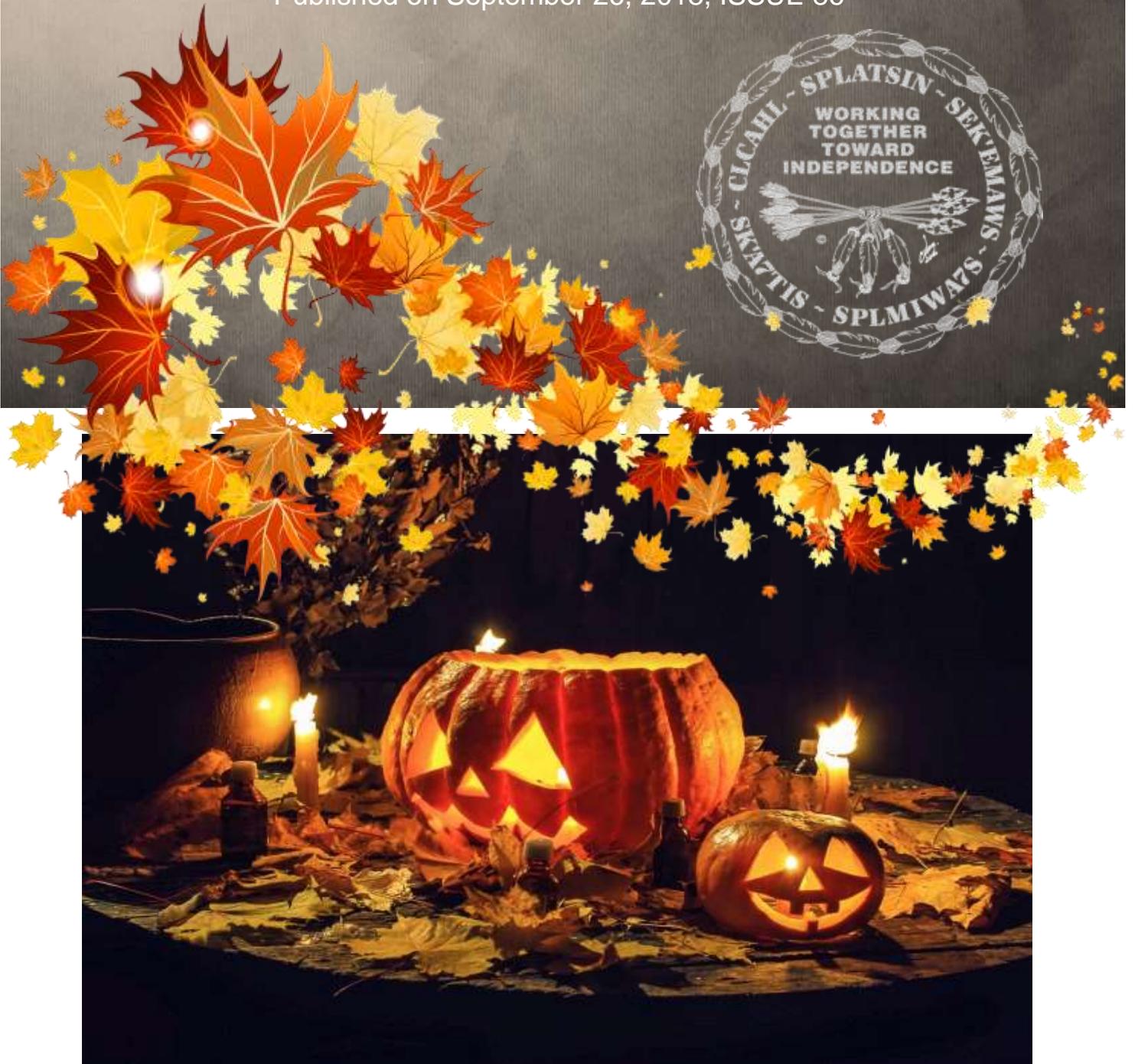


# SPLATSIN COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Two Splatsin Businesses win Achievement Awards



### **Yucwmenlúcwu (Caretakers of the Land) wins prestigious award for Indigenous Business of the Year (Community Owned Enterprise) and Quilakwa Investments wins Outstanding Business Achievement**

**Enderby, BC:** Two Splatsin owned businesses have been honoured by the BC Achievement Foundation. Yucwmenlúcwu, a growing forestry, archeology and environmental services company, took home top prize in the ‘Community Owned’ category. Quilakwa Investments Ltd., which runs the popular Esso gas station and gift shop off Highway 97 south of Enderby, was a runner-up in the same category. The award will be handed out on October 15<sup>th</sup> in Vancouver at a gala with over 600 attendees.

“This award celebrates the important journey we are on as Secwepemc people. In 1910 Memorial to PM Laurier our ancestral Chiefs said, ‘...we want to have an equal chance with them of making a living’. This is what we are doing in 2018 making a living off our lands as Caretakers of the Land”, says Splatsin Chief Wayne Christian.

“YUCWMENLÚCWU means ‘Caretakers of the Land’ and this company is a source of pride for our people as our members are out on the land doing important archeological and environmental stewardship work”. As for having two companies receive recognition Chief Christian is pleased, “To have a second company be named runner-up demonstrates that our community is moving in the right direction. Our gas station has been a fixture in our community for over 30 years and with the new building winning awards, the Tim Horton’s and the addition of a car wash, our future is bright”.

Company President Les Skaalid has seen the evolution of the business over a 10-year time period. “When I was first hired by the Band, it was just myself, a desk and a part-time assistant. Now we have over 25 employees and are having a hard time keeping up to the demand in the marketplace”. “We’ve developed a strong reputation with our clients for providing quality work in a manner that integrates Splatsin culture and environmental values. We are excited about the future growth opportunities in this industry”. The company is currently maxed out on office space and is looking to find more space in the spring, “It’s a good problem to have”, says Skaalid.

**Yucwmenlúcwu (Caretakers of the Land)** is a cultural and natural resource management company that provides a complete range of environmental, archaeology, and forestry services. With a highly skilled team of professionals and certified technicians, it manages and delivers government, industry and private sector projects from concept to completion with the highest level of standards at every stage.

[www.caretakersoftheland.ca](http://www.caretakersoftheland.ca)

**Quilakwa Investments Ltd.** operates a full-service gas station on Highway 97a south of Enderby. The station is complete with a Tim Horton’s, double-bay car wash, Native art gallery and office space.

<https://splatsindc.com/companies/quilakwa-investments>

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## Community Retreat

Friday October 12, 2018

Splatsin Community Centre

5:00 pm – 8: 00 pm

Dinner served at 5:00 pm

Meeting begins at 6:00 pm

Meeting Adjourns at 8:00 pm



Saturday October 13, 2018

10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Breakfast lunch and dinner will be served.

Agenda to be announced.



## NEW STAFF



Hi, my name is Leanne Torio and I am very pleased to be working with the Splatsin Community.

Let me introduce myself. I was born and raised on a cattle farm in northern British Columbia, Dawson Creek, which is Mile 0 of the Alaska Highway.

I was raised with animals and spent all my waking hours caring for them. After, I married I moved to northern Alberta, High Level and Rainbow Lake, which is very close to the North West Territories. At this time, I worked in the School District with Indigenous Dene students, as a Teacher Assistant. I also, have experience working with disabled adults, seniors and youth. I have four years of university education with Thompsons Rivers University – Social Worker Certificate and Senior Living Management Certificate. Being a Community Support Worker is very rewarding and my passion is for children, seniors and animals.

I also, love to travel and learn new cultures. I have recently travelled to Thailand and Costa Rica. I live in Salmon Arm and I have two almost adult sons. I share my home with two dogs, one cat and a cockatiel bird. For fun, I love to go into nature and walk my dogs. I also, like gardening, cooking and flower arranging and look forward to sharing some of my talents.

I look forward to learning more about the traditions and culture of the Secwepemc people. Thank you for the opportunity to be welcomed into your community – it is an honour.



Miranda Kimbasket, Title and Rights Administrative Assistant



Miranda brings 20 years of experience in her field to the Title and Rights department. She started out as the Splitsin First Nation Receptionist in 1999 and ended her employment as Administrative Assistant in the Splitsin Stsmamlt Services in 2014 while working in several of the other departments in between those years. Miranda has stayed committed to serving her community by ensuring her education was offered in different areas of the community such as the Splitsin Tsm7aksaltn Society as Assistant Director, BC Aboriginal Diabetes conference as admin assistant and Splitsin Stsmamlt as Services Family support worker and Administrative Assistant.

Since September 6, 2018, Miranda Kimbasket has provided excellent attention to detail and has effectively represented the face of the Splitsin Title and Rights department. Working in close coordination with several departments in the office, Miranda has proven to be indispensable in organizing, scheduling and managing schedules and resources while innovating successful projects to improve office support. Miranda has been the creator or participated in some projects that have been an asset to the office such as the central filing system (stationary and electronic) that exists today in the Splitsin Stsmamlt Services.

Miranda is a proud mother of 3 children of her own and 1 foster child she raised for 6 years, which have all grown up and moved on their own. Miranda is now experiencing the new world of an empty nest and spreading her wings to enjoy life from a different view.



## **JOB OPPORTUNITY**

### **Cultural Resource Coordinator - Shihya School**

Shihya School is currently accepting resumes for a temporary **Cultural Resource Coordinator**. The Cultural Resource Coordinator is responsible to provide Splatsin cultural based programming and service delivery to Shihya School students and families.

#### **Roles and Responsibilities:**

To ensure the effective delivery of the Splatsin Cultural Resource program to Shihya School students and families providing and facilitating access to traditional teachings and ceremonies in a safe and acceptable environment, promote cultural awareness, and language support.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Strong knowledge and awareness of Splatsin culture and history is required
- A clear Criminal Reference Check & Vulnerable Sector Clearance
- Knowledge and experience working with Indigenous children, youth and families
- Ability to work independently and as a team with minimal supervision
- Post-Secondary education in Indigenous studies or combination of equivalent and relevant education is an asset
- Must have a valid driver's license and reliable vehicle
- Good organizational and administrative skills
- Excellent report writing skills
- Flexible work schedule
- Ability to work professionally and collaboratively with other agencies or Splatsin Departments

Interested candidates can send their resume and cover letter to:

Human Resources, Splatsin

P.O. Box 460, Enderby B.C.

VOE 1V0

[human\\_resources@splatsin.ca](mailto:human_resources@splatsin.ca)

Or fax application to 250-838-2131 Attention: Human Resources

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

## **Certified Education Assistant – Shihya School**

Working 35 hours per week, this position is responsible for assisting the classroom teacher and students in all areas inside and outside the classroom.

As the Shihya Certified Education Assistant, you will be following the classroom teacher's instructions, implementing programs as well as providing supervision at all times including recess and lunch. You will assist individual students and work with small groups under the direction of the classroom teacher all while maintaining confidentiality. You will also be carrying out programs provided by professionals (Speech Pathologist, OT, LRT).

To be selected, you must have a valid Certificate from an Education Assistant Program and experience working with children in a variety of situations. You must have an understanding and experience working within a multi-cultural environment.

This position is right for you if you have strong communication and interpersonal skills, be flexible, positive and a self-starter who enjoys working on a team. Previous experience working with first nations people and knowledge of the Splatsin community are highly valued.

Interested candidates can send their resume and cover letter to:

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**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

We thank you in advance for your interest. No phone calls please.

## **Position: Full Time Teacher (Grade 3-4) October 2018 - June 30, 2019**

Shihiya School is a band-run school owned and operated by the Splatsin Indian Band. We are located in the interior of British Columbia adjacent to the city of Enderby. We are the southernmost band of the Secwepemc (Shuswap) people. We are a certified FNSA school and are committed to consistency and competency in our programs and approaches. If you value high standards, working collaboratively with a great staff, and opportunities for further educational development; we may be for you.

### **Typical Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Be a part of a school-wide collaborating teaching team
- Partake in extra-curricular and cultural community events
- Plan and deliver curriculum for Grade 3-4, as directed and as per BC Provincial IRPs

### **Qualifications required:**

- Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education from a recognized post-secondary Institution
- Possession of a valid BC teaching certificate
- Prior knowledge of the Secwepemc people and territory, along with experience in a First Nation community is preferred.
- Experience with Saxon Math, DIBELS and Read Well Reading Program is preferred
- Must be able to provide a valid criminal record check

### **Salary and Benefits:**

- Comparable to SD#83 pay grid
- Splatsin Group Insurance Plan
- Pension Plan

**Send resume and cover letter with 3 references:**

Human Resources  
P.O. Box 460  
Enderby, B.C. V0E 1V0

Fax: 250-838-2249

Email: [human\\_resources@splatsin.ca](mailto:human_resources@splatsin.ca)

**Closing Date: October 10, 2018**

*Pursuant to section 16 of the Canadian Human Rights Act, preference may be given to applicants of aboriginal ancestry.*



## EDUCATION

### Shihiya School Calendar 2018 - 2019

#### September

|           |    |  |
|-----------|----|--|
| Monday    | 03 | Labour Day   |
| Tuesday   | 04 | School Opens   |
| Monday    | 17 | Pro D Day - No School                                  |
| Monday    | 24 | Swimming Lessons begin - Vernon Recreation Centre @1pm |
|           |    | Parent Meeting 6:00pm @Shihiya                         |
| Wednesday | 26 | Terry Fox Run 10am                                     |
|           |    | Swimming Lessons - Vernon Recreation Centre @1pm       |
| Friday    | 28 | Orange Shirt Day                                       |

#### October

|           |                |  |
|-----------|----------------|--|
| Monday    | 01, 15, 22, 29 | Swimming Lessons - Vernon Recreation Centre @1pm |
| Wednesday | 03, 10, 17, 24 | Swimming Lessons - Vernon Recreation Centre @1pm |
| Friday    | 05             | Pro D Day - No School                            |
| Monday    | 08             | Thanksgiving - No School                         |
| Friday    | 19             | School Organized - Non-Instructional Day         |
| Monday    | 29             | Parent Meeting 6:00pm @Shihiya                   |
| Wednesday | 31             | Halloween  |

#### November

|        |     |   |
|--------|-----|---|
| Monday | 12  | School closed for Remembrance Day       |
| Monday | 26  | Parent Meeting 6:00pm @Shihiya          |
| TBA    | TBA | Skating begins - Dates to be determined |

#### December

|          |    |   |
|----------|----|---|
| Thursday | 20 | Shihiya School Christmas Concert (No School)    |
| Friday   | 21 | Last day before Christmas Holidays - Pajama Day |
| Monday   | 24 | To – January 04 Winter vacation period          |

#### January

|        |    |                                |
|--------|----|--------------------------------|
| Monday | 07 | Schools Re-open                |
| Monday | 28 | Parent Meeting 6:00pm @Shihiya |

## **HEALTH**

### **Tips & Tales**

Third Wednesday of every month 11:00 am to 1:00 pm at Splatsin Health Centre.

This is an informal gathering that we can share information and socialize with friends. Come on out and enjoy the day.

Rides upon request.

Look forward to seeing all of you there. Open to all community.

Please call Adeline at 250-838-9538 ext. 303

### **The Red Road to Wellbriety Meetings**



Most people associate Wellbriety with addictions but Wellbriety is about much more. It means being a balanced person. Wellbriety can also support you with issues such as:

- Grief
- Conflict
- Impacts of abuse and violence
- Disharmony in Relationships

Meets every Monday from 5pm-7pm at Splatsin Health Services Flex Room

Come learn about healing, hope, unity and forgiveness.

### **Splatsin Food Security Programs**

For information on all of these programs, please contact Splatsin Health Services at (250)838-9538

**Second Harvest 2018**

Who: Transportation for up to 9 community members who are accessing income security programs (Social Assistance, Disability, Old Age Security, CPP Pension, or Employment Insurance) are welcomed to ‘catch’ a ride!

Where: Meet at Splatsin Health Centre by 11:30am

How: To sign up –visit Splatsin Health Centre or  
phone 250-838-9538

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FEED Enderby & District Food Bank: Food Bank hampers are on the third Friday of every month at St. Andrew’s United Church. Call 250-938-3114 Monday to Friday 8am to 4 pm to make an appointment. They are always appreciative of volunteers.

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Harvest hut

Every Monday 9am to 12pm

Including statutory holidays

Until Thanksgiving

Free produce is available, if you have excess produce you are invited to drop it off for others to share.



**Sewing and Craft group**

Mondays at Splatsin Health Centre

Starting Oct,2,2018 from 1 pm to 3 pm. Come out and learn to sew or finish up a project. Or learn a new craft. We will meet weekly with a snack provided. For more details please call Adeline 250-838-9538

Open to all Community

Trunk or Treat



October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018

3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Event

4PM – 7PM

Splatsin Center Parking Lot

- Decorate your trunk
- Bring lots of candy for the kids to hand out.
- Prizes to be awarded
- Volunteers to help out or if your group wants to have concession stand let me know

For more information & sign up your car

See: Jessie Thomas (250) 838-6321

Will have more information out soon.

Sign up sheets will be available at front desk and at the community center



## INDIAN REGISTRY ADMINISTRATOR

The Indian Registry Administrator will be in office on the following days:

| For the Month of October: | For the Month of November: |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Wednesday Oct 3           | Thursday Nov 1             |
| Thursday Oct 4            | Wednesday Nov 7            |
| Wednesday Oct 10          | Thursday Nov 8             |
| Thursday Oct 11           | Wednesday Nov 14           |
| Wednesday Oct 17          | Thursday Nov 15            |
| Thursday Oct 18           | Wednesday Nov 21           |
| Wednesday Oct 24          | Thursday Nov 22            |
| Thursday Oct 25           | Wednesday Nov 28           |
| Wednesday Oct 31          | Thursday Nov 29            |

*The following is a list of Accepted Identification to obtain a Status Card:*

**Primary I.D.:**

**Valid Canadian Passport**

**Secondary I.D.:**

**\*Certificate of Birth**

**\*Certificate of Marriage or Divorce**

**\*Provincial Health Card**

**\*Provincial Identification Card**

**\*Driver's License**

**\*Employee I.D with digitized photo**

**\*Student I.D. with digitized photo**

**\*Firearms License**

**\*Current Status card (Status card cannot be expired more than 6 months)**

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*Expired I.D., S.I.N. cards, photocopied I.D. or certified I.D. **WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED***

*I.D. must be intact and readable*

*Your previously issued Status card (even if expired) must be returned to the issuing officer upon receipt of your replacement/renewal Status card*

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**SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT**

| MONDAY   | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY   |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| 9:00 AM<br>INTAKE/CLIENT<br>APPOINTMENTS<br>11:30 AM | 9:00 AM<br>INTAKE/CLIENT<br>APPOINTMENTS<br>11:30 AM | 9:00 AM<br>INTAKE/CLIENT<br>APPOINTMENTS<br>11:30 AM | 9:00 AM<br>INTAKE/CLIENT<br>APPOINTMENTS<br>AND OFFICE<br>WORK ALL DAY | 9:00 AM<br>INTAKE/CLIENT<br>APPOINTMENTS<br>11:30 AM |
| OFFICE WORK  | OFFICE WORK  | OFFICE WORK  | 4:00 PM  | OFFICE WORK  |

My weekly schedule, unless there's an emergency, I will be sticking to this schedule.

**THE WEEK BEFORE CHEQUE DAY, I WILL NOT BE SEEING CLIENTS**

**AS I WILL BE PREPARING THE NEXT MONTH'S CHEQUE RUN.**

Thanks for your co-operation.

Charlene William

Band Social Development Worker



## TITLE & RIGHTS

### Department Update meetings

The first Monday of every month, a department update meeting will be held.

The exceptions are statutory holidays, the meetings will occur the following Monday.

### Splatsin Community Entryway Signs

As part of some collaborative work between Splatsin Title and Rights, Lands and Resources and Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure several Community Entryway Signs have been installed at key locations on Highway 97A, Fortune Road, Enderby-Grindrod Road and Canyon Road. These signs identify that you are entering the Splatsin Community as well as point travellers to some of the key services located on Enderby IR#2.



<< This sign is on Canyon Road near Hwy 97. Courtesy of Mike Christian



This sign is on Hwy 97 near Fortune Road. Photo courtesy of Mike Christian



The sign on the left is located on Fortune Road, the sign in the middle is located on Hwy 97 near Fortune Road and the sign on the right is located on Hwy 97 heading south by the Esso. Courtesy of Mike Christian.

### **Notice to SplatSIN**

Title & Rights have lent out resources over the years and some have not found their way back.

If you happen to be in possession of such resources, can you please return to the Title & Rights Portable; we are trying to develop a reference library for the people to access.

Thank you in advance,

Trina Antoine

Splatsin Cultural Coordinator

## DATES TO REMEMBER

All meetings are scheduled but due to unforeseen circumstances they may be changed

| ← September |  | OCTOBER 2018   |  |  |  | November →   |  |
|-------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Sunday      | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday   |  |
| 30          | 1<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH After school Team</u></li> <li>● <u>Wellbreity</u></li> <li>● <u>Title &amp; Rights Update</u></li> </ul> | 2<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool team</u></li> <li>● <u>Women's Healing Group</u></li> </ul>   | 3<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH leadership team</u></li> </ul>  | 4<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Elders Meeting (Splatsin)</u></li> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool team</u></li> </ul> | 5<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH leadership team</u></li> <li>● <u>Elders at Farmers market</u></li> </ul>   | 6  |  |
| 7           | 8<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Thanksgiving Day</u></li> </ul>   | 9<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Women's Healing Group</u></li> </ul>  | 10<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH leadership cookin</u></li> <li>● <u>Information Session</u></li> </ul> | 11<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool - Yoga</u></li> </ul>  | 12<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Elders at Farmers market</u></li> <li>● <u>Second Harvest Rides</u></li> <li>● <u>Community Retreat - Con</u></li> </ul>                                 | 13<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Community Retreat Day 2</u></li> </ul> |  |
| 14          | 15<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH leadership SNITC</u></li> <li>● <u>Wellbreity</u></li> </ul>   | 16<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Newsletter deadline</u></li> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool team</u></li> <li>● <u>Women's Healing Group</u></li> </ul>    | 17<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Tips &amp; Tales</u></li> </ul>  | 18<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool Bolini</u></li> </ul>  | 19<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool team</u></li> <li>● <u>Elders at Farmers market</u></li> </ul>   | 20   |  |
| 21          | 22<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Wellbreity</u></li> </ul>  | 23<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool team</u></li> <li>● <u>Women's Healing Group</u></li> </ul>  | 24<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH leadership team</u></li> </ul>   | 25<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH Halloween celebr</u></li> </ul>  | 26<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Elders at Farmers market</u></li> <li>● <u>Second Harvest Rides</u></li> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool team</u></li> <li>● <u>Trunk or Treat</u></li> </ul> | 27   |  |
| 28          | 29<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool team</u></li> <li>● <u>Wellbreity</u></li> </ul>   | 30<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Newsletter distribution</u></li> <li>● <u>YOUTH Halloween Movie</u></li> <li>● <u>Women's Healing Group</u></li> </ul> | 31<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Halloween</u></li> <li>● <u>General Assembly</u></li> </ul>                  | 1<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Elders Meeting (Splatsin)</u></li> <li>● <u>YOUTH Afterschool team</u></li> </ul> | 2  | 3  |  |

## SPLATSIN DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION



Yucwmenlúcwu (Caretakers of the Land) LLP

Harvesting has been re-scheduled on the Splatsin woodlot W0338. The initial June harvest schedule was postponed due to fire hazard. Harvesting will take place on the Schedule B, Crown Land portion of the woodlot in the Salmon River area. There will be active industrial forestry activity including road building, falling, skidding, log processing, log loading, and hauling. Activities are scheduled to begin for the harvest of two blocks during the week of September 17, 2018. Harvesting will continue to be active through October. This worksite is in proximity to the Salmon River reserve. Active logging signage will be posted, and the road will be closed to public access. Please observe all safety signage, and do not enter the worksite without authorization of the site supervisor.

### **Brad Sindlinger, RFT**

Forestry Supervisor

Yucwmenlúcwu (Caretakers of the Land) LLP

Splatsin Development Corporation

5655 Hwy 97A Enderby, BC VoE 1V3

P: (250) 838-0775 Ext. 125 C: 250-253-0972





**Sabrina Vergata, *Splatsin Development Corporation Administrative Assistant***



A Splatsin community member, Sabrina spent the last 6 years in retail, 5 of those years in retail management where she found the love and appreciation of working with others. Sabrina just moved back to Enderby from Surrey in August 2018 with her family, Jasdev and Amira and they are happy to be home. Amira is attending the local Elementary school Shihiya where she loves to learn as much about her culture as she can. On her down-time, Sabrina spends a lot of her time with her family treasuring every minute and spends the rest of her time enjoying playing board games, watching

movies, reading, and going hiking.

**Annual golf tournament held on September 21, 2018 at the Salmon Arm Golf course hosted by Splatsin and Splatsin Development Corporation, photos taken by Megan Nicholas**



**SPLATSIN TSM7AKSALTN (SPLATSIN TEACHING CENTRE) SOCIETY**  
**2018-2019 Annual Calendar of Events and Curriculum**

*Please note:*

*We are open from September 4, 2017 to June 7, 2018.*

*We will be closed for Christmas and Spring Break, Summer Holidays and some School District # 83 Pro D Days.*

**September**

***Sept. 1-28 – Cultural themes: chokecherries, apples, greetings, Salmon***

Sept. 4 – Splatsin Tsm7aksaltn opens

Sept. 10 – Bus run starts

Sept. 10 – Kia7as first day back

Sept. 12 - Newsletter articles due (Harlen)

Sept. 11 – Board of Director’s Meeting at 5:00

Sept. 17 – Pro D Day – We are closed for child care

Sept. 18 – Start collecting winter clothing for clothing exchange. Drop off with AIDP

Sept. 24 - Welcome Back BBQ 4-5pm for all parents / children / community

Sept. 26 – newsletter deadline for staff for October issue

Sept. 28 – Orange Shirt Day to remember residential school survivors. Wear Orange

## **October**

### ***Oct. 3-28 - Themes: Fire Prevention, Thanksgiving, Hunting***

Oct. 5 – Pro D Day – Closed for Child Care. Planning for Dec. Loonie Auction

Oct. 8 – Closed for Thanksgiving Stat – no childcare this day

Oct. 9 – Board of Directors Meeting @ 5pm

Oct. 10-20 - cultural theme: Hunting

### ***Oct. 29-31 - Themes: Halloween***

Oct. 31 - Kids Halloween Party from 2-4pm

## **November**

### ***Nov. 1-30 - Theme: Aboriginal Veteran's Day, Winter Houses, Hunting, Children's Rights***

Nov. 8 - Aboriginal Veteran's Day: 10:30am - Walk to the Splatsin Cenotaph and laying of wreaths. Hot soup and buns at the Language Room after. Everyone welcome.

Nov. 12 – Stat for Remembrance Day- Centre is closed

Nov. 13 – Pro D Day – Centre is closed. No Childcare this day.

Nov. 13 – Board of Directors Meeting @ 5pm

Nov. 19-23 - Theme: National Addictions Awareness Week – no internet week.

Please bring your favorite board games.

Nov. 20 - National Children's Day: wear your pajamas to childcare, backwards lunch (banana splits for lunch with pizza for dessert). Face painting. Making edible mud pies to take home.

## **December**

### ***Dec. 1-21 - Theme: Christmas, Snow and all about snow, Snowmen***

Dec. 11 – Board of Directors Meeting @ 5pm

Dec. 12 - Loonie Auction fundraiser for the Language Program. Donations of quality items gratefully accepted. Drawing for 50/50 money tree at Auction. Location at Splatsin Community Centre at 5pm

Dec. 17 - Kia7as Christmas Party from 10am to 1:00pm in Language Room

Dec. 14 – Splatsin Tsm7aksaltn Staff Christmas party 6pm. Please pick up children by

4pm this day please.

Dec. 19 - Children's Christmas Party from 3-4pm. This will be a children's activities until 4pm and then a Christmas dinner at 4pm. Parents and community welcome

Dec. 21 - Last day of childcare before Christmas break

Dec. 22-Jan. 7: closed for Christmas break

## **January**

### ***Jan. 7-31 - Cultural themes: Winterfeast teachings, family terms, stick games***

Jan 7 - Centre re-opens after Christmas break

Jan. 15 – Board of Directors Meeting @ 5pm

Jan. 23 – Winterfeast at the Splatsin Tsm7aksaltn @ 5pm

## **2018 Baby Welcoming Ceremony**

Aboriginal Infant Development Invites you to take part in the Baby welcome ceremony for Babies born in 2018.

We need:

- \*Date of birth
- \*Photo of the baby
- \*And proper spelling of parents & Grandparents
- \*As long as your of Splatsin decent your included
- \*No status needed

Please contact Salena Webb at (250)838-6404 ext. 7

Email: [splatsin\\_idp@yahoo.com](mailto:splatsin_idp@yahoo.com)

Or Facebook messenger [Splatsin Aidp](#) (Aboriginal Infant Development Program)

Baby welcome ceremony will be held in April of 2019

## **Clothing Exchange**

We will start collecting items from October 1 to 25, 2018.

We are only looking for winter coats, boots and clothing in good condition.

Please drop off at the Daycare 2730 Canyon Road or contact Salena Webb to arrange for pick up (250)838-6404 ext 7.

## **Fundraiser**

**Garage Sale fundraiser has been postponed until the Spring.**

Please add Splatsin Tsm7aksaltn (Splatsin Teaching Centre) Society to your liked pages in Facebook to keep up to date.

Be the Change



**“BE THE CHANGE”  
Trauma & Healing Workshop**

**October 12 & 13, 2018  
Hotel 540 Rivers Room  
Kamloops, BC**

The Secwepemc Community Justice Program is hosting a 2-day workshop on Trauma & Healing. Topics may include

- 1) Practical Observations on Emotion (trauma) through Restorative Justice A formal discussion on Restorative Justice Circles and its application for all incidents including very serious trauma cases.
- 2) Looking at our past experience and creating a vision – participants find out what gets in the way of Healing. Includes a talking circle - getting to know one another and a closing circle. Participants may learn about trauma (including intergenerational), discuss healing, for cycles to break, it takes awareness and a willingness to pass on new and healthier ways of thinking and behaving.

**Facilitators:** Jim Cooley & Rose Miller, and a guest speaker.

**Date:** Friday, October 12, 2018 & Saturday, October 13, 2018

**Time:** 9:00 am to 4:30 pm daily

**Location:** Hotel 540 Rivers Room, 540 Victoria Street, Kamloops, BC

**BY INVITATION ONLY.** Participants will receive an invitation to attend the workshop. **Maximum participants is 40.**

**For more information:**

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