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Come Back to the
Circle Information

Ceremonial brushings with Anita Charleson-Touchie and Levi Martin. Drumming and singing led by Lindsay McCarthy.

Takeaway dinner will be provided.

Brought to you by the Culture & Heritage Department



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Community Cultural Gathering

3:00pm-7:00pm . hiłsuhta Beach
(Beach down by the Totem Pole)

In event of poor weather the location will change to the Cix[™]atin Centre. Attendees are asked to show a vaccination passport or card to enter the Centre, PPE guidelines will be followed.

Join Jane Middleton-Moz & Tiffany Moore

in Community healing and celebrating each other!

seek. spirit. create give
family guidance PEAC
LOVE HOPE gratitude laugh
soul thank you
kindness healing purpose



hu?acačič nuutximt Returning to the Circle

5 DAY EVENT!



Cix^watin Centre Gymnasium
February 28, 2022 to March 4, 2022
9:00am to 4:00pm

Breakfast served at 8:00am, Lunch served at 12:00pm

For a detailed schedule and to register, contact:

Gloria.Valentine@ufn.ca
(250) 726 7948, Office (250) 726-7342

Attendees are asked to show a vaccination passport or card to attend, PPE guidelines will be followed.

Federal Indian Day School Class Action

...and what that means.

The Class Counsel website for Federal Indian Day School Class Members (www.indiandayschools.com) states:

Federal Indian Day School Class Action is the first national class action of its kind and seeks compensation for the damages and abuses suffered by all Indian Day School students, who were forced to attend Indian Day Schools and were excluded from the Indian Residential Schools Settlement Agreement.

To be eligible for compensation in this Settlement, individuals must have attended one of the identified Federal Indian Day Schools or Federal Day Schools during specific eligible class periods listed on the List of Federal Day Schools and experienced harm.

Some Day Schools were run by entities other than the Federal government, for example by provincial governments. This Settlement only applies to those who attended Federally run and operated schools."

If you are not sure whether you are included in the Settlement, you may contact Class Counsel's toll-free phone at 1 (844) 539-3815.

Family Members of Indian Day School Survivors

While family members are not eligible to receive direct compensation, the representative of the estate (executor, administrator, or trustee) of a late Claimant who died on or after July 31, 2007 can file a claim on behalf of the deceased. Estate representatives can make a claim for any level on behalf of the deceased Claimant.

If the deceased Claimant had no will (naming an executor), then a representative will need to be appointed. This process will depend on whether the deceased Claimant ordinarily resided on reserve or off reserve. For more information see "**Estate Claims**". More information can be found under "**Legacy Fund**" on the FAQ page (www.indiandayschools.com).

Additional eligibility clarifications can be found in the "**Frequently Asked Questions**" section of this website and the "**Claims Administrator FAQ**".

Additional information and for a full list of federally run Day Schools, please visit www.indiandayschools.com. A full list of Day Schools will be found under "**Schedule K**".

If You Are A Yuułuʔiłʔatḥ Citizen:

The application process for a citizen of a self governing nation (ie. Yuułuʔiłʔatḥ) is not the same process as an individual registered under INAC, **when applying on behalf of deceased family member.**

If you are applying on behalf of a deceased family member who is a Yuułuʔiłʔatḥ citizen, you must be the Executor named in the deceased's Will. If the deceased does not have a Will, you will have to apply to the BC Supreme Court for Grant of Administration. This application process is best completed with legal support, through a qualified Law firm or Notary. Yuułuʔiłʔatḥ Government is not able to offer legal advice through this process. YG can support by providing contact resources to help your application process, but cannot fill out the forms or offer advice.

Below is a list of eligible (Federal) Day Schools within the West Coast, all other locations can be found online. www.indiandayschools.com "Schedule K"

Ucluelet, BC Ittatsoo Reserve No. 1 Presbyterian United Church

Opening Date(s): 1894/1895, January 1, 1927, September 1, 1948

Closing or Transfer Date(s): June 30, 1925, September 1, 1943, June 30, 1966

Kyuquot, B.C Roman Catholic

Opening Date(s): 1882, September 1, 1949

Closing or Transfer Date(s): December 31, 1911, September 1, 1974

Ahousaht, BC Ahousaht Indian Reserve United Church Presbyterian Roman Catholic

Opening Date: February 1, 1940

Closing or Transfer Date: September 1, 1985

Opitsaht, BC Clayoquot Roman Catholic

Opening Date: September 1, 1957

Closing or Transfer Date: June 30, 1971

Nanaimo, BC Nanaimo Town Reserve No. 1 Methodist Church, United Church Nanaimo Kindergarten

Opening Date: 1877

Closing or Transfer Date: September 1, 1964

MARINE ESSENTIALS PROGRAM

We are seeking 12 eligible participants who can commit to this 8-day program in Ucluelet!

*Program runs from
February 19-20th & 22-27th 2022
Deadline to apply: February 14th*



This program will give you the skills to apply for entry level small vessel operator positions in industries such as water taxis, whale watching, crew boats, fish farming, etc. It includes the following courses and participant supports:

- Marine Basic 1st Aid
- Small Vessel Operator Proficiency Training Course (SVOP)
- Small Non-pleasure Domestic Vessel Basic Safety (SDV-BS) (formerly Med A3)
- Restricted Operator Certificate - Maritime (ROC-M)
- Childcare, daily meal allowance, transportation aid and marine workwear clothing

The program has **NO COST** to participants and is open to unemployed and underemployed (including part time and seasonal workers) people who want to update their skills and work for a local business. The application process is on a 1st applied, 1st qualified basis and seats will fill up fast!

Are you interested in enrolling?

Contact Renee Reedel, Regional Continuing Education & Training Officer

Email: renee.reedel@nic.bc.ca Phone: (250) 923-9724 www.nic.bc.ca

This program is proudly brought to you by:

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Education Department

Time to submit your Post Secondary Education Funding Applications!

Do you plan on attending Post Secondary for Fall/Winter 2022? It is time to get your funding applications in! The first application deadline for funding passed on January 31, 2022, but you still have time. For ease of application preparedness for your school tuition and fees, we encourage early application submissions to receive your funds on time and avoid any late fees or penalties.

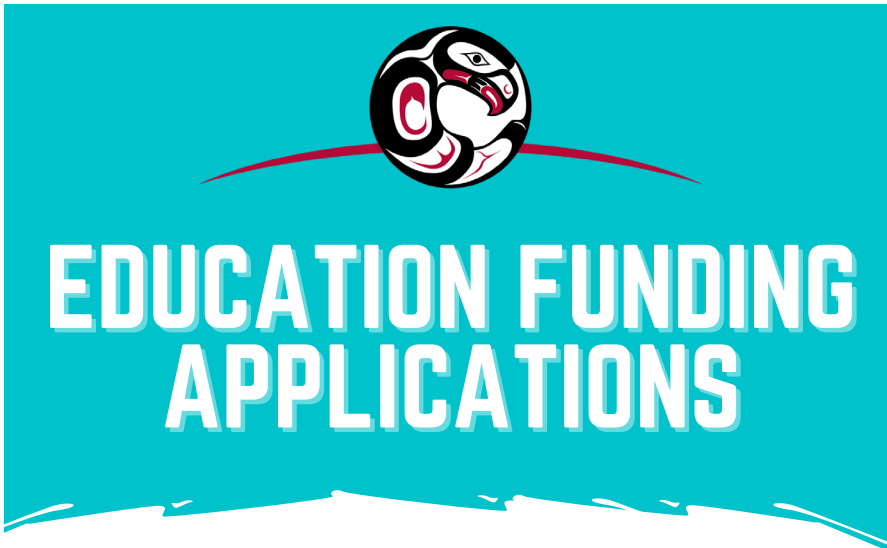
Do you have general questions on education and funding? There are many certificate courses throughout the year or short notice programs that you, a friend, or a family member may be interested in. Apply! We take funding requests throughout the year and have a

growing record of successful Yuułu?i?atḥ students.

Do you have an interest to attend a Post Secondary School or certificate program, but not sure where to start? Reach out to the Yuułu?i?atḥ Education Department, Manager of Education Services, Adam.Gleeson@ufn.ca. The Education Team is always happy to help with your questions.

You can find the Education Funding Application our website at:

ufn.ca > [Government](#) > [Forms](#) > [Social Services](#) > [Education, 2022/2023 Yuułu?i?atḥ Post-Secondary Funding Application](#)



Are you looking to apply to Post Secondary or have been accepted into a Post Secondary or Education program and require funding?

Get your funding applications in now!

 **Questions and Submissions**
Adam.Gleeson@ufn.ca



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FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE!

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IN UCLUELET – Transportation
to/from hitac'u Provided!

FRIDAY'S @ UCC
GRADE 8 -12 WELCOME
6PM – 9PM

DEPARTING FROM CIXWATIN CENTER 5:45 PM
RETURNING SHORTLY AFTER 9PM

Email : Jenna.miller@ufn.ca for further details



CLOSED

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21
for Family Day



hitaću Cix^watin Centre & huupatu Centre will reopen **Tuesday, February 22**

Reminder!

BE AWARE OF PHONE & EMAIL SCAMS!



- Never give out banking information, social insurance numbers, or general personal information over the phone.
- Don't follow instructions like: "Press 1 to be removed from the call list".
- Be suspicious of unknown callers even from local numbers.
- Be wary of anyone calling to buy or sell land, questions about taxes, pretending to be a bank or a government entity, especially if you are not expected a call.
- All of the above includes email scammers too.





18 litre Water Jug Pick Up!

Tuesday, February 15th
1:00 pm



Pick up Tuesday, February 15th
starting at 1:00pm

- If you will not be home during the day please leave your water jug outside so it can be picked up.



Thursday, February 17th

- Pick up day for any jugs missed.
- If your household is unable to leave your water jug outside on Wednesday please do so for Thursday

**For any questions or concerns please contact:
Byron Patrick by phone (250) 726-7343 or email byron.patrick@ufn.ca**

ĀEEKOO!

Āeekoo to everyone for their support during hita'cu's water disruption. We received help and support from our neighbours at Tla-o-qui-aht, Kim Rai from Khalsa Aid, Shireen Banaee, the local community of Ucluelet; B&B owners and individuals who opened up their homes to Yuutu'it'at' citizens.

A special Āeekoo to Byron Patrick who took charge of bottle delivery and pick up with the team of Community Services Interns, Carrie George and the administration staff, YG Public Works Team, Island Water Hauling, Vancouver Island Fresh Water Inc., FNHA, and the District of Ucluelet for their efficient work in re-connecting hita'cu.

A special Āeekoo to anyone missed, we appreciate all!





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Hu?acačič nuutximt “Come Back to the Circle 5-day Training

For: Adults 19 & over, Elders, Youth ages 14-18; Parents, Grandparents, Caregivers,

Education Workers: Social Workers, Youth Workers, Healthcare Workers; Cultural Workers

Adults and Elders: Facilitators will be Jane Middleton-Moz
Anita Charleson-Touchie and Chris Seitcher
Culture supports– Marj Touchie
Lindsay McCarthy Sr
(Adult & Elder sessions will be in the Gym)

Youth ages 14 – 18yrs: Facilitators will be Tiffany Moore
Sarah Hagar and Waylon Macleod
Youth Support – Jenna Miller
(Youth sessions will be in the ‘Mini Big House’)

Provincial COVID-19 SAFETY MEASURES WILL BE FOLLOWED (Masks available at door)

MANDATORY: PLEASE BRING VACCINATION PASSPORT OR CARD

Date: Monday, February 28 to Friday, March 4, 2022.

Location: Cixwatin Centre Gym

Time: 9am to 4pm each day

(Breakfast served 8am and Lunch 12pm)

Doors will open at 7:45am to start vaccine card checks

After 2 years of isolation, all our losses of family and friends during the pandemic, it has left individuals and families with grief and sadness.

Some topics covered in training: Grief & Loss; Burdens and earned Resiliency during the pandemic; Understanding Multigenerational Trauma and Resiliency; Understanding Addictions.....more . We look forward to seeing you at our gathering.

We will have an opportunity to gather in a safe and supportive way.

Please register by February 22, 2022

There will be door prizes at end of each day!

To register contact Gloria Valentine at 250 726 7948 or 250 726 7342

email: gloria.valentine@ufn.ca