



NISGA'A NATION CULTURAL EVENTS CALENDAR

Announcements *courtesy of Nisga'a Lisims Government*

Please provide the details of your Event such as the: date(s), name of event, location and if applicable the tribe(s) and the Wilp(s) involved. Please provide all necessary information for your booking. ***If your event is not in the Cultural Calendar the event maybe missing information; please contact main reception.***

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October 2019

04-05

BURIAL & STONE MOVING

FOR THE LATE:

Vincent Davis

Laxsgjik

Wilps Hleek

Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

October 2019

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BLESSING & LAYING OF ASHES

FOR THE LATE:

Elsie Sevim Yucesoy

Laxgibuu

Wilps W'ii Gwis Yaxw

St. Andrews Anglican Church

Laxgalts'ap, BC

October 2019

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STONE MOVING

FOR THE LATE:

Hubert Doolan

James Lincoln

Kenny Clayton

Laxgibuu

Wilps W'ii Gwis Yaxw

Gitlaxt'aamiks Recreation Centre

Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

October 2019

18-20

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

STUART C. DOOLAN
1ST Annual Parkinson's
Awareness Basketball
Tournament

Hosted by Fraser Doolan &
Family

Gingolx, BC

**POSTPONED UNTIL
FURTHER NOTICE**

October 2019

19

WEDDING

Brenden McKay / Jessica Stewart

Laxgibuu / Laxsgjik

Wilps Nagwa'un / Wilps Luuya'as

Laxgalts'ap, BC

October 2019

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WEDDING

Allen Gonu / Samantha McNeil

Son of Rueben & Charlotte
Gonu

Daughter of Ken & Geraldine
McNeil

Laxgibuu /Ganada

Wilps W'ii Naa-Buxw /
Wilps Gou'gw'ason

Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

November 2019

15-16 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
Albert Stephens Sr.
Horace Stevens
Ella Stevens
Beatrice Stevens
Victoria Stevens
Larry Martin
Edward Stevens
Paul Martin
Ganada
Wilps Ni'isjoohl

Laxgalts'ap Community Centre
Laxgalts'ap, BC

November 2019

22-23 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
George Morgan
Marjorie Robinson
Miller Clayton
Laxgibuu
Wilps Gwisk'aayn
Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

December 2019

31 **WEDDING**
Norman Stephens Jr. /
Rozlyn Morven
Son of Norman Sr. & Charlene
Stephens
Daughter of Calvin & Charlene
Morven
Laxgibuu / Ganada
Wilps Duuk' / Wilps Ksim Xsaan

Laxgalts'ap, BC

Feb 2020

20-21-22 **Hobiiyee**

Nisga'a New Year

Gitlaxt'aamiks Recreation
Centre
Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

Feb 2020

5th Anniversary

22 **Mr. & Mrs. Donald Stevens**

Original Date is: Feb. 20th
Laxgibuu / Laxsgjik
Wilps Ni'isyok / Wilps Sgañisim
Sim'oogit

Gingolx Long House
Gingolx, BC

Feb 2020

29 **WEDDING**

Terry Alexcee / Dayna Nelson
Son of Mary Haldane & Alvin
Alexcee
Daughter of Bonita Nelson & Late
Brady Nelson
Raven / Eagle
Prince Rupert, BC

March 2020

07 **WEDDING**
Trent McKay / Myrna Stevens
Son of Josie & Robin Casey
Gigi & Ye'e late Gordon & Salome
McKay
Daughter of Lorna Venn-Stevens &
Late Clifford Stevens
Laxgibuu / Ganada
Wilps Duuk' / Wilps Haymaas

Terrace, BC

April 2020

18 **WEDDING**

Matthew James Wesley / Susan
Sharon Azak

Son of Deborah & Allan Azak
Daughter of Audrey & (late) Jerry
Azak
Laxsgjik / Ganada
Wilps Hleek Gans Naaw / Wilps Axdi
Wil Luugooda

Gitwinksihkw, BC

April 2020

24-25 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
Beatrice Oleman
Laxgibuu
Wilps Galga (Arthur Mercer)
Venue: T.B.A.
Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

May 2020

01-02 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
Stuart Doolan
Laxgibuu
Wilps Kw'axsuu / Ni'isliyaan
Gingolx, BC

May 2020

08-09 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
Joshua Azak
Gisk'aast
Wilps Ni'isyuus / Gitalabit
Gitwinksihkw, BC

May 2020

15-16 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:

Dorothy (Sharon) Russ
Canada
Wilps Ksim Xsaan
Prince Rupert, BC

May 2020

16 **WEDDING**

**Jalen-Dean Ryan / Keesha Howard
(Stevens)**

Son of Dean Ryan & Suzanne
Nyce/Great Grandson of Baxk'ap &
Noxs Ween

Daughter of Bobby Stevens & Judy
Howard/Granddaughter of the Late
Robert & Thelma Stevens

Laxsgiik / Canada-Gitksan

Wilps Hleek / Wilp Niisto'

T.B.A.

May 2020

16 **WEDDING**

Medrick Azak / Gena Edwards

Parents: Clifford & Millie
Azak/Sharon & Jolly Edwards

Nisga'a -Canada

Wilps Ksim Xsaan/Lillooet

Kamloops, BC

May 2020

23 **WEDDING**

Harry Stephens Jr / Natasha Venn

Son of Anita & Harry Stephens Sr.

Daughter of the Late Linda Barton &
Doug Venn

Laxgibuu / Gisk'aast
Wilps Duuk' / Wilps K'amksiiwaa

Laxgalts'ap, BC

May 2020

23 **8th Annual Salmon Festival**

Hosted by the
**Gitmaxmak'ay
Nisga'a Dancers & Society**

**Multi-Cultural Dance
Performances**

Prince Rupert Civic Centre

Prince Rupert, BC

May 2020

WEDDING

30 **Norman Brown / Melody Bolton**

Son of Jenny Brown, Louisa Gray &
the Late Norman Gill

Daughter of Steven Bolton Sr. & Tina
Bolton

Laxgibuu / Laxsgiik

Wilps Duuk' / Wilps Nawiiis

Terrace, BC

June 2020

02 **Wilp Wilxo'oskwhl**

Nisga'a Institute

2020 WWNI-UNBC

University Convocation

Will take place 1:00pm

Ts'ooht Ts'ap Memorial Hall

Gitwinksihlkw, B.C

June 2020

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WEDDING

'White Wedding'

Herman White/Cyndi Peal

Son of Chris White Sr. & Late Cathy
Martin

Daughter of Late Ron Peal & Late
Elaine Assu

Raven-Heiltsuk / Laxsgiik

Raven-Heiltsuk / Wilps Gwiix Maaw

Prince Rupert, BC

June 2020

06 **WEDDING**

**Samuel T. Stevens / Flora Thelma
Stewart**

Grandson of the Late James/Norma
Lincoln (Arlene Lincoln) & the Late
Robert Sr/Thelma Stevens (Robert
Stevens)

Daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Jason Stewart

Canada / Laxgibuu

Wilps Axdiil Wil Luugooda /

Wilps Axgwindaskw

Gingolx, BC

June 2020

20 **Nisga'a Elementary
Secondary School**

2020 GRADUATION

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

1:00 PM

**Nisga'a Elementary Secondary
School Gymnasium**

Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

July 2020

01 **Family Reunion & Celebration**

Dinner & Dance

Laxsgiik

Sgañisim Sim'oogit Sagawe'en

Prince Rupert, BC

July 2020

03-04 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:

Isabel Stevens (Watts)

Laxsgiik

Sgañisim Sim'oogit Sagawe'en

Nisga'a Hall

Prince Rupert, BC

July 2020

25 **WEDDING**

Stuart C. Stanley / Kallie J. Stephens

Son of Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Stanley

Daughter of Reece Russ & Cleo Stephens

Ganada / Laxgibuu

Wilps Ax̄dii Wil Luugooda / Wilps Gitwilnaakil / Gwinyoo

Gingolx, BC

August 2020

07-08 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:

Simone Stewart

Laxgibuu

Wilps W̄ii Hoon

Gingolx, BC

August 2020

22 **WEDDING**

Carla Nisyok / Kevin Cheena

Daughter of Glen & Andrea Nisyok

Son of Julie Green

Laxsgiik /

Wilps Gwiix Maaw /

Vancouver, BC

August 2020

22 **WEDDING**

Colin Lincoln / Adrienne Williams

Ganada /

/

Venue: T.B.A.

Terrace, BC

September 2020

04-05 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:

Charles Kingston

Damon Ross Elliott

Laxgibuu

Wilps Ksdiyaawak

New Aiyansh, BC

September 2020

18-19 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:

Susan Trimble

Desmond Barton

Laxsgiik

Wilp Kwa'kaans

Gingolx, BC

September 2020

25-26 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:

Nicole McKay

Louise Holota

Daryl Swanson

Leonardus Kheelan Tyrone Howard

Laxsgiik

Wilps Bayt NeeKhl

Laxgalts'ap, BC

October 2020

02-03 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:

Jerry Azak

Phyllis Cheechum

Gisk'aast

Wilps Daaxan

Gitwinksihkw, BC

October 2020

10 **WEDDING**

Allan McKay Jr. / Chantelle Stephens

Son of Allan Sr. & Teena McKay

Daughter of Harry & Anita Stephens

Ganada / Laxgibuu

Wilps Ax̄dii Wil Luugooda / Wilps Duuk'

Laxgalts'ap, BC

October 2020

10 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
Mercy Dorothy Moore
Laxsgiiik
Wilps Laay'

Gitwinksihlkw, BC

October 2020

16-17 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
Oscar H. Mercer
Canada
Wilps Ksim Xsaan

New Aiyansh, BC

October 2020

23-24 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
James Edmund Adams
Vern Harvey Gosnell
Sadie Elizabeth Robinson
Humphrey Davis
Herbert (Herbie) McKay
Nora McKay
Laxgibuu
Wilps Duuk'

Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

November 2020

06-07 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
Ernest Johnson Morven
Laxsgiiik
Wilps Gitxhoon

Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

November 2020

20-21 **STONE MOVING**

FOR THE LATE:
Guy Craig McKay
Laxgibuu
Wilps Nagwa'un

Laxgalts'ap, BC

May 2021

08 **WEDDING**

Roberto Azevedo / Mercy Davis
Son of Maria & John Azevedo
Daughter of Norma & the Late Charles Davis
Hosting Tribe: Canada
/ Wilps Ni'isjoohl

Laxgalts'ap, BC

July 2021

17 **WEDDING**

Justin Clayton / Hannah Robinson
Son of Tracey Clayton
Daughter of Patrick Leeson and Glenna Robinson

Ceremony in Laxgalts'ap
Reception/Dance in Gitlaxt'aamiks Recreation Centre
Gisk'aast / Canada
Wilps Wisin Xbiitkw / Wilps Axdiil Wil Luugooda

Laxgalts'ap & Gitlaxt'aamiks, BC

September 2021

7 **WEDDING**

Ashlee Shanisa Thompson / Nathan Fehr
Daughter of Kimberly & Franklin McDonald & the Late Bradley Willard Thompson
Son of Dawn & Tim Fehr
Laxgibuu / Smithers
Wilps Ksdiyaawaak / Smithers

T.B.A.

The Cultural Calendar will be revised on the 1st & 15th of each month. Please have completed applications in before these dates