Village Update

September 6, 2024

UPDATES FROM THE MUNICIPALITY

FROM THE YARD

1.Combined Harvey and Magnesia creek raw water supply is today about 900,000 gallons per day. That's the same as the year's low seen on August 18. The recent rain has thus completely run through and we are now back to steadily decaying groundwater exfiltration into the creeks. Alberta Creek is holding steady at around 85 gallons per minute, of which the 50 GPM Alberta Supply-Augmentation Project is standing by to add up to 72,000 GPD of additional supply as needed. Village-wide demand is steady at around 400,000 GPD. Network flow meters show consumption jumps at 3 am, 4 am and 5 am lasting until 9 am, we assume from irrigation timers coming on, as allowed and expected under Outdoor Water Use Level 1. We're seeing increased consumption at other times too, meaning either irrigation is occurring when not expected and messing with our demand management efforts, or leakage is rising, meaning new breaks have occurred and need to be found. Although our per-capita consumption of 948 liters per person per day is still double nearby West Van's, there's a comfortable margin between supply and demand, and we continue at Level 1 Water Conservation.

2.Recycle BC is the not-for-profit organization responsible for residential packaging and paper recycling throughout British Columbia. They ask that residents are alerted to the dangers of hazardous items in curbside collection programs. Recent incidents include a cannister of bear spray deploying in a sorting facility causing significant injury, and a fire in a collection vehicle suspected to have been caused by a battery. Information on what can and can't be recycled can be found at **https://recyclebc.ca/collectors/resources/education-campaigns/**, but here's the summary. Hazardous items that cannot be placed in regular landfill, recycling, and compostable streams include:

- Lithium-ion and household batteries
- Single-use propane and butane canisters
- Needles
- Flammable liquids
- Helium tanks
- Knives
- Flares
- Electronics
- Bear spray
- Ammunition
- Lighters
- Paint

3.Can the proponent of the biodiversity survey posters with orange duct tape popping up around the Village please get in touch with the CAO (**cao@lionsbay.ca**) if they wish to utilise public property for a private endeavour. If approvable by existing policy, or upon Council resolution, at a minimum disclaimer text and proponent identification will be required.

UPDATES FROM THE FIRE CHIEF



Lions Bay Fire Rescue is in search of Volunteer Firefighters
Become a part of the team – submit your application today! Visit the Recruitment Process page by clicking **HERE**.
To find out what the time commitment looks like or what's involved in being a volunteer firefighter, please reach out to the Fire Chief, Barret Germscheid at **firechief@lionsbay.ca**.



NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL:

October 15, 2024 at 7:00pm

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Infrastructure Committee Meeting - September 12, 2024 at 6:00pm

Climate Action Committee Meeting - September 23, 2024 at 7:00pm

Committee of the Whole Meeting - October 1, 2024 at 6:00pm

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

View the Council and Committee Schedules, Agendas, & Minutes HERE!

Video conferencing is available for public participation via Zoom. Instructions on how to attend and publicly participate in a meeting can be found **here**.

Public Viewing Etiquette:

- Public participation is available on Zoom, during the Public Participation section of the agenda. Attendees will have two minutes to speak on any matter at the beginning of the meeting.
- Silent viewing only until you are called upon to speak (if desired).
- Please do not interrupt Council discussion.
- Limit background distractions by muting your microphone and keeping video turned off until such time as it's your turn to speak (if applicable).
- If interruptions are repeated, the participant will be removed from the meeting.





Get fired up for Firefighter Day with our sizzling silent auction AND raffle!

One of the Silent Auction prizes you could win is a Rocky Mountaineer trip for 2 worth $6,000!

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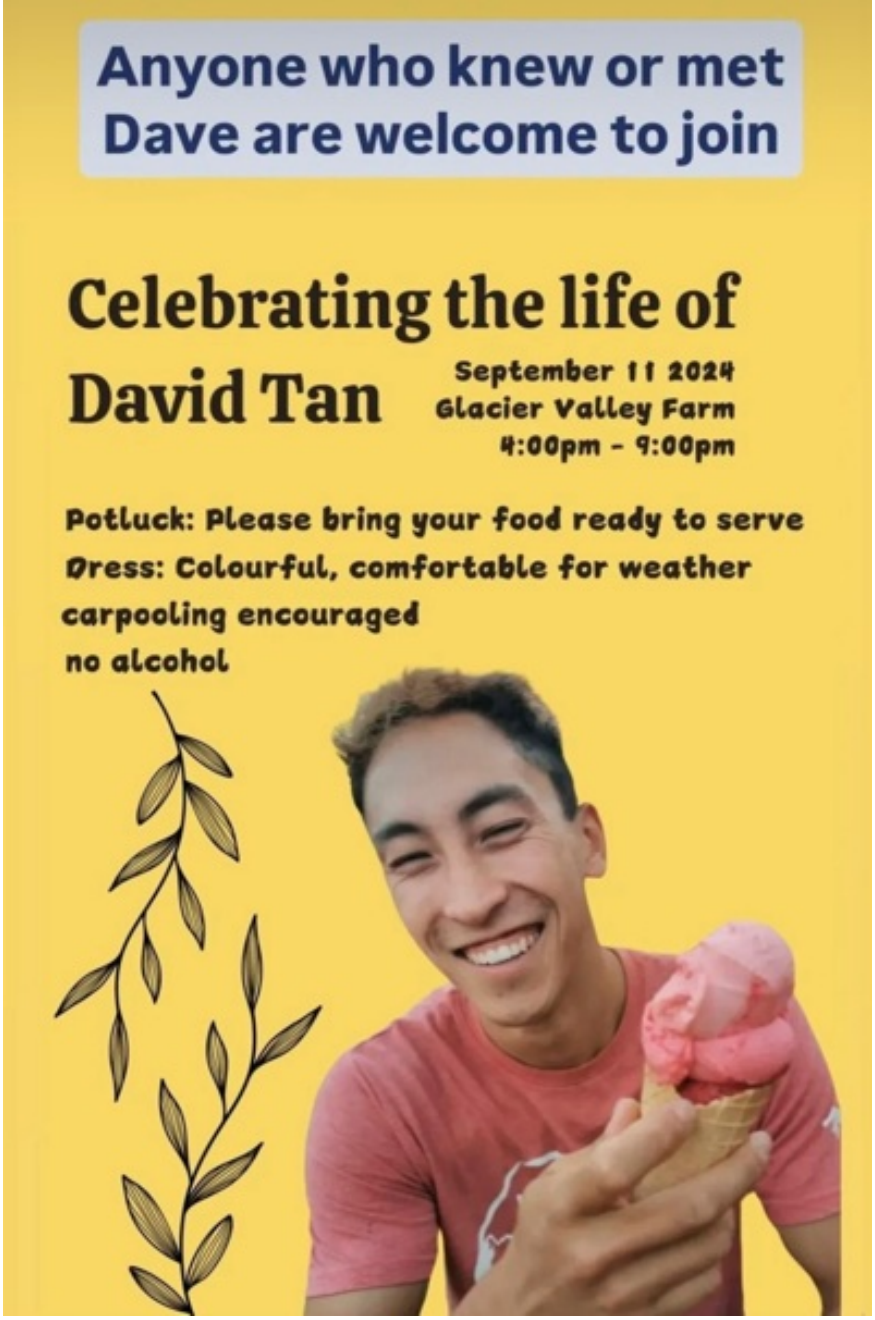


We can't wait to welcome you onboard your two-day rail journey for two, in Rocky Mountaineer's SilverLeaf Service. Discover the wild beauty of the Rocky Mountains and indulge all your senses as you wind through awe-inspiring scenery, complemented by exquisite cuisine, vibrant storytelling, and impeccable service.

If you would like to purchase Firefighter day raffle tickets please come to the office!

1 = $5
5 = $20
50 = $150

To Make a Donation to The Lions Bay Fire Rescue Click Here!


Anyone who knew or met
Dave are welcome to join
Celebrating the life of
David Tan
September 11 2024
Glacier Valley Farm
4:00pm - 9:00pm
Potluck: Please bring your food ready to serve
Dress: Colourful, comfortable for weather
carpooling encouraged
no alcohol





FLAGSHIP ROMANCE: Join this incredible Kentucky-based duo on their "***LIGHTNING IN A BOTTLE***" tour, where just two voices and a guitar create an indelible experience where their powerful sound and versatility will transport you to new heights—COME HEAR! Sponsored by **Thyra McKilligan/Re-Max Masters**.

TICKET LINK



DAN BRUBECK QUARTET: Join us on Thanksgiving Sunday, October 13, from 2:00 to 5:00 PM, as JUNO and GRAMMY-nominated Master Drummer **Dan Brubeck** returns with his QUARTET—featuring Miles Black on piano, Miles Hill on bass, and Steve Kaldestad on sax—to celebrate the legendary "cool jazz" **Brubeck songbook**. Bring your family, friends, and favorite dish for a delightful potluck as we enjoy an astonishingly brilliant afternoon together! Generously Sponsored by **Thyra McKilligan/Re-Max Masters**.

TICKET LINK

Happy FALL everyone!
Please come join us with your children this FALL for a new term of
Lions Bay Music Together.



FALL 2024 Children's Music Class information

We will meet on **THURSDAYS at 9:30am** at the Broughton Hall 400 Centre Rd (in the Gym)

- 45 minute classes
- Starting Thursday **September 12th, 2024** (10 weeks of classes)
- 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 Fiddle collection** CD , music download code, a song book, and access to the Music Together interactive musical family website.
- Bring you own small instruments OR I will have sanitized ones on hand to loan

For more information please click **HERE**

It’s That Time of Year Again!

Lions Bay Art’s Annual 2025 Calendar

Time to submit your photos!

Lions Bay Art’s annual 2025 calendar photo submissions opens today and we invite you

to be a part of it.
We are seeking captivating photographs that showcase the picturesque charm of our beloved community in all its glory.

Click here to learn how to participate!
Your photo could be featured in the 2025 edition!



Common Bear Attractants

Garbage

Bears have a very keen sense of smell. It is important to store your garbage in a secure indoor location until the morning of collection.



Fruit/Beehives

Pick and remove ripe and fallen fruit promptly. Protect beehives with electric fencing.



Organics and Food Waste

Freeze all odorous food scraps. Keep organic waste bins clean. Store in a secure location until the morning of collection.





Bird Feed

Suspend feeders high off the ground (using a cable) so it cannot be accessed by bears. Alternatively, remove feeders during bear season (Mar - Dec)



Pet Food



Pets should be fed indoors and all pet food and bowls stored inside.

Recycling

Bears can be attracted to unwashed containers. Ensure all recycling is clean and rinsed of odorous residue.

Open garages, doors and windows

Bears may enter an open door or window in search of food. Keep doors and windows closed when you are not in the immediate area.



LIONS BAY BEAR SMART

www.lionsbaybearsmart.ca



Tai Chi / Qigong Fusion Program:

Classes are sponsored by the LBSSC. All adults and genders are welcome.

No experience is necessary. Our instructor Josie is highly experienced and professional.

The focus is to exercise in a relaxed, non-competitive environment, while having fun.

The fall sessions run from **September 10 - December 3, 2024**. 13 classes altogether.

The fee is $130.00 and payable by Interac to: **lbseniorssocialcircle@gmail.com** or by cheque/cash on the 1st day of class.

Classes will be in the Broughton Community Hall on Tuesday 11:15-12:15. You are invited to come early (from 11:00am) for a free cup of herbal tea and a chat with the group.

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED !: You can do this by completing this form - **https://forms.office.com/r/sN2kYXMXfW**

For more information or if you have any questions please contact Carole at 604-562-2204 or email **conlin@sfu.ca**

View local air quality live on our **Real-Time Air Quality Map**

Encourage Lions Bay friends and neighbours to **subscribe** to the Village Update and the municipality's **Facebook page** - The only official media of the Village of Lions Bay.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns pertaining to the Village Update, please email ***epost@lionsbay.ca***

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