



June 2019

# Fraser River Run

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE SODA CREEK INDIAN BAND

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## Garden Day

## National Indigenous Peoples Day



If a June night could talk, it would probably boast it invented romance.

Bernard Williams

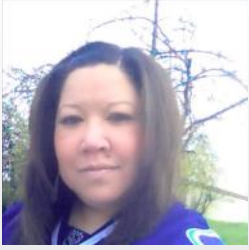


Pesxqéltemc (going into upper mountains month) – June



Our Natural Resources archaeology team (Glen Dixon, Hank Sellars & Chris Quon) did a fantastic job touring the RISC students around the cultural heritage sites in and around Soda Creek this month. Xatśúll congratulates one staff (Edna Boston) and two community members (Lindie Mitchell and Teena Sellars) who successfully passed the archaeology training sponsored by NSTC.

## Social Development Coordinator



Hi everyone, I hope everyone is enjoying this lovely weather that we have been having lately. I know I have been. It's been totally awesome, and to now have weekends off to enjoy time with my family. My last job I didn't get weekends off or to get to enjoy my summer too much. So I feel very excited for the upcoming summer months to spend with loved one's and friends.

So I will be having **Interview Week** for this month:

Monday June 3rd 9am-4pm

Thursday June 6th 9am-4pm

Tuesday June 4th 9am-4pm

Friday June 7th 9am-3pm

Wednesday June 5th 9am-4pm

Interviews will be brief and will consist of:

- Filling out the Monthly Renewal forms (just to also touch base of any changes as well).

It is extremely important that Income Assistance (IA) clients report any **changes** in:

- Relationship status
- Amount of people living in the house they reside in, even if they are not the head of the household.
- **(I have notices that it is not being reported), Any income such as CHILD TAX, GST, AND CHILD SUPPORT, SPOUSE'S PENSION, PART TIME JOB INCOME. (I do need cheque stubs for Pension and Part time jobs, Training Programs. So please bring this in with you on your next interview.)** Just a reminder that these are not deductible from Shelter Assistance, but they do have to be reported on the monthly renewal forms. Otherwise, I will not be able to issue a cheque for the individual Income Assistance Client because I do not have the proper information on incoming finance.
- Shelter/Utility costs
- Number of dependants
- Changes in employability status
- Whether they are attending school or training
- Any changes in assets

I will also be having a Class 4 Orientation Driving Program going on for the week of June 24-28th through Fourwinds Driving School for community members that had signed up for it. The program will be out here in Deep Creek, downstairs below the Health Station in the Education Department.

One final thing, I am always looking for Wood Haulers for my IA clients. If you are interested, please contact me through phone call to the band office or email your name and contact number or email address.

### Important Dates in June:

**3-7th Interview Week**

**10th Bills are DUE to ensure they are paid on time (you can also email your bills to me).**

**12th SA Mid-month**

**22nd SA Day**

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 250-989-2355 ext. 102 or email at [socdev@xatsull.om](mailto:socdev@xatsull.om). And I will get back to you as soon as possible.



## Water Operations



Kelly Quon

Hello everyone, hope all is well. Just wanted to let community know that we have received another two pallets of sandbags/gunnysacks. If anyone needs some. My Water samples came back clear again this month from both communities. And just a quick note to community that you may notice some coloured water next week between, May 27<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>, 2019 because I will be flushing Hydrant's in both communities as it's that time of year... The Rose Lake Dam's been dropping 2cm each week in the last month. So everyone try and stay dry and safe until next month.

Cheers, 



## Gathering of Voices

The Community Support Counsellor, Shae Chelsea brought two youth , Dionne and Paige to the Gathering of Voices Conference in Port Alberni. A photo of the youth at the Ask Aunty Program. Shae and Janae helped with the Pro-D Day trip to Moffat Falls with the Children's Program .



## Ask Aunty Program



**Health Manager/  
Children & Families  
Band Representative**



Janelle Jakesta

Weytk-p Xatsull Community,

In this newsletter please review some important information that has been shared in some of the Health Caucus Meetings. There is great opportunity for growth and change, but still figuring out the process of Soda Creek Indian Band policy and procedure. Any financial budgets need to be reviewed by Chief and Council. If you would like to know my deadlines for Chief and Council submissions, please email me or contact me directly and I will inform you. I would like to share important dates, workshops, trainings with you if you are interested, but need contact information i.e. emails. I have stated land, language, culture is very important for "our people," or as granny Evelyn would say "my people." I do not want funerals to be the only times we gather and collectively come together. We need to stay united as a community and for our overall health and wellness, it is expressed in togetherness and unity. Truth being said, we do not all get along and to heal we need to start with ourselves. Being a leader is never easy, but lead by example and in humility. With that being said, I hope one day my family's strength will help lead and guide my role as health manager/BC Child Representative. I wish each and every one of you a safe journey, days

and health.

There will be a new building being built behind the health building that will include a big tub, sauna, massage chair. Three corners have established this in the works and to be coming soon it will be built within the next six months or longer.

I believe transparency and communication are needed to understand where things are at and community needs to be informed of action items because we work for our community and are wanting to build healthier futures. If you have any ideas of contribution of wanting to do traditional work, please submit budget, dates, times and I will do my best to roll it out for community. I am open to ideas and hope to work alongside people.

Upcoming job opportunities:

- Community Support Counselor by July or August 2019 because Shae Chelsea will be finishing her schooling. I wish her much success and hope that she enjoyed her work here.
- Injury Surveillance – to be approved by chief and council. Still in process of figuring out details.
- Upon other funding and approval, I would like to create more jobs.

Knucwentwecw Society/MCFD:

- April 24, 2019 – Representative for Youth and Children held a presentation on their roles and responsibilities to community.
- 2019/2020 MCFD Budget 154 Million for BC. Not including Jordan's Principle
- Bill C-92 still in process of being passed. 82 page document

- Knucwentwecw Society is willing to do a presentation for community. Knowledge is power and understanding how the present system works is good knowledge.

Northern Shuswap Tribal Council (NSTQ) Child & Family Steering Committee:

- March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019 Paula Saultier scheduled meeting to discuss attending the NSTQ Child & Family Steering Committee.
- Meetings March 13 & 14<sup>th</sup>, April 1, May 9, 2019. Next Mtg are June 19 & August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019.
- Discussion: Planning for future NSTQ Secwepemc Child Welfare rights and responsibilities from 10 years from now. What happens when treaty is processed and what is the nation going to do about Ministry of Children and Families (MCFD) and Community, Family, & Community Service Act (CFCSA). How will bands, designate their own child safety network?

Health Caucus Meetings: Includes interior health, First Nations Health Authority

Meetings:

- Kamloops (April 15, -18, 2019) Interior Mental Wellness Forum held by First Nations Health Authority (FNHA)
- Kamloops (April 16, 2019) Social Determinants
- Penticton (May 13-16<sup>th</sup>, 2019) Interior Regional Caucus held by FNHA



- Online (May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019) Webinar Health Opioid data sharing by FNHA
- North Vancouver (May 21-24<sup>th</sup>, 2019) First Nations Primary Care & Mental Health Wellness Summit attended by Shae & Rae-Lynn. Held by FNHA.
- Health Directors Mtg (June 13, 2019) Kamloops, BC

#### Highlights of Meetings:

1. Jordan's Principle (JP): Indian Service Canada (ISC) met with Secwepemc directors and Chiefs to give feedback to Catherine Lappe and communities frustrations of the denials and length to be approved. ISC took over process and became federal responsibility. There is only one more year of funding for navigators of JP.

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2. Opioid Crisis: Communities need to create programs in communities where we hold each other accountable and step in when needed. Do not wait on outside funds before creating a plan of safety for loved ones. Opioid Agonist Therapy (OAT) Access & Utilization. Methadone plugs receptors and naloxone opens up receptors to allow breathing. We need to create safer, long term solutions. Pharmacare is partially responsible for creating opioid addiction due to after care treatment of surgeries or other medical treatments. 95% of

overdoses (OD) occurring in urban areas. Highest ones are Prince George, Kamloops, Kelowna, Victoria, Chilliwack, Surrey, New Westminster and Downtown East Side Vancouver (DTES).

#### Interior Health/FNHA:

- April 2019 (2 million dollars annually from Interior Health will begin 2019/20 to enhance services (NP, RN, LPN, care aide) in community.
- LOU 2019 Interior Health focus on a.) Mental Health & Substance Use, Primary Care, Cultural Safety
- "The Nations have requested that the Wellness Centre will be a stand-alone building/service, not to be aligned with the rebuild of Cariboo Memorial Hospital.
- **Important:** Cariboo Memorial Hospital: June 12, 2019 there will be a "Sacred Space Opening" at the hospital for new space to be built.
- May 2019 Interior Partnership Accord (PA) Renewal and Amendments.
- June 5, 2019 at the PALT Meeting final version will be signed.

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4. Grandmothers & Grandfathers group to be created and supported because they oversee our loved ones and give correction when needed.

5. BlueCross: Funding for prescription keeps being minimized. At

meetings, many communicated that FNHA needs to articulate that there should be no more cuts towards our pharma care. Instead we should continue to be covered 100% regardless. Plan W is unclear and unknown by many community members. Not

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enough dialogue occurring.

6. FNHA: Singles vaccination in process of being covered through medical for elders. Reimbursement process in place of \$350/2 times per year. Hopefully will roll out by September 16, 2019 Transportation is next planning phase to be discussed.

7. BC Governments Action Plan: Responding to Wildfire and Flood Risks April 30, 2019 Update. Over 50-page document.



## Community Activities Worker



Janae Beaulieu

Hello everyone,  
Hope you are all enjoying this nice warm weather can't believe it's already June. In May we took the kids out to Moffat Falls in Horsefly for their Pro D day outing it was beautiful and will defiantly be planning another trip out there if any other community members are interested.

We also did a Mother's Day luncheon and flower planting day, which was enjoyed by many moms in the community. We also put together spa gifts and delivered to each mom on reserve who didn't get to make it to the lunch. In June, we will be having a Father's Day BBQ on June 17<sup>th</sup> from 11-2pm if any Fathers/Grandpas are interested. I will be driving the bus in the Aboriginal Day parade and welcome anyone who is interested to tag along and help decorate the bus. Just call and let Maxine or I know, we will be meeting around the Elks Hall on June 21<sup>st</sup> around 9:00am to get prepared for the parade.

The first week of June I will be cleaning up our garden boxes and start

planting some veggies again anyone interested is welcome to join and help out.

Also, now that it is nice and weather is beautiful it would be nice to have a hiking group and start utilizing our trails that the trail crew worked so hard on over these past few years. If you are interested in joining, please give me a call at the office and let me know and we can set up dates to go out for a hike.

Until next month I hope you all stay hydrated while you're out and about enjoying this weather hope to see you all at our upcoming events or activities.



# Gardening & Mothers Day Appreciation

On Monday, May 13th, 2019 we had Gardening and Mothers Day Appreciation. Members came to make hanging baskets of flowers and tomatoes. Also every mother in the community received a gift bag for Mothers Day.





## Education Coordinator



Cheryl Chapman

this summer. Congratulations to Michaela Stinson and Trinity Shackelly our Grade 12 Grads; Christopher Cooper, Elevating Devises from Durham College; Josie Duncan, Bachelor of Science from UBC; Orden Mack, Bachelor of Visual Arts from Vancouver Island University; and, Dionne Phillips, Early Childhood Education Diploma from Thompson Rivers University. If I have missed anyone, please let me know right away!!!

out to the next community meeting and give us their input on where we are going!

We are looking for two (2) Education Committee Members, we would prefer at least one youth. If you are looking for an opportunity to contribute to the success of our Education Department please submit your letter of interest and your up-to-date resume.

**Note:** should a youth member not apply, then a youth seat will remain available. Please remember the education committee now meets monthly, if you are interested in Education or Training your funding application must be in at least one month before the start date of your program and before **4pm on the first Friday of every month.**

**SUMMER!!!!** Summer Work Programs are available here in the Education Department; Summer Children's Program – Supervisor and 2 Assistants; and a Head Start/Daycare Assistant. See Job Postings and get your applications in!

We will be welcoming Dionne Phillips to our staff at the Head Start/Daycare starting June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019, she will be supported by CCATEC in a Training On-the-Job ECE Assistant role, with the focus on her gaining the hours and experience necessary to be a full-time Early Childhood Educator.

Welcome to our two new Council Members, Mike Stinson and Crystal Harry! We'll keep you busy! Please feel free to come on up to Education and see what we're up to and share in the fun! Especially this summer.

We have received a planning grant for the Head Start/Daycare, the planning will include as many community members as we can get to share their ideas and knowledge; and we will be working with all other departments to ensure we are making the best use of all the resources available to the community and our programs and services. This ties into the work we are all doing to update the Comprehensive Community Plan which we have been following since 2010. It is interesting to see all of the accomplishments, and the goals that are in progress. I hope everyone will come

Our Youth 12-18 year olds are fundraising for their 2019 Summer Trip, we have an account set-up at the bottle depot if you would like to drop your bottles off and donate the proceeds to the Soda Creek Youth.

We have received applications for our Post-Secondary Funding and will be reviewing them next week with the hopes of supporting all students for the 2019/20 year.

Should you require additional information please contact me at 250-989-2323 #104, or email [education@xatsull.com](mailto:education@xatsull.com)

Graduation Celebrations are starting and we will be planning our annual Education Celebration which will be held at the Xats'ull Heritage Village

Stay Healthy, Happy & Safe



## Nurse Practitioner



June 10, 2019  
June 17, 2019  
June 24, 2019

10:00 am-3:00 pm

Catherine can diagnose and treat illnesses & infections, write prescriptions, fill out medical forms, manage chronic conditions, annual health screening, STI screening & diagnosis, plus much more! She would be delighted to see any community members without a family physician!

To book an appointment with Catherine, please call  
**Maxine at 250-989-2355**

## Mental Health & Addictions Counsellor



June 5, 2019  
June 12, 2019  
June 19, 2019  
June 26, 2019

11:00 - 3:00 pm

Soda Creek Health Station

Neleena Popatia is a Mental Health Nurse with over 30 years of experience. She has worked in a variety of roles and settings, e.g. clinical nurse specialist in acute and tertiary mental health in hospital, manager in community mental health, consultant and therapist in private practice, instructor in nursing school.

To book an appointment with Neleena, please call  
**Maxine at 250-989-2355**



## COMMUNITY BINGO & DINNER

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2019**  
**5:30-9:00PM**

Come join us for an evening of  
fun and dinner.  
Everyone welcome!

Soda Creek Gym  
3405 Mountain House Road, Williams Lake, BC



## Dental Therapist

**Tues, June 25, 2019**  
**11am-3pm**

**Health Station**

Cleanings, fillings, extraction,  
check ups, and a range of  
preventative services  
Please contact Maxine  
at 250-989-2355 to  
book an appointment





# Young WARRIORS

Courage in 4 Directions

**CO-ED  
Three Nations  
Youth  
Ages 13-19**

**NENQAYNI WELLNESS:**

- ▶ Land Based Activities
- ▶ Arts & Crafts
- ▶ Self Discovery
- ▶ Cultural Connections

**SESSION 1: JULY 15 · AUG 2**  
**SESSION 2: AUG 12 · AUG 30**  
**WEEKENDS (SAT & SUN): JULY 20 · AUG 24**

Registration @ Nenqayni.com  
 For More Info Call Sylvia @ 250-989-0301 or 1-888-668-4245

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## SIXTIES SCOOP CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

The Sixties Scoop Class Action concerns any registered Indian or person eligible to be registered or Inuit person who was adopted or made a permanent ward and was placed in the care of non-Indigenous foster or adoptive parents in Canada between January 1, 1951 and December 31, 1991, which resulted in the loss of cultural identity. Eligible class members could receive compensation between \$25 000 and \$50 000 depending on the overall number of eligible members.

## TO START THE PROCESS

Eligible members have until August 30, 2019 to claim compensation.

You can get free support by calling **1 844 287-4270** or writing to [sixtiesscoop@collectiva.ca](mailto:sixtiesscoop@collectiva.ca)

Professionals will assist you in the completion of claim forms.

Visit [sixtiesscoopsettlement.info](http://sixtiesscoopsettlement.info) for more information

**60'S  
SCOOP**





The Northern Shuswap Tribal Council Invites everyone to attend the National Indigenous Peoples Day Parade & Park Celebrations

**FRIDAY, June 21st**

**PARADE Starts at 10am from the Elks Hall**

**BOITANIO PARK Celebrations 11am to 3:30pm**

**Tons of Family Fun!**

Games, Face Painting, Lahal Games, Bouncy Castles,  
Food & Craft Vendors

**BOOK your vendor booth at no cost!**

**REGISTER your Parade Float!**

Call 250-392-7361 or Email: [csc@nstq.org](mailto:csc@nstq.org)



Bannock Belly Contact Person:

Noella William

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DO YOU WANT TO MAKE  
A **DIFFERENCE?**



DO YOU WANT TO HAVE A  
**POSITIVE IMPACT**  
IN YOUR COMMUNITY?

**THEN GET INVOLVED!**

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers for our Events Committee, as well as volunteers for our next event which is the National Indigenous Day, for the parade and help in the Park. Which is on Friday, June 21st, 2019 at the Boitano Park. If interested, contact Maxine at 250.989.2355 to sign up.

### Questions?

• **Lisa Lapointe**  
Chief Coroner – BC Coroners Service

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[www.gov.bc.ca/coroners](http://www.gov.bc.ca/coroners)



## JOIN US FOR **CREATIVE COMMUNITY**

**FREE**

Come along to share ideas, learn techniques & get creative with us!  
We are a community driven group-  
**EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**  
**BRING A PROJECT! BRING A FRIEND!**

LOCATION: SODA CREEK GYM  
STARTING DATE:  
SUNDAY MAY 26TH 2019  
TIME: DOORS OPEN 11:00AM  
POTLUCK STYLE: BRING A DISH

**NEXT DATE:** SUNDAY, JUNE 9TH, 2019 @ 11AM  
AND TO FOLLOW EVERY SECOND SUNDAY

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**  
[crystalrainharry@gmail.com](mailto:crystalrainharry@gmail.com)  
or leave a message at 250-989-2323

## Sales & Teach Canning

By Penny Phillips

### Penny's Sales & Teach Canning

I am selling:

Small Jars \$15.00/jar

Large Jars \$20.00/jar

- Sliced peaches
- Pears
- 2 kinds of Bing Cherries
- Crab apples
- Salmon
- Jam, strawberry/raspberry

If you are interested then please contact me, as I am doing a fundraiser for my Elders' Gathering Trip. If you want to learn, let me know and I am willing to teach.

#### Contact Us:

Home: 250-297-6411  
Cell: 250-267-7906  
Cell: 250-302-8100

#### Location:

Soda Creek, BC





### **Chief William Fathers Day Pow Wow 2019**

Join us for the 35th Annual Chief William Fathers Day Pow Wow on June 14-16, 2019 at Chief William Campsite and Arbor in Williams Lake, BC Canada. The Chief William Fathers Day Pow Wow is an opportunity to honor and celebrate both fathers and First Nations culture with competitions, dancing, special tributes and pageantry.

There will be a traditional lehal tournament on Friday at the Chief William Fathers Day Pow Wow, where teams of up to six will face each other to compete in the game that is played to celebrate powwows and gatherings. Saturday will be filled with the Traditional Pow Wow dancing, the Chief William Princess Pageant and feast. Sunday will host another Grand Entry and once again be the day of the traditional giveaway.

#### **Public Welcome -Free Admission**

#### **Pow Wow Activities & Schedule**

##### **Friday**

Lehal Tournament. Entry fee is \$100 for teams of up to 6 players.  
5 pm warm up.

##### **Saturday**

1 pm Grand Entry and Chief William Princess Pageant followed by a traditional feast  
7 pm Grand Entry

##### **Sunday**

1 pm Grand Entry followed by the traditional giveaway.

The Chief William Fathers Day Pow Wow will be hosted by Buck Sheena and Arena Director is Jim Edgar.





Please join us  
for the dedication of the new  
Sacred Space  
at Cariboo Memorial Hospital on  
Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019

We will meet at 12:45 in the Deni House Education Room

This dedication ceremony is by invitation only due to the size limitation of the Sacred Space. There will be an open house from 3:30 – 5:30 that everyone is welcome to attend.

RSVP to Thalia Vesterback, Acute Services Director, CMH  
at [thalia.vesterback@interiorhealth.ca](mailto:thalia.vesterback@interiorhealth.ca) by May 31, 2019

*The CMH Sacred Space is a quiet space  
for people of all faiths and spiritual traditions:  
patients, families, staff, physicians, visitors, volunteers  
and all those seeking comfort and solace.*

Soda Creek Health Station Events Calendar  
 Call 250-989-2355 for Appointments  
 Medical travel rides must be booked on Monday  
 For Wednesday's Travel

June 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4	5 HCC Travel Mental Health Clinician 11-3	6 1	7 Integrative Healing Session w Ciel 8:30-2:30 Yoga 12-1	8
9	10 Nurse Practitioner 10-3 Reflexology 9-4	11	12 SCIB Travel Mental Health Clinician	13 Swimming with 6 & under 11-2 Pool	14	15
16	17 Nurse Practitioner 10-3	18 Physiotherapy 8:45-12	19 HCC Travel  Mental Health Clinician	20	21 National Indig- enous Day Boitanio Park 11-3	22
23	24 Nurse Practitioner 10-3 Reflexology 9-4	25 Dental Therapist 11-3	26 SCIB Travel Mental Health Clinician Bingo & Dinner 5:30-9pm Gym	27	28	29
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**Subject: Introduction of the Parents Legal Centre - Williams Lake**

Hello,

We are with the Legal Services Society (LSS) which is the provider of Legal Aid in BC. We are contacting you because we would like to establish a working relationship with the Indigenous Communities located in our service area. The Legal Service Society opened a Parents Legal Centre (PLC) for child protection matters in both Kamloops and Williams Lake, April 1, 2019. The objective of the PLC is to become involved in the early stages of child protection concerns involving the Delegated Agencies and with Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD). The goal is to assist families in better dealing with the Delegated Agencies or MCFD interventions that could possibly lead their further involvement.

LSS may be providing legal aid to some of your members already. We would like to work with the Indigenous communities in supporting individuals and families who may benefit from PLC services. Our focus is delivering services with a culturally sensitive approach. The PLC is not trying to replace any services or supports that you may offer; instead, the PLC would like to work collaboratively and support any services that may already be provided to your members. The PLC provides a team based approach and our team consists of a Managing Lawyer, Staff Lawyer, Aboriginal Community Legal Worker and an Administrative Assistant.

We would welcome an opportunity to meet with you to introduce the PLC and we would be able to provide brochures and other informative materials about the PLC. Please feel free to circulate this letter to others within your community.

Best regards,

Renzo Caron, Lead Lawyer

Kim Carter, Lawyer

Caprice Billyboy, Aboriginal Community Legal Worker

<https://aboriginal.legalaid.bc.ca/>

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# PALLIATIVE CARE APPROACHES



**\* EDUCATION FOR COMMUNITY CARE  
AIDES/HOME SUPPORT WORKERS**

**Come out and learn:**

- ✓ Palliative approaches to care
- ✓ Self-care
- ✓ Communication
- ✓ Physical symptom management
- ✓ Team communication
- ✓ Life changes
- ✓ Receive certificate of completion

**DATE: JUNE 25, 2019**  
**TIME: 0830 – 4:30 PM**  
**WHERE: THREE CORNERS HEALTH  
SOCIETY**  
**Williams Lake, BC**



Facilitator: Shawna Whitney, RN, MPH  
Home Care Nurse Consultant, FNHA

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**\* PLEASE EMAIL TO REGISTER!**



# Four Winds Driving School

**The Xatsull presents**

## **Class 4 Orientation Driving Program**

**Dates:**

June 24, 2019      10:00am- 3:00pm

June 25, 2019      10:00am- 3:00pm

June 26, 2019      10:00am- 3:00pm

June 27, 2019      10:00am- 3:00pm

June 28, 2019      **TEST DAY**

**Where:** at Soda Creek Emporium Restaurant

**Please bring your own lunch & snacks for these days, and Coffee & water.**

The program will be offered to anyone 18 and older, who part of the Xatsull band (membership), and have no prior fines or outstanding tickets.

**Must have a clean Driving Record.**

This program will assist you in obtaining your class 4 Learners License and could help you be successful in applying for future employment.

[www.fourwindsdrive.com](http://www.fourwindsdrive.com)

**NORTHERN SHUSWAP TRIBAL COUNCIL** is seeking to fill the following Seasonal position within the Fisheries Department.

Department: Fisheries

Position: **2019 NSTC Catch Monitor - Seasonal**

Reports To: **NSTC Fisheries Resource Manager**

#### **Job Summary**

The Seasonal NSTC Catch Monitor contributes to the overall success of the NSTC Fisheries Program by undertaking the duties that are associated with meeting the deliverables of fishery catch data collection.

#### **Skills and Abilities**

1. Interact with fishers at designated areas.
2. Biological or scientific technical sampling
3. collecting data and compiling reports, verifying permits to fish that have been issued by a designated person or employee of the NSTC
4. Follow safe practices around the river and make recommendations for improved safety practices at job site or to the overall program.
5. Recognize infractions or breaking of rules and report to appropriate persons.
6. Maintaining fishing sites, ensuring that they are clean of garbage.
7. Organization and maintenance of equipment
8. Participate in employer organized events and training.

#### **Qualifications & Experience**

Applicants must be 17 years of age or older at date of hire.

Having First Aid Level 1 with transportation endorsement is also an asset, as is Swift Water Rescue Certification – Swift water Operations or higher.

#### **Working Conditions**

Some travel is required. The ideal candidate will have and maintain a valid BC Driver's License and a vehicle in good working condition with appropriate vehicle insurance to meet program needs. The successful applicant will be required to travel to designated sites, work in severe weather conditions, perform the physical requirements of the job (working/walking along river banks etc), work non-standard hours of work (evenings, late night and early morning) with minimal supervision.

**Pay Grade: NSTC pay grade 3, step 3**

For a complete job description and application package visit the Job Postings section of our website @ [www.northernshuswaptribalcouncil.com](http://www.northernshuswaptribalcouncil.com) :

Please submit applications to:

Operations Coordinator  
Northern Shuswap Tribal Council  
17 First Avenue South  
Williams Lake, BC V2G 1H4  
[administration@nstq.org](mailto:administration@nstq.org)

(250) 392-7361, ext.200 or 1-888-392-7361 Enquiries only

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 21, 2019 at 4:00 pm**

Applications will be accepted by fax (250)392-6158, hand delivery, email, or by post.

Please provide a cover letter, resume and application form with salary expectations and availability.

**\*\*NOTE\*\*** Applications received after 4:00PM on June 21, 2019 will not be considered. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

*Preference will be given to persons of Aboriginal ancestry as per Section 16(1) of the Canadian Human Rights Act.*



# **Gibraltar Mines Ltd**

## **The Natural Resources Department**

Is Searching for a:

**Water Sampler**

No Resume Required

Sign Up Sheet:

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Date Available:

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November 6th

Contact Person is: Ada Phillips, 250-989-2323 Local 120



**Soda Creek Indian Band (SCIB)**  
Employment Opportunity  
Summer Work Experience Program

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### **Summer Education Assistant/Children's Program Supervisor**

The Summer Education Assistant/Children's Program Supervisor under the direction of the Education Coordinator is an advanced summer work experience in that the student is expected to take on quite a bit of responsibility and be experienced in the type of work required. The position requires assisting in planning and implementation of a program for school aged children 5-16 years of age, from June 17<sup>th</sup> to August 30<sup>th</sup>. Planning includes involvement in contacting all parents/guardians and registering all children; ensuring appropriate locations; arranging proper transportation and nutrition requirements for the program. Assisting in supervising 2 young employees (ages 13-18) ensure all safety needs and policies are met and adhered to. Applicants must have minimum valid Class 5 BC Drivers' License and have or be willing to get First Aid, FoodSafe, and a Criminal Record Check. This is a full-time position, 35 hours/week and hours will vary depending on programming.

**Application Deadline:** SCIB Application Form is required with your cover letter and resume by **Friday, June 07<sup>th</sup>, 2019**. Applications received after **12:00PM on June 07<sup>th</sup>, 2019** will not be considered. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

**How to Apply:** By mail to 3405 Mountain House Road, Williams Lake, BC V2G 5L5, attention Deanna Dormuth, Executive Assistant; by fax to (250) 989-2300; or by email to [execasst@xatsull.com](mailto:execasst@xatsull.com). Applications must include an up-to-date resume and the SCIB job application form, available online at [www.xatsull.com](http://www.xatsull.com) or by pick-up at the Band Office.

*We welcome all qualified applicants. Preference may be given to qualified applicants of Aboriginal ancestry pursuant to Section 42 of the BC Human Rights Code. If you fall within this category and you wish to have this voluntary information considered as part of your application, please indicate this in your cover letter.*





**Soda Creek Indian Band (SCIB)**  
**Employment Opportunities**  
**Summer Work Programs**  
**July 2 – August 30, 2019**

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## **2 Summer Children's Program Assistants**

The Summer Children's Program Assistants will work within the Education Department in an advanced summer work experience, the students are expected to take on quite a bit of responsibility and be experienced in the type of work required. The position requires assisting with planning and implementation of programming for school aged children 5-12 years of age, during the months of July and August. Planning includes involvement in contacting all parents/guardians and registering all children; ensuring appropriate locations; arranging proper transportation and nutrition requirements for the program. Ensuring all safety needs and policies are met and adhered to.

These positions are intended to provide direct work experience for a secondary or post-secondary student interested or currently in the field(s) of Early Childhood Education, Teaching, Human Service Work, Social Work etc.

Applicants must have or be willing to get a minimum:

- Level 1 First Aid;
- FoodSafe, and
- A recent Criminal Record Check.

This is a full-time 30 hour per week position and hours will vary depending on activities.

**Application Deadline: Friday, June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019** applications received after **12:00PM on June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019** will not be considered. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

**How to Apply:** by sending your Soda Creek Indian Band employment application, cover letter, and up-to-date resume, by mail to 3405 Mountain House Road, Williams Lake, BC V2G 5L5, attention Deanna Dormuth, Executive Assistant; by fax to (250) 989-2300; or by email to [execasst@xatsull.com](mailto:execasst@xatsull.com) . The SCIB employment application form is available online at [www.xatsull.com](http://www.xatsull.com) or may be picked up at the Band Office.

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## **Soda Creek Indian Band Employment Opportunity For Self-Government Transition Coordinator**

### **Job Summary**

The Self-Government Transition Coordinator contributes to the overall success of the organization by working to negotiate and prepare the community for a post-Treaty self governing environment in accordance with the vision, mission and objectives of the organization. The Self-Government Transition Coordinator is tasked with developing programs to build capacity, explore alternatives to Treaty, communicate, promote and revitalize the cultural heritage and language.

The Self-Government Transition Coordinator will work to advance the Soda Creek Indian Band's goal of self-government. This will include helping to further develop Governance structures, as well as plan and initiate the transition from the *Indian Act* to a sovereign, self-governing community.

### **Skills and Abilities:**

- Understanding of laws, constitution and legal language
- Knowledge of traditional lands, culture and language
- Intermediate skills with Microsoft Office (You are capable of using large number of functions and feel confident using the program)
- Ability to use in-depth analysis and evaluation using significant innovative thinking and creativity to find answers
- Strong administration, conflict resolution, time management, interpersonal communication, proposal preparation, and negotiation skills.

### **Experience:**

- Graduation from Grade 12
- Preferred Post-Secondary degree or related experience in Political Science, First Nations Studies, Aboriginal Law or related discipline.
- Three to five years working in a related capacity to support Treaty process

### **TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT**

This is a full-time position of 35 hours a week.

### **APPLICATION DEADLINE**

A completed Soda Creek Indian Band Application Form is required with your cover letter and resume by **June 7, 2019**. Applications received after this date will not be considered. Only candidates that are eligible for an interview will be contacted. To obtain a copy of this job description and application, please visit [www.xatsull.com](http://www.xatsull.com).

### **HOW TO APPLY**

Resumes can be mailed or emailed or delivered by hand to:

Deanna Dormuth Executive Assistant  
3405 Mountain House Rd.  
Williams Lake, BC V2G 5L5

Email: [execasst@xatsull.com](mailto:execasst@xatsull.com)

Or by fax to: 250-989-2300

By 4pm – June 7, 2019

Only those selected for interview will be contacted





## **Soda Creek Indian Band (SCIB)**

Employment Opportunities

Summer Work Program

July 2 – August 30, 2019

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### **Summer HeadStart/Daycare Assistant**

The HeadStart/Daycare Assistant will work within the Education Department in the HeadStart/Daycare this is a summer work experience, the student is expected to take on quite a bit of responsibility and be experienced in the type of work required. The position requires assisting with planning and implementation of programming for pre-school aged children 6 months - 5 years of age, during the months of July and August. Planning includes involvement in contacting all parents/guardians and registering all children; ensuring activities are planned in appropriate locations; arranging proper transportation and nutrition requirements for the program. Maintaining a healthy and clean environment for the children and ensuring all safety needs and policies are met and adhered to.

This position is intended to provide direct work experience for a secondary or post-secondary student interested or currently in the field(s) of Early Childhood Education, Teaching, Human Service Work, Social Work etc.

Applicants must have or be willing to get a minimum:

- Valid Babysitting Certificate
- Level 1 First Aid;
- FoodSafe, and
- A recent Criminal Record Check.

This is a full-time 30 hour per week position and hours will vary depending on activities.

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# Community Events

Event	Date & Time	Where	Description
HCC Travel	June 5 & 19		Call Edith at 250-989-2355
Mental Health & Addictions Counsellor	June 5, 12, 19 & 26 11:00-3:00 pm	Health Station	Call Maxine at 250-989-2355 to book an appointment
Creative Community	June 9 & 23, 11am	Soda Creek Gym	Bring potluck dish to share. And a project that you are working on.
Nurse Practitioner	June 10, 17 & 24 10:00-3:00	Health Station	Call Maxine at 250-989-2355 to book an appointment
Diabetes Conference	June 11, 8:30-4pm & June 12, 8:30-12pm	Thompsons Rivers University (TRU)	For more information contact Marnie or Ruth at Three Corners Health Services Society, 250-398-9814
SCIB Travel	June 12 & 26		Call Rae-Lyn at 250-989-2355
Swimming with 6 & under	June 13, 11-2pm	Cariboo Memorial Complex Pool	Call Rae-lyn or Maxine at 250-989-2355 to sign up by June 10th.
Father's Day Pow Wow	June 14-16	Chief Will-Yum Campsite	
Father's Day Barbecue	June 17, 12-2pm	Health Station	Call Janae at 250-989-2355 if you have any questions
Physiotherapist	June 18, 8:45-12pm	Health Station	Call Maxine at 250-989-2355 to book a session
National Indigenous Day	June 21, 10-3:30pm	Boitanio Park	Parade 10 am starts at Elks Hall. Boitanio Park 11-3pm
Dental Therapist	June 25, 11-3pm	Health Station	Call Maxine at 250-989-2355 to book an appointment
Community Bingo	June 26, 5:30-9:00pm	Soda Creek Gym	Any questions call Janelle at 250-989-2355

