# Sik-E-Dakh News

October 12, 2023



## MONDAYS MEALS ON WHEELS

The Brighter Futures Initiative (BFI) program staff deliver hot food to Sik-E-Dakh elders on Mondays. For more information, feel free to call at the Band Office (250)842-5241

## WEDNESDAYS RECYCLING PICK UP

The regional district requires all recyclable containers to be cleaned, please wash out any food, fluids or debris. It is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

## THURSDAYS GARBAGE PICK UP

O&M requests residents bring their trash bins to the roadside on Thursday morning. Please secure trash in durable garbage bags. If you have any questions, please call Dwayne Sr. at

778-202-0405.



## Call 911

If you believe that your life or someone's else life is in danger.

## 310-6789

BC Mental Health Support Line: (do not add 604, 778 or 250 before the number). It's free and available 24 hours a day.

### 1-800-SUICIDE

Suicide hotline: If you are in distress or worried about someone else. It's free and available 24 hours a day: 1-800-784-2433.

# CONTACT NORTH BC REP IN SIK-E-DAKH SHAYLYNN

The field of financial services is forecasted to have significant job openings over the next ten years in British Columbia. The new Financial Services diploma can prepare you with the skills and knowledge you need to enter this indemand filed.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION
OR HELP TO REGISTER,
CONTACT

Shaylynn Wesley-Carter TODAY: 250-842-0107

Sik-e-dakh@contactnorthbc.ca

## OFFICE IS SITUATED IN THE GLEN VOWELL BOARDROOM ...

Career pathways include certified financial planner, financial sales representatives, insurance agents, securities agents, investment dealers, and brokers, financial and investment analysts, and other financial officers.

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- FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME
- ONLINE ANYTIME OR BLENDED DELIVERY
- TWO- YEAR PROGRAM
- SEPTEMBER 2023 START DATE
- LEARN FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING, PERSONAL FINANCIAL PLANNING, MICROECONOMICS, BUISNESS MATH, PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATIONS, STATISTICS AND MORE
- SKILLS AQUIRED PREPARE YOU FOR A WIDE VARIETY OF ENTRY- LEVEL CAREER
   OPTIONSCOME

Arrangements for our daughter, mother Alisha Lorraine Sampson Celebration of Life October 13, 2023 Sik-E-Dakh Hall at 6 p.m. Refreshments & Annoucements to follow

# Alisha Lorraine Sampson

Goodbyes are not forever, and not the end; It simply means I'll miss you until we meet again.

#### SIK-E-DAKH

A HEALTHY SAFE POSITIVE COMMUNITY THAT IS SELF SUFFICIENT NOW & FOR THE FUTURE GENERATIONS



PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR BID FOR THIS 1995 FORD FLAT DECK 4 WHEEL DRIVE TRUCK THAT RUNS ON DISEL BY OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup> 2023 TO THE SIK-E-DAKH BAND RECEPTION IN A SEALED ENVELOPE AND THEY WILL BE REVIEWED. THANK YOU SIK-E-DAKH BAND.





# SIK-E-DAKH BFI HALLOWEEN TUES OCTOBER 31, 2023 STARTS 6 PM @ GV HaII

COSTUME CONTEST
Games & lots of Door Prizes
FIRE WORKS DISPLAY

@ Ball field !!

For more information contact Mavis Bannek (250)842-5241

Trick or Treat starts at 5 pm (PIs leave porch lights on for Trick or Treaters) or you can bring Candies to the hall to hand out!

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## SIK-E-DAKH

## A HEALTHY SAFE POSITIVE COMMUNITY THAT IS SELF SUFFICIENT NOW & FOR THE FUTURE GENERATIONS





Hello Sik-E-Dakh! My name is Cameron Gogag. I have started working for the community on October 10 as the new Finance Manger for the Sik-E-Dakh Band Office.

My father is Bill Gogag and mother is Rachel Janze. I have moved back to the Hazelton area where I grew up with my partner Stefanie who is from Regina, Saskatchewan. We look forward to living here and will enjoy having nature as our backyard.

I have a Bachelor's of Business Administration from the University of Regina with a specialty in Finance and a Diploma of Financial Services from Saskatchewan Polytechnic. I have experience working for the Royal Bank of Canada for four years while also doing my schooling (three years as a Client Advisor and one year as a Banking Advisor). I have also spent two years as a teacher in China teaching English as a second language. My hope is that I can use my skills and experience to help serve the community of Sik-E-Dakh to the best of my abilities.

Sincerely,

**Cameron Gogag** 







(Glen Vowell)

CALL TO BOOK AN APPOINTMENT WITH RICHARD JOSEPH, SIK-E-DAKH ENERGY ADVISOR (250)842-5241. THANK YOU.



## Tired of high heating bills?

- Have a home energy audit completed by certified energy advisor (Free! – Provincial pilot project)
- By documenting how energy efficient your home is, you may be able to access federal and provincial grants for energy upgrades
- The entire process at your home can take from 1.5 to 2.5 hours
- A report will be generated that the energy advisor will go over with you in detail.
- Depending on your home situation, you could be eligible for window-door / insulation and heat pump upgrades

Email for more information: energyadvisor@glenvowell.ca









## Sik E Dakh Community Energy Plan - September 2023 Community Input needed: home energy retrofit survey

The information gathered from this survey is anonymous and will be used to develop a community energy plan in the coming months. The purpose of the plan is to make homes more energy efficient and; as a result, reduce the cost of heating and cooling them.

#### PARTICIPANT PRIZE DRAW!!! 2 - \$100 gift cards

## 1). My energy bills are affordable

- o strongly agree
- o agree
- o no position
- o disagree
- strongly disagree

## 2). Making our homes more energy efficient should be a priority for our community

- o strongly agree
- o agree
- o no position
- o disagree
- o strongly disagree

## 3). Where do you think energy efficiency measures should be focused?

- o air source heat pump installs for heating / cooling
- o replace broken /damaged windows and exterior doors
- o make homes more air tight
- o add more insulation to attics

#### 4). We should develop renewable energy projects in our community

- strongly agree
- o agree
- o no position
- o disagree
- o strongly disagree

#### 5). Which renewable energy program should the band focus on?

- o residential solar panel system
- o "run of the river" micro power project
- o wind turbine power generation
- o no opinion

## 6). Is reducing your carbon footprint a priority to you?

- strongly agree
- o agree
- o no position
- o disagree
- o strongly disagree

## 7). I would like to have a home energy audit completed on my home.

- o yes
- o no
- I would like more information before deciding

NAME:	
Phone Number:	