft) tall. Clusters of yellow flowers up to 20cm across in an umbrella shape. Leaves are 2-5 pairs of leaflets across from each other on the stem with a diamond shaped leaf at the end. Leaflets are toothed and often shaped like a mitten. It flowered in mid to early July on the site.

**How does it spread?** It is a biennial or short-lived perennial that spreads primarily by seed but can re-sprout vegetatively as well.

**Infestation Location:** The P'egp'ig'lha Guardian Crew and LRISS found the only known Wild Parsnip infestation in the Lillooet Region. It was found at the T'it'q'et Wetlands in the fall of 2019.

**WARNING:** This plant has a toxic sap that can cause burns, rashes & blisters to the skin when exposed to sunlight.

**Where does it come from?** It was brought to North America by Europeans originally as a domesticated plant to eat the root and spread.

**REPORT ALL INFESTATIONS:** LRISS & T'it'q'et are working together to keep the community safe and address the options to manage the infestation. For more information, contact LRISS at 250-256-4292.

Photos by Jacquie Rasmussen: LtoR-Adult plant, roots, leaves and flowers.



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## JORDAN'S PRINCIPLE

ENSURING FIRST NATIONS CHILDREN HAVE  
ACCESS TO THE SERVICES THEY NEED

Is a First Nations child you know getting the services they need?

**JORDAN'S PRINCIPLE** supports substantive equality for First Nations children when accessing government services, such as:

- Education
- Medical equipment
- Mental health
- Speech therapy

...and more

First Nations children living on and off reserve are eligible.

Service coordinators are available to ensure children have access to the services they need without delay.

Families are encouraged to contact us if they have questions or new information about any submitted or denied request under Jordan's Principle since 2007.

Phone **1-855-JP CHILD (1-855-572-4453)**

TTY **1-866-553-0554**

Visit **[www.canada.ca/jordans-principle](http://www.canada.ca/jordans-principle)**





# T'it'q'et Administration

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Please Note: Will not be paid unless ALL areas are completed.

## T'it'q'et Education School Supply List Form

10 digit Status Number.	Name of Student	Birthdate			Grade	School
		Yr	Mon	Day		

Parent or Guardian (Please Print)

Name

Address

Phone #

Signature

CERTIFIED CORRECT  
for the School term  
2020/21

Local Education Agreement  
Sek'wel'wás, T'it'q'et, Ts'kw'aylaxw, Xaxli'p

May 2018  
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## APPENDIX "A" LOCAL EDUCATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN:

Sek'wel'wás (Cayoose Creek), Xaxli'p (Fountain), T'it'q'et (Lillooet) and Ts'kw'aylaxw (Pavilion)  
and  
School District No. 74 (Gold Trail)

## AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE INFORMATION

Dear Parents/Guardian:

By completing this form you are enabling information to be shared between your child, yourself, school administrators and your child's teachers, and your education coordinator. The intent in sharing this information is to make certain that all measures are taken to ensure your child has the best chance to succeed in the school environment. Information shared is considered confidential.

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WHEREAS this authorization is to be used in conjunction with the Local Education Agreement (the "LEA") with the \_\_\_\_\_ Council and is intended to facilitate communications and information sharing between the student, parent/guardian, school administrators and teachers, and the education coordinator.

AND WHEREAS this authorization is further intended to assist all aforementioned parties with addressing the educational and social needs of students covered by the LEA.

THE TERM of this authorization is for the \_\_\_\_\_ school year.

Student Name:			
Address:			
Phone No.:		Message #: Or E-mail	

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In addition to myself, I, the Parent/Guardian of the above named student hereby authorize \_\_\_\_\_ School, being a school within School District No. 74, to release information pertaining to: report cards, progress reports, attendance records, any social concerns regarding the above named student that may be affecting that student's success at school, and any further information required in the LEA to (please check those that apply):  
\_\_\_\_\_ the Education Coordinator.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date



# Virtual Wellbriety Support Group

Open Daily Zoom Meetings

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND**

**Every Day, Monday to Friday**

**1:00 pm to 3:00 pm Pacific Daylight Time**

*Join by clicking this link or copy and paste the link into  
a web browser <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84428458473>*

**Dial in option: 1-778-907-2071**

**Meeting ID: 844 2845 8473**

*For more information contact:*

**Dave Manuel, TteS Wellness Counsellor  
250-372-5030 [dave.manuel@kib.ca](mailto:dave.manuel@kib.ca)**

**Me7 knucwentwécw-kp (help one another)**

**Me7 yegwyúgwt-k ell me7 yegwyúgwt ke7 pús-men  
(Keep healthy and strong in body and mind)**

## **T'ÍT'Q'ET LANDS**

### **Newsletter**

August 2020

The T'ít'q'etmec Xékmens ta Tmícwa Lands Committee looks forward to engaging the membership on various issues when the pandemic restrictions are lifted:

- **Lands Committee**  
Will work with the P'egp'ig'lha Governance Advisory Committee and the Nxe kmens ku Tsuqwaz'am Pal7usm (Group That Makes Fishing Laws) on the selection process for a facilitator. This person will help the community work towards law development.
- **Lands Administration**  
The position for Lands and Natural Resources Director has been advertised
- **Land Code**  
There will be a file created to track changes to the land code. It will reference the date the BCR was signed that approved the changes, the page #, section # and new text.
- **Mapping**  
Lands Officer's contact from Natural Resources Canada has provided links to the Canada Lands Survey System website. There will be a map created for each of the reserves that describes all the lands held by members with Certificates of Possession. This will help guide future development.
- **Other Issues Raised**  
The proposal for matrimonial real property has been revised. It is awaiting comment from the Centre of Excellence for Matrimonial Real Property.



This note is to help remind the members of the purpose of our Lands Committee and their role in advising T’it’q’et Council in lands matters pertaining to our reserves.  
This is taken from page 29 of the land code:

1. Section The Lands Committee is hereby established for the following purposes:

- a. assist Council with the development of the Land administration system;
- b. advise Council and its staff on matters respecting T’it’q’et Land;
- c. recommend Land laws, resolutions, policies and practices respecting T’it’q’et Land to Council;
- d. consult with Members and non-Members on T’it’q’et Land issues, and make recommendations on the resolution of those issues to Council;
- e. oversee community meetings of Members, community approvals and ratification votes; and
- f. perform such other duties as may be delegated or assigned by Council resolution or a Land law under this Land Code.

Process to  
Implement Land laws

23.2 The Lands Committee shall, within a reasonable time after this Land Code takes effect, recommend to Council a community process to develop and implement Land laws.

Internal procedures

23.3 The Lands Committee may establish rules for the procedure at its meetings and generally for the conduct of its affairs, not inconsistent with those established by Council.  
Law Development List of Priorities

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This list was made up from comments provide by members from a Feb 9/20 Workshop at the P’egp’ig’lha Community Centre. We will be working on law development this fall when the community is able to meet in person again.

Round table: What are your top 3 laws that you would like to see as a priority.

- Law making law.
- Water law.
- 7 generation law.
- We are one. Interconnectedness of all.
- St’at’imcets law. Language law.
- Traditional practices law, on the land.
- Environmental law.
- Current bylaws can be turned into laws.
- P’egp’ig’lha Fishing law.
- Zoning law. Related to PDP; preserving agricultural land.
- Separation of powers of our government law.
- Use the Constitution in a lot of our law making development.



DRIVE-THRU  
Barbecue

Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup>

Just drive through PCC Parking lot starting on the right and you will be given food to take home and enjoy.

To ensure that everyone is safe and is practising physical distancing we are serving members by <u>location</u> .	
We ask that you please be respectful of each time slot:	
11:00am	Mntn. Jenny
11:45am	Scotchman Road
12:30am	Main– Including: Felix, Napoleon, and Paul Street.
1:15pm	Texas Creek, and Six Mile

A Prize will be given to each family household as usual.

Please help elders and neighbours who do not have a vehicle to join in annual band BBQ

For more information contact:  
Shawna Riley (250) 256-4118 EXT 229



T'it'q'et

P.O. Box 615  
Lillooet, B.C.  
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phone (250) 256 4118  
fax (250) 256 4544

## **Job Posting**

T'it'q'et Administration is seeking qualified applicants for 4 positions.

### **(1) Supervisor – for Fisheries Technicians – ASAP**

### **(3) Fisheries Technicians – possible start date of August 7, 2020**

Responsibilities include (but not limited to the following):

- Patrol the Traditional Fishing stations
- Ensure Laws Governing our fishing stations and ensure fishing governing laws and council decisions are followed
- Maintain a daily log of duties and submit promptly on a regular basis
- Check in with receptionist about fishing licenses daily
- Check in with Administration about D.F.O. Fishing Dates and times
- Assist in the development of a plan for the maintenance of grounds
- Assist in the development of all garbage and development of a plan to reduce waste.
- Maintain physical distancing due to Covid-19.

Qualifications:

- Grade 12 or equivalent
- Willing to learn Department of Fisheries and Oceans Regulations
- Knowledge of St'at'imc Traditional Fishing Grounds
- Ability to work as a Team Member
- Ability to work independently
- Maintain flexible hours
- Must have transportation and a valid BC Drivers License
- Excellent communication skills

Deadline to submit resume and cover letter to the above address is Friday, August 7, 2020 @ 2pm.



## **Kanukwa7staliha Family Services**

## **Aboriginal Children & Teens in Need of Care**

Research and experience indicates that children who grow up connected to their culture do better. Aboriginal children and teens feel more at home when they live with a family that helps them stay in touch with their culture and community.

**If you're (19+ years old)**, consider sharing your home and life with a child in need and apply to be a foster caregiver. You don't have to be married, be a parent, own a home, or have lots of money.

**If you're thinking about fostering a child or teen**, take time to consider these points:

- Is each member of your family willing to share their home?
- Are you willing to discuss with your family how their lives will be affected?
- Do you have the time to provide care and attention for a child or teen, their family and others on their care team?
- Are you in good enough physical and mental health to cope with the added stress?
- Do you have patience, imagination and a sense of humour?

For the majority of children, separation from their families is a difficult experience. Children need encouragement and support to heal and grow. They will not forget their own family and will want to stay in touch with them – caregivers need to support and help strengthen their family relationships.



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**ROSALINDE NARCISSE, FAMILY  
FIND WORKER**

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Xaxli'p / Xwisten / Tsal'alh / T'it'q'et / Ts'kw'aylaxw / Sekw'el'was



# ST'ÁT'IMC OUTREACH HEALTH SERVICES

## LILLOOET TRIBAL COUNCIL

PO Box 1420 | 650 Industrial Place | Lillooet, BC V0K 1V0

**Phone:**(250) 256-7530 | **Fax:** (250) 256-7535

statimchealth.net

## HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday – Friday

8am – 5pm (closed for lunch from Noon–1pm)

Closed on Statutory Holidays

## URGENT or CRISIS LINE PHONE NUMBERS

### Mental Health and Addiction Services:

Lillooet Hospital and Health Centre, 951 Murray Street, Lillooet, BC

- Health Centre, Intake and Urgent Response, Monday to Friday, 8:30–4:30pm, 250-256-1343
- **Lillooet Hospital, 24 Hour Emergency, 250-256-4233**

Ministry of Children & Family Development, 514 Main St., Monday-Friday, 9:00-4:00, 250-256-2710

### Crisis and Health Lines – Toll Free:

- Kuu-us Crisis Line, Provincial Aboriginal Crisis Line 24/7.....1-800-588-8717
- Native Youth Crisis Hotline, 24/7, Canada & USA.....1-877-209-1266
- Interior Crisis Line.....1-888-353-2273
- Crisis Intervention & Suicide Prevention, 24/7.....1-800-784-2433
- Adult & Youth Distress Line.....1-866-661-3311
- Alcohol & Drug options for treatment.....1-800-663-1441
- Kids Help Line, for children & youth,24/7, phone.....1-800-668-6868  
or by text, CONNECT 686868
- BC Nurses Line, Health questions.....811
- Indian Residential School Crisis Line, 24/7.....1-866-925-4419
- VictimLINK, 24 Hour help & Information.....1-800-563-0808
- Kamloops Sexual Assault Counselling Centre.....250-372-0179  
or ksacc@ksacc.ca
- Women's Emergency Shelter.....250-455-2284  
or toll free 1-800-318-4455

**Emergency – Call 911 in service area**

or

**Stl'atl'imx Tribal Police** – 250-256-7767

**RCMP** – 250-256-4244

**Ambulance** – 250-256-7111

## Mental Wellness Councillors

### Lorrinda Casper

Youth Mental Health Clinician,  
St'át'imc Health Outreach Services

Office: (250) 256-7530 ext.206

Cell: (778) 209-7055

lcasper@statimchealth.net

### Joanne Warren SSW, BA, MLIS, MACP, RCC

Askom Counselling

Office: (250) 256-4906

Toll free: 1 (866) 884-5990

counsellor@askomcounselling.org

### Ricardo Pickering

St'át'imc Health Outreach Services

Cell: (250) 842-8552

rpickering@statimchealth.net

### Matilda Brown

Addictions Worker

Office: (250) 256-7530 ext.209

mbrown@statimchealth.net

### Yolanda Hall MSW, RCSW

Private Clinician/ Counsellor

Lillooet (Mondays and some Tuesday afternoon)

Office: 1 (866) 414-2300

yjhall@telus.net

## Victim Services

### Gloria Joseph

Victim Services

Lillooet Friendship Centre

Office: 250-256-4146

stv@lfcs.ca

### Violet Dunn

Victim Services/Stop the Violence/

SAFE Home Program

Lillooet Friendship Centre

Office: 250-256-4146

stv@lfcs.ca

# August 2020 Horoscopes



### Leo (Jun 23–Aug 22)

Everything ends, cycles change, and there’s a natural ebb and flow to everything. We can’t deny this truth. The World is the final card of the tarot, and it shows up when we’re about to move on and begin a fresh challenge. Something is drawing to a close, Leo, and you must let this process unfold. It’s simply preparing you for what’s next!

### Virgo (Aug 23–Sept 22)

You have higher levels of commitment and persistence than most people, Virgo, but sometimes this does you no favors. The Seven of Coins reveals you’ve been digging your heels in, carrying on with something even though you know, deep down, it’s past its sell-by date. Be honest: why are you continuing to invest in this role, relationship, or obligation? It’s time to re-assess and move on. Let go of that which no longer serves you.

### Cancer (Jun 21–Jul 22)

Keep in touch with your network, both personally and professionally. The Three of Wands shows there is opportunity to be had, even now. You are a welcome presence wherever you go: funny, empathetic, charming, creative. So, share the love. Shake the tree. Reconnect with old col-



leagues. Stay close to current ones. Spruce up your professional online presence. Be a beacon, and who knows what might come your way. Good things, that’s for sure!

### Aries (Mar 21–Apr 19)

Competition brings out the best in you, Aries. That’s good, because the Seven of Wands sees you in the middle of something this week, fighting for your spot and loving it! Spoiler alert: You’re going to win, and it’s going to feel all the more satisfying because you had to work it. So go ahead, show them who’s boss.

### Taurus (Apr 20–May 20)

The King of Wands shows that you could use a change of scenery. Maybe this hints at a literal change of location, maybe you’re outgrowing your current role or job, or maybe a friendship or relationship has become too constricting. Whatever it is, make a move this week. Feel the inspiration and energy of finding something new. This is good fortune.

### Gemini (May 21–June 20)

New beginnings! The Fool is the first card of the tarot; it’s the patron saint of fresh starts, ones that are inspiring and optimis-

tic, even silly and frivolous. You love having fun, so let your instincts lead you. Start a new project, friendship, or endeavor that lets you try something totally different—and enjoy yourself.

### Cancer (Jun 21–Jul 22)

Money is more than a means to an end for you, Cancer. It represents security and safety, which you crave. The King of Coins sees you enjoying your well-earned cash this week, feeling on top of your financial flow. It feels good to be in control—it makes you feel grounded and strong. Better yet, it enables you to start planning for the future, giving you a safety net that makes you feel braver about where you’re heading.

### Libra (Sept 23–Oct 20)

Getting things done takes a lot of energy, and different types of energy (think courage, resilience, insight, wisdom, and forcefulness). Strength is a beautiful tarot card that reveals you’ve passed all of the recent tests with flying colors. You got things done, and learned a lot in the process. You’ve grown stronger and wiser, and now you’re ready to handle anything that comes your way. Feel proud of yourself, Libra.

### Scorpio (Oct 23–Nov 21)

Love is in the air, and you’re in the mood, Scorpio! The Knight of Cups shows there’s a big new romance on the cards for you in the week ahead. It could be a brief encounter with a super-sexy water sign (Pisces, Cancer, or a fellow Scorpio) with whom you experience instant chemistry. It could be an invigorated sense of passion with your current partner, ignited by a very intense date night. Either way, get ready to be swept off your feet!

### Sagittarius (Nov 22–Dec 21)

Something has you looking backwards, dwelling on an old wound and picking at a scab. It does you no good, you know. This event is long over, and these echoes just you feel a sadness that isn’t really justified. The Five of Cups sweeps in to distract you and make you look ahead (not back). Your future is bright, Sagittarius, and whatever was lost will be replaced with something better. Move forward with hope, and leave this old wound behind.

### Capricorn (Dec 22–Jan 19)

There’s something you don’t know that you need to know, and you shouldn’t make any significant or life-changing decisions until you’ve done more homework, Cap.

The Moon is a mysterious card, signifying secrets and illusions. It’s a warning to stay put, ask questions, and find out what it is you’re missing. There’s important information that you need to uncover. Put your detective cap on and ask the right questions of the right people. Investigate!

### Aquarius (Jan 20–Feb 18)

You’re feeling on top of your game this week, Aquarius, and the Queen of Swords is backing your every move. Put your own agenda first and make some bold moves as you pursue your goals. The wind is in your sails, and the stars are aligning. Take advantage of this positive energy and make progress where it counts.

### Pisces (Feb 19–Mar 20)

Early on this week, something will pop up (something that’s bugged you before) and make you groan. It’s an old issue that keeps re-surfacing, and you’re sick and tired of it. Now Pisces, don’t stress out—the Nine of Wands shows there’s an opportunity to end this problem once and for all. So dig in and get this resolved. It’s going to be easier than you think (because you’ve already had so many tries at it). One last push, and this can be done for good. Finally!



## September 2020 Newsletter Submission Deadline Friday, August 28<sup>th</sup> at Noon

*anything submitted outside of this date will not be included in the newsletter*

Want to submit to the newsletter? Please email us at [reception@titqet.org](mailto:reception@titqet.org)

(PDF or Word documents are preferred)





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**(250) 256-7767**

**RCMP**  
**(250) 256-4244**

**FIRE DEPT.**  
**(250) 256-4225**

**AMBULANCE**  
**(250) 256-7111**

**POISON CONTROL**  
**1 (800) 567-8911**

**REPORT WILDFIRE**  
**1 (800) 663-5555**



\*Please post where visible in case of emergency

**EMERGENCY CONTACTS**