



HUU-AY-AHT FIRST NATIONS

Offices Closed

Monday, September 30, 2024

For National Day of
Truth and
Reconciliation



We will reopen
Tuesday, October 1, 2024,
at 8:30 A.M.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

*Based on Anacila Citizen
data base list

Danae Bird
September 27

Issiah Dennis
September 21

Amber-Lily Nookemus
September 21

Justine Mack
September 25

Zaiden Gates
September 26

Brian Peters
September 29



National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Event

Monday, September 30, 2024

Start at 11:30 A.M. at the
House of Huu-ay-aht, lunch
will be provided

Everyone is welcome



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NEED A RIDE?

SHUTTLE SERVICE TO BAMFIELD

- Grocery Runs
- Lady Rose Drop off
& Pick up
- Outpost Drop off

**EVERY THURSDAY
11:30 A.M. - 1 P.M.**

Call the Anacla Government Office at
250-728-3414, or email Vikky at
victoria_n@huuayaht.org, or connect on
Facebook Message at Vikky HFN
Outreachworker

HUU-AY-AHT YOUTH GATHERING

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2024 | 9 A.M. - LATE

THE BARCLAY HOTEL, 4277 STAMP AVE, PORT ALBERNI, BC

**Deadline to
register:
October 4, 2024**

SCAN ME



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Halloween Dance
Visioning Workshop
Cultural Craft-Making
Learn Family Ties
Wellness Booths

Empowerment
Hear from Executive Council

Grand Prizes
Traditional Song & Dance
Cultural History
Storytelling

360 Photobooth
Wellness Circles
Elder Teachings
Food & Snacks



Contact: Kae-lynn Johnson
Kae-lynn.j@huuayaht.org
250-723-0100

Framework Plan Engagement Sessions

There are 3 ways to participate:



Port Alberni Open House

Sunday, September 22nd

12:00 - 2:00pm

Best Western Barclay Hotel, the Barclay Ballroom

4277 Stamp Ave, Port Alberni, BC

Lunch provided. Door Prizes!



Anacla Open House

Tuesday, September 24th

5:00 – 7:00pm

House of Huu-ay-aht, Anacla, BC

Dinner provided. Door Prizes!



Virtual Open House

Tuesday, October 1st

6:00 - 7:30pm (PST)

Meeting Link: <https://bit.ly/4dUW50X>

Please visit the website to confirm your attendance: huyuayht.org/huu-ay-aht-framework-plan

Scan QR Code
to
register!



Huu-ay-aht Schedule

September 2024

Sat., Sept. 21	Huu-ay-aht Youth Gathering	9:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.	Victoria Marriott Hotel Inner Harbour
Mon., Sept. 23	Bike Rodeo & Obstacle Course with RCMP	10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.	Soaring Eagle
Mon., Sept. 23 & Thurs., Sept. 26	Anacla Community Kitchen Workshop	4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.	House of Huu-ay-aht Anacla
Mon., Sept. 30	Truth & Reconciliation Event	11 A.M. - 2 P.M.	House of Huu-ay-aht Anacla
Wed., Oct. 2	Anacla Community Kitchen Workshop	4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.	House of Huu-ay-aht Anacla



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CATERING BIDS WANTED

FOR

Date	Type	Location	Size	Submit by	Submit to
Mon., Oct 7	12 P.M. Lunch	House of Huu-ay-aht	TBD	Wed., October 2 at 12 P.M.	kimmie.m@huuayaht.org
Sat., Nov 16	Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner	Alberni Athletic Hall	200-300 People	Wed., November 6, at 12 P.M.	kimmie.m@huuayaht.org
Sat., Dec 14	Dinner	Italian Hall	100-200 People	Sun., December 1 at 12 P.M.	kimmie.m@huuayaht.org

When submitting a bid, please include a detailed menu, bid, and FOODSAFE certificate.

For questions, please contact Kimmie at kimmie.m@huuayaht.org or 250-720-6728.

NTC Health Department in Anacla



SEPTEMBER



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Wednesday

September 25

- Community Health Nurse
- Homecare
- Quu?asa
- Coordinator

Thursday

September 26

- Child & Youth Mental Health Counsellor
- Early Years Outreach Worker
- Clinical Council

Monday

September 30

- Truth & Reconciliation Day
- NTC Offices Closed

**SEPT.
25**

Orange rock painting pop up with Irene Robinson

Orange rock painting pop up outside of the Fitness Centre from 11:30 A.M. - 2 P.M.

**SEPT.
26**

Meet and greet with Irene Cordero

Come and meet the new NTC Clinical Crisis Counsellor at the Soaring Eagle from 11:30 A.M. - 2 P.M.

Contact

If you have any questions regarding a service, please contact Kimberly Nookemus at 250-728-3414 or kimberly.n@huuayaht.org or Kristen Young at 250-728-3414 or kristen.y@huuayaht.org

2024 PEOPLE'S ASSEMBLY

1. **Registration** is now open! Deadline to Register is Friday, November 1.

Early bird registration deadline: Monday, September 30, 2024

\$100 cash (winner must be in attendance the entire assembly and collect at end of day)

2. There are two ways to receive your **materials**, mailing address or email, please complete the survey and let us know.

3. **Citizen Motions** are due Friday, October 4. Please contact Acting Huu-ay-aht Law Clerk, Alexis Young at lawclerk@huuayaht.org or call 250-723-0100.

All citizens 18 years and older **must** complete the registration and Surveys.

Registration and surveys can be found on our website at www.huuayaht.org/2024-annual-peoples-assembly/

If you need assistance completing the registration or surveys please call the office at 250-723-0100 and we will support you over the phone

2024 Annual People's Assembly

Saturday, November 16 | 10 a.m. | Port Alberni Athletic Hall (3727 Roger St.)

More details
to come

SAVE THE DATE HOLIDAY DINNER GATHERING

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2024

THE ITALIAN HALL
(4065 6TH AVE, PORT ALBERNI)

ANACLA COMMUNITY KITCHEN

Please join us to gain experience in meal planning, cooking, and sharing.

Learn about affordable, nutritional, and traditional meals and recipes. Build on your skills and learn how to cater large events.



HOUSE OF HUU-AY-AHT

SEPTEMBER

23 & 26

OCTOBER

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4 - 6 P.M.

To sign up, please contact:

Kristen Young

kristen.y@huuayaht.org

250-728-3414

Income Assistance Notice

Community members who need to apply for Income Assistance or renew as a client of the program have the following responsibilities (Section 1.3 of Income Assistance Policy)

- To conduct themselves in a prompt, courteous and respectful manner.
 - To actively seek work and attend programs, training and sessions as directed.
 - If employable, to actively seek work. Clients must be available for any job they are capable of.
 - To have or promptly apply for a social insurance number and to provide the appropriate identification for themselves and other family members as required.
 - To provide all necessary information to the Social Development Worker and sign the application form.
 - To pursue any other income that they may be entitled to, for example, employment insurance benefits, workers compensation, family maintenance, or spousal support.
 - To first use any assets and income before seeking assistance from the Income Assistance Program.
 - To take personal responsibility for becoming self-supporting.
 - To be involved in the process of establishing eligibility for their benefits.
 - To provide documentation to support their application when requested. All documentation is subject to verification. Clients providing false information will be subject to criminal charges.
- Clients who meet any of the following criteria are not eligible for IA benefits: (Section 2.2 of Income Assistance Policy)

Healthy, employable, able-bodied persons between 19 and 55 years, who do not seek employment or accept available suitable employment, education, or training.

- a. Persons who quit work, except with just cause.
- b. People who are terminated from their job because they did not comply with reasonable job requirements (for example, by not showing up for work).
- c. People who do not apply for Employment Insurance (EI) benefits, or who are disqualified from EI benefits because they failed to comply with program requirements.
- d. A person who receives an unforeseen fortune or substantial monetary gain.
- e. People who do not submit Monthly Renewal Forms as required.
- f. Persons with monthly income or assets more than the allowable maximum (see 2.5, Income and Exemptions).

2024 payment schedule

~~January 17, 2024 (for February 2024)~~
~~February 14, 2024 (for March 2024)~~
~~March 20, 2024 (for April 2024)~~
~~April 17, 2024 (for May 2024)~~
~~May 15, 2024 (for June 2024)~~
~~June 19, 2024 (for July 2024)~~

~~July 17, 2024 (for August 2024)~~
~~August 21, 2024 (for September 2024)~~
~~September 18, 2024 (for October 2024)~~
~~October 23, 2024 (for November 2024)~~
~~November 20, 2024 (for December 2024)~~
~~December 18, 2024 (for January 2025)~~

**Huu-ay-aht First Nations
now has a Citizen and
Employee Social Media
Policy. View the
document on our website.**



HUU-AY-AHT CULTURE NIGHTS

PORT ALBERNI
3747 CHURCH ST.
2:30 - 5 P.M.

Sunday, September 22
Sunday, October 6
Sunday, October 20

ANACLA
HOUSE OF HUU-AY-AHT
2:30 - 5 P.M.

Sunday, September 29
Sunday, October 13
Sunday, October 27

Please note that transportation to and from Port Alberni or Anacla for non-residents of the area will be offered to those who want to attend more culture nights. Due to limited spaces, you must confirm your seat with Mel at 250-723-0100 or mel.e@huuayaht.org



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Patient Travel



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Due to some changes in the eligibility for accessing Medical Patient Travel
We will require the following documentation upon a Patient Travel request.

For regular appointments to the nearest provider
(3-5 days to process)

Check list:

- Confirmation of appointment
- Confirmation of travel arrangements
- Confirmation of attendance, once visit is complete

Transportation

- Standard mode of transportation is by private vehicle and mileage rates
- Francis Barclay is not an approved mode of transportation, if it is the only way to and from Medical appointments, will then need to do as a Benefit Exception to FNHA for approval (5-7 days to process)
- Taxi Service will need to be submitted as a Benefit Exception to FNHA for approval (5-7 days to process)

For Specialists or Service Providers outside of the
nearest provider (5-7 days to process)

Check list

- Confirmation of appointment
- Referral to the Specialist from your General Practitioner, Dentist or Optometrist
- If not nearest provider please note that we will be submitting to FNHA for approval though the Benefit Exception process (5-7 day process)
- Confirmation of travel arrangements
- Confirmation of attendance , once visit is complete.

Dental

- Dentist appointments are considered a day trip, please book appointments to allow time to get to and from in one day.
- If referred to a Oral Specialist you will need to send appointment confirmation and referral so we can do a Benefit Exception to FNHA for approval

Please contact Kimberly Nookemus at 250-728-3414 or kimberly.n@huuayaht.org



MAINTENANCE & ASSET TECHNICIAN

- Full-time
- Location: Anacla Government Office (Bamfield)
- Salary Range: \$43,000 - \$53,000



WHAT YOU WILL DO:

The Maintenance and Asset Technician is responsible for the work delegated from the Maintenance and Asset Manager in the maintenance and repair of government infrastructure as well as physical assets, i.e., buildings, roads, grounds, and equipment. The Technician is also responsible for maintaining or coordinating the maintenance of structural, plumbing, mechanical, and any other related systems which are a part of government infrastructure.

**SEND YOUR COVER
LETTER AND RESUME TO:**

hr@huuayaht.org

CONTACT

250-728-3414

DEADLINE: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2024 AT 4 P.M.



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*To make a Child
Protection Report:
1 (800) 663-9122*

*If the Child or Youth
is in Immediate
Danger: 9-1-1*

*If You are a Child
or Youth and
Would Like to Talk
to Someone:
310-1234*

**TO MAKE A CHILD
PROTECTION REPORT:**

1 (800) 663-9122

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/public-safety-and-emergency-services/public-safety/protecting-children/childabusepreventionhandbook_serviceprovider.pdf

CMC LBEC



Duty to Report

**REPORTING CONCERNS ABOUT
CHILDREN AND YOUTH**



Protecting Children and Youth Is Everyone's Responsibility



WHO SHOULD REPORT?

In BC anyone who has reason to believe that a child or youth under 19 has been or is likely to be abused or neglected and that the parent is unwilling or unable to protect the child or youth, **must** report the suspected abuse or neglect to the Ministry of Children and Family Development.

Everyone in the community should be alert to signs of abuse or neglect in children and youth. Their safety, welfare and well-being are a community responsibility.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/public-safety-and-emergency-services/public-safety/protecting-children/childabusepreventionhandbook_serviceprovider.pdf

WHEN MUST A REPORT BE MADE

A report to the Ministry of Children and Family Development **must** be made when you have reason to believe that a child or youth:

- » Has been, or is likely to be, physically harmed, sexually abused or sexually exploited by a parent or another person and the parent is unwilling or unable to protect the child or youth;
- » Has been or is likely to be physically harmed because of neglect by the child or youth's parent;
- » Is emotionally harmed by the parent's conduct;
- » Is or has been absent from home in circumstances that endanger the child or youth's safety or well-being;
- » Has been abandoned and adequate provisions have not been made for the child or youth's care;
- » Is living in a situation where there is domestic violence by or towards a person with whom the child or youth resides;
- » Is likely to have seriously impaired development by a treatable condition and the child or youth's parent refuses to provide consent to treatment;
- » Has a parent that is unable or unwilling to care for the child or youth and has not made adequate provisions for the child or youth's care; or
- » Has a parent that is no longer alive and adequate provisions have not been made for the child or youth's care.

WHAT DOES "REASON TO BELIEVE" MEAN?

"Reason to believe" simply means that, based on what you have seen or information you have received, you believe a child or youth has been or is likely to be at risk. You do not need to be certain. It is the child protection worker's job to determine whether abuse or neglect has occurred or is likely to occur.

FAILURE TO REPORT

Failing to promptly report suspected abuse or neglect to the Ministry of Children and Family Development is a serious offence under the Child, Family and Community Service Act and carries a maximum penalty of a \$10,000 fine, six months in jail, or both.

No action for damages may be brought against you for reporting information under the Child, Family and Community Service Act unless you knowingly report false information, or the report was not made in good faith.



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