

"The Feather", Aboriginal Learning memo, keeps you up-to-date on events and news related to our department. Submissions are accepted (kerins l@surreyschools.ca) up to noon on the previous Friday.

**COVID-19 Immunization Clinics at Fraser Region Aboriginal Friendship** Indigenous clinics start June 11<sup>th</sup> at FRAFCA every Friday and Saturday. See poster.

#### **Indigenous Immunization Clinic Schedule – May 2021**

FNHA has provided the following resources – See Attached:

- <u>Indigenous Immunization Clinic Schedule May 2021</u>
- Plan for your COVID-19 vaccine!
- Making an Informed Decision
- Which Path Will You Take?

Please share widely!

# Registration still open for High School Emerging Indigenous Scholars Virtual Summer Camp

Indigenous Education and Services at snəweyəl leləm Langara College, UBC Faculty of Mathematics, UBC Faculty of Science, and the Pacific Institute for the Mathematical Sciences (PIMS) will be running the **Emerging Indigenous Scholars Virtual Summer Camp** from July 5, 2021 to August 6, 2021. Applications are still open. Please share this opportunity with your Indigenous high school students. **Deadline to apply is Friday, May 28, 2021.** 

Click here for more information.

### **Indigenous History Month Did you know that June is Indigenous History Month?**

In honour of Indigenous History Month, the Gord Downie & Chanie Wenjack Fund is pleased to present a series of four virtual events in celebration of the diversity of Indigenous Peoples across Canada. Throughout the month of June, they will be featuring Indigenous Elders, Knowledge Keepers, artists, and allies from communities coast to coast. To find out more and register click here.

#### National Indigenous Peoples Day: June 21, 2021

National Indigenous Peoples Day is on Monday, June 21st, 2021. What is your location planning? Please post videos and pictures of how your school/location honours National Indigenous Peoples Day 2021 on Twitter #sd36AbEd

#### **Professional Learning**

Have you seen the modules from the *BC Campus Indigenization Project*? BC Campus states that "one of the goals of the Indigenization project was to co-create open educational resources that support faculty and staff with the incorporation of Indigenous epistemologies into professional practice, enabling post-secondary institutions to continue to build the structures and processes by which Indigenous students experience their post-secondary education in resonance with their own lives, worldviews, and ambitions" reference. Although the guides were written with post secondary education as the focus, what can K-12 education systems learn from these modules? The modules include: *Foundations, Teachers and Instructors, Front Line Staff, Advisors and Student Services, Leaders and Administrators, Curriculum Developers* and a *Researcher Module* is under development. You can access all the guides here.

### **BC 3C Challenge**

https://www.bc3cchallenge.org/about-3c

## **2021 Summer Mathematics Program (for Indigenous students <u>entering</u> Grade 8 to 12)**

The 2021 Summer Mathematics Program (for Indigenous students entering Grade 8 to 12) – Student <u>information poster</u> and <u>application form</u>. Please return the completed application form to <u>kerins\_1@surreyschools.ca</u> by no later than June 11<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

#### **Miscellaneous Information**

First Nations Health Authority - Supporting Access to Care During COVID-19 - Free Tablet Distribution - Fact Sheet & FAQs

First Nation/ SPARC Tablet Request form

<u>Indigenous Cultural Safety – Webinar – June 8<sup>th</sup></u>

Indian Residential School Survivors Society – day school coordinator letter

Indian Residential School Survivors Society - Murdered and Missing Indigenous Women and

Girls Coordinator letter

FNHA – Virtual Doctor of the Day

Indigenous Cultural Services Liaison

Indigenous Health and Wellness Clinic Brochure

FRAFCA - <u>Hart Tourism Ambassador</u> Training

FRAFCA – Culinary Program

Cultural Resources, Activities and Events

First Nations Health Authority – Mental Health Fact Sheet

First Nations Health Authority – Took Kit

Lighthearted Resources

Keepsafe Connections for Indigenous Youth

Indigenous Child & Youth Mental Health Services – Fraser Salish Region – East

First Nations Health Authority – February 19th Resource Compilation