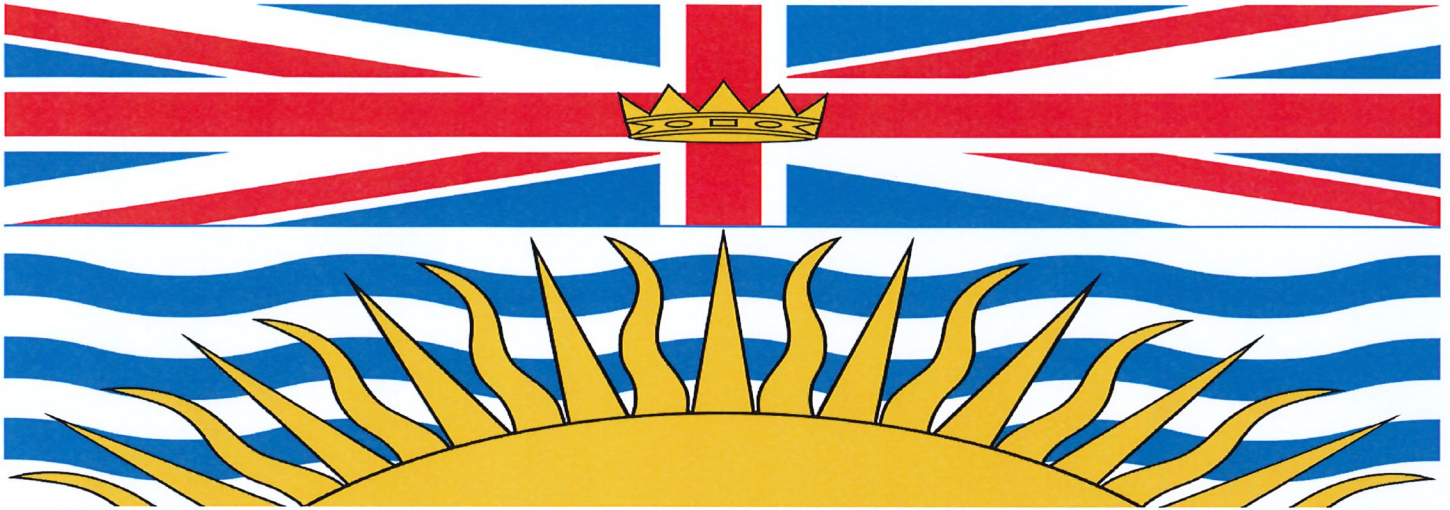


Xwisten Newsletter



August 2023



The Office will be Closed on August 7 for BC Day!

There will not be a band meeting in the month of August.



Bridge River Indian Band

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12210 Joseph Road

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Health Fax: 250-256-2443

Lands Office Phone: 250-256-7997

Xwisten Community Dinner

Presentation by

Ecoplan "Xwisten Election Code"

Date: August 2, 2023

Time 4:30pm - 8:00pm

Xwisten Gymnasium



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July 31, 2023

To Xwisten Members,

Re: Xwisten July Newsletter Update

We hope you are keeping cool and drive safe out and about.



The following are updates for this month:

- **Fire Ban remains in place due to extreme dry weather conditions**
- **Water Restrictions for filling swimming pools, precautionary measure for potential fire and to call Bridge River Management to fill your pool**
- Band has purchased two rancher fire suppression tanks with pumps to assist with fires
- **Reminder for Fire Smart clean up, general garbage**, including vehicles, for emergency services and personal, having access to yard and home encase of emergency and local services, especially due to extreme dry weather conditions
- In preparation for fire prevention: Homeowners are responsible for cleaning up around their houses and the Band has a trailer for members to use
- **Please check your uninsured vehicles around your home for fire prevention. These vehicles are a health hazard and combustible with the fuel and oil remaining. This is the homeowners responsibility to remove unused vehicles, you are protecting yourself and your Xwisten community**
- **Xwisten Fire Volunteers still looking for new members** ongoing and recruitment barbeque happening again soon
- **Current Band job postings:** ECE Worker, Janitor, Finance Office Clerk, Fisheries Technician, Education Coordinator, Headstart/Daycare Manager, Lands Manager, Interim-Elders Coordinator, Home Maker, check our website and Facebook for more information
- **Reminder to those with outstanding House Arrears to make a re-payment plan and thank you to Members who are following through with their commitments**
- Xwisten Community Bus now operating
- **Reminder to review Draft Election Code, now approved by Indigenous Services Canada for ratification** and will be presented August 2nd 4:30pm Community Dinner
- Telus Internet Fibre installation project, estimated to be completed this Fall
- If you have a questions, concerns or recommendations to call the Band office and you can also write them and use the drop box outside the Band office

Gary Forsyth
Administrator

AUGUST 2023						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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NOTICE

XWISTEN COMMUNITY DINNER

Presentation by
Ecoplan ***"Xwisten Election Code"***

Date: **August 2, 2023**
Start Time: **4:30pm**
Location: **Gym, Band Office**

Join us for presentation on the draft Xwisten Election Code
and next steps "ratification process"

Voting to approve new Xwisten Election Code will take place
on revised date **October 15, 2023**

(date changed due to Electoral Officer family funeral travel)



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July 31, 2023



Notice for WATER RESTRICTIONS

Water demands increase in the hot weather

Due to current heat wave, precautionary measure for potential fire, please water as per below:

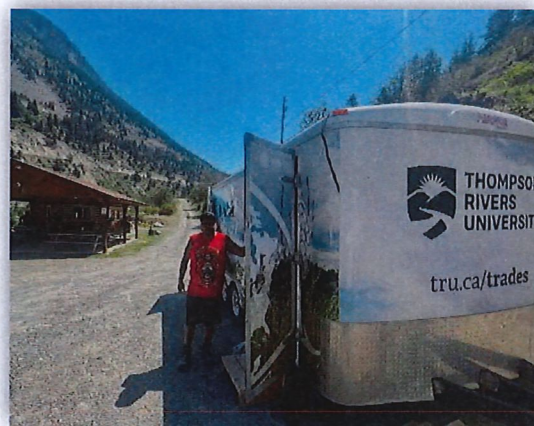
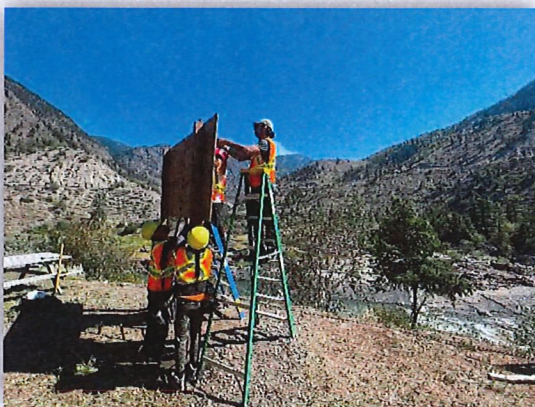
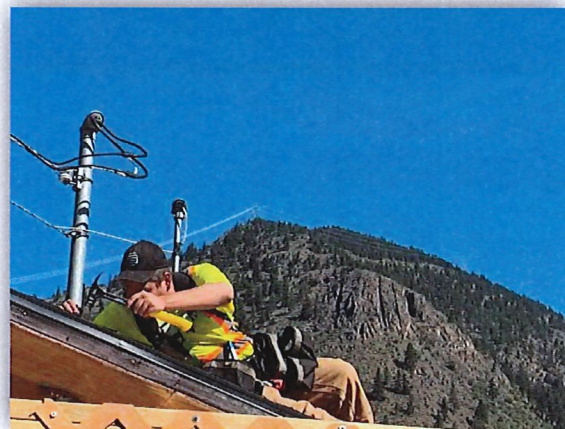
- ✓ **Please do not fill your swimming pool**, which drains our reservoir and to call Bridge River Management Office 250-256-4061 for water delivery to fill up your swimming pool or to find another source to fill your pool

**Thanks for your cooperation
Bridge River Band Office**



Bearfoot Grill was fortunate to have **Thompson Rivers University Residential Building Maintenance Program** come complete much needed upgrades to our facility.

We thank you from the bottom of our hearts for all the hard work and professionalism you provided.



2023 COMMUNITY LINK BUS SCHEDULE

Bridge River Indian Band **FREE** Bus Service Operates Monday – Friday July – September 2nd

Bridge River Band Office	9:00 AM	11:50 AM		3:05 PM		5:35 PM
Bridge River Main Village	9:15 AM	11:35 AM		2:50 PM		5:20 PM
Bridge River Orchard Springs Subdivision #1	9:20 AM	11:30 AM		2:45 PM		5:15 PM
Bridge River Orchard Springs Subdivision #2	9:25 AM	11:25 AM		2:40 PM		5:10 PM
Bridge River Band Office	9:30 AM	11:20 AM		2:35 PM		5:05 PM
Xwisten Experience Tours	9:35 AM	11:15 AM	11:55 AM	2:30 PM	3:10 PM	5:00 PM
Hop Farm Taylor/Homestead Rd (Country Store)	9:40 AM	11:10 AM	12:00 PM	2:25 PM	3:15 PM	4:55 PM
Buy-Low Foods	9:45 AM	11:05 AM	12:05 PM	2:20 PM	3:20 PM	4:50 PM
Adult Ed Center / Food Bank	9:50 AM	11:00 AM	12:10 PM	2:15 PM	3:25 PM	4:45 PM
Post Office	9:55 AM	10:55 AM	12:15 PM	2:10 PM	3:30 PM	4:40 PM
Rec Center	10:00 AM	10:50 AM	12:20 PM	2:05 PM	3:35 PM	4:35 PM
T'tit'q'et Band Office	10:10 AM		12:30 PM		3:45 PM	4:25 PM
Train Station	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	12:35 PM	1:05 PM	3:50 PM	4:20 PM
Lightfoot Gas Station	10:20 AM	10:40 AM	12:40 PM	1:00 PM	3:55 PM	4:15 PM
Seton Lake	10:30 AM		12:50 PM		4:05 PM	

Times listed are departure from bus stop – Please arrive at the bus stop area 5 minutes early to ensure the bus stays on schedule.

Thank you!

INTERESTED IN AGRICULTURE?

WE NEED 10 PARTICIPANTS

To Assemble
Our New Greenhouse
At the Community Garden
(1-2 Weeks)

- AGES 16+
- SAFETY BOOTS & HARDHAT PROVIDED
- FIRST AID CERTIFICATION
- FOODSAFE CERTIFICATION
- 15 CREDITS TOWARDS ANY KPU PROGRAM
- \$300.00 INCENTIVE UPON COMPLETION
- HEAVY-DUTY CANVAS WORK JACKET
UPON COMPLETION
- POSSIBILITY OF ADDITIONAL AGRICULTURE
TRAINING AFTER WITH HONOURARIUM FOR
THOSE WHO EXPRESS AN INTEREST TO WORK
IN OUR COMMUNITY GARDEN

PLEASE CONTACT
JENNIFER PHILLIPS 250-256-7423 EXT. 232

EDUCATION.COORD@XWISTEN.CA

TO SIGN UP

Back
to
School

ATTENTION

PARENTS &
CAREGIVERS

PLEASE FILL OUT
AND RETURN
STUDENT

CONSTENT
FORMS BY
SEPTEMBER 15,
2023

PLEASE CALL OR
EMAIL THE
EDUCATION
COORDINATOR IF
MORE FORMS
ARE NEEDED

EDUCATION.COORD@XWISTEN.CA

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Parental Consent for release of grades and attendance 2023-2024

To Parents: By filling out the following form, you are applying for school supply funds for the 2023 - 2024 school year. This form also gives consent for the Bridge River Education Department to access your child(ren)'s grades and attendance from their schools. Bridge River Education Coordinator is the last emergency contact if necessary.

To Schools: The following is a permission to release a copy of student grades and monthly attendance of the listed student(s) to the Bridge River Band Education Department for the 2023-2024 school year.

Name of Mother	Name of Father	Name of Guardians if applicable						
Contact Numbers	Contact Numbers	Contact Numbers						
W: C:	W: C:	W: C:						
Mother Email Address	Father Email Address	Guardians Email Address						
Mailing Address	Mailing Address	Mailing Address						
Street Address	Street Address	Street Address						
Emergency Contact Name #1	Relationship	Authorized to Pick/Up						
		Yes No						
Emergency Contact Name #2	Relationship	Authorized to pick up						
		Yes No						
		C:						
Student Name (Alias in brackets)	School Attending				Grade	Age	Birth Date Month/Day/Year	Band Number (10 digit#)
	Cayoosh	GMM	LSS	Preschool Other				

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Please fill out for all children attending Lillooet Secondary (High School) in 2023/2024

By filling out this form, you are helping the Education Department prepare its budgets to meet student needs for the 2023/2024 school year.
Please circle all that apply for each student.

Student Name	Graduating in June 2022? (Fees & Pictures) Circle one	Enrolled in Elective Courses? (Supplies and Fees) (Course selection form required)
	YES NO	Woods Metals Clothing & Textiles Foods Photography Art
Participating in Field Trip / School Teams (Travel & Fees)		
Basketball	Rugby	Soccer Volleyball Ski Trips

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Photography class requires a payment for students to keep their negatives and a damage deposit of \$50.00. Bridge River Band will sign for the damage deposit, so parents do not have to pay the \$50.00 damage deposit up front. However, if the camera is damaged, the parent and student will be billed for the \$50.00.



XWISTEN HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Phone: 250-256-7423 Fax: 250-256-2443

Sharing Circles

in the Health Boardroom

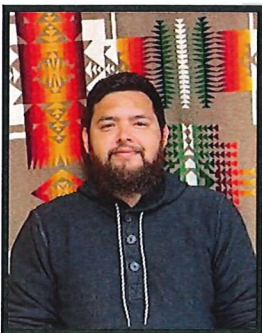
**Every Tuesdays & Wednesdays with
Community Wellness Coordinator Rocker Brady**

August 1st & 2nd

8th & 9th, 15th & 16th, 29th & 30th 2023

from 5pm – 7pm

Door Prizes: \$50 Gas Card & \$50 Buy Low



Rocker Brady

Community Wellness Coordinator

P: (250)-256-7423 ext. 235 E: communitywellness@xwisten.ca

Xwisten Members are welcome to drop by my office to chat, or call for any suggestions, support, and resources. Harm reduction kits, nasal naloxone kits, and alcohol & drug test strips are available for free, just ask for Rocker.

BRIDGE RIVER HEALTH DEPARTMENT

NEW DATE



JOIN US FOR A

SUMMER DAY CAMP BBQ LUNCH FUNDRAISER

COME HELP SUPPORT YOUTH'S SUMMER YEAR-END TRIP!

ALL BY DONATION!!

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1st, 2023

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8th, 2023

Location: Health Office Parking Lot

Time: 11:00am – 1:00pm



HAMBURGERS

GREEN SALAD



WATER BOTTLES



XWISTEN

HEALTH

DEPARTMENT

XWISTEN SUMMER DAY CAMP BOTTLE DRIVE FUNDRAISER

The youth are fundraising for their summer year end trip.

Come help support our youth!

Davis, Rocker & kids will be coming through the community door-to-door to pick up empty bottles and cans. **NOTICE: if you're not home, you can leave bag of empties at the end of your driveway, and we will come pick them up!**

UPPER AND LOWER RESERVE

DATE: FRIDAY,

AUGUST 4, 2023

TIME: 9:00AM – 12:00PM



THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING
OUR XWISTEN YOUTH
SUMMER DAY CAMP
PROGRAM! 😊

**2023
AUGUST
14-16**

XWISTEN



MUSIC AND DANCE LEARNING
KOREAN CULTURAL SHARE
TEAM BUILDING ACTIVITY
GAME AND SPORTS

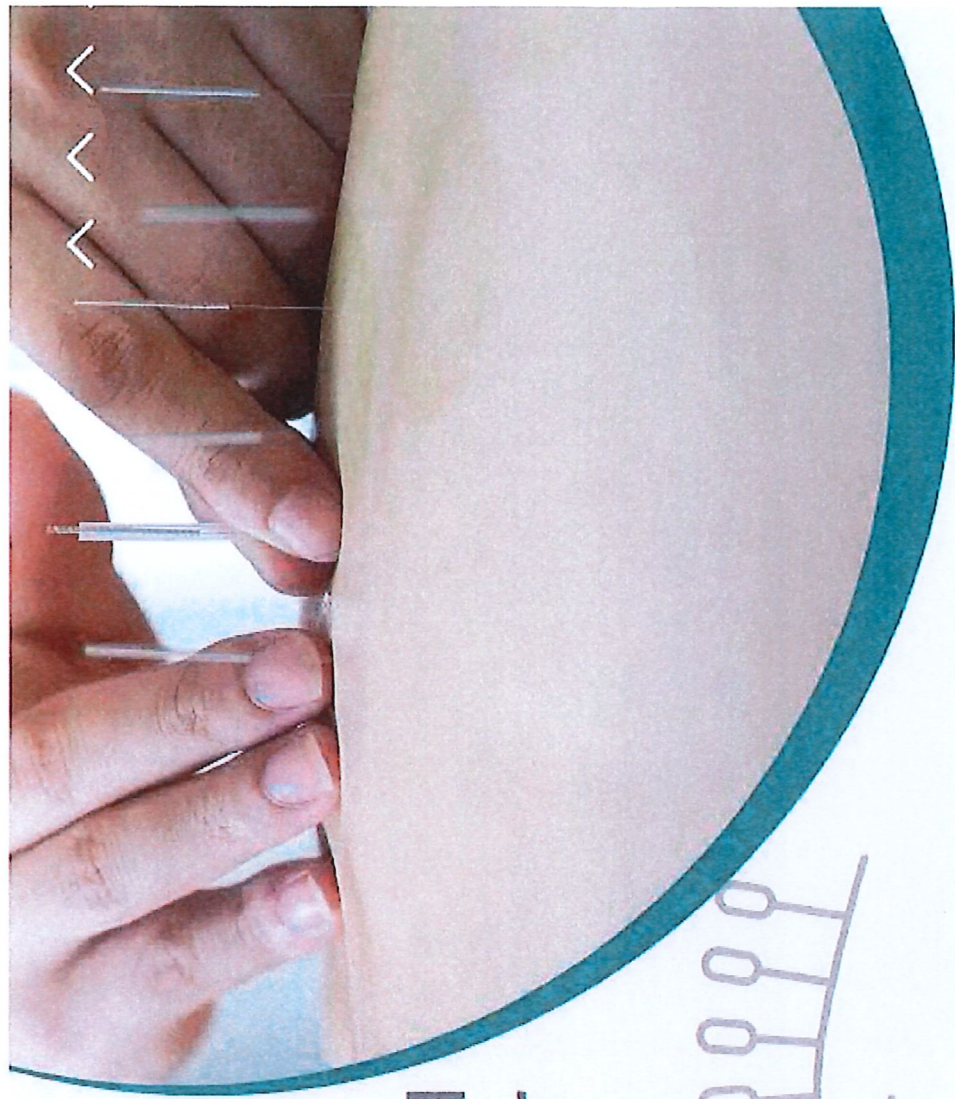
AUG 14-16
MON-WED
9AM - 4PM

INDIGENOUS OUTREACH SOCIETY OF CANADA

2023 ACUPUNCTURE TREATMENT

Aug 14 : 9am-3pm Wed
Aug 15 : 9am-3pm Thur

@Bridge River Band



Munsu Lee

- REGISTERED ACUPUNCTURIST
- REGISTERED HERBOLAGIST
- REGISTERED TCM PRACTITIONER
- GRADUATE DOCTORATE PROGRAM OF TRADITIONAL CHINESE MEDICINE IN PCU
- BA, Mdiv (MASTER OF DIVINITY) IN TWU

Call Angelica to book an Appointment!



XWISTEN HEALTH DEPARTMENT



***DR. HUMBER** WILL BE IN
XWISTEN HEALTH OFFICE*

DATE: TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 2023

APPOINTMENT TIMES: 9:00am – 12:00pm

***BOOK AN APPOINTMENT WITH ANGELICA AT
healthreception@xwisten.ca***

OR 256-7423 EXT. 237



XWISTEN

HEALTH

DEPARTMENT



DENTAL HYGIENIST, NEENA & THE DENTIST

WILL BE IN XWISTEN HEALTH OFFICE

AUGUST 24th: NEENA FOR CLEANING

AUGUST 25th: NEENA & DENTIST

9:00AM – 3:00PM

Has it been more than a year since you last had your teeth cleaned?

Do you have a smell from your mouth?

Do your teeth look or feel "fury"?

Do you floss regularly? If not, there's probably bacteria on your teeth that the toothbrush misses.



Cleaning is so important to keep our teeth from breaking down and getting cavities.

Come see Neena the Hygienist for a cleaning and you will receive a water flosser at no charge!

**CALL the HEALTH RECEPTIONIST ANGELICA TO
BOOK AN APPOINTMENT NOW!**



Wear a purple ribbon



*International Overdose
Awareness Day*

August 31

Lunch 11-3 at the Health Department

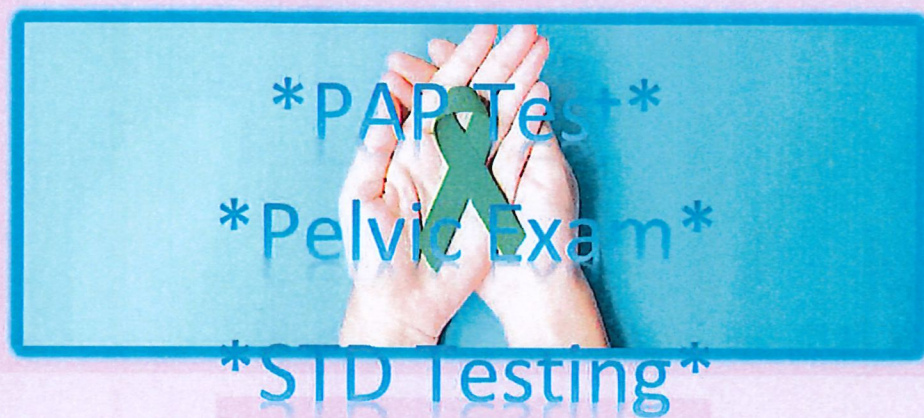
Pick up a purple ribbon and a kit

Sponsored by:

Community Wellness and Home and Community Care

Women's clinic

3rd Thursday of the month



Get a pharماسave card at your appointment!

Xwisten Health Department

Home and Community Care

Hillary Jones RN

Call 250-256-7423 EXT.234 to book an
appointment.

Foot Care Wednesdays



at the Health Department

Specialized Care for your feet and toenails by:

HCCN Hillary Jones, RN

To book your appointment call Angelica

Phone:

250-256-7423 EXT#237



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Job Posting

HOMEMAKER

Permanent Part-time Position and can work into Fulltime assisting Elders Coordinator

Xwisten Social Development requires one homemaker to provide housekeeping services to Elders and adults requiring in home care on reserve, while the person is home. This person must be reliable, have good communication skills, and have their own transportation. The hours are flexible but a regular schedule must be maintained with the elders to be respectful of their time.

Duties – General Housekeeping including:

- Floors: Sweep / Vacuum / mop floors
- Clean & Sanitize bathroom (tub, toilet, vanity, floors)
- Change bedding
- Dusting
- Dishes (Wash, Dry, & Put Away)
- Collect garbage & recycling and take to bins
- Annual cleaning including cleaning cupboards, washing walls & appliances, shampooing the rugs.

Qualifications:

- Previous experience working with Elders
- Previous Cleaning experience
- Excellent Communication Skills
- Physically Fit to complete the tasks listed above
- Ability to clean efficiently in the limited hours allotted
- Reliable Transportation to the homes
- Preference will be given to Bridge River Band Members & Community members

Wage: \$25.00 per hour minimum ~ Depending on experience

Deadline: August 11, 2023

While we welcome all candidates, only those selected for an interview will be contacted

To apply submit resumes and cover letter to:

Gary Forsyth, Administrator
Bridge River Indian Band
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JOB POSTING

ELDER'S COORDINATOR

(28 hrs per week) – **Interim to February 2024**

Bridge River Indian Band is seeking to fill a full-time position of Elder's Coordinator. The Elder's Coordinator works under the supervision of the Social Development Coordinator.

Duties Include:

- Organizing the Elders Luncheon's, special outings with the Elders, activities and events for the elders to participate in. Encouraging Elders to pass on their knowledge to younger generations.
- Informing and encouraging all Elders to attend all events in the community.
- Coordinating the travel plans, registration, and bookings for the Annual Elder's Gathering.
- Organizing fundraising events only as needed to cover additional expenses of the program (for example: conferences, out-of-town trips, special meals, food and supplies).
- Applying for grants and subsidies to assist and enhance the program.
- Working with the Social Development Program, Health Program, Recreation, and Education Program to deliver activities and programs.
- Keeping records and submitting reporting as required.
- Other duties as assigned by Chief and Council or the Administrator

Qualifications:

- Previous experience working with Elders;
- Good communication skills;
- Basic Computer Skills (typing, word processing, publishing, and excel)
- Good record keeping skills and budgeting skills;
- Valid First Aid and Transportation Endorsement Certificates;
- Food Safe Certified;
- Valid Driver's license and reliable vehicle (Class 4 an asset);
- Preference will be given to Bridge River Band Members.
- Must be willing to submit a criminal record check with vulnerable sector search.

Wage: \$19.00 per hour based on experience & qualifications

Hours: Varies due to shiftwork schedule

Deadline: **August 11, 2023** and we welcome all candidates, only those selected for an interview will be contacted

Send Resume AND Cover Letter to:

Bridge River Indian Band

Attention: Gary Forsyth, Administrator

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JOB POSTING

EDUCATION COORDINATOR

The following Job description identifies the work to be carried out by the Education Coordinator. Under the direction of Chief & Council and Administrator, the Education Coordinator is required to properly supervise and manage the overall Education programs (Provincial Schools, Post-Secondary, Occupational Skills and Training, and Trades)

Duties and Responsibilities Summary:

- Encourage students in their academic work and support the student in maintaining regular attendance, and appropriate behavior.
- Maintain open lines of communication between school personnel, students, parents, First Nation Support Workers and community agencies.
- Maintain a caseload of Bridge River students and members on and off reserve.
- Provide monthly reports to the Administrator, case load report including home visits, student attendance and meetings attended.
- Authorizing all Education expenditures pertaining to education.
- The development, review and revision of the education policies - Xwisten Post-Secondary, Occupational Skills Training policies, including recommendations for changes in policy to Council.
- Ensure are reports and renewal applications are submitted by the required deadlines (ie. nominal roll, PSSR, etc).
- Preparing and monitoring the budgets and expenditures of all education programs.
- Other duties required by Administrator, or by Chief and Council

Qualifications:

- Must have Grade 12 or equivalent, minimum Post-Secondary education: Bachelor of Education/Administration/Social Services or other related diploma/degree program
- Advanced computer skills including Microsoft Office applications (Word, Excel, Outlook, Internet), knowledge or experience with database (student record systems) is required
- Have excellent listening, oral and written experience with good report writing skills and asset
- Experience with financial monitoring, reporting, tracking, documentation, bookkeeping experience is considered an asset, knowledge of basic budgeting and general accounting skills required
- Pass a criminal record check and have a Class 5 Drivers License and own transportation

Please contact Gary Forsyth, Administrator for Job Description

Wage: \$22.00 per hour minimum ~ Depending on experience

Closing Deadline: August 11, 2023

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Fax Cover Letter with referrals and Resume to:

Gary Forsyth, Band Administrator

Fax: 250-256-7999



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JOB POSTING

LANDS MANAGER

Full-time Salaried Position

As the Bridge River Indian Band (BRIB) Lands and Resources Manager, you will oversee the management and stewardship of all lands and resources related projects on reserve and within the BRIB traditional territory. The Lands and Resources Manager reports directly to the Band Administrator and to Chief and Council as required. This position is responsible for liaising with other governments regarding reserves and the community's area of interest and using administrative systems for land related business.

MAIN DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Oversee all activities related to resource development in Bands area of Interest, assists and provide information to Chief & Council on land and land use issues
- Evaluate land use and developing protection policies, guidelines and provided leadership recommendations
- Maintain files on land, including a record of all reserve lands including contracts; set asides, Certificate of Possession lands, residential areas, survey and mapping products, including the management of photos, maps and imagery database, GIS mapping, review referrals and implement referrals process
- Supervision of all Forestry and Fisheries related activities and monitoring compliance
- Provide oversight to environment and climate change initiatives
- Provides oversight, mentorship and direct Lands and Fisheries Department staff including training
- Utilize appropriate project management techniques to meet deadlines, manage resources and meet reporting requirements.
- Conduct and participate in formal meetings and negotiations, and develop agreements with other government departments, and the private sector to ensure consistency of formal communication on issues relating to land reserve issues.
- Manage and Implement Referral process. Follow-up on all referrals. Inform other departments of pending applicable referral eg: Economic development.
- Ensure that project expenditures meet the terms & conditions and provide complete and accurate reporting as required
- Keep informed with trends, techniques and issues in land management
- Participate in policy reviews, symposiums, activities and/or meetings
- Ensure BRIB participates in archaeological and environmental monitoring of all works within BRIB and Core and Traditional Territories
- Other related duties as assigned by Chief & Council and Administrator from as required.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Post-secondary degree in natural resource management, finance, governance or other related field or an equivalent combination of training and experience, 5 years of experience preferred
- Training or experience in developing and managing budgets, including project management
- Knowledge and experience of similar program delivery in the context of aboriginal culture and history
- Considerable knowledge of natural resource disciplines and activities including fisheries and aquatic habitat, wildlife, forestry, range, recreation, cultural heritage, parks and mining within and indigenous lands
- Solid knowledge and understanding of relevant environmental legislation and regulatory requirements, as well as indigenous rights and title
- Extremely organized with excellent time management and multitasking abilities.
- Electrofishing and Swift Water certification an asset
- WorkSafeBC – Level 1 First Aid and Transportation Endorsement
- Valid BC Class 5 driver's license with clean drivers abstract and reliable vehicle
- Excellent verbal, written, and interpersonal skills
- Ability to write proposals and/or apply for grants
- Ability to use tact, good judgement in dealing with sensitive, complex issues and ability to maintain strict confidentiality
- Proficient in Microsoft Office and other database platforms.

Wage: \$35.00-\$45.00 per hour based on salary ~ Depending on experience and negotiable

Closing Deadline: July 28, 2023

While we welcome all candidates, only those selected for an interview will be contacted

Fax Cover Letter with references and Resume to:

Gary Forsyth, Band Administrator

Fax: 250-256-7999



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JOB POSTING

FISHERIES TECHNICIANS

Xwisten, Bridge River Indian Band, is seeking full-time seasonal Fisheries Technicians. Holding this position comes with the responsibility of helping to conduct all aspects of the Lower Bridge River Aquatic Monitoring Programs i.e., BRGMON-1, BRGMON-3, Chinook Broodstock program, Rotary Screw Trap and other fisheries and environmental projects in Xwisten Territory. The position will require to work with and report to Xwisten's Lands and Resources, as well as other Sub-Contractors.

RESPONSIBILITIES AND EXPERIENCE

- Participate in field monitoring and data entry activities on a full-time basis.
- Develop and edit data sheets as needed in MS Word and Excel.
- Data entry of data sheets collected in the field.
- Certifications in: Electrofishing, OFA level 1 (higher, preferred), Transportation Endorsement, Swift Water Rescue, WPP Cat A/B (training will be made available).
- Must be able to work safely within a semi-remote location and in a team environment.
- Ability to work additional hours as required.
- Must be proficient in Microsoft Excel and Microsoft Word.
- Must be comfortable communication with other in a professional manner on a regular basis by telephone, email and in person.
- Juvenile and Adult fish ID skills and knowledge of Bridge River salmon, is an asset.
- Experience working in rivers and wading, is an asset.
- Fisheries Technician Certificate Preferred or similar education, is an asset.

CERTIFICATIONS RECOMMENDED:

- | | |
|--|---|
| • Backpack Electrofishing (Crew Supervisor and or crew member) | • Swift Water Rescue |
| • OFA level 1 (higher, preferred) | • WPP Cat A/B |
| • Transportation Endorsement | • Bear Aware |
| | • Class 5 drivers' licence & Reliable Vehicle |

Wage: Senior Technician \$28per hour and Junior Technician \$26per hour

Hours: Varies due to schedule

Deadline: Open until filled - Only those short listed will be contacted

Send Resume AND Cover Letter to:

Bridge River Indian Band
Attention: Gary Forsyth, Administrator
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COMMUNITY SUBMISSIONS

AUGUST 2023 NEWSLETTER

BIG HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES to; Grand-niece Eva Rae on 4th, Grand-nephew Ghenasis on 15th, My Grandson 'Qawam on 19th, HAPPY BIRTHDAY ❤️, Niece Jess O on 19th, Grand-niece Abigail on 20th, Grand-nephew Marcus on 24th, all the BR Elders... You all have a WONDERFUL day 😊




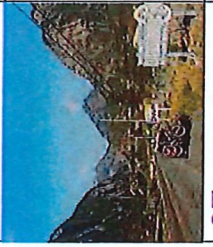
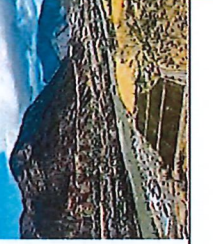

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to Sis Carolyn & Willard on August 15th, 1987, ... 36 yrs woohoo 😊

To all of Xwisten, keep cool, drink plenty of water, and don't forget the sunscreen!!

August 2023

Youth Worker: Davis Williams
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July '23							September '23						
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1 In office 8-4 Andrew - Culture/Lang Youth Fundraiser BBQ by donation Outside Health Office 11:00pm-1:00pm	2 Rubin - Recreation Lake Day at Seton Lake (If weather is good)	3 In office 8-4 Delores - CHR Workshop with Nurse	4 In office 8-4 Davis and Rocker Youth and CWC	
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13	14 In office 8-4 Kids Summer Camp With Joshua and group 9:00am-3:30pm	15 In office 8-4 Kids Summer Camp With Joshua and group 9:00am-3:30pm	16 Kids Summer Camp With Joshua and group 9:00am-3:30pm	17 In office 8-4 Delores - CHR Workshop with Nurse	18 In Office 8-4 Davis and Rocker Youth and CWC	
	21 In office 8-4 Hillary - HCCN	22 In office 8-4 Andrew - Culture/Language	23 In office 8-4 Year End Trip (More info TBD)	24 In office 8-4 Year End Trip (More info TBD)	25 In office 8-4	26
27	28 In office 8-4	29 In office 8-4	30 In office 8-4	31 In office 8-4	1	
	4	Notes Hello, I am always available for youth to call in office for suggestions, help or resources! Lake days please bring: A lunch, bathing suit, towel, a plastic bag to put wet clothes in, sun screen, Activities subject to Change, will provide updates and notices when changes are made				

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Community Wellness Coordinator- Rocker Brady

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2023

We offer Nasal Naloxone kits and Fentanyl test strips for FREE. Come by my office or contact me if you want these.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Summer Day Camp BBQ Fundraiser 11-1 Harm Reduction Sharing Circle	2 Sharing Circle Health Boardroom 5-7	3 Client Walks Ins	4 Bottle Drive Thru Community 9 - 12	5
6	7 Client Walk Ins	8 Summer Day Camp BBQ Fundraiser 11-1 Harm Reduction Sharing Circle	9 Sharing Circle Health Boardroom 5-7	10 Client Walk Ins	11 Activities With Summer Day Camp	12
13	14 Client Walk Ins	15 Client Walk Ins Harm Reduction Sharing Circle	16 Sharing Circle Health Boardroom 5-7	17 Client Walk Ins	18 Activities With Summer Day Camp	19
20	21 Client Walk Ins Leave for Summer Day Camp Year End Trip	22 Summer Day Camp Year End Trip	23 Summer Day Camp Year End Trip	24 Summer Day Camp Year End Trip	25 Client Walk Ins	26
27	28 Client Walk Ins	29 Client Walk Ins Harm Reduction Sharing Circle	30 Sharing Circle Health Boardroom 5-7	31 Client Walk Ins Overdose Awareness Day	Client Walk Ins	

August

HOME AND COMMUNITY CARE

2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Cell Phone: Hillary Jones RN 778-209-8933		1 In office/visits	2 Foot care	3 In office/visits	4 In office/visits	5
6	7 Civic Holiday	8 In office/visits	9 Foot care	10 In office/visits	11 Out of office	12
13	14 In office/visits	15 In office/visits	16 Foot care	17 In office/visits	18 Women's health clinic	19
20	21 Palliative care clinic	22 In office/visits	23 Foot care	24 In office/visits	25 In office/visits	26
27	In office/visits	In office/visits	In office/visits	In office/visits		Office phone: 250-256-7423 ext. 234

EVENTS

International
Overdose
Awareness Day

August 31
Come down for lunch,
pick up your ribbons and
kits.



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Culture & Language Department

Heritage

We hold on to our Ucwalmicw Heritage by practicing what our Ancestors did daily.

They spoke the St'at'imc language because we weren't influenced by the English language.

We did Ceremony, Feasting, Dand Drumming



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Hand Drum Night 6 pm – 8 pm MPR	3	4 Craft Night 5 pm – 7 pm MPR	5
6	7 St'at'imc Lang 6 pm – 8 pm MPR	8	9 Hand Drum Night 6 pm – 8 pm MPR	10	11 Craft Night 5 pm – 7 pm MPR	12
13	14 Elders Gathering	15 Elders Gathering	16 Elders Gathering	17 Elders Gathering	18 Craft night 5 pm – 7 pm MPR	19
20	21 St'at'imc Lang 6 pm – 8 pm MPR	22	23 Hand drum Night 6 pm – 8 pm MPR	24	25 Craft Night 5 pm – 7 pm	26
27	28 St'at'imc Lang 6 pm – 8 pm MPR	29	30 Hand Drum Night 6 pm – 8 pm MPR	31	Craft Night 5 pm – 7 pm MPR	



First Nations Health Authority
Health through wellness

Lillooet & Lytton HC & Community Visit Calendar

August 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 Tsal'alh – Ashley Ts'kw'aylaxw – Jocelyn Boston Bar – Lisa Lytton HC – Francesca Lillooet HC- Lynn	2 Nicomen- Lisa Ashcroft- Jocelyn Sekw'el'was- Lynn Skuppah- Francesca	3 Kanaka - Lisa St'uxwfwes- Francesca Xwisten – Jocelyn Lillooet HC- Lynn LFN-Jane	4 LFN – Jane Lytton HC- Lisa Lillooet CHC – Jocelyn
7 STAT	8 Tsal'alh – Ashley Ts'kw'aylaxw – Jocelyn	9 Nicomen – PAP day (Ashley, Telleighla & Jocelyn) Ashcroft – Francesca	10 LFN – Jane Kanaka - Francesca Xwisten – Jocelyn St'uxwfwes - Telleighla	11 LFN – Jane Lillooet CHC – Jocelyn Lytton Health center- Francesca Telleighla- NIC
14 Tsal'alh – Francesca T'it' qet – Tina Telleighla NIC- Lillooet (orientate) Lillooet- Michelle Kerr (orientate)	15 Tsal'alh – Francesca Ts'kw'aylaxw – Tina Boothroyd – Michelle Kerr Telleighla NIC- Lytton	16 Nicomen – Francesca Ashcroft – Telleighla Skuppah – Michelle Kerr Sekw'el'was- Tina	17 Kanaka- Tina St'uxwfwes – Telleighla Xwisten – Michelle Kerr LFN- Jane Lytton HC- Francesca	18 LFN – Jane Lillooet CHC – Michelle Kerr Lytton Health Center- Francesca Lillooet CHC- Tina
21 Tsal'alh – Francesca T'it' qet – Tina Spuzzum – Michelle Kerr Telleighla NIC-Lillooet	22 Tsal'alh – Francesca Ts'kw'aylaxw – Tina Boston Bar – Michelle Kerr Telleighla NIC- Lytton	23 Nicomen- Tina Ashcroft- Telleighla Skuppah- Micheller Kerr Sekw'el'was- Francesca	24 Lillooet HC- Tina TEAM MEETING LFN – Jane Kanaka - Lisa St'uxwfwes – Michelle Kerr Xwisten- Francesca Lytton HC- Telleighla NIC	25 Lillooet HC- Tina LFN – Jane Lytton Health Center- Michelle Kerr Lillooet CHC – Francesca St'uxwfwes- Telleighla NIC
28 Tsal'alh – Ashley T'it' qet – Tina Spuzzum- Lisa Telleighla NIC- Lytton	29 Tsal'alh – Ashley Ts'kw'aylaxw – Tina Boothroyd –Lisa Bonaparte- Telleighla	30 Ashcroft- Telleighla Skuppah- Lisa	31 LFN- Jane Kanaka - Lisa St'uxwfwes- Telleighla	

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CHR/ Patient Travel Navigator – DOLORES ALEC

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1 walk in patient travel	2	3 Summer Day camp	4 day off	5
6	7 stat holiday	8 walk in travel	9	10 day camp nurse	11	12
13	14 Acupuncture	15 Acupuncture Dr.Humber	16	17 Nurse Student Day Camp	18	19
20	21 Dr.Humber walk in travels	22 walk in travels	23	24 nurse summer Day Camp Dental Hygienist	25 Dentist	26
27	28 walk in travels	29 walk in travels	30	31	09-01	2

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

<u>Sun</u>	<u>Mon</u>	<u>Tue</u>	<u>Wed</u>	<u>Thu</u>	<u>Fri</u>	<u>Sat</u>
		1 Joshua James-Frank	2 Karla Joseph Salena Joseph Monique Moore Janetta Napolean	3 Shyllan James	4 Eva Michell-Peters	5
6	7 Alissa Adams-Frank Stephen Andrews	8	9	10	11 Cayden Ledoux Gertrude Terry	12 Sherron James
13 Elizabeth Terry	14 Rita Terry	15	16 Brenda Frank Robert Terry	17	18 Edward Thomas	19
20 Julis Daswon Jayden Gallagher Abigail Jack Soloman James	21 Margaret Sampson	22 Karen Jacobs Carla Thomas	23 Brett Greenman Lester Sampson	24 Brian James Grant Louie Marcus Michel	25	26
27 Alex Link Cayla Paris	28 Marie Joseph Jasleen Napolean-James	29	30	31 Hunter Redan Phyllis Gilbert		