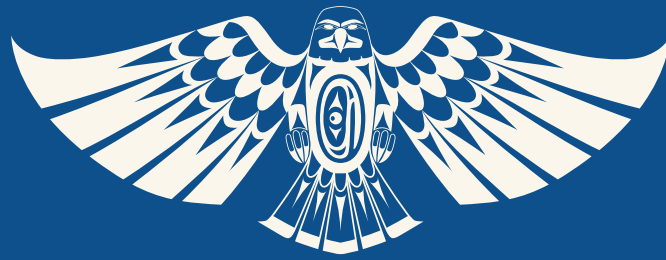


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COMMUNITY NOTICE

Friday, November 21st 2025



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scəwáθən tʰelə Drum Group

Drum Group is held every **Wednesday** for TFN Members and their families.

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“Respected Elders Centre”

Dinner & Babysitting provided

 4:30pm - 6:30pm

 1871 Tsaawwassen Dr.

Terri Splockton, tsplockton@tsawwassenfirstnation.com
Cultural Coordinator



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UPCOMING GROUP

Circle of Matriarchs

Restarting October 17

For more information, please call Maura at 604-374-4344

🕒 1:00PM – 3:00PM

📍 Former Elders Centre



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First Nations Health Authority



Family & Health Services







Government and Legislative Services

Engagement Dates


November 25th

 On Lands at the Rec Centre

 5:00-7:30 pm

Includes dinner, information tables, and door prizes (same format as the one in May)

November 28th

 Vernon at Best Western Rt 97
(Same hotel as May)

Includes holiday dinner, presentations and door prizes!

December 11th

 Bellingham at Silver Reef (same hotel as May)

Includes holiday dinner, presentations and door prizes!

Virtual engagement session will be combined with Bellingham session, Members who cannot attend in person will be able to join the Bellingham meeting remotely





Elders - Technology Mentors

HELP ELDERS IN
YOUR COMMUNITY

Become a Technology Mentor



ATTENTION On Lands Youth from 16-25:
Tsawwassen First Nation is seeking technology-savvy and passionate volunteers to help older adults navigate the digital world.



Connected Canadians

SIGN UP INFORMATION

✉ cramsey@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

☎ 604-735-7940

Training Dates:

- Connected Canadians Mentor Training Certification Process: [TBD] via Zoom

Deadline to apply: TBD

We value your time! An honorarium will be offered for your participation.

REQUEST FREE TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT

<https://www.connectedcanadians.ca/one-on-ones>

As a new technology mentor trainee, you will be given the opportunity to share your basic technology skills and knowledge with Elders in Tsawwassen First Nation community. You'll receive training from Connected Canadians on how to best offer technology support virtually or in person, with a focus on communication, effective tools for digital mentorship, security, and much more. Whether it's guiding them through computer basics, teaching them how to use smartphones, or helping them navigate their tablet, you can help them to gain confidence in today's technology-driven world.

Once trained, you'll be matched with community members who would benefit from your help. It's also a chance to build meaningful relationships and learn from each other.

Basic knowledge of Zoom is recommended.

Funded by the
Government of Canada's
New Horizons for Seniors Program





Elders – Christmas Craft Fair

Christmas Craft Fair

TFN's Annual Christmas Craft fair will be held at the Respected Elders Centre, all proceeds from the table rental fees and concession sales will go towards the 2026 Elders Retreat.

Come out to support our TFN Elders Program and all of our amazing vendors this year!

Saturday, November 22, 2025

 10:00AM — 3:00PM

 1871 Tsawwassen Drive



Registration Information


Please scan the QR code for further details and to fill out the application form for a table rental. Hard copy forms are available at the TFN Administration Office or at the Elders Centre.



Contact

Dawn Williams
Elders Administration & Program Facilitator

 dwilliams@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

 604-789-9627



10th Annual Christmas Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser

Sunday, December 21, 2025 from 9am to 11am
Tsawwassen First Nation Recreation Centre
1929 Tsawwassen Drive

Please help us in raising funds for Delta Hospital. The services and support from Delta Hospital continues to provide for family and friends in our community.

In appreciation, all profits will be donated to Delta Hospital and Community Health Foundation in memory of

Douglas Bruce McGarvie

Bake Sale	Bannock Mix	Cookie Mix
Homemade Jam	Hot Chocolate Mix	Scone Mix
Raffle Tickets	Cookie Decorating	50/50 Tickets

For more information, to buy 50/50 and raffle tickets or to donate an item for the raffle, please contact:

Dawn Williams 604-889-4513 dawnw17@telus.net



Delta Hospital
+ Community Health
FOUNDATION



Lands – Aging at Home Policy

Elder Home Repairs

TFN Lands is pleased to announce a new home repairs program for TFN Elders living in the TFN Community Area.

TFN Elders are eligible for a maximum of **\$8,000** (CAD) every two (2) years to pay for Minor Household Repairs.

This grant supports household modifications and repairs to Elders in a way that honours Elders and improves their quality of life.

APPLY NOW

To apply for this grant or/and learn more about this program, please contact our housing department

 housing@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

Please note: the program is for On-Lands Elders only.





ECDEV – Temporary Storage

TFN TEMPORARY BUSINESS STORAGE AND MEMBER PARKING



As Tsawwassen Lands continue to develop and more Members choose to return and live on our lands, the demand for storage solutions has significantly increased. To meet this need, we are offering temporary business storage and vehicle parking spaces on TFN's Industrial Lands.

This initiative is a steppingstone towards establishing a permanent storage solution within our industrial lands. Your participation and feedback will be instrumental in shaping the future of this program, ensuring it best serves the needs of our community.

Interest List TFN will compile a list of interested members.

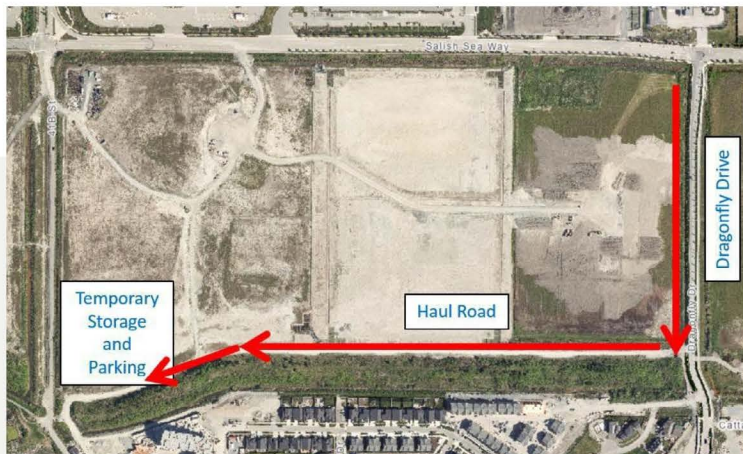
Lease Agreement Members will need to enter into a lease agreement with TFN Economic Development

Monthly Rate \$25 per parking stall or equivalent

Accessibility The site is conveniently accessible via TFN's haul road during business hours

Responsibility Members are expected to maintain the site responsibly, ensuring no environmental harm. As such, we cannot accommodate aggregates, soils, or hazardous materials on site.

Compliance All activities must adhere to TFN laws and regulations, including the TFN Good Neighbour Regulation.



Interested?

GET IN TOUCH WITH US

businessservices@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

Terry Baird: 604-999-7740

We will be assessing the level of interest in the coming weeks to allocate spaces effectively.





ECDEV – Indigenous Entrepreneurship

INDIGENOUS ENTREPRENEURSHIP COURSE



Starts February 7th, 2026

**Are you ready to bring
your business ideas to life?**

Join a dynamic program delivered in partnership with KPU. Tailored for aspiring Indigenous entrepreneurs, you'll gain insights into innovation and marketing, develop a business plan, and learn from industry experts to turn your vision into a thriving venture.

Contact

Elizabeth Cullimore
Economic Development

 ecullimore@tsawwassenfirstnation.com
 604-219-3683



Schedule

This course will run from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm on Saturdays, starting February 7th.

Perks

Each participant gets a stipend, childcare, supplies, and meals covered.





Lands and Municipal Services

RFQ for Street Sweeping Services

Submission Deadline is Friday November 21 at 2:30pm

Contact Matt Dudley Supervisor of Public Works if interested:
mdudley@tsawwassenfirstnation.com





Emergency Management



PUT YOUR HEALTH FIRST THIS WINTER

Stay healthy, avoid getting sick or injured and know where to find care when you need it.

There are simple ways to take care of your body and make smart choices.



Prevent slips and falls



Vaccinate and protect



Stay active and play safe



Practise good respiratory hygiene

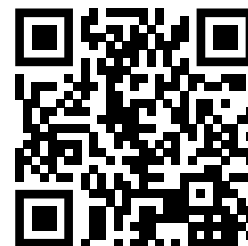


Ensure winter road safety



Know your care options

Scan to learn more or visit vch.ca/WinterCare



Your well-being is important.

Taking care of yourself is the best way to stay healthy.



EMPLOYMENT & SKILLS
DEVELOPMENT


KPU ENGLISH UPGRADING CLASSES



CLASS DETAILS

 Every Tuesday and Thursday

 First Class Sept 16

 11 AM – 2 PM


 Old Elders Centre


 Lunch Included!

MORE INFORMATION

For more information, contact Aneet Toor

Aneet Toor

 atoor@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

 (604) 735 - 8250



Ladner Elementary PAC Fundraiser

Holiday Fundraiser

With the holiday season approaching, Ladner Elementary PAC has launched a fantastic fundraiser.

Here's how it works:

Order gift cards online through the PAC's fundraising link, and they'll be shipped to the school for easy pickup. If you're nearby, a PAC member living in the Boardwalk community can even drop them off at your office.

Why join in?

- Gift cards for all your everyday needs: groceries, gas, clothing, toys, and more.
- Perfect for holiday shopping or gifting.
- Every purchase supports Ladner Elementary students.

Payment options:

For the biggest impact, please pay by e-transfer or online bill payment. Credit cards are accepted, but they reduce earnings by 2.5% due to fees.

Ready to support?

Click the link below, sign up, and start adding to your cart:



Or visit **"Support a Group"** and use code **7WFG5**.

Thank you for helping Ladner Elementary PAC make this holiday season brighter for their students.





Recreation



TFN Bowling Outing

TFN invites all members to a community bowling night—a great chance to connect with family, friends, and neighbors!



Wednesday, November 26



5:30 PM – 7:00 PM



Splitsville Richmond

Who Can Join:

All TFN members 16+

Youth 15 and under (must be accompanied by a parent or guardian)

Rides can be provided if needed, but we cannot accommodate passengers requiring car seats.

Register Now

Spots are limited!



cramsey@tsawwassenfirstnation.com



604-735-7940





Culture and Craft Night

Get ready for an evening of fun, culture, and creativity! Lets come together to celebrate our heritage through crafts and cultural activities. It's a fantastic opportunity to connect, share stories, and create lasting memories with our community.

ALL TFN MEMBERS AND FAMILIES ARE WELCOMED

Every other Monday we will have a craft for everyone to participate in. You are also encouraged to bring your own projects. We'll have additional art supplies available.

What we provide:
-Dinner -Art supplies
-Transportation -Baby sitting
(Drop kids off at Youth center)
If you would like transportation please contact the email provided below.

Monday, Nov 24th

🕒 4:30pm- 6:30pm

📍 4949 Canoe Pass Way #1008
TFN Culture Hub



Questions or concerns please contact
Violet Splockton
Email: Vsplockton@tsawwassenfirstnation.com



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Department



Youth – After School Care



November 2025 After School Care



Aboriginal Veterans Day
Remembering
those who served.
Sat. November 8th

Monday-Friday 3-5

Pro-D-Day 8:30-5pm

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
3 Culture & Drumming 	4 Free Gym Play 	5 Musical Theatre 	6 Baking with Sophia 	7 Gymnastics
10 Culture & Drumming 	11 Remembrance Day Closed 	12 Musical Theatre 	13 Baking with Sophia 	14 Gymnastics
17 Culture & Drumming 	18 Free Gym Play 	19 Musical Theatre 	20 Baking with Sophia 	21 Gymnastics
24 Pro-D-Day Grouse - Peak Of Christmas 	25 Free Gym Play Fire Drill 	26 Musical Theatre 	27 Baking with Sophia 	28 Gymnastics

Questions Contact Connie 604-785-9981 or cadams@tsawwassenfirstnation.com





Last Year's Example

Calling TFN Artists: Orange Shirt Day Design Collaboration

DETAILS

Naut'sa mawt Tribal Council is inviting TFN artists to take part in an exciting collaboration for next year's Orange Shirt Day design. The selected artwork will be featured on shirts sold coast to coast through NmTC's subsidiary, Indigenous Marketing Solutions, giving your work national visibility while supporting an important movement for truth and reconciliation.

What's involved?

- \$2,500 honorarium for the selected artist
- Artwork featured on shirts sold across Canada
- Artist will be recognized wherever the shirts are sold
- Open to new or existing artwork—it doesn't have to be a t-shirt design!
- (Last year, we digitized a carving in collaboration with Master Carver Jackson Robertson.)

Why participate?

This is a chance to share your creativity and cultural expression on a national stage while contributing to a meaningful cause.

Artist recognition:

Your name and story will be featured in product descriptions, on shirt tags, on the website, and throughout all promotions.


HOW TO APPLY

No formal RFP - we want to keep this barrier-free and focus on artists from NmTC Member Nations.

Send your artwork (or concept sketches with examples of finished work) to

 communications@nautsamawt.com

Questions? Call or Text

 (250) 619-0911





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Current Employment and Training Opportunities for TFN Members – Internal Listings

Updated November 21, 2025

If you have any questions, please contact Aneet Toor: atoor@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

TFN

Tsawwassen Community & Culture Student Researcher (Temporary - Part Time)

Posted Aug 2025 - Open until filled

TFN

Community Wellness Support Worker (Full Time)

Posted Sept 2025 – Open until filled

TFN

Policy and Intergovernmental Relations Coordinator (Full Time)

Posted Nov 2025 - Deadline: Open until filled

TFN

Manager of Policy and Intergovernmental Affairs (Full Time)

Posted Nov 2025 – Deadline: Open until filled

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Relational Maintenance Supervisor (Full Time)

Posted Oct 2025 – Open until filled





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Current Employment and Training Opportunities for TFN Members – External Listings

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Amazon -Lower Mainland

Warehouse Associate

Global Contain Terminals

Facilities Superintendent -Delta Port

Engineering Superintendent

System Administrator – Vancouver Location

BA Blacktop – November 2025

Accounts Payable Clerk- Surrey BC

Laborers & Operators- Surrey BC

Survey Coordinator – Surrey BC

UA Piping Industry College of BC

Piping Foundation Program

Welding Program

Trades Awareness Program

Pacific Gateway Construction

Traffic Technician

Civil Construction Worker

BCIB -Patullo Bridge Replacement Project

Various labor job opportunities – see flyer

TFN Construction / Matcon

Accounting / Administrative Assistant

Traffic Controller

Civil Estimator /Project

Port of Vancouver – Fraser Port Authority –

December

Various roles - see flyer

