



Fraser River Run

Monthly Newsletter of Xatsúll First Nation



Xatsúll Honors Sobriety, Culture & Connection Page 4

Pellcwéw'lemten (Lake Fishing Moon) – May 2026



Xatsúll First Nation opposes B.C.'s proposal to suspend key provisions of DRIPA, urges the Premier to uphold DRIPA and maintain path toward reconciliation together
Any pause or amendments would break trust with First Nations in B.C. and set reconciliation back generations

April 10, 2026

Xatsúll First Nation (Xatsúll) is urging Premier David Eby to uphold British Columbia's *Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples Act* (DRIPA), warning that the plan to pause key provisions of DRIPA and the *Interpretation Act* risks undermining reconciliation and eroding the trust that has been built between First Nations and the Province.

For Xatsúll, DRIPA represents more than policy — it reflects commitments made to advance respectful decision-making and rebuild relationships grounded in recognition of Indigenous Rights and Title. It affirms what has always been true, First Nations are rights holders and decision makers, not stakeholders. The Nation says moving away from those commitments would create uncertainty and signal a step backward at a time when progress toward reconciliation is still ongoing.

“Reconciliation is built through consistent and collaborative actions rooted in respect,” said Kukwpi7 (Chief) Rhonda Phillips. “Pausing sections of DRIPA would set a precedent for amending and weakening the legislation. This risks undoing the trust that has been earned through years of constructive work and dialogue.”

Xatsúll notes that DRIPA provides a framework for collaboration that helps prevent conflict by ensuring First Nations are meaningfully involved in decisions affecting their territories. Strong relationships and clear processes are essential to long-term stability for communities, governments and industry.

“This is not just about legislation — it’s about shared decision making, consent and accountability,” said Kukwpi7 Phillips.

The Nation emphasizes that reconciliation is not achieved through words alone, but through maintaining commitments and continuing to work together in good faith. Any move to suspend or weaken DRIPA would risk returning to approaches that have historically strained relationships, delayed progress and end up back in the courtroom, creating uncertainty for all British Columbians.

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Xat'sūll First Nation Joins Easter Elders Celebration at Bonaparte First Nation

On April 4, members of Xat'sūll First Nation came together in celebration, community, and joy as they joined the Easter Elders Dance hosted by Bonaparte First Nation. The gathering was filled with laughter, music, and heartfelt connection, creating a truly memorable day for all who attended.

The Elders Dance brought together community members of all ages, honouring the wisdom and presence of Elders

in a vibrant and uplifting way. With music playing and smiles all around, the dance floor stayed alive as people celebrated not only the season of Easter but also the strength of community spirit.

One of the highlights of the day was the blanket giveaway, a meaningful and generous gesture that added to the warmth of the event. The excitement and appreciation were felt throughout the room, as each moment carried a sense

of gratitude and togetherness.

Attendees described the event as an absolute blast, filled with sunshine, laughter, and connection. It was a beautiful reminder of the importance of coming together, celebrating culture, and uplifting one another.

Events like these continue to strengthen relationships between Nations and create lasting memories rooted in joy, respect, and community pride.



Xatsūll Honors Sobriety, Culture & Connection



April has Sprung us into Spring even with Ol' Man Winter hanging on with a Vengeance!

With helping hands from the Community Services Team as whole we managed to pull off a well-attended 2nd annual Celebrating Sobriety Event. The day started with Sweat at Noon kept by David Archie. Participants reported enjoying the variety of different Sweat Lodge Keepers the Traditional Wellness department has had holding different Sweat ceremonies and this one was

another success! Community expressed their appreciation and requests for continued ceremonies moving forward. If that's not enough we kept the day going into a dinner & dance that evening! We had dinner catered by one of our Soul Food (as described by community & staff) Community Caterers to bring a delicious meal and we provided a slab of cake that did not disappoint! There wasn't a crumb left behind on both accounts! After countless hours of inquiries by the team, we were able to gather some numbers;

according to our recognition there are 68 community members celebrating sobriety, collectively Xatsull First Nation has 1055 years of Sobriety! Wow, what an amazing accomplishment! With 56 people in attendance of this day, I would say we are nothing but grateful to be able to put together a small celebration of such Huge Honors! Congratulations Xatsull! You are Strong in every way that matters! We have come out of this day with amazing feedback and bigger, better ideas for next year!





We were invited to join Stuxwtews (Bonaparte First Nation) in their event; We will build a Winter Home focused on Unity. The education and hands on experience of building a pit house holds invaluable learning. What integral knowledge to be shared amongst everyone who was able to attend!

The Sweat at Cmetēm property 4802 Hwy 97N is being closed at the request of it's builder Cecil Sheena. Cecil communicated that his knowledge keeper advised that the sweat is his responsibility to close it in a good way, to honor the ones who did their work in the sweat, to honor the land and its holders

and to honor the work that has been done on this land. The small ceremony took place on April 24th, attended by community knowledge keepers and land guardians as well as some Community Services staff.





Jennifer Stinson

Social Development Manager

Reminders

Hi everyone,

Moving forward, Monthly Renewal forms must be either dropped off with me or can be emailed to me at socdev@xat-sull.com (One can screen shot it).

Or fax it to me at 250-989-2301, by the 10th of every month, if you expect to receive your Income Assistance cheque, on SA day.

If received after, there will be a two-week delay in receiving your cheque. (See below). No exceptions.

If one has any questions, please contact me, Jennifer Stinson, Social Development Manager at my email socdev@xatsull.com or my contact number is 250-989-2323 or 250-989-2355, EXT 102

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SOCIAL ASSISTANCE MONTHLY RENEWAL DECLARATION

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT
 Provision of the information requested on this document is voluntary and is being collected in order to make a fair decision. The information will be stored in personal information bank INA/P-PU-020 and is protected under the provisions of the Privacy Act.

If you require continued Social Assistance, please complete this form and return to your local administering Authority at least 2 weeks before the next cheque issue.

- Are you still in need of Social Assistance? Yes No
- Has your marital / employment situation changed? Yes No
 If yes, explain change _____
- List any changes in your living situation (e.g. address, rent, etc.). Submit new receipts.

INCLUDE INCOME OF: GST/CHILD TAX/DISBURSEMENTS/PART-TIME - JOB /SCHOOL TRAINING ALLOWANCE, OR ANY TYPE OF EARNINGS ETC...

- Have you had any earned or unearned income this month? Yes No
 If yes, complete

Earnings	\$
Family Allowance	\$
Maintenance	\$
Unemployment Insurance	\$
Other (specify)	\$
TOTAL	\$
- Has there been any change in your assets? Yes No
 If yes, complete

Bank Account	
Property	
Other (specify)	
TOTAL	
- Is there any change in your number of dependents or their school status? Yes No
 If Yes, explain the change(s) _____

I declare that this is a true statement concerning my monthly income, assets, marital, employment, and family status. I give permission for this information to be verified and I consent to a report being obtained from any reporting agency for that purpose.

Signature of applicant	Date	Signature of spouse/common law/partner	Date
Print name		Print name	

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**HAPPY VICTORIA DAY !
Sunday May 18.**

Learning by Heart: Spring at Xat'sūll



"It is spring again. The earth is like a child that knows poems by heart." – Rilke

We often might say children learn from the earth, from nature. Rilke inverts this idea: the earth is the student, but a gifted one – knowing the poems by heart, not reciting them stiltedly. Think of muscle memory - the flowers don't think about blooming. Think of poetry – not dull lessons, nor simply cycles or patterns. Something instead that's beautiful because it exceeds utility and is slightly

excessive, slightly unnecessary. Oh, how I love this!

Tapping into what spring knows deeply, our afterschool program has been in full wonder mode throughout April! No matter what is being offered for daily activities, the students have been craving the great outdoors – soaking in the sunshine, getting a bit dirty, discovering new bugs, collecting really cool-looking sticks, climbing trees, etc. With all this wonder and fun, it's a marvel that we've had time aside to learn

Secwepemctsin fundamentals with Alicia Gilbert, make salve medicines with Mary Harry, and explore elements of nutrition and healthy, yummy food via our now-beginning 8-week (ISPARC) "Honor Your Health" program. Bonus playtime during the Pro D and early school dismissal days during the month have been helpful, to be sure. More exploring to come in May - bring it on, bring it on!

Justin Code
Youth & Recreation Supervisor
Xat'sūll First Nation





SAVE THE DATE

Graduation **CELEBRATION**

HONORING ALL
XATŚŪLL GRADUATES

(post-secondary, high school, middle school,
elementary school, kindergarten and daycare).

SUNDAY

JULY 5, 2026

Time and place will be
announced later.



XFN Welcomes a New Employee to the Team



Tanya Char Receptionist/Admin Assistant

My name is Tanya Char, and I am truly honored and proud to be working with Xats'ull First Nation. I bring with me three years of experience as a business administrator, including one year at ATCO Clearwater Camp and two years with the Tsilhqot'in National Government. I am grateful for the opportunity to contribute my skills and support the community in a meaningful way. Since joining, I have felt incredibly

welcomed by everyone I have met. The warmth and kindness within the community have made a lasting impression on me. I am also fortunate to already know several community members, whether through family connections or long-standing friendships, which makes this experience even more special. I come from a close and loving family. My mother is from Tsidedel and my father is from Tl'etingox. I am the oldest on both sides of my family. On my mother's side, there are five of us, three girls and two boys, and on my father's side, four of us, two girls and two boys. Despite our large extended family, we

remain very close and deeply connected. Because of this, family holds the most important place in my heart.

Currently, I reside at Slater Mountain Ranch with my partner. We share our home with six dogs and two cats, and we cherish spending our free time with them. They bring us so much joy with their affection, cuddles, and companionship.

I am genuinely looking forward to serving as a helpful and dedicated asset to Xats'ull First Nation. Thank you very much for the opportunity to be part of this wonderful community and am looking forward with meeting everyone.

Rose Lake Dam Works

April 1, 2026

Notice to all Rose Lake residents and surrounding area:

Construction to the Rose Lake Dam site is scheduled to occur between August and October 2026. The dam works to be performed are necessary to help manage lake levels and downstream flooding.

Lake levels are required to be lowered by approximately 24" for these works to be completed safely. This lowering will happen slowly, starting from April 2026. Work is planned to be completed by the end of Oct 2026. "

For enquiries contact:

- Dennis Elliott, Director of Capital Infrastructure, Xats'ull First Nation
- Michael Trudell Senior Dam Safety Officer

- Arash Yazdani CED, FEC, P. Eng
- Daniel Diaconu Sr. Civil Eng
- Trevor Nikodym EIT Hydrologist
- Paul Kunzins Sr. Civil Eng
- Kamran Qavami M. Sc. P. Eng
- Melony Catana Environmental Discipline Lead
- Trina Koch Environmental

Dennis Elliott
Director of Capital Infrastructure
Xats'ull First Nation
250-989-2323 Ext 147



April 24, 2026

To the Xatsùll Membership,

Re: Xatsùll First Nation Post-Treaty Governance – Community Engagement

As Treaty negotiations continue to advance, Xatsùll Chief and Council have directed the Xatsùll Treaty Team to engage with membership to gather input on post-treaty governance.

This engagement builds on earlier discussions with membership, including the community meeting held in October 2025.

No decisions have been made.

We are at a stage in the treaty process where the structure of governance must be more clearly defined. Before any direction is determined, it is important that we hear from our membership.

What we are exploring

We are seeking your input on how Xatsùll should approach governance following treaty.

This may include exploring different approaches, such as:

- **Independent governance**, where Xatsùll would have its own government, laws, and full decision-making authority; and
- **Shared governance**, where certain decisions may be made collectively with other Nations on matters of common interest.

These are examples of governance approaches that have been discussed over time. Other perspectives and ideas are also welcome.

Background

When the NStQ communities entered the BC Treaty Process in 1994, there was no defined model for post-treaty governance.

In 2005, a mandate was provided through community engagement to pursue a shared governance approach. This direction continued to be discussed over the years.

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However, that model was not formally incorporated into the Agreement-in-Principle or the current draft Final Agreement. As negotiations advance, governance must now be more clearly defined.

Where we are today

Xatsúll has continued to grow in governance capacity, economic development, land stewardship, and the delivery of programs and services to our members.

As we move forward, it is important that our governance approach reflects who we are today, our values, and our vision for future generations.

For this reason, Chief and Council are taking this time to hear directly from membership before determining next steps.

Getting Your Input

Over the coming months, Chief and Council want to hear from you.

Engagement opportunities will include:

- In-person and virtual community meetings
- Targeted discussions, including with youth, off-reserve, and urban members
- Opportunities to provide written or online feedback

Meeting dates and details will be shared with membership once confirmed.

Summaries, including minutes and key points from each engagement session, will be documented and shared through the Members Only section of the Xatsúll website.

Your input will be gathered and brought forward to Chief and Council to help inform future direction.

Important Note

This is not a vote on the Treaty itself. A vote on the final treaty will take place once negotiations are complete.

This process is focused specifically on gathering input to help guide Xatsúll's approach to governance within the treaty.

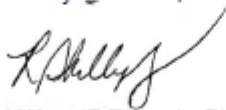
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We encourage you to participate, ask questions, and share your perspectives.

We look forward to hearing from you.

All my relations,



Kúkwpí7 Rhonda Phillips
On behalf of Xats'ül Chief and Council



COMMUNITY POST-TREATY GOVERNANCE MEETING



 **MAY 11 and 28, 2026**

 Doors open at 5:00 PM, Dinner is at 5:30 PM

 XFN Gym

Zoom : <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85971879811>

Contact Jessie at 250-989-2323 ext 120,
for rides or more information.



COME AS YOU ARE SWEAT

Friday

MAY 16, 2026

12:00 - 5:00 PM

XFN Community Services Sweat Lodge

Sweat Lodge Keeper : Irene Charley

Everyone is welcome!
Lunch will be provided.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
CONTACT:**

**Courtney at
250-989-2355 ext. 132**





MOTHERS WELLNESS DAY

for Xat'sūll community members

Calling all Xat'sūll MOMS to come out and celebrate with some self care and wellness.

MAY 8, 2026

9 AM - 4 PM
at Community Services

SPA Services available!

Please call to RSVP

250-989-2355

GATHERING OUR MEDICINE



Community Engagement Session

Join us for an opportunity to connect, collaborate, and share your thoughts on the future of our community. This session aims to foster open dialogue and gather valuable insight from community members like you. This engagement gathering offers an opportunity to honor the immense work, care, and commitment that has already been done. Whether you have ideas to share or simply want to listen. Your presence is important to us.



XFN GYM
MAY 9, 2026
LUNCHEON AT 12 PM

Gathering Our Medicine is a diverse team of Indigenous Scholar, Practitioners and Elder Knowledge Carriers with extensive experience working with Indigenous Peoples, post Secondary Institutions, Governments, non-profit and privay sector organisations, internationally to innovate approaches to teachings and learning, community and family health andwell being, adolescent, mental health, leadership and administration, and policy and practise.

**MORE
INFO**



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✦ csreceptionist@xatsull.com



Secwepemc Language Lessons

We are excited to begin offering Secwepemc language lessons for our community again!

Tuesday's

MAY 12, MAY 19 and MAY 26

4:30 – 7:00 PM

Health Board Room

Instructor: Alicia Gilbert

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81515197414>

*Food and snacks will be provided
Everyone is welcome. Please RSVP for the classes by email or call:*



EDUCATION at 250-989-2323 ext 104
or email edassist@xatsull.com

GATHERING OUR MEDICINE



Urban Community Engagement Session

Join us for an opportunity to connect, collaborate, and share your thoughts on the future of our community. This session aims to foster open dialogue and gather valuable insight from community members like you.

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KAMLOOPS
MAY 4, 2026

COAST HOTEL &
CONFERENCE CENTRE
DINNER AT 5:30 PM



VANCOUVER
MAY 6, 2026

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS
METROTOWN, CENTRAL
BOULEVARD, BURNABY, BC
DINNER AT 5:30 PM

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RESTORATIVE RETREAT

FACILITATED BY THE IRSSS TEAM



MAY 12 & 13, 2026

1:00 - 8:00 PM



Xats'ull Heritage Village

Join us for a meaningful two-day Restorative Retreat focused on healing, connection, and support. This retreat will be facilitated by the IRSSS team who previously joined us during the Child and Family Settlement gathering.



Dinner will be served at 5:00 PM



INDIAN
RESIDENTIAL
SCHOOL SURVIVORS
SOCIETY

Contact to register

Community Services 250-989-2355



**MOOSE HIDE
CAMPAIGN**
**CAMPAGNE
MOOSE HIDE**


**END VIOLENCE AGAINST
WOMEN & CHILDREN**

May 14, 2026

10 AM - 3 PM

XATŚŪLL FIRST NATION GYM

Live Feed Streaming, Campaign Information Sharing, Walk, Food & Drinks, Ceremonial Smudge, Story Telling, Wellness Support.



All nations are invited. Open to the public.

MOOSEHIDECAMPAIGN.CA

**Contact for more
information:**

familyengagement@xatsull.com
or call 250-989-2355 ext 133



Calling Our People Home

Bringing both Western Ways of Healing and Native Ceremonies Together to Help Those Living with Addictions.

CEREMONIES
SMUDGING
BRUSHING OFF
DRUMING & SINGING
PRAYERS



TREATMENT & DETOX
OPTIONS
HARM REDUCTION
CARE PACKAGES

We are all in this together. Addiction knows no boundaries; it's in our community, families, and homes. Come join Xat'sull First Nation as they bring together healers from all walks of life to help those living with addictions.

JUNE 17, 2026
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Boitanio Park, Williams Lake, BC

ALL ARE WELCOME!



Danny: 778-444-7474 - danielkennedyconsulting@gmail.com
Courtney: 250-989-2355 ext 132 - wellness.worker@xatsull.com



FRIDAY, MAY 1

HOUSING
HOUSING RENT DUE

DATE: Friday, May 1, 2026

COMMUNITY SERVICES
COMMUNITEA 'STYEYEM

DATE: Friday, May 1, 2026

TIME: 12 - 3 p.m.

LOCATION: Health Boardroom

CONTACT: Community Services Office
250-989-2355



YOUTH
KID'S BOARD GAMES

DATE: Friday, May 1, 2026

TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.

LOCATION: XFN Gym

INFO: ages 5 - 12

CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

YOUTH
DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Friday, May 1, 2026

TIME: 5 p.m.

LOCATION: XFN Gym

INFO: ages 13 - 18

CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

MONDAY, MAY 4

YOUTH
GYM SPORTS

DATE: Monday, May 4, 2026

TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.

LOCATION: XFN Gym

INFO: ages 5 - 12

CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES
CARRYING OUR CULTURE

DATE: Monday, May 4, 2026

TIME: 4 - 5:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Community Services

CONTACT: 250-989-2355

YOUTH
DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Monday, May 4, 2026

TIME: 5 p.m.

LOCATION: XFN Gym

INFO: ages 13 - 18

CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES
DAY TREATMENT

DATE: Monday, May 4, 2026

TIME: 5:30 - 7 p.m.

LOCATION: Community Services

CONTACT: 250-989-2355

COMMUNITY SERVICES
GATHERING OUR MEDICINE URBAN GATHERING KAMLOOPS

DATE: Monday May 4, 2026

CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

TUESDAY, MAY 5

COMMUNITY SERVICES

FOOD BANK

DATE: Tuesday, May 5, 2026
 TIME: 9:30 - 10 a.m.
 CONTACT: 250-989-2355



COMMUNITY SERVICES

FOOT CARE

DATE: Tuesday, May 5, 2026
 INFO: book appointment
 CONTACT: Community Services Office
 250-989-2355

COMMUNITY SERVICES

MASSAGE THERAPY

DATE: Tuesday, May 5, 2026
 TIME: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
 LOCATION: Community Services
 INFO: book appointment
 CONTACT: Community Services Office
 250-989-2355

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

INTERVIEW WEEK

DATE: Tuesday, May 5, 2026
 LOCATION: Community Services
 CONTACT: Jennifer S. socdev@xatsull.com

YOUTH

ARTS & CRAFTS

DATE: Tuesday, May 5, 2026
 TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 5 - 12
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YOUTH

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 6

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

MID-MONTH

DATE: Wednesday, May 6, 2026
 LOCATION: Community Services
 CONTACT: Jennifer S. socdev@xatsull.com

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COMMUNITY SERVICES

FOOT CARE

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 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

COMMUNITY SERVICES

ELDERS LUNCHEON

DATE: Wednesday, May 6, 2026
 TIME: 12 p.m.
 LOCATION: Community Services
 CONTACT: Community Services Office
 250-989-2355

COMMUNITY SERVICES

FITNESS CLASS

DATE: Wednesday, May 6, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym

COMMUNITY SERVICES

DENTAL THERAPY

DATE: Wednesday, May 6, 2026
 TIME: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
 LOCATION: Community Services
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

YOUTH

COOKING

DATE: Wednesday, May 6, 2026
 TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 5 - 12
 CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

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COMMUNITY SERVICES

GATHERING OUR MEDICINE URBAN GATHERING VANCOUVER

DATE: Wednesday, May 6, 2026
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

THURSDAY, MAY 7

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

HOUSEHOLD BILLS & MONTHLY RENEWAL DUE

DATE: Friday, May 8, 2026
 CONTACT: Jennifer S. socdev@xatsull.com

CALENDAR

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

INTERVIEW WEEK

DATE: Thursday, May 7, 2026
LOCATION: Community Services
CONTACT: Jennifer S. socdev@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

GUIDED HANDS HEALING

DATE: Thursday, May 7, 2026
TIME: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
LOCATION: Community Services
CONTACT: Community Services Office
250-989-2355

YOUTH

KID'S CHOICE DAY

DATE: Thursday, May 7, 2026
TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
INFO: ages 5 - 12
CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

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FRIDAY, MAY 8

COMMUNITY SERVICES

MOTHERS DAY SPA DAY

DATE: Friday, May 8, 2026
TIME: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
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250-989-2355

YOUTH

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SATURDAY, MAY 9

COMMUNITY SERVICES

GATHERING OUR MEDICINE COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

DATE: Saturday, May 9, 2026
TIME: 5:30 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

MONDAY, MAY 11



COMMUNITY SERVICES

REFLEXOLOGY

DATE: Monday, May 11, 2026
TIME: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
LOCATION:
INFO: book appointment
CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

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TREATY

MEETING

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LANGUAGE LESSON

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

COMMUNITY SERVICES

PHYSIO THERAPY

DATE: Wednesday, May 13, 2026
 TIME: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
 LOCATION: Community Services
 INFO: book appointment
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

YOUTH

COOKING

DATE: Wednesday, May 13, 2026
 TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 5 - 12
 CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Wednesday, May 13, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 13 - 18
 CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

FITNESS CLASS

DATE: Wednesday, May 13, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym

THURSDAY, MAY 14

COMMUNITY SERVICES

MOOS HIDE CAMPAIGN

DATE: Thursday, May 14, 2026
 TIME: 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 CONTACT: Sabrina: familywellness@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

HEALING TOUCH

DATE: Thursday, May 14, 2026
 TIME: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
 LOCATION: Community Services
 INFO: book appointment
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

YOUTH

KID'S CHOICE DAY

DATE: Thursday, May 14, 2026
 TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 5 - 12
 CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Thursday, May 14, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 13 - 18
 CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

SWIM NIGHT

DATE: Thursday, May 14, 2026
 TIME: 5:30 p.m.
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

FRIDAY, MAY 15

COMMUNITY SERVICES

COMMUNITEA 'STYEYEM

DATE: Friday, May 15, 2026
 TIME: 12 - 3 p.m.
 LOCATION: Health Boardroom
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

CALENDAR

YOUTH

KID'S BOARD GAMES

DATE: May 15, 2026
TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Friday, May 15, 2026
TIME: 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
INFO: ages 13 - 18
CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

SATURDAY, MAY 16

COMMUNITY SERVICES

SWEAT LODGE

DATE: Saturday, May 16, 2026
TIME: 12 - 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Sweat Lodge
CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

TUESDAY, MAY 19

COMMUNITY SERVICES

FOOD BANK

DATE: Tuesday, May 19, 2026
TIME: 9:30 - 10 a.m.
CONTACT: 250-989-2355

COMMUNITY SERVICES

MASSAGE THERAPY

DATE: Tuesday, May 19, 2026
TIME: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
LOCATION: Community Services
INFO: book appointment
CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

YOUTH

ARTS & CRAFTS

DATE: Tuesday, May 19, 2026
TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
INFO: ages 5 - 12
CONTACT: Justin: rtp@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Tuesday, May 19, 2026
TIME: 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
INFO: ages 13 - 18
CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com



COMMUNITY SERVICES

LANGUAGE LESSON

DATE: Tuesday, May 19, 2026
TIME: 4:30 - 7 p.m.
LOCATION: Health Boardroom
CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

SA-DAY

DATE: Wednesday, May 20, 2026
LOCATION: Community Services
CONTACT: Jennifer S. socdev@xatsull.com

YOUTH

COOKING

DATE: Wednesday, May 20, 2026
TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
INFO: ages 5 - 12
CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Wednesday, May 20, 2026
TIME: 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
INFO: ages 13 - 18
CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

FITNESS CLASS

DATE: Wednesday, May 20, 2026
TIME: 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym

FRIDAY, MAY 22

COMMUNITY SERVICES

COMMUNITEA 'STYEYEM

DATE: Friday, May 22, 2026
TIME: 12 - 3 p.m.
LOCATION: Health Boardroom
CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

YOUTH

KID'S BOARD GAMES

DATE: May 22, 2026
TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
LOCATION: XFN Gym
CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Friday, May 22, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 13 - 18
 CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

MONDAY, MAY 25

YOUTH

GYM SPORTS

DATE: Monday, May 25, 2026
 TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 5 - 12
 CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Monday, May 25, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 13 - 18
 CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

CARRYING OUR CULTURE

DATE: Monday, May 25, 2026
 TIME: 4 - 5:30 p.m.
 LOCATION: Community Services
 CONTACT: 250-989-2355

COMMUNITY SERVICES

DAY TREATMENT

DATE: Monday, May 25, 2026
 TIME: 5:30 - 7 p.m.
 LOCATION: Community Services
 CONTACT: 250-989-2355

TUESDAY, MAY 26

COMMUNITY SERVICES

FOOD BANK

DATE: Tuesday, May 26, 2026
 TIME: 9:30 - 10 a.m.
 CONTACT: 250-989-2355

YOUTH

ARTS & CRAFTS

DATE: Tuesday, May 26, 2026
 TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 5 - 12
 CONTACT: Justin: rtp@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

LANGUAGE LESSON

DATE: Tuesday, May 26, 2026
 TIME: 4:30 - 7 p.m.
 LOCATION: Health Boardroom
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27

YOUTH

COOKING

DATE: Wednesday, May 27, 2026
 TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 5 - 12
 CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Wednesday, May 27, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 13 - 18
 CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

FITNESS CLASS

DATE: Wednesday, May 27, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym

THURSDAY, MAY 28

COMMUNITY SERVICES

INDIAN BOARDING HOMES CLASS ACTION

DATE: Thursday, May 28, 2026
 TIME: 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
 LOCATION: Health Boardroom
 INFO: Claim Support
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

YOUTH

KID'S CHOICE DAY

DATE: Thursday, May 28, 2026
 TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 5 - 12
 CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Thursday, May 28, 2026
 TIME: 5 p.m.
 LOCATION: XFN Gym
 INFO: ages 13 - 18
 CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

SWIM NIGHT

DATE: Thursday, May 28, 2026
 TIME: 5:30 p.m.
 LOCATION: Community Services
 INFO: book appointment
 CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

CONTACTS

TREATY

MEETING

DATE: Thursday, May 28, 2026

TIME: 5:30 p.m.

LOCATION: XFN Gym

FRIDAY, MAY 29



COMMUNITY SERVICES

COMMUNITEA 'STYEYEM

DATE: Friday, May 29, 2026

TIME: 12 - 3 p.m.

LOCATION: Health Boardroom

CONTACT: Community Services 250-989-2355

YOUTH

KID'S BOARD GAMES

DATE: May 29, 2026

TIME: 3:30 - 5 p.m.

LOCATION: XFN Gym

CONTACT: Mikayla at afterschool@xatsull.com

YOUTH

DROP IN YOUTH PROGRAM

DATE: Friday, May 29, 2026

TIME: 5 p.m.

LOCATION: XFN Gym

INFO: ages 13 - 18

CONTACT: Justin at rtp@xatsull.com

OTHER EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Chiwid Transition House
250-398-5658

RCMP Victim Services
250-392-8709

Aboriginal Victim Services
250-305-2350

Suicide Crisis Line
1-800-784-2433

Gateway
250-302-3261

Hospital
250-392-4411

BC Nurses Help Line
811

Youth Help Line
1-800-668-6868

All Nations Healing House
778-417-0405

First Nations Health Authority
1-855-550-5454

AA Helpline
1-604-434-3933

Emergency
911

Three Corners Health Services
250-398-9814

Crisis Response Team
250-305-8496

Residential School Crisis Line
1-866-925-4419

Kids Help Phone
1-800-668-6868

Hope for Wellness Helpline
1-855-242-3310

XFN EMERGENCY CONTACTS

General
250-267-9771

Infrastructure & Housing Needs
250-267-9955

Health & Wellness, Child, Family & Elders Needs
250-267-1152

Mental Health & Substance Use
250-267-2066



ADMIN-COMMUNICATIONS ASSISTANT

Type of Position: Full Time

Closing Date: Open until filled

About the Position:

Xatsūll First Nation (XFN), a dynamic Indigenous community, is seeking a dedicated and detail-oriented Admin-Communications Assistant to join our team. Located near the vibrant city of Williams Lake, our Nation is deeply rooted in our rich heritage, culture, and breathtaking natural surroundings. With a population of 125 band members residing on-reserve and 300 off-reserve, our Nation continues to grow and prosper.

The Admin/Communications Assistant plays a key supportive role within the Treaty Department by providing day-to-day administrative assistance and supporting internal and external communications related to treaty negotiations, governance transition, and community engagement. Reporting to the Treaty Manager, this position helps ensure that operations run smoothly and that accurate and timely information is shared with Xatsūll leadership, community members, government representatives, and partner organizations.

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SELF-GOVERNANCE COORDINATOR

Type of Position: Full Time

Closing Date: Open until filled

About the Position:

Xatsúll First Nation (XFN), a dynamic Indigenous community, is seeking a dedicated and detail-oriented Self-Governance Coordinator to join our team. Located near the vibrant city of Williams Lake, our Nation is deeply rooted in our rich heritage, culture, and breathtaking natural surroundings. With a population of 125 band members residing on-reserve and 300 off-reserve, our Nation continues to grow and prosper.

Reporting to the Treaty Manager, the Self-Governance 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-Governance Coordinator is responsible for developing programs to build capacity, explore alternatives to Treaty, communicate, promote and revitalize cultural heritage and language. The Self-Governance Coordinator works to advance the Xatsúll First Nation's goal of self-government. This includes helping to further develop governance structures, as well as plan and initiate the transition from the Indian Act to a sovereign, self-governing community.

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INDIGENOUS GUARDIAN

Type of Position: Full Time

Closing Date: Open until filled

About the Position:

Xatsūll First Nation (XFN), a dynamic Indigenous community, is seeking a dedicated and detail-oriented Indigenous Guardian to join our team. Located near the vibrant city of Williams Lake, our Nation is deeply rooted in our rich heritage, culture, and breathtaking natural surroundings. With a population of 125 band members residing on-reserve and 300 off-reserve, our Nation continues to grow and prosper.

Reporting to the Director of Lands & Natural Resources, the Indigenous Guardian is responsible for contributing to the overall success of the organization by implementing Xatsūll First Nation's (XFN) environmental, cultural heritage resource, and archaeological monitoring and stewardship program. The Indigenous Guardian works with Lands and Natural Resources Department staff and others to implement an environmental, cultural heritage resource, and archaeological monitoring program that conserves and protects these values and supports XFN's strategic goals, title, rights, and interests.

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CULTURAL MONITOR

Type of Position: Full Time

Closing Date: Open until filled

About the Position:

Xat'sull First Nation (XFN), a dynamic Indigenous community, is seeking a dedicated and detail-oriented Cultural Monitor to join our team. Located near the vibrant city of Williams Lake, our Nation is deeply rooted in our rich heritage, culture, and breathtaking natural surroundings. With a population of 125 band members residing on-reserve and 300 off-reserve, our Nation continues to grow and prosper.

Reporting to the Director of Lands and Natural Resources, the Cultural Monitor plays a key role in protecting and upholding Xat'sull First Nation's cultural heritage. The Cultural Monitor is responsible for participating in archaeological assessments, cultural site monitoring, and environmental fieldwork throughout the territory. This role involves fieldwork in diverse and sometimes challenging conditions and requires a commitment to cultural safety, community knowledge, and environmental stewardship.

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