



# NISGA'A NATION CULTURAL EVENTS CALENDAR

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## AUGUST 2012

25 **WEDDING**  
VERN GUY BARKER /  
TRACY DALLYN  
Laxgibuu / Canada  
Wilps, Amaa Gaat,  
Gary Stephens, gans wilps  
A~~x~~laawaals, Richard Leeson  
(Vern's parents: Don  
& Karen Leeson)  
Tracy's parent: Lynn Dallyn  
Prince Rupert, B.C.

25 **WEDDING**  
Ilene McKay / Chad Wells  
Laxgibuu / Tsimshan  
Wilps Duuk', Bill Moore  
Wilps Taxaxee, (Tsimshan)  
(Daughter of the Late  
Jacob McKay and Nora McKay)  
(Son of Fred and Margaret  
Wells)  
Terrace, B.C.

## SEPTEMBER 2012

1 **WEDDING**  
Harry Moore Jr./  
Ann Wright  
Laxsgiik / Frog, Kitselas  
Wilps Bah~~x~~kwhl Xsgaak,  
Alvin Nelson.  
Harry's Parents: Rev. Harry Moore Sr.  
& Florence Moore  
Ann's Parents: Late Elmer Wright,  
& Patricia Wright  
Gingolx, B.C.

### 7 & 8 STONE MOVING

For the Late  
Laura Edith Lincoln  
Loretta Lincoln  
Gisk'aast  
Wilps Wisin Xbi~~t~~kw,  
Andrew Mercer  
Gingolx, B.C.

### 14/15 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE  
WILLIAM ELDON (BILLY)  
ANGUS SR.  
Laxsgiik  
Wilps Gwak'aans  
Gingolx, B.C.

### 21/22 **LEARNING TRIBAL FEAST**

Shaquille Barton -  
Gisk'aast  
Darren Stewart III -  
Laxgibuu  
Rashawn Venn -  
Canada  
Contact: Jeffery Stanley  
Or Sarah Barton.  
(250)326-4391  
Gingolx, B.C.

### 65<sup>th</sup> **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

Thurs, SEPT 27, 2012  
SYDNEY & JOYCE ALEXANDER  
Canada / Grizzlybear  
Wilps: T~~x~~aatk'an~~x~~hatkw gans wilps  
Sgat'iin  
Location: unknown, TBA

### 28/29 **STONE MOVING**

For The Late  
Jacob Russ,  
Sim'oogit, Luuy'as  
Laxsgiik  
Laxgalts'ap, B.C.  
Contact: Hester Stevens,  
Irene Robinson, & or  
Lily Jorgensen

28/29 **WEDDING**  
Warren White /  
Kristy Johnson  
Wolf / Ganada  
(Son of Wayne Brown & the  
Late Debbie White,  
Cedar Ville B.C.)  
(Daughter of Vincent Johnson  
& Cheryl McMillan)  
Terrace, B.C.  
KitsumKalum Hall.

## OCTOBER 2012

### 6 WEDDING

NEIL SMYTHE/  
EMILY STEVENS  
GISK'AAS / LAXGIBUU  
Wilps Ni'isýuus gans, Willard Martin  
Wilps Kw'axsuu, Stuart Doolan  
Gingolx, B.C.

### 19/20 STONE MOVING

For The Late  
Vera J. Davis  
Laxsgiik  
Wilps Sim'oogit Xsgaak  
Laxgalts'ap, B.C.

### 26/ 27 STONE MOVING

FOR THE LATE  
KATHERINE STEPHENS  
DORA ROBINSON  
THOMAS T.TAIT  
JOSEPH TAIT  
Laxgibuu  
Wilps Duuk'  
Laxgalts'ap, B.C.  
Contact: Sylvia Stephens  
(250)621-3450

## NOVEMBER 2012

### STONE MOVING

2 &3 FOR THE LATE  
Samuel Benjamin Angus  
Peter Bryant  
Gisk'aast  
Wilps Daaxan, Perry Azak  
(Parents: Patricia Angus  
And the Late  
Henry Angus)  
Gingolx

### 10 WEDDING

Lillian Robinson /  
Michael Tait  
Ganada / Laxgibuu  
(Daughter of Kenny Robinson  
And Doreen Walker.)  
(Son of Larry Tait, and  
Elizabeth Benson)  
Terrace, B.C.

## MAY 2013

### 4 & 5 STONEMOVING

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

### 11 Birthday Celebration

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

17 /18 WEDDING  
Sheldon Martin (Robinson) /  
Christine Smith  
Gisk'aast / Ganada  
Wilps Ni'isýuus, 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 Laxgalta'ap,  
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.

### 31 / 1 STONE MOVING

June 1, 2012  
FOR THE LATE  
Dorothy Young  
Greta (Young) Hantke  
Ellis Young  
Charlotte Doolan  
Laxgibuu  
Wilps Kw'axsuu, Stuart Doolan  
Gans Ni'isliýaan, Nelson Moore  
Gingolx, 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 ZANSEN / TAWNI EII  
Gisk'aast / Laxsgiik  
Wilps Wisin Xbiltkw, Andrew Mercer  
Gans Hleek, Joe Gosnell Sr.  
(Tyrel's parents: David &  
Dee Dee Zansen)  
(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 / Adelynne (Addie)  
McMillan.  
Laxsgiik / Laxgibuu  
Wilps Gitxhoon, Ernest Morven  
Gans Wilps Axwindaskw,  
Clifford Azak  
(Jacob's parents: Ron and Lorna  
Davis.)  
(Adelynne's parents: Melinda  
McMillan and Late Kelly  
McMillan.)  
Gitlaxt'aamiks, B.C

13 **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.

20 **WEDDING**

Kimberly Munroe /  
Franklin Mcdonald  
Laxgibuu / Laxsgiik  
Kim's parent: Kathleen Munroe  
& the Late Sam Munroe.  
Frank's parents: Alexis Lundquist &  
Edward Macdonald  
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  
Laxgal'tap, 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.

16/17 **WEDDING**

Kyle Azak /  
Terra Barton  
Laxgibuu / Laxsgiik  
Wilps Axgwindaskw,  
Clifford Azak. Gans  
Wilps Gwiix maaw,  
Jonny Robinson.  
Location: TBA

SEPTEMBER 2013

6/7 **WEDDING**

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

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.

27/28 **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.

OCTOBER 2013

4/5 **STONE MOVING**

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

**NOVEMBER 2013**

**1 / 2 STONE MOVING**

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

**16 WEDDING**

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

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