

The Bulkley Browser

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THE DEADLINE for free classified ads is Wednesday 4pm



The Bulkley Browser now has a Facebook page.

The contributed items in this paper are not necessarily the opinions of the Editor. Since this is a community paper, it is the people's paper, and occasionally their concerns will be published. (**Thumbs Up & Down**). These articles are not intended to offend, but rather to draw attention to a problem or situation that needs to be rectified; this sometimes can only be done by making it public.

We reserve the right to edit & print or not print them.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

& ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HAZELTONS

Suskwa Community Association invites you to attend the town meeting with The Ministry of Forests regarding **The Bridge to Suskwa Project**, Tues Sept 3, 5pm @ the Erwin Stege Community Centre.

MASH Community Composting Hub new hours; Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays 9am-noon. Located 1 km from the Visitor Info Centre @ the Old Chipper Yard off Churchill by the tracks. follow us on Facebook under Making Agriculture Sustainable in the Hazeltons or www.mashazeltons.org for info

The **WMHA Thrift Shop** is open on Wednesdays & Thursdays 11am-3pm. Appointment shopping available other days 250-842-8792. **Drop Off Bin** open Wed & Thurs only. Call above # for other arrangements.

Free mental health support for seniors. Need a little help to get back to your best self? Call for 778-202-1670 for an intake appointment. This program is supported by the Wrinch Memorial Foundation & New Horizons for seniors.

Free Soup for everyone! Hazelton Seniors will host Soupy Seniors every Tuesday @ the Anglican Hall in Old Hazelton. Soup is ready from 11:30-1pm. This project is funded by the Wrinch Memorial Foundation & United Way B.C. If you would like to volunteer to help, contact Charlotte 250-842-5887

The BC Cancer Screening and Prevention mobile mammography coach is coming to a community near you! Women 40+ call 1-800-663-9203 to book your free screening mammogram while they're in town (**until August 31**). Don't have a primary care provider? You can still access screening. www.bccancer.bc.ca/screening/breast

Community Apple Pressing Services. MASH is offering juicing services once again this year by appointment only for large quantities & for backyard events. There will be an express lane for small quantities. **Hazelton** Tues, Sept 3: 2 Mile backyard; Sun, Sep 8: Allen Park; Mon, Sep 16: Learning Shop backyard. Please call for details or visit www.mashazeltons.org or our FB. Be BearSmart & pick your fruit!

Ladies' prayer breakfast September 7, 9am @ Cottonwood Guesthouse & Event Centre, 5251 1st Ave Hazelton

The **Wrinch Memorial Foundation Society Board** will hold their AGM on September 11, noon @ the Common Room of the Three Rivers Cohousing complex, 5115 Swannel Drive, Hazelton, BC.

Freeze Dryer Workshop Saturday, September 14, 10am-4pm This workshop will cover the fundamentals of freeze drying including: Introduction to Freeze Drying as a method of preserving, Machine Maintenance & Appropriate Use, Hands on experience with freeze drying foods. Spots limited for this workshop so please RSVP @ info@upperskeena.ca or 250-842-6500

Sherry Nielsen's art exhibit, Chroma Flows, will be showing @ the **Misty Rivers Gallery** until Sept. 14. Come to the **Misty Rivers Gallery & Gift Shop** and enter a draw for a print from this month's featured artist, Sherry Nielsen. Draw winner will be announced September 14th.

Misty River Community Arts Council creative activities for young people @ the Farmers Market. Sept 15 painting on canvas; Oct 13 Thanksgiving/Halloween theme activity

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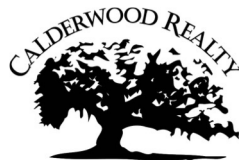
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Storytellers' Society AGM & Community Update. The board of Storytellers' would like to invite the community to join us for our AGM & community update. Come hear about what we have been focusing on & where we are looking to go. Friday, September 20, 4:30pm. We will have a BBQ supper after the meeting in our recently renewed backyard space. We are open to new members on the board and welcome your interest (if you would like to learn more before, email brenda@upperskeena.ca)

Elder College Hazelton starts its new semester Tuesday September 24, 1pm w/ round table input discussion. What do you want from Elder College?

To the Land of Ghosts: an intimate, live-scored screening of the classic 1922 vampire film **Nosferatu**. Presented by Syrup Moose Records, live-scored by Megafauna. Friday, October 25, Hazelton Public Library. Free. Doors: 6:30pm, film starts 7pm. Info: www.syrupmooserecords.ca

Nav-CARE is a free program that supports people with failing health in the Upper Skeena Region. If you have failing health, if you would like to volunteer to help someone else or if you want more info, contact Charlotte 250-842-5887 or linfordcharlotte@gmail.com

BC Farmers Market Coupon Program is back. Sign up will happen right AT the Farmers' Market (no need to pre-register) Program is for households with someone who is under 19 or pregnant or seniors/elders that are experiencing financial challenges. Info: learningshop@upperskeena.ca or 250-842-6500.

Canny Grannies is a food preparation & preserving group for any grandparent in the Hazeltons area 11am on Mondays @ the Grace Lynn Center (Starting Smart building on the Hospital grounds). We provide all food & equipment. Info: Bev 778-210-1007 or cpnpstar@gmail.com.

Ki-Aikido - Every Thursday 6pm to 7:30pm @ the Kispiox Valley Community Hall. All levels welcome. contact Tim 250-842-3061

The **Skeena Blend Coffeehouse** is looking for local musicians who would like to perform at our coffeehouse. Please contact Heather @ 250-842-8215

Hazelton Free Range Writers' Group meets on the 3rd Monday of each month, 7:30pm @ Roche View Lodge, N. Hazelton. New members welcome.

Socks for Literacy fundraiser @ The Learning Shop! Variety of colors, sizes & types. From \$4.99-\$7.99 Come browse our selection Tues, Wed, Thursdays! 9-3

The **LOGS Book Bus** is accepting donations of gently used reading materials. Donations can be left at the Bulkley Valley Credit Union in Hazelton. Pick up can be arranged by contacting logsbookbus@gmail.com, messaging the Book Bus on FB or 250-842-5887.

Dolly Parton's Imagination Library is a book gifting program that mails free, high-quality books to children from birth to age five, no matter their family's income. Get the form to sign your child up @ the Hazelton District Public Library & @ the Starting Smart program @ the Grace Lynn Centre on the hospital grounds. It's free & the books are great!

Digital Learning for Seniors. High School students @ Hazelton Secondary are looking for opportunities to practice their teaching skills. If you are a Senior/Elder who would like to be paired w/ a student tutor for cell phone or computer learning, contact Charlotte linfordcharlotte@gmail.com or 842-5887

St. Peter's Anglican Army Hall rental available for gathering: family dinners, parties, meetings & commercial chefs. To book, call 250-842-7133 or 250-877-1145.

MEDICAL AND HEALTH

National Suicide Crisis Help/line: **9-8-8**; BC Mental Health Support Line **310-6789 (no area code needed)**; BC Suicide Prevention and Intervention **1-800-SUICIDE/1-800-784-2433**

The **Wrinch Memorial cancer office** will be closed until September. If you need information, phone numbers are available at the office. The cancer office will be closed until September. If you need information, phone num-



We're opening our seasonal restaurant again!

The Ebb & Flow Bistro

Just like the river ebbs and flows, so will our restaurant.

**From August 16th to November 10th
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We'd love it if you made a reservation!

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bers are available at the office.

If you or someone you know is struggling with mental health, anxiety, depression, substance abuse, or suicide visit www.healthlinkbc.ca for information on how to help. Or call 8-1-1 to speak with a health services navigator any time, any day of the year. Are you or someone you know struggling with an eating disorder? Call **Northern Health's Regional Eating Disorder Clinic** @ 250-645-7440.

Allen Park Exercise group Mondays & Thurs, 10am. Coffee afterwards.

Smart Recovery Addiction recovery support group participants learn self-empowering techniques to aid recovery through mutual-help, face-to-face & online meeting & services. No matter what your addiction, SMART tools & techniques can help you overcome the behavior. Wed, 3-4pm tele-video.

T.O.P.S. Take Off Pounds Sensibly support group meets in New Hazelton, Wednesdays, each week, 5:30-7pm. If you are interested in having a healthier lifestyle with like-minded people; please join us. Info: Jenny: phone/text, 250.842-8426, or Julie: phone 250-849-5554.

Hell Yeah Active Elders! Choose to Move is a free program for anyone 65 & older who wants to become active, regardless of ability. Being active is one of the most important things you can do to maintain your overall health. Making a change to become more active can be tougher than it seems & is hard to do alone without support linfordcharlotte@gmail.com or 250-842-5887 to join a group or for info.

CHURCH SERVICES

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Parish Mass times w/ Rev. Dennis Shavanger. Holy Rosar, Witsset 9am Sunday, 11am Wednesday. St. Mary's (New Hazelton) 11am Sunday. Saint Felix (Stewart) 5pm on 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month. 250-842-5175 or stmary-nh@telus.net. All welcome.

Mountainview United Church invites you to join us Sunday mornings @ 11am. Be inspired & renewed by reflective messages, music & prayers enjoy fellowship. Info, events & even recipes @ the Mountainview United Church website or 250-842-6121

The **Hazelton Seventh-day Adventist Church** invites you to join us on Saturday mornings @ 4949 Sunnyside Rd in Two Mile. Come in @ 9:30am for bible study or @ 11:00am for church service. These meetings are also available on Zoom. We also offer prayer meeting only by Zoom on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm. Zoom meeting ID: 7740051987. Password: 761454.

Hazelton Pentecostal Church Services Sunday @ 11am. All welcome. Prayer meeting 7pm Thursdays. Evening service starting May 14, 7pm.

St. Peter's Anglican Church services, Sundays @ 11am. Everyone welcome. Virtual services are still available Sundays @ 10am @ caledoniaanvlican.ca. Compline evening prayers are available nightly Monday through Saturday, online @ FB & YouTube.

Grace Gathering welcomes you to an evening of interactive worship for the whole family. Every Friday evening 7-9 pm @ 2060 Broadway Ave. South Hazelton. Info: Bart Metcalf 250-842-5680.

The **Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints** meets every Sunday 10am @ 3974 10th Ave in Smithers. Call or text 778-210-0593

SMITHERS COMMUNITY EVENTS

Community Apple Pressing Services. MASH is offering juicing services once again this year by appointment only for large quantities & for backyard events. There will be an express lane for small quantities. **Smithers/Telkwa** Fri, Sep 6: Smithers backyard; Fri, Sep 13: Ranger Park; Sun, Sep 22: Telkwa Backyard. Please call for details or visit www.mashazelton.org or our FB. Be BearSmart & pick your fruit!

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Thumbs up to the nurses & doctor @ Wrinch Memorial for attending to my family member. Thankfully it was nothing serious. We really appreciate the dedication you put in.

Church. Info: www.syrupmooserecords.ca

Declutter Bugs yard sale for people without yards, 11am-3pm Saturdays until mid-October, 1115 Main St. beside Outdoor Essentials. \$10 table fee, contact Aileen 250-877-6133. See our FB page: The Declutter Bugs. Thanks to Sieghard.

Calling for health practitioners who would like to participate in the **Smithers Community Health Fair** on October 23. Info: cdonnelly249@gmail.com

Smithers Public Library: The Library VolunTEENS (age 11+) meet on a monthly basis to have fun, eat pizza & help make the library a livelier & more engaging place to be! The VolunTEENS also explore ideas for upcoming library events & help prep & deliver children's programs. Drop-ins are welcome.

CICK 93.9FM Smithers Community Radio is seeking individuals who are interested in exploring their potential as Radio Programmers. CICK warmly invites those who may desire to become radio programmers to share their program ideas on the airwaves during our Volunteer Hour Sundays 4-5pm. Training provided. meghan@smithersradio.com

CICK 93.9FM Smithers Community Radio is seeking bands with original material who are interested in performing @ CICK Lounge Car, a historic train car in Smithers. We will offer high-quality audio recording & video footage after the performance, which can be utilized for funding applications or festival submissions, among other opportunities.

GARAGE SALES/CRAFT FAIRS HAZELTONS

Ongoing Yard Sale: Monday - Friday 1-7pm, Saturdays 8am-7pm. 3324 Skeena St. Two Mile

ANIMALS, FARM EQUIPMENT & ACCESSORIES

Hay and meat for sale ads are \$5.25 per week Look your farmer in the eye! Regenerative, pollinator friendly farm located on the Gitksan laxyip, has tasty terroir lamb cuts for sale. Slow cook a delicious stew or mouthwatering shank; create an earth friendly dinner of grilled or baked chops. Also available are additive free bratwurst style gourmet sausages and smokies. To order, call Dancingbee Farm 250-842-6031

Bob Marshall Treeless Saddle \$950 The saddle is creased & should probably get re-flocked. Catherine 250-876-8723

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Large Canadian Tire roof luggage rack for car or van 250-842-5787

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ELECTRONICS

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Wanted: 14" tire suitable for a trailer spare. 250-635-2597

Wanted: clothes dryer in good shape no junk 250-842-6966

Wanted: wheelchair GC 250-842-2102

Looking for a couple pieces of vinyl siding to patch my small holes on my vinyl siding. trade you for a can of salmon 250-703-1292

Looking for Yamaha Bruin 350 2005 Rear axle



Fun Facts

Morton's toe is a condition where the second toe is longer than the big toe. This is also known as the Greek's foot, as opposed to the Egyptian's foot where the big toe (the little piggy that went to market) is longer than the second toe (the little piggy that stayed home). Less than a quarter of the population has Morton's toe.



Terry's Tax

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Do you like driving? Do you like chatting with new people and talking about our community? Do you have a clean, reliable vehicle and a valid driver's license? Are you willing to upgrade your insurance? We need drivers to help bring healthcare workers to and from Hazelton-Smithers airport.

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Quote of the Week

The 1970s were a time in which all of us, having discovered we couldn't change the world, thought that perhaps we could change ourselves...Once we discovered we couldn't change ourselves, we said, 'Well, then, let's make money.'

- Joni Mitchell



"People Who Harvest Salmon Using Torches"

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Job Posting: HR Manager

Location: Gitanmaax Administration Office

Department: Human Resources

Reports To: CEO

Salary Range: \$80,833 to \$90,730

Job Summary:

Gitanmaax Administration is seeking a skilled HR Manager to lead our Human Resources department. This position requires a dedicated professional who can manage HR operations, foster a positive work environment, and support strategic organizational goals.

Key Responsibilities:

- Develop and implement HR strategies and initiatives that align with the overall mission and objectives of the organization.
- Manage the recruitment and selection process and onboarding to attract and retain top talent.
- Oversee employee benefits, training, development, and performance management.
- Ensure compliance with labour laws and organizational policies.
- Enhance workplace culture by promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion.
- Address employee relations issues and oversee conflict resolution processes.
- Provide decision support to management through HR metrics and analysis.

Required Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Human Resources, Business Administration, or a related field;
- A minimum of five years of experience in an HR management role, preferably in a community-focused or public-sector organization.
- In-depth knowledge of labour law and HR best practices.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills.
- Strong leadership and problem-solving capabilities.
- Proficient with HR software and computer systems.

Benefits:

- Competitive salary package within the stated range.
- Comprehensive benefits including health, dental, and retirement plans.
- Opportunities for professional development and career growth.

Application Process: Please submit your application including a resume and a detailed cover letter explaining why you are the right fit for this role and how your skills and experience align with the job requirements. Applications should be sent to info@gitanmaax.com

Join us at Gitanmaax Administration and contribute to building a vibrant and inclusive community. We look forward to welcoming a dedicated HR professional who is passionate about making a positive impact on our team!



PO Box 440, Hazelton, BC VoJ 1Y0
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Job Posting: Senior Accountant

Location: Administration Office of Gitanmaax

Department: Finance

Reports To: Finance Manager

Salary Range: \$55,965 to \$74,728

Job Summary:

We are seeking a dedicated and experienced Senior Accountant to join our Finance team at the Administration Office of Gitanmaax. This role involves overseeing general ledger operations, enhancing financial reporting accuracy, and supporting strategic financial decisions through detailed analysis and forecasting.

Key Responsibilities:

- Manage daily transactions, including accounts payable/receivable, general ledger, and bank reconciliations.
- Audit preparation, including working papers.
- Month-end and year-end processes and journal entries.
- Payroll processes.
- Prepare financial statements, budget monitoring, and variance analysis
- Develop and document business processes and accounting policies to maintain and strengthen internal controls.
- Ensure compliance with GAAP principles.
- Liaise with our Financial Manager to improve financial procedures.

Required Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Accounting, Finance, or a relevant field.
- Proven experience as an accounting supervisor, or senior accountant.
- Thorough knowledge of basic accounting procedures and principles.
- Experience with creating financial statements.
- Experience with general ledger functions and the month-end/year-end close process.
- Excellent accounting software user and administration skills.

Benefits:

- Competitive salary package within the stated range.
- Comprehensive benefits including health, dental, and retirement plans.
- Opportunities for professional development and career growth.

Application Process: Interested candidates should submit their resume and a cover letter detailing their qualifications and experience relative to the position's responsibilities. Please send your application materials to info@gitanmaax.com

Join our team and contribute to the financial health and transparency of the Gitanmaax community. We look forward to your applications and the potential to welcome you to our professional family!



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BOARD NOMINATIONS

GITANYOW

Nomination Meeting

GITANYOW HALL
AUGUST 14TH, 2024
5-8PM (DINNER PROVIDED)

Advance Poll

GITANYOW HALL
SEPTEMBER 17TH, 2024
5-8PM (DINNER PROVIDED)

KISPIOX

Nomination Meeting

KISPIOX HALL
AUGUST 15TH, 2024
5-8PM (DINNER PROVIDED)

Advance Poll

KISPIOX HALL
SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2024
5-8PM (DINNER PROVIDED)

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WEDNESDAY

SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2024

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- Get to know your community (organisations, services, people)
- Build your communication skills & self confidence
- Become more aware of your own preferences, goals, & possible next steps

Within this supportive setting, a small cohort of 4-5 participants will:

- **Meet community leaders and go on field trips** to various community spaces and groups
- **Gain training** on communication, facilitation, and organization skills
- **Identify areas of interest** and learn more about them in our community
- Set **action plans** for next steps for your own path

This program will run through October-November and possibly into December, 3 days a week, 10am-2pm. (Some scheduling changes will occur based on field trips and guest availability)



If you are interested in joining us please complete this online application to tell us about yourself: <https://forms.gle/2BASpkqynsxnep6>

Contact us at brenda@upperskeena.ca or joanne@upperskeena.ca or 250-842-6500



Honorarium for participation provided; financial support towards transportation and childcare available, if needed.



"This is how you change the world - The smallest circles first." - Richard Wagamese

Let's explore our community and learn together



Regional District of
Kitimat-Stikine



The USRC Advisory Committee is hosting:

Parade of PROGRAMS

Come register yourself and your children for recreation programs including hockey, yoga, dance and more!



Saturday, September 7



1:00 PM- 3:00 PM



Upper Skeena Recreation Centre

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Telkwa

Statement of Property Tax Exemptions

In accordance with Section 224 and 227 (1) of the Community Charter, The Village of Telkwa is proposing to adopt the 2025-2027 Permissive Tax Exemption Bylaw No. 777, 2024. The impact of this exemption can be viewed on the Village of Telkwa Website (www.telkwa.ca) or at 1415 Hankin Avenue. The 2025-2027 Permissive Tax Exemption Bylaw No. 777, 2024 will be on the September 10, 2024 Council agenda for second and third reading, with adoption set for October 8, 2024. Any questions or concerns should be addressed in writing before October 3, 2024, for the October 8, 2024 Regular Meeting of Council.

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Regular Library Hours: Open noon – 6 pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays. Open 11 am – 5 pm Saturdays. Closed Sundays and Mondays.

Celebrate International Literacy Day, Sunday, September 8. Enjoy a Story Walk around the New Hazelton Farmers Market.

Free Blood Pressure clinic with Sylvia, local paramedic, every Friday, 1 – 2 pm.

Congratulations to all the children who read with the library's Summer Reading Clubs this summer and a thousand thanks to our club facilitators and supporters. Look for more information next week.

Stop by and step up to the library using our newly rebuilt safer, stronger stairs.

Pioneer Museum Hours noon - 5 pm, Tuesday-Friday; noon-4 pm, Saturday. Closed when the library is closed. Make a book purchase from our selection of great local history or buy a T-shirt to support your museum.

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The Language Corner

English	What is this?
Gitxsanimx	Gwi/Gu tun?
French	Qu'est-ce que c'est?
German	Was ist das?
Spanish	Qué es esto?



Riddle

Last week's answer: A shirt
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Back on June 26, the Toronto Blue Jays and Boston Red Sox had a game suspended by rain in the later innings. It was the last game of a three-game series and both teams were scheduled to play other teams the next day. Playing catcher for the Jays that day was Danny Jansen, who was at bat with a count of 0-1 when the game was called off to be continued later. After 60 days, 18 hours and 35 minutes, play resumed at Fenway Park on August 26, with Jansen having been traded to the Red Sox in the meantime. Catching for Boston, he became the first player in major league history to play for two different teams in the same game. And in the same inning. The Jays won 4-1.



In 2004 Doug Mientkiewicz got traded from the Minnesota Twins to the Red Sox in the middle of the season. Coincidentally, the Twins were playing a home series against the Red Sox at the time. On July 30, Mientkiewicz hit every time he went to the plate, scoring one run as a member of the Twins. The next day, Mientkiewicz was in the visiting dugout as a member of the Red Sox, starting at first base and hitting sixth in the lineup, going 2 for 4. The Red Sox won the World Series that year, but Mientkiewicz would be traded the next year...and the year after that, and so on and so on until he retired after the 2009 season.



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GITANMAAX DEVELOPMENT CORP.

We Are

SEEKING BOARD DIRECTOR

****ABOUT US****

GITANMAAX DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION IS DEDICATED TO FOSTERING ECONOMIC GROWTH AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT IN GITANMAAX. WE ASPIRE TO CREATE A STEADY, ROOTED FOUNDATION OF OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH WHICH OUR MEMBERS CAN STRIVE AND THRIVE TOWARDS EXCELLENCE.

****POSITION OVERVIEW****

WE ARE SEEKING PASSIONATE, COMMITTED INDIVIDUALS TO JOIN OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS. AS A BOARD MEMBER, YOU WILL PLAY A CRITICAL ROLE IN GUIDING THE STRATEGIC DIRECTION OF OUR CORPORATION, ENSURING THAT OUR PROJECTS ALIGN WITH OUR MISSION AND VALUES, AND ADVOCATING FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF GITANMAAX. THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE A SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON YOUR COMMUNITY AND CONTRIBUTE TO THE LONG-TERM SUCCESS OF OUR REGION.

****KEY RESPONSIBILITIES****

- BE AVAILABLE, PUNCTUAL AND PARTICIPATE IN REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS (TYPICALLY ONCE MONTHLY)
- CONTRIBUTE TO THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CORPORATION'S STRATEGIC PLAN ACROSS ALL OF OUR BUSINESS OPERATIONS
- PROVIDE OVERSIGHT AND GOVERNANCE TO ENSURE THE CORPORATION'S ACTIVITIES ARE ALIGNED WITH ITS MISSION AND OBJECTIVES
- REVIEW AND APPROVE BUDGETS, FINANCIAL REPORTS, AND MAJOR ORGANIZATIONAL DECISIONS
- ADVOCATE FOR AND PROMOTE THE CORPORATION'S INITIATIVES WITHIN THE COMMUNITY

****QUALIFICATIONS****

- EXPERIENCE IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, FINANCE, BUSINESS MANAGEMENT, LAW, REAL ESTATE, COMMUNITY PLANNING, OR GOVERNANCE IS PREFERRED
- MUST DEMONSTRATE FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
- STRONG UNDERSTANDING OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL LANDSCAPE OF GITANMAAX
- ABILITY TO COMMIT THE HOURS PER MONTH AS NEEDED FOR BOARD ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING MEETINGS AND COMMITTEE WORK
- EXCELLENT COMMUNICATION, LEADERSHIP, AND PROBLEM-SOLVING SKILLS
- PRIOR EXPERIENCE SERVING ON A BOARD OR IN A LEADERSHIP CAPACITY IS AN ASSET

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- RESUME
- COPY OF A CLEAR CRIMINAL RECORD CHECK WITH THE RCMP
- 2 WORK REFERENCES
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WE THANK ALL APPLICANTS IN ADVANCE FOR THEIR INTEREST;
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Animal of the Week**



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Senden Food Hub and Café Cook

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Certified Red Seal Chef preferred. Experience with menu planning with an emphasis on seasonal and local produce and experience in menu-planning for gluten-free and dairy-free will be considered an asset. Wage is \$28 an hour. If you are interested in this opportunity, please email your resume and 3 references to foodhub@usdc.ca.

Only complete applications (with a cover letter and resume included) received at the above-noted email address will be considered. We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



Gitxsan
Child & Family
Services Society

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
GENERALIST SOCIAL WORKER (x2):**

Gitxsan Child & Family Services Society is expanding its operation to improve access and quality of service and currently has employment opportunities within our growing Delegated Aboriginal Child Welfare Agency.

Position Summary:

Supervised by the Team Leader and in accordance with the GCFSS mandate, Social Workers will provide delegated child welfare services and expected to carry a regular caseload, using clinical and interpersonal skills as well as case management systems, to provide a variety of services. The Social Workers primary responsibility is to ensure the delivery of family support services to families and children who require them, guardianship services and the development and maintenance of caregiver homes.

Requirements:

- Bachelor of Social Work, plus two years related experience
- Preference will be given to those who are provincially delegated or are eligible to be delegated
- Demonstrated ability to develop relationships with children, families, and communities
- Possess excellent oral and written communication skills
- Have office technology skills necessary to utilize Microsoft Office software and other programs
- At minimum, hold a valid BC class 5 driver's license with access to reliable transportation
- All individuals associated with GCFSS are expected to practice and lead healthy lifestyles and provide positive role-modeling to the communities which we serve
- 2 references including former employer
- Successfully pass a check under the BC Criminal Records Review Program

Compensation:

- Wage for this position is starting at \$49-56 per hour, Incumbents are hired in this range based on their skills, abilities, education and job-related experience
- GCFSS offers a highly competitive and comprehensive compensation package that includes pension, group insurance, paid sick leave, and a generous vacation entitlement

Deadline to apply:

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To Apply, or questions regarding this position:

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TOWN MEETING

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BRIDGE TO THE SUSKWA PROJECT

*September 3, 2024
Tuesday*

5:00 pm

*Erwin Stege
Community Centre
4633 Highway 16*

*Behind the Bulkley Valley Credit
Union in New Hazelton*

**IF YOU CAN NOT ATTEND
THE MEETING, COMMENTS
CAN BE DIRECTED TO**

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250.413.7762**

AND

**NATHAN.CULLEN.MLA@LEG.BC.CA
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*This invitation was prepared by the
Suskwa Community Association*

Phone: 250.842.8176

SaveOurSuskwa@gmail.com

RESIDENTS, BUSINESSES AND ROAD USERS OF THE SUSKWA VALLEY NEED YOUR SUPPORT

The current Bulkley River Bridge crossing has been the only access to the Suskwa since 1967. It now needs to be replaced. The Ministry of Forests (Prince George and Victoria Offices) proposes to close the existing access to the Suskwa and install a NEW bridge and NEW forest service road (FSR) 16 km on the east side of the Bulkley River along 16 km of gravel forest service road where it will join Highway 16 near Porphyr Creek.

This option was chosen without any formal open public engagement or meaningful consultation with residents, local businesses, municipal governments, Regional District Kitimat-Stikine, local First Nations bands, any affected hereditary chiefs or the general Hazelton public. No one has expressed any support for this option!

In 2021, as a solution residents and the territorial Chief for the lower Suskwa proposed that a new bridge across the Bulkley River be installed just before Mudflat Creek that bypasses the steep hillside and narrow roadway adjacent to the Bulkley River with an upgraded/enhanced junction at Highway 16. Forestry failed to seriously consider this as an option.

NO ONE on the Suskwa is in favour of the proposed Porphyr Creek route! Currently, the Suskwa encompasses 51 people with property interests, 19 families with 11 children who have built their livelihoods there, 41 deeded properties, and 17 Suskwa businesses, several of which will unfortunately be forced to relocate or close. This Project will also not just affect residents and other road users but also will detrimentally affect the economic welfare of all communities and businesses of the Hazeltons.

Very few Hazeltonians know about this project. It has been the best kept secret in the Hazeltons since 2016. Why you ask? We can but surmise that Forestry's decision-makers have known since 2014 about PRGT's intent to construct a pipeline in our area. The existing access is slated in PRGT's 2014 Environment Assessment certificate as one of three MAIN transport routes for delivering PRGT equipment and supplies to the pipeline corridor. Forestry has not mentioned the pipeline nor its' impact on this Project in any of their reports. It bears asking... "Has PRGT been informed or is Forestry trying to ram this project through as a taxpayer paid project with NO additional public notifications and consultations by PRGT?"

We hope you will come out and support us at this meeting.

