



Central Coast

REGIONAL DISTRICT

Happy Summer!

Pool season is in full swing! Enjoy some time in the Centennial Pool with our program offerings or a cool dip during public swim. For more information on pool programming please call the pool at 250-982-2488 or check out www.ccrd.ca and Facebook page (@hagensborgcentennialpool).

Staff at the CCRD are working with Emergency Management BC (EMBC) on assessing the local dikes. Please be careful around diked areas of the river during this period of increased activity.

We held our July 14th public meeting in Bella Bella, including an open house. On behalf of the CCRD Board and CAO, I extend our gratitude to members of the Heiltsuk community who attended and met us. We enjoyed our time in your territory and look forward to visiting again!

The Ocean Falls Community Revitalization Committee (OFRC) traveled to Ocean Falls as part of their work this month, along with Premier John Horgan and MLA Jennifer Rice. The OFRC has members from CCRD, the Province of BC, Heiltsuk Nation, Nuxalk Nation, the Ocean Falls Improvement District, and the Ocean Falls community. The Committee is exploring and discussing what's possible for the economic future of Ocean Falls.

CCRD recently hosted an open house to discuss the future governance of the Hagensborg Water and Fire Services. Thank you to all the residents who showed up to ask questions and provide feedback.

As we head further into summer, there's always the possibility that we will see some warmer and drier weather. Although fire danger is currently low at the time of this message, we want to encourage residents to stay informed of current fire dangers, and report any wildfires. Call the BC wildfire reporting line at 1 800 663-5555, or *5555 from a cell phone.

I hope you had a chance to attend some of the Bella Coola Music Festival earlier this month! What a lineup! The music festival is a flagship event for our community. Much gratitude to all the organizers who volunteer so much time to make it special and enjoyable year after year.

Have a wonderful, relaxing, and restorative summer!

In service,

CCRD Chair Jayme Kennedy