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CAREER FAIR!

Nuu-chah-nulth Employment and Training Program is pleased
to announce the

4th Annual Career Fair in Port Alberni, BC

Thursday, March 9, 2017 9am to 3pm

at ALBERNI ATHLETIC HALL

3737 Roger St, Port Alberni (across from ADSS)



- Over 40 employers, education and community agencies in attendance
- Learn more about hiring incentives and supports you can access
- Open to all community members, whether you are working, unemployed or in school
- No cost to attend



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Tseshahat First Nation

Terms & procedures on your patient travel request -24 hours' notice is required for hotel cancellations: if no notice is made, patients are responsible for the hotel expense. To cancel reservation, please contact the patient travel clerk.

If you cancel or change your appointment, please contact patient travel clerk.

If you miss your appointment for which you have received patient travel, you are responsible to return or repay the patient travel funds: you will not be eligible for future patient travel until you do so.

I agree to be responsible for all the costs over and above NIHB patient travel authorization. I have read the patient travel terms & procedures, and I agree to abide by them. I confirm that the information provided above is true and correct.

*There will **also be a copy of your patient travel attached to your patient travel cheque.** If your request requires a room this will say where you are booked at the bottom of the travel form.*

*Travel Cheque will up front the **day before your appointment after 2:00pm***

*It takes three days to process your travel request so please get them in ASAP.
Have the form filled in full so there will be no delays.*

***You are responsible to get your patient travel request in before your appointment date in order for your cheque to be ready on time, If you are late bringing your request in on time, your travel will be done as a reimbursement and will be processed after you bring in your SIGNED Dr confirmation form**
Only emergency patient travels will be rushed through the system.*

Gloria Fred

Patient Travel Clerk

Tseshaht First Nation

Patient Travel February 2017

Important points about the Patient Travel process

When attending a dentist out of town you must be referred by a local dentist in order to qualify for patient travel out of town also you need to have the clients Care Card number in order to process.

Bring your signed Dr. Confirmation form back this must be returned for your files. Confirmation forms are attached to the patient travel request form up front. Not bringing this back will affect your next Patient travel request.

Please ensure that you have filled out the patient travel request form in full. Do not leave anything blank all information is required to process your patient travel cheque. Incomplete forms will not be processed.

Example: A detailed explanation on why you are going to the specialist.

Example: Address and phone number of specialist.

Please remember when your appointment requires travel on the B.C Ferries you **must** to return the receipts. If you do not return the receipts we cannot process any further patient travel requests until the receipts are in your file.

Patient Travel requires 3 days to process. Cheques pick up day before appointment after 2:00pm.

The role of the Patient Travel Clerk is to ensure that your request is processed. Community members who submit for Patient Trust **MUST** ensure that the Patient Travel Clerk has all the information required. Please read the bottom of the Patient Travel form.

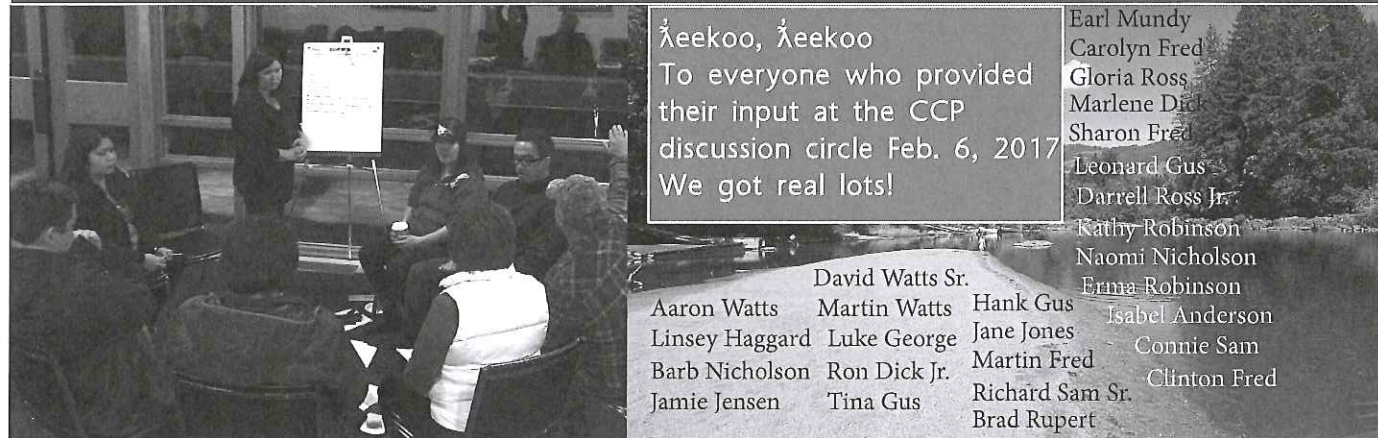
Patient travel Fax -778-419-2725 Attention Gloria Fred

Pulling In The Net

February, 2017

Our Best Past, Our Best Future

Tseshiht Comprehensive Community Planning



Āeekoo, Āeekoo
To everyone who provided
their input at the CCP
discussion circle Feb. 6, 2017
We got real lots!

Earl Mundy
Carolyn Fred
Gloria Ross
Marlene Dick
Sharon Fred
Leonard Gus
Darrell Ross Jr.
Kathy Robinson
Naomi Nicholson
Erma Robinson
Isabel Anderson
Connie Sam
Clinton Fred
Richard Sam Sr.
Brad Rupert

David Watts Sr.
Aaron Watts
Linsey Haggard
Barb Nicholson
Jamie Jensen
Martin Watts
Luke George
Ron Dick Jr.
Tina Gus

Hank Gus
Jane Jones
Martin Fred
Richard Sam Sr.
Brad Rupert

What Priorities Have Come Up In Our Nets So Far

We have *got real lots* and look forward to future pulls on the net together with community. Here are some of the top themes that have been pulled in so far from the Christmas dinner, AGM, seafood feast, and February discussion circle:

- **Governance:** internal relationships, external relationships, self-sufficiency
- **Social:** youth; community: events, dinners, gatherings
- **Culture:** singing, dancing, teachings; language
- **Lands and Resources:** stewardship (taking care of everything), Broken Group Islands
- **Economics:** economic development, activities in the Broken Group Islands
- **Infrastructure:** more housing, better housing

Some of the Ideas that emerged on how to reach priorities together:

Work together
Education
Identify our focus, move forward
Build and acknowledge strengths
Start small and work to bigger things

Upcoming: Community Survey

A CCP survey will be distributed in the coming weeks to Tseshiht. Extra copies will be available at the Administration Office.

What is a Comprehensive Community Plan?

A Community Comprehensive Plan (or CCP) is a plan created from the perspectives of the community to create a Tseshiht direction forward that is built by working and talking together.

For more information email:

TseshihtCCP@gmail.com

Find us on Facebook @

"Our Best Past, Our Best Future:
Tseshiht CCP Project"

Pulling in The Net, We Need Your Help!

Hopes and Dreams Community Survey



Come to share your
opinions and input!

Fill out our survey for
your chance to win,
PRIZES!

Draw March 31st

Our Best Past, Our Best Future Tseshah Community Planning

The **Hopes and Dreams Survey** is one of the ways we are asking you, the Tseshah community, to help us *pull in the net* to have a good harvest of thoughts, ideas, and direction for our community.

One survey per household will be delivered. If you would like additional surveys for other members in your house please contact us or pick them up at the Administration Office.

If you need any assistance with the survey please let us know and we can come to you.

IT'S EASY, all you have to do:

- ✓ Fill-out the survey
- ✓ Drop off at the Administration Office and place in box marked
Tseshah Comprehensive Community Plan by March 17th

For more information email: TseshahCCP@gmail.com

Join our Facebook Page: "Our Best Past, Our Best Future: Tseshah CCP Project"

Comprehensive Community Plan (CCP)

Hopes & Dreams Survey

*Please complete this survey and return it to Tseshaht – Administration Building **OR** email it to TseshahtCCP@gmail.com by **March 10th, 2017**, you will be entered in **ONCE** to the draw to win Great Prizes.*

1. The first word or phrase that comes to mind when you think about Tseshaht:

2. If Tseshaht Administration had \$500,000.00 to invest back into the community, what would you do with money? How would you invest the \$500,000.00 in the community? *(Remember: dream big!)*

3. What does a thriving Tseshaht community look like 50 years from now?
 - a) What is different?

 - b) What remains the same?

4. What are your two favourite community activities currently offered by Tseshaht events, programs and services:
 - a)
 - b)

5. What community activities would you like to see for:
 - a) Children:
 - b) Youth:
 - c) Elders:
 - d) Parents:
 - e) Adults:
 - f) Families:
 - g) Other:

6. Many of the following topics are important, from the topics provided below, can you circle the **FIVE** that are the most important to you.

Economic Development	Health & Wellness	Social Development	Band Infrastructure
Band Administration	Culture	Tourism	Employment
Governance (Ha'wiih & Hereditary Governance)	Language	Housing	Band Communication
Governance (Chief & Council, Political Structure)	Children/Youth	Fisheries	Recreation
Education	Elders	Forestry	Water (Water health/ water quality)

7. Based on the topics in question #6 do you have any **concerns** regarding growth & development in any of these topic areas for Tseshaht over the next 20 years? Please indicate which ones and why.

8. Overall, how would you rate the quality of life at Tseshaht?

☐ Very Good

☐ Good

☐ Average

☐ Poor

☐ Don't Know

Please provide reasons why you selected this rating (please attach any additional comments):

Please circle or write the answers that corresponds to you:

9. Age category: [13 & Under] [14-19] [20-29] [30-39] [40-49] [50-59] [60 – 69] [70 +]

10. Gender: M F

11. a) Are you a registered Band Member: YES NO

12. b) If NO what family in Tseshaht do you come from?

12. Do you live on the reserve? YES NO

13. If NO Do you wish to move onto the reserve? YES NO

14. Do you rent or own? RENT OWN NEITHER BOTH

15. What is your occupation? _____

16. What level of education and/or training do you have? _____

17. Do you attend community meetings? YES NO SOMETIMES

Explain why if you put No or SOMETIMES: _____



Print Name: _____

For prize draw purpose only

Thank you for your participation!

May 2016 to April 2017 Tseshah FN

Note: Your Recycling Pickup Day is shown shaded in Red

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For more information on what can be put in your curbside recycling bins visit www.recyclinginbc.ca

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR RECYCLABLES ARE CLEAN WHEN PUT OUT FOR RECYCLING

For service inquiries contact Sun Coast Waste @ 250-720-2161

 Recycling Pick-Up Day
RECYCLING BLUE BOX IS TO BE PLACED AT THE CURB BEFORE 7:00 am ON COLLECTION DAY

 Statutory Holidays
If a Statutory Holiday falls Monday-Friday, pick-up will happen the day following your regular pick-up day



Last September, I attended a RCMP first Nations Policing training seminar in Chilliwack. One of the most interesting presentations was done by a Delta Police Department's First Nations Community Liaison Officer. This Delta P.D member works with the Tsawwassen First Nation for the last two years. He decided to introduce the use of Crime Stoppers, in the Tsawwassen community, and approached the Elders to see if they would support this idea. The officer brought along one of the current Crime Stopper's posters displaying the familiar symbol of a black colour outline of a person silhouetted behind the bars. The response, from the Tsawwassen Elders, was dismay. When asked why they would not support the poster, the Elder's stated it would be a waste of time because the Crime Stopper's poster symbol would remind their community of Residential School; ergo, who would want to put a relative in jail related to that memory. The Delta police officer asked the Elders if it would be proper to have the community design a poster to encourage community members to phone/text message Crime Stoppers. They approved. Tsawwassen artists created a poster encouraging Nation members "To report crimes that affect the safety of our community". The poster was produced and in second year reduced crime and built a stronger relationship between Tsawwassen First Nation and Delta Police Department. I was impressed with this effort and thought the same idea could be shared among the First Nations here in Port Alberni. This month I presented the poster to each Nation to consider it as a way to make each Nation safer. My hope, if the poster is adopted locally, to invite local First Nations artists in the creation of next year's poster to reflect each Nation's desire to make their community safer. Hopefully it will be so. Chuu

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Port Alberni RCMP/ Government of Canada
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February 16, 2017

Hupacasath First Nations and Tseshaht First Nations Band Office

Subject: Catalyst Paper - Indigenous Peoples Scholarship Program

To Whom It May Concern,

Catalyst Paper has recently developed a post-secondary education scholarship program designed to provide financial assistance for high school graduating Indigenous students entering their first year at a public university, community college or institute of technology.

The Catalyst Paper facility in Port Alberni is offering two scholarships valued at \$1,000 each. Applicants must be planning to become a full-time student at a technical institute, community college or accredited public university, following high school graduation and be a recognized status Hupacasath band member, status Tseshaht band member, or a status Inuit or Metis living in the community.

A blank application form is attached to this letter and additional forms may be picked up from your local high school's counselling office or by contacting Renée McIvor.

Please note that incomplete applications and failure to attach the necessary documentation as outlined on the application form will void the application. Applications must be received by April 7, 2017. Those received after the deadline will not be considered.

Please direct questions regarding the scholarship program to Renée McIvor.

Sincerely,

Walter Tarnowsky
VP/GM Catalyst Paper
Port Alberni Division



Indigenous Peoples Scholarship Program

Scholarship Administration
Catalyst Paper, Port Alberni Division
Ms. Renée McIvor
4000 Stamp Avenue
Port Alberni, British Columbia
Canada V9Y 5J7

PLEASE READ THIS PAGE BEFORE COMPLETING YOUR APPLICATION

Indigenous Peoples Scholarship program

Catalyst Paper's Indigenous Peoples scholarship program is designed to provide assistance with the financial needs of Indigenous Peoples high school graduates entering their first year at a public university, community college or institute of technology. Two scholarships are available in total, valued at a maximum of \$1000 each.

Who's eligible

To be eligible, the applicant must be a recognized status Hupacasath band member, status Tseshahlt band member, or a status Inuit or Metis living in the community who is planning to become a full-time student at a technical institute, community college or accredited public university, following high school graduation and receipt of the award. Deferment of one academic year is permitted where the applicant is participating in a recognized Grade 12 student exchange program.

The scholarship

Two scholarships which cover the student's first year tuition (up to a maximum of \$1000 each for a technical institute, accredited public university or community college) will be granted to a student graduating from a Vancouver Island high school and is a recognized status Hupacasath band member, status Tseshahlt band member, or a status Inuit or Metis living in the community. Applicants must be graduating in 2017.

How to apply

Application forms are available from Renée McIvor or the ADSS Counselling Office.

Completed application forms and full transcript of marks from previous year of study completed, plus interim transcripts for the current year should be returned to Renée McIvor. Application must be accompanied by a hand-written letter detailing your reason for seeking higher education; a brief description of the course of study you have chosen; your involvement in school, sports and community activities and leadership. **Applications must be received by April 7, 2017. Those received after the deadline will not be considered.**

Selection of scholarship winners

Selection of scholarship winners is based on student's academic and sports performance, demonstrated leadership, and citizenship qualities.

A committee selects the successful applicants. The committee members are representatives from the company. The decision of the selection committee is final.

Please answer all questions and submit required documentation. We do NOT require references. Incomplete applications will not be considered for scholarships.

Announcement of winners will be made by telephone to your band's office, at your high school's awards ceremony, and potentially at a ceremonial event of your band's choosing.

Scholarship
program
application

NOTE: All questions must be completed as accurately as possible and accompanied by the required documentation. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.** Although deadline for receipt of applications is April 7, 2017, we urge you to submit your completed application, complete transcript from your most recently completed year of study, and interim transcripts from the current year as early as possible. **Incomplete documents will void your application.**

Please submit this application to:

Renée McIvor 4000 Stamp Ave Port Alberni, BC V9Y 5J7 or the
ADSS Counselling Office.

Please check the category of scholarship you are applying for:

- ☐ 1. Scholarship to a student from Hupacasath First Nation
- ☐ 2. Scholarship to a student from Tseshah First Nation.
- ☐ 2. Scholarship to a student with Inuit or Metis status living in the community.

PLEASE PRINT

1. Name in full

2. Email address

Surname	Given names	Email
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3. Mailing address

Street	City
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Province	Postal Code	Telephone Number
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4. Home address (if different from above)

Street	City
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5. Date of birth

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6. Student number

7. Social Insurance Number (Award of more than \$500 may be taxable; therefore applicants must have a valid Canadian Social Insurance Number, available upon application at any unemployment office or post office.)

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8. Certificate of Indian Status – Registration number.

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(A letter of identification from your band office can be substituted if your registration number is unavailable.)

9. Last education institute attended. Date of attendance.		From		To
Name of Institution		Street		
City	Province	Postal Code	Telephone Number	
10. Name, address, and telephone number of institution you will attend this fall:				
Name of Institution		Street		
City	Province	Postal Code	Telephone Number	
11. Students who have already received scholarships or other financial assistance please indicate source and amount:				
ALL APPLICANTS				
A Application must be accompanied by a hand-written letter detailing your reason for seeking higher education; a brief description of the course of study you have chosen; your involvement in school, sports and/or community activities .				
<u>We do NOT require letters of reference.</u>				
B For students seeking to defer scholarships due to Grade 12 exchange programs, please provide documentation to substantiate this deferment.				
C Have you included the necessary transcripts from previous year of study and your interim transcripts for the current year?				
I declare that the foregoing information is correct, and I have complied with the requirements of this application.				
Signature		Date Submitted		

Remember: No applications will be accepted after the April 7, 2017 deadline

Sports & Recreation Calendar March 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday 1 Drop in hoops Maht-Mahs gym 3pm-5pm	Thursday 2 Youth Centre 3pm-5pm	Friday 3 Youth Centre 1pm-3pm	Saturday 4
5 Canoe Paddle Tseshahht Canoe Family. Meet at Tseshahht market 10am-1pm	6 Free Play Maht-Mahs gym 3pm-5pm	7 **NO EVENTS SCHEDULED**	8 Drop in hoops Maht-Mahs gym 3pm-5pm	9 Community Garden Youth planting tomatoes, peppers and learning to grow 3pm-5pm	10 Youth Centre 1pm-3pm	11
12 Canoe Paddle Tseshahht Canoe Family. Meet at Tseshahht market 10am-1pm	13 Canoe Paddle / Hotdog roast Starts @ youth Centre 10am-3pm	14 Youth Centre 10am-3pm *possible field trips, parents will be notified	15 Free Play maht-mahs gym 10am-3pm	16 Harbor Quay Aquarium / Maritime Museum 1030am-3pm	17 Youth Centre 10am-3pm *possible field trips, parents will be notified	18
19 Canoe Paddle Tseshahht Canoe Family. Meet at Tseshahht market 10am-1pm	20 Wilderness Survival Basics W/ Cst. Pete Batt Meet at youth Centre 10am-3pm	21 Youth Centre 10am-3pm *possible field trips, parents will be notified	22 Free Play maht-mahs gym 10am-3pm	23 Canoe Paddle / Hotdog roast Starts @ youth center 10am-3pm	24 Youth Centre 10am-3pm *possible field trips, parents will be notified	25
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Tseshahat First Nation 2017 Garbage Pick-up schedule

SUBJECT TO CHANGE; WILL POST ANY UPDATES AS THEY COME

2017

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Holiday
GARBAGE PICK-UP

2 bags per household; any additional bag will be \$2 per bag