# Newsletter

NADLEH WHUT'EN NEWSLETTER

July 5th, 2024



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**INFO SESSION** 

Class 1 drivers license opportunity.

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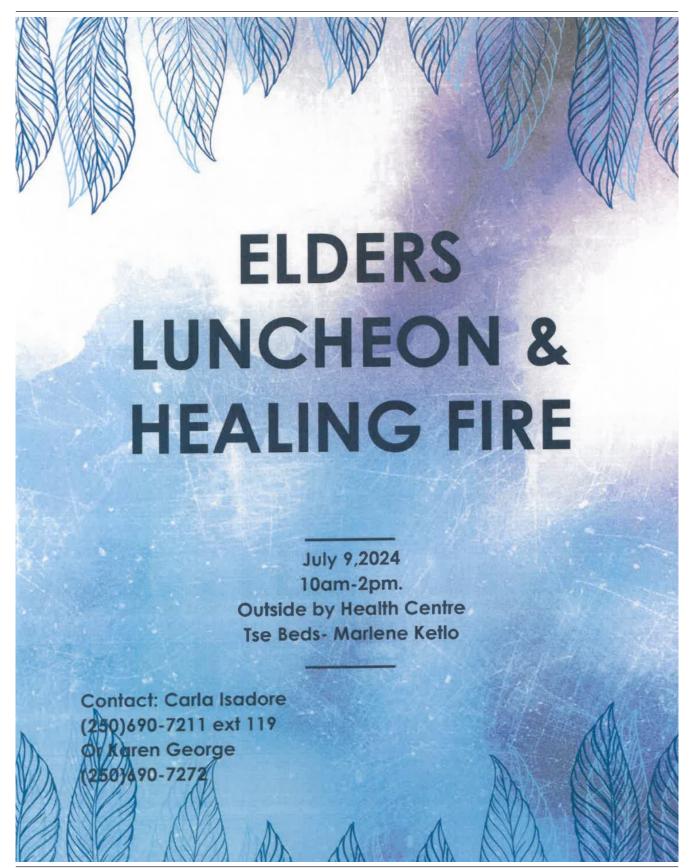
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**MMIW** 

Billboard unveiled at Tse Yaz Bunk'et.



# INFORMATION SESSION: BECOMING A SKILLED CLASS 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLE DRIVER

Join the BC Trucking Association for an information session to discover the opportunities and benefits of becoming a skilled Class 1 Commercial Vehicle Driver, including:

- **Training Program Details:** Learn about our comprehensive training program designed to prepare you for success on the road.
- Meet Experienced Instructors: Hear from industry experts who will guide you through the steps to obtaining your Class 1 licence.
- Q&A Session: Get your questions answered about licensing requirements, job placement, and career advancement.

If you're in the Fraser Lake area and are interested in a career change that is in high demand and has competitive pay, register for FREE today!



TUESDAY, JULY 9 10:00 am - 11:30 am PST



IN-PERSON & ONLINE 298 McMillan Ave Fraser Lake, BC



Questions?

Contact us at BCTA@BCTrucking.com





Youth **Camps** 

### **AUGUST 6-9, 2024**

HOUSE OF ANCESTORS (355 VANCOUVER ST, PRINCE GEORGE, BC)

OPEN TO ALL SURROUNDING NATIONS

TUESDAY/WEDNESDAY/THURSDAY: 9:30AM-4:00 PM

FRIDAY: 500PM-830PM



# FREE YOUTH ENTREPRENEURSHIP CAMP SPONSORED BY TO ENERGY

(INDIGENOUS YOUTH AGES 11-18)

Explore the basics of business and learn how to run your own company!

Learn how to turn your ideas into reality!

# EACH YOUTH RECEIVES \$100 MASTERCARD PLUS FREE SWAG FOR PARTICIPATING! AND THE WINNING TEAM RECEIVES \$250 EACH

AT THE COMMUNITY CELEBRATION DINNER ON AUGUST 9TH!

#### **DREAM CAMP INCLUDES:**

- Breakfast & Lunch
- Shirt & Swag
- Team Coaches to help Youth tackle Challenges and develop valuable business, teamwork and life skills such as negotiating, public speaking and budgeting.
- Lots of hands-on activities to create a start-up plan and Team Pitch video for YOUR business ideas.





#### SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER

Email: rowan@BearsLairTV.com Phone: Geena Jackson (604) 306-7736



#### Nadleh Whut'en First Nation

#### **JOB POSTING**

**Position information** 

**Position:** Event Coordinator **Reports to:** Band Administrator

**Hours:** Full-time, term position from July 2024- March 2025

Position Closing Date: Open until filled.

#### Job summary

The Event Coordinator is responsible for all planning, organizing involved with Nadleh Whut'en Band led events in accordance with Band budgets. Meetings and events can occur in the daytime, evenings, and on weekends.

#### Responsibilities:

- Organizing caterers, decorators, entertainment, photography, cleaning venues, etc.
- Help with setting up and taking down tables, chairs, audio/video equipment for meetings and events.
- Participate in committees for events.
- Fundraising, grant proposal writing, write donation letters, and reporting.
- Creating inventory database of all audio/video equipment, tables, chairs, and other equipment
- Creating and establishing systems for venue rentals, event coordination and management of contractors and staff.
- Arrange catering, entertainment, photography, and locations of events.
- Responsible for overseeing venue set-up and preparation for meetings and events

#### Qualifications, Education and Experience:

- Successful completion of grade 12 or equivalent
- Bachelor's Degree, diploma or equivalent in event management an asset.
- Communicate effectively and professionally both verbally and in writing.
- Ability to work independently as well as in a team environment.
- Valid class 5 BC Driver's Licence.

Please submit cover letter and resume with references via email at reception@nadelh.ca

We thank everyone for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.









#### Nadleh Whut'en

## Yinka Dene Summer Literacy Camp 2024 PARENT/CAREGIVER CONSENT FORM

Dates of camp: July 15 – July 18

Time: 10:00am-3:00pm Location: Rec. Building

Part 1: Camper Registration					
Child's Name:		Nickname:			
Gender:	Age:	DOB (mm/dd/yy):			
Name of Adult registering child	d:				
Adult's Relationship to Child (e	Adult's Relationship to Child (e.g. parent, aunt):				
Phone Number:		Email:			
For your child's safety, is there any health information, for example – allergies and medical conditions - about them that camp organizers should be aware of?					
In case of an emergency, who should we call?					
Name:		Tel No:			
Relationship to child:					

#### Part 2: Permissions & Waivers

By signing this form, I give permission for my child to participate in the Yinka Dene Summer Literacy Camp taking place at the Nadleh Rec. Building during the dates and times above. I agree to the following: (Please check to select the appropriate options)

#### **Departure from Camp**

(	) I ALLOW my child to leave for home at the end of camp each day by themself. I agree
	that Carrier Sekani Family Services will not be held responsible for incidences that happen
	once my child leaves camp at the end of the day.

( ) I <u>DO NOT ALLOW</u> my child to leave camp on their own. They will have to be picked by 3:15pm at the latest.

## Photos/Audio/Video/Writing Samples ( ) I **ALLOW** Carrier Sekani Family Services staff, volunteers, and partner organizations to collect writing samples and/or interview, photograph, audiotape and/or videotape my child for the duration of my child's participation in Carrier Sekani Family Services programs or events. I understand these images and/or recordings may be used for any and all reasonable purposes including, for print, publication, broadcasting, electronic and digital transmission, social media, duplication, distribution, and stock footage as determined by Carrier Sekani Family Services. I understand that the images and/or recordings may appear in electronic form on the internet or in other publications outside Carrier Sekani Family Services's control. I will not hold Carrier Sekani Family Services responsible for any harm that may arise from such unauthorized reproduction. ( ) I **DO NOT ALLOW** Carrier Sekani Family Services staff, volunteers, and partner organizations to collect writing samples and/or interview, photograph, audiotape and/or videotape my child for the duration of my child's participation in Carrier Sekani Family Services programs or events. Name of Camper being registered: Signature of Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Child: Date:

Please complete form and return to Karen George at the Health Centre

Name:

Witness

Witness Signature:

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# **NADLEH** JR WALK TALL

**AGES 8-12 YEARS OLD** 

#### **CULTURAL ACTIVITIES**

**BERRY PICKING** LAHAL COOKING **SWIMMING GAMES/SPORTS** 

JULY 15-18th 2024 10:00 am- 3:00pm

12 SPOTS AVAILABLE Transportation is available

SIGN UP WITH KAREN (778)-259-1269 Email: kgeorge@nadleh.ca

**LAURIE** (250)251-5682 Email: Kreid@csfs.org

**Lunch & Snack Provided** 

Please bring running shoes, swim gear, extra clothing





# Nadleh Whut'en Hosts Vibrant Indigenous Day Celebration

June 21st, 2024 On June 21st, 2024, the Nadleh Whut'en community hosted an Indigenous Day celebration, brimming with community, culture and fun activities. The event featured an array of activities showcasing the rich heritage of the Nadleh Whut'en people. Traditional Lahal games, Bannock booth, Storytelling by Elders. Songs and Dancing. Booths around the grounds provided hands-on experi-

ences, with artisans displaying beadwork, carvings, and traditional clothing. A highlight was the surprise performance by The Rightful Owners rock band, who came out of retirement for the event. The Elders' electrifying performance energizing the crowd. Food booths offered traditional cuisine, including bannock, salmon, and berry desserts, providing a taste of Nadleh Whut'en culinary traditions. The

event was both a celebration and an educational experience, fostering greater understanding and appreciation for Indigenous culture.

The day concluded with a heartwarming closing ceremony, where Elders offered blessings and emphasized unity and cultural preservation. Indigenous Day 2024 in Nadleh Whut'en was a memorable celebration of heritage and community.

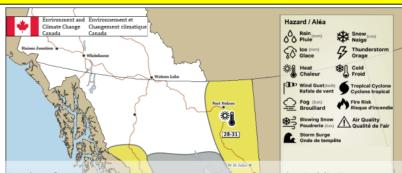




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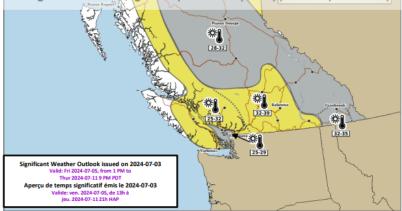
#### First Prolonged Heat of the Season

Event Duration: Coast – Friday July 5 to Tuesday July 9, 2024 Interior – Sunday July 7 to Thursday July 11, 2024



Product for Emergency Managers - may vary from the Public Forecast

Produit pour les gestionnaires d'orgence - peut varier par rapport aux prévisions publiques



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	High		<b>✓</b>			
D D	Moderate					
Likelihood	Low					
Like	Very Low					
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	Impact (Known Vulnerability & Exposure)					

#### Impacts \_

- · First prolonged heat event of the season may increase heat related illnesses.
- Possible elevated river and stream levels in response to high-alpine snow melt, especially in smaller stream systems.
- Worsening drought conditions & air quality; priming fuels for possible wildfire ignitions.



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Certainty
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Weather Pattern: HIGH. The first province-wide heat will begin Friday over the coast and spread across the interior this weekend as a ridge of high pressure settles over the province. This multi-day event may continue into mid-late next week. However, the exact duration of this event remains uncertain and may lengthen/shorten. In the event that the warming extends past the forecast period, listed impacts may increase from a prolonged period of above-seasonal temperatures.

Temperatures: MODERATE. Current model guidance forecasts temperatures to be 6-12 degrees above normal and peaking Sunday-Tuesday for the southern interior. Temperatures will gradually decrease but remain above normal until at least next Wednesday over the coast and Friday over the interior.

Key Points
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- Forecast Temperatures:
  - Coast: 25-30°C (Coastal inland sections: Up to 32 °C). Communities nearest the Strait of Georgia may see some reprieve from the heat due to the cooling effects of a sea breeze (local wind).
  - Southern Interior BC: 32-39°C (Up to 40 °C over Lytton) & Northeastern Interior BC: 28-32°C.
- This will mark a significant shift from seasonal temperatures and wet June weather to prolonged hot and dry conditions.
- The interior parts of BC in grey will still feel the affects of the anomalous daytime temperatures, but overnight lows may fall below heat warning threshold.
- No/minimal precipitation is forecast through the heat event. However, a risk of dry lightning is possible at times, particularly near the end of the peak heat as the ridge departs. Those details to be determined.
- Heat warnings will be issued as necessary. Follow: https://www.weather.gc.ca/

Please continue to monitor alerts and updates issued by ECCC and partners for the latest information.

#### Long Range Forecast – For British Columbia

Subsequent weather notifications will be issued as needed

Thur	Fri	Sat
July 11	July 12	July 13
Sunny & Warm	Sunny & Warm	Sunny & Warm



# Nadleh Whut'en Hosts Gathering at Tse Yaz Bunk'et for **MMIW** Awareness

June 25th, 2024 The Nadleh Whut'en community hosted a significant gathering at Tse Yaz Bunk'ut on June 21st, 2024, to unveil a new billboard on Highway 16, bearing the powerful message: "We are hope, we are strength." This initiative, in collaboration with the Carrier Sekani Family Services (CSFS), aimed to raise awareness and honor Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women (MMIW).

The event brought together community members, leaders, and supporters to reflect on the impact of MMIW and to reaffirm their commitment to seeking justice and creating change. Elders opened the gathering with traditional prayers and blessings, setting a tone of reverence and solidarity. Speeches from local leaders and representatives from CSFS highlighted the ongoing efforts to address this critical issue and support affected families. The unveiling of the billboard was a poignant moment, symbolizing hope and resilience. Located along the notorious "Highway of Tears," the billboard serves as a stark reminder of the lives lost and the community's unwavering determination to seek justice. Highlighting alongside

the missing women and girls, the men and boys who have gone missing or murdered. Especially the Jack family mystery. Songs were sung to honour their memory and to create hope for the future.

This gathering at Tse Yaz Bunk'et marked a significant step in raising awareness and fostering a sense of hope and strength within the community, inspiring continued action and solidarity in the fight for justice.



Dagan Ducharme, the dedicated Learning Centre Teacher for Nadleh Whut'en, had his last day with us June 27th, 2024, marking the end of a cherished chapter in our community. Ducharme's departure is bittersweet, as he moves to the Okanagan to be with his family. His commitment to education and his positive impact on students will be deeply missed, but we wish him all the best in his new journey.



# Solution



