



DAWHUT'EN? WHAT'S HAPPENING? SD57 INDIGENOUS EDUCATION

KHUI - WINTER

Khui'uhoot'oh – It is Winter

Social Work Share-Out

Learning comes in multiple forms with success spanning along the vast continuum. One such program takes place in partnership with the Humane Society. Here elementary school students are able to build empathy, skills, practice reading and find moments of calm enjoyment as they read books and help care for kittens – we can say with certainty the absolute joy and learning and confidence building is amazing to witness.

Job Well Done



Pictured above is Grant West, Nusdeh Yoh IEW, and Robert Gagnon, Lheidli T'enneh Council Member and Corrections Officer. Presenting knowledge and stories for youth of Nusdeh Yoh regarding Indigenous Veterans Day. Great job for organizing this beautiful honouring ceremony.

Hard at Work



Hard at work is Trish Holland, DPSS IEW. Trish took a group of Indigenous students out to the trapline to ensure that our students have the opportunity to learn on the land and from the land. There are many different ways to incorporate authentic indigenous land based learning into your teachings. Great job to the DPSS team for continuously providing opportunities for this type of learning to our students.

Vice Principals Message



FOUND!!!
After a long hiatus and a couple moonlighting opportunities. Jen Pighin has officially returned to the Indigenous Education Department. Welcome back stranger!

Every union is looking for employees and we are so grateful for the dedicated staff we have. We know and hear about the great work IEW's do every day for our kiddos and families. You are integral to the school and district climate and culture.

IEW Supervisors

Khui –Winter season
Start to prepare for coming months. Submit early for Christmas Hampers. Prepare yourself and students for Winter Break. Stay warm and stay safe!

Business Corner

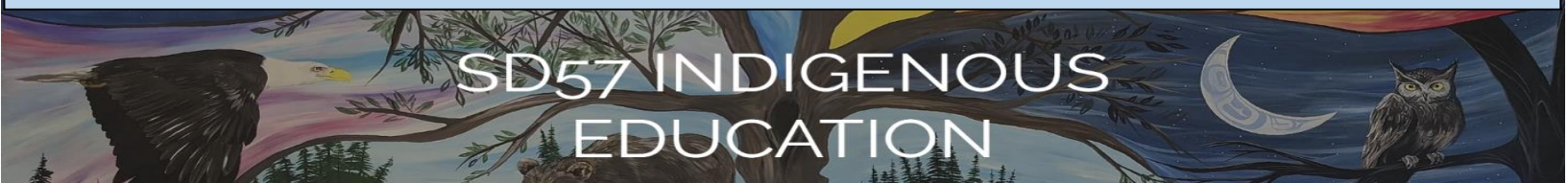
Be prepared to receive a planning invite for the Youth Conference. Bring your ideas and leadership students. We can't wait to hear your ideas!
Happy Winter Break!

IMPORTANT DATES

Dec 21st Winter Solstice

Dec 18th – Jan 1st Winter Break

Lheidli T'enneh ink'ez McLeod Lake Indian Band hubeh keyoh whuts'odelhti. Nts'ezla hubeh yun ts'uwhut'i, ts'uzt'en ink'ez ts'unuwuhlyeh. We respectfully acknowledge the unceded ancestral lands of the Lheidli T'enneh and McLeod Lake Indian Band on whose land we live, work and play.



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Wisdom – With hard work and dedication will come knowledge.
-Seven sacred teachings

Just another Bannock Monday

Coming to our Indigenous Education Department on Mondays.

The Bannock Man offering lots of delicious options, below are some items Wayne presented to us today. Quantities available while they last.



- Breakfast Sausage 1 for \$3.00 or 2 for \$5.00
- Jalapeno smoky \$8.00
- Cherry turnovers \$5.00
- Beef dog \$5.00
- Ham & cheese \$4.00
- Fruit:raisin,cranberry,or blueberry \$3.00
- Occasionally: Trail burgers
Beef; pork \$8.00

The Bannock Man



Wayne Joseph
250-617-8740

LET'S CONNECT!



Do you want to awaken your creative side? Do you want to develop new beading techniques? Do you do want your beadwork to be deadleh? Do you want to hang out with some awesome people? Have you answered yes to any of the above?

Then join Laurie Todd and Louise Creyke on Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30pm @ the Department (102-155 McDermid Drive) to **BEAD!** If you can bring your own beads as there will be a limited amount supplied.

*Not for qualification hours just to learn new skills and connect

Have a good news story you'd like to share? How about some traditional knowledge you'd like to bestow on us? Feel free to email your submissions to Dorthy Stewart: dstewart@sd57.bc.ca

Deadly Opportunities



Free Winter Outdoor Learning Virtual Workshops

You can now [sign-up](#) for our [FREE 60-min Winter Virtual Workshops!](#)

1. **Jan 16:** Managing Eco-Anxiety through Outdoor Learning
2. **Jan 23:** Outdoor Learning Astronomy
3. **Feb 6:** Indigenous Resources for Outdoor Learning
4. **Feb 13:** Apprentissage de l'astronomie en plein air
5. **Feb 20:** Stories in the Wild: Animal Tracks & Traces
6. **Feb 27:** Enhancing Climate Education through Active Learning

As always:

- Workshops are 60 mins on Tuesdays at 4pm Pacific / 7pm Eastern
- These will each be recorded and the recording will be shared with all registrants
- Registrants will receive a discount code to access outdoor learning resources
- Registration is FREE and there will be draw prizes for attendees!
- Following the workshop, participants can access a Certificate of Attendance



Wetsuwet'en & Gitxsan CHRISTMAS FEAST

Saturday Dec 9th

Doors open at 3:30pm, Feast starts at 4pm
At the PG Roll-A-Dome, 2588 Recplace Dr.
Open to all Wetsuwet'en & Gitxsan in the Lheidli T'enneh Territory

Contact Ada Madam 250-552-1304 or adamadam@wetsuweten.com

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