

Island Health has been encouraging nurses to make an important difference to its teams by working on a casual basis in North Vancouver Island - and nurses have been answering the call!

Meet Kiara Campbell, a registered nurse who works part time in the Nanaimo Regional General Hospital emergency department and has also recently been picking up casual shifts at Port Hardy Hospital, Port McNeill Hospital and Cormorant Island Health Centre.

"I requested casual work in North Vancouver Island because I love the travel aspect and meeting new people. So far I have worked four shifts and would love to come back," she says.

"I am enjoying the volume of patients as well as the beauty of the surrounding areas. When the nurse-to-patient ratio is appropriate, it really makes a difference to the care that we can give our patients. It makes me love my job again and realize why I went into nursing in the first place."

Our heartfelt thanks to Kiara and all of the other dedicated nurses who are joining Island Health's broad, interprofessional North Vancouver Island teams, working in exciting practices, and treating patients throughout the continuum of care, all the while surrounded by our beautiful coastal landscape and culturally rich communities.

For more information on both casual and full-time opportunities in North Vancouver Island

please visit https://www.islandhealth.ca/careers/north-vancouver-island

Matinee Movies

April 2, 2023 Osmosis Jones at 2:00 pm April 16, 2023 Gnomeo and Juliet at 2:00pm



At the Gatehouse For more Information visit www.gatehouseca.org

April 22, 2023

10 am to 2 pm

at the Lions Hall. Port McNeill

Gardners, growers & foragers welcome to the annual springtime seed exchange. Bring seeds you would like to

share or choose something new to grow.

The break-out room will host a variety of gardening ideas

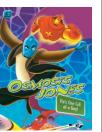
presented by local expertise.

Agenda will be posted closer to the date.

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FARMERS & ARTISANS MARKET

Sponsor



Live Music

April 1, 2023 - Fred Penner at 2:00pm and 7:00pm April 15, 2023 - Garret Willie at 8:00pm (Licensed)

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Volunteers Needed

Do you have experience in theatre and interested in working with youth?

Sequoia would love to chat with you!!! You can find our "contact coordinator" button on our website under After School Drama Programs. Interested in directing? Gate House needs more willing directors to help our solo director out. We would love to provide more plays throughout the year, but we need more hands on deck to do so.

You can find out more info or contact to sign up, via our "Contact Coordinator" button on our website.

Building Permits

When making any structural changes or building a deck you need to apply for a building permit. Having a building permit ensures that your building meets the BC Building Code and provides health and safety protection of persons and property. All renovations at commercial locations need a permit. If you are unsure if you need a permit please contact the Town Office at 250-956-3111 or reception@portmcneill.ca





Door Prizes

Kids Activities

Vendors Welcome

(contact NIFAM)

KWIKW Athletics Club Are you interested in running, throwing, jumping?

BC ATHLETICS Derivert: Futures - Exetus

I am looking for Athletes ages 9+ and parents to create the KWIKW Athletics Club in Port McNeill No experience necessary, and no cost to join unless you want to compete in sanctioned Track and Field Meets. Athletes can come out to learn a new sport or train to develop their skills further on Port McNeill's newly resurfaced track. Please call Kathryn Wykes 250-956-4640 or email katwykes@gmail.com for all inquiries and interest. Club membership registration through BC Athletics.



Town Office Hours

OPEN: 8:30am-4:30pm, Monday to Friday Phone: 250-956-3111

For emergencies after hours call 250-956-4521

Harbour Office & Visitor Center Hours

OPEN: 9:00am - 4:30pm Monday to Saturday Closed from 12:00 -1:00pm for lunch & Closed Sundays Phone: 250-956-3881

Both Town & Harbour Office will be closed April 7-10, 2023

Recycling pick-up days								FOX'S DISPOSAL
Garbage pick-up days								Serving the North Island since 1970.
								Town of Port McNeill
April								Recycling pick-up days Garbage pick-up days
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						1		If your recycling contains non-recyclable items your bin
2	3	4	5	6	7	8		will be left behind.
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9	10		12	13	14	15		- Glass bottles/Jars - Polystyrene Styrofoam
16	17	18	19	20	21	22		(NO Packing Peanuts) - Plastic film
23	24	25	26	27	28	29		 Plastic grocery bags, saran wrap, frozen veggie bags)
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30								Take refundables to a depot or store for refund or save for bottle drives to support local groups.

Rugged and Wild Race

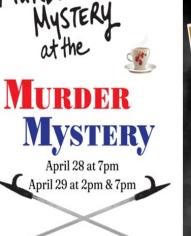
Save The Date – May 6, 2023 Port McNeill Rotary Club is hosting their Rugged and Wild Race. Watch for Posters with details coming soon.



PORT MCNEILL, BC

For 3 days, Wild Songs By The Sea Festival will showcase local talent, local musicians, crafters, and educators to provide a multi-faceted, inspiring festival. For more information email info@wildheartsmusic.org

The Gate House Community Senior Drama Club Presents The MURDER



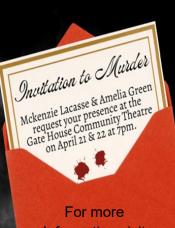
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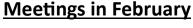
MAY 5-7,2023

Gate House Community Theatre Junior

Drama Club Presents



Information visit www.gatehouseca.org



Committee of the Whole

April 4, 2023 in the Council Chambers at 9:00am **Regular Meeting of Council** April 11 & 25, 2023 in the Council Chambers at 7:00pm Harbour Advisor Meeting April 6, 2023 in the Harbour Office at 7:00pm **Tourism Committee** April 13, 2023 in the Museum at 7:00pm

Parks and Recreation Committee

April 24, 2023 in the Council Chambers at 6:00pm

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Port McNeill Harbour

2023-2024 Annual Boat Launch and Parking Passes are available for April 1st Annual Moorage for the Harbour's Municipal and Federal Docks have been invoiced for March 31. Visit the Harbour office for more information. 2023 Harbour Rates are posted at www.portmcneill.ca



