

dicəy Community **Newsletter**

January 17, 2025

Chief and Council cordially invite you

Katzie First Nation Health Centre Gym

Friday |January 24, 2025 | 5:00 pm

Catered Buffet Dinner, Entertainment, Games, Crafts and Door Prizes !!!



NEED TO FILE YOUR TAXES?

This is open to everyone.

Must sign up for a time and date. Sign up with Rosie Leon - (604)465-8921 Email: elderscoorddinator@katzie.ca

> Dates: Thursday, March 20 & Thursday, April 10

Time: 10:00 - 1:00pm

Where: Katzie Health and Community Centre, Large Boardroom

If you have any questions, feel free to contract Bruce and Rosie Leon

Important Dates

Estimated date for occupancy

October 1, 2025

Application start date

April 1, 2025

***Please note

You will need to fill in a <u>new</u> application with the Katzie First Nation Affordable Housing Development Society when the application process opens.

You may forward an Expression of Interest with your contact information, # of household members & KFN membership status at any time to:

executivedirector@kfnahds.ca

attention: Janice Silver

All those on the Expression of Interest list will be contacted when the application process begins in April

KATZIE FIRST NATION AFFORDABLE HOUSING

New affordable housing units opening in the Fall of 2025!

The following is a brief description of the three buildings to help you determine your interest in possible tenancy opportunities:

Note: To be eligible for tenancy in Building 2 & 3 the household combined income must be at or below the Housing Income Limits (HILS) as determined by BC Housing.

<u>Building 1</u>

1st Floor to house:

10 units for Youth at Risk/Youth Aging out of MCFD care. 24/7 Supports in place with 3 meals/day provided. Elders Gathering room & Art Gallery/Shop **2**nd **floor:** Katzie First Nation offices

Building 2

3 Story Self Contained Residential Building with 16 units including 2 adaptable units
2nd stage supportive housing
Lounge area
Units include Studio, 1,2 and 3 bedrooms

Building 3

3 Story Self Contained Residential Building with 14 self contained suties for individudals, elders and families. Units include 1,2 & 3 bedrooms with some accessible units.

• Please note that we will do our best to assess individuals needs during the application process to ensure sutiablity of units and their placements ie... those with accessiblity limitations to be housed on the 1st floor.

Please forward any questions to: Janice Silver @ executivedirector@kfnahds.ca





JANUARY 20TH – JANUARY 24TH

KATZIE FIRST NATION WHARF PROJECT

WHAT'S HAPPENING ON THE WHARF PROJECT THIS WEEK

Construction Begins!

Construction is slated to begin over the next week, check in on Facebook for regular updates and details on upcoming activities and impacts.

Háy čxwq'ə (Thank you!)

For questions, inquires about the Wharf project, please email wharfproject@katzie.ca





Date: 2025-01-08

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

KATZIE WHARF PROJECT BEGINS!

We are excited to announce that work on the new Katzie Wharf Project will begin soon!

As per ongoing communications, this is an important project that will bring significant benefits to Katzie membership. This project involves the replacement of the existing wood Wharf with a new, expanded Wharf made of concrete and steel. The entry will be moved from Bonson Rd to Katzie Rd.

Construction starts **Monday, January 20th, 2025**, with the extraction of the existing pier, floating docks, and piles, followed by installation of new pilings, floating docks and construction of the new pier.

Fraser River Pile and Dredge will handle the construction, we are working with the contractors to ensure that any impacts on members from this project are kept to a minimum. A map showing the construction area and traffic impacts is attached. Please note the following:

Road Closures

The portion of River Rd between Bonson Rd and Katzie Rd will see partial and full closures throughout the construction period. The specific dates of the closures will be provided closer to the construction date.

Our team recognizes the amount of work occurring in the Nation and will work to ensure membership is informed and that traffic impacts are minimized between projects through advance notice and coordination. Please note that the Wharf Project Traffic Management Plan has been reviewed and approved by Chief and Council.

Roads to remain clear to accommodate Construction Traffic (January 16th to March 31st, 2025) Construction Traffic will enter IR-1 via Wharf Rd, then onto Walter Florence Rd, then onto River Rd, and exiting up Bonson Rd.

- Residents must keep a 65ft (20m) distance from road corners along the construction route.
- Additionally: vehicles, equipment, RVs, trailers, and other items are to be kept of the sides of Walter Florence Road, and River Road, and at the south base of Katzie Road.

If there are any questions or concerns about the upcoming project, members can contact the Katzie First Nation Infrastructure Department, Wharf Project Team at <u>wharfproject@katzie.ca</u>.

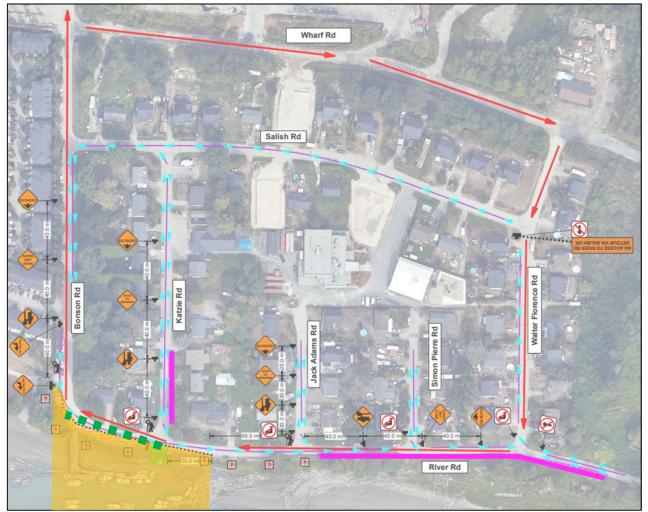
Sincerely,

Katzie First Nation Infrastructure, Wharf Project Team





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MAP: CONSTRUCTION ROUTE (RED ARROWS,) SITE PARKING (PURPLE,) CONSTRUCTION AREA (ORANGE,) ROAD CLOSURES (GREEN DASHED LINE)

Katzie First Nation Update

January 9, 2025

Dear Katzie Community,

I am delighted to announce my new position as the Human and Social Services Manager at Katzie First Nation. Over the past few months, I have thoroughly enjoyed working as the Interim HSS Manager and am excited to continue building strong relationships with our dedicated HSS team, community members, and external partners.

In addition to my current responsibilities, I will also be handling Post Secondary applications and assisting current applicants. Should you have any questions or need assistance, please feel free to contact me directly at <u>donnaleon@katzie.ca</u>, 604-465-8921 (Local 426), or on my cell at 604-323-6930.

Thank you for your continued support.

Warm regards,

Donna Leon Human and Social Services Manager



Katzie First Nation

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Katzie First Nation Human & Social Services Update

January 9, 2025



Meghan Florence is a proud member of Katzie First Nation in Pitt Meadows, BC, where she was born, raised and currently resides with her twin sister and dog. Meghan can often be found involving herself within her community by volunteering for events, gatherings and programs. She thrives, being close to her family and culture. In her spare time, she likes to stay active with her dog, Millie, by going for daily walks or hikes.

Meghan is deeply honored to embrace her new role as the Youth Engagement & Education Coordinator within the Katzie First Nation. She is eager to expand her knowledge and skills and is passionate about contributing to the community's growth and well-being. Meghan looks forward to learning from her peers and elders and is excited to give back by supporting and empowering the youth in her community.

If you need to reach out to Meghan, please feel free to email or call; <u>meghan@katzie.ca</u> or 604-465-8921 local 111



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Land Code & Law Feedback

FEEDBACK FROM MEMBER ENGAGEMENT

What is the Katzie Land Code, and how does it benefit Katzie First Nation?

Approved in 2017, the Katzie Land Code replaces 44 sections of the Indian Act. The Katzie Land Code enables KFN to resume authority to govern their lands and create laws. Since 2017, Katzie has developed and implemented Katzie Laws to mitigate negative impacts due to past poor management of Katzie Lands under the *Indian Act*.

Why are we encouraging discussion about the Land Code?

Katzie's Chief and Council hope to share information and seek member input regarding the purpose of the Katzie Land Code and Laws to encourage meaningful discussion on what members believe is working well and what is not and to discuss possible solutions.

The final Land Code and Laws engagement session will be held at the KFN Health Center Gym, on January 28th from 5pm-8pm, and will be open to members from all of IR1, IR2, IR3, and off-reserve members. We want to share back what we have heard from you, and check to see if we have gotten it right.



SESSION INCLUDES DINNER & REFRESHMENTS!



HOST COMMUNITY
IR 1 Final session for all KFN
Members and Communities
and Off-Reserve Members

Tuesday, January 28, 2025 5:00 – 8:00 pm

DATE AND TIME

KFN Gymnasium 19700A Salish Road Pitt Meadows

LOCATION

Join us at the final session, where we will have draws for gift cards and the Grand Mystery Cash Prize Draw!



QUESTIONS? *Camryn Page, KFN Lands Administration Registry Clerk, landsadmin@katzie.ca or visit katzie.ca/members-area/departments/internal-lands*





KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

JAN 7	SIBLING REGISTRATION January 7 - January 11				
JAN 8	ENVIRO REGISTRATION January 8 - January 10				
JAN 15	CHOICE REGISTRATION January 15 - January 20		A STATE		1
JAN 29	GENERAL REGISTRATION January 29 - February 4		CAN .		5
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children wi	en registration is open for 10 will be 5 years old on or before R 31, 2025 .		2	CARTEN RE	GISX

Learn more: www.sd42.ca



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ONLINE

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JANUARY

Katzie First Nation Youth Program

Mondays: Open Gym/ISPARC Tuesdays: 13+ Highschool Group Wednesdays: Homework Group

Thursdays: Open Gym/Drumming & Singing Fridays: Family Nights

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30	31	1	2	3	4
Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	Office Closed	
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Youth Team

Victor Florence Youth Lead victor@katzie.ca **Meghan Florence** Youth Coordinator meghan@katzie.ca

Kennedy Vanderwoerd Youth Coordinator - Barnston Island kennedy@katzie.ca



January Birthdays

Honnah Florence Carson Lane Aubree Pierre Tessa-Jean Peter McCarthy Ally Leon Johny Ray Sagness



If you'd like your child's name to be celebrated here, please send their birthdate to Meghan at Meghan@katzie.ca



Barnston Youth Program January 2025

KennedyVanderwoerd Youth Coordinator kennedy@katzie.ca 604-989-9910

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
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Katzie First Nation

Youth Birthday Dinner Friday January 31st, 5:00-7:00 pm



Katzie Health & Community Centre 19700a Salish Road

Join us for a special celebration to honor the birthdays of our katzie children & youth this month. Come share a delicious meal :) Birthday celbrations for katzie children and youth will be celebrated on the last Friday of every month.

January Birthdays: Honnah, Carson, Aubree, Tessa-Jean, Ally, & Johny Elders Calendar

January

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
30 Office is Closed	Office is Closed	New Years Day Office Closed	² Office is Closed	³ Office is Closed
6	7 Elders Meals	8	9 Elders Meals	10
¹³ Craft Night at 4:30	14 Elders Meals	15	16 Elders Meals	¹⁷ Elders Luncheon at 11:00
20	21 Bingo Night at 4:30pm	22	23 No Meals	24 New Years Community Dinner event at 5:00pm
27 Craft Night at 4:30	28 Elders Meals	²⁹ The Keg Restaurant outing at 4:30. Must sign up!	30 Elders Meals	31 Elders Luncheon at 11:00 on Barnston



Lets wish our Elders a Happy Birthday!

- Jan 1 Joyce Florence
- Jan 25 Helen Johnson
- Jan 28 Rocky Bailey

Rosie Leon Elders Traditional Kitchen & Events Coordinator E: elderscoordinator@katzie.ca Bruce Leon Elders Support Worker E: bruce@katzie.ca Katzie Health and Community Centre 19700A Salish Road, Pitt Meadows P: 604-465-8921 ext. 114

atzie Elders

The Keg restaurant outing

The elders next restaurant outing will be at The Keg. If you like to attend to this outing, please sign up with Bruce. You must sign up for reservation purposes. There are limited spots for rides so if we can carpool for the ones that does not have vehicles, please. A gas card will be provided for the ones taking their own vehicles.

> DATE: January 29 DEADLINE TO SIGN UP: January 22 Time: Meet at restaurant at 4:30 Sign up with Bruce at (604)465-8921



BANNED INDIVIDUALS

The following people in the photographs below are **formally Banished** from **all Katzie First Nation Lands**. Should you see any of these individuals anywhere on Katzie Lands you are asked to immediately report the name of the person and location where the Banished person has been sighted to the Katzie First Nation Steward: Phone **604-465-8921** extension **418** or email **landsteward@katzie.ca during office hours**. Monday to Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm After Hours you ar asked to report the individuals name and location they were sighted to the RMCP at 604-463-6251



Greg Patterson



Randy Frostad



William Lowen



Rick Vanderwal



James Steinmann



Christina Wallis



Frank Williams



Lance Rosiek



Tom Blackbird



Richard Rheaume



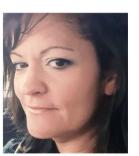
Courtney Frostad



Ricky Halverson



Rebecca Bailey



Misty Chalmers



Logan Chick



Cody Florence

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	208	Council David Kenworthy	Education, Culture, Human and Social Services	david@katzie.ca		
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