

# Howling Coyote Newsletter

June 2022

Acknowledging that we work, learn, and play in the  
homelands of the Ktunaxa People.



ʔakinmi yakiʔ ʔituq ʔiʔqakʕamnamki



kiʔsuk kyukyit hu sukiʔqukni kin wamiʔkiʔ Ktunaxa ʔamakʔis

## Reminders

June 17 - Ktunaxa Flag Raising

June 20 - Honouring Blanket Gifting for Grade 12's

June 21 - National Indigenous Peoples Day

June 23 - Graduation Commencement

# INFORMATION



## BELL SCHEDULE

Opening warning bell	8:25 am
Class One	8:30 to 9:55 am
Class change	5 minutes
Class Two	10:00 to 11:25 am
Lunch Break	11:25 to 12:25 pm
Warning bell	12:20 pm
Class Three	12:25 to 1:48 pm
Class change	5 minutes
Class Four	1:53 to 3:16 pm

## School Calendar Links:

[Student Handbook 2021/2022](#)

[Student/Parent Calendar 2021/2022](#)

[Mount Baker Secondary School Website](#)

[School District 5 Website](#)

### Block Rotation

Monday	1 2	Lunch 3 4
Tuesday	2 1	Lunch 4 3
Wednesday	4 3	Lunch 2 1
Thursday	3 4	Lunch 1 2
Friday	Block Rotation varies – check in the office or on the website.	

## Our Elders in Residence

Dorothy Ratch  
Mel Ratch  
Joan O'Neil  
Winnie Vitaliano  
Pheb Goulet



## Aboriginal Websites

### Communities:

[?aqam](#)

[Tobacco Plains](#)

[?akisgnuk](#)

[Yaqaan Nukiy](#)

### Languages:

[First Voices](#)

[First Voices Kids \(Ktunaxa Songs and Stories\)](#)

[Michif](#)

### Games:

[Indigenous Games for Children \(Youth\)](#)

[Creative Spirits](#)

### Museums:

[Glenbow Museum](#)

[Museum of Anthropology](#)

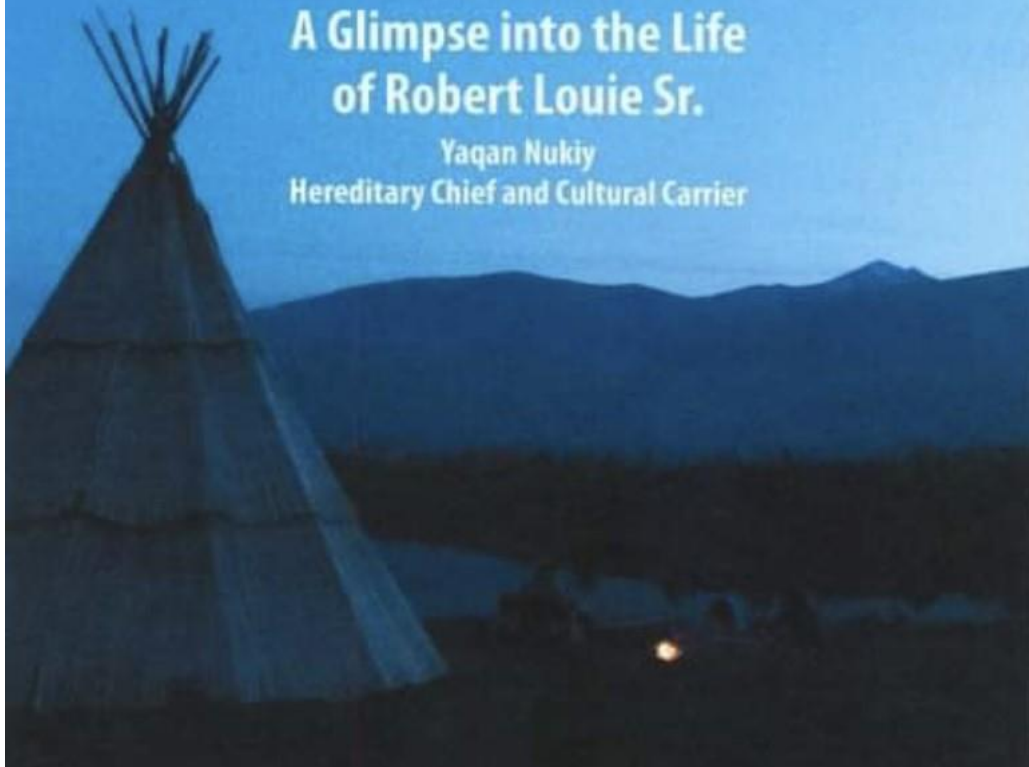
Leader. Elder. Survivor.

# SUSAP

KEEPER OF KNOWLEDGE

A Glimpse into the Life  
of Robert Louie Sr.

Yaqan Nukiy  
Hereditary Chief and Cultural Carrier



7pm June 20  
Key City Theatre • Cranbrook, BC

Ticket info [info@KeyCityTheatre.com](mailto:info@KeyCityTheatre.com)  
250-426-7006

THE CRESTON VALLEY ARTS COUNCIL PRESENTS QUINNTEX FILMS PRODUCTION A DAN CAVERLY FILM "SUSAP: KEEPER OF KNOWLEDGE"  
DIRECTOR DENISE LOUIE PRODUCED BY SHARON SVANDA EXECUTIVE PRODUCERS BRIAN LAWRENCE WRITTEN BY DAN CAVERLY



# Metis SKILLS TRAINING, EMPLOYMENT, POST- SECONDARY (STEPS)



## Cranbrook Metis Employment and Training:

Derek Lacey & Christine Stanvick

240-1113 Baker St, Cranbrook, BC V1C 1A7

8:30 am- 4:30 pm (Mon-Fri)

(250) 417-3305

<https://www.mnbc.ca/mnbc-ministries/steps/>

Citizenship Application: <https://www.mnbc.ca/mnbc-ministries/citizenship-info/>

MNBC Scholarship Info: <https://www.mnbc.ca/news/2022/metis-nation-british-columbia-announces-improvement-to-skills-training-employment-and-post-secondary-steps-program/>.

Rocky Mountain Metis Association (RMMA)

1-250-489-8960

Email - [rockymtnmetis@gmail.com](mailto:rockymtnmetis@gmail.com)

Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/cranbrook.metisevents>

Metis Genealogy Websites:

<https://www.bac-lac.gc.ca/eng/census/1926/Pages/search.aspx>

<https://www.metismuseum.ca/browse/index.php/13056>

<https://www.redriverancestry.ca/ancestors.php>

<https://www.gov.mb.ca/chc/archives/hbca/biographical/index.html>

<http://www.biographi.ca/en/results.php?ft=Bird>

<https://www.metisnationdatabase.ca/>

<https://www.scribd.com/doc/18197649/Metis-Rights-and-Land-Claims-in-Canada>

[https://www.myheritage.com/research?formId=trees&formMode=1&action=query&exactSearch=0&useTranslation=1&colId=40000&qname=Nam e+fn.Raymond+ln.Bird+fnmo.1&qbirth=Event+et.birth+ey.1943+epmo.similar&qdeath=Event+et.death+ey.2015+ep.Golden+epmo.similar&csrf\\_to ken=D\\_0c63ff6g4a3f1251\\_5f16fvy8261331pk.1643426161.8bfeb1b4a7f4639c3f6e2e24e41f7572&tr\\_id=f58161wxlff39f81](https://www.myheritage.com/research?formId=trees&formMode=1&action=query&exactSearch=0&useTranslation=1&colId=40000&qname=Nam e+fn.Raymond+ln.Bird+fnmo.1&qbirth=Event+et.birth+ey.1943+epmo.similar&qdeath=Event+et.death+ey.2015+ep.Golden+epmo.similar&csrf_to ken=D_0c63ff6g4a3f1251_5f16fvy8261331pk.1643426161.8bfeb1b4a7f4639c3f6e2e24e41f7572&tr_id=f58161wxlff39f81)



UBC  
*Indigenous*  
**GRADUATE SUMMER  
INSTITUTE**

July 11 - 17, 2022

**For new and current Indigenous Graduate Students at UBC**

**Hosted in person at UBC Vancouver**

A one week introduction to graduate studies,  
research and pathways to success

**APPLY BY JUNE 10**

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604-827-0829

Funded in part by UBC Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies and the Office of Indigenous Education,  
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# Kootenai Falls 2022

June 10, 2022  
10 am {PST}



Ktunaxa Nation Council is honoured to host **The 2022 Kootenai Falls Gathering.**

Please contact **Barbara** if you have questions: [Barbara.Fisher@ktunaxa.org](mailto:Barbara.Fisher@ktunaxa.org)

Preference will be given to Ktunaxa Citizens, as the primary requirement is an understanding of Ktunaxa Language and Culture.

## ***Parent Engagement Survey***

In preparation for the 2022-2023 school year, we are sending out our Parent Engagement Form that needs to be completed for your child to access services through Aboriginal Education at Mt. Baker Secondary.

We have streamlined this form to make the process easier to complete. Please click on the LINK below.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=-Ww-n3eFgEeB4RWrf3QgdMTzYMY3M-9FnQgH56nGkrVUNUJRQ1FSM1FRRkZSRVYxMFg0NTcyVEI1Ty4u>

Thank you, we look forward to supporting your students for the 2022-2023 school year.

# Indigenous University Preparation Program

*Apply now!*

*Are you:*

- A high school graduate? A mature student?
- Considering going to university but wanting to explore different career options?
- Someone who wants to prepare for university-level Math and advanced Academic Writing?
- Wanting to connect with a cohort group of Indigenous students in a safe and supportive environment?
- Looking to open doors to more learning and working opportunities?

***SFU's Indigenous University Preparation Program (IUPP)***

We welcome First Nations, Métis, and Inuit students to a supportive university learning environment that integrates humanities and social sciences with Indigenous knowledge and perspectives.

You will join a small cohort of like-minded Indigenous students and explore university together with Elders, mentors, tutors, and instructors while taking six courses which can transfer into your undergraduate degree.

Cover: Welcome figure at SFU carved by Jody Broomfield, Squamish Nation.

***Where does the IUPP path lead you?***

SFU's IUPP is an 8-month full-time hybrid program (online or in-person) that helps Indigenous learners prepare and transition to undergraduate studies, while nurturing the skills essential for university learning.

Upon successful completion of the IUPP, you will be granted admission to SFU and your completed credits will count towards your undergraduate degree.

Our Indigenous, interdisciplinary curriculum will provide you with a diverse foundational knowledge which may be applicable to multiple disciplines.

Learn more at  
[sfu.ca/iupp](https://sfu.ca/iupp)  
[iaupprec@sfu.ca](mailto:iaupprec@sfu.ca)  
604.353.7006



***Tuition Waiver for Youth in Care or Former Youth in Care***







## Raspberry Freezer Jam

All Natural

### Ingredients

Makes 4 cups (1 L)

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4 cups (1 liter) granulated sugar

4 cups (1 liter) raspberries

- Place sugar in an ovenproof shallow pan and warm in a 250°F (120°C) oven for 15 minutes. (Warm sugar dissolves better.)
- Place berries in a large stainless steel or enamel saucepan. Bring to a full boil over high heat, mashing berries with a potato masher as they heat. Boil hard for 1 minute, stirring constantly.
- Add warm sugar, return to a boil, and boil until mixture will form a gel, about 5 minutes.
- Ladle into sterilized jars and place in freezer.

## Numa Ka.Kin Drum Group

Upcoming Drum dates: June 13th

Everyone is welcome to watch and participate.

