SPLATSIN COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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Secwepemc Summer Gathering 2019 held in Jasper, Alberta

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Month	Newsletter Deadline	Distribution Date
September	20	27
October	21	28
November	18	25
December	13	20

Events

Community

Splatsin Women's Healing Group

This is an open invitation to all Splatsin women.

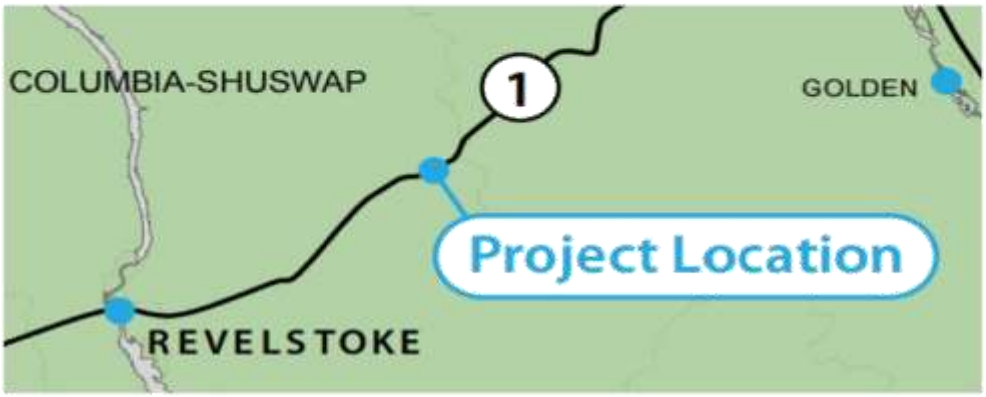
There will be a meeting held September 8, 2019 in the community room of the Splatsin Community Centre. Reoccurring bi-weekly afterwards

At 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Sewing to begin Tuesdays in August and September 2019

For more information contact Wilma Maxime (250)309-7852.

If you're interested in a job on the Highway 1 Four-Laning project, please apply at bcib.ca



For questions, give us a call at 1-888-567-2242 or send us an email at: info@bcib.ca

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SECWEPEMC LAKES TOURISM

Our Purpose

We are a group which includes Adams Lake, Little Shuswap, Neskonlith and Splatsin, Province of BC and Community Futures reps to carry out the Secwepemc Lakes Indigenous Tourism Project "Honoring our Ancestors through Arts, Entertainment Recreation and Ecotourism".

- To be successfully implemented, a tourism strategy must be embraced by community members – it must reflect the goals and aspirations they hold for themselves and for their community and then, and only then must it find and speak to travellers that seek the authentic experiences and cultural knowledge willing to be shared
- The tourism strategy prepared for the communities of Sk'atsin, Cstelnec ell Sxwetsmellp and Splatsin benefited from significant input from community members themselves and from the leadership and guidance of Shelley Witzky, Political Coordinator, STS Lakes.
- The guidance of Richard Toperczer, Ministry of FLNRO and Rural Development is also gratefully acknowledged
- Funding was provided by the BC Rural Dividend Program

Who we are & What we do:

Rob Marshal, Community Futures Shuswap
Richard Toperczer, Government of BC
Dorothy Argent, Training Needs & Labour Market Project Coordinator
Councillor Doug Thomas, Splatsin Council Rep
Louis Thomas, Neskonlith Council Rep
Shelly Witzky, Adams Lake, Storyboard and Cultural Guidelines Development
Julie John, Little Shuswap Indian Band - Entrepreneur Support and Training Needs
Bonnie Thomas, Neskonlith - Artisan Support and Training needs
Donna Felix, Splatsin - Artisan Road Show and Other Events

Summary of Deliverables from Strategy & Workplan

- Cultural Sharing Guidelines
- Indigenous Artisan Support
- Increase Cultural Presence on the Traditional Territory
- Assist entrepreneurs in the development of their tourism-based business
- Tourism Industry Training for interested community members
- Develop and Deliver Indigenous Tourism Events

If you have any questions or are interested in further information, please contact appropriate person in the included contact list.

Shelly Witzky has been working on **Cultural Sharing and Guidelines** with Elders from each community as well as developing **Story Boards**.

Bonnie Thomas, along with The NIB Education & Assessment Project, the Secwepemc Lakes Tourism Project & the Secwepemc Labour Market Assessment Project have come together to collaborate and complete one C**omprehensive Survey** in each community for further clarity on training, education, tourism and entrepreneurial needs in the Shuswap area.
Watch for this survey coming your way soon!
Bonnie is also **gathering artisan information** and contacts. Please provide Bonnie with your info should you want to be included in her data base.

Julie John is providing **Entrepreneurial Development and Support** information sessions in the four communities. **COOP Information**: There was a session at LSLIB on July 29. If you are not interested in starting your own business, but want to sell your crafts, a COOP might be the way for you! Contact Julie for more info.

Donna Felix is researching and organizing information on various events for Secwepemc Artisans and Entrepreneurs to promote sell their goods and services.
Donna will coordinate various "**Road Shows**" to include a showcase of artisans, crafters, story tellers, tour operators, etc. to demonstrate to community members different ways to get involved in the tourism sector and different support mechanisms to assist. We need your involvement. Watch for the dates to be announced.
Plans are in process to provide venues for **Sales Events** to take place, Christmas 2019 and Spring of 2020. Watch for more info and dates to be announced. And get your crafts ready!

We also have a FB page **Secwepemc Lake Tourism**. You will see info there and can connect for updates.

Bonnie Thomas Artisan Support & Training Needs 250-463-2855 bonniethomas001@gmail.com	Shelley Witzky Storyboard & Cultural Guideline Development 250-819-0872 switzky@alib.ca
Julie John Entrepreneur Support & Training Needs 250-879-1087 julie_joh@hotmail.com	Donna Felix Artisan Roadshow & Other Events 250-550-6152 donnamayfelix@gmail.com
Dorothy Argent Training Needs & Labour Market Project Coordinator 250-833-6502 dorothy@alokaconsulting.org	

Secwepemc Lakes Tourism Strategy
Artisan Information Sheet

SECWEPEMC LAKES TOURISM, Meet & Greet @ Splatsin, August 15, 2019

I want to thank all those artisans who came out last evening @ Splatsin Centre in support of **Secwepemc Lakes Tourism** project and to show us your crafts and business ideas. The information provided was excellent and the crafts displayed were so awesome. There are a great many talented people in our communities and our working group is here to assist you to achieve your dreams. Great discussion on protecting the traditions, crafts and the land took place. Thank you all for your input.

Artisan present: Splats'in Stet'xam group, Josephine Thomas, Juanita Thomas, Bev Thomas, Ethel Thomas, Leonard Lezime, Rita Edwards, Vern Clemah, Simone Williams, Dolores

Purdaby, Tara Willard, Hop You, Julianne Alexander, Shirley Bird-Prattis, Gerry & Phyliss Thomas, Lorna Thomas, Phyllis Jezewsky and Jean Brown. So much talent!!!

Others present: Tina Marie Christian, Darcy Felix, Laureen Felix, Gab Felix, Edna Felix, Roberta Thomas, Loretta Thomas.

And a Big thank you to our team: Bonnie Thomas, Shelly Witzky and Julie John. Is such a pleasure to work with you strong, dedicated women. Together we can move mountains in the spirit of "Honoring Our Ancestors Through Arts, Entertainment, Recreation and Ecotourism". And thank you to George Casimir for presenting what Community Futures, Central Interior First Nations can do to assist. Also thanks you to Dodie Jones, Sienna, Savanah, Mohoya and Samara for providing wonderful drum songs for us. I also want to thank Doug Thomas for the support, hard work and commitment to see this event take place.

Thank you to those who donated items for door prizes – SDC – 6 gas cards, Dodie Jones – 3 pair beaded earrings, Gerry Thomas - birch bark feather, Lorna Thomas – tulli mat, Ethel Thomas – rattle and George Casimir – 3 sets of coasters.

Winner**: gas cards** – Vern Clemah, Ethel Thomas, Julianne Alexander, Dolores Purdaby, Darcy Felix, Dodie Jones. **Earrings** – Tara Willard, Bev Thomas and Mohoya. Tulli mat – Sienna. **Birch bark feather** – Lorna Thomas. **Coasters** – Gab Felix, Savanah and Roberta Thomas.

This was the first of many events to be organized to showcase and assist Tourism for the Lakes Bands. We will have a big event before Christmas for artisans to sell their goods, so watch for news about that.

SPLATSIN SECWEPEMC ARTISTS

CALL FOR ARTIST

SPLATSIN HEALTH CENTRE IS LOOKING FOR ARTISTS WHO ARE INTERESTED IN TEACHING AND FACILITATING AN ART PROJECT!

Submissions ongoing, beginning August 9th 2019

Interested?
Contact Jean Brown and provide your:
- Name
- Contact information
- Art project idea

Jean Brown:
(250)838-9538 ext. 303
jean_brown@splatsin.ca

Splatsin Community Center

Please see below for the format of bookings for the community center.

1. Please contact me, Wilma Maxime, at bookings@splatsin.ca about your meeting or event date. I can be reached through email, phone or by stopping by my office in the Community Center to check on availability of room or space.
2. If your date is available, I will then put you in the calendar as tentative and email you a booking form to fill out.
3. After you email me your completed booking form **only then** will I remove the tentative and have you booked. I will then send you a calendar invite to accept.

On the booking form we ask that you fill out as much information as you can,

- Amount of people; also, if you require coffee and water.
- If you need any amenities: projector, whiteboard, phone…etc.
- A drawn layout of how you want your booking set up
- **Early access if required before the date and time of your event**
- Please be diligent of your booking times. For example, if you are booking from 1- 3 pm, we need you out on time. We have other bookings on a regular basis, especially for room 2, which frequently has late afternoon bookings during the week.
- If you think you will go over time for your meeting, please make sure you state that in your booking form
- Please be respectful of time management as our staff need time to get in and clean for the next meeting.

Kitchen Use

The kitchen rental is now available for full day use or Half day use.

1. We will ensure the kitchen is unlocked for your booking,
2. Every kitchen user is required to follow the Splatsin Sanitation plan

New community Centre Room- Band Members

We ask that you clean up and leave the space as clean as you found it. This space is very high use. Please take out your garbage, sweep and clean the kitchen. This space is used from 3- 7pm daily for the youth program unless you ask for it to be booked for your event.

For **Splatsin Internal Program Prices,** see Wilma Maxime

This room is free for band member use.

External bookings available if no Splatsin band member or program has booked the space.

Any question or concerns please let me know.

Wilma Maxime, Community Center Manger
5767 Old Vernon Road
PO box 460 Enderby BC V0E1V0
250-838-6496 ext.231, Cell: 250-540-4046
bookings@splatsin.ca

Education

Shihiya School Registration

Shihiya School Registration Form
5361 Jackpine Rd.
Box 460, Enderby, BC V0E 1V0
PH: 250-838-2246 FAX: 250-838-2249

Date: _____

*Along with this form, please provide a copy of your child's birth certificate and CareCard upon registration. *

Student Information:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Name(s): _____

Address: _____ Home Phone: _____

Birth Date: _____ PEN#: _____ Start Date: _____

Check One: Non-Status ☐ Status ☐ Band Number: _____ Band name: _____

Parent/Guardian Information:

Check one: Both parents in the home ☐ Father Only ☐ Mother Only ☐ Other Guardian ☐

Mother's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Mother's Employer: _____ Work Phone Number: _____

Father's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Father's Employer: _____ Work Phone Number: _____

Guardian's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Guardian's Employer: _____ Work Phone Number: _____

Email address (optional): _____

Emergency Contact: If we are unable to contact you during an emergency we require an alternate person to be named as an emergency contact. Please provide one or more names and phone numbers.

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____Relationship to Student: _____

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____Relationship to Student: _____

Health: Doctor and/or Clinic: _____

Phone Number: _____ Care Card Number: _____

Medical Condition or Concerns: _____

Allergies: _____

Special Dietary Needs: _____

Previous School Information: Name of School: _____

Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Grade: _____

Supply List for K4/K5:

- 1 plain exercise book (blank pages)
- 2 exercise books (top half blank, bottom half interlined)
- 1 package of duo tangs (five colors: red, yellow, blue, green, orange)
- 1 package of pocket folders
- 1 pencil case
- 12 primary pencil crayons
- 1 pencil sharpener
- 2 erasers
- 1 box of 24 crayons
- 1 package of pencil crayons
- 1 package of chisel tip washable markers
- 1 pair blunt tip scissors
- 2 glue sticks
- 1 bottle white glue

- 1 plastic ruler
- 1 clipboard
- 1 box Kleenex
- 2 packages of wet wipes
- 1 pair of Velcro inside shoes
- 1 water bottle
- 1 complete change of clothes (including underwear) – please send in a large labelled Ziplock bag with your child's name on it
- 1 package of medium or large Ziplock bags

******Please put your child's name on all his/her belongings. ******

Supply List for Grade 1/2

- 1 package of duo tangs (five colors: red, yellow, blue, green, orange)
- 2 plain exercise books (blank pages)
- 2 exercise books (top half blank, bottom half interlined)
- 12 pencils
- 2 erasers
- 1 package of 24 pencil crayons
- 1 package of chisel tip dry erase markers (with built in eraser)
- 1 pair blunt tip scissors
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 box Kleenex
- 1 backpack (preferable without wheels)
- 1 pair of Velcro inside shoes
- 1 water bottle
- 1 complete change of clothes (including underwear) – please send in a large labelled Ziplock bag with your child's name on it
- 1 package of small or large Ziplock bags

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Supply List for Grade 3/4's

- 30 #2 HB yellow Pencils
- 4 Large erasers
- 1 pkg of pencil crayons (12 or 24 per box)
- 1 pkg of fine tipped markers
- 4 large glue sticks
- 1 bottle of white glue
- 1 pencil sharpener
- 2 highlighters
- 1 30cm/12inch transparent plastic ruler
- Pencil box
- 12 Duo tangs, please include red, yellow, green, blue, black and white, 1 of each
- Lined loose leaf paper (150 pages)
- 1 pair of scissors
- 2/4 White board markers
- 1 blank page notebook or a drawing book
- 1 box Kleenex
- 1 geometry set
- 1 pkg large Ziplock bags
- 1 pair headphones
- 1 pair of indoor runners
- 1 backpack
- 1 water bottle

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Supply List for Grade 5 - 7

- 48- #2 HB Pencils
- 6 - Large White Erasers
- 1 pk 24 pencil crayons
- 1 pk 12 fine tip markers
- 8-large glue sticks
- 1-bottle white glue
- 1-pencil sharpener with bottom
- 2-yellow highlighters
- 1-ruler (cm and inches)
- 1-pencil box
- 6-duotangs (any color)
- 3-1inch binders (any color)
- 1-pair of scissors
- Geometry set
- 2- 100-page quad (graph paper) notebooks for math -
- 8 key-tab notebooks
- All students will need a pair of inside shoes to use in the classroom/gym and a backpack to
- carry home their Planner and other work.

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Employment

ARCHAEOLOGIST - FIELD DIRECTOR

Position Purpose

Yucwmenlúcwu (Caretakers of the Land) LLP is seeking an **Archaeologist – Field Director** for a full-time position based in Enderby, BC.

The successful candidate will be responsible for the following:

- Supervising and assisting with archaeological field assessments and research
- Supervising and assisting with artifact cataloguing, reporting, and permitting
- Assisting with project management tasks, as required
- Liaising with First Nations, proponents, landowners, and regulatory agencies
- Assisting the environment, forestry, and culture heritage teams as necessary
- Mentoring and training junior archaeologists and Splatsin community members
- Actively participating in the Yucwmenlúcwu Safety Management System

Minimum Requirements and Qualifications:

- Undergraduate degree in Archaeology or Anthropology with a minimum of 3 years' experience
- Demonstrated understanding of the *Heritage Conservation Act* and regulatory process
- Previous experience supervising archaeological assessments, excavations and construction monitoring
- Eligible for Field Director status in the Interior Plateau culture area under Bulletin 17 requirements of the BC Archaeology Branch
- Proven ability to mentor and train staff

Preferred Skills and Attributes:

- Eligible to hold BC Heritage Conservation Act Section 12 or 14 permits in the Interior Plateau culture area
- Professional specializations in any of the following: faunal analysis, human osteology, lithic analysis, statistical analysis, geoarchaeology, paleobotany, or remote sensing techniques
- Previous experience working with a First Nation organization
- General understanding of the First Nations consultation process
- Basic knowledge of surficial geology and landforms
- Ability to work in a fast paced, deadline-oriented environment

- Strong aptitude for technical writing and reporting
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Ability to work effectively and efficiently with a diverse team
- Demonstrated proficiency completing assigned tasks on time and on budget
- Discretion and respect for confidentiality
- Positive, diplomatic, and understanding personality
- Valid driver's license and clean drivers abstract

If you are a reliable, team player that enjoys a dynamic work environment, competitive salary and benefit package and an opportunity to share your skills and talents, we would like to hear from you. Please forward your resume and covering letter to info@splatsindc.com, fax 250.838.2131 or send to: Human Resources, Splatsin, P.O. Box 460, Enderby B.C., V0E 1V0,

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS:

Until Filled

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ARCHAEOLOGIST - FIELD SUPERVISOR

Position Purpose

Yucwmenlúcwu (Caretakers of the Land) LLP is seeking an Archaeologist – Field Supervisor for a Seasonal Contract (August 1 – December 31, 2019) position based in Enderby, BC. This position may be extended to full time.

The successful candidate will be responsible for the following:

Supervising and assisting with archaeological field assessments and research

Supervising and assisting with artifact cataloguing, reporting, and permitting

Assisting with project management tasks, as required

Liaising with First Nations, proponents, landowners, and regulatory agencies

Assisting the environment, forestry, and culture heritage teams as necessary

Mentoring and training junior archaeologists and Splatsin community members

Actively participating in the Yucwmenlúcwu Safety Management System

Minimum Requirements and Qualifications:

Undergraduate degree in Archaeology or Anthropology with a minimum of 2 years' experience

Demonstrated understanding of the *Heritage Conservation Act* and regulatory process

Previous experience supervising archaeological assessments, excavations and construction monitoring

Proven ability to mentor and train staff

Preferred Skills and Attributes:

Eligible or approaching eligibility for Field Director status in the Interior Plateau culture area under Bulletin 17 requirements of the BC Archaeology Branch

Professional specializations in any of the following: faunal analysis, human osteology, lithic analysis, statistical analysis, geoarchaeology, paleobotany, or remote sensing techniques

Previous experience working with a First Nation organization

General understanding of the First Nations consultation process

Basic knowledge of surficial geology and landforms

Ability to work in a fast paced, deadline-oriented environment

Strong aptitude for technical writing and reporting

Excellent interpersonal and communication skills

Ability to work effectively and efficiently with a diverse team

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Splatsin Posting Maternity Leave Receptionist

We are currently recruiting for a temporary full-time qualified **Receptionist** to join our team of professionals to fill a 9-month maternity leave position.

Position Purpose

The purpose of this position is to be an "ambassador" for Splatsin and the first point of contact for our guests, visitors and community members. You will demonstrate a professional and welcoming attitude while providing assistance to visitors, employees, business contacts and Band members in person and over the phone.

Position requirements:

- Grade 12 or equivalent
- Office Administration diploma is an asset
- Strong computer knowledge including MS Office (Word, Outlook, Excel)
- Superiors communication skills in person, on the phone, and in writing
- Proven relationship building skills
- Capable of multitasking and managing multiple priorities
- Analytical, problem solving, and decision-making skills
- Reliable Transportation

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

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Splatsin Posting Housing Manager

We are currently recruiting a full-time qualified **Housing Manager** to join our team of professionals.

Position Purpose

Under the direct supervision of the Senior Executive Advisor the Housing Manager will direct and manage the Splatsin Housing program in support of the identified priorities of Chief and Council. These initiatives will be achieved in accordance with the relevant laws, regulations, and policies to enhance the living standards for community members.

Position requirements:

- Trade certification preferred
- 10 years of progressive experience in project and /or program management with at least 5 years' experience in First Nations organizations
- Demonstrated proficiency with financial, accounting and budgetary management functions
- Understanding of the various kinds of resources and services and federal, provincial and aboriginal organizations affecting aboriginal housing, land and /or infrastructure
- Knowledge of funded housing programs and services

The successful candidate should have:

- Proven ability to lead a multi-disciplinary team
- Strong leadership/organization/time-management skills
- Strong interpersonal skills including the ability to build relationships and engage others to achieve goals
- Impeccable oral and written communication skills including the ability to present to the community
- Effective negotiation skills
- Proficient computer skills
- Strong detail orientation
- Able to translate strategic objectives into operational plans and actions
- Valid BC Driver's License with clean driver's abstract
- Successful completion of Criminal Record Check

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Splatsin Posting Facilities & Event Manager

We are currently recruiting a full-time qualified **Facilities & Event Manager** to join our team of professionals.

Position Purpose

This position has (2) two components; Facility Maintenance and Event Coordination/Management

Management and Maintenance of all the Splatsin Public Facilities and facility staff of the; Community Center, Health Center and Administration Office(s).

Event Management: Managing the Community Centers' event schedule as well as promoting this facility to new clients for facility rentals.

Position requirements:

- Facility Management Certification preferred
- At least 5 years of previous facility or event management experience
- Demonstrated proficiency with financial, accounting and budgetary management functions
- Knowledge of various maintenance procedures (ie: access key control software, HVAC systems, Fire Alarms, etc.

The successful candidate should have:

- Proven ability to lead a multi-disciplinary team
- Strong leadership/organization/time-management skills
- Strong interpersonal skills including the ability to build relationships and engage others to achieve goals

- Impeccable oral and written communication skills including the ability to present to the community
- Effective negotiation skills
- Proficient computer skills
- Strong detail orientation
- Able to translate strategic objectives into operational plans and actions
- Valid BC Driver's License with clean driver's abstract
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Splatsin Posting Lands, Director

We are currently recruiting a full-time qualified **Lands Director** to join our team of professionals.

Position Purpose

Direct and manage the Splatsin Lands & Resource program in support of the identified priorities of Chief and Council and in accordance with the relevant laws, regulations, and policies to enhance the living standards for community members.

The evolving nature of the identification and proof of Aboriginal rights and title mean that court action and negotiations for important and large tracts of land will become increasingly important for the role of Lands and Resources Director on numerous levels: Preparation for court action,

reaction to consultation and accommodation, and ultimately the management of new additions to reserve and fee simple land parcels.

Consultation and accommodation for public and private sector development within the Splatsin traditional territory has exploded in recent years. This trend is expected to continue as the territory is undergoing a dramatic transition in density of population and the intensity of commercial and industrial development. The Splatsin Lands and Resources Director is tasked with managing the Splatsin response to expansive requests for consultation and accommodation through the coordination of resources (archaeologists, lawyers, consultants, staff, community and finances), including the negotiation of funding for consultation and eventual impact and benefits agreements.

The Lands and Resources Director also participates and provides input to the negotiation of Impacts and Benefits Agreement.

The reserve lands of Splatsin IR#1, 2 and 3, requires advanced lands management skills needed to address developments, including: Development regimes, various permitting development (bylaws, setbacks, development permits, etc), lease negotiations, and various other development related activities; including but not limited to lands transfer administration and documentation procedures.

As the role of Lands and Resources Director changes and evolves, the Manager will need to work with senior staff and Council to address gaps, changing and new responsibilities and the need for and application of limited resources. The Lands and Resources Director will be responsible for ensuring that the Lands and Resources Director Job Description meets these evolving needs and provides the Splatsin with the most effective leadership in lands and resources management

Position requirements:

- Land Management certification preferred
- At least 5 years of previous management experience in a relevant lands field
- Demonstrated proficiency with financial, accounting and budgetary management functions
- Understanding of the various kinds of resources and services and federal, provincial and legislation affecting land development.
- Knowledge of funded ISC programs and services

The successful candidate should have:

- Proven ability to lead a multi-disciplinary team
- Strong leadership/organization/time-management skills
- Strong interpersonal skills including the ability to build relationships and engage others to achieve goals
- Impeccable oral and written communication skills including the ability to present to the community
- Effective negotiation skills
- Proficient computer skills
- Strong detail orientation
- Able to translate strategic objectives into operational plans and actions
- Valid BC Driver's License with clean driver's abstract
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Health

The Red Road to Wellbriety Meetings
"Balanced Being"

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:
Conflict and disharmony in relationships; Impacts of abuse and violence; Grief
Meets every Monday from 5pm-7pm at Splatsin Health Services Flex Room
Come learn about healing, hope, unity and forgiveness.
Contact Denica Bleau (250)838-9538 ext. 305

Healthy cooking on a budget

Healthy Cooking on a Budget with Kristi Christian
Splatsin Community members welcome
Every Thursday from 10:00 am-12:00 pm.
Please sign up at Health Reception.
For more information contact Kristi: 250-838-9538 ext. 304

"Shingles Vaccine Coverage:

First Nations Health Authority is now reimbursing the cost of "Shingrix" (vaccine that protects against shingles). Eligibility is limited to those 65-69 years of age with a status number through reimbursement of FNHA Health Benefits. This age range was chosen as these individuals are most likely to contract shingles and get hospitalized for it. If you do not meet the eligibility guidelines (65-69 years) but want to obtain the vaccine for other medical reasons, this will also be considered by FNHA with supporting documents. If you are interested in getting the vaccine, your Community Health Nurse Meghan Tetrault is happy to assist you with the process of coverage and administration. Shingles vaccine has a 90% effectiveness rate.

Shingles Disease: Shingles – the common name for herpes zoster – is a painful blistering rash caused by a re-activation of the varicella-zoster virus. The pain of shingles can persist for weeks, months, or even longer after the rash has healed. Shingles can occur in anyone who has had chickenpox; however, it is more common – and more likely to cause complications and long-term effects– in older people.

Social Development

Notice to all Social Development Clients
If you handed in a declaration after the 15th of the month.
You will receive a cheque 5 business days after the cheque issue day.
Reminder that declarations are due on the 15th of every month.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 AM to 11:30 AM	9:00 AM to 11:30 AM	9:00 AM to 11:30 AM	9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Intake/ Client Appointments and Office Work	9:00 AM to 11:30 AM
Office Work In the Afternoon	Office Work In the Afternoon	Office Work In the Afternoon		Office Work In the Afternoon

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

The week before cheque issue I will not be seeing clients as I will be preparing to issue cheques.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation.

Charlene William, Band Social Development Worker

Membership

For all cards issued, this includes 'Renewal', 'First Card', 'Lost Card', 'Stolen Card', and 'Replacement'.

Paper Laminate Certificate of Indian Status Cards issued to:

Splatsin Band members will be charged $10.00

Non-Splatsin members will be charged $45.00.

Secure Certificate of Indian Status Card applications will be charged as follows:

Splatsin Band members $10.00

Non-Splatsin members $65.00

If you require further information, please feel free to contact Elizabeth Jean Brown, Indian Registry Administrator at (250)838-6496 ext. 221.

The Indian Registry Administrator will be in the office on the following days for the Month of September 2019:

Wednesday Sep 4

Thursday Sep 5

Wednesday Sep 11

Thursday Sep 12

Wednesday Sep 18

Thursday Sep 19

Wednesday Sep 25

Thursday Sep 26

Office Hours
Open at 8:30 am to 11:00 am
Closed for lunch
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm
Re-open 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
*** First Come * First Served ***
All fees are charged as cash,
No Credit/Debit/Cheque

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) 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

Title & Rights

Splatsin Workshop Summary

Background

On Wednesday, July 17, 2019 a workshop was held at the Splatsin Centre in the Assembly Hall from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Over the course of the evening, 25 members of the community attended the workshop. The workshop was facilitated by members of the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure (MoTI), HDR (the technical consultant), Stites (the project management consultant) and Golder (the technical sub-consultant).

The workshop event notice was shared on the Splatsin Facebook page, and the Splatsin Lands & Resources Manager hand delivered the event notice and also posted the notice in communal areas.

The purpose of the workshop was to provide an opportunity for the Splatsin Community to learn about the study area, purpose and process, and to provide the project team with information that will inform the concept generation (long list of potential solutions) phase. After introductions and project background presentations, the last portion of the workshop revolved around four breakout activities to discuss:

1. **The intersection of Highway 97A and Canyon Road:**
    - *What are possible long term concepts for the intersection?*
2. **Walking and cycling within and between Splatsin and Enderby:**
    - *What are challenges for walking and cycling? What are possible solutions?*
3. **Couplet and/or Highway realignment to Old Vernon Road or rail corridor transition – issues and opportunities:**
    - *Past studies and plans have considered shifting the highway (couplet or realignment) to Old Vernon Road or the rail corridor, where could the realigned highway transition back to the existing corridor?*
4. **Highway Bypass alignments, issues and opportunities:**
    - *Past studies have considered new routes for Highway 97A and/or 97B. Are there new corridors that we should consider for the highway (i.e. bypass)?*

What We Heard

For each breakout activity, project team facilitators worked with the attendees to identify and record issues, opportunities, and ideas for the four breakout discussion topics. This section summarizes the major themes, ideas and issues identified by participants:

Breakout Activity #1: Intersection of Highway 97A and Canyon Road

- The intersection is a popular crossing point for pedestrians and cyclists.
- The lands on the northwest and northeast side of the intersection are important economic development areas.
- Could consider grade separation or an overpass of the highway at Canyon Road (including a pedestrian overpass).
- Could consider a traffic signal and/or turn lanes at the intersection of Canyon Road and Highway 97A.
- A new pedestrian crossing of the highway near the Enderby / Splatsin boundary was noted by a number of groups.
- Maintaining safe and efficient access to the daycare (on the north side of Canyon Road) is important.

- There are too many accesses near the intersection of Canyon Road and Highway 97A, which cause congestion and confusion.
- The Quilakwa Crescent connection to Canyon Road was closed due to excessive east-west crossing speeds and failure to stop at the intersection.
- Some participants desire a speed limit less than 60 km/h at the intersection and in the area.
- Consider traffic calming measures and speed enforcement at the intersection.
- A truck stop / rest stop with washrooms and parking is desired.

Breakout Activity #2: Walking and Cycling

- Vehicles currently park on the highway near Canyon Road, and this impacts sight lines and pedestrian / cyclist visibility.
- The main walking paths in the area include Highway 97A (north of the Starlight Drive-In), Fortune Road, Old Vernon Road, and Canyon Road. Sidewalks and pathways are missing on many of these roads.
- There is a school bus stop at Old Vernon Road / Fortune Road, and may children walk to/from that location.
- A connection to the rail trail should be provided from Old Vernon Road.
- The pedestrian crossing at Canyon Road needs to be improved, and a new crossing is desired across Highway 97A near the boundary of Enderby / Splatsin.
- Participants also commented on active transportation within Enderby. The primary identified pedestrian routes were:
    - Between MV Beattie Elementary School and A.L. Fortune Secondary School, to/from downtown, north-south along the highway, the Enderby Lion's Swimming Pool, Barnes Park and retail south of King Avenue, and east-west across the river to Enderby Grindrod Road.
- The primary identified pedestrian issues in Enderby were:
    - Lack of sidewalks on Old Vernon Street, lack of connections to rail trail, missing sidewalk on the east side of the highway in some locations, crossing of the highway between the two schools, design of the mid-block crossing between Cliff and Russell Avenues, and the intersection of Vernon Street and Cliff Avenue.
- Cycling is popular on Canyon Road and Fortune Road

Breakout Activity #3: Couplet or Highway Realignment (to Old Vernon Road or Rail Corridor) Transition

- This area is the heart of the Splatsin community.
- A couplet could provide opportunities for economic development.
- More parking and/or a truck stop in the area is desired.
- Rail corridor is too far away from existing highway and Old Vernon Street, and a highway alignment on it would have wildlife impacts.
- A couplet transition on the east side of the highway and south of Old Canyon Road was identified as a feasible option by most groups, and would provide economic development opportunities.
- Widening the highway on its existing alignment within Enderby was considered to have too much of an impact.
- Important to retain and improve pedestrian crossing across the highway in the area.
- Any couplet should provide easy access to existing businesses in the area. Could use signalization or roundabouts to provide this.

Breakout Activity #4: Highway Bypass

- There is a cemetery located south of the intersection of Highway 97A and Quilakwa Road, closer to the intersection of the Drive-In on the east side of the Highway.
- A bypass would reduce current economic activity and future development opportunities.
- A bypass would have wildlife impacts, with the impact varying based on the corridor.
- A bypass would be expensive and would impact existing communities / residences who currently depend on the existing highway.
- An east bypass would travel through sensitivity areas near the river and would have wildlife impacts.

Report Back

At the end of the workshop, each table was asked to provide a brief one sentence summary of the major themes that arose from the workshop. These can be considered the key takeaways from each table. Below are the verbatim responses from each table:

- Traffic congestion and safety in the area between Canyon Road and Enderby
- Connectivity that supports current and potential economic development. A highway for the community
- Lights need now and bypass in the longer term
- Safety: pedestrians, traffic, wildlife
- Canyon Road couplet with commercial development in between

Next Steps

This information will be reviewed by members of the project team, presented to the Technical Advisory Team as well as the Community Liaison Team. The project team will use this information during the concept generation and assessment phase, and it will also inform the short listing phase. Feedback from this workshop may also be used in the multiple account evaluation phase, as part of the social/community criteria.

Youth

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SEPTEMBER

SPLATSIN RECREATION TEAM CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2 Closed	3 After School Program Welcome Back!	4 After School Program Hockey	5 Closed	6 After School Program Painting	7 Closed
8 Closed	9 After School Program Cooking - Biscuits	10 After School Program Yoga	11 After School Program California KickBall	12 Youth Leadership Canoe Training	13 After School Program Traditional Craft	14 Closed
15 Closed	16 Youth Leadership SNTC Meeting	17 After School Program Yoga	18 After School Program Volunteering	19 Closed	20 PRO D Day Mushroom Picking 10AM-4PM	21 Closed
22 Closed	23 After School Program Cooking - Lasagna	24 After School Program Yoga	25 After School Program Gardom Lake	26 Youth Leadership Canoe Training	27 After School Program LUNA FEST - Revelstoke 4-11PM Must Pre-Register	28 Closed
29 Closed	30 After School Program Cooking - Chicken					

After School Program Ages 10-18 430-530PM Community Room

Youth Leadership Ages 15-24 430-630PM Community Room

Field Trip Ages 12-19 Times and Location on Calendar

Community Event All Ages Time and Location on Calendar

Closed For the Day

For more info about the After School or Youth Leadership programs contact Kyle Crump

2508089538 or kylecrump@splatsin.ca

Yucwmenlúcwu (Caretakers of the Land)

invites you to…

First Community Roundtable on Trans-Canada Highway Expansion Projects in the Splatsin Territory

Wednesday, September 11, 2019 from 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm

Splatsin Community Centre New Room, 5767 Old Vernon Road, Enderby

Projects covered will be:

- Jumping Creek
- Craigellachie
- Bruhn Bridge

- **DINNER!!**
- **DOOR PRIZES!!**
- **Enter for a Grand Prize to be presented at a follow-up meeting (see below).**

FOLLOW-UP MEETINGS

September – **Field visits** to Jumping Creek and Craigellachie

October – Roundtables for each project to discuss recommendations to the Ministry of Transportation

Dates will be announced in the newsletter

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL YUCWMENLÚCWU AT (250) 838-0775

Participants can increase their chances of winning the Grand Prize by entering again at every meeting they attend prior to the draw

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Community Engagement approach

Members of Splatsin

Waytkp/Hello all

Chief and Council are looking for more ways of community engagement. As we care for our community, we would like to find more interesting and exciting ways to communicate with our members. With that said we would like to suggest some ways which we hope our band members find more appealing.

Here are some suggestions:

- Community coffee houses
    - Hosted periodically open for any members to attend
    - Coffee, juice, water and light snacks to be provided
- Field trips to various Splatsin locations
    - host a kickoff session with areas identified and majority can select
    - Splatsin Reserve #3 Sicamous
    - Cultural Important sites that are significant to Splatsin with someone presenting our stories and information
- Dinner with Door prizes
- Having dinners and spending time with council members to provide info (perhaps?) and answering questions you may have. Hosting a BBQ with full families to answer questions with more than one council member
- Personal visits from council members
- monthly potlucks – to get to know each other

We would love to hear feedback from the members and look forward to engaging with you all to keep you updated and informed a positive, healthy and fun way!

Kukstamc/Thank you!

For more Information/Suggestions please contact any Chief or Council rep:

- Splatsin Chief and Council

Please complete attached survey and hand in to the Administration front desk.

Splatsin Community Engagement

1. Are you a Splatsin Band member?

- Yes
- No

2. Do you live on or off Reserve

- On
- Off

3. What is your age?

- Under 18
- 18-24
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65+

4. What things would you, as a band member, like to be informed about from Chief and Council?

5. Which of these interest you? Check all that apply.

- [ ] Community coffee houses
  -open for any members to attend
  -Coffee, juice, water and light snacks to be provided
  -Chief and Council Present for you to answer any questions you may have.

- [ ] Field trips to various Splatsin locations
  -Splatsin Reserve #3 Sicamous
  -Cultural Important sites that are significant to Splatsin with someone presenting our stories and information
  - With food provided

- [ ] Dinner with Door prizes
  -Having dinners and spending time with council members to provide info answer questions

- [ ] Hosting a BBQ with full families to answer questions with more than one council member

- [ ] Personal visits from council members
  - Invited INFORMAL visits from council members to discuss any questions or concerns which you might have as well as informing you with what we are doing for you, the community.

  - [ ] potluck
  - A potluck where everyone can contribute to the dinner and we can all have some could conversations with you on things you might want to know!

- [ ] Newsletter

- [ ] Community meetings

- [ ] Phone Calls

- [ ] Other

6. Do you have any suggestions?

7. Which of the activities from question 5 is the most appealing as a means for Chief and Council to keep you updated and Informed?

- Community Coffee House
- Splatsin Field trips
- Dinner with Door prizes
- Hosting BBQ
- Personal Visits from Council members
- Potlucks
- Newsletter
- Community meetings
- Your Suggestion

8. How often do you think these activities should occur?

- Monthly
- Bi-Monthly
- Quarterly
- Annually

9. How Important do you think it is for Members to be Informed by Chief and Council?

- Extremely important
- Very important
- Somewhat important
- Not so important
- Not at all important

10. Did you find this Survey useful?

- Yes
- No

Thank you for Participating! You, the Membership are very important to us and we love to hear your feedback!

If you prefer you can do the survey online at:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/L6P6Z3H ← Link

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