

BC METIS FEDERATION

Monthly Newsletter

Métis COFFEE TALK



Hosted by Keith Henry

Metis Coffee Talk - 7PM Thursday, March 23, 2023

METIS COFFEE TALK AIRS LIVE THIS THURSDAY!

Metis Coffee Talk is going LIVE for our first episode of the year on our Facebook Page on Thursday, March 23rd!

Join BCMF President Keith Henry and Vice President Rene Therrien for a great discussion, fiddle tunes, and an update from the Federation.

Tune in LIVE at 7 pm PST on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/bcmetis
If you have questions or topics you want to see on the show, please email k.henry@bcmetis.com.



2023 TOWN HALL SERIES

BC Metis Federation has hosted several successful community events across the province to celebrate Métis culture, discuss employment, training and procurement opportunities, and provide an update on available programs and services for BCMF Members and our Partner Communities.

We have visited our Partner Communities in the Okanagan, Terrace, Lower Mainland, and North Thompson. We want to thank our membership and team for their hard work executing these critical events.

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FROM OUR PAST. FOR OUR FUTURE.**

UPCOMING JOB FAIR

Come see us in person at the Kelowna Hiring & Post-Secondary Education Event!

The Bridge Youth & Family Services is helping people to find jobs for multiple positions! Come to the Coast Capri Hotel Kelowna to meet with a variety of recruiters.

BCMF's Employment Coordinator, Karen Andrews will be onsite to meet with job seekers, and provide recommendations for your job search!

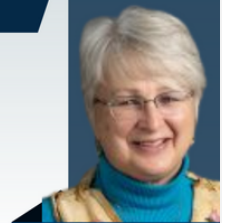


**WE HELP METIS PEOPLE
FIND JOBS**

**BRING YOUR RESUME AND
CHAT WITH KAREN AT THE
KELOWNA CAREER EVENT!**

March 30th, 2023 from
11:00am - 3:00pm at the
Coast Capri Hotel - 1171
Harvey Avenue, Kelowna

 **EMAIL KAREN TODAY**
Employment@bcmetis.com



BCMF PUBLISHES MEMBERSHIP SURVEY FOR CULTURAL CENTRE

BC Métis Federation is asking for your direct feedback on a potential new cultural centre showcasing the culture, language, and history of Métis in British Columbia. As a respected member or partner of BCMF, we look to you to provide us with your input in a short survey.

The survey should only take ~6 minutes of your time.

Background

Over the last two years, BCMF has been working on “Project Coming Home”, a Métis cultural revitalization project. The vision is to open the BC Métis Cultural Centre—a space of inclusion and diversity that showcases the rich culture of Métis peoples in BC.

The proposed cultural centre would be adjacent to Vancouver's BCMF office. The space would include an archive and room for cultural sharing and workshops. A small retail component will also be part of the facility.

BCMF plans to undertake an implementation study in September 2023 and then move to construction, with the opening of the BC Métis Cultural Centre scheduled for fall 2024.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/metis-cultural-centre>

About the BC Métis Federation

The BC Métis Federation (BCMF) is a non-profit association that works to ensure the well-being of its growing membership across British Columbia (BC). Through capacity building, advocacy, and cultural revitalization efforts, BCMF works to advance Métis knowledge and self-determination and to encourage the use of the Michif language.

Learn More >>

The BCMF office is located in Vancouver, British Columbia, on the unceded territory of the Coast Salish peoples, including the territories of the x̣m̄əθkw̄əȳəm (Musqueam), Skwxw̄7mesh (Squamish) and Səl̓ilw̓ətaʔ/Səl̓ilw̓itulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

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