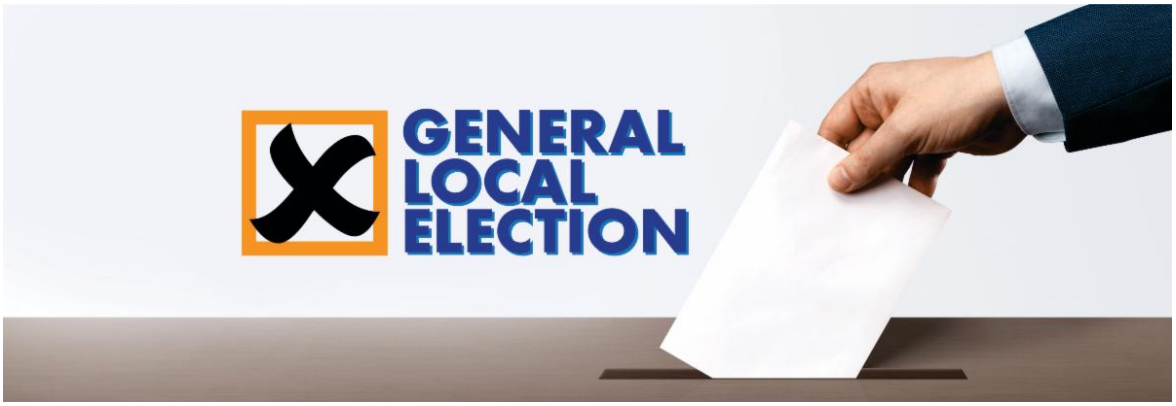
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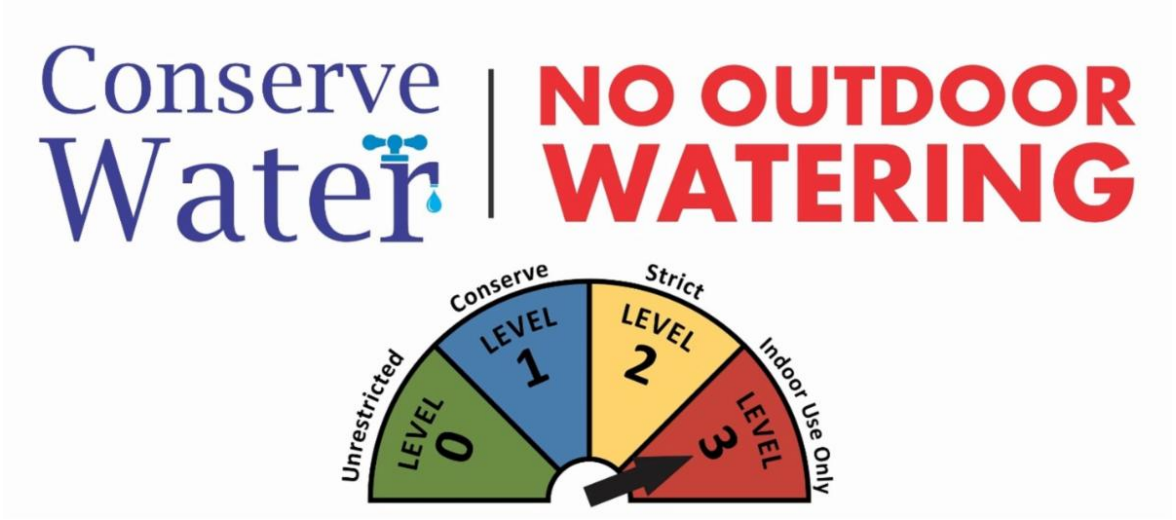
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UPDATES FROM THE MUNICIPALITY



GENERAL VOTING DAY

Saturday, October 15, 2022, between 8 am and 8 pm
at
Broughton Hall, 400 Centre Road, Lions Bay



Residents are urged to conserve water…

Below-normal stream flows and continuing unprecedented drought conditions in the Province are expected to continue for another week or more. The south coast is at

Drought Level 5 which is the highest it can go. We are not alone, yesterday Metro Vancouver issued a Media Release urging their residents to conserve water as well.

The lack of meaningful precipitation since early July is significantly impacting our ability to provide drinking water at the current rate of consumption for residents of Lions Bay.

On October 7th, daily consumption was at 785,000 gallons per day. Today this figure is down to 670,000 gallons – well done!! But keep it up… that's still 189,000 gallons per day more than what we used in July. From the table of average daily water use below, you can see we can do better:

	2021	2022
July	554,000	481,250
Aug	485,000	534,236
Sep	449,000	619,684
Oct	332,345	717,000
Nov	475,500	
Dec	417,562	

Our current level of water use is unsustainable given the current creek flows and puts us at serious risk of not being able to recover in the event of a house fire or wildfire. So, we ask that everyone please do their best to conserve water and bring our consumption rates down to typical winter consumption rates of below 500,000 gallons per day. Talk to your friends and neighbours to ensure they are aware!

NO OUTDOOR WATER USE

The Village is currently under Water Conservation Level 3, which means all outdoor water use (with very few exceptions) is banned. For details please see the Outdoor Water Use Conservation Measures Chart in the "Village of Lions Bay Outdoor Water Use Bylaw 484, 2015, or see the graphical representation here: Watering Restrictions Infographic. If you have an automated irrigation system, please ensure it is shut off or request your contractor to do so immediately.

INDOOR WATER USE REQUESTS

In addition to this, residents are being asked to step up to the water conservation challenge by reducing indoor water use as much as possible by following some of these innocuous tips:

- Reduce your showers by 2 minutes and save 120 gallons (455 L) per month
- Fill a tub ½ way and save 10 gallons (38 L) per bath
- Use the adage "if it's yellow let it mellow" and save 1.5 gallons (5.7 L) or more per flush depending upon your toilet
- Turn off the water while brushing your teeth and save 2 gallons (7.5 L) per minute
- Check your taps and toilets for leaks. A leaking toilet can waste 80 gallons (300 L) per week

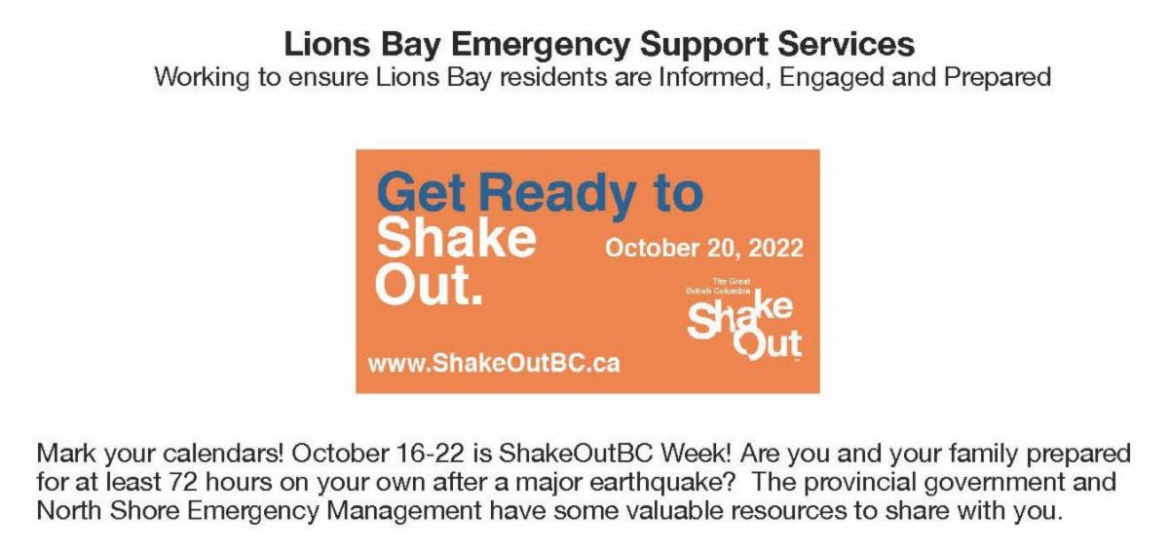
Public Works will be doing their part by checking the entire Village for leaks. You can help here as well; let us know if:

1. You hear running water when you're sure you're not using any water
2. If you perceive a loss in water pressure
3. If you notice wet spots in your yard or on boulevards

Contact us by email at works@lionsbay.ca or call us at 604-921-9833

What do I do if I see someone else not following the Level 3 rules?
If you are comfortable doing so, please let them know the details of the restrictions that are in place in case they have not yet heard about this situation and the need to take water conservation seriously. To report people not following the restrictions, please email bylaw@lionsbay.ca or call the bylaw cell phone at (604) 834-3404. Bylaw Officers will be instructed to provide education and one stern warning, and then ticket anyone not complying with the outdoor restrictions. Thank you for your help and cooperation!

Lions Bay Emergency Support Services



For more information click here



Welcome to Miller Capilano's annual customer survey. We appreciate you taking the time to participate. Results from this survey can lead to improvements in operations and road infrastructure.

Click HERE for the Survey

Council & Committee Meetings

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING - INAUGURAL MEETING:
November 1st at 7:00pm
to be held in Broughton Hall

View the Council and Committee Schedule, Agendas, Minutes HERE!

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN LIONS BAY



ADULT DANCE TICKETS

The Events Committee is well under way planning an amazing Halloween weekend, but we need you to please buy your Adult Dance tickets.

With costs being incurred and alcohol being ordered we need your help to get an accurate number to ensure the night is a great success!

The adult dance ticket sales go directly to cover the cost of the Halloween events.
Posted on behalf of the Lions Bay Events Committee

Purchase Tickets Here



Kids Halloween Writing Contest
The spooky season is almost upon us and we would like to invite our Lions Bay kids to share their Halloween story or poem. Your story/poem can be scary, funny, or anything in between. But beware you must follow these rules!

Your story/poem must:

- take place on Halloween night.
- contain these 3 words: skeleton, creep, and mask. (you may use the words in any form e.g. skeletons, creepy/crept, masked/mask).
- not go over the word count for your grade:
- Grade 1 - 3: 100 words;
- Grade 4 - 5: 250 words;
- Grade 6-7: 350 words or less.
- include your name, grade and an email address on the entry. (excluded from word count)

One winner will be chosen from each of the three groups. Prize awarded to the winner of each group. Winning entries will be published on the LB Neighbours Facebook page and in the Village Update. Deadline to submit: Sunday Oct 30th at midnight. Submit stories to: lbeventscommittee@gmail.com submissions can be a typed email or a photo of a hand-written story.

Judging criteria will be as follows:

1. Audience- your story or poem must be intended for a young audience (ages 13 and under), we're looking for stories that all ages will enjoy reading.
2. Halloween themed- it must be a story happening Halloween night and must include the words: skeleton, creep, and mask.

3. Structure of story/poem– entries must be clear and easy to follow along with the story. There is a beginning, middle and an ending.
4. Originality and creativity – Make sure your story slays the competition. Plagiarism will result in disqualification

The Lions Bay committee is not responsible for lost, late, or misdirected entries. A panel of judges will pick the best entry from each of the three groups mentioned above. Entries are limited to children living in Lions Bay. Judges will select the entries they consider to be the most original, creative and entertaining. Winners will be notified by email. All judges' decisions are final. Committee members and their immediate family members are not eligible. Winners (and guardian(s)) consent for their stories to be published on the Lions Bay Facebook page and in the Village Newsletter.





It's the annual call for photos for the 2023 Lions Bay Calendar!

Please send us those awesome shots you may have of our beautiful village, fun in the sun, hiking or any photos that speak to the amazing place we live in.
The photos need to be landscape orientation and a minimum of 2MB high resolution.

You can send them to **calendar@lionsbayarts.ca** – deadline for submissions is **October 15th, 2022**

Music Together®

Lions Bay Music Together

PLEASE come and join us in a Lions Bay Music Together class





Fall 2022 children's music Class information

We will meet on THURSDAYS at 10:30am at the Village hall (in the Gym)

- 45 minute classes
- Starting Thursday September 29th, 2022 (10 weeks of classes)
- 10:30am class
- Children age 0-5 are welcome
- $185 for the term. $100 for Siblings 12 months and older. Siblings under a year old are free. Families receive a Music Together FLUTE collection CD and song book, access to the Music Together interactive musical family website.
- Bring you own small instruments or I will have sanitized ones on hand to loan

Text or call **Tanya @ 604-813-0181** or email **lbmusictogether@gmail.com** to register or

for more information.

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