

NITINAHT WEEKLY



July 13th – July 19th 2016

WORD OF THE WEEK

bibʕataatx

(Bib-utt-aht)

**Fish for
sockeye**



**kwaabaaduw7aa7tx 'people of
kwaabaaduwa7.'**

This name applies to the area now known as Carmanah Indian Reserve No. 6, located northwest from the mouth of the Carmanah Creek

These are only a few of our ancestors' villages. These are places where they maintained large cedar plank houses that provided shelter and warmth during the wet and dreary westcoast winters. They also had camps situated throughout our territory where they stayed while fishing, hunting, gathering seafoods and wild plants, or making canoes. Living well in Ditidaht territory required a thorough knowledge of the location of resources and the times of their availability. Such a strategy developed over many, many years. Our ancestors knew where to go at each particular time of year. We have marked the location of each of these named places on maps and have recorded the use and history of each place. In this way we have identified about 250 Ditidaht place names.



Summer Student

Job Postings

There are 2 Summer Students positions available in Ditidaht this summer. The positions include:

- *1 Day Camp Supervisor*
- *1 Day Camp Assistant*

Criteria:

First Nations or Inuit living on reserve as an ordinary resident

Valid Social Insurance Number

Age 15 yrs to 30yrs old

Full time student and returning to school in Sept 2016

Closing date: Thursday, July 15, 2016

Please submit Resume and cover letter to:

Ditidaht Administration Office

PO Box 340 Port Alberni, BC V9Y 7M8

Fax: 250-745-3332 or email: mary-ann@ditidaht.ca



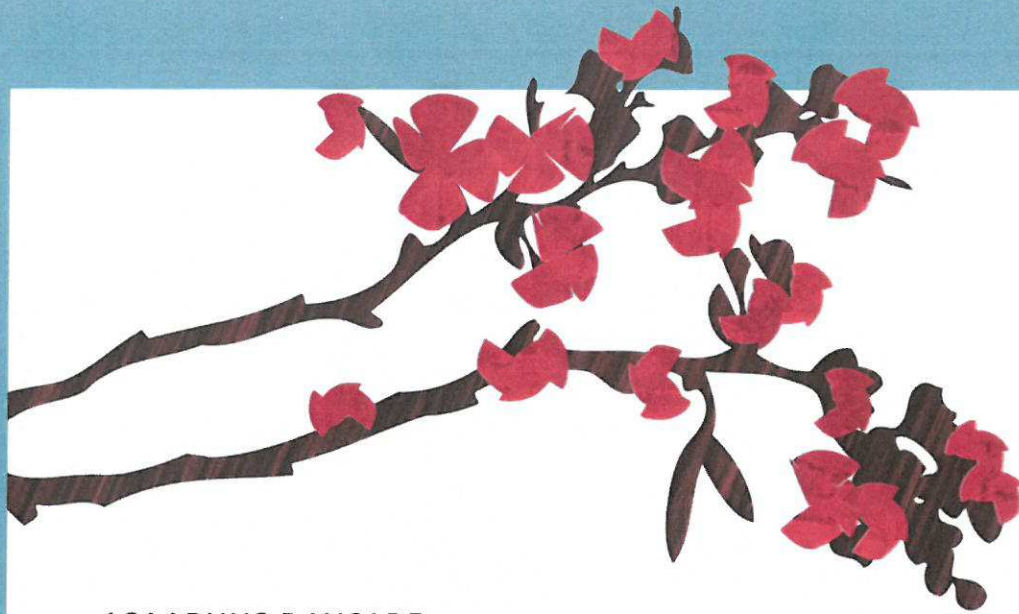
Literacy Camp – Reminder

When: July 11th- July 29th 2016

Where: Ditidaht Community School &
Surrounded area

Time: 9:30 am- 3:30 pm

Please fill out the summer consent form
& send it with your child on Monday,
July 11th, 2016



ASAABUUS DAYCARE
NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
JULY 13TH, 2016

Daycare has an idea to do a community wide scavenger hunt with other departments to make the days that more exciting for the kids this summer. It would be open for all children 18 and under. If any departments are able to partake and have any questions, please contact Crystal at the daycare. More details are to follow. (Looking for prize donations as well.)

Reminder that there is a parent's policy all parents need to go through and sign for all children attending. We have had some new faces at the daycare and need more signatures on those policies. If you haven't received one, please let us know and we will print one out for you.

Spare clothes are always a necessity at the daycare from art time, eating, falls outside, playing in the water table, or any other accidents that may occur at the daycare. Please always leave a spare set of clothes in your children's cubbies at the center.

We like to follow a morning routine, so please have your child/ren at the center before 930am and also a reminder that preschool sessions were complete at the year-end assembly day.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: CRYSTAL @ 2507453313



Ditidaht 2016 Salmon Harvest and Assessment Plan

Part I

Project Number:		Contribution Agreement:	
Licensee:	Ditidaht First Nation, Robert Joesph, Chief	Project Manager:	Robert Brouwer
Address:	P.O. Box 340	Representing:	Nitinat Hatchery - DFO
City:	Port Alberni	Address:	P.O. Box 369
Prov:	BC	City:	Port Alberni
	Postal Code: V9Y7M8	Prov:	BC
Tel:	250 745 3333		Postal Code: V9Y 7M8
	Fax: 250 745 3332	Tel:	250 745 3321
			Fax: 250 745 3416

Part 2 - Description of Project:

1.0 Goals & Objectives

A combination of test-fishing and swim surveys will be used to:

1. provide an indication of abundance for in-season predictions (i.e. lake and in-river) of run sizes from year to year and in the management of various fisheries including an in-lake ESSR fishery.
 - collect biological samples to determine overall age, sex, length of wild and hatchery Nitinat watershed chinook, chum and coho salmon;
 - in collaboration with the Nitinat Hatchery (Rob Brouwer), investigate the feasibility of using mark/recapture procedures to provide alternative in-season abundance estimates of chinook, chum and coho and data on migration rates (residence times) and distribution patterns of salmonids in Nitinat Lake and the Nitinat River.

In addition, the Hatchery Broodstock /Seine test fishing will also be used to:

2. develop methods to selectively harvest targeted surpluses of chinook, chum and marked coho salmon for food, social and ceremonial purposes, Hatchery broodstock and potential economic opportunity fishery surpluses, while releasing non-target species such as steelhead, steelhead and cutthroat trout.

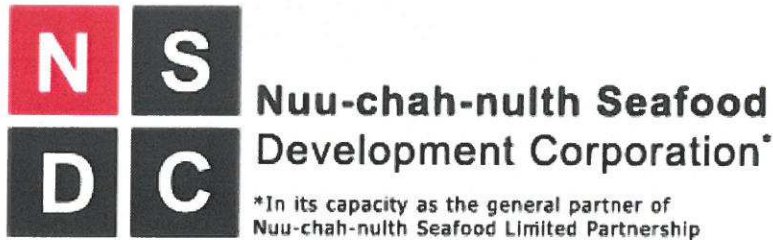
2.0 Swim Surveys

Start Date: Sept 1, 2016 – End Date: November 30th, 2016

Swim surveys will be conducted in collaboration with DFO's existing swim survey program for the Nitinat Lake tributaries (for example Nitinat, Caycuse, Hobiton and Doobah rivers). All adult salmonid species will be enumerated on weekly basis river conditions permitting.

3.0 Test-Fishing

All fish caught while fishing under this license will be landed at designated landing sites in Nitinat Lake. The designated landing sites will be the Ditidaht Community dock at Malachan or the boat launch at Gus Bay.



Store Supervisor:

St Jeans Cannery & Smokehouse - **Port Alberni, BC**
St. Jean's is looking for a candidate to take on a supervisory role in our Port Alberni depot/store. This position will complement the team and have overall responsibility for the store during scheduled times. Candidates should have experience in retail and supervisory experience preferred. Knowledge of fish species helpful, but not critical. Special consideration to candidates who have proven to be exceptional at customer service. This is a year-round position. Compensation and hours TBD. Job Type: Full-time

Resumes may be sent to lance@stjeans.com or steve@stjeans.com

*****Please forward to your members and let them know that applicants should identify themselves as a member of one of the Cannery Nations in their cover letter. I would be happy to talk to any of your members about this position****
Kathy

- Ditidaht First Nation (DFN)
- Huu-ay-aht First Nations (HFN)
- Ka:'yu:'k't'h'/Che:k'tles7et'h' First Nations (KCFN)
- Mowachaht/Muchalaht First Nation (MMFN)
- Uchucklesaht Tribe (UT)
- Yuułu?if?ath First Nation (YF)



Nuu-chah-nulth Tribal Council
7th Annual Golf Tournament Fundraiser
“Swing Fore Tlu-piich Games”



This year marks the 7th Annual Golf Tournament for the Nuu-chah-nulth's Tlu-piich (Summer) Games and our goal is to raise even more so that we can bring families together for fun and competitive activities while celebrating our life, heritage and culture.

We invite you to participate in this year's event as a player, dinner guest, and/or hole sponsor.

- DATE:** Thursday July 21, 2016
TIME: Registration at 12:00 PM. Shot gun Start at 1:00 PM. Dinner will be served at 6:30 PM.
PLACE: Alberni Golf Club
6449 Cherry Creek Road, Port Alberni
- ENTRY FEE:** \$600.00 per team of 4 players or \$150.00 per person (includes: 18 holes of golf, power cart, a chance to WIN \$10,000 Hole-in-one, buffet dinner, great prizes, silent and live action)
Payment due July 15, 2016 (Entries limited to 125 golfers)
- Format:** Tournament will be played in a Scramble format, best ball with 4 person teams. If you do not enter a team list, you will be placed with others.

Prizes for long drive men and women, KP's men and women
Silent and Live Auction

IMPORTANT Please Note: Power carts will be available to those teams who register by the registration deadline of Friday July 15 2016. After the deadline, power carts will be available by first come, first served basis.

Registration Deadline: Friday July 15, 2016 (to guarantee golf cart)

If you require further information, please contact:

Ken Watts, Vice President NTC or Richard Samuel, Tlu-piich Games Coordinator
at 250-724-5757 or 1-877-677-1131



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**Probyn Log Ltd.
2015 Gold Sponsors**



**Scotiabank 2015 Platinum
Sponsors**



**New Relationship Trust 2015
Bronze Sponsors**

REGISTRATION FORM

\$600/team (4 players) or \$150/person
\$40/person (dinner only)
Or become a Gold or Platinum Sponsor of the games and your team registration fees are waived. Contact Ken Watts or Richard Samuel for more details.

Please make cheques payable to: **Nuuchahnulth Tribal Council
PO Box 1383 (5001 Mission Road)
Port Alberni, BC V9Y 7M2**



TEAM REGISTRATION @ \$600/team (4 players) or \$150 per person

First and Last Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Organization (if applicable): _____

Players

Player 1: _____

Player 2: _____

Player 3: _____

Player 4: _____

**Email or Fax this form to Richard Samuel, Tlu-piich Games Coordinator
tlu-piich.games@nuuchahnulth.org or 250-723-0463**



June 22, 2016

DFN Treaty Community Gathering July 25th to 28th at Nitinaht
Lake.

The Treaty Governance and Communication Core Group Committee is asking for the community's help with the billeting/providing yard space for camping and washroom use for our membership/relatives from Port Alberni, Nanaimo and Duncan/Lake Cowichan areas that will be attending the Community Gathering on July 25th to 28th.

At this time, we have 16 Ditidaht members from Port Alberni and Nanaimo that have confirmed their attendance for this event.

There will be a 48 passenger bus provided to our members in Port Alberni, Nanaimo, Duncan that require it.

Please contact Kimberly Nookemus' at the DFN Administration or Tina Joseph at Community Services office; if you are able to provide billeting and/or yard space for our away from home members that will attending this event.

Thank you very much.

Nuu-chah-nulth Tribal Council



Apply by 4:00 pm, July 7, 2016 by sending your cover letter and resume to: Human Resource Manager, by: apply@nuuchahnulth.org or mail to: P.O. Box 1383, Port Alberni, BC V9Y 7M2 Fax: (250) 724-1907 or email:

- Understanding and knowledge of Aboriginal peoples' culture and values would be an asset;
- Understanding and knowledge of the Tlu-piich Games would be an asset;
- Must be able to communicate effectively, verbally and in writing;
- Must be highly motivated, flexible, patient, understanding and personable;
- Must be able and willing to work in a team setting;
- Possession of a Novice driver's license or class 5 and reliable transportation;
- Must be willing to work shift, weekends and long hours;
- Must be physical fit as the job will require heavy lifting;
- Must be of Aboriginal Descent and in full time school for 2015/2016, going back to full time School for 2016/2017.

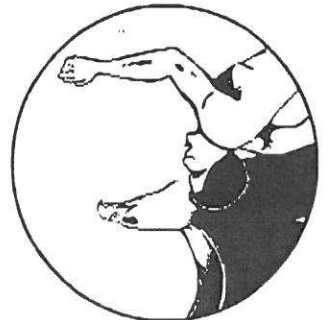
Preferred Qualifications:

- a) Assist the Games Coordinator where needed
- b) Provide overall support to the games staff with office procedures
- c) Record minutes of all committee and related meetings
- d) Assist the Games Coordinator in fundraising efforts
- e) Ensure adequate inventory of games files, sporting equipment, trophies and various other items
- f) Coordinate set-up and take-down of all events
- g) Assign and supervise Vendor Booths for Games
- h) And perform other related duties as required

Responsibilities and duties:

This special employment project will integrate into Tlu-piich Games with specific responsibilities and duties.

Term Position (Summer): Tlu-piich Games Assistant
Available for: Secondary and Post-Secondary Students
Start Date: As soon as possible
End Date: August 19, 2016 (with possible extension)



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- Understanding and knowledge of the Tu-piich Games would be an asset;
- Understanding of Nuu-chah-nulth culture and language would be an asset;
- Must be able to communicate effectively, verbally and in writing;
- Must be highly motivated, flexible, patient, understanding and personable;
- Must be able and willing to work in a team setting;
- Possession of a Novice driver's license of class 5 and reliable transportation would be an asset;
- Must be willing to work shift, weekends and long hours;
- Must be physical fit as the job will require heavy lifting;
- Preference will be given to an aboriginal person who has an understanding and knowledge of Nuu-chah-nulth culture, practices and values;
- Must have office and computer skills and have a willingness to learn to skills.

Preferred Qualifications for both Positions:

- Coordinate all aspects of Volunteers prior, during and after the games
- Assist in the development of a volunteer recruitment plan
- Promote the games at various event and through social media to attract volunteers
- Increase awareness and involvement of volunteers
- Developing a database of past-volunteers
- Assist in the overall events of the games

Volunteer Coordinator Responsibilities and duties:

This special employment project will integrate into Tu-piich Games with specific responsibilities and duties:



Term Position (Special Projects): Volunteer Coordinator Trainee

Available for: Any person of Aboriginal Descent who is looking to increase their coordination and office skills

Start Date: ASAP

End Date: August 19, 2016 (with possible extension)