



NISGA'A NATION CULTURAL EVENTS CALENDAR

Announcements courtesy of Nisga'a Lisims Government

Please provide the date(s), name of event, location and if applicable—the tribe(s) and the Wilp(s) involved. Please also remember to have the location of your event secured or reserved only after approval has been received from your respective Village Government Office, prior to submitting your announcement to NLG.

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FEBRUARY 2013

HOBIIYEE 2013

FEB 22 & 23, 2013

HOSTING:

GITWINKSIHLKW COMMUNITY
TS'OHL TS'AP MEMORIAL CENTRE

Contact: Alvin Azak: (250)633-2294
Ron Nyce: (250)633-2965

MARCH 2013

16 Family Reunion

Wilps Kw'axsuu, Stuart Doolan
Gans Ki'isliisyaan, George Nelson
Nisga'a Hall
Prince Rupert, B.C.

APRIL 2013

5 TRADITIONAL HEALING / MEDICINES WORKSHOP

VENUE: TBD

HOSTED by: W.E.L.L.N.E.S.S.
SOCIETY.

Contact: Maureen Morven @
(250)633-2113 or Eva McMillan
@ (250)633-2807

12/13 SETTLEMENT FEAST
FOR THE LATE
ALLAN CALDER
Gisk'aast, Wilps
Wisin Xbiftkw, Andrew Mercer
LAXGALTS'AP, B.C.

20 RECOGNITION DINNER
FOR EDMOND WRIGHT
NEW AIYANSH REC CENTRE

MAY 2013

3 / 4 STONEMOVING

FOR THE LATE
Robert Stewart Sr.
Hazel Frew
Canada
Wilps Ksim Xsaan,
Oscar Mercer
Gingolx, B.C.

11 Birthday Celebration

William (Bill) Adams
(81 years Old, May 8)
Helen Kingston, (May 1
77 years Old)
Gitmidlik Auditorium
Gilaxt'aamiks, B.C.

17 / 18 WEDDING

**Sheldon Martin (Robinson) /
Christine Smith**
Gisk'aast / Canada
**Wilps Ni'isyuus, Willard Martin/
Haida / Ts'imshian Nation**

Two day celebration
Friday, May 17, Cultural Day with
Traditional song and dance
(Laxgalts'ap, B.C.)
Sat, May 18, Wedding in Laxgalts'ap,
B.C.

GITMAXMAK'AY 1ST ANNUAL SALMON FESTIVAL

MAY 24 & 25, 2013,

Prince Rupert, B.C.

Jim Ciccone Civic Center

Contact info if any groups
Would like to perform.

Salmonfestival@live.com or call

Marlena @ (250)627-1595 or

Daisy Clayton: 778-884-9254 or

On Facebook: "1st Annual Prince
Rupert Salmon Festival"

GINGOLX ACW ANNUAL
MAY 24, 25, & 26, 2013
GINGOLX REC CENTRE
GINGOLX, B.C.
CONTACT: CHERYL DOOLAN,
(250)326-4304

31/1 STONE MOVING

FOR THE LATE
DEVIN CHARLES AZAK-DAVIS
LAXGIBUU

WILPS Axgwindaskw,
Clifford Azak
Gitwinksihkw, B.C.

JUNE 2013

1 WEDDING

Tara Stewart /

Gary McKinnen

Laxsgiik / Little frog (Alk-sil-u)
Wilps Gitxhoon
Daughter: Karen Stewart &
Roy Ridsdale
Grandfather: the late
Robert Stewart Sr.
Son: Gary Kinnen Sr. &
Barbara Skaling
Smithers, B.C.

4 WWNI

CONVOCATION GRADS 2013.

Tues, JUNE 4, 2013
1 PM SHARP
3 - Master of Arts, MA
3 - Bachelor of Arts, BA
13 - Certificates in Nisga'a
Language & Culture

15 CELEBRATION OF WEDDING

Banquet / Dance
DANIEL WILSON /
SHELLEY JOHNSON
Gisk'aast / Ganada
Wilps Wii Seek's gans Wilps
Ksim Xsaan
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C.
(Wedding will take place:
Feb 16, 2013, Prince George, BC)

20 WEDDING

Thurs, June 20, 2013
Anthony Moore / Joleene Wells
Laxsgiik / Gisk'aast
Nisga'a / Wet'suwet'en /
Nisga'a / Tsimshian
(Son of the Late Gerald Bazil and
The late Elizabeth Moore)
(Daughter of the Late Joe Robinson
And Lillian Stephens)
Terrace, B.C.

Sat, June 22, 2013

N.E.S.S. GRAD

Nisga'a Elementary Sec School
1 pm
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C.

28/29 WEDDING

TYREL JANZEN / TAWNI EII
Gisk'aast / Laxsgiik
Wilps Wisin Xbiltkw, Andrew Mercer
Gans Hleek, Joe Gosnell Sr.
(Tyrel's parents: David &
Dee Dee Janzen)
(Tawni's parents: Steven & Denise Eli)
New Aiyansh, B.C.

29 Wedding

Clint Barton / Crystal Quash
Laxsgiik / Ganada
Wilps Kwa K'aans gans
Wilps Nii'isjoohl
(Crystal's Parents: Victoria (Vicky) Stevens
& Ernie Quash.
(Clint's Parents: The Late Elsie Martin
(nee Angus) &
The Late Nathan Barton)
Terrace, B.C.

July 2013

5 & 6 WEDDING

Jacob Davis / Adelynn (Addie)
McMillan.
Laxsgiik / Laxgibuu
Wilps Gitxhoon, Ernest Morven
Gans Wilps Axwindaskw,
Clifford Azak
(Jacob's parents: Ron and Lorna
Davis.)
(Adelynn's parents: Melinda
McMillan and Late Kelly
McMillan.)
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C.

20 WEDDING

Kimberly Munroe /
Franklin McDonald
Laxgibuu / Laxsgiik
Kim's parent: Kathleen Munroe
& the Late Sam Munroe.
Frank's parents: Alexis Lundquist &
Edward McDonald
Terrace, B.C.

27 WEDDING

William Morrison /
Kyra Price
Ganada / Gisk'aast, Port Simpson
Wilps Adii Wil Luugooda
Williams' Mother: Brenda Morrison
Kyra's Mother: Denise Clifton
Terrace Arena,
Terrace, B.C.

AUGUST 2013

2 / 3 WEDDING

JACOB PHILLIP MCKAY /
LILLIAN GURNEY
Wilps Duuk' gans Ni'isyuus
(Son of the Late Dr. Jacob McKay
And Nora McKay)
(Daughter of Chester Gurney &
Maryanne Stanley)
Laxgalts'ap B.C.

10 WEDDING

26/27 MAGGIE BRIGHT /
Monsur Ken Ogungbade (Nigeria)
Laxgibuu, Wilps Duuk'
Daughter of Dorcus & Arnie Stewart
Laxgalts'ap, B.C.

17 WEDDING

NATHAN MAXWELL / HOLLY TAIT
Laxgibuu / Ganada
Wilps Nagwa'un, Rod Maxwell
gans
Wilps Ksim Xsaan, Oscar Mercer
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C.

24 **WEDDING**

Johanna Gray Williams /
Curtis Baker
Gisk'aast / Squamish
Wilps Wisin Xbiltkw, Andrew Mercer
(Daughter of Louisa Gray and the
Late Harry Williams.)
(Son of Derryl and Laverne Baker)
Whistler, Squamish, B.C.

24 **WEDDING**

Andrew Nyce / Marissa Tait
Laxgibuu / Laxsgiik
Wilps Wii Gadim Xsgaak
Wilps Laay
(Son of Arthur & Sally Nyce)
(Daughter of John & Lavita Tait)
Place: TBA

31 **WEDDING**

JULIE SQUIRES /
CAESAR BRADFORD
Gisk'aast /Eagle, Bella Coola
Wilps Niist'axok', Andy Bevan.
Prince Rupert B.C.
(Daughter of Jeanette Costello &
Maurice Squires)
(Son of Michelle and Scott Bradford,
Terrace, B.C.)

31 **WEDDING**

Christopher Edwards /
Marie Charlie
Laxgibuu, Wilps Duuk'
(Christopher's mother:
Nadine James, and grandparents
Myrus James and Lavinia James
nee: Robinson)
(Marie's Parents: Shirley Charlie
And Keith Jimmy)
(Marie's father: Paul Harry)
Duncan, B.C.

SEPTEMBER 2013

13 / 14 **STONE MOVING**

For The Late
Rosalind Ellen Clayton
Richard Clayton
Laxgibuu
Wilps Gwisk'aayn, Nelson Clayton
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C

20/21 **STONE MOVING**

For The Late
Ramona Smythe
William Stanley
Jarel Alexcee
Gisk'aast
Wilps Ni'isyuus, Willard Martin,
& Siisbiguut, Harold Watts.
Gingolx, B.C.

21 **WEDDING**

Chevy R.R. Tait /
Melvin T. Wright
Gisk'aast (Gitxsan/Nisga'a) /
Laxgibuu (Gitxsan)
Wilps Daawa Muxw /
Wilps Hawow
Pierce Memorial United Church
Kispiox. B.C.
(Chevy's Parents: Carole Tait
(nee Blackwater) and the Late
KembaTait, Wilps
Axdil Wil Luugooda)
(Chevy's Grand parents:
David & Thelma Blackwater
(materal)
The late Tommy & Addie Tait
(paternal)

OCTOBER 2013

4/5 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE
James Gosnell Jr.
Laxgibuu
Wilps Duuk'
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C.

11/12 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE
Charlotte Doolan
Bonita Barton
Laxgibuu
Wilps Kw'axsuu, Stuart Doolan
Gans Ni'isliyaan, Nelson Moore
Gingolx, B.C.

19 **Wedding**

Jonathan Stewart /
Stephanie Lauren Gurney
Laxgibuu/ Laxsgiik, Tsimshian
Wilps Duuk' / Wilps Dim Xsgaak
(Son of Arnie / Dorcus Stewart)
(Daughter of Vernon &
Sandy Gurney)
Laxgalts'ap B.C.

25/26 **STONE MOVING**

For The Late
Albert Stephens Sr.
Ganada
Wilps Ni'isjoohl,
Horace Stevens
Laxgalts'ap, B.C.

26 **WEDDING**

Jolene Adams /
David Lincoln
Laxsgiik / Laxgibuu
(Daughter of Eugene Adams
And Agnes Bell)
Terrace, B.C.

NOVEMBER 2013

1 / 2 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE
ALBERT BARTON,
SIM'OOGIT DAAXAN
GISK'AAST
WILPS DAAXAN
GINGOLX, B.C.

8/9 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE
CONSTANCE (CONNIE) CLARK
Ganada
Wilps Haymaas, Chester Moore
Prince Rupert, B.C.
Place: TBA

16 **WEDDING**

William Clayton /
Rosanne Davis
Gisk'aast / Ganada
Wilps Wisin Xbilitkw,
Andrew Mercer, gans
Wilps Ni'isjoohl, Horace Stevens
Location: TBA

22/23 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE
EUNICE SWANSON
Laxgibuu
Wilps Duuk'
Laxgalts'ap B.C.

NOVEMBER 2013

30 **40TH ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION.**

**PAUL & VIOLET SCODANE
TERRACE, B.C.**

DECEMBER 2013

7 **STONE MOVING**

For The Late
Lavinia Azak
Ganada, Wilps Ksim Xsaan
Gtiwinksihlkw, B.C.

MARCH 2014

15 **WEDDING**

LYMAN V. DAWSON /
LINDSAY A. NISYOK
Laxgibuu / Laxsgiik
D'ZAWADA'ENUXW /
WILPS Gwii Maaw
(Son of Raymond Dawson of
Kingcome inlet)
(Daughter of Glen & Andrea
Nisyok)
Vancouver, B.C.

APRIL 2014

18/19 **WEDDING**

John Johanson/ Sheena Azak
Gisk'aast / Ganada
Wilps Ni'isíyuus, Willard Martin
Wips Ksim Xsaan, Oscar Mercer
(Parents: Donna Alexcee and
Vern Azak,
John's Father: James Johanson)
Sheena Parents:
Clifford and Millie Azak
Gitwinksihlkw, B.C.

MAY 2014

30/31 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE
SADIE TAIT, Sigidimnak',
N'itsiits Sageehl
Laxsgiik
Wilps Luuya'as
Hosts:
Sim'oogit Luuya'as, Alver Tait,
Norman Tait, Gwawk,
Robert Tait, As'ii Tam Xsqa'ak
Gingolx, B.C

JUNE 2014

7 **WEDDING**

Graham Moore /
Janelle Robinson
Laxsgiik / Laxgibuu
(Son of Late Fred Moore and
Velma Smith.)
(Daughter of Martin and Rachel
Robinson.)
Laxgalts'ap B.C.

JULY 2014

2526 **WEDDING**

Charles Davis Jr. /
Felicia Robinson
Ganada / Laxgibuu
Wilps Ni'isjoohl, Horace Stevens
Gans Wilps Galga, Arthur Mercer
(Son of Charles & Norma Davis)
(Daughter of Richard & Angela Azak)
Laxgalts'ap B.C.

Sat, June 21, 2014

N.E.S.S. GRAD

Nisga'a Elementary Sec School
1 pm
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C.

SEPTEMBER 2014

19/20 **STONE MOVING**

For The Late
Hubert Emerald Stevens Sr.
Gisk'aast
Wilps Wii Laxha.
Sim'oogit, Peter Stevens Sr.
Tribal feast Friday
Gingolx B.C.

OCTOBER 2014

17/18 **WEDDING**

Walter S. A. Nisyok /
Loretta Stewart
Laxsgiik / Ganada
Wilps Gwiix Maaw,
Johnny Robinson gans
Wilps Ksim Xsaan,
Oscar Mercer
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C.

NOVEMBER 2014

1 WEDDING

Jordan Morgan / Nadine Barton
Ganada / Laxsgiik
Wilps Axdii Wil Luu Gooda
Gans Wilps Luuy'as
(Jordan's Parents: Mark (Don) Davis &
Elsie Davis.)
(Nadine's parent: Barbara Barton)

8 WEDDING

Lawrence A. Wilson /
Patricia A. Smith
Ganada / Laxsgiik
Son of Mr. & Mrs.
Paul (Buddy) Scodane
Daughter of Mrs. Louise M. Smith (Masset)
Adopted by: M/M Maxwell Wright (New
Aiyansh)
Wilps Niis Walks (Oliver McNeil)
Gans Wilps La'ay (Hubert Haldane)

**The Cultural Calendar
will be revised 1st & 15th of each
month.**