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HOT TIPS Labour Market

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Upcoming Events and Programs

- Join us for **Hot Leads** as we explore local labour market information and job postings! Attend in person (at the Career Centre) or via Zoom. Register today: 250.248.3205. (Times and dates vary from week to week to accommodate other programs so please ensure you register and confirm.)

- Check out our calendar of upcoming workshops and book to either attend in-person or via Zoom! Our employment services are available both in-person or virtually, by appointment. Topics include **"Career Planning"**, "**Resumes and Cover Letters**", "**Acing the Interview"** and **"Branding You"**. Give us a call at 250.248.3205 for all of your employment needs!

Labour Market Information, Business Buzz and Training Opportunities

- **Full-time jobs rebound, part-timers set back in B.C. COVID-19 recovery**

B.C.'s full-time employment rebounded by more than 21,000 in May, offset by a loss of more than 23,000 part-time jobs as the province emerged from its COVID-19 restrictions on indoor dining and travel after the Victoria Day weekend. https://bit.ly/35p1Gex

- **Surrey Board of Trade: BC's job recovery continues**

BC'S job recovery continues slightly in May 2021, particularly impacting certain goods and service industries, partly from public health restrictions, however, recovery should pick up with the easing of restrictions in BC's Restart Plan and increased vaccinations," said Anita Huberman, CEO, Surrey Board of Trade, reviewing the May 2021 Labour Force Statistics on Friday. https://bit.ly/3xnAglh

- **Top 10 Best Cities for Technology Jobs in Canada**

Canada immigration news: the best places to find technology jobs in Canada https://bit.ly/2TDoKDy

- **B.C.'s minimum wage increases to $15.20 an hour on June 1**

Over the last four years, the province's minimum wage has steadily gone up from $11.35 an hour in 2017 to $15.20 on June 1, 2021.

- **CRA & Service Canada upcoming joint virtual presentations**

Canada Revenue Agency and Service Canada are please to offer the following joint live webinars.

Seniors Benefits and Credits Presentation

Doing your taxes has its benefits! Benefits, credits and deductions you could be eligible for are the Disability Tax Credit, GST/HST credit, medical expenses, Canada caregiver credit and pension income splitting. Other government departments also use your tax information to calculate your payments, such as the guaranteed income supplement. If you do your taxes after the filing

deadline, your payments could be delayed. What are the OAS/GIS/CPP pensions? How do you find benefits? Tips on communicating with Service Canada and other common benefits.
Click here to register for Wednesday June 16, 2021 at 10:00am Pacific Daylight Time
Click here to register for Wednesday July 7, 2021 at 1:30pm Pacific Daylight Time
Click here to register for Tuesday July 13, 2021 at 1:30pm Pacific Daylight Time

Persons with Disabilities Presentation
Benefits and credits available to you! If you live with a disability or have a dependent with a disability, there are benefits and tax credits available to you and the people who support you. You may be eligible for the Disability tax credit, medical expenses, Canada caregiver credit, and the Child disability benefit. What do you need to know as you get older and transition from disability payments to pensions? Tips on getting the most from your interactions with Service Canada. What is the RDSP and where can you learn more? How to find benefits that may be available to you.
Click here to register for Wednesday June 23, 2021 at 1:30pm Pacific Daylight Time

General Benefits and Credits Presentation
Don't miss out on the benefits and credits to which you may be entitled. You may be eligible for the Canada child benefit, Disability tax credit, Child disability benefit, Goods and Services Tax/Harmonized Sales Tax Credit, and the Canada Workers Benefit. If you do your taxes after the filing deadline, your payments could be delayed
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International Students Presentation
International students, if you are a resident of Canada for income tax purposes, there are benefit and credit payments you may be eligible to receive. You may be eligible for the Goods and Services Tax/Harmonized Sales Tax Credit, the tuition tax credit, the Disability tax credit, the Canada child benefit, and/or the Child disability benefit.
Click here to register for Thursday June 24, 2021 at 1:30pm Pacific Daylight Time

Indigenous Peoples Benefits and Credits Presentation
Don't miss out on the benefits and credits to which you may be entitled. You may be eligible for the Canada child benefit, Disability tax credit, Child disability benefit, Goods and Services Tax/Harmonized Sales Tax Credit, and the Canada Workers Benefit. Also, find out how to apply for, and if you are eligible for, the new Canada Recovery Benefits. Tips on how to prepare for and contact Service Canada. Apply for pensions online and access your EI information with the My Service Canada Account. Do you know where to find the benefits you may qualify for? Are you taking advantage of Government Grants and Bonds?
Click here to register for Thursday July 8, 2021 at 1:30pm Pacific Daylight Time
Click here to register for Thursday July 29, 2021 at 1:30pm Pacific Daylight Time

Benefits and Credits for Caregivers Presentation
As a caregiver for an individual with a physical or mental impairment there may be benefits and tax credits available to you! Join this webinar to obtain more information about the following topics: Canada Recovery Caregiving Benefit (CRCB), Canada Caregiver Credit, Medical Expenses, and Slam the scam. Other topics covered include an overview of what Service Canada does, tips on getting the most from your interactions with Service Canada, how to find benefits you may be entitled to, My Service Canada Account, and how an online account can help you.
Click here to register for Wednesday July 21, 2021 at 1:30pm Pacific Daylight Time

Curious about what occupations you can switch to based on your current or past occupation?
Try out the WorkBC Career Transition tool to see what careers you could transition to:
https://www.workbc.ca/careertransitiontool/

Statistics Canada is currently hiring approximately 32,000 people for **Census Enumerator** and **Crew Leader** positions across Canada to assist in census data collection activities. Information collected via the Census is utilized by communities for planning schools, daycare, housing, hospitals, emergency services, roads, public transportation, and employment skills training. Applicants must be 18 years of age or older, a Canadian citizen, or otherwise eligible to work in Canada and be flexible and available to work 20 to 40 hours per week. **To find out more, visit Census Jobs: https://census.gc.ca/jobs-emplois-eng.htm**

Employer of the Month. Each month, the Career Centre highlights a local employer for you. We ask a collection of questions about their organization and hiring needs. Collectively, there are over 60 profiles on our website for you to access during your job search. This month, we are pleased to feature Surfside RV Park, a destination RV resort which has operated successfully in Parksville for over 3 decades.

Local Construction, Production and Landscaping jobs - Our region is experiencing a noticeable increase in the number of postings for positions in irrigation, landscaping, cabinet assembly, and most aspects of residential construction (framing, roofing, gutter installation, excavating etc). As well, healthcare facilities, retailers, food service operators, and resorts are recruiting for full and part time positions. Be sure to check our Job Board daily!

Stay Job-Ready: FREE Online Training
When you're looking for employment it's important to have confidence in the skills you list on your resume, and you are genuinely prepared to apply them once hired. It can also be anticipated that some employers may request job applicants to perform tests as part of the job interview process to demonstrate their skills. Keep your current skills fresh and learn new skills online for FREE.

Global Community Foundations (GCF) offers a wide range of online video tutorials to help individuals learn and practice computer programs (Office and Excel, for example), core reading and math skills, workplace and communication skills, the strategic use of social media and more:
https://edu.gcfglobal.org/en/

Udemy has a selection of free tutorials that cover such areas as computer program training (Adobe and Powerpoint, for example) and communication and leadership skills:
https://www.udemy.com/courses/free/

Khan Academy provides courses at many levels, from elementary foundational skills to upper level high school and college courses in such areas as computing and economics:
https://www.khanacademy.org/

The following Job Boards, Search Engines, and Job Index links and shortened URLs are provided as a convenience and for informational purposes only; they do not constitute an endorsement or an approval by the Parksville Career Centre of any of the products, services or opinions of the corporation or organization. The Career Centre bears no responsibility for the accuracy, legality, or content of the external site or for that of subsequent links. Contact the external site for answers to questions regarding its content. URLs have been shortened for ease of display and use. (Note: If the link does not open the website directly, please copy and paste the link into your browser. Failed links may be reported to: info@careercentre.org) ***Some job boards/ indexes require you to create a user profile and password or use an existing social media profile.***

Central Vancouver Island WorkBC Centres	
WorkBC Parksville (Career Centre)	https://www.careercentre.org/find-a-job/
WorkBC Alberni Employment	https://avemployment.ca/

Government Job Boards	Main Domain	Local Region Link
WorkBC (Provincial)	www.workbc.ca	https://bit.ly/32MYjNO
Service Canada Job Bank	www.jobbank.gc.ca	https://bit.ly/3nr2h6z

Job Boards/Indexes	Main Domain	Local Link (if applicable)
Aboriginal HR Council Jobs	https://bit.ly/32OtFUb	
BC Education Jobs	https://bit.ly/3f4N4oM	https://bit.ly/35Ech6j
BC Jobs	www.bcjobs.ca	https://bit.ly/3nv92nL
British Columbia Jobs	www.britishcolumbiajobs.com	
Canadian Armed Forces	www.forces.ca/en/careers	
Career Jet	www.careerjet.ca	
Charity Village (Non-Profit Jobs)	https://bit.ly/3kzhFfe	
Eluta	www.eluta.ca	https://bit.ly/2ILjlVY
Environmental Jobs (Eco Canada)	https://www.eco.ca/JobBoard/	https://bit.ly/3lH51vV
Forestry Jobs	https://www.canadian-forests.com/job.html	
Glass Door	www.glassdoor.com	
Facebook -- Parksville - Qualicum Beach Help Wanted		https://bit.ly/36Gm7nm
Facebook -- Parksville & Qualicum Beach Area Job Postings		https://bit.ly/35GxdcQ
Hospitality Jobs	https://www.hcareers.com/	
INDEED	https://indeed.ca	https://indeedhi.re/2H03pP1
Kijiji	www.kijiji.ca	https://bit.ly/3lCJ2q7
LinkedIn	www.linkedin.com	https://bit.ly/3pzGV8W
Local Work BC	www.localworkbc.ca	https://bit.ly/2HbABDg
Mining Jobs	https://www.northernminerjobs.com/	
Mining Jobs	www.careermine.com	
Monster Jobs	www.monster.ca	https://bit.ly/3lEsspE
Neuvoo	www.neuvoo.ca	https://bit.ly/32OadXq
Newspapers - Classified Index	https://www.bcclassifieds.com/	
Red Seal Recruiting	https://bit.ly/2UAefyb	
Simply Hired	www.simplyhired.ca	https://bit.ly/3lCKMQb

Student Job Index (Talent Egg)	www.talentegg.ca	
Tourism Employment (GO2HR)	https://www.go2hr.ca	https://bit.ly/3kD2T79
Used Nanaimo	https://bit.ly/2IJML72	
VIATEC Tech jobs	https://bit.ly/3f5sGE2	
We Work Remotely	https://weworkremotely.com/	
Workopolis	www.workopolis.com	https://bit.ly/32Q9qVU
WOW Jobs	www.wowjobs.ca	https://bit.ly/36GzCDR
LOCAL GOVERNMENT JOB BOARD/OPPORTUNITIES		
City of Parksville	https://bit.ly/36Fbamd	
Town of Qualicum Beach	https://bit.ly/35BGbIo	
District of Lantzville	https://bit.ly/36EV2kA	
City of Port Alberni	https://bit.ly/3nA4DjD	
Regional District of Nanaimo Jobs	https://bit.ly/2IEirdE	
City of Nanaimo Jobs	https://bit.ly/2INafYr	
Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District	https://bit.ly/36Fea1X	
Island Health	https://bit.ly/35yTbyp	
Municipal Job Board (Canada)	www.civicjobs.ca	
BC Government Job Board	https://www.civicinfo.bc.ca/careers	https://bit.ly/38T27AD
Vancouver Island University	https://bit.ly/38QIxFs	
CAREER RESEARCH and SKILL BUILDING		
WorkBC Career Tool Kit	https://bit.ly/3mLbSED	
GCF Learn Free - Computer	https://edu.gcfglobal.org/en/	
ONetOnline – Job Abstract Data	https://www.onetonline.org/	
Career Trek Videos	https://www.careertrekbc.ca/	

Job Search Tip

- **The June Tip of the Month can be found here!**