

# Musqueam Community Newsletter FRIDAY June 29, 2023

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# Musqueam Fire Ban BC Wild Fire

Effective Immediately within the Coastal Fire Centre's jurisdiction (BC Parks, Crown lands and private lands), campfires will only be allowed on Northern Vancouver Island, the mid-coast portion of the mainland and on Haida Gwaii.

#### Fires:

**Backyard fire** (open fires) **BANNED:** a fire bigger than 1ft 8inches in height and in width and is used by any person for recreational purpose, or by a first nation for a ceremonial purpose, due to hot and dry conditions of the summer predictions

<u>Campfire</u> (semi-closure) BANNED: a fire no higher than 1ft 8inches in height and in width and is used by any person for recreational purpose, due to hot and dry conditions of the summer predictions

<u>River fire</u> (open fire) <u>BANNED</u>: is bigger than a backyard fire close to a dry grassy area, due to hot and dry conditions of the summer predictions

<u>Propane fire</u> (controlled) **Permitted:** controlled propane fire-pit is permitted even when all others are banned

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### **OFFICE CLOSURE**

PLEASE BE INFORMED
THAT MUSQUEAM ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
WILL BE CLOSED ON
MONDAY JULY 3, 2023
~ STATUTORY HOLIDAY!
WE WILL RE-OPEN REGULAR HOURS ON TUESDAY ~ JULY 4, 2023.

HAVE A SAFE AND HAP-PY LONG WEEKEND!!





# Musqueam Rights Recognition



# **Online Information Sessions**

Self-Government
Agreement

Thursday, June 29

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Learn how Musqueam can implement our ancestral right to create our own laws and decisions about our governance.

What is rights recognition?

Wednesday, July 5
6pm
Zoom

Join the negotiating team to learn about how Musqueam can implement our inherent rights within our territory.

Zoom registration at www.musqueam.bc.ca/events

## MUSQUEAM INDIAN BAND



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June 30, 2023

Musqueam Lands Notice Canada Land Surveyors – Aplin and Martin Ltd.

Musqueam Lands have contracted Canada Land Surveyors Aplin and Martin to conduct surveys on Musqueam Indian Reserve no. 2 Lands. Kweyacan Guerin is Survey Monitor assisting in the field work. The Surveyors will recommence work, currently underway, on July 13, 2023.

Please let me know if you've any questions or concerns.

Kim A. Guerin
Lands Governance Officer
<a href="mailto:kim@musqueam.bc.ca">kim@musqueam.bc.ca</a>
604-329-7916

## Musqueam Education Notice Friday June 30, 2023

### **Education Awards**

Education awards are now available for Musqueam Band members!!

**GRADE 12 GRADUATES** – If you graduated this June, please submit your final report card, Dogwood Certificate and BC Ministry of Education transcripts to the Education Department, to receive your award.

**GRADE 8 – 11** – If you are interested in receiving an academic award please submit your final report card to the Education. The top academic student in each grad will receive an award.

## **Graduating Musqueam High School Students**

If you are considering going to a post-secondary institution in September, please contact the Education dept to discuss your plans and get a copy of the MIB Post Secondary Funding Application package. If you need any help or would like to discuss your options or find out more information about post-secondary funding for students graduating from high school please feel free to email or call.

Grade 12 Musqueam band members are eligible to receive support for graduation costs including dinner tickets, outfits, and photos. Please contact the Education Department for more information.

#### **SCHOOL BUS INFO**

If your child(ren) is planning on riding the school bus this year, please contact the Education department to fill out the MIB School Bus Form.

<u>Children are required to wear a mask at all times on the bus.</u> If your child is sick please keep them home.

It is strongly recommended that parents/caregivers wait with their young children at the bus stop until they are on the bus.



#### **Education Department:**

Faye Mitchell, Education Manager:

fmitchell@musqueam.bc.ca

**Lucetta George-Grant, Education Advocate:** 

education.advocate@musqueam.bc.ca

**Cary Campbell, School Bus Driver** 

Kymberlee Stogan, School Bus Supervisor

Ph. # 604 - 263 - 3261; Fax # 604 - 263 - 4212

Toll free: 1-866-282-3261

#### Municipal Relations Student

### **Detailed Job Description**

#### BE PART OF THE TEAM THAT BRINGS THE WORLD TOGETHER

#### **Career Opportunity: Municipal Relations Student**

The Port of Vancouver is Canada's largest, and the third largest in North America by tonnes of cargo, facilitating trade between Canada and more than 170 countries. The Vancouver Fraser Port Authority is responsible for the stewardship of the federal port lands in and around Vancouver, British Columbia. Be a part of a team that is leading the growth of Canada in a manner that enhances the well-being of Canadians and inspires national pride. We are committed to delivering economic prosperity through trade, maintaining healthy ecosystems, and enabling thriving communities.

The municipal relations team engages with local governments throughout the port authority's jurisdiction. We are hiring a highly motivated post-secondary student to work with the municipal relations team to support engagement programs and activities.

#### **ACCOUNTABILITIES**

- Review council agendas and municipal associations to monitor resolutions and find items related to port activities and deliver weekly report to internal stakeholders
- Compile and distribute report to internal stakeholders and elevate key issues in a timely manner
- Undertake special research projects to support municipal and stakeholder relations activities, as needed

#### **EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE**

To apply for this position, you must be a full-time student who has completed at least one year of post-secondary education with plans to return to your studies for the spring 2023 semester. Preferred candidates will be working towards a communication, public relations, international relations, political science or English program or related field. Experience with research and reporting is an asset.

The successful candidate must have proficiency with MS Office applications, have excellent communication skills (written and verbal) with a high attention to detail, and the ability to juggle multiple priorities.

#### **SPECIFIC COMPETENCIES**

You are an independent and self-motivated individual with excellent interpersonal skills, including tact, diplomacy and strong research and reporting abilities. You are enthusiastic, outgoing, detail oriented, reliable and resourceful, and a creative thinker. You have an excellent command of the English language, both oral and written. Previous experience in communications, or process management is an asset.

#### **WORKING CONDITIONS**

The position will be fully remote. If desired, there is an option to work out of the Delta Community Office on Saturdays.

#### **NORMAL HOURS OF WORK:**

Term from August 2023 to December 2023. Extension dependent on program funding and student eligibility.

This position will work up to 7.5 hours per week.

RATE OF PAY: \$25.00 per hour



The health and safety of our employees is a priority, and the Vancouver Fraser Port Authority is committed to ensuring a safe workplace. Vaccinations, in combination with other preventative health and safety measures, offer the best available protection against COVID-19 and that is why port authority employees are required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. Providing proof of vaccination against COVID-19 is a condition of employment.

Candidates may be accommodated for this requirement if they are approved for a legal exemption; accommodation may be requested only for religious and medical reasons, or other protected grounds under the Canadian Human Rights Act. If you're seeking accommodation to the COVID-19 vaccination requirement, please indicate your request during the recruitment process.

Vancouver Fraser Port Authority is dedicated to employment equity and a workplace reflective of the diversity of our community.

#### **About Us**

As a Canada Port Authority governed by the <u>Canada Marine Act</u>, our mandate is to responsibly facilitate Canada's trade through the Port of Vancouver, the country's largest port. We are accountable to the federal minister of transport, and we work for the benefit of all Canadians.

#### **Our Mission**

Our mission is to enable Canada's trade objectives, ensuring safety, environmental protection and consideration for local communities.

#### **Our Vision**

Our vision is for the Port of Vancouver to be the world's most sustainable port.

#### **Our Definition Of A Sustainable Port**

A sustainable port delivers economic prosperity through trade, maintains a healthy environment, and enables thriving communities through collective accountability, meaningful dialogue and shared aspirations.

Learn more about our approach to sustainability.

#### **Our Values**

- Accountability
- Continuous Improvement
- Collaboration
- Customer Responsiveness





COMMUNITY HEALTH

Amana Lalli, Community Health Nurse, & Arlene Haldane, Assistant.

#### **Moms & Tots Program**

Musqueam Health Department Moms and Tots Program

## STRAWBERRY JAM CANNING WORKSHOP



## TUESDAY JULY 11TH 12-2PM ELDERS CENTRE

COME JOIN KYMBERLEE STOGAN IN MAKING YOUR OWN STRAWBERRY JAM. SIGN UP WITH AMANA, CHN @ 604-362-9200 OR AT THE BAND OFFICE

MAX. 12 PARTICIPANTS









#### COMMUNITY HEALTH

Amana Lalli, Community Health Nurse, & Arlene Haldane, Assistant.





OPEN TO FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN FROM AGES OF 5 AND UNDER. COME JOIN OUR HYGIENIST ON TIPS ON ORAL CARE, BRUSHING, CLEANING AND WITH YOUR CONSENT FLOURIDE AND VARNISH.

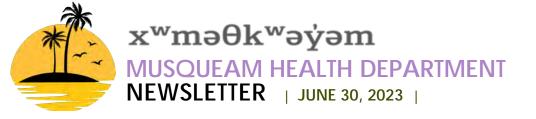
12 SPOTS AVAILABLE FOR 30 MINUTES APPOINTMENTS EACH.

TO REGISTER, PLEASE CONTACT CHN, AMANA at 604-263-3261 or MERV KELLY or ARLENE

DATE: JULY 24, 2023

TIME: 9AM TO 12 NOON

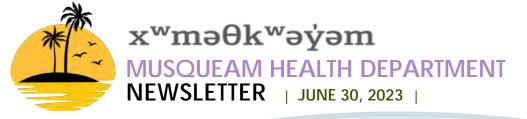
LOCATION: YOGA ROOM AT HEALTH CTR.



#### LAND BASED HEALING PROGRAM

Patricia Isaak





## **MERV's Walking Challenge Continues!**

## join us for the

#### WALK-TO-WELLNESS CHALLENGE

Next group session: July 4 & 5, 2023

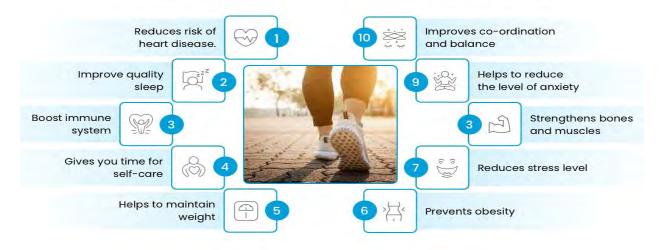
Meet at Elder's Centre

Time: 10:30am TO 11:30am

**Prizes:** Participant's names will be entered in a draw to win a prize for a Fitbit for the

most groups attended.

#### 10 BENEFITS OF WALKING DAILY

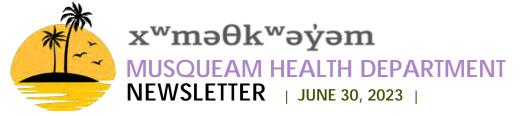


<u>WHAT TO BRING</u>: Wear comfy walking shoes, preferably runners. Bring a hat, wear sunscreen and please bring any mobility aids that you may use.

WHAT WILL BE PROVIDED: Walking poles, fruit and water as needed. You may bring your own snack if you like.

If you would like for us to pick you up on the way and are not able to meet at the café. Please let Arlene, Merv or Amana know at the numbers listed below.

Amana CHN, Arlene or Merv at 604-263-3261 to register.



MUSQUEAM NATIONAL NATIVE ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE PROGRAM (NNADAP)

#### SAFE USING CAN SAVE YOUR LIFE

# Nasal naloxone | test your drugs first | lifeguard app | safety plan around using even if recreational

Dear Musqueam Community,

The NNADAP & Health Dept would like to take this time to share with you options for Harm Reduction measures for safe using and abstinence if you choose from drugs and alcohol. We have a number of resources available to the community here are a few.

#### Suicide prevention line

24/7/365 (1-833-456-4566)

#### **Dial 211**

A support line for **all of life's challenges**; including information & obtain referrals to physical & mental health resources, housing, utility, food & employment assistance; suicide & crisis intervention

#### **LifeGuard App & How it works**



When someone is about to use, especially alone, they can open the app and record the type of substance they are using and confirm their location. The app will hold this information, and a timer is set which can be paused or extended by the app user at any time.

As the timer ends, the app will sound an alarm, flash a light, and vibrate. The user must hit a button to stop the alarm and indicate they are

fine. If they are unable to stop the alarm, a text-to-voice call will go straight to 9-1-1. This alerts emergency medical dispatchers.

# NNADAP worker Contact & what our dept offers

#### **Brad Morin**

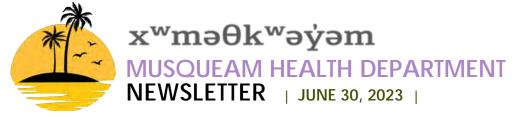
Wed - Fri 6-9pm

& Sat - Sun 1-5pm

Ph: 604-652-1368

#### What we offer

- ♣ 1-1, Family & Group counselling
- Treatment referrals
- Detox support
- Relapse prevention planning
- Family Interventions
- Referrals to outside mental health agencies
- Harm reduction gear
- Drug testing strips
- Clean supplies



#### MUSQUEAM HOME & COMMUNITY CARE PROGRAM

Romeo Cosio, RN, Musqueam Home Care, Nurse & Arlene Haldane, Assistant.

The Musqueam Home Care Program is available to our community members to assist with hospital discharges, home care aides, all medical supplies & equipment. All Home care services & medical equipment require a note from your doctor with your needs specified.

HOME CARE CLIENTS: If you will not be home during your scheduled HCA visit, please contact the Home Care Assistant or Romeo.

Home Care Nurse Romeo's Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday - Friday from 8:30-5:30 Tuesdays - Off

Phone: 604-269-3463 | Email: homecare@musqueam.bc.ca

Arlene Haldane office hours: Tues.- Fri. 8:30-4:30 | Phone: 604 269 3354 | Email: nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca

\*If there is no answer please leave a message. \*For Emergencies Call 911 \*

#### SAFE DRINKING WATER MONITORING PROGRAM

Charlene Campbell-Wood

#### **First Nations Safe Drinking Water**

#### Run Until Cold

Run Until Cold Contact your Environmental Health Officer for more information:

environmental.health@fnha.ca Sometimes, tap water can contain small amounts of lead and copper, which can have long-term health effects during the early years for infants and children. That risk can be reduced by running cold water for 15 to 30 seconds before drinking



## MUSQUEAM PRIMARY CARE CLINIC

Musqueam Elders Centre, 4010 Si Lu Drive, Vancouver BC V6N 4K7

<u>Located in the Primary Care Trailer</u>

(Clinic closed 12:00pm - 1:00pm for lunch)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Jul. 03	Jul. 04	Jul. 05	Jul. 06	Jul. 07
	Dr. Dumont, GP	Karen Chandra, NP	Karen Chandra, NP	Karen Chandra, NP
CLINIC CLOSED	9:30am – 3:30pm	Jane Estey, NP (virtual) 9:30am – 3:30pm	Jessica Peart, NP (locum) 9:30am - 3:30pm	9:30am – 3:30pm

#### Call 604-266-0043 to book an appointment

Please leave a voicemail if you cannot get through - we will return your call as soon as possible.



Unable to attend your in-person or virtual appointment? Please notify us as soon as possible.

Please be available 15 minutes before and after your scheduled appointment call.



**Naloxone kits available.** (Injectable or Nasal Spray)

<u>Please do not leave kits in a car.</u> Contact to replace an expired kit.



**Prescription running low?** Please book an appointment a few days in <u>advance</u>. Or, ask your pharmacy to send us a refill request.



Our clinic has <u>reached capacity</u>. Call the clinic to be added to the **patient waitlist**. Please note that we are <u>no longer a walk-in clinic</u>.



**Influenza vaccines** available, call the clinic to schedule an appointment. Injectable flu vaccine available for ages 6 months and up.

#### Dr. Anamaria Richardson

from Granville Pediatrics will be working in Musqueam once a month.

Next Visit: July 12, 2023.

To book an appointment, please call their Granville office at 604-423-4803.

#### Alternate Resources

#### **FNHA Virtual Doctor of the Day**

Call **1-855-344-3800** to book an appointment.

Available 7 days a week from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Telephone or virtual appointments via zoom.

Available to First Nations people and their family members, even if those family members are not Indigenous.

#### Walk-In Clinics Nearby

Highroads Medical: 5960 E Boulevard (Kerrisdale) WELL Health: 2077 W 42<sup>nd</sup> Avenue (Kerrisdale)

Check wait-times for BC Walk-in Clinics at http://medimap.ca



# KNOWLEDGE + SKILLS + CONFIDENCE

put life back in your life

## **Diabetes** Self-Management Program



- Enhance daily activities
- ✓ Learn to balance activity, nutrition and medication to better manage symptoms
- ✓ Communicate effectively with your health care team
- ✓ Take action and live a healthy life!

## **FREE** Six-Session Workshop for Adults with Diabetes

Family Members and Friends Welcome

DATES/TIME: Thursdays, June 8 until July 13, 2023

10:00am to 12:30pm (snacks 12:30 until 1:30pm)

LOCATION: Musqueam Youth Centre, 6777

Salish Drive

To register please sign up with Merv Kelly at 604-269-3455 or Amana Lalli CHN at 604-362-1900.

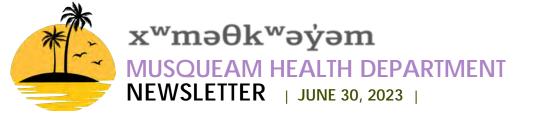
www.selfmangagementbc.ca

\*\*Self-Management BC programs follow a scent-free policy. For the health and consideration of other participants, please refrain from wearing fragrances in our workshops. Thank you!\*\*









#### MUSQUEAM ELDERS CENTRE

Brenda Campbell, Elders Coordinator

Ph: 604 263 - 6312







#### **LADIES GROUP**

When: Every Tuesday

Time: 1-4pm

Location: Elders Centre

#### **ELDER'S LUNCHEON:**

When: Wednesday, July 12

Time: 12:00 Noon

Location: Elders Centre

\*Elders only

#### **ELDERS CHAIR EXERCISE**

When: Thursday, July 6

Time: 1pm

Location: Elders Centre

**MUSQUEAM YOUTH CENTRE** 

## **YOUTH CENTRE**



The Youth Centre hours will be open from:

Phone: 604-269-3465

9:00am—9:00pm Monday—Friday

Please note the Youth Centre will be Closed on: Monday July 3, 2023

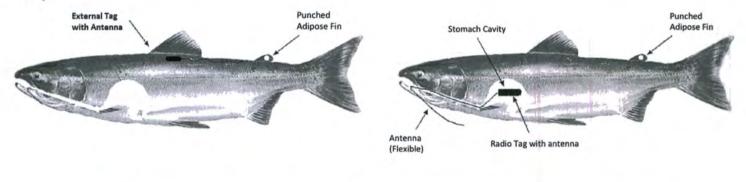
If your Child Is **younger than 7** they must have a guardian who is **older than 14** with them at all times who will care for them.

Children 0-6 withouta parent or guardian will be sent home.

## **ATTENTION ALL HARVESTERS**

Researchers with Fisheries and Oceans Canada, in partnership with First Nations and the Province of BC, are tagging Chinook and Sockeye salmon with radio tracking transmitters to evaluate adult salmon migration success associated with the Big Bar landslide.

Radio tracking transmitters are either attached to the back below the dorsal fin or inserted into the stomach cavity.







The numbers printed on the radio tracking transmitters uniquely identify individual salmon and their migration behaviour through the Fraser River and its tributaries.

Please report the tag numbers along with the date and location of capture or recovery to

BigBarTag@gmail.com

Or turn the tags in with the above information through your local catch monitoring program.

The information will be used to help understand the impacts of the Big Bar landslide and improve our understanding of salmon migration biology.

Thank you.