



Yuułu?il?atḥ carver Clifford George works on a sign that will be placed in front of the Community Centre.

NOTICE

2 Hitacu Assemblies in April

Tuesday, April 14th (to discuss proposed Constitutional Amendments) 6-8 p.m. (*No dinner*) &

> Wednesday, April 29th 2015 Budget Presentation 5-8 p.m. (*dinner*)

If undeliverable, please return to:

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Toll Free: 1-877-726-7342 PM 42129516

Yuułu?ił?ath Election

- Nominations Close: Final Date for Receipt of Nominations: April 1, 2015 at 4:30 p.m.
- Final Date for Support for Nominations: April 8, 2015 at 4:30 p.m.
- Final Date for the CEO to confirm nominations April 12, 2015 at 4:30 p.m.
- Election Information Package distributed April 13, 2015 (hand delivered in Hitacu and sent to post office for away from home)
- All Candidates Meeting April 28, 2015 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. (Multipurpose Room at the Community Centre in Hitacu.)
- Advance Voting April 29, 2015 from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
- ELECTION Day May 13, 2015 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. (Multipurpose Room at the Community Centre in Hitacu & Maa-nulth Office in Port Alberni) and by electronic voting from May 4-May 11th.



Andrew Tomren at one of the final Yuułu?il?ath Culture Nights of the season.

Yuułu?ił?ath Government

LAND OWNERSHIP

Yuułu?ił?atḥ Citizens can now own their own land. To find out more please read the Land Title Transfer information on our website: **www.ufn.ca**

Click on the Forms tab from the home page and start with the overview instructions on how to fill out the land title transfer forms--the top form on the list.

More questions? please call Darren Mead-Miller at 726-7342

Touchie steps down as Economic Development manager

The search continues for a CEO for the YFN Management Services. Operating board member Jenny Touchie said "we're currently in negotiations for a short term agreement with an agency that would provide temporary leadership of the operating entities through the end of September and assist in recruiting and hiring a new CEO." In the meantime it's business as usual for the various tourism-related businesses that are already getting bookings and advertising for their summer staff.

Tyson Touchie has handed in his resignation as the manager of Economic Development. Although he has not given a definite date for his departure, he said, he will wait until a new CEO has been hired and he has had time to update the new person on all the economic

Voter information needed

Yuułu?ił?atḥ Citizens who are eligible to vote in the upcoming election for President and Legislature. The government does not have contact information for the following 95 citizens. If you want to vote in the election slated for May 13, 2015 you are asked to contact the Government Law Clerk Christina Klotz by <u>April 7, 2015.</u> Phone: (250) 726-7342, Extension 209. Toll Free: 1.877.726-7342.

Please note: voters may still vote on Election day if they are not registered. You will need to bring to the polling station: Citizenship card and one other piece of id.

August, Renee Barney, Frederick Bob, Preston Boucha, Alexandra Burns, Dalton Charlie, Maria David, Coltyn Fromme, Jeffery George, Celena George, Christopher George, Damien George, Jacob George James Benson George, Janet, George, Robyn George, Sasha George, Vernoica Haipee, Keesha Haipee, David Darryl Haipee, Peter Darick Hannah, Colby Gail Harness, Janice Harness, Tasha Harness, Tyrone, Hartman, Adrian Hartman, Jacqueline Jack, Carlene Jack, Justine Heather Jack, Wendy Johnson, Cameron Jones, John Little, Shawn Lucak, Elliott Lucak, Fawn Lucak, Curtus Mack, Kaila Mack, Martin

Manson, Jami Mastrangelo, Shanna McArthur, Steven McCarthy, Bert McCarthy, Crystal McCarthy, Cynthia McCarthy, Gary McCarthy, Jason McCarthy, Laura McCarthy, Melanie McCarthy, Natasha McCarthy, Sheena McCarthy, Triston McKay, Jimmy Mundy, Chelsey O'Toole Touchie, Michelle Patrick, Justin Patrick, Samantha Pennoyer, Derek Peter, Kyle, Peters, Alice Price, Jeremy Price, Joseph Redman, Kimberly Rivera, Debra Robert, Keith Robert, Richard Anthony Smoke, Mark Stone, Kirsten Stanley, Lance Leon Thompson, Cynthia Thompson, Madonna Touchie, Corrina Touchie, Deborah Touchie, Deborah Irene Touchie Janette

Touchie Kevin

Touchie, Larissa Touchie, Lawrence Touchie, Marjorie Touchie, Marjorie Louise Touchie, Matthew Garrett Touchie, Matthew Allen Touchie, Michelle Touchie, Moses Touchie, Myles Touchie, Nicolas Touchie, Nicholas Andrew James Touchie, Richard Glenn Paul Touchie, Richard Touchie, Russell Touchie, Suzanne Touchie, Tanya Williams, Bobby Williams, Bonnie Williams, Charles Williams, Cory Williams, Henry Williams, Irvin Williams, Jackson Williams, James Williams, Janey Williams, Lisa Williams, Mark Joseph Williams, Oral Jacob Williams, Timothy Jackson Williams, Scott Williams, Tyler Williams Wilfred Darrin Williams, Wilfred Darrin (Third) Williams-Dufour, Ashton Williamson, Asiree Williamson, Gabriel

development activities the nation is involved in. He cited personal reasons for his planned departure, noting that he has always wanted to open a business of his own, and after hosting media groups at Wya Resort, he knew that was his calling. He isn't sure exactly what

that new business will be but he does know that it will be hosting visitors, and telling stories about the culture.

"We've done a few media where freelance writers stay at the lodges for free and then write about their experiences," he noted. The FAM or familiarity tours as they are known are a common



marketing tool used by small communities to high-

light tourism. Wya has been in news articles in Canada and the United States and "We will see this summer how that translates into bookings," he added.

Occupancy is climbing at the Lodges and the yurts, Tyson said. To date there are six weddings booked this year to date and that was the total amount last year. "It's less inclusive than some places, but we have the intimacy of having your own beach," Tyson pointed out.

"A 30 per cent increase has been the standard for all our businesses each year other than the Feast House," Tyson commented. The Feast House will be the subject of a review by a restaurant specialist. Tyson said the YFN Management Services realizes there is a need for better service and better food.

Fisheries LP

On April 1 the Fisheries department will revert back to the government, under the Land's and Assets department. This change prompted the fisheries' manager, Alan McCarthy to tender his resignation as well. Last year the government obtained a legal opinion to ensure that Mr. McCarthy was not breaching rules by being employed by the Fisheries Department and the opinion was that as long as Fisheries was under the authority of YFN Management Services there would be no conflict. Now, however, that fisheries will be back in the government fold, there would be a conflict. Mr. McCarthy said he would rather serve as a Legislature Member than as fishery officer if given the choice. Tyson was not clear on whether or not any commercial fishing licenses would revert to the government.

Community Newsmakers

Emergency planning to keep people safe

Raymond Haipee is volunteering his time to make the community a safer place. He has been spearheading an emergency planning effort which includes the evacuation process for the community in case of an emergency such as an earthquake or tsunami. Recently due to health reasons he has had to pull back from managing this effort but after 40 years of emergency management volunteer service he said it's difficult to remove himself completely. Still, he will be looking for one of his team members to take over the lead in the next few weeks.

He has organized a team of volunteers including Leo Touchie, Art Williams and Geraldine Touchie, who will be instrumental in organizing their neighbourhoods to safely evacuate anyone who cannot make their own way to the safe zone which is the new community centre. The Community Centre is above the 20 meter elevation mark which is considered safe

for tsunami. The gym would be used to house people and the community kitchen, able to feed people. The community centre has a generator which could keep the power going for a few days so it would be the emergency centre.

Raymond is working to get pagers and scanners for the emergency team members and said he hopes to work with Parks Canada for emergency preparedness programs.

"We are currently not trained to handle emergencies. For now everyone is calling my place and my phone is jammed. If we have pagers

Government Committees

As per the Government Act all Government Committees will need to be re-appointed by the next sitting Legislature.

If you currently sit on a committee and would like to continue that representation we ask that you re-apply to the government for that committee. Application forms are available at the government office or from our website at **www.ufn.ca**

We are still looking for citizens interested in serving on the various committees. Please inquire with **Su**zanne Williams by calling (250) 726-7342, ext. 205. I can call the three team leaders and let them know we have an earthquake and need to evacuate. Raymond said they are hoping to make use of community vans for people who do not have rides and, he said, the team will be working with other emergency volunteers such as the fire department and First Responders, to organize evacuations.

Recently three citizens took the EOC Level 3 Course to learn the support level and responsibilities of managing an Emergency Operations Centre. The course topics included: organizational structure, reporting structure, the interface between operations and planning sections, resource management and incident and status reporting. Prerequisite to the Level 3 course is the Emergency Operations Centre Essentials which teaches the basics of supporting the needs of response departments and agencies during emergencies and disasters.





Yuulu?il?ath citizen Raymond Haipee has been organizing an emergency response team; he is now looking for someone to step into the lead role.

CHAIRPERSON

Hitacu, British Columbia

Posted on: Wednesday, April 1, 2015

The Yuułu?ił?ath Legislature is seeking a Chairperson. The Chairperson is responsible to act as the presiding member of the Legislature at meetings of the Legislature and to manage the affairs of the Legislature. The Chairperson is also responsible to act as the Chairperson at all meetings of the Hittatsoo Assembly. For a complete copy of the Position Description and Position Qualifications, please contact Iris Frank, Director of Operations (see contact information below).

Qualifications, Experience and Other Skills and Knowledge

- ✓ Prefer an Undergraduate Degree in Business Administration or Related Degree
- \checkmark Minimum Grade 12 with a combination of relevant training and experience
- ✓ Minimum of 1 2 years' experience in a Governance, Board or Committee capacity
- ✓ 3 4 years' experience working with a First Nation Government or Municipality
- ✓ Knowledge of Yuułu?ił?atḥ First Nation Government Acts
- Strong cultural sensitivity and understanding of Yuułu?ił?ath customs
- ✓ Good computer skills
- ✓ Criminal Records Check
- ✓ Valid Class 5 Drivers License and Own Vehicle
- \checkmark Ability to work flexible hours and travel as required for the position

Please note that, in accordance with Section A 2.0 – 1, of the Yuułu?ił?ath Government Personnel Policy, the Yuułu?ił?ath is applying an aboriginal employment preference first to Yuułu?ił?ath Citizens and second to members of other First Nations. In addition, the Yuułu?ił?ath will request a Criminal Record Check as a condition of employment.

How to Apply: please submit your covering letter, resume and three recent employment references to the attention of Iris Frank, Director of Operations, by email (iris.frank@ufn.ca), fax (250-726-7552), by mail (P.O. Box 699, Ucluelet, BC, VOR 3A0) or in person (700 Hit-tat-soo Road, Hitacu, BC).

Closing Date: Thursday, April 30, 2015

Thank you in advance for your application, we will be in touch with those who are shortlisted for an interview.

Yuułu?il?ath News

Citizens assist in re-building the stairs to Halfmoon Bay

Two Yuułu?ił?ath citizens, Delaney Clayton and Joe Thompson recently spent three weeks learning about trail construction and then put their skills into action with the re-construction of the stairs to Halfmoon Bay in the Pacific Rim National Reserve. Anyone who has hiked down this trail (off of Willowbrae), knows that replacing that staircase would be quite a feat.

"Our goal when working with these types of training programs with our partners is to offer training and skill building programs that will be a value and benefit to the participants and nations said Jenny Touchie, Acting Aboriginal Liaison PRNPR.

"We offered an alternative trail building course in October (attended by Nick Touchie and Greg Louie) and this course was planned to continue building on the knowledge of trail building and planning," she added.

The three week paid training opportunity offered citizens skills in planning, theory, material estimation equations, material preparation, disassembly and construction. There were 13 participants from seven nations including: Yuułu?ił?ath, Tla-o-quiaht, Toquaht, Uchucklesaht, Huuay-aht, Ditidaht and Pacheedaht.

"In addition to the structures training program the participants were also assigned work with a trails analyst who is currently completing a feasibility study for connecting the trail from Halfmoon Bay over the Wya Point Resort. This study assesses proposed routes, areas of consideration and concern, potential feature highlights, mitigation and protection from human impact on sensitive sites, visitor safety and using a GPS to place waypoints on a map. This type of work allowed participants to see the entire process of trail building from planning to construction," Jenny said.

Following the three week training program participants and Parks trail crew were treated to lunch and the participants were given certificates by the course instructor Robert Campbell and First Nations Program Manager, Matthew Payne. Delaney wasn't able to make the certificate presentation due to an injury.

"Overall, it was a great success and we've received a lot of positive feedback from the participants," Jenny commented. "We hope to continue building on various training opportunities and strengthening that connection with our First Nations Partners in future training programs," she added.





Yuulu?il?ath citizen Joe Thompson and Delaney Clayton participated in a building course at PRNPR where they helped re-build the stairs to Halfmoon Bay. Here is Joe receiving his certificate by course instructor, left, Robert Campbell and First Nations Program Manager, Matthew Payne.

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Community Newsmakers

Thornton Motel re-build on track for spring completion The Thornton Motel construction is Recently the Executive branch of the from the government, just that the government

The Thornton Motel construction is moving right along and should be wrapped up in time for the busy summer season. The motel was ravaged by fire two summers ago and the re-build has taken some time partly due to disagreements over what insurance would cover as part of the re-build. The entire middle block of the motel, which contained 12 units, is being re-constructed. Recently the Executive branch of the Legislature agreed to a request from Economic Development, for the government to provide financial backing to the tune of \$923,795. in order to complete the construction. Executive Member Larry Baird said he was concerned the government was being asked to cover the loan but President Charles McCarthy said that Economic Development wasn't asking for the funds from the government, just that the government back the loan and it was noted that the motel has the ability to service the debt.

Along with the re-construction funds will also be needed to buy new furniture and other upgrades such as a laundry facilities upgrade is being discussed now that the Motel is taking care of the laundry for the Wya Point Resort too.



Construction of the Thornton Motel is moving along and is expected to be open in time for the busy summer season.

Funding Application for Post Secondary

Applications can be downloaded at **www.ufn.ca**

Community Page and

click Photos & Forms

Hitacu Assembly

Wednesday, April 29th 5-8 p.m. Gymnasium at the Community Centre, Hitacu

2015 Budget Presentation

Everyone is welcome

2015 Election News

As per the Yuułu?ił?ath Elections Act the **Notice of Elections will be sent out by March 14, 2015**. This Notice will include information for prospective candidates who want to run in the election as well as general information about the election and information regarding the Constitutional Amendments that citizens will be asked to vote on.

You can contact the Chief Electoral Officer, Kit Spence, by email at **YFN_Elections_Officer@shaw.ca** for more information. Information will be available at the government administration office as it becomes available.

The Elections Act can be found at

http://www.ufn.ca/government/laws-and-regulation/ www.ufn.ca



Cultural Leader Lindsay McCarthy and Tayii Hawił Wilson Jack photographed at the opening ceremonies of the new gym.

In accordance with Yuułu?ił?ath Law

Notice is hereby given that the Yuułu?ił?ath Legislature has initiated a Hitacu Assembly in accordance with the Constitution and Government Act YFNS 2/2011.

The Hitacu Assembly is scheduled for Wednesday April 29, 2015; 5PM at the Yuułu?ił?atḥ Gym.

Dinner will be provided; all citizens are invited to attend.

The agenda is in draft form until approved by the Citizens at the Hitacu Assembly. (Additional items may be added at the time we adopt the agenda.)

Agenda Items:

- 1. Meeting called to order
- 2. Opening Ceremonies/Welcoming remarks
- 3. Motion and discussion to adopt the agenda
- 4. Economic Development Update YFN Management Services
- 5. Budget Presentation
- 6. Updates
 - a. Lands and Resources & Asset Management
 - b. Community Servicesc. President
 - d. Director of Operations

7. Announcements/Discussion

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8. Adjournment

For more information please contact Christina Klotz, Law Clerk Ph: 250.726.7342 extension 209 | Email: <u>christina.klotz@ufn.ca</u>

Yuułu?il?ath News

Jaden Touchie helps senior team rise to top in the province

After 41 games, countless practices, 7 tournaments Jaden Touchie has now completed his first year Senior Basketball as a Grade 10 student.

He was the only Grade 10 to make the Oak Bay senior basketball team and ended up being a starter. In the final game he had the third most minutes of all the players with 990 minutes this season, behind only two others who are both in Grade 12. He was one of only three players on the team to play every single game—41 in all.

The team won three tournaments and placed second in two others and placed 6th in the provincials. The team also won the City Championships in Victoria and Island Championships. The team started the year ranked about 15th overall in the province and by the end of the season the team was ranked number one in the province. Most of the year the team was in the top five teams in the province.

Jaden played his heart out every game. A true testament to his commitment in the final two games of the year he had his best games this season. He had 22 pts, 9 rbs, 5 Asts, 2 stls in a huge win over Lord Tweedsmuir. Then Jaden played Burnaby south and got 16pts, 4 rbs, 1ast, 1 stl against a very good team.

With Jaden's play this year he has had many people admire his skills, notably the top spring / summer League team called Drive Bounce Elite and they play in the USA. Jaden has been scouted and invited to play with this team and will be playing 12 tournaments in the USA and Canada. He will play in Las Vegas, Anaheim, Portland, Seattle, Vancouver and Bellevue. Being invited to play with this team is a huge accomplishment and it's great to see Jaden's hard work is paying off. Jaden is setting his sights on getting a scholarship and attending the University of Oregon, and some

Updating our Constitution

Yuułu?ił?atḥ Citizens will be asked to vote in favor of proposed amendments to the Yuułu?ił?atḥ Constitution in the May 2015 Election.



- **Reference to Maanulth Treaty** it has been suggested that a section be added to the constitution which outlines the role of the Maa-nulth Treaty in reference to law-making authority and lands.
- **Roles of Elected Officials** the Constitution needs greater clarity to identify the distinct roles and powers of the Legislature, Executive and the President.
- **Impossible Time frames** for draft budget and audited financials; lets set time frames we can reach. The time-frame for filling a vacant Legislature seat is also unreasonably short.
- **Clarify Treaty Rights** for citizens vs. those enrolled under the Maanulth Treaty; who is eligible for citizenship also needs clarification.
- Delete

Change

• **Remove requirement for** The nation's businesses to have yearly audited financial statements which are costly. The suggestion is to have audited financial statements as required rather than each year as currently written.

Why Vote Yes?

Voting YES will help your government by making the goals outlined in our constitution, attainable. These changes won't make a big difference in the lives of individuals but they will help us do our job better and better reflect the reality of Treaty Government.

The **proposed changes listed here are some but not all the changes** that have been reviewed by the Treaty Implementation Committee, the Legislature and the Executive Branch of the Legislature. We encourage you to read through all of the changes being proposed; the Legal Briefing Note is included in this package and also Constitution with Track Changes showing all proposed amendments.

Thank you for taking the time to read this brief and we would appreciate your VOTE YES on election day, May 13, 2015.



day he hopes to play in the professional leagues.

Jaden is also a great student earning six A's and two B's on his last report card. Jaden's Mom Katy said, "this kid amazes me every day. We couldn't be prouder, Go Jaden Go!" Besides his parents Katy and Cameron, Jaden also has a whole cheering section from Hitacu, including his Touchie relatives here...and one of his biggest fans, Grandma Bernice, who loves to watch him play.



Jaden Touchie will be playing basketball with an elite basketball team in the United States for a spring summer league. The Grade 10 student helped his team at Oak Bay rise to the top team in BC. Photo courtesy of Melody Charlie.

CATERING

Catering Applications due on April 1, 2015 Those interested can request an application from the front desk at Government House. The Approved applicants would be called on for various catering jobs for the YG meetings and events and for external organizations when required.

The Catering Policy is on our website at www.ufn.ca and it should be reviewed by applicants.



Yuułu?il?ath News

Raven Gagnon earns her black belt



Raven Gagnon was recently recognized for receiving her black belt in Taekwondo. The 15-year-old is a Yuułu?il?atḥ citizen, living in Port Alberni. She is shown here with Taekwondo Master Jim Ratte.

HEALTH CONTACTS IN HITACU

NTC Community Health Nurse (250) 726-7721

NTC Home Care Nurse (250) 726-7723

First Responders

For medical emergencies

call 9-1-1

And for immediate help while the Ambulance is on its way, call our local First Responders

Celena (250) 918-8910 or Jay (250) 534-9518

Gym Activities

Fridays: Youth Games 4-6 p.m. Sundays: Drop in Basketball 7-9 p.m.

Call Kaleena to book 726-7342 ext. 218 kaleena.george@ufn.ca Raven Gagnon recently earned her black belt in Taekwondo. The 15-year-old is a Yuułu?ił?atḥ citizen, living in Port Alberni. Raven has taken her training and has competed in Port Alberni under Master Jim Ratte.

She has won numerous medals for the martial arts and received her official certificate and card from Korea, to acknowledge her achieving the Black Belt status.

Raven has been taking Taekwondo for a few years and trains three times a week in Port Alberni. She has started referring at tournaments and helping her younger sister Cydney also train for an upcoming Taekwondo tournament in Parksville.

Her grandparents are Luke and Delores Touchie.

Traditional camp in Effingham Inlet ready for use by citizens

Dennis Touchie and Levi Touchie have now completed their contract to build a traditional camp at Effingham inlet. The pair worked throughout the fall and winter months in the remote location, getting a dock in place and building a cabin which will be utilized by Yuułu?ił?ath members for camping.

According to Dennis the cabin still needs some finishing work, to build bunks for sleeping,

but there is a table to eat at, the windows and door are in, there is a small deck and lots of room for sleeping.

The pair were hoping to complete the project, including putting board and batten on the outside of the cabin and constructing an outhouse, but the funds have run out. According to Dennis there is about another week's worth of work to be done.







ers provide services to our guests at Wya Camp-

ground including, changing out batteries at the

yurts, cleaning barbecues, chopping and bundling

ground maintenance, cleaning bathrooms etc. Any

firewood, lighting propane stoves when required,

previous experience such as carpentry or plumb-

ing would be beneficial. A valid Class 5 Driver's

License is required. This is a physically demand-

ing job that requires one to work in all weather

holidays

726-2625.

transactions.

SURF INSTRUCTORS

conditions, on week days, weekends and statutory

To apply for any of these positions please drop off a

resume and references to Lorri Touchie at the Wya

Resort, manager@wyapoint.com or call her at (250)

SALES AND CUSTOMER SERVICE If you are a good

communicator who loves to surf, this may be the

vidual who out outgoing and comfortable dealing

with the general public, someone who has a basic

knowledge of surfing and YFN culture, who can

Applicants should have retail experience, com-

puter experience and the ability to handle sales

work flexible hours from May through to October.

If you are an outgoing surf instructor who enjoys

and occasionally lend a hand in the surf shop with

retail sales, this may be a job for you. Surf instruc-

tors need to have a minimum of five years surfing

experience, 2 years instruction, Bronze Medallion

Association of Surf Instructors certified and Valid

and Bronze Cross swimming certification, BC

meeting new people, can work as part of a team

summer job for you. We're looking for an indi-

Apply in writing to: Tyson Touchie at ecdevman@ukeecable.net or fax to (250) 726-3494 drop off a resume and two references at YFN Management Services Admin Office at 100 Hitacu Road.

K^wISITIS GIFT SHOP

RETAIL SALES working from May until the end of September, we are looking for someone to run the Kwisitis Gift Shop which is located at the Kwisitis Interpretive Centre in the Pacific Rim National Park Reserve. An outgoing personality and good

organizational skills are required for this position. You will be responsible for ordering, pricing and stocking inventory, handling sales (cash and credit), ability to work with minimal supervision. Apply in writing to: Crystal Silva at edcea@ukeecable.



net or fax to (250) 726-3494 drop off a resume and two references at YFN Management Services Admin Office at 100 Hitacu Road.

THORNTON MOTEL

HOUSKEEPER/ROOM ATTENDANT: This is a physically demanding job that includes cleaning and preparing suites for guests, cleaning common areas, stocking supplies and sundry duties as requested by the Manager. Flexible work schedule including weekends and Statutory holidays. Must be enthusiastic and provide excellent customer service. To apply for this position please drop off a resume to: Jeneva Touchie, Manager Thornton Motel, email: thornton@ukeecable.net or call (250) 726-7725 for more information. Work at all these locations is expected to begin in May and run until late September or October. Please note that all employees from the 2014 season need to re-apply for positions this year.

is preferred. Drop off a resume or call for more information. (250) 726-3499



Lands and Resources Technician

JOB POSTING

The Lands & Resources Technician position will require a motivated individual pursing an outdoor career. Experience in marine and land environments, with a knowledge for related resources. This position will report to the Manager of Lands and Resources.

DUTIES: routine patrols of the marine and land based Maanulth Harvest areas, monitoring, recording and reporting harvest activities, undertake training and education related to the job, retain proper certification etc.

OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Valid Class 5 driver's licence and retain proper certification for boat handling

Ability to work outdoors and in all weather conditions

RESORT

GUEST SERVICE AGENT: The Guest Services Agent

is often the first contact with the guests as they ar-

rive at Wya Point Resort. You are at the front desk,

often multi-tasking answering the phone lines,

providing information to guests.

of this position.

skills.

checking in guests and answering questions and

A minimum of 1-2 years experience in the hos-

pitality industry would be preferred. This job

involves using a computer to check in guests,

manage reservations and take payments. Good

communication skills are required. Cleaning the

front desk area and staff bathroom are also duties

GIFT & COFFEE SHOP: Working at the Wya Wel-

will be required to work from May until the end of

September running a small grocery and gift shop

as well as the coffee bar. Basic sales, computer and

cash handling are required. Must work well with

others and work flexible shifts including evening,

weekend work and working on statutory holidays.

Some pricing, cleaning and stocking of shelves is

also required. We are looking for someone with

great communication skills and customer service

ROOM ATTENDANT: The Room Attendant will en-

sure guest rooms and public areas are clean. Must

be pleasant to guests and address their concerns or

requests as required. Duties include: dusting, vacu-

uming, changing bed linens, cleaning bathrooms,

windows and kitchens and other job-related duties

as assigned. Ability to work well, unsupervised at a

fast pace is required. This job can be physically de-

manding and you must be able to lift heavy items

and perform duties that include bending, kneel-

ing and climbing stairs. Previous house-keeping

experience an asset. Valid Class 5 Driver's License

come Centre, the gift and coffee shop attendant

Some travel including overnight trips or weekends

Willingness and ability to work evenings and weekends

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

Experience in fisheries related activities, strong customer service, reliable, preference for individuals who have taken courses towards or completed the First Nations' Fisheries Technologist Diploma Program

> Please Apply to: Iris Frank c/o PO Box 699, Ucluelet, BC, VOR 3A0 or email: iris.frank@ufn.ca Please include: resume, cover letter and two recent work-related references.

> > Deadline: April 30, 2015