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October 27, 2023

Katzie First Nation



Notice of Ratification Vote

****** POSTPONED ******

DATE: October 26, 2023

TO: THE MEMBERS OF KATZIE FIRST NATION (THE "FIRST NATION")

TAKE NOTICE that a Ratification Vote scheduled for November 12, 2023 (with an additional day of voting on October 29, 2023) regarding the Katzie I.R. No. 1 and I.R. No. 3 (Dykes and Roads) Specific Claim Settlement Agreement has been postponed

After hearing concerns raised by community members, and after engaging in further discussions with Canada's negotiators and Katzie legal council, Katzie Chief and Council have made the decision to postpone the Dykes and Roads Settlement vote until further notice. Katzie Chief and Council want to ensure that the legitimate concerns raised by membership regarding the adequacy of the settlement amount are addressed, and that members have a proper understanding of the settlement agreement, before a final vote is undertaken. More information will be provided to membership at a later date, as will times and dates for additional information sessions and the new voting time.

Note that any mail-in ballot packages returned to the electoral officer will be shredded by the electoral officer and any Katzie members with ballot packages may recycle their ballots and packages as they will not be valid for any future referendum on the matter.


Electoral Officer

Given under my hand at Vancouver, this
26th day of October, 2023

Ron Laufer
Mobile: 604-715-4777

P.O. Box 96125, Mountain View, Vancouver, BC V5V 0H7
Email: ronlauferelections@gmail.com



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General Band Meeting Notice and Agenda

Sunday, November 5, 2023

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

In Person at KHCC Gym 19700 Salish Road, or
Online via Zoom Meeting

- Opening Remarks (Chief Grace George)
- House Keeping/Meeting Procedures
- Adoption of May 7, 2023 Minutes/Action Item Review
- 2022/2023 Financial Audit/Financials
- Member Agenda Items
- Chief and Council Updates
- Adjournment

Zoom Meeting link will be provided closer to the GBM.

Agenda items are due no later the 12:00pm October 27th 2023. Be sure to send agenda items to meetings@katzie.ca

Please note: Chief and Council reports will be distributed prior to the GBM. In an attempt to reduce the time of our GBM's, reports will not be read out during the meeting, so please review once received.

Refreshments will be served and Prizes to be won!

Christmas Benefits 2023

Chief and Council are pleased to announce that each Registered Katzie Member will be gifted with the annual Christmas benefit.

NO SIGN UP REQUIRED

Off-reserve Members only need to email Reception if:

- ▶ **They have moved in the last year**

Everyone who received Christmas benefits last year, will automatically be on the list.

Please be advised, due to the number of payments being issued, all payments will be processed in cheque form.

We will have a COVID friendly pickup zone in November, Date to be Determined

Any local cheques not picked up will be put in the mail the following week.

To send your updated address, please email reception@katzie.ca

Mike Leon - Guardian



My name is Mike Leon, and I am a Katzie Band Member. I have spent the past 30 or more years working in Katzie Territory at some kind of capacity or another. A great deal of my experience working for Katzie has been in archeology and environmental, and I have been honored in interviewing some of our Elders of the past and present for Traditional Use Studies.

On my free time I explore Katzie territory while on adventures with my Grandchildren and partner. I am grateful to be a part of this amazing opportunity for Katzie to be initiating a Territorial Guardianship program and I look forward to seeing the positive changes this program will bring to the protection and preservation of our lands, waters and air for future generations.

Mike Leon | guardian@katzie.ca
Referrals Department

Lakshmi Aravind



Warm Greetings,
I'm Lakshmi Aravind, an enthusiastic and dedicated Executive Assistant supporting the Chief Administrative Office, the Chief, and the Council. In my new role, I am excited to support Katzie First Nation in their mission. With a strong sense of organization and an ability to solve problems, I am committed to helping and upholding Katzie First Nation values and mission. I appreciate everyone's patience and support while I settle in. Thank you and I am grateful for this opportunity.

My passion is meditation, and I train people in meditation. I also enjoy painting and traveling with my family outside of work.

Looking forward to connecting with all of you in the near future!

Lakshmi Aravind
Executive Assistant
executiveassistant@katzie.ca



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Road safety takes everyone! Focus on the road, be ready to stop for pedestrians, and reduce your speed when approaching a crosswalk or intersection. How do you make sure you're looking for pedestrians while driving? Let us know ↓

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September 29, 2023

Katzie First Nation Chief and Council
19700A Salish Rd
Pitt Meadows BC V3Y 2G1

KATZIE AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROJECT IS SET TO BEGIN!

Chief and Council are pleased and excited to announce that construction is scheduled to commence soon on our new Katzie Affordable Housing Project on IR#1.

As you may recall from previous communications shared at General Band meetings, this is an important new project that will bring significant benefits to our membership.

It will include construction of three new housing complex's:

- **Building 1:** Youth program to house 10 at risk youth with 24/7 support, Elder's Lounge and Administration office spaces.
- **Building 2:** 3 story residential building including 16 self- contained suites with 24/7 support and,
- **Building 3:** 3 story residential building, including 14 self-contained suites for individuals and families.

Housing Project construction site address locations:

- 19676, 19679 and 19696 Salish Rd. Pitt Meadows.
- Construction is scheduled to begin on **Tuesday, October 4th, 2023**, including installation of underground municipal services.

The contractor for this project is **Mierau Contractors Ltd.**, who we are working closely with to ensure that any impacts to members are kept to a minimum. A map of the construction area is attached which also identifies the construction schedule.

We, kindly ask the following of community members during construction:

- To refrain from driving and walking on Salish Rd. near construction sites and to use alternate routes for safety reasons.

Only members who reside in the direct area will be able to access Salish Rd. during construction to get to and from their homes.



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We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause anyone during this time.

If you have any questions or concerns about the project or construction, members can contact:

Vern Mierau, Site Superintendent
Mierau Contractors Ltd.
604-309-2957 or,

Katzie First Nation Affordable Housing Development Society
affordablehousing@KFNAHDS.ca

Sincerely,

Chief Grace George

Councillor Lisa Adams

Councillor Rick Bailey

Councillor David Kenworthy

cc: Stacey Goulding CAO, Karen McKay General Manager and Housing and Public Works Dept Staff.

Katzie Affordable Housing Project: Map of Construction Areas



Storage Areas

Parking Area

Building Footprint

***Maximum 10 km/h**

***Construction hours:**

7am - 5pm Monday to Friday

***Contact:**

Mierau: Vern Mierau (Site Superintendent) 604-309-2957

Katzie: affordablehousing@KFNHDS..ca



Mierau
CONTRACTORS LTD.



Indian Residential School Survivors Society

DAY SCHOLAR Settlement Application Assistance

Our Indian Day School Coordinators can assist you with:

- Indian Residential Schools DAY SCHOLARS Class Action Settlement; Deadline: January 4, 2024
- FEDERAL INDIAN DAY SCHOOL Reconsideration Letters
- First Nations DRINKING WATER Settlement

Mission Friendship Centre Society

33150 1 Ave, Mission, BC

Wednesday, November 15, 2023: 9am-3pm



Contact: Daniel Joe
Indian Day School Coordinator
B.C. Interior Region
phone: 250-540-4716
email: danieljoe@irsss.ca



Contact: Rhianon Teegee
Indian Day School Coordinator
B.C. Fraser-Salish Region
phone: 778-222-5963
email: rhianonteegee@irsss.ca



Contact: Leticia Racine
Indian Day School Coordinator
B.C. Northern Region
phone: 778-708-3358
email: leticiaracine@irsss.ca

FAMILY SUPPORT FOR DEMENTIA

All are welcome to join us for this FREE evening of education about different dementias (including Alzheimer's, Vascular, and Lewy Body) and strategies to support care partners, families, and the person living with dementia.

Refreshments provided

SPEAKERS



**Myrna
Norman**

PURPLE ANGEL
AMBASSADOR



**Karen
Tyrell**

CANADIAN
DEMENTIA
CONSULTANT



**Marissa
Stalman**

MASTER'S
STUDENT OF
GERONTOLOGY

Thursday November 2nd, 2023

7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

22768 119th Avenue Maple Ridge

Community Services

TO REGISTER EMAIL: THE.NORMANS@SHAW.CA



DEMENTIA AWARE
Purple Angel Ambassadors
TOGETHER WE ARE STRONG



community
SERVICES
Changing lives together

SD42 ABORIGINAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS FAMILY EVENT



THURSDAY NOVEMBER 2, 2023

**5 - 8pm at Westview Secondary School
20905 Wicklund Ave, MR**

**FREE
FAMILY
EVENT**



**Community Partners
Post Secondary Advisors
Light Meal provided
Cultural Activities**



Use the link or QR code to register.

<https://forms.office.com/r/kKgZQVeBqB>



All Children must be accompanied by an adult.

**Pre registration required.
Open to SD42 Aboriginal Education Families**



OCTOBER 2023

Katzie First Nation Youth Program

Mondays: Open Gym/ISPARC
 Tuesdays: 13+ Group
 Wednesdays: Homework Group
 Thursdays: Open Gym/Drumming & Singing
 Fridays: Family Nights

Meghan Florence
 Youth Coordinator
 Meghan@katzie.ca

Victor Florence
 Youth Worker
 victor@katzie.ca

Katzie First Nation Youth Program

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 OFFICE CLOSED (Truth and Reconciliation Sept 30th)	3 NO PROGRAM	4 NO PROGRAM	5 NO PROGRAM	6 NO PROGRAM
9 OFFICE CLOSED Thanksgiving Day	10 13+ High School Group 3:00pm - 7:00pm	11 No Programming Truth and Reconciliation Event at Swan-e-set	12 Truth and Reconciliation Community Event	13 Family Night 5:00pm - 7:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium (Jordans Principle Presentation)
16 Isparc 3:00pm - 5:30pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	17 13+ High School Group 3:00pm - 7:00pm	18 Homework Club + Games 3:00pm - 5:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	19 Singing/Drumming Practice 4:00pm - 6:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	20 Family Night 5:00pm - 7:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium (CFS Capital Asset Needs Assessment)
23 Isparc 3:00pm - 5:30pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	24 13+ High School Group 3:00pm - 7:00pm	25 Homework Club + Games 3:00pm - 5:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	26 Singing/Drumming Practice 4:00pm - 6:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	27 Katzie Community Halloween Party 5:00 - 8:00pm KHCC—Gym
30 Isparc 3:00pm - 5:30pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	31 13+ High School Group 3:00pm - 7:00pm	1 Homework Club + Games 3:00pm - 5:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	2 Singing/Drumming Practice 4:00pm - 6:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium	3 Family Night 5:00pm - 7:00pm Health & Community Centre - Gymnasium

Notes:



BIRTHDAYS

Karl Leon-Adams



If you would like your child's name to be celebrated here, please advise Meghan@katzie.ca of their birthdate.



Elders Calendar

October 2023

Rosie Leon
 Elders Traditional Kitchen &
 Event Coordinator
 PH: 604-465-8921 ext. 114
 Email: rleon@katzie.ca

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3	4	5	6
	Rattle Making Dinner at 3:30 in boardroom		Dinner and movies— New Date	Luncheon at 11AM in Gym
9	10	11	12	13
Thanksgiving Day— Office is Closed	Elders Meals		Elders Meals	Lunch at 11 in Gym
16	17	18	19	20
Craft Night at 4:30pm	Elders Meals		Elders Meals	Lunch at 11 in Gym
23	24	25	26	27
	Elders Meals	Meditation Night at 4:00PM	Elders Meals	Lunch at 11 in Gym
30	31	1	2	3
Restaurant Outing at Enjoy Garden	Halloween Day No Elders Meals			
Notes				



We would like
to wish our Elders

**HAPPY
Birthday**

TO YOU

To:

Rick Bailey	Oct 2
Bonnie Duncan	Oct 4
Sam Bailey	Oct 12

Katzie Elders

Are you wanting to get a haircut or maybe get your nails (Manicures ONLY) done. Please sign up with Bruce or Rosie at the office (604)465-8921, email - bruce@katzie.ca elderscoordinator@katzie.ca

DATE: NOVEMBER 21 AND 22

TIME: 9:00 - 2:00

WHERE: HEALTH CENTER IN BOARDROOM

You must sign up for these services, NO drop in's allowed. Deadline to sign up is November 17th. Please mention what service you will be wanting.

ELDERS RESTAURANT OUTINGS

NEXT LIST OF OUTINGS:

~~SEPTEMBER 28 - AUSTIN'S FISH AND CHIPS, PITT MEADOWS. MEET AT NOON. DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS SEPT. 26.~~

OCTOBER 30 - ENJOY GARDEN, PITT MEADOWS. MEET AT NOON. DEADLINE TO SIGN UP OCT. 26.

YOU MUST SIGN UP BEFORE THE DEADLINE DATES FOR RESERVATION PURPOSES. PLEASE SIGN UP WITH ROSIE LEON OR BRUCE LEON AT (604)465-8921.



KATZIE ELDERS

Gemstone bracelet workshop

DATE: NOV 6 TIME: 4:00 LIGHT SNACK AT 3:30
KATZIE HEALTH BUILDING IN BOARDROOM (UPSTAIRS)

Would you like to make a gemstone bracelet. We have 22 spots available. Please sign up with Rosie Leon or Bruce Leon at the office (604)465-8921. If we get more than 22 people to sign up, we will arrange another workshop. Deadline to sign up is **Oct 30th**.

Elders Christmas Dinner

save the date:

Tuesday, Dec 5 2023

Time: Dinner - 3:30

Entertainment - 4:30

at Katzie community center in GYM

PLEASE RSVP BY :

NOVEMBER 30TH

RSVP with Rosie Leon or Bruce Leon.

Come on by to watch Elvis, Roy Orbison and Patsy impersonators.

Door Prizes will be drawn

Any questions please contact Rosie

Leon at (604)465-8921 email: rleon@katzie.ca.





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KFN Membership Department

Certificate of Indian Status Cards– Admin. Building, 2nd floor

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. Every Second Thursday from 8:30 am—3:30 pm

**Email Rosanna and Jamie or call 604-465-8921 Ext 408 to book | Admin. Bldg.
2nd floor (above the daycare)**

Protocols for the Appointment

- Arrive on time – 15 minutes late and you will have to reschedule
- One person to attend the appointment
- Bring (1) piece of valid government picture ID
- No walk-ins

IRA Services Available:

- Secured Status Cards
- Baby/Adult Registrations
- Marriage and Death Registrations
- Name Change
- Gender Change

Laminate Status Cards (paper): There are currently no laminate status cards available at this time. Notice will be posted to members when new stock arrives.

For any further inquiries or if you would like to schedule an appointment with Rosanna for any of the following services please contact Jamie Pierre– Membership Admin. Assistance by via e-mail jamie@katzie.ca or by phone at (604)-465-8961 Ext# 408 to arrange an appointment.

Reminder to Update Personal Information

If you have recently moved please contact Rosanna Leon, Membership Administrator to update your new Contact information.

Attention Katzie Community Members!

The following People are banned from Katzie First Nation Lands. If you see them, please notify KFN Elected Officials of the day and whereabouts they were spotted (Email's and extensions located in Staff Directory page)

If you witness any criminal activity, please notify the proper authorities **IMMEDIATELY**



Greg Patterson



Randy Frostad



William (Billy)
Lowen



Rick "Tiny"



Romeo Grimard



Christina Wallis



Frank Williams



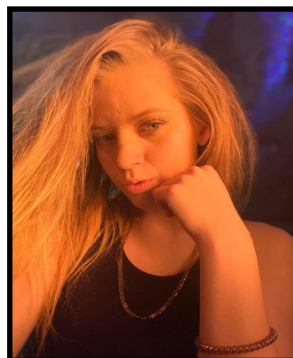
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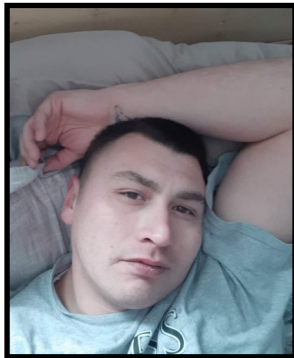
Tom Blackbird



Richard Rheume



Courtney Frostad



Ricky Halverson

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	207	Council Rick Bailey	Aboriginal Rights/Title & Justice, Fishing and Hunting	rick@katzie.ca
	208	Council Lisa Adams	Housing, Municipal, Membership	lisa@katzie.ca
	208	Council David Kenworthy	Education, Culture, Human and Social Services	david@katzie.ca
Admin	201	Nancy Florence	Reception/Office Assistant	reception@katzie.ca
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	206	Karen McKay	General Manager	generalmanager@katzie.ca
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	209	Stacey Goulding	Chief Administrative Officer	stacey@katzie.ca
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	211	Rachel Florence	Administration Manager	rachel@katzie.ca
	102	Julia Zhu	Finance Manager	julia@katzie.ca
	107	Moira Adams	Financial Administrator	moira@katzie.ca
Referrals & ISGD	107	Debbie Janus	Finance Officer	debbie@katzie.ca
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	n/a	Kim Armour	Referrals Manager	kimberly@katzie.ca
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	422	Jennifer Prince	Fraser Health MOA	jennifer.prince2@fraserhealth.ca
	425	Brittany Bold-de-Haughton	Outreach and Housing Support Worker	brittany@katzie.ca
HSS	427	Damian George	Cultural Healer & Support Worker	damian@katzie.ca
	407	Pat Large	Human and Social Services Manager	pat@katzie.ca
		Cameron Bailey	Income Assistance/Program Assistant	cameron@katzie.ca
	426	Shannon Adams	Education Program Assistant (Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday)	educationadmin@katzie.ca
	111	Meghan Florence	Youth Coordinator	meghan@katzie.ca
	109	Victor Florence	Youth Lead	victor@katzie.ca
		Helena Sylvester	Youth Worker (TWS)	Helena@katzie.ca
	114	Rosie Leon	Elders Traditional Kitchen &Event Coordinator	rleon@katzie.ca
Housing and Lands		Bruce Leon	Elders Support Worker	bruce@katzie.ca
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	418	Amit Kumar Dogra	Land Steward	landsteward@katzie.ca
	415	Rosanna Leon	Interim Housing, Public Works & Infrastructure Manager	rosannaleon@katzie.ca
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424	Camryn Page	Land and Registration Administrator	landsadmin@katzie.ca	
n/a	Bill Miller	Public Works	bill@katzie.ca	