

Shackan Indian Band

Connection



MARCH 2016



COMMUNITY VISION



Members of the Shackan Band envision a Healthy community that lives in accordance with Traditional Scw'exmx values. These values include sharing, helping, learning and teaching.

These values translate into helping the younger generation realize their potential, promoting everyone's involvement in the life of the Community, and also in being generous to those in need.

MISSION STATEMENT

The band office is to promote the development of a healthy lifestyle and self-sufficiency for Shackan community members. We will achieve by being helpful, positive, respectful and professional to leadership, co-workers and Shackan members when administering band programs

Shackan Indian Band

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March Birthdays

Mar. 02 Toby Abbott

Mar. 03 Vanessa Charlie

Mar. 03 Vern Charlie

Mar. 04 Alec Jimmie

Mar. 05 Catherine Strauss (Joe)

Mar. 08 Vera Charlie

Mar. 14 Bert Seymour

Mar. 18 Gordon Joe

Mar. 18 Joan Seymour

Mar. 25 William Oppenheim

Mar. 26 Kirby James

Mar. 29 Brad Rippberger



**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**



**DON'T FORGET TO
MOVE YOUR CLOCK 1
HOUR AHEAD ON
SATURDAY MARCH 10TH
BEFORE BED**

SHACKAN SUCCESS

- **Thank you** to those community members who were involved in helping with the TUS (Traditional Use Study) Interviews – *Your knowledge will be helpful!!*
- **Fire hall Solar Project is still under way, construction will start mid-April.** Training to those community members who are interested will be available.
- Nominees for council have completed their training. **Election will be held March 17th at the band hall 8am – 8pm**
- Strategic Plan Presentation happened last weekend. **Thank you** to everyone who came out!
- Post-Secondary Students are all doing amazing in their courses - *Keep up the GREAT work!!!!*
- **Congratulations** to those who found a job before receiving SA – *Good luck with your new venture!*

EDUCATION



POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION

**Starting thinking about post-secondary education for September
2018 NOW!**

What school would you attend - What courses does that school offer -

What would you like to do?

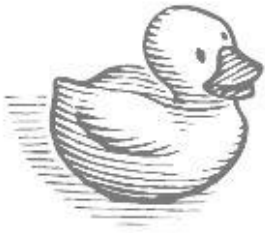
- Start doing your research now
- Register with that school
- Once your registered with a school, see Debra to fill out some paper work

All education must be approved by April 30th, 2018

If you have any questions please contact Debra at Shackan Indian Band

by phone 250-378-5410 or email debra.manuel@shackan.ca





ECE (EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION) PROGRAM

A common issue for CNA
Communities has been child care.

Is there interest for an ECE
Program?

If there is enough interest we
could explore funding.

Please contact Lisa at
250-378-1864 or by email at
lluscombe@cna-trust.ca



Learn n̄e?kepmxcin from your own home!

Citx^w Nlaka'pamux Assembly members can join the program by contacting Lena Nicholson at (250) 378-1864 or email: lnicholson@cna-trust.ca

**To gain access to the CAN-8 program you'll need a computer or laptop, internet access, the ability to listen and record your voice, such as a headset with a microphone piece.

For members living in the Lower Mainland there will be some language sessions starting up, information is posted by Mark Podlasly on the Nlaka'pamux Nation Facebook page.

**Citxw Nlaka'pamux Assembly
Invite Adults and Young Adults (15+)
To Come & Learn Nlaka'pamxcin**

- Classes will be for 1.5 hours (after work hours)
 - Schedule will follow at a later date
- Must be committed to follow through until the end of November 2018
- Need at least 5 or more to make this fun

Please register with:

Jean York & Lena Nicholson

Phone: 250-378-1864

Email: lnicholson@cna-trust.ca



COMMUNITY EVENTS



**NO LOOSE FOOD IN
THE GARBAGE BINS
PLEASE!!**

Mice have been found in the
bottom of the bins.
Please make sure your garbage is
in a bag and tied tight!!



Thank you Toby & Lee



BAND GENERAL

MARCH
13, 2018

Shackan Band Hall
6:00pm



Monthly Band General

Do you have any questions or concern, maybe a great idea or you just want to know what's been happening around your community. Than you won't want to miss out, looking forward to seeing you there!!

COME OUT — BE PRESENT
— GET INVOLVED



Shackan Indian Band Fire Hall Solar Project

Get Involved!

Have you ever considered working with solar power but wondered how to start? **Now's your chance!**

A rooftop solar power project is planned for the Shackan Indian Band Fire Hall to offset the building's electrical needs.

Construction will start **mid-April, 2018**.

Solar install training and employment will be provided (details below).

Space is limited! Please reach out to the office as soon as possible to secure your position for solar training and employment while space remains.

Free Hands on Training

Free solar training will be provided to interested community members **mid-April** that covers solar power basics, safety, and hands-on system assembly.

The training will prepare participants for involvement in future solar installation work and increase marketability for solar related employment.

Employment

Two solar installer positions will be offered to support the project installation.

Selected participants will benefit from **additional paid training** (fall prevention training in **mid-March**), plus **employment during construction** (expected to last 6-10 days starting **mid-April**).

All solar installers will be required to complete hands-on solar training session as part of their paid work activities.

About Us

Sunspear Microgrid is an energy project developer and system integrator with specializing clean energy project development. We leverage clean energy to foster economic development and empowerment of First Nations.

<https://www.sunspearmicrogrid.ca/>



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SHACKAN INDIAN BAND BALLOT FOR CHIEF(1) AND COUNCILLORS (2)

This ballot is for Chief and Council of the Band. The positions for Chief and Council will commence upon a quorum of members of the Council swearing the Oath of Office in accordance with the Custom Election Code of the Shackan Indian Band. Please select your candidate for Chief or Councillor by placing an "X" or "√" in the box next to his or her name.

EXAMPLE:

CANDIDATE	X
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FOR CHIEF YOU MAY NOT PLACE MORE THAN ONE "X" OR "√" ON THIS SECTION OF THE BALLOT.

ADAMS, RUBY MARY	
JOE, JORDAN KYLE	
LAMPREAU, ARNOLD BLAKE	

FOR COUNCILLORS YOU MAY NOT PLACE MORE THAN TWO "X"s OR "√"s ON THIS SECTION OF THE BALLOT.

ANGUS, MARY RUBY	
SEYMOUR, JOAN ELIZABETH	
STONE, MICHELLE VIOLET	



Vote MICHELLE STONE For Council

My name is Michelle Stone born in Merritt, BC. grew-up in the Nicola Valley area. **Parents are Brenda Bent and Jack Stone. Grandparents are the late Johnny and Chick Joe.** Mother to a 2-year-old son, Rapid Sky-Water Lightning-Stone Diablo, we are band members living on Shackan Indian Reserve.

In 2010 started as a laborer/welder for Marwest; eight years later I am now a Forman/Fuser/Welder also **the only First Nations Woman who welds on Fortis gas lines in BC** over these years I have learned management, organizational and leadership skills.

I would love to devote my energy, skills and strengths to improving our community; in a way that brings us all together again. **If elected I'm prepared to step back from my career to be more effective as a Band Councilor.** It would be an honor to have the opportunity to start learning the politics and role of being a leader for our future generation.

My Priorities are:

Health and Wellness
of Community

Education

Economic
Development

Memberships Vision

5498 Cottonwood Lane

Merritt, BC V1K 1R4

Home: (250) 315-1416

Cell: (250) 378-1668

Vote March 17, 2018

@ Shackan Hall

**VOTE
YOUR
FUTURE**

Nlaka'pamux Nation Health
and
Shackan Indian Band
Invite you to the 2018

Community Engagement

Date: Monday, March 5th, 2018

Location: Shackan Community Hall, 4943 Potatoeillshie Rd.

Agenda:

5:00pm Opening Prayer

Dinner

6:00 Presentations

- * NLX Nation Health Services Update
- * Red Cross, Becky Row
- * EMBC Emergency Planning, Mike Knauff
- * FNHA Environmental Health Officers, Casey Neathway

8:00 Door Prizes and Closing

Door Prizes

(1) adult prize = 40" TV

(1) Children and Youth =32 GB ipod

Nlaka'pamux Nation Health
For More information contact:
Bernadette Collins 250-378-5502 or Heather Bob 250-378-5509

March 2018



Feel The Beat is a cultural revitalization program that's main focus is the restoration of the protocols and values rooted in the culture of the Nlaka'pamux and Sylix peoples in the way of seasonal teachings. Feel The Beat is always an open invitation to all heritage, all peoples, to participate in a safe environment to learn and grow in culture. We aim to provide leadership and opportunity to connect to our culture identity.



Culture Events -2975 Clapperton Avenue -Everyone Welcome-4:30-8:30pm- POTLUCK DINNER 6PM

Thursday 1 March 2018	4:30 PM	Beading Night and Pow Wow Dancing Practice in the Gym at 530pm (Bring Inside shoes or moccasins)	SCFSS
Tuesday 6 March 2018	4:30 PM	Cedar Roots Splitting and Harvesting Cedar Roots Planning. A process to learn how to make a cedar basket.	SCFSS
Thursday 8 March 2018	4:30 PM	Buckskin Gloves Making ** Workshop Full** Come Watch or bring another craft to work on.	SCFSS
Tuesday 13 March 2018	4:30 PM	Harvesting Bags and Medicine Pouches Making (Powwow Dancing Practice in the gym at 530pm)	SCFSS
Thursday 15 March 2018	4:30 PM	Language Night(Nlaka'pamux and Sylix Teachers)	SCFSS
Tuesday 20 March 2018		FEEL THE BEAT CLOSED ON ROUTE TO GATHERING OF OUR VOICES	****
Tuesday 27 March 2018	4:00 PM	Traditional Places Name and Food Harvesting (Call and Register for a ride if needed)	SCFSS
Thursday 29 March 2018	4:00 PM	Traditional Places Name and Food Harvesting (Call and Register for a ride if needed)	SCFSS

Every Tuesday we have space available for crafting groups to use to come together from 4:30pm-8:30pm *supplies not provided

★ Guidelines and Values ★

Drug/Alcohol Free Zone

Be RESPECTFUL to self and others

No Lateral Violence Tolerated

Advised that you must be 12 years and over to be left unsupervised

For more info Contact Cultural Program Coordinator Jacqueline Merritt

250 378-2771 ext 241 email youthworker@scwexmx.com

or find us online for updated event info [@scwexmxchildandfamilyservices](https://twitter.com/scwexmxchildandfamilyservices)



Scw'exmx Child and Family Services Society



Buckskin Glove Making



March 8 2018
4:30 pm-8:30pm
NEW DATE



**** Workshop FULL ****

If the workshop is booked up, join us for our potluck dinner at 6pm. You are welcome to work on other craft projects or come share a song or story. Everyone Welcome .

To register call or email Cultural Program Coordinator at 250 378 2771 / youthworker@scwexmx.com
Find us at 2975 Clapperton Avenue, Merritt, B.C.
Front Entrance behind the flag pole for Feel The Beat.

PosterMyWall.com



Men's Group Wellness Day— Coyote Brotherhood

Saturday, March 17th, 2018

9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

Location: Cook's Ferry Gym

Breakfast and Lunch will be served

DOOR PRIZES!

Reiki Master Appointments Available

Massage Therapist Appointments Available

Flint Knapping Workshop

Blood Pressure Testing, Blood Sugar Testing

Smoking and Naloxone Information



First 40 Men will receive a copy of the book "Indian Horse" by Richard Wagamese

Winner of the Canada Reads People's Choice award and the First Nations Communities Reads program and short-listed for the International IMPAC DUBLIN Literary Award.

A Globe and Mail top 100 book of 2012

MOVIE PREMIERE IN THEATRES—Friday, April 13th!!

For more information call Kristy Joe at 250-378-1864 or Lennard Joe at 250-315-8486

2018 YOUTH PROGRAM

Ages 10-18

**Youth Sports Camps (Basketball, Lacrosse, Soccer, Baseball, Volleyball)
First Set: March 3, 4, 10 in Ashcroft, Lytton & Merritt (more to come)**

Youth Leadership Conferences

March 26 & 27, 2018 at the Merritt Civic Centre

March 28 & 29, 2018 at the Nicomen Band Gym

Youth Survival Camp

June 22 after school, June 23 & 24, 2018 at Stoyoma Mountain

Saskatoon Harvesting with Elders

Thursday, July 5th, 2018 in Lytton

Youth Survival Camp

July 1-3, 2018 at Chattaway Lake

Youth Film & Multimedia Conference

July 9 - 20, 2018 at Nicola Valley Institute of Technology, Merritt

August 2018 - Weekends

Elders & Youth Gathering

Berry Camp - Family Event

Survival Camp - Family Event

Fish Camp - Family Event

Hunt Camp - September 21-23, 2018 - Family Event

Posters & Registration forms will be sent out with more information prior to the dates. For more info please call Kristy Joe at 250-378-1864 or email at kjoe@cna-trust.ca

NLX Health & CNA are pleased to invite you to

Ulaka'pamux Woman's Gatherings

Dates:

February 26, 2018 10am-2pm
Lytton Colors

March 8, 2018 11am-2pm
Merritt Hitch n Post

April 19, 2018- location TBD
Root Digging

May 24, 2018 Skuppah
Planting workshop

June 19, 2018 Shackan
Wellness Day

July 20, 2018 9am-6pm
Chilliwack Movie & Shopping

August Date TBD-Fishing/ Berry
Camp

Contact for more information:

Kristy or Corrina (250) 378 1864
Bernadette Collins (250) 315 5227
Tamara George (250) 378 9745

JOB S & TRAINING



JOB POSTING

Citxw Nlaka'pamux Assembly (C.N.A.) Internship Information Technology Administrator



Reports To	Citxw Nlaka'pamux Assembly Manager
Closing Date	March 16, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.
Term Position	Contract Position

Reporting to the Office Manager, a busy and well-established Community Not-for-profit is looking for a talented IT Support person to be based in the Merritt area as an Intern. The successful candidate will be tasked with providing Technology Technical support to Citxw Nlaka'pamux Assembly and its 8 Participating Bands with computer systems, network support and software support across multiple sites with occasional travel required. In order to be suitable for this role you must have some experience working in an IT Support role, Windows Systems Administrator, IT Generalist or similar role. It is essential to have some proven experience with a broad range of technologies including Windows Servers, Windows 7-10, MS Office 2010 - 2016 and general networking knowledge, including Firewalls. The role is responsible for implementing, maintaining, optimizing the network functionality while providing desktop/remote support for hardware/software troubleshooting.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Conducting an technology inventory and conducting a needs assessment of the Community Offices of the 8 Participating Bands relative to high speed internet, software and hardware, and support services
- Helping to bring the Community Offices of 8 Participating Bands into compliance with any IT related policies (i.e.: cyber security compliance)
- Assisting with general (e.g., "Desktop Support") IT support issues, and configuring and maintaining email services for servers and desktops
- Following all protocols regarding handling sensitive and confidential information (e.g. Financial, HR)
- Assist to create master files for 8 Participating Bands management and manage user accounts across multiple offices;
- Maintain, distribute and expand user and admin support documents and best practices;
- Supporting servers for digital collections; digital preservation; internal tools (e.g. scheduling software, online meetings, document sharing and documentation platforms)
- Handling DNS, Firewall, IP Administration, and SSL certificate requests through the C.N.A. office
- Responding to problem reports and requests for assistance, and performing preventive maintenance; diagnosing, repairing, or replacing defective or malfunctioning equipment
- Preparing and maintaining documentation for performed tasks and procedures and all users
- Design and run training for end users covering both centrally managed systems and in-house applications;
- Identify and resolve common hardware and software issues, and develop long-term solutions to manage system efficiency;
- Help manage or stabilize in-house applications, including enforcing internal standards, and becoming an internal resource for IT user administration.
- Responding quickly to day-to-day queries from users that come in via phone, email or online chat.
- Keeping users updated with progress if an issue cannot be resolved, providing clear answers and explanations of technical problems to a non-technical audience.
- Troubleshooting issues methodically and finding solutions using your own initiative, and onsite visits to users for issues that cannot be resolved remotely and systems monitoring.
- Involvement in technical implementation projects, researching and ordering IT hardware.
- Excellent knowledge of MS Office Suite (2010 – 2016), and an understanding of DHCP, DNS and IP based networks
- Demonstrable experience with Routers, Switches, Firewalls, Web Filtering, Anti-Virus, Back-up and disaster recovery, UPS procedures and Printers, Hosted Exchange and PC rebuilds considered an asset
- LAN Cat5e/6 Structured cabling installation skills would be advantageous

Qualifications Education & Experience:

The successful applicant will have outstanding interpersonal skills, as well as exceptional oral and written communication skills, including coordination and facilitation skills. The applicant will possess a high degree of cultural competency, including recent and significant experience working in cross-cultural environments. The applicant will also have a strong ability to problem solve, negotiate, and resolve conflict, and will be required to work co-operatively and facilitate the

development of a team environment. We're looking for a solid generalist who is excited about a variety of IT systems, and capable of successfully working with people of all skill levels.

- Please self-identify if you are Nlaka'pamux and your home
- This is an entry-level position, prior IT experience, particularly with a First Nation organization, is preferred but not required.
- Must be willing to take training and testing for certification
- Previous IT help desk experience, basic programming knowledge, familiarity with Linux and Mac OS, and basic knowledge of database and web application design are preferred but not required.
- Candidates must be self-directed and comfortable working with people.
- Good writing and speaking skills, an organized, patient mind, and the curiosity, motivation, and willingness to experiment required to learn new skills, are all a must.
- Experience of the following: Windows operating systems, Office 365 administration, Exchange, AD, SQL, IP networking, antivirus technologies, scripting languages such as Java - HTML.
- Experience using virtual environments for testing, troubleshooting and deployment purposes (e.g., VMware Workstation, Microsoft Hyper-V).
- Proficiency in Windows desktop (7 and above) operating systems and a proficiency with Windows Server (2008 and above) operating systems.
- Proven ability to successfully initiate, track, and manage multiple detail-oriented projects simultaneously.
- Understanding of remote storage protocols (e.g., iSCSI, NFS, SMB, etc.).
- Experience installing and configuring basic desktop computer hardware and peripherals.
- Individual must be committed to the delivery of quality service and be self-motivated, able to work both independently under minimal supervision and as a team member, and comfortable learning and working in a fast-paced, dynamic environment.

Please submit your cover letter and resume to:

Wayne Kaboni, Manager
Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly
Mail: P.O. Box 618, Merritt, B.C. V1K 1B8 or
Email: wkaboni@cna-trust.ca
Fax: 250-378-2910 or
In Person: 2187-A Coutlee Avenue in Merritt

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JOB POSTING
Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly (C.N.A.)
Language Programs Manager



Reports To	Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly General Manager
Closing Date	March 9th, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.

Reporting to the Office Manager, the Language Programs Manager is responsible for the management and efficient delivery of community based language strategy. The Language Programs Manager will ensure that Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly (C.N.A.) language program reflect the development of speakers on-reserve and in urban areas including children, youth, adult and elders. This position is responsible for ensuring various relationships are established and maintained, and for liaising within the Eight Participating Bands of the Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly and its members on and off-reserve. The position monitors, evaluates, manages and reports on development or challenges of programming in accordance within the identified language strategy including maintaining annual plans or work plans, and the overall execution of organizational priorities plan as it relates to Language. A primary function of this position is also to develop funding applications and proposals, including budgets related to community based projects and programs. The position is responsible for establishing linkages for additional funding when required, and developing the implementation plan, as well as working in a team environment with program staff to identify programming gaps and develop solutions and strategies to relieve these gaps.

Duties and Responsibilities

1. Manages Program Staff in the development of plans and co-ordinates significant operational policies and the development of a Language Strategy to advance the numbers of speakers within the Eight Participating Bands of the Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly.
2. Responsible for assisting in proposal planning, and managing or delegating project teams.
3. Manages and responds to community needs, as well as community program priorities as it relates to Language.
4. Evaluates feedback and manages appropriate design of initiatives to meet community needs, and ensures community-level implementation of projects and programs.
5. Manages program partnerships and advises in the development and implementation of Language Strategy within the 8 Participating Bands of the Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly to ensure that program objectives are effectively met and delivered.
6. Fosters positive and respectful communications and relationships with Participating Bands of the Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly, government officials, non-governmental/community organizations (i.e. First Nation Health), to advance program opportunities.
7. Supports program staff with growth and capacity development based on the strategic plan and direction.
8. Provides policy, project, and program supports and policy development to implement the mandate, set goals, and objectives or milestones with respect to increasing program participants.
9. Performs administrative functions such as reporting, evaluating and monitoring budgets, programs, projects and initiatives.
10. This position ensures that appropriate measures of project strategies, plans and initiatives are in place and that projects have a positive impact on Language and speaker development.
11. The position is also expected to develop applications, proposals and budgets for community projects, based on strategic and annual plans and priorities.
12. This position requires an individual who is passionate about Language and speaker programming.
13. Assess and address issues of communication and working relationships between host organizations and communities to facilitate development of community-driven projects and successful completion of program plans.
14. Coordinate, identify, maintain and distribute, as appropriate, relevant educational information and materials to volunteers through orientation, workshops and other appropriate avenues.
15. Be thoroughly versed in policy and procedures and communicate and enforce policies accurately to volunteers, partner organizations, and participants.
16. Assist in preparation of program documentation, including: Program Profiles; Program Guides; Program Evaluations and Reports; and Project Evaluation and Follow Up Reports.
17. Support the development and implementation of training for volunteers, partner organizations, and host communities.
18. Participate in the evaluation of training design, and recommend improvements.
19. Provide relevant feedback for programs strengthening to the Citwx Nlaka'pamux Assembly Manager.
20. Ensure and maintain good working relations are developed with sponsoring organizations, institutions, and communities.

Qualifications Education & Experience:

The successful applicant will have outstanding interpersonal skills, as well as exceptional oral and written communication skills, including coordination and facilitation skills. The applicant will possess a high degree of cultural competency, including recent and significant experience working in language or teaching. The applicant will also have a strong ability to problem solve, negotiate, and resolve conflict, and will be required to work co-operatively and facilitate the development of a team environment.

- Post-secondary education in and/or significant experience in community-based Language program development;
- An acceptable combination of education, training and/or experience will be equally considered;
- 5 years Experience in project or program management at a supervisory level, including planning, developing, implementing and evaluating community-based programming.
- Experience in research and analysis, and in the application of research and evaluation materials to support community program development.
- Experience in collaborating with multiple stakeholders and/or governments.
- Ability to handle multiple projects with tight deadlines and potentially competing interests.
- Knowledge of and experience in working with First Nations heritage, language, traditional and/or cultural resources.
- This position works in an office environment but travel is required within the Territory on a regular basis.
- Possession of a valid Class 5 Drivers License and own vehicle
- Criminal Records Check
- Occasionally, flexible work hours are required to accommodate evening and weekend activities
- Capability to supervise program staff and volunteer performance and provide technical assistance as needed.
- Excellent computer skills in word-processing and database management.

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Merritt Employment Opportunities

Health Care Aids: Nicola Meadows Assisted Living is seeking applications from Certified Care Aides. Drop off resume in person to Nicola Meadows

NICOLA RANCH—Seeking a full time cowboy for large cattle ranch in British Columbia. The position offers competitive wages, housing and benefits. Duties include but are not limited to: horsemanship, colt breaking, calving, shoeing, fencing & feeding. Must hold a valid driver's license. **Look on AGCAREERS.COM**

General Laborer, Merritt Return It Depot - Looking for a laborer to start part time and possibly work into a full time position and is available from Tuesday to Saturdays. Someone who is a hard worker and self motivated. Priority is great customer service, experience with till, cash and good math skills. Must be healthy with a strong back as there is lifting involved. Being organized and clean and a good team player who is honest and reliable. Job involves counting and sorting bottles, working a touch screen till, paying customers, cleaning and organizing sorting area and return area, as well as some outside work. Being available to work festival weekends and sometimes over the regular 6 hour shift if needed. **Apply in Person**



ABORIGINAL SKILLS EMPLOYMENT
& TRAINING STRATEGY

Scrap Yard Helper, WILKHU METALS LTD. Looking for part-time scrap yard helper. Mostly labor work. \$12.00/hr **Please drop of resume at: 1287 Midday Valley Road OR call 2350-936-8598 Ask for Ravi**

Westcan Auto is looking for a knowledgeable parts person, experience in automotive industrial and R.V. would be an asset but not required apply in person at 2051 Granite Ave. with resume. **No phone calls please.**

The New Town Restaurant is looking for kitchen helpers, \$12.50/hr. Please apply in person.

Home Restaurant—Now hiring Kitchen Staff—Full-time job. Are You Hard Working & Reliable? Do you want to be part of a Great Team? We want to hear from you!! Now Hiring!! Part & Full-time Kitchen Staff. Paid Meal Breaks / Extended Medical & Dental Packages / Daily Meal Allowance / Generous Tip Share Program. Come Join Our Amazing Home Team! **Apply Within to 3561 Voght St Merritt BC**

Temporary Postal Clerk—Canada Post, Merritt BC. Postal Clerk to serve the public at a counter, conduct financial transactions and perform other related duties as required. **Apply on INDEED.CA**

Grocery Clerk—Save On Foods Merritt, BC—No experience necessary. If you are a positive, customer-focused individual, we would love to hear from you. Apply now and add your smile to the mix! We're looking forward to meeting you. **Go online at: www.saveonfoods.com for more information about our company and to apply online.**

Tim Hortons, Merritt, BC—Timmy's is hiring! NOW HIRING FOR ALL POSITIONS, ALL SHIFTS! Search and apply online via INDEED.COM

Sales Associate, The Source, Merritt BC— Do you have a passion for technology and love knowing about the latest and greatest connected tech? Application Deadline: 03/05/2018 **Apply online via INDEED.CA**

Interior Health Community Health Worker— you will support Clients' independence and ability to stay at home. Community Health Workers provide home support services to clients, by assisting with personal care and daily living, while promoting maximum independence. **Full details and to apply online please go to INDEED.CA**

THINKING... of going back to school in September? CONTACT your band office to find out when the funding application deadline is for your Community!!!! (or come in to see ASETS)

Merritt ASETS Employment Counsellor: Deloris Charters **Email:** merrittec@asets.org
Merritt ASETS Administration Assistant: Joelle Brown merrittadmin@asets.org

Aboriginal Skills Employment & Training Strategy

WHAT WE DO AT ASETS:

ASETS is committed to helping clients enter into the workforce or explore and discover a new career path. We have dedicated staff who offer support and the following: Employment counselling; self-directed job search; industry training; essential skills assessments; academic assessments; funding for training; funding for job starts.

LOOKING FOR WORK??

Our Employment Counsellors work with clients to explore their employment options and develop return to work action plans. This process can include several approaches such as: Job search skills; career decision making; resume writing; employer connections and skill development. ASETS also offers job boards; computers for clients; telephone; resume printing and labour market information.

LOOKING FOR TRAINING?

If clients require training or re-training to enter the workforce, our staff may be able to help access funding to begin a new and exciting career path. WE can provide funding for the following occupational training: Industry recognized certification; certificate and diploma programs and trades foundation training.

IN-HOUSE INDUSTRY TRAINING PROGRAMS:

Various programs are offered throughout the year and are based on industry demand such as: Construction; Oil & Gas; Landscaping, etc.

**For further information,
call the Merritt ASETS office: 250-378-0126.**

**Merritt ASETS distributes
updated job opportunities
weekly every Monday
through this job bulletin!**



Merritt ASETS Employment Counsellor: Deloris Charters Email: merrittec@assets.org
Merritt ASETS Administration Assistant: Joelle Brown merrittadmin@assets.org

Merritt Aboriginal Skills & Employment Training Strategy

Office Hours:

**8:30 am—4:30pm
Monday—Friday**

CLOSED for lunch:

12:00—1:00 pm

The Merritt ASETS office is located at
2051-D Voght Street, Merritt BC.

Phone: 250-378-0126

Email: merrittec@assets.org

If the job is online, you might find it on
Indeed.com Indeed enables you to
search jobs posted on 1,000's of web
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on Indeed.



SERVICE CANADA

Do you need to get your Social Insurance Number?
The schedule for Merritt Outreach Dates for
SERVICE CANADA at SERVICE BC MERRITT is:

Thursday, March 08 2018 from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm

Thursday, March 22 2018 from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm

Office is closed: from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

You can also file your record of employment (ROE)
and file for unemployment insurance.

Located at the Rail Yard Mall
(2194 Coutlee Avenue, Merritt, BC)

Job Posting: Bookkeeper Office Assistant

Hesk^Wen'scutxe Health Services Society is a non-profit organization providing health services, Home Care and Community Health nursing services for adults, elders and families and staff members of the Cooks Ferry and Sisk Indian Bands.

An opportunity exists in our health services office located in Siska, south of Lytton BC for a **Bookkeeper / Office Assistant** with strong bookkeeping and administrative skills to provide administrative support to the Health Director and staff.

This will be a full-time, permanent position following a probation period of six months.

Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Be responsible for financial record-keeping of all account activities; process payables, receivables, journal entries & payroll with Sage 50 and Ceridian
- Generate financial reports for the manager in preparation for Board of Director meetings
- Complete other accounting related duties and other duties as assigned
- Complete bank and other account reconciliations, process check requests and payments
- Prepare tax, GST/PST returns, as required
- Complete medical travel reporting (training provided), communicate with clients to identify issues regarding medical travel reimbursements
- Assist with maintaining secure office environment, assist coordinating special events and meetings and purchasing supplies as needed
- Support staff and manager as needed

Your Capabilities and Credentials:

As the successful candidate, you are a detail-focused individual with excellent organizational and bookkeeping skills, with the ability to learn and adapt to culture and processes. You will also possess the following qualifications:

- Respect for human diversity and personal safety including: culture, race, religion, sexual orientation, geography, economic status
- An accounting diploma or relevant certificate training with a minimum of two (2) years related experience working in a professional office environment
- Possess good understanding of accounting principles and basic accounting skills
- Training and experience with the **Sage 50 Accounting** system
- Training and experience with the **Ceridian Payroll** is a plus (will provide training if necessary)
- Ability to manage multiple tasks, demonstrate the ability for clear professional writing skills and oral communication
- Experience using MS Office (Word, Excel and Outlook)
- Knowledge and experience with First Nation communities is a preferred asset
- Experience working in professional health environment, with knowledge of cultural safety is an asset
- Valid driver's license and reliable transportation required

In your cover letter please include the following:

- Describe the top two reasons why you are a good candidate for this position
- What are the three work related attributes that would best describe you

Successful candidate will be required to provide a criminal record check and a current driver's abstract.

Please send resume with cover letter to:

Application Deadline: March 2nd, 2018

Andrea Elliott, Health Director

Hesk^Wen'scutxe Health Services Society

Andrea.Elliott@hhssbc.ca 250 458-2212

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

ACTIVITIES



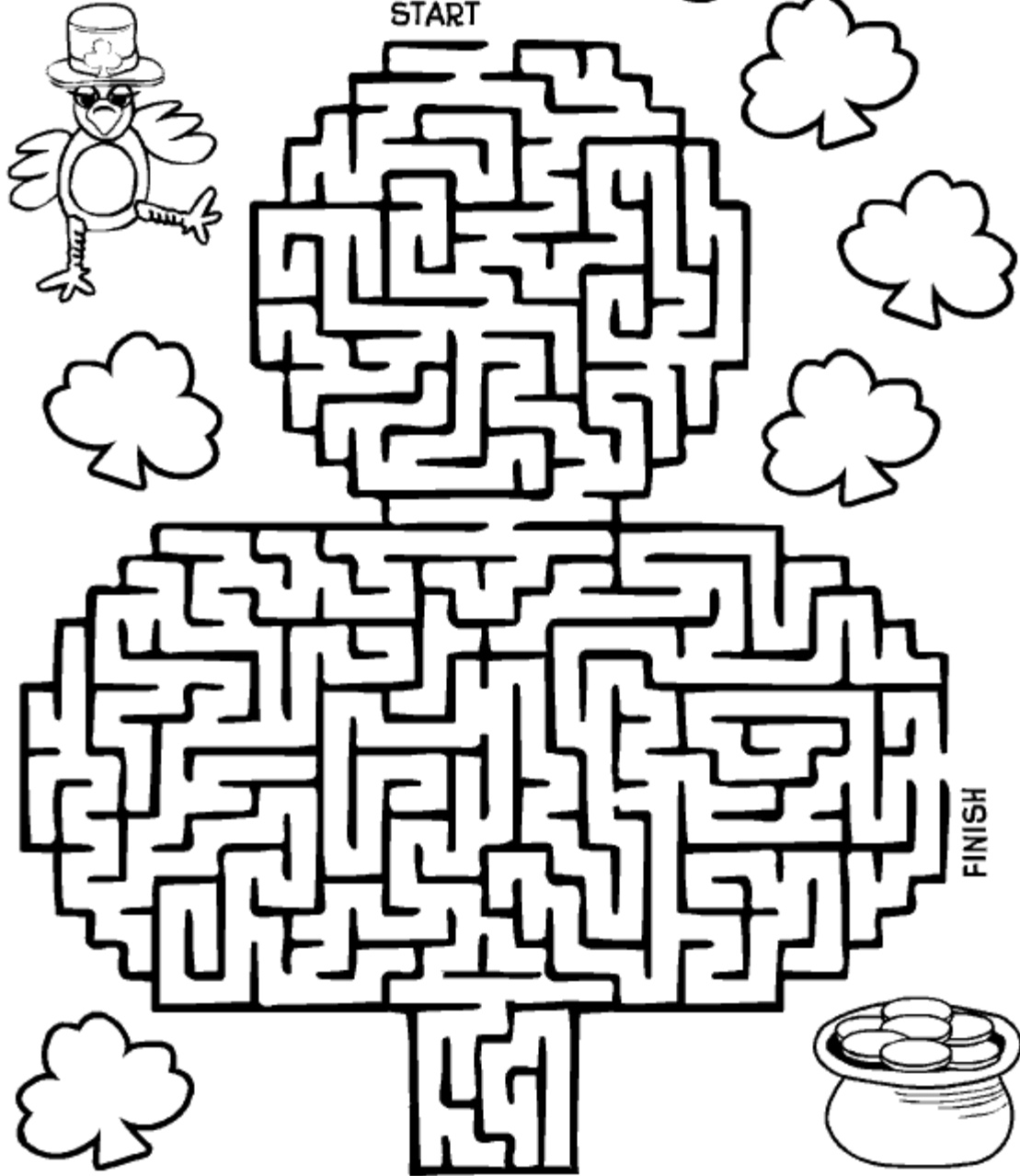
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Word List

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SHAMROCK
LUCKY
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FAIRY
MARCH
PARTY
CLOVER
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