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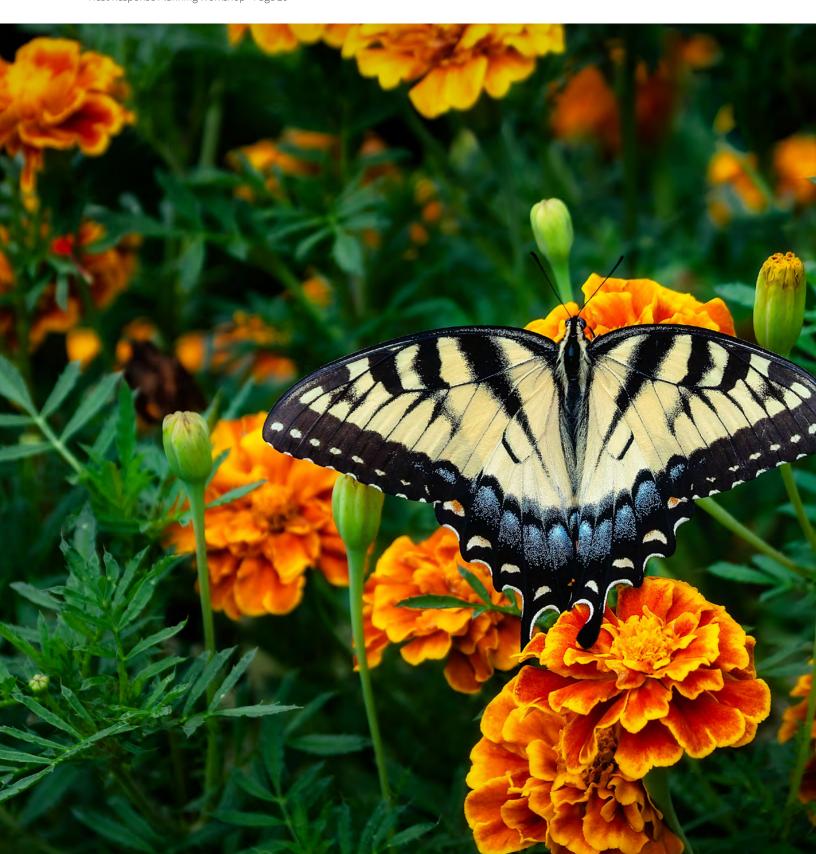
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TO SUBMIT TO NEWSLETTER

Please email us at: reception@titqet.org details on page 45





Garbage Days Mondays and Fridays

Recycle Days

Recycling will be once a week

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RECYCLE DAYS:

May 4-Plastics
May 11-Glass
May 18-Tins
May 25-Cardboard/Paper

O&M picks garbage up on Mondays and Fridays. Wednesdays they pick up recycling. On recycling days, the garbage will be picked up as well for now.

Animals are getting into garbage, if an animal gets into your garbage it is your responsibility to pick it up.

Please do not throw food waste outside your home, throw it in the garbage. This will help from animals going into your yard, and mice trying to find a way into your home.

Thank you, Housing.



Tit'q'et Administration

P.O. Box 615 Lillooet, B.C. Vo.K 1Vo phone (250) 256 4118 fax (250) 256 4544 www.titget.org

T'it'q'et Community/Members:

There have been many vehicles parked on the side of the road on Scotchman Road. This is a safety hazard.

Please park your vehicles in your driveway so other vehicles can use the road safely.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation,

Kassandra Doss Housing Coordinator 250-256-4118 ext. 240



P'egp'ig'lha Councíl

P.O. Box 615 Líllooet, B.C. VoK i Vo phone (250) 256 4118 fax (250) 256 4544

Job title: Director of Operations

Organization: P'egp'íg'lha Council

Term: Full-time, permanent

Salary: \$69,160/year + benefits; negotiable based on education and experience.

The P'egp'íg'lha Council (PC) is seeking a full-time, permanent Director of Operations to supervise the daily operations of the PC and support the PC's governance responsibilities. The Director of Operations is responsible for ensuring that operations further the mandate of the P'egp'íg'lha Council (PC); initiating and setting goals for programs according to the strategic objectives of the organization; planning programs from start to completion involving deadlines, milestones, and processes; and developing and/or approving budgets among other duties.

Roles & Responsibilities:

- advance PC's Title and Rights, Lands and Resources in PC planning and decision making
- advise on meeting the needs of the PC through partnership and teamwork
- provide support for the PC to identify and expand opportunities for government-togovernment relations and partnerships
- liaise and collaborate with First Nations organizations, agencies, and governments
- promote opportunities for collaboration among governments, proponents, and business on protection on natural and cultural resources in the territory
- promote the inclusion of P'egp'íg'lha voice in decision-making at all levels of government and with business affecting the territory
- oversee operations and operations staff, training, and staff events
- coordinate meetings for council and committees
- lead the development and implementation of the PC strategic plan
- assess and report progress in meeting PC and operations objectives
- participate in budget development and monitoring of expenses
- generate reports for the PC and the PC Chairperson as needed

Qualifications:

- 3+ years experience in management position
- Excellent organizational and leadership abilities
- Outstanding communication and people skills
- Familiarity with MS Office
- Post-secondary degree, diploma or equivalent in administration or relevant field



P'egp'ig'lha Council

P.O. Box 615 Líllooet, B.C. Vo.K i Vo

phone (250) 256 4118 fax (250) 256 4544

• Familiarity with natural resource management and Indigenous Title and Rights issues is an asset.

Conditions of Employment:

- Valid Class 5 Drivers License
- Subject to Criminal Records Check

Posted: April 11, 2022

Application Deadline: open until filled.

Preference will be given to qualified applicants of St'át'imc or Indigenous Ancestry.

Please submit resume, cover letter, and 2 references with contact information to the Attention of: Director of Operations by one of the following:

Email: <u>director@pegpiglha.org</u>

Office Location: 10 Scotchman Rd. Lillooet, BC

Job title: Administrative Assistant

Organization: P'egp'íg'lha Council

Term: Full-time, permanent

Salary: \$37,310/year + benefits; negotiable based on education and experience.

The P'egp'íg'lha Council (PC) is seeking a full-time, permanent Administrative Assistant to support the daily operations of the PC and the PC's governance responsibilities. The Administrative Assistant will provide administrative support to staff and council members as directed. The Administrative Assistant will support the Director of Operations in office management responsibilities and duties.

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Manage digital and paper filing system.
- Assist in the coordination of meetings.
- Draft meeting reports and related documents.
- Ensure office rules/protocols are followed.
- Order and maintain office equipment.
- Assist in day-to-day communications.
- Provide administrative support to projects as necessary.
- Assist in financial management activities.
- Record minutes at meetings as directed.
- Monitor and update council social media accounts and website.
- Perform other administrative duties and responsibilities as necessary.

Qualifications:

- Proficient writing skills.
- Basic Microsoft Office skills (word, excel, publisher).
- Basic research skills.
- Excellent public relation, interpersonal and communication skills.
- Demonstrate organizational skills, accuracy and attention to detail.
- Ability to work independently.
- Basic data entry skills.
- Experience in minute taking.
- Basic knowledge of budgeting and financial management an asset.

Conditions of Employment

- Valid Class 5 Drivers License
- Subject to criminal background check.

Posted: April 11, 2022

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Lillooet Secondary School St'át'imc Declaration



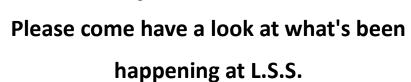


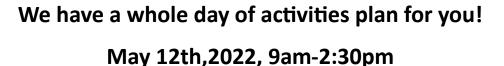
Celebration 2022



You are invited to the
Lillooet Secondary School
St'át'imc Declaration Celebration
Lots of fun stuff has been prepared
by the students.







Bagged Lunch will be provided

For more info please contact Deanna Alec or Jenise Bob (250)-256-4274















P'egp'ig'lha Council

P.O. Box 615 Líllooet, B.C. VoK i Vo phone (250) 256 4118 fax (250) 256 4544

Job title: Natural Resource Specialist

Organization: P'egp'íg'lha Council

Term: Full-time, permanent

Salary: \$59,150/ year + benefits; negotiable based on education and experience.

The P'egp'íg'lha Council (PC) is seeking a full-time, permanent Natural Resource Specialist to support the work of the P'egp'íg'lha Council (PC) in advancing stewardship of lands and resources.

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Manage natural resource projects.
- Supervise natural resource staff and their projects.
- Review and implement the PC's natural resource management plans and policies.
- Manage PC data and information.
- Support the PC in natural resource management decision-making.
- Learn the GIS skills needed for basic operation of the mapping and database management.
- Develop and manage natural resource-related funding proposals.
- Manage the PC referral process.

Qualifications:

- Post-secondary degree and/or certification in a natural resource-related field.
- 2+ years experience in natural resource field.
- Project management skills.
- Data collection & management experience.
- Excellent organizational and leadership abilities
- Outstanding communication and people skills
- Knowledge of natural resource industry rules and regulations an asset.
- Proficient with Microsoft Office suite.

Conditions of Employment

- Valid Class 5 Driver's License
- Subject to criminal background check.

Posted: April 11, 2022

Application Deadline: open until filled.

Preference will be given to qualified applicants of St'át'imc or Indigenous Ancestry.

Please submit resume, cover letter, and 2 references with contact information to the Attention of: Director of Operations by one of the following:

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Kukwpi7 Wayne Christian Wenecwtsin

Is coming to T'itqet, P'egp'iglha Community Center

May 17th 2022

to give a presentation on

the History of Child Welfare, Billc-92 and current issues

Day session; 10am- 1:30pm (lunch and refreshments provided)

Evening session; Dinner 4:30pm followed with presentation 5pm-8pm

Please RSVP with
Project Manager Franny Alec at

projectmgr@titqet.org

Please join Wayne in ceremony to honor the 215 children found on former KIRS grounds June 2021, the ceremony will commence before each session. Please feel free to bring your hand drums to help honor the children, past present and future and to support the families.

There will be Mental Health supports available during the sessions.

*** There will be door prizes ***



P'egp'ig'lha Council

P.O. Box 615 Líllooet, B.C. VoK i Vo phone (250) 256 4118 fax (250) 256 4544

Job title: Fisheries Coordinator

Organization: P'egp'íg'lha Council

Term: Full-time, term limited. Position ends March 31, 2023.

Salary: \$54,600/year

The P'egp'íg'lha Council (PC) is seeking a full-time, temporary Fisheries Coordinator to manage the PC's Indigenous Habitat Participation Program project. The Fisheries Coordinator will ensure that the project is carried out according to its work plan and budget. The project will develop a Traditional Use Study, an Emergency Response Plan, a Youth Engagement Plan and a Fisheries Stewardship plan alongside other deliverables. The project will conclude on March 31, 2023.

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Manage program budget and deliverables.
- Organize and conduct community engagement.
- Draft the deliverables identified in the program outline.
- Complete project reports as necessary.
- Collaborate with other PC staff to complete project objectives.
- Ensure that the project progresses within the described timeline.
- Report project progress to the PC.
- Attend fisheries related meetings when necessary.
- Conduct research to support program objectives.

Qualifications:

- Post-secondary degree and/or certification in a fisheries/natural resource-related field would be an asset.
- 2+ years of professional experience in project management.
- Familiarity with St'át'imc communities and territory preferred.
- Knowledge of respectful research protocols for Indigenous communities.
- Excellent organizational and leadership abilities
- Outstanding communication and people skills
- Familiarity with MS Office



P'egp'ig'lha Council

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

Conditions of Employment:

Valid Class 5 Drivers License

• Subject to Criminal Background Check

Posted: April 11, 2022

Application Deadline: May 13, 2022

Preference will be given to qualified applicants of St'át'imc or Indigenous Ancestry.

Please submit resume, cover letter, and 2 references with contact information to the Attention of:

Director of Operations by one of the following:

Email: <u>director@pegpiglha.org</u>

Office Location: 10 Scotchman Rd. Lillooet, BC

Administration has received complaints concerning vicious dog attacks and nuisance pets. Once a written complaint is received concerning dogs or other pets it goes on file.

All home owners/tenants are responsible for their dogs and pets that roam freely, bark incessantly and cause general annoyance to neighbours. Please keep dogs fenced in or tired on a run.

Dogs that bark constantly should be brought into the home especially during the evening.

Home owners/tenants are advised to put in complaints in writing to administration if an animal is causing a nuisance for example: digging up gardens, taunting neighbor's pets that are fenced in, doing their business on neighbours' lawns etc.

8.2.1.8 As per the housing policy it states:

1st Warning is a writing to the owner from Council: 2nd Warning, the owner must pay the \$50 animal control surcharge; 3rd Warning, the pet owner must meet with Council; 4th warning is the removal of the dog.

Thank you, Kassandra Doss Housing Coordinator

Dr. Bolen our Podiatrist Will be coming into the T'it'q'et Community

Friday MAY 20, 2022

Please contact Medical Clerk at the band office To book your appointment 250-256-4118 ext.241

Medicalclerk@titqet.org



There has been a large number of old/uninsured vehicles within our community.

This is a fire hazard please see below from the Housing policy.

9.1.1 - Community Standards

...Another issue is the number of unlicensed vehicles on a property. One unlicensed vehicle would probably not be seen as a problem but several unlicensed and obviously run-down cars parked on a residential lot would be seen by many as a community nuisance...



SPRING 2022 DO YOU WANT JUNK CARS REMOVED FROM YOUR LOT?

Call the Housing Department to put your name, make of car/vehicle, and color on List.

The amount paid is dependent upon the type and volume of material, as well as the distance from our business location.

Cariboo Salvage & Recycling Ltd is from Clinton,BC

Cash is paid at time of pickup

Vehicles (Any size & type)

Truck is equipped with a Magnet & Grapple Crane

Makes your Lot look better

CALL HOUSING DEPT

250-256-4118 ext: 259

Kristen Alexander

Housing assistant

Thank you,

Kassandra Doss

Housing Coordinator.

KAMLOOPS/LYTTON

Book a Trip (2 days in advance): 1-855-359-3935

The Thursday Health Connections to Kamloops trip via Lytton has resumed regular routing, effective January 20th. Due to road conditions, please expect possible delays. Please also note that this service will also stop at the G'wsep Gas Station on Highway 12 in Lytton.

Health Connections to Kamloops									
To Kamloops	To Lillooet								
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Funding and planning for this Health Connections route is shared between Interior Health Authority, the Village of Ashcroft and BC Transit. Decisions about fares, routes and service levels are made by the Interior Health and the Regional District based on information and planning provided by BC Transit. The service is operated by Yellowhead Community Services Society.

KAMLOOPS/LILLOOET

Book a Trip (2 business days in advance): 1-855-359-3935

Health Connections to Kamloops									
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Invites you to

Sťáťýemc Gathering

May 8, 9 & 10, 2022

Some highlights are:

May 8

- Welcome Feather Runners
- Honoring Mother's Day
- Activities (drum making, relay races, cultural hall of fame)
- Spiritual Warriors Performance

May 9

- Skelawih7 Stewardship Honoring
- Archaeological Tours
- Traditional Fashion Show
- Bannock Making Contest Stratfimx
 Tribal Police Ceremony
- Talent Show

May 10

- Reading of Declaration
- Chief Speeches
- Drumming
- Closure

BRING YOUR HAND DRUMS, CUTLERY
& PLATES



Ka ullusílc7a múta7 i ucwalmícwa

The people are coming together again



T'it'q'et newsletter article May 2022

T'it'q'et and P'egp'ig'lha have decided to undertake and work towards preparing for jurisdiction over their own child and family services through the Capacity Building Fund process to conduct the project title; Fulfilling the Dream of the P'egp'ig'lha- Looking after Our Children.

The early stages of the project are Community Engagement, that involves a Comprehensive needs assessment, interviews, and research. The needs assessment (survey) was launched March 7th 2022, with a deadline March 18th 202. Due to low response, the survey is extended to May 13th 2022. Because the community, staff and leadership were going through a difficult time these past few months, and in consideration of the members, the decision was to extend another 8 weeks. To date we received some responses, the hope is to collect more surveys to generate some data for the project. The survey will be available at the administration office, or email projectmgr@titqet.org or projectmesearcher@titqet.org to request a survey or have any questions.

Friendly reminder the deadline for survey May 13th 2022, there are 4 prizes;

- 1. First prize \$150
- 2. Second prize \$100
- 3. Third prize \$75
- 4. Fourth prize \$50

We had scheduled workshops (Dec 15&16 2021, and April 20th 2022) which unfortunately had to be postponed, that was beyond our control, due to unfortunate circumstances; resulting from environmental catastrophes (floods, fires, road closures, isolation, etc.) and guest speakers unable to attend due to personal health issues, and the pandemic situation.

May 4th & 5th 2022 there will be another opportunity to host a workshop with Satsan (Herb George) to talk about Child Welfare, Billc-92 and where to go from here with jurisdiction. Please join us at the community hall, for the information, great food, and connect with others. Please watch for postings.

May 17th 2022; Wayne Christian will be presenting an overview on the history of child welfare and how the new Bill C-92 impacts Indigenous children today. He will give insight where T'it'q'et needs to go in order to utilize Bill C-92 for the future.

We are in the planning process for a community information session; to provide an update to members, dates will be posted soon. This session will also be an opportunity for family, friends and members to gather, visit and exchange stories, and share good food. Tentative dates May 20th or May 24th, please watch for postings.

We will arrange for interviews with members; for historical stories relating to family and child care. Also, to plan on a day with community to share family history and family trees, information on how to retrieve genealogy information.



Tít'q'et Health Department

P.O. Box 615 Lillooet, B.C. VOK 1VO Phone (250) 256 4118 Fax (778) 784 4070

April 20, 2022

Hello T'it'q'et

I hope everyone is doing well, staying safe, and ready for the spring season.

Just an update from health; we are gearing up to be able to provide more in-person clinics, workshops, and events such as: Heart Health, Mental Health, Addictions, Diabetes, falls prevention, woman's clinic, men's clinic, and more... with COVID-19 precautions still in place: stay home if you are sick, sanitize/wash hands often, cough and sneeze in your elbow, keep distant, wear a mask for your comfort. Please watch for postings through the newsletter, Facebook pages, deliveries etc.

I am working on providing a workshop called, 'Building a Post Pandemic Recovery Plan for Hosting Events and Workshops in the Community'. I feel, we as staff, need a refresher, after working through a pandemic for over two years with limited interaction, technology being our main communication and the pandemic being our main priority. This workshop will help us to better: plan, organize, prioritize, make action plans, be proactive, learn best practises and more...when it comes to providing programs and services.

There will be a fourth booster dose happening at the health centre on May 30, 2022 for 1st doses, 2nd doses, 3rd doses, 4th doses and for the youth as well.

With COVID-19 restrictions lifting, there are more in-person meetings and conferences being planned now; so, I will be away from the office to attend.

I am so happy that we get to have Dr. Humber here once a month, as well as Nurse Practitioner/Rose. The Nurse Practitioner can do everything a Dr. can do except prescribe opioids. When you see a Dr., you have a time slot of 15-20 mins. When you see the Nurse Practitioner, you have no time limit.

I love working for the community of T'it'q'et, I have always felt welcomed, and I am so happy to be back. I will always do my best to help and support anyone; while following policy and procedures. My door is always open.

I hope everyone continues to stay safe and cautious as we are still in a pandemic. Reminder, there are COVID-19 Rapid tests available at the health centre. Please call the health department.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to come in and see me, call (256) 256-4118 ext. 234 or email healthmanager@titqet.org

Respectfully,

Vanessa Thevarge Health and Social Services Manager



You are cordially invited to...

T'it'q'et Heat Response Planning Workshop Wednesday, May 25

T'it'q'et Administration Building, 59 Retasket Street

Community Meeting: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (dinner provided)

This evening session is available to all T'it'q'et community members. Over dinner, there will be an opportunity for T'it'q'et members to learn about our community's heat response research and planning project.

T'it'q'et administration staff are seeking your feedback regarding your personal concerns and impacts that you and your family experience during extreme temperatures of the summer season.

Facilitated by Urban Systems Ltd.

If you are unable to make the dinner session in person, we can include your feedback later either by email/phone questionnaire or by a zoom session. Be sure to let Charlene know what your preference is to provide us feedback.

If you would like to join this workshop or future sessions, please RSVP as soon as possible to:

Charlene Napoleon; charlenen@titqet.org





Tít'q'et Administration

P.O. Box 615 59 Retasket Drive Lillooet, B.C. VoK i Vo phone (250) 256 4118 fax (250) 256 4544

Job Posting

Bookkeeper

T'it'q'et is seeking a full-time permanent Bookkeeper. The Bookkeeper is responsible for financial record keeping and assists in the day-to-day accounting affairs.

Education

- Grade 12
- Prefer Post-Secondary

Responsibilities

- Accounts Receivables, Accounts Payables, and Staff Payroll.
- Reconciling general accounts on a monthly basis
- Assists in preparing for T'it'q'et audit
- Performs other duties and responsibilities as necessary in the performance of the position, and as assigned by the Finance Manager
- Bank deposits, accepting e-transfers, and applying to proper accounts or department.
- Maintains all confidentiality on all matters relating to the affairs of T'it'q'et

Qualifications

- Minimum 2 years of experience
- Prefer related First Nations experience
- Experience in all related areas of Accounting (A/P, A/R, payroll, budgeting, financial reporting)
- Experience with working with Sage 300, Microsoft Excel, and other basic computer skills
- Integrity and good work ethics
- Ability to organize, prioritize, and manage workload
- Criminal Records Check
- Strong team player with excellent teambuilding skills
- Ability to work independently/ with minimal supervision
- Proficiency in the use of computers and internet applications
- Driver's License and Drivers Abstract
- Excellent communication skills
- Exceptional/ strong analytical and decision-making skills

Deadline for applications is 4:00pm, Tuesday May 31, 2022. Send cover letter and resume to: Attention Sabrina James, Finance Manager PO Box 615
Lillooet, BC VOK 1V0

or drop off at #59 Retasket Street, T'it'q'et or email to tfnfinance@titqet.org



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Call Today To Book an Appointment



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THURSDAY 19TH 10:00 - 4:00PM

FRIDAY 20TH 9:00 - 2:00PM

PLEASE CONTACT TOLL FREE NUMBER TO BOOK 1-844-234-6665

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Linda Reavie, RHIP. Registered Hearing Instrument Practitioner

Linda is a Registered Hearing Instrument Practitioner who has lived in Chilliwack and worked in the hearing industry for over 10 years. Focused on customer needs and driven to excel in customer service.



Laura Carter, RHIP, CEO, Owner Of Carter Hearing Ltd., Registered Hearing Instrument Practitioner

Laura Carter is a Registered Hearing Instrument Practitioner and Owner of Carter Hearing. With client care as her primary focus, Laura is proud to be a 100% Canadian business owner with seven clinics - Chilliwack, Hope, Agassiz, Lillooet, Princeton, Merritt and Chase, and as well as two full mobile clinics servicing remote communities and First Nation Health Centres.



Olivia Campbell Hearing Instrument Practitioner Student

Her main goal is to provide the best Customer Service to our patients in our five locations and Mobile Clinics.

Friendly reminder that in the rental units as per agreement signed:

8. Except for casual guests, no other persons shall occupy the premises without written consent of the Landlord.

Housing needs to be contacted when you move someone into your rental unit.

Then it needs to get approved by administration, and council that this ok.

If approved a new rental agreement will need to get filled out and signed.

Thank you, Housing.

Indian Residential School Survivor Society Day School

May 16 – 19th Day school June 28, 29, 30 Day School

They will be at the Lillooet Friendship Centre Society to help fill applications.

Please contact Gloria Joseph at 250-256-4146

Barbie Whiskeyjack

Contact: 778-694-8989

T'ÍT'Q'ET LANDS AND NATURAL RESOURCES Newsletter

May 2022

The T'ít'q'et Lands Committee and staff from the Lands and Natural Resources Department are still meeting twice a month online. The T'ít'q'et Lands Committee is: Chairperson Marilyn Napoleon; Genevieve Humphreys (alternate chair); Myrus Doss; Marie Barney; Terry MacLellan and T'ít'q'et Council representative that will be named later. The T'ít'q'et Lands and Natural Resources Department staff are Lands and Natural Resources Officer Stephanie Louie and Lands Committee Coordinator Dean Billy.

- Lands Committee
 - The T'ít'q'et Lands Committee welcomes its newest member, Terry MacLellan and says goodbye to it's Council representative Robert Leech.

 Several committee members are taking a Union of BC Indian Chiefs lands
 - research course online.
- Law-Making & Enforcement
 - The committee finished its review of the draft Enforcement and Ticketing Law. The next step is another meeting with Kevin Broughton of the Lands Advisory Board Resource Centre to discuss the questions and comments.
- Natural Resource Management
 Dillon Consulting is working on the Environmental Management Plan.
- Lands Administration
 T'ít'q'et needs to develop a land allotment process.
- Dispute Resolution
 Lands Committee Coordinator and a committee member are reviewing a proposal for developing a dispute resolution process.
- Organization Study / Human Resources Management
- Communications & Public Relations
 By the time you read this, Matcon should have completed their work on remediating Areas of Potential Environmental Concern: fuel oil tanks, junk vehicles and former dump sites.

Health Care in Lillooet & Community

Lillooet Medical Clinic

Monday – Friday 9:00-4:00 250-256-7505

In-person, video and phone appointments are available with either a Physician or Nurse Practitioner

Mental Health & Substance Use

Lillooet Mental Health Call 310 – MHSU (6478) Opioid Agonist Treatment 250-256-1345 / 250-256-1585

Provincial Resources

YOUTH Foundry.ca Kelty Mental Health

KIDS CRISIS LINE 1-800-668-6868



CRISIS LINE 1-833-456-4566 / text 45645 Hope for Wellness 1-855-242-3310 Domestic Violence 1-800-563-0808

Local Pharmacies & Services

PHARMASAVE 256-4262 IDA 256-7538 St'at'imc Outreach 256-7530 Friendship Centre 256-4800

Lillooet Hospital & Health Centre

250-256-4233

You will be screened for symptoms of COVID Visitor restrictions may apply

Emergency Care Call 911 or go to the ER

Open 24 hours, 7 days per week You will be triaged by the nurse You may see a doctor in person or receive virtual care

Lab Services

Monday – Friday 9:00-11:00 / 1:00-2:00 Book appointments 1-877-740-7747 or www.labonlinebooking.ca

Home & Community Care

Central Intake 1-800-707-8550 Lillooet Home Health 250-256-1326 / 250-256-1328

Out Patient Services

Physiotherapy 250-256-1329 Diabetic Educator 250-256-1304

Provincial Resources

811 - Nurse

Medical Imaging

Monday - Friday X-Ray 9:00 - 4:00

Public Health

Monday – Friday 250-256-1314 Public Health Nurse 250-256-1318

Interior Health

MyHealthPortal



COVID Testing Clinics & Vaccination Information

Interior Health Testing Clinics 250-256-1381 COVID testing



Interior Health COVID Vaccine 1-800-833-2323 COVID Vaccine link



FNHA Testing 250-256-7017 COVID-19 Testing (fnha.ca)



BC Center for Disease Control 604-707-2400 ContactUs(bccdc.ca)



T'it'q'et MEMBERS - Mailing Addresses

If you move to a new location, please provide the Finance Department and the Receptionist with your new mailing address as soon as possible, thus preventing cheques and the newsletter from being returned to the office. If your cheque is mailed before you updated your new address, then you will have to wait until we receive your cheque back in the mail before we mail to your new address.

Thank you,

Receptionist email: reception@titqet.org

Finance: Lesley Napoleon at <u>accountspayable@titqet.org</u> or Sabrina James at <u>tfnfinance@titqet.org</u>

Medical Transportation Policy Framework Non-Insured Health Benefits Program

2. COORDINATED TRAVEL

- 2.1 When more than one client is travelling to the same location, where practical and economical, appointments and travel arrangements will be coordinated to ensure optimum cost-effectiveness.
- 2.2 When more than one medically required service is required in a week and/or more than one family member needs to access a medically required service in the same week, where practical and economical, appointments and travel arrangements will be scheduled for the same day to ensure optimum cost-effectiveness.
- 2.3 When more than one client is travelling in the same vehicle, the rate reimbursed will be for one trip only. Where applicable, an appropriate schedule of fixed rates will be established.

Calling All St'at'imc Booths

WE ARE INVITING ALL ST'ÁT'IMC BOOTHS

May 12th, 2022, 9:00am to 3:00pm

Please Sign up with us
@ 250-256-4274

- Traditional Medicine
 - . Traditional Crafts
 - Traditional Foods
 - St'át'imc OwnedBusinesses

Calling All Hand Drummers

You are invited!!

Please join us here at

Lillooet Secondary School

St'át'imc Declaration Day

Celebration

May 12th, 2022

9:00am to 3:00pm

St'át'imc Canoe Journey PADDLING AS ONE **Expected journey is to be:** Leave from Darcy June 19th Paddle to Seton/Shalath (spend night camping) June 20th End Journey paddling into T'it'q'et Seton Beach on Aboriginal Day June 21st Final chance to join in is May 7th Please let Shawna Riley Know before May 7th if you are interested in joining in this journey. **Shawna Riley** (250) 256-4118 Ext. 229 (250) 256-9204 socialdev@titqet.org Please don't hesistate to ask questions

C*****VID-19 Instructions for close contacts



Whether notified of a COVID-19 exposure or not, you should routinely monitor for symptoms of COVID-19 and stay home if you feel unwell or develop symptoms.

Self-monitoring

Monitor for symptoms of COVID-19 listed below, even if you are fully vaccinated or had COVID-19 in the last 90 days.

If you develop symptoms of COVID-19 listed below, please use the Self-assessment Tool to see if you should get tested for COVID-19.

- Runny nose
- Sneezing
- Fever or chills
- Sore throat
- Cough
- Loss of sense of smell or taste
- Difficulty breathing

- Loss of appetite
- Extreme fatigue or tiredness
- Headache
- Body aches
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

If you have no symptoms of COVID-19, you do not need to be tested for COVID-19.

You are not required to self-isolate, and you can continue to participate in routine activities, such as work or school, as long as you do not have any symptoms.

More details on risk factors for severe disease are available on the BCCDC website.

Testing and results

If you need to get tested, find the nearest testing location: healthlinkbc.ca/covid19test



Month Newsletter: April 2022

Hello

At the Preschool were quite busy with Making Clocks with our Elder Aggie. She taught us the St'at'imc word is Kloak. We also learned about the Bear (Mi'xalh) also having their babies in their dens and coming out in Spring. Our Elder had a baby bear and 2 adult bears to share and show our children.

Michael showed us how to put a rattler together; it's a lot of hard work putting the holes in and sewing the outside together and attaching the stick.

Teacher Corena showed us what wild cabbage was and how you can boil it up and eat it, and drink the juice; during our nature walk we seen the buds growing out of the trees. She showed us about how when fruit trees are pruned and that the water comes up the tree to the freshly cut branches. Apricots an Apples will grow. We had lots of fun on St Patrick's day doing a treasure hunt in March and making St Patrick's day hats with the kids.

We staff have so much fun teaching these young children about their environment around them and we learn so much from them as well. Watching them work with all the learning tools we have here at the Preschool is fun.

We all hope everyone had a great Easter Long Weekend. Our preschool Children had fun finding easter eggs at our school playground. We would like to say thank you to Sarah, for making our hot lunch on Thursday April 14, 2022









In the Community

Earth Day

On Thursday April 21, 2022 Preschool Staff and Children Will Be Walking around in our playground and outside our playground, picking up garbage, cleaning Mother Earth.

Important Notice:

Wednesday April 20, 2022 Is Parent Meeting via Zoom at 6:00pm.

Preschool & Daycare Buildings CLOSED Monday April 25, 2022

Message from the Board:

We would like to welcome Sarah Moberg as our Director of Programs for the Society!! Sarah has been Interim Manager for over a year but recently was hired as the Director! Welcome Sarah

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Course





16-18, 2022



Need 12 participants from the communities

Participants on site from 9:30AM - 3:30PM or later each day

In this smoke-tanned (braintanned) buckskin making course, participants each work on a fresh deer skin and turn it into textile.

For more information about this course, contact our SOHS Land Base Healing! Linda McDonald by email: landbasedhealing@statimchealth.net or Fidele Henry by email: landbasedassistestatimchealth.net Can reach both of them by phone: 250-256-7523



CLIENT RESPONSIBILITY

Clients who access medical transportation through the FNHA Health Benefits program, either at the community level or Health Benefits Operations are responsible to:

- Give at least 5 days notice. Upon receipt of notice, transportation arrangements can be made.
 Note: Clients who do not provide sufficient notice may be required to reschedule their appointment or pay for the travel and get reimbursed
- Attend their medical appointment as scheduled. Clients who do not attend medical appointments may be required to pay back any benefits they have received and/or pay for their travel costs on subsequent medical travel
- Get a signed confirmation of attendance from the health professional and return it to the Transportation Coordinator after the medical appointment.
- Give notification when cancelling an appointment prior to the date of the appointment; including 24 hours notice to cancel any hotel arrangements
- Retain and submit all necessary receipts required
- Not damage property or abuse accommodation arrangements, such as excessive noise
- Not become verbally abusive or threatening to the patient transportation clerk or coordinator

Clients may be required to pay for their own travel arrangements and submit a client reimbursement form with the appropriate documentation or may have charges deducted off their next travel arrangements, in such cases as:

- a) Client is verbally or physically abusive;
- b) Client fails to provide the required medical documentation (referral or confirmation of attendance) or receipts
- c) Client is no longer accepted in commercial establishments or on commercial transportation because of inappropriate behavior
- d) Client does not make it to their scheduled appointment
- e) When FNHA or a First Nation organization is charged for damages; billed for keys; or no shows.

Lillooet, BC

New location is now open!

We are located on Main Street, across from the Rec Centre and very near the public library and the Lillooet Hospital. Lillooet is a 35-minute drive from Pavilion, along Highway 99. In addition to Pavilion, we proudly serve the surrounding communities of Gold Bridge, Bralorne, Ashcroft and Cache Creek.



Phone: 604-203-7541 Fax: 604-243-6061

Email: Lillooet@seatoskyoptometry.com

917 Main St. Lillooet BC V0k 1V0



LILLOOET

Sea to Sky Optometry

- · We offer direct billing to FNHA and Blue Cross.
- · Retinal images to detect diabetic retinopathy.
- OCT Retinal imaging to look for early signs of macular degeneration and glaucoma.
- · Cataract assessment and Dry eye treatment.
- We have specialized low vision equipment and exams to determine and re-gain functional vision with any vision loss or eye disease.

917 Main St. Lillooet

(604) 203-7541

We offer a large selection of frames; as well as free frame packages, which is only the cost of the lenses. Come see us from: Tue 10-7 Wed & Thur 9-6 Fri 8-5 www.lillooetseatoskyoptometry.com

Health Connections

What is Health Connections?

Health Connections provides communities with accessible transportation options to non-emergency medical appointments. Although medical appointments have priority, everyone is eligible to use this service if space is available.

Booking a Trip

To take advantage of the transit service, you must call to arrange your trip. Transit staff will let you know the exact time of pick up.

Let Your Doctor Know

When scheduling medical appointments with a doctor, let the receptionist know that you will be using Health Connections. Although medical appointments have priority, everyone is eligible to use this service if space is available.

Accessibility

If you have mobility issues, special service will be available. Please call the route operator to make arrangements.

Communities Served

If your community is not mentioned in any of the schedules but is along the route, please call to make sure it is serviced.

Services Covered by MSP

MSP is the provincial insurance program that pays for required medical services. These include medically necessary services provided by physicians and midwives, dental and oral surgery performed in a hospital, eye examinations if medically required and some orthodontic services. In addition, MSP pay for diagnostic services including x-rays. For information on laboratory service benefits under the <u>Laboratory Services Act</u>, visit the Laboratory Services website.

Other services that may be covered by MSP include supplementary benefits provided by other health care practitioners. These include acupuncture, chiropractic, massage therapy, naturopathy, physical therapy and non-surgical podiatry.

Medical Benefits

Medically required services you receive from physicians and midwives are medical benefits of MSP, as are diagnostic services including x-rays. Learn about medical benefits covered under MSP.

Medical Benefits

Supplementary Health Care Benefits

Supplementary benefits are different from medical benefits. These services are provided by health care practitioners other than physicians or midwives. Learn about the range of supplementary health care benefits covered under MSP for eligible individuals. Read more to find out if you are eligible for assistance with the cost of these benefits.

Supplementary Health Care Benefits

Extra Billing

Extra billing involves charging an MSP beneficiary or their representative for a benefit covered by MSP, or for any matter related to the rendering of a medical necessary benefit, unless otherwise permitted by the *Medicare Protection Act* or by the Medical Services Commission. Benefits covered by MSP are charged directly to MSP. More information can be found on "Additional Fees and Charges" page:

Additional Fees and Charges

Medical Services Plan (MSP) supplementary benefits provide partial payment for certain medical services obtained in British Columbia and may provide access to other income-based programs. MSP supplementary benefits support the following services from approved providers:

- acupuncture
- chiropractic
- massage therapy
- naturopathy
- physical therapy; and
- non-surgical podiatry

Those who may be eligible for MSP coverage of these supplementary benefit services include:

- Those who have applied and been deemed eligible based on their annual net income
- Income Assistance recipients
- Convention refugees
- Inmates of B.C. Correctional Facilities
- Individuals enroled with MSP through the At Home Program
- Residents of long term care facilities receiving the Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS)
- Individuals enroled with MSP as Mental Health Clients; and
- First Nations individuals with valid B.C. Medical Plan coverage through the <u>First Nations Health Authority</u>

For these MSP beneficiaries, MSP contributes \$23 per visit for a combined annual limit of 10 visits each calendar year for the following services from approved providers: acupuncture, chiropractic, massage therapy, naturopathy, physical therapy and non-surgical podiatry. MSP does not provide any coverage for supplementary benefits received outside of the province.

Note: Many supplementary benefits practitioners are opted-out of the MSP. This means they are allowed to charge patients more for a service than is set out in the Payment Schedule.

Opted-out practitioners (for all supplementary benefits service providers) must advise their patients, prior to the treatment being performed, that they have opted out; how much is reimbursed by MSP; and how much the patient will be paying in addition to the MSP fee.

Temporary Increase to the Medical Transportation Mileage Rates

First Nations Health Authority is committed to delivering a responsive set of programs and services to support First Nations in their health and wellness journeys.

Gas prices across British Columbia have increased significantly in recent weeks. These increases may impact some client's ability to access medically necessary appointments when using their private vehicle.

FNHA's Health Benefits program is implementing a temporary mileage rate increase of **\$0.05** per kilometer for the Medical Transportation (MT) benefit to support clients during these exceptional times.

Effective March 1st 2022, the standard mileage rate will increase from \$0.23 to \$0.28 per kilometer. These changes will be in effective until May 30th 2022. The \$0.05 increase will also apply to the special mileage rate applicable to certain remote communities.

We will continue to monitor regional and provincial gas prices and may make further adjustments in response to this rapidly changing situation.

Information for communities with Funding Agreements for Medical Transportation

FNHA will ensure that all communities delivering MT locally through a Funding Agreement receive additional funding necessary to support the increased mileage rate. We will follow up separately with agreement holders regarding the increases.

About Medical Transportation

The Medical Transportation (MT) benefit provides supplemental coverage of transportation, accommodation, and meals to assist clients who need to access medically-necessary health services that are not available in their community of residence. We invite you to learn more about MT at our <u>website</u>.

For additional information or support, please contact Health Benefits at 1.855.550.5454 or benefits@fnha.ca.



There is some non-prescription items provided FREE at your Health Centre by the First Nations Health Authority Nurse with an appointment and/or assessment?

- ✓ Mineral Oil to treat Head lice
- ✓ Nix Head lice Treatment
- ✓ Lice combs
- ✓ Nix Scabies Treatment Cream
- ✓ Pregnancy Tests
- ✓ Prenatal Vitamins
- ✓ Children's Multi Vitamins
- ✓ Vitamin D drops (for breastfed babies)
- ✓ Tylenol (only for children receiving immunizations)
- ✓ Tooth brushes for all ages
- ✓ Floss
- ✓ Condoms
- ✓ Lubricant
- ✓ Naloxone Kits and Training





















Mammograms Save Lives

Digital Mobile Mammography Coming to Your Community!





BC Cancer Breast Screening's digital mobile mammography service will be visiting:

T'IT'Q'ET HEALTH CENTRE JUNE 17, 2022

To book your appointment call Nicole at (250)-256-4118 ext. 241

Mammograms are available for women ages 40 and over. Make an informed decision to screen for breast cancer. Visit www.screeningbc.ca to learn more.

Message from T'it'q'et Housing:

Yard maintenance:

Housing Policy- 9.1.1.1 Owners and residents be encouraged to maintain and keep up their yards, properties and housing in a way that would make the community proud.

Visitors:

Friendly reminder that in the rental units as per agreement signed:

8. Except for casual guests, no other persons shall occupy the premises without written consent of the Landlord.

Housing needs to be contacted when you move someone into your rental unit.

Then it needs to get approved by administration, and council that this ok.

If approved a new rental agreement will need to get filled out and signed.

Garbage:

O&M picks garbage up on Mondays and Fridays. Wednesdays they pick up recycling. On recycling days, the garbage will be picked up as well for now.

Animals are getting into garbage, <u>if an animal gets into your garbage it is your</u> responsibility to pick it up.

Please do not throw food waste outside your home, throw it in the garbage. This will help from animals going into your yard, and mice trying to find a way into your home.

Thank you,

Kassandra Doss

Housing Coordinator.



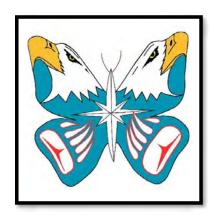
LILLOOET TRIBAL COUNCIL

650 Industrial Place, PO Box 1420, Lillooet BC, V0K - 1V0 T: 250-256-7523 F: 250-256-7119 info@lillooettribalcouncil.ca

St'at'imc Outreach Health Services (SOHS) & Kanukwa7staliha Family Services (KFS) are merging phone systems and phone numbers with Lillooet Tribal Council Administration. We are all in the same building now at 650 Industrial Place in Lillooet BC!







To reach:

- St'at'imc Outreach Health Services (SOHS)
- Kanukwa7staliha Family Services (KFS)
- Lillooet Tribal Council Administration (LTC)

Please call: 250-256-7523

Nurse Practitioner

Will be in the T'it'q'et community

3rd Monday of the month

Health Department exam room 1pm – 4pm





EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS WEEK: MAY 1 - 7, 2022





SUNDAY, MAY 1ST, 2022

- FireSmart Preparedness
- Get prepared for May 7th, FireSmart Day!
- Communities gather their own prizes for Fire Smart Day
- Sign up for Voyent Alert!



- Community Emergency Preparedness Plan
- Review Emergency Management (EM) Plan, update accordingly, and host a 1 hour practice/tabletop exercise - staff and community
- Youth Involvement Master of Disaster

MONDAY,

MAY 2ND, 2022

TUESDAY,

MAY 3RD, 2022

- Wildfire Preparedness
- Evacuation Planning BCWS notice recommendation
 Our Alert (Voyent) vs. RD.
- Flood/Landslide/Tsunami Information
- Extreme Weather
- Heat Dome
- Dam Safety
- Check out local newspaper for Emergency Preparedness Interview!

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WEDNESDAY,

MAY 4TH, 2022

THURSDAY, MAY 5TH, 2022

- VOYENT ALERT TEST
- Lillooet Tribal Council (LTC) & District of Lillooet (DoL) will run a Voyent Alert Test
- Brian McKinney
- Home Emergency Plan
- Make a plan and practice
- Have a communications plan
- Fill in the blank's pamphlet
- Pets CDART



FRIDAY, MAY 6TH, 2022

SATURDAY,

MAY 7TH, 2022

- FireSmart Day!!
- Host a community clean up day
- Have a lunch with education and awareness info.
- Communities hand out FireSmart pamphlets, prizes/youth prizes

May 2022 Horoscopes



Taurus (Apr 20-May 20)

Happy birthday!!! Right now, the world is your oyster—everyone's vibing on your level, and doing what you want and need to do is happening much more easily. You're the main character right now, Taurus! Get out there and have fun!

Gemini (May 21-Jun 20)

You're energetic, youthful, and fun-loving, so the serious vibes of Taurus season aren't your fave. Right now, you have way too much on your plate, and you need to sort it out. What (or who), isn't working? Figure it out, cut your losses, and get ready to embrace all sorts of brand new opportunities when Gemini season rolls around!

Cancer (Jun 21-Jul 22)

Hey, social butterfly! You're known for being very dedicated to your friends, and this month you're growing even closer with your squad. Anything you do as a group will be a marvelous experience, and you're also meeting some new friendly faces!

Leo (Jul 23-Aug 22)

You're in the spotlight, Leo, especially when it comes to your job. The better you perform now, the better you'll be rewarded in the future—yes, a promotion or bonus could be in your future if you put in the work! But watch out, because if you under-perform, you'll face consequences, too.

Virgo (Aug 23-Sept 22)

You're an earth sign just like Taurus, which means you're feeling much better than you did during Aries season. Life's an adventure, and there are (potentially!) opportunities to travel somewhere coming up! Stay open-minded and you'll have a splendid Taurus season.

Libra (Sept 23-Oct 20)

You have a bit of a rep for being flaky and struggling to really settle down into a relationship, but right now you're understanding just how important it is to fully commit. It's an emotional time, but there's plenty of potential for romance and intimacy!

Scorpio (Oct 23-Nov 21)

It's cuffing season! Taurus season is activating your chart's relationships zone, so whether you're boo'd up or single as hell, this is a wonderful time to give your love life the glow up it deserves. Go out of your way to spend time with your special someone (or meet one!), and you'll have a very successful Taurus season.

Sagittarrius (Nov 22–Dec 21)

Life at your job is picking up the pace! It feels like you're clocked in 24/7. I know it's not fun, but you're being asked to embrace these practical, serious Taurus vibes so you can sort out your life. Get organized, stay focused, and cross everything off of your to-do list, because there's a lot of action coming your way in Gemini season!

Capricorn (Dec 22-Jan 19)

Love is in the air! Not only are you feeling better than you did all Aries season, you're also looking gorgeous. In fact, you're complete babe magnet! As well as being extra lucky in love, you're energized, motivated, and creative. Enjoy!

Aquarius (Jan 20-Feb 18)

You're feeling uncharacteristically introverted. Taurus season is a month for you to stay home, address any issues with family or roommates, and even redecorate. You're discovering how to feel at home when you're at home. Take this time to recharge your batteries before Gemini season!

Pisces (Feb 19-Mar 20)

As the most emotional sign of the zodiac, you'd think that Taurus season's vibe wouldn't mesh well with you, but you're actually having a pretty nice time! You're able to balance out your left and right brain, and you're feeling creative and expressive while at the same time able to take the serious parts of life, seriously.

Aries (Mar 21-April 19)

Your time of year is unfortunately over, and now it's time to get serious. Life might feel a bit mundane right now, and work's picking up the pace. On the bright side, there are big opportunities to make some money coming your way, so make sure you take advantage of them!



June 2022 Newslette

Newsletter Submission Deadline

Thurs, May 26th at 4pm

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

(PDF or Word documents are preferred.)



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