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GRANT APPLICATION

(PLEASE PRINT)

Table with 2 columns: Field Name, Value. Fields include Name of Organization (Salish Sea Stones), Address of Organization, Full Mailing Address, Telephone Number & Email, and Contact Person/Title (Peter Shepherd).

Primary purpose of organization: Not for profit based on children/youth art

Category under which greatest portion of services fall:

Checkboxes for Social Service, Sports, Cultural, Economic Development, and Other.

Services available to all members of community: Yes/No checkboxes.

If no, please list criteria for receiving your service:

Total Number of people that used your service last year: 500

Approximate number of your clients that reside in North Cowichan: 300

(Please note that North Cowichan includes the communities of Chemainus, Crofton, Maple Bay, and the Duncan area north of the Cowichan River, and outside the one square mile Duncan core.)

Amount of grant requested: \$6600

Describe how the grant will be used: (e.g. special projects, operations, maintenance, etc.)

Salish Sea Stones would like to continue our successful project at Penelakut Elementary School. We have been asked to enhance our presence at the school by taking on two further classes. One of the new classes are a group of children who have learning challenges. Salish Sea Stones has also been invited to set up the project at three further locations in late 2023/early 2024.

In order to be considered for a Municipal grant, please ensure that you enclose the following: the most recent financial statement, and the proposed operating budget.

Other Information: Have you obtained a previous grant from the Municipality? Yes/No checkboxes. Or have you applied to another local government for funding? Yes/No checkboxes.

If yes, please list:

Applicant's signature: [Redacted] FIPPA s. 22(1) Date: 1st October 2023

In order to be eligible for consideration for a 2024 grant-in-aid, this application and all requested supporting materials must be received no later than October 15th, 2023.

Please submit in person at 7030 Trans Canada Hwy or email to finance@northcowichan.ca

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Account Details



Direct Deposit and Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD) Form

Date Range: 29/08/2023 -
29/09/2023

September 29, 2023

Date	Description	Amount	Balance
29-Sep-2023	Point Of Sale Withdrawal LADYSMITH HOME HARDWAR LADYSMITHBCCA	-\$53.05	\$2,331.26
28-Sep-2023	Point Of Sale Withdrawal WALMART STORE #3025 DUNCANBCCA	-\$20.28	\$2,384.31
28-Sep-2023	Point Of Sale Withdrawal DOLLARAMA #1299	-\$64.41	\$2,404.59

Date	Description	Amount	Balance
27-Sep-2023	DUNCANBCCA Point Of Sale Withdrawal CHEMAINUS CHEMAINUSBCCA	-\$20.99	\$2,469.00
24-Sep-2023	ATM Withdrawal COASTAL COMMUNITY CUCHEMAINUSBCCA	-\$200.00	\$2,489.99
20-Sep-2023	Descriptive Withdrawal OC to penelakut elementary school	-\$500.00	\$2,689.99
20-Sep-2023	Deposit for sale of stones up to Sept 20/23	\$500.00	\$3,189.99
19-Sep-2023	Point Of Sale Withdrawal ASKEW CREEK CHEMAINUSBCCA	-\$20.99	\$2,689.99
11-Sep-2023	Point Of Sale Withdrawal GCDS126 CHEMAINUS CHEMAINUSBCCA	-\$2.86	\$2,710.98



Salish Sea Stones Projected Yearly Financial Costs

Ultimate aim of Salish Sea Stones is to hand the process over to multiple groups of students within local First Nation Bands, youth from Transition Housing groups, students in local schools and kids in hospital long term. The hope would be that once these groups are producing stone art they then sell their stones to help fund the project going forward and using any profits to help their own groups in any way they see fit.

As the project develops, more and more outlets are coming on board to support Salish Sea Stones, which means more stones are required to fulfil that commitment, and ultimately more costs are associated with this.

We are currently teaching students from 3 classes within Penelakut Elementary School. Chemainus Secondary School wishes to start the project in November 2023. We have the confirmation of the use of the historic classroom at the BC Forest Discovery Centre in Duncan, starting in early 2024. This project will have small groups of children/youth from Cowichan Big Brothers Big Sisters, Cowichan Women Against Violence and the Christian School in Duncan. Stz'uminus First Nation has also expressed an interest in taking the project on with their elementary and secondary school age students coming together for this art project. After initial consultations we are looking at starting in November 2023.

Salish Sea Stones has very limited funds at present and is looking for some immediate funding to maintain our current projects and to fund these imminent projects.

Without some immediate substantial funding we will not be able to sustain our present commitments never mind the imminent future ones.

Below are project costs for the period from October 2023 to October 2024 accounting for all the above projects.



Initial supplies cost per project:

See attached list \$1000
X3 = \$3000

Continuation supplies for teaching sessions per project:

Tattoos, paint, pens, sealant, felt, act \$500
Travel to project locations (ferry ride for Penelakut) \$200
X3 = \$2100

Social media, advertising and admin costs:

Accounting (per annum) \$500
Advertising costs (business/artists cards/bio cards act) \$500
Website updates \$500
= \$1500

Grand total = \$6600



Salish Sea Stones Initial Schools Equipment and Supply List

This is an initial costing for each school/project location to set up the project. Once these initial items have been purchased, then the concurrent costs for ongoing items can be obtained from sales of stones.

Individual removable art (tattoos) at \$3 each x 50 = \$150

Rustoleum sealant at \$16 per tin x 10 = \$160

Artisto paint marker pens (box of 4) \$20 per box x 2 = \$40

Paints at \$5 per tube x 10 = \$50

Paint brushes \$5 each x 10 = \$50

Felt (various colours) at \$3 per sheet x 50 = \$150

Felt cutting scissors at \$20 each x 2 = \$40

Racks and trays \$5 x 6 = \$30

A small microwave (must have to prep stones) = \$100

Plastic Totes 3 x large at \$20 each = \$60

Plastic Totes 3 x small at \$10 each = \$30

Tweezers, art plasticine, kitchen roll, marker boards = \$30

Once the student's art is being used on the stones to be sold in the outlets there is a cost of \$25 per page of 15 tattoos. Approx 4 pages initially will be required at = \$100

Total = \$990



Use of North Cowichan Grant in 2023

Thanks to a \$1500 grant from North Cowichan in 2023 the Salish Sea Stones project was able to start at Penelakut Elementary School. This money was used to buy the initial equipment, tools, and supplies needed to get the project up and running at this location. We started the project at Penelakut Elementary School on January 5th, 2023. Initially we had a group of 8 students and one teacher, which soon grew to 12 students. The students learned how to create this stone art and in that process we had Penelakut Tribe Elders come into the classroom and contribute to the learning environment also. The students have been creating stones for their families, their Elders and also to give to children in hospitals and transition houses. They also created some stones that are being sold in local outlets in Chemainus, Ladysmith and Duncan. All money made then comes back to Penelakut Elementary School. Four of the students in the project group are also members of the Penelakut Tribe Traditional Dance Troupe, thus some of the money made has gone to cover the cost of their dance costumes. Local outlets have been very supportive and excited to sell the stones to benefit the Penelakut Tribe children.

The project has been so successful at Penelakut Elementary in that the school have invited Salish Sea Stones project back this school year. Also we have been asked to start teaching two further classes within the school. One of these classes is for students with learning challenges. Obviously we can utilise some of the equipment and supplies already at Penelakut, however we will need a lot more now that two new classes and 3 other external projects are in the works.

Salish Sea Stones would like to thank North Cowichan Council for their generous grant, without which we would not have been able to achieve the success we have had so far.