



# Jobs and More...

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***“Feeling confident, or pretending that you feel confident, is necessary to reach for opportunities. It’s a cliché, but opportunities are rarely offered, they’re seized.”***

– Sheryl Sandberg (Technology Executive, philanthropist, and Former Chief Operations Officer of Meta Platforms)



**CNC Router Operator** – Express Custom Trailer Mfg. Inc.

**Administrative Assistant** – Little Qualicum Cheeseworks

**Plumber** – Browns Plumbing and Gas

**Farm Team Member** – Fierce Love Farm

**Counter Sales (Electrical)** – E.B. Horsman & Son

**Construction Labourer** – Distinctive Exteriors Inc.

**Server** – De L’île Restaurant

**Duradek and Railing Installer** – AV Deck Shop

**Chef De Partie** – De L’île Restaurant

**Executive Director** – Oceanside Hospice Society

**Branch Manager** – Royal Canadian Legion Branch 76 Qualicum Beach

**Parts, Service and Sales** – Isle Golf Cars



### Be Your Own Boss!

Starting a business can often be the best way for a person to get back into the workforce.

[Find out more here!](#)



### Support for Success

As a Career Centre client, you may be eligible for personal counselling sessions in support of your employment goal. Please speak with your Employment Consultant to learn more.



New Jobs posted daily on our  
**Career Centre Job Board**

[Click here to view over 80 different industry Job Boards!](#)



Our website features over 90 different "Tips" as a "**Tip of the Month**".

Have a look through and let us know what you find to be interesting and helpful this month!



Are you considering a career as an **Early Childhood Educator**?

Learn about potential positions and what you might expect to earn on the **Career Profile**.



### ***Low Cost Dental Service Options Available***

Code Dental Clinic is a non-profit dental clinic that provides extractions and restorative procedures at half the cost of a regular clinic. Click **here** for more information.

As well, students in the VIU dental assistant and dental hygiene programs can provide cost-effective dental care for your entire family. Click **here** for more details about services provided.

### ***Career Discovery Quizzes***

Learn more about yourself and explore what careers might be the best fit for you! Assess your talents, identify your work preferences, and explore your interests with WorkBC's **Discovery Quizzes**.



**Check out our many workshops!!**

***Effective Workplace Communication; Critical Thinking and Problem Solving; Emotional Intelligence for the Workplace; and Managing Conflict - How to Resolve Disputes and Build Trust*** are several new workshop topics which may be of interest!

You can attend in-person or via Zoom.

**Call to Register: 250.248.3205**

(Times and dates vary from week to week to accommodate other programs so please ensure you register and confirm.)



**Don't feel like going out?**

**Learn at your own pace from the comfort of your home!**

**Check out these FREE opportunities for Online Learning:**

*Resume Essentials, Acing the Interview and Cover Letters.*

## What's Trending...

### **NPower Canada - FREE Tech Training**

Train to be a **Junior IT Analyst, Junior Data Analyst** or a **Security Operations Analyst** with NPower Canada. Eighty percent of participants secure employment within 6 months of completion. These three month online training programs are tuition FREE with funding from industry supporters and the Government of Canada. Applications being accepted now.

### **WorkBC Career Transition Tool**

Looking for a new career? Find out what careers you may be able to transition to based on your current occupation. If you would like additional assistance in navigating a career change, reach out to your local **WorkBC Office!**

### **North Island College Career and Education Festival 2024**

NIC's second-annual career and education festival is back this March — and you're invited! Whether you're pursuing post-secondary education for the first time or exploring your next career step, join us on-campus for tours, information, feature talks, prizes and much more.

- **Campbell River campus: Tuesday, March 12, 2-6 pm**
- **Comox Valley campus: Thursday, March 14, 2-6 pm**

## **Mentorship and digital skills development improve prospects for B.C. immigrants**

With unemployment rising, newcomers are more likely to suffer the impact, but mentorship and work-integrated learning programs could improve job prospects.

## **Youth benefit from significant increase in mental-health, addiction care**

More young people will have better access to vital health-care services closer to home, such as primary care, counselling, early intervention, prevention and addictions supports, with 10 new Foundry centres throughout the province.

## **In Case You Missed It...**

### **It's tax time: Here's what you need to know for the 2023 filing season (Financial Post)**

Tax season is officially upon us and Canadians can now file their 2023 personal tax returns online. Here's what's new for the 2023 return, and some things to keep in mind as you get ready to file.

### **Need Help Filing Your Tax Return?**

The SOS Income Tax program provides assistance with the preparation of basic income tax returns for low-income individuals, seniors, and families. The program works in conjunction with the Revenue Canada Community Volunteer Income Tax Program.

### **Employer of the Month**

#### **The 2024 Hiring Fair Participants are featured as our Employer of the Month**

You can learn more about each organization, and what they are looking for in an employee. The 2024 Hiring Fair may be over, but you can still connect with employers and apply!



### **The Tutoring Program**



**Free one-on-one tutoring** is available at the Career Centre for adults needing assistance with reading, writing, English as a second language, math, or basic computer skills.

#### **For more info please contact:**

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