VILLAGE UPDATE

Friday, May 13, 2016

SPECIAL FIRE WEATHER ADVISORY FOR THE COASTAL FIRE CENTRE

The Coastal Fire Centre, BC Wildfire Service is advising all forest industry stakeholders that forest fuels in the south-western part of British Columbia are drying rapidly due to unseasonably warm spring weather. Anticipate dry forest and range fuels combined with unseasonable weather are leading to potentially elevated burning conditions. Weather forecasts have indicated the continuation of predominantly dry conditions throughout the spring.

While this Advisory was issued to Forest Industry stakeholders, the drying trend is also applicable to Crown lands and other forested interface areas within Lions Bay. Please exercise caution using any power tools or equipment around your home and where applicable, take the time to clear surface fuels from around your property. Trim up low branches less than 2 meters from the ground and those which have grown close to your home, and consider removing trees on your property which may pose a fire hazard.

For more information, see: http://bcwildfire.ca/prevention/docs/homeowner-firesmart.pdf

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COASTAL FIRE CENTRE

The "Wildfire News", published by Coastal Fire Centre, is back for the summer months. Please visit the Village website for the newest issues as they are provided; click the button below for the first issue on May 6, 2016.

Also, the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource has an open burning restriction in effect throughout BC. Please click the button below for details.

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Open Burning Restrictions

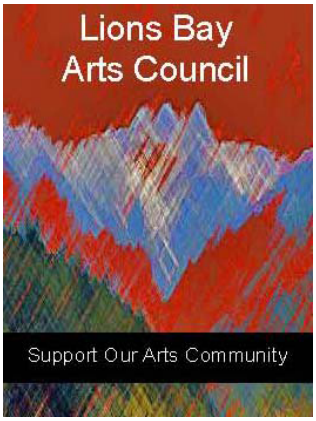
UPCOMING COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

All meetings take place in Council Chambers unless otherwise noted. The Village Office is open until 6:30pm on *Regular Council Meeting* nights.

- Bylaw & Policy Review Committee - May 16, 2016 - CANCELLED
- Regular Council Meeting - May 17, 2016 at 7:00pm

Note: please check the Village website calendar for meeting schedule changes or cancellations.

LIONS BAY ARTS COUNCIL



Lions Bay Arts Council is pleased to host ArtScene 2016 on June 19th, 2016. Bringing together artists, performers, food, Father & Child project for Father's Day, Native Garden Plant Sale and much more.....

All artists and performers, young and old - we want to hear from you. Please e-mail: info@lionsbayartscouncil.org and let us know if you would like to participate.

We have decided to hold our Arts and Garden Festival every second year so make sure to stay tuned for next year's Festival.

See what's happening on our social sites:

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