

July 19, 2019



Village Update

Your Weekly News & Updates

Updates from Mayor and Council

From the Mayor's Desk

Hello Lions Bay,

As you all know, I like to welcome new residents to our Community. My Aide de Camp was taking a paseo on July 4th when a fire truck arrived at the home of 6 - year residents Sam Sullivan and Carmen Benke. It turns out that Carmen's labour unexpectedly accelerated to the point of "it's going to happen here at home." The Atherton family were called upon for assistance in calming the pending chaos. You know what happened next because it is with great pleasure that I announce that Sam and Carmen and their daughter Charlotte welcomed Henry into the world in a unique Lions Bay way. Successfully delivering the baby was Ava Gartner of our LBF & R. Chief Oliver really does deliver a level of training that ensures the crew is ready for any situation. Carmen is a teacher at Lions Bay Community School and her adding to its future enrollment is greatly appreciated.

New to the Village last year and living in the mixed residential/commercial strata are Emma Shaw and Dustin Nadeau. When asked why they moved here the reply was "We decided on settling down in Lions Bay for the small community feel while still being close to the city. It was hard to pass up the opportunity to live in an area with immediate access to nature, from endless hiking trails at our finger tips and the close proximity to the ocean... the views of Howe Sound really sealed the deal! We have a

dog, so are often on the local trails and love seeing so many friendly, welcoming faces from the community.” Emma is pregnant and she and Dustin are expecting their first child, a baby girl, who is due July 30th! Emma is a Neonatal ICU nurse so I am thinking this is not going to be another opportunity for LBF & R.

Emily Sandlack and Matt Bird live on Bayview across from our Community School. They gave birth to Jack about four months ago. Not to presuppose where these three new young residents are going to go to school, I feel like I am early announcing the Grade 3 Graduation Class of 2028.

At the Seaside Soirée I met new residents Cindy and Richard David who moved to lower Kelvin Grove Way at the start of Council’s term. Leaving Shanghai after twenty years they went to Whistler for three years. Driving back and forth the “majestic brick wall” on the sea-to-sky always amazed them. One day they decided to take a detour and find out what was behind those walls, and VOILA! Where they had been before “...did not compare with the seamless merging of mountain and water and the peace it brings. It was absolutely love at first sight! We decided to buy and move.” The David’s look forward to getting to know the local community and make their contribution.

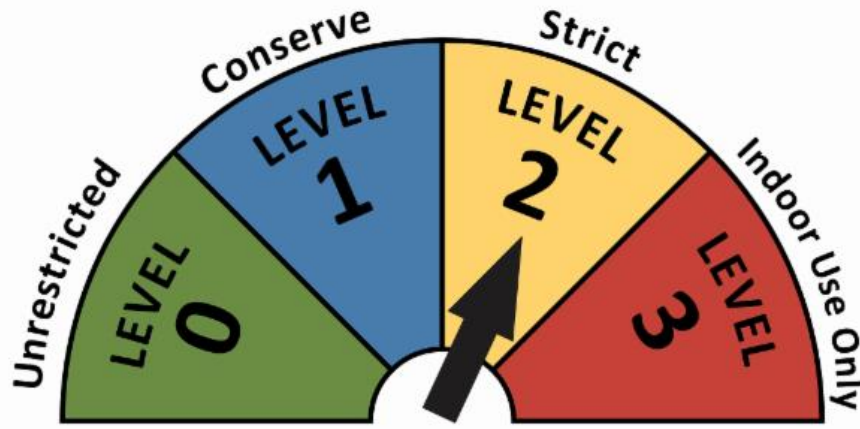
Like an easy to read summer novel that many enjoy at this time of year I thought the Community wouldn’t mind a lighter weight article than I usually present. Council breaks until September 17th. Considerably more high-test will be my mid-year state of the Village article which you can expect at month end.

Regards,

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Updates from the Municipality

LEVEL 2 RESTRICTIONS BEGIN TONIGHT



Level 2 Water Restrictions Begin at Midnight, Friday, July 22, 2019

Lions Bay will be moving to Level 2 restrictions at midnight tonight as the weather is slated to improve. Both plants are running almost non-stop to keep up with demand.

Under Level 2 Water Restrictions, watering is only permitted one day per week between 4:00 am to 9:00 am as follows:

- Mondays for even-numbered addresses
- Thursdays for odd numbered addresses

No washing of outdoor surfaces is permitted, including pressure washing. Washing of vehicles and boats is only by bucket.

For details please see the [Outdoor Water Use Conservation Measures Chart](#) in the "Village of Lions Bay Outdoor Water Use Bylaw 484, 2015.

Despite some rain over the past couple of weeks, the Lower Fraser Basin, which includes Lions Bay, remains "very dry" on the B.C. Drought Map. Residents should be prepared to move to Level 3 restrictions in August should drought conditions persist. To view the Drought Map visit the [British Columbia Drought Information Portal](#) and click on the BC Drought Map tab.

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE



The deconstruction of the old Harvey 400,000-gallon is complete and Industria's crews are preparing the foundation of the new steel-bolted glass-fused tank. Once this next step is complete crews will begin forming and installing rebar for the new concrete foundation which is set to be installed by the end of this month. The tank designers are scheduled to arrive in early August for the erection of the new 512,000-gallon tank which is anticipated to be erected by the end of August. Shortly thereafter, crews will begin the final pipework and site preparation in order to commission the new tank by the end of September if all goes well. For those of you interested in seeing current photographs of the site works, click [HERE](#).

REMEMBER TO CONSERVE WATER

Residents are reminded that our water is currently being supplied by the much smaller 100,000-gallon Oceanview tank until the new tank is commissioned in September. That leaves us with significantly reduced firefighting water reserves. Please assist us during this construction period by reducing your water consumption to ensure as much of the water as possible remains within the 100,000-gallon tank for firefighting purposes.

Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience and bear with us as we see this critical infrastructure project commence. Thanks for your patience and understanding.

Please provide any feedback or comments to Public Works via email at works@lionsbay.ca.



HAVE YOUR SAY

COUNCIL WANTS TO HEAR FROM *You*

Take the Filming Survey and tell Council what you think about filming in Lions Bay.

RESULTS

Thank you to the 170 people who completed the Filming Survey. Click [here](#) to see the Summary Results and Comments.



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**WANT ENHANCED SERVICE?
TAKE THE SURVEY!**

RESULTS

Thank you to the 170 people who also completed the Transit Survey. Click [here](#) to see the Summary Results and Comments.



Invasive species are plants and animals that have been introduced to an area without the predators and pathogens from their native habitats that would help keep them in check. They can threaten property and recreational values, infrastructure, agriculture, public health and safety, as well as the ecological health and diversity of our natural environment. Examples are; knotweed, giant hogweed, European fire ants, English ivy and European chafer beetles. For more information on the impact of invasive species, please visit the Sea to Sky Invasive Species Council's website at www.ssisc.ca.

Metro Vancouver has published [Best Management Practices](#) (BMP's), developed in conjunction with experts across the region, on how to properly remove and eliminate various invasive species. Whether you perform your own landscaping or hire a gardener or landscaping company to manage your property, everyone should read these materials to better understand how to control and dispose of invasive species and help prevent their spread.

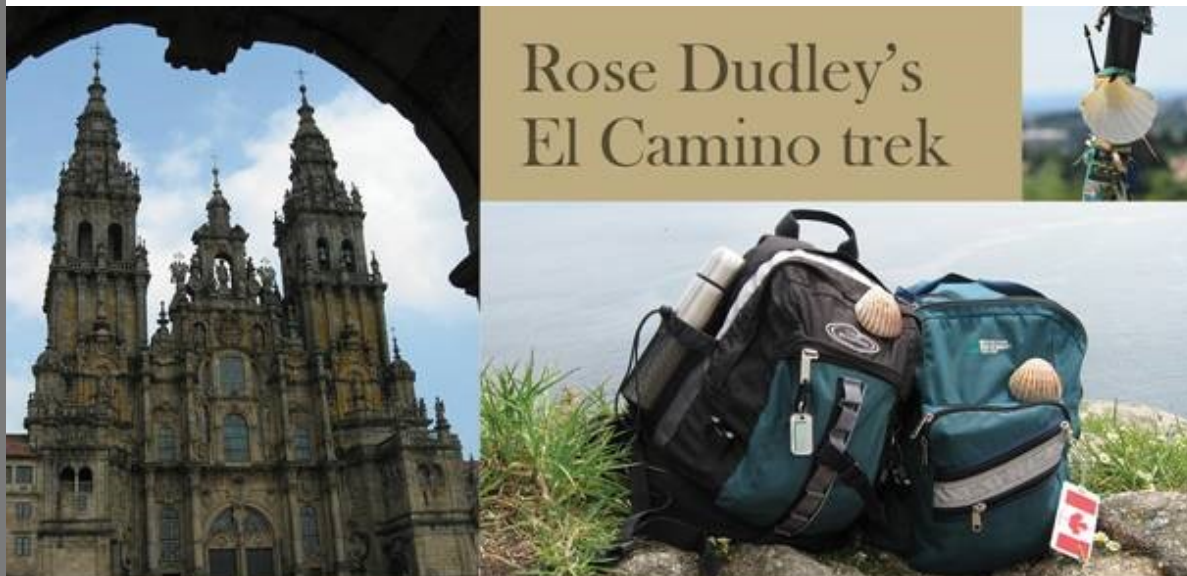
Note: All meetings take place in Council Chambers unless otherwise noted. The Village Office is open until 6:30 pm on Regular Council Meeting nights. Please check the Meeting Calendar for changes or cancellations.

COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

No Council meetings until September for summer break. Stay tuned!

[Meeting Calendar](#)

What's happening in the community?



Rose Dudley's
El Camino trek

Author Rose Dudley will read from her article about her El Camino trek. Reference to flute is that a member of Rose's walking group played the flute in each church along the pilgrimage.
Date: July 25, 2019 Time: 7:00 – 10:00 pm

Lions Bay Arts
CONNECTED THROUGH THE ARTS

Next in our Celebrating Arts! Series sponsored by Dodd Financial Group....

Author Rose Dudley will read from her article about her El Camino trek. Reference to flute is that a member of Rose's walking group played the flute in each church along the pilgrimage. Mary McLaughlin and Mary Brown will perform a flute concert after the reading.

We will be serving Spanish tapas, sangria, Spanish wine

Date: July 25, 2019

Time: 7:00 – 10:00 pm

Place: 180 Highview Place

Tickets are \$20.00 per person and include food and refreshments.

Request tickets at: tickets@lionsbayarts.ca

Limit of 26 people

Open to members of Lions Bay Arts
Memberships available on request at info@lionsbayarts.ca

Click [here](#) to read about Rose Dudley.



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SUBMIT YOUR
PHOTOS TO
calendar@lionsbayarts.ca
before
31 August 2019

CALL FOR PHOTOS

2020 LIONS BAY ARTS
CALENDAR

PHOTOS NEED TO BE HIGH RESOLUTION

PHOTOS NEED TO BE LANDSCAPE/HORIZONTAL

WE LISTENED!
We thank you for your feedback for our 2019 Lions Bay Arts Calendar and we will take all your thoughts & comments into consideration for the 2020 issue!

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