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**Band Office closed on Monday, February 19 for Family Day.**

*Enjoy the time with family!*

**SPECIAL PURPOSE MEETING**

Audit presentation of Consolidated Financial Statements FY23

Thursday, February 29, 2024

Dinner: 5:30 Meeting: 6pm

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**sʔáyeʔ cards**

See back page for the English of our special həńqəmińəń Valentine's cards!

**nə sweʔ čx<sup>w</sup>**

You are mine



## MEMBERS NOTICE

# SPECIAL PURPOSE MEETING

### Audit presentation of Consolidated Financial Statements FY23

Presented by MNP

Musqueam Indian Band's Consolidated Financial Statements for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2023 will be presented to Musqueam membership on:

**Thursday, February 29, 2024**

Dinner: 5:30

Meeting: 6pm

Musqueam Gym

This is an important meeting that everyone is encouraged to attend.

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#### What is an audit?

An audit looks back at previous financial statements. They are conducted by an independent body, called an auditor, and take several months to complete.

In 2022, Musqueam passed our own *Financial Administration Law*. Prior to this, Musqueam was governed by the *First Nations Financial Transparency Act*, which applied to all First Nations/Indian Bands in Canada.

Under both laws, Musqueam is required to undergo an annual audit by an independent third-party. Musqueam's audit includes a thorough review of things like financial operations, assets, cash flow, surplus, and overall financial position.

Once complete, the audit is reviewed and recommended to Musqueam Council by Musqueam's Finance & Administration Committee. The final step is to present the audit to membership and post on our website.

#### Want to know more?

All members are welcome to contact Musqueam Finance by calling reception and asking for Jay Gill: 604 263-3261

See 2022 or 2021 financial statements: [musqueam.bc.ca/financial-statements](https://musqueam.bc.ca/financial-statements)

# Celebrate one year until the Invictus Games Vancouver Whistler 2025!



- Wheelchair Basketball
- Sitting Volleyball
- Wheelchair Curling
- Indoor Rowing

## Unconquered Sports Day with Invictus Games

February 19 (Family Day)

10am - 4pm

Seaforth Armoury  
1650 Burrard St., Vancouver

Try adaptive sports featured in the first ever Winter Invictus Games.

Free & family friendly!

All ages and abilities welcome!

Special opportunity to visit the home of the Seaforth Highlanders.



Scan this QR code to visit the Eventbrite page.



WE'RE  
 hiring!



[musqueam.bc.ca/careers](https://musqueam.bc.ca/careers)

Contact for more information:

**Kia Coles, HR Manager**  
[kcoles@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:kcoles@musqueam.bc.ca)

**Musqueam is hiring for these permanent, casual, full-time and part-time roles.**

- Senior Archeologist Team Lead
- IT Administrator
- Council Secretary
- Prescribing Health Nurse
- Community Health Nurse
- Intergovernmental Projects Analyst
- Intergovernmental Project Coordinator
- Drug & Alcohol Worker (term)
- Lands Governance Director
- Youth Outreach Worker
- Casual employment opportunities



## EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING

### Career & Trades Exploration Program



**February 20 - April 11**

8-week program

3 days a week (Tues - Thurs)

Classes held in Musqueam

### STARTS NEXT WEEK!

This program is an opportunity to enhance your skillset and explore career options in many different trades.

Krista Brisk, Coordinator

604-269-3461

kbrisk@musqueam.bc.ca

### Musqueam 101

Wednesday, February 21

*No Musqueam 101 on Wed. Feb. 21 because it is reading break at UBC.*



### Roberta's Trash Talk



Next recycling pick up:  
Friday, February 23



Next garbage & green bin pick up:  
Friday, March 1

## SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Paperwork deadline

**Tuesday, February 20**

March payments issued

**Friday, March 1**



## Mobile Mammogram Clinic

Thursday, March 7

Starts at 10am



The BC Cancer Mobile Mammography Bus is returning to Musqueam.

Screening mammograms are available for BC women 40 years and older with no symptoms, and only take about ten minutes.

To book an appointment, you must meet all eligibility requirements set out by BC Cancer and submit a registration form to Arlene in the health department. Forms are available from the health department, on our website, or by email.

Contact Arlene Haldane for questions or to receive a form:

604-263-3261      nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca



*Supporting the fighters, admiring  
the survivors, honouring the taken  
& never giving up hope!*

## Safe water monitoring Charlene Campbell-Wood

*From the First Nations Health Authority*

Looking at what the weather in Vancouver will be in the next week, it looks pretty warm. It's one of those weeks where the heat is high and your mouth gets dry. That's your body's way of saying your dehydrating. Especially if you are playing sports or not. Please do your body good!

If you like a little flavor, slice some lemons or limes and leave a pitcher or your water jug/bottle refrigerated! Enjoy!

## Primary Care Clinic

Located in the Primary Care Trailer, 4010 Si-Lu Drive

### Open Monday to Friday

Closed for holiday on Monday, February 19

**Hours** 9:30am - 3:30pm

*Closed for lunch: 12-1pm*

**Book an appointment** 604-266-0043

## Pediatric Care

Dr. Anamaria Richardson from Granville Pediatrics is working in Musqueam. Contact Granville Pediatrics (604-423-4803)

Next scheduled visit:  
March 13 & 14

## Indigenous Wellness Program

Contact: 604-682-2344 ext.62937  
IWL@providencehealth.bc.ca



**Providence  
Health Care**  
How you want to be treated.

Indigenous Wellness Liaisons are here to support self-identified Indigenous patients and families at Providence Health Care. Their services are free, and include:

- access to cultural practices, including the All Nations Sacred Space and Traditional Medicines
- day-to-day consultation and navigational support
- supporting cultural interpretation and health literacy translation services
- discharge planning and family support
- connections to community resources and supports
- helping support provision of culturally safe care

### UBC Active Kids

No session February 21



Next session: Wednesday, February 28  
4:30 - 5:30pm Musqueam Gym

Ages: 3-5

Under 3 can attend with an adult

A partnership with UBC School of Kinesiology & Musqueam Health.

### Elders Centre

4010 Si Lu Drive

#### Elders Lunch

Wednesday, February 28  
12 pm

#### Ladies Group

Tuesdays  
1 - 4 pm

### Youth Centre

Monday - Friday  
2 - 9pm  
604-269-3465

Children younger than 7 must be with someone older than 14 who will care for them, otherwise they will be sent home.

## Mental Wellness & Addiction

*Looking for support? We can help you.*

### Brad Morin, Drug & Alcohol Worker

604-652-1368  
[nnadap.bmorin@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:nnadap.bmorin@musqueam.bc.ca)

Mondays & Fridays: 5:30-9:00pm  
Saturdays & Sundays: 10:00-5:00pm

Private counselling services are available to Musqueam people via phone or virtually.

### Janice Cross, Wellness Counsellor

236-558-9977  
[mentalwellness@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:mentalwellness@musqueam.bc.ca)

### Janice Carroll, Art Therapist

778-829-0242  
[jcarroll@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:jcarroll@musqueam.bc.ca)

## Musqueam Rights Recognition

**Wordsearch**

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Musqueam

Autonomy

Indian Act

UNDRIP

Membership

Self Governance

Inherent Right

Status

Canada

Tax

**Saint Michael Church***6386 Crown Place, Musqueam Reserve*

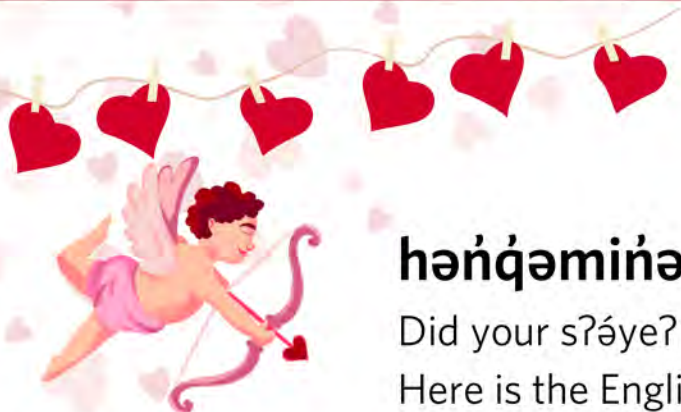
Service every Sunday at 1pm

Contact Jeannie Campbell : 604-781-5641

# Happy Valentine's Day!

## hə́ŋqəmińə́m sʔə́yeʔ cards

Did your sʔə́yeʔ give you a hə́ŋqəmińə́m Valentine's card?  
Here is the English for the hə́ŋqəmińə́m phrases!



**ʔə́ystamə cən**  
I like you



**nə sweʔ čx<sup>w</sup>**  
You are mine



**wə ńan čx<sup>w</sup> wə nə sʔiʔ**  
I love you  
*You are what I desire*  
(romantic, not for your grandma!)



**sə́iqtəl' ct**  
We are perfect for each other  
*We are evenly matched*



**ʔə́yʔə́ymət čx<sup>w</sup>**  
You are beautiful

