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# **Newsletter**

November 22nd 2024

### **OUR NEWSLETTER**

#### **Communications 101**

Batten down the hatches! I hope everyone stayed warm in that crazy wind we had, they were not kidding when they said "baby hurricane".

This week in the Klahoose Newsletter we have our Holiday party dates, Annual Distribution information and of course, 7 new words of the week.

Want to see something in the newsletter? Please send me your ideas!

Eva Delorme, contact information on the bottom of each page!



#### Word/Phrases of the week.

- qa<del>l</del>ə suspenders
- gayx mink's legend name
- takιnyεg<sup>w</sup> toque
- t'oq' Squirrel Cove
- Θapaxos male deer
- χwutma?ag sudden intense storm
- ?ıšnomot generous



All these can be found on the First Voices website or App

https://www.firstvoices.com/klahoose/



# **Upcoming Week Events**

- TODAY! Friday November 22nd, 2024.
  See page 4 for more details.
- SMART Recovery
  Monday November 25th 2024 @ Health Center
  4:00 PM to 5:00 PM Every Monday!
- Klahoose Prescription Pick up Wednesday, November 27th @ Health Center Available at 1:00 PM every Wednesday!
- Culture Night
  Thursday November 28th @ Main Hall,
  Multipurpose Building.
  5:00 PM Dinner time, every Thursday
  till the New Year.
- Distribution Application Cut-off for December 15th payment.
  Saturday November 30th, 2024.
  See page 6 for more information.
- Council Meetings
   Monday December 2nd & 3rd, 2024 @ Zoom &
   Council chambers viewing.
   See page 3 for event details.
- Holiday Party Announcment!
  4 party dates.
  See page 3 for more details.
- More event information on page 3!



# **JOB POSTINGS**

#### Health Center Assistant

Health Department
Under the supervision of the Health Centre
Manager the duties and responsibilities of the
Health Centre Admin are best summarized as
administrative tasks, patient interaction, and
assisting with clinical functions

# Education Department Supervisor

Education Department
The Education Department Supervisor manages the education department's operations, staff, and programs ensuring compliance with educational standards and enhancing student success. This position is responsible for budget management, grant writing and fostering partnerships to support and improve educational services.

# ■ Treaty Assistant - Full time

Treaty Department
We are seeking a qualified applicant to join the
Treaty Team as a Treaty Assistant to support
negotiations, community outreach and
communications along with other duties as they
come up.

# **■** Emergency Planning Coordinator

Emergency Management Team
The Emergency Planning Coordinator is responsible for coordinating the Klahoose First Nation
Emergency Planning Committee, and working with the Infrastructure & Development Manager to develop the Emergency Management Department.

Send resumes & cover letters to

- recruitment@klahoose.org or bring them directly to the Klahoose Multipurpose Building!
  You can find more information and full job descriptions on our website
- •www.klahoose.org/jobpostings or QR code!





Cook (Food Truck) - Full Time Gorge Harbour Marine Resort The Gorge Harbour Marina Resort is seeking a skilled and enthusiastic Cook to join our food truck team.

To apply please send resumes and cover letters to <u>team@gorgeharbour.com</u>

## ■ Store Clerk - Full/Part Time

Gorge Harbour Marine Resort
The Gorge Harbour Marina Resort is looking
for an energetic and friendly clerk for the
Gorge Store to help maintain their inventory
of all items and products while providing
exceptional customer service. See full job
description

To apply please send resumes and cover letters to <u>team@gorgeharbour.com</u>

■ Seasonal work from May to October? Klahoose Wilderness Resort Keep your eyes peeled for job positions available for 2025 in this stunning remote location.

You can see up and coming working opportunities on their website: klahooseresort.com/join-our-team



### **EVENTS PAGE**

Leadership Events
 Klahoose Council Meetings @
 Zoom/Council Chambers, from 12:00
 PM to 1:00 PM

November 25th & December 9th, 2024 are being adjusted to December 2nd and 3rd.

There is always a viewing in the Council Chambers for this event so if you're in the community, come and check it out!

Annual General Meeting Saturday November 16th, 2024. Event recap: We would like to thank all of the t'oq' people and staff who attended our Annual General Meeting.

Big hands raised to our kitchen staff for catering, Sandy Emmonds and Nathan Hunt.

Congratulations to Brenda Hanson and Kurt Pollner for winning the door prizes!





Want to register ahead for our Council Meetings?



klahoose.org/eventcalendar or use this QR code!



Any questions about any of these events, please feel free to reach out to our Events Coordinator:

### **Georgina Silby**

**Events Coordinator** 

Phone: (250) 935-6536 Ext. 305 Email: events@klahoose.org

#### Culture Nights

**Thursdays** at 5:00 PM and on, Main Hall, Multipurpose Building. This coming up Culture Night we will be making and fixing some of our drum sticks, come and join for some good company and to learn a new skill! Last Culture Night of the year: December 05th.

■ Klahoose čiy čuy (Children) list submission for Santa Deadline. TODAY! Friday November 22nd, 2024.

Santa needs to know who they are giving gifts to at our upcoming Holiday parties! Please send Georgina Silby your čiy čuy (Children's) first and last name with age.

#### ■ Klahoose Christmas Parties

Auburn, WA

Date: Saturday, December 7th, 2024

Time: 12:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Location: Parks, Arts & Recreation - 910 9th St SE, Auburn,

WA, 98002

Campbell River

Date: Monday, December 09th, 2024.

Time: 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Location: Quinsam Center, Main Hall - 2005 Eagle Dr,

Campbell River, BC, V9H 1V8

qathet (Powell River)

Date: Wednesday, December 11th, 2024.

Time: 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM.

Location: Town Center Hotel, Malaspina Room - 4660 Joyce Ave,

Powell River, BC, V8A 3B6

t'oq' (Squirrel Cove)

Date: Friday December 13th, 2024.

Time: 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Location: Klahoose Multipurpose Building, 1730 Tork Rd.

Squirrel Cove BC, V0P 1T0.



## **HEALTH CENTRE**

#### Contacts to know!

Kari Hackett Health Centre Manager

Phone: (250) 935-6536 Ext. 251 Email: karihackett@klahoose.org

To book doctor appointments at the Klahoose Health

Center: Gina Hallihan Registered Nurse

**、**Phone: (250) 935-6536 Ext. 327 **⊠**Email: ginahallihan@klahoose.org

## Lisa-Marie Gruger

Clinical Counsellor

After working in a variety of settings, ranging from correctional facilities and hospitals to community mental health, First Nations communities and non-profit agencies, Lisa Marie has a diverse range of counselling experiences, ranging from working with children and adolescents with behaviour and psychiatric disorders to supporting individuals who were transitioning out of abusive relationships and into education and/or employment.

- Individual counselling
- Parent and family counselling for children, adolescents, and their families
- Couples counselling
- Clinical supervision

Phone or text: (250) 287-5974 Email: Img@Imgruger.ca





# **KLAHOOSE II WATER TAXI**

Desolation sound and surrounding locations!

For booking

- P: (250) 935-6536 ext. 225
- **C**: (778) 718-2762
- E: klahoosewatertaxi@klahoose.org
  Standard rate: \$300 per hour & \$100 per hour waiting rate.

Member rate: \$225 per hour & \$50 per hour waiting rate.

E-transfers: directdeposit@klahoose.org Cheque: made to "Klahoose First Nation" The Finance Department accepts cash from Monday to Thursday, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM PST.

# SMARTRecovery - every Monday!

4:00 - 5:00 PM every Monday @ Health Centre SMART Recovery offers support to family and friends of an individual with an addiction. As well, it supports folks who are struggling with addiction. Each week, new tools and skills are presented!

Beverages and snacks are provided, as well as a weekly gift card draw!



#### **HEALTH CONTINUED**

Medical Travel Team

Anita Noble

**Medical Travel Coordinator** 

Phone: (250) 935-6536 Ext. 330

Email: medicaltravel@klahoose.org

Tiffany Jamieson

**Medical Travel Coordinator** 

Phone: (250) 935-6536 Ext. 330

Email: medicaltravel@klahoose.org



### KLAHOOSE HEALTH BUS FALL SCHEDULE

Leaving Location	Departure Times
Klahoose Village	8:30 AM
Whaletown Terminal, Cortes Island	9:55 AM Ferry
Quathiaski Cove Terminal, Quadra Island.	11:00 AM Ferry
Shoppers Drug Mart, Tyee Plaza in Campbell River.	3:30 PM
Campbell River Ferry Terminal	4:00 PM Ferry
Klahoose Village	6:30 PM

#### KLAHOOSE HEALTH BUS

### **Island Connection with Convenience**

For booking, contact Ian Ross

Phone: (250) 203-8360

Email: ianross@klahoose.org

All prices include BC Ferry fares.

Children under 5 years old ride for free.

Klahoose Band members get a \$5.00 discount

from the posted price.

Round trip rates (Cortes Island to Campbell River and back):

Adult - \$45.00

Senior - \$25.00

Child (Ages 5-11) - \$30.00

One-way rates (Cortes to Campbell River):

Adult - \$25.00

Senior - \$15.00

Child (5 - 11) - \$15.00

One-way rates (Campbell River to Cortes Island):

Adult - \$35.00

Senior - \$15.00

Child (Ages 5 - 11) - \$20.00

## Better-at-home Program

The Better-At-Home Program is offering one subsidized trip per month on the Klahoose Community Bus.

This program is set up to help low-income seniors, Klahoose Elders are elidgible as well!

Applicants are to be 65 years of age or older and require to submit their full name, date of birth, and documentation of last years total income.

To apply please contact Ester!

- Phone: (250) 204-2116
- Email: betterathomecortes@gmail.com



## ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION FOR KLAHOOSE MEMBERS

We are proud to announce the beginning of the 2024 Annual Distribution of \$1,500 CAD starting November 13th, 2024.



Contact person - Team member: Tanisha Heins Membership Clerk (250) 935-6536 ext. 234 membership@klahoose. org

Annual distribution forms can be found through the QR Code, Members Portal -Klahoose Website, Klahoose Members Facebook Group, physical paper copies at the Klahoose Multipurpose Building, and an email will be sent to our contact list.

- Website: klahoose.org/memberportal
- Facebook: Klahoose First Nation
- Physical Paper Location: Klahoose Multipurpose Building, 1730 Tork Rd., Cortes Island BC Canada, V0P 1T0

Please be advised: Canada post has received strike notices from the Canadian Union of Postal Workers (CUPW) for both urban and rural and Suburban Mail Carriers (RSMC) for a strike to begin as of Friday November 15th, 2024 at 12:01 AM ET unless parties have reached an agreement before then. This information was curated from the Canada Post Official Website.

If this strike is implemented, it will effect the timely matter of our membership who request a mailed cheque for their distribution fund. We highly advise to submit your 2024 application through our Electronic Fund Transfer method VIA DocuSign.

Application Cut-Off Dates	Fund Distribution Dates.
November 30th, 2024	December 15th, 2024
December 31st, 2024	January 15th, 2025
January 31st, 2025	February 15th, 2025.
February 28th, 2025	March 15th, 2025.

## **Q & A's**

4 Dates? What does this mean?
This is a scheduled outline of the distribution dates from the application cut off dates. Sometimes we loose our status/treaty numbers, sometimes we can't get a void cheque in a timely manner. This is simply a guide in the case you are not able to immediately complete your application for the \$1,500 CAD.

Do I have to send in an application for my child that is under the age of 18?

No you do not! Klahoose will automatically put these funds into the holding account for your child/children. Are you wanting an account update? Contact Tanisha Heins to request an account summary.



### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

■ Klahoose čiy čuy (Children) School lunches
Every day there is school, the Klahoose Kitchen will
be providing the school čiy čuy (Children) with a
healthy bag of lunch delivered to the t'oq' bus stop
for 8:00 AM.

Do your čiy čuy (Children) have any allergies? Please call the Multipurpose Building Reception to let us know!

email: klahoosekitchen@klahoose.org

### Reduce, Reuse, Recycle!

Every Tuesday is Compost Day! Please have your compost bucket at the end of your driveway before 2:00 PM Pick-up.

Every Wednesday is Recycle Day! Please have your tri-colour recycling bags at the end of your driveway before 9:00 AM Pick-up.

Every Thursday is Garbage Day! Please have your garbage bins out at the end of your driveway before 9:00 AM pick-up! Remember, 2 bags per household.

Have clothes and household items that can be reused? The Cortes island Free Store Fall hours are from

9:00 AM - 12:30 PM, Thursday - Sunday.



#### **■ Elder's lunches.**

The Klahoose Kitchen provides lunches for the Elders from Monday - Thursday.

Delivery is door-to-door around 12:00 PM!

Have any allergies? Food preferences?
Please contact the Multipurpose Building and let us know!

Email: klahoosekitchen@klahoose.org

#### ■ Gardening 2025

Even though we are going into fall/winter, there is never a time too soon to plan garden beds for the spring! Do you have inspiration of what you would like to see in our 2025 garden?

Here are some examples of spring plants:

Arugula - tart, peppery green leaf great for sandwiches, adding to salads or topping pizzas.
Start Seeds Outside March 25th - 30th.
Broccoli - Start seeds outside March 25th - 30th.
Carrots - Start seeds outside March 26th - April 6th.
Collards - Start seeds outside March 30th - April 6th.

Dill- Start seeds outside April 13th - 23rd. Eggplants - Start seeds inside February 23rd - 24th.

Let Eva Delorme, Communications Coordinator know! Email: info@klahoose.org





Thanks to the almanac for this information! https://www.almanac.com/gardening/plantingcalendar/BC/Courtenay



and use the QR Code to check out their website for you self!