

# Penelakut Tribe Newsletter January 2020



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## Safety Reminder

When walking on the roads at night,  
PLEASE be sure that you can be seen by  
drivers'. Wear light coloured or reflective  
clothing and carry a flashlight.

## Gun Safety

If you are target shooting or sighting in  
your gun at the gravel pit, DO NOT aim  
down any roads as there may be people  
who you can't see. Aim TOWARD THE  
PIT ONLY!

We don't want any tragic accidents in  
our community.

Please Remember: It is a criminal offense  
to point any firearm at any person.

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On Penelakut Lands....  
We strive to maintain a  
safe, peaceful, crime-  
free community.

Violators of this code  
will be expelled and  
prohibited from  
returning.

Within ALL Public  
buildings - swearing,  
threats, or any other  
acts of violence, will not  
be tolerated.

Anyone giving verbal  
abuse to staff members  
will be told to leave the  
premises.

Members/Residents are  
responsible for the  
behaviour/ misconduct,  
violent acts, etc. of their  
guests.

Please ensure that they  
behave accordingly.

## Memo

**To:** Penelakut Tribe Members  
**From:** Rebecca James, Housing Administrator  
**Date:** **January 10, 2020**

At a duly convened meeting of the elected Chief & Council held on November 26, 2019, the Housing Policy was revised to include under Policy 3: Application for Rental Units; a new Section 4 – Animal Policy for Rental Units.

This issue was reviewed due to a high volume of complaints and concerns about the damage caused by animals in our rental housing units, yards, and outside stored possessions, in particular the multiplex rental units.

Penelakut has updated its housing policy to prohibit new pets at its multiplex rental housing units, but to "Grandfather" out existing pets by allowing tenants who presently have pets to keep them for the duration of that pet's existence or the duration of tenancy, providing they are registered with Penelakut.

New Tenancy Agreements outlining this change will be brought door to door for signatures of all adults over the age of 19 who reside in a multi-plex unit to sign. Also, Ben Crocker Jr., Dog Bylaw Officer will be contracted to take pictures of all existing animals for the Tribe's record and file.

**Please see a copy of Section 4 of the Housing Policy below.**

### **Section 4: Animal Policy for Rental Units**

#### ***4.1 Animals prohibited in Multiplex Rental Units***

Tenants are prohibited from having animals in Multiplex Rental Units for any reason whatsoever, except where the animal is a certified guide or service animal as defined by appropriate legislation (e.g., *BC Guide Dog and Service Dog Act*). Each Tenancy Agreement will include a term specifying that having animals in the Multiplex Rental Unit is a breach of the Tenancy Agreement and grounds for terminating the tenancy. Tenants must provide the appropriate certification to the Housing Administrator before the animal is allowed in the Rental Unit.

#### ***4.2 Tenants with existing animals***

Tenants who have animals in Multiplex Rental Units as at November 26, 2019 ("Existing Animals") are permitted to keep those animals in their Rental Unit during their tenancy, provided that the Existing Animal is registered with the Housing Administrator on or before March 31, 2020. Tenants who fail to register their Existing Animals by this date will not be permitted to keep those animals in their Multiplex Rental Unit.

Tenants are solely responsible for any damage caused to Rental Units (including Multiplex Rental Units) by an Existing Animal or any animal the Tenant, an occupant or guest keeps or brings to the Rental Unit, regardless of whether or not the Housing Department has approved the animal to reside at the Rental Unit. If a Tenant fails to repair any such damage prior to

vacating the Rental Unit, the Tenant will be liable for the cost of repairing such damage, which may be considered and treated as a debt.

Where damage caused to a Rental Unit by an Existing Animal or animal is extraordinary, the Housing Administrator may terminate the tenancy for breach of Tenancy Agreement.

#### **4.3 Animal Control By-Law**

This policy is not intended to alter or derogate from any responsibilities of Tenants or powers of an animal control officer under the Penelakut *Animal Control By-law*.

### **Message from Penelakut Island Learning Centre**

Our first semester is drawing close to a finish with exams beginning January 20-23. Our new semester begins January 27. Students are eligible to come and register for English First People's 12, Child Development and Caregiving 12, Career Life Connections 12, Career Education 10 and Science 10. The rest of our courses are continuing full year courses.

Please check out our website at [www.penelakutislandlearningcentre.com](http://www.penelakutislandlearningcentre.com)

Merry Christmas and enjoy your holidays,  
Bernice McKenzie  
Principal  
Penelakut Island Learning Centre  
Box 360  
Chemainus, BC V0R 1K6  
250-246-2327

## **Treaty update; Robert Sam**

**January 2020**

### **ITA- (Incremental Treaty Agreement)**

Penelakut has completed the paperwork for acquiring the 49<sup>th</sup> Parallel store, so crossing our fingers here; the Province will have the funding in place by the end of the month, so Penelakut will own the 49<sup>th</sup> Parallel.

### **Tluqtinus-**

The Tluqtinus court case is coming to Duncan Court house at the end of the month, we are hoping to have the court room full for the 2 weeks of hearings. Each nation will have a day designated to have its delegation, Penelakut will have 1 day a week, and the other 5 nations will have a day each a week, so we will be looking at 2 days to have our members at the court house, for the hearing.

### **Treaty-**

Over the last few months, we have officially moved from Stage 4 to Stage 5, and we have set goals of having a Treaty in place within 4 years, so by the year 2024 we are hoping to have our land and cash offer. As we move along here, I will be keeping you all in the loop, and having some gatherings to let you know exactly what is being discussed and all.

There is so much that I have wanted to share that it changes from one month to the next. We were looking at the Baldry Farm next to Tsussie, but that fell through, as the appraisal was c \$1.1 million, and the owner wanted \$1.3 m, and wasn't going to move down and we left it. We were on and off for the 49<sup>th</sup> a few times now, and they weren't going to move on their price, but got back to us and were agreeing with us on our offer. Lots of assuming on what we were going to be doing and all, and that we are wanting to have a foot print back in Chemainus, where we had our village site once, before they booted us out and burned down our longhouses.



# SHOP DAY

Who:

ELDERS & S.A CLIENTS

When:

Tuesday & Thursday's  
9:30am Ferry

Shop days include stopping at Super Store and Walmart. Any other stops need to be requested to Donna.

If you are unable to shop for medical reasons, Donna is available to shop for you. Call for more information.

If you're interested, please call  
Denean Jack

**Phone: (250) 246 - 2321**



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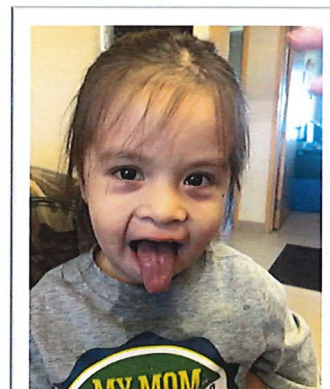
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Penelakut Health

## Dental News!

Dental has been nice and busy, all ages welcome! Give us a call and we will fit you in with the right dental professional based on what your needs may be!

Whether its just an exam, filling, crown, bridge, denture, partial, or just a cleaning or maybe to check on that sensitive tooth. Get it before its too late !



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Happy New Year!	2	3	4 
5	6 Kim Dental Therapist fnha Exams/Fills/ext	7 COHI fluoride drop in ages 0-3	8 Kim Dental therapist-COHI Sealants/Fills	9 Dr. Smith Orca dental Crowns/ Brides	10	11
12	13 COHI Teryns class dental education 1:00	14 Dental Hygienist Harbour dental cleanings	15 CVDC Denturist day! Partials	16 COHI second Fluorid/ drop ins ages 0-3	17	18
19	20 KIM Dental Therapist fnha Exams/fills/ext	21 PIES 2 <sup>nd</sup> Fluoride	22 Daycare 2 <sup>nd</sup> Fluoride	23 COHI baby drop in for 2 <sup>nd</sup> fluoride	24	25
26	27 therapist KIM dental fnha Fills/exams/ext	28 Dental Hygienist- dental cleanings	29 KIM dental therapist fnha Tsussie-COHI	30 CVDC Denturist day! partials	31	
						

All COHI Babies are due for their second brushing and fluoride, please feel free to call and book in for a Thursday, I am flexible if you need another day. Fridays I am free! \o/

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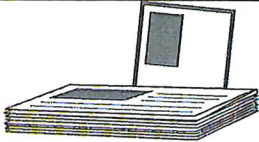
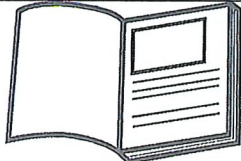
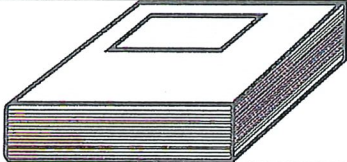
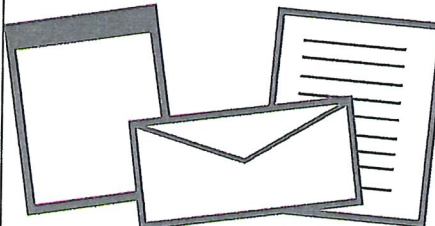
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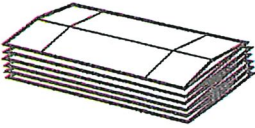
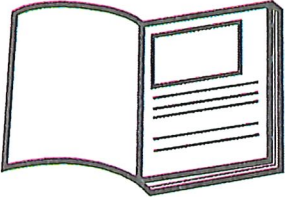
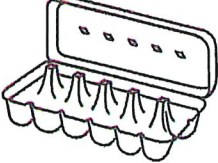
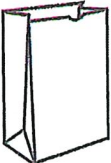
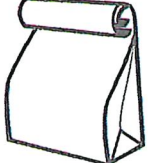
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			1	2 Tiny tots- 10am-12 Youth Group – GR 8 -12 @ Clinic 4pm-7pm MOVIE NIGHT	3	4
5	6	7 Youth Group K-7 @PIES 3pm-6pm Snowball Launchers	8	9 Tiny Tots 10am-12 Youth Group – GR 8 -12 @ Clinic 4pm-7pm Science Experiements	10	11
12	13	14 Youth Group K-7 @PIES 3pm-6pm Balloon Race Tourney	15	16 Tiny tots 10am-12 Youth Group – GR 8 -12 @ Clinic 4pm-7pm Fill your face	17	18
19	20	21 Youth Group K-7 @PIES 3pm-6pm Game Day	22	23 Tiny tots 10am- 12 Youth Group – GR 8 -12 @ Clinic 4pm-7pm Snowball Fight	24	25
26	27	28 Youth Group K-7 @PIES 3pm-6pm Hot Air/Cold Air Science	29	30 Tiny tots 10am-12 Youth Group – GR 8 -12 @ Clinic 4pm-7pm Name Bingo	31	



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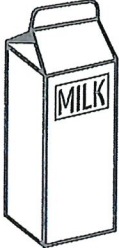
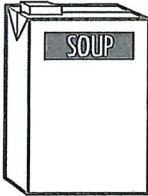
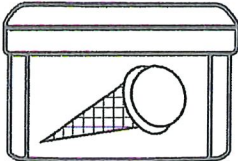
MATERIAL & DESCRIPTION		DO NOT INCLUDE
	<b>Newspaper and Flyers</b>  Daily and community newspapers and advertising flyers	Plastic bags used to cover newspaper/flyers (take to Recycle BC recycling depot), rubber Bands
	<b>Magazines and Catalogues</b>  All types	
	<b>Telephone Books</b>  Phone books, directories	Hardcover or paperback books (donate or sell)
	<b>Writing home/office paper and correspondence</b>  Note pads; loose leaf paper; white or coloured computer copier and printer paper; printed paper; plain and window envelopes; shredded paper  <b>If you live in a community or multi-family building that has separate bins or bags for paper and containers recycling, you may place shredded paper securely inside a paper bag or box (to prevent litter) and include with your paper recycling.</b>  <b>If you live in a community or multi-family building that utilizes one bin or bag for all of your recycling, please place shredded paper inside a securely-tied, see-through, plastic bag (no opaque, coloured or black bags).</b>	

MATERIAL & DESCRIPTION	DO NOT INCLUDE
	<p><b>Corrugated Cardboard Boxes</b></p> <p>Shipping boxes, grocery and liquor store boxes, pizza boxes</p> <p>Empty Boxes: Flatten large corrugated boxes and cut down to no larger than 30" wide (78 cm) X 30" tall (78 cm), staples and tape OK</p>
	<p><b>Cardboard/boxboard</b></p> <p>Boxes for cereal, shoes, tissues, pizza, frozen entrees, desserts, detergent, etc. Carrier trays for bulk bottled water, soft drinks, cans, food, etc.</p> <p>Cores for paper towel and toilet tissue Flatten and place boxboard directly into the collection container, not inside another box</p> <p>Remove liner bags and food residue</p>
	<p><b>Moulded boxboard packaging</b></p> <p>Egg cartons, take-out beverage trays, empty paper-based garden pots, etc</p>
	<p><b>Paper Bags (kraft paper)</b></p> <p>Any colour, including brown grocery sacks, white prescription bags, brown envelopes</p>
	<p><b>Multi-layer paper bags</b></p> <p>Multi-layered paper bags for flour, sugar, etc.</p>




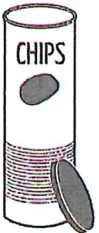
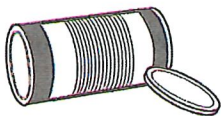
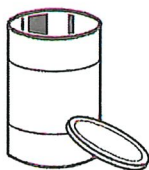
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	<p><b>Paper Cups</b></p> <p>For hot and cold beverages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse cups</li> <li>• Remove lids and place loose with container recycling</li> <li>• Recycle paper sleeves separately</li> </ul> <p>Straws</p>
	<p><b>Gable-top cartons</b></p> <p>For milk, milk-type beverages, cream, substitute eggs, sugar, molasses, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse cartons</li> <li>• If carton includes plastic screw cap, remove cap and place loose in recycling container</li> </ul> <p>Paper towels or napkins (include with green waste, if applicable, tissues)</p>
	<p><b>Aseptic boxes or cartons</b></p> <p>For milk, milk-type beverages, cream, soup, broth, sauces, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Add loose to recycling container</li> </ul> <p>Juice cartons (return for deposit refund), straws, stand-up pouches</p>
	<p><b>Frozen dessert boxes</b></p> <p>For ice cream, frozen yogurt, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse cartons</li> </ul> <p>Juice/drink boxes (return for refund)</p>

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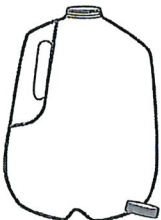
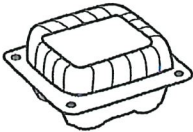
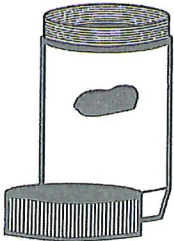


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	<p><b>Empty Aerosol Containers</b></p> <p>For food, air fresheners, shaving cream, deodorant, hairspray, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty cans</li> <li>• Remove caps and place loose in recycling container</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Spiral Wound Cans and Metal Lids</b></p> <p>For frozen juice concentrate, potato chips, cookie dough, coffee, nuts, baby formula, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove lids and place loose in recycling container</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Steel Cans and Lids</b></p> <p>For food including pet food; tins for cookies, tea, chocolates, etc.; include metal lid</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse cans</li> <li>• Labels OK</li> <li>• Put metal lid inside can and squeeze slightly</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Aluminum Cans and Lids</b></p> <p>For food, e.g. seafood, cat food, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse cans</li> <li>• Labels OK</li> <li>• Put metal lid inside can and squeeze slightly</li> </ul>



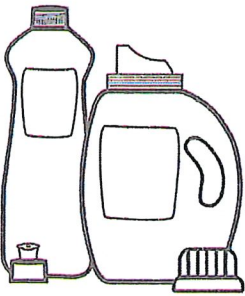
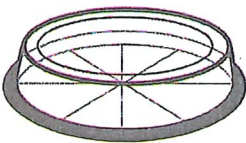
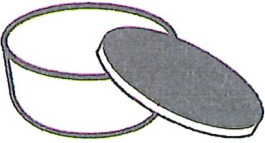
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 <p><b>Aluminum Foil and Foil Take-Out Containers</b></p> <p>Foil wrap and take-out containers including pie plates, food trays, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse containers</li> </ul>	<p>Chip or foil bags, foil wrap with paper backing for butter, cigarettes, etc., foil-lined cardboard take-out containers or lids</p>
 <p><b>Plastic Jugs with Screw Tops</b></p> <p>For milk, cooking oil, laundry detergent, fabric softener, cleaning solutions, cleaning products, body care products, windshield washer fluid, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse jugs</li> <li>• Labels OK</li> </ul>	<p>Jugs for flavoured tea, juice, other beverages (return for deposit refund)</p>
 <p><b>Plastic Clamshells</b></p> <p>For baked goods, fruit, produce, eggs, etc. Containers are clear with hinged or click-closed tops.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse containers</li> <li>• Labels OK</li> </ul>	<p>Packaging labelled biodegradable or compostable, liquid-absorbing pads</p>
 <p><b>Plastic Jars and Lids</b></p> <p>For peanut butter, jam, nuts, condiments, vitamins and supplements, personal care products and cosmetics, pharmaceuticals, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plastic jars have wide mouths with screw-top lids</li> <li>• Empty and rinse jars</li> <li>• Labels OK</li> <li>• Remove lids and place loose in recycling container</li> </ul>	<p>Beverage bottles (return for deposit refund), stand-up pouches, containers for motor oil, vehicle lubricant, or antifreeze products</p>

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MATERIAL & DESCRIPTION	DO NOT INCLUDE
	<p><b>Plastic Bottles and Caps</b></p> <p>For food, dish soap, mouthwash, shampoos, conditioners and other personal care products, pills and vitamins, laundry products, household cleaners, automotive cleaners, e.g., glass cleaner, windshield washer fluid, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plastic bottles have screw caps, spray pump or pull-up tops</li> <li>• Empty and rinse bottles</li> <li>• Labels OK</li> <li>• Remove caps, spray pump and pull-up tops, and place loose in recycling container</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Plastic Trays and Tops</b></p> <p>For deli chicken, single serve meals, prepared foods, baked goods, housewares and hardware, e.g. screws, picture hangers, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Containers are clear or have black bottom trays with clear domes</li> <li>• Empty and rinse trays</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Plastic Tubs and Lids</b></p> <p>For margarine, spreads, yogurt, cottage cheese, sour cream, ice cream, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse tubs</li> <li>• Remove lids and place loose in recycling container</li> <li>• For single-use coffee and tea pods: Empty and rinse pods. Remove lids and do not include lids with recycling. Grounds can be composted.</li> </ul>




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	<p><b>Plastic Cold Drink Cups with Lids</b></p> <p>Beverage take out cups</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse cups</li> <li>• Remove lids and place loose in recycling container.</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Plastic Garden Pots and Trays</b></p> <p>For bedding plants, seedlings, vegetable plants, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove remaining soil from garden pots and trays.</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Plastic Pails</b></p> <p>For laundry detergent, ice cream, pet food, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recycle BC accepts pails that are less than 25L; larger pails should be disposed of via a commercial hauler.</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Microwavable Bowls and Cups</b></p> <p>For soups and entrees</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove lids and place loose in recycling container</li> </ul>




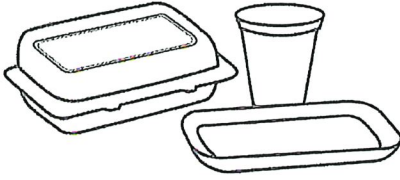
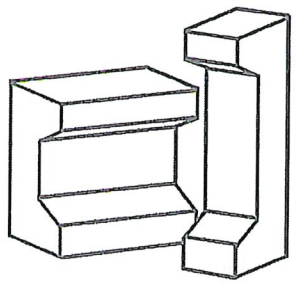
**GLASS**

MATERIAL & DESCRIPTION	DO NOT INCLUDE
 <p><b>Non-Deposit Glass Bottles and Jars</b></p> <p>Clear or coloured. Check with your recycling collector for instructions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty and rinse bottles and jars. Labels OK</li> <li>• Include lids with container recycling</li> </ul>	<p>Drinking glasses, dishes, cookware, whole or broken window glass or mirrors, ceramic mugs or other ceramic products, deposit glass bottles (return for deposit refund), light bulbs and light fixtures</p>

**May be collected separately from curbside or multi-family buildings.**

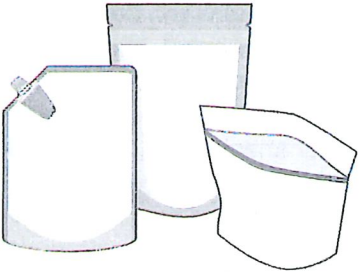
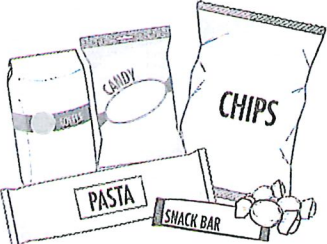
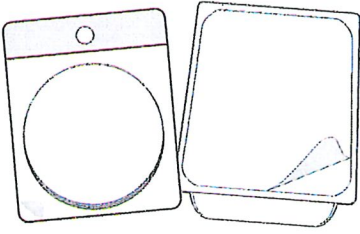
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**DROP-OFF ONLY**

<b>MATERIAL &amp; DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>DO NOT INCLUDE</b>
	<p><b>Plastic Bags and Overwrap</b></p> <p>Plastic bags for groceries, dry cleaning, bread, newspapers and flyers; bags for produce, dry bulk foods, and most frozen vegetables; outer bags and wrap for diapers, feminine hygiene products, paper towels, tissues, soft drink can flats; bags for water softener salt, wood pellets and garden products; overwrap on mattresses, furniture and electronic equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Empty bags of food</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Foam Food Containers and Trays</b></p> <p>Meat trays, foam egg cartons, foam clamshells, foam cups and bowls for take-out food; etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove food residue and liquid-absorbing pads</li> <li>• Sort white and coloured foam into appropriate collection container at depot</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Foam Cushion Packaging</b></p> <p>Foam cushion packaging used to protect electronics, small appliances, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove labels, tape paper, cardboard</li> <li>• Sort white and coloured foam into appropriate collection container at depot</li> </ul>




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 <p><b>Other Flexible Plastic Packaging: Stand-up and Zipper Lock Pouches</b></p> <p>Zipper lock pouches for frozen foods like berries, seafood, prepared foods; zipper lock bags for fresh foods like grapes, deli meats; stand-up pouches for baby food, hand soap refills; stand-up and zipper lock pouches for dried fruits, granola, sugar, oatmeal, grated cheese, etc.</p>	<p>Plastic-lined paper, 6-pack rings, paper-lined plastic, biodegradable and/or compostable plastic, vinyl, plastic squeeze tubes</p>
 <p><b>Other Flexible Plastic Packaging: Crinkly Wrappers and Bags</b></p> <p>Bags for potato chips, candy, dried pasta, cereal, etc.; wrappers for cheese slices, snack bars, instant noodles, etc.</p>	<p>Plastic-lined paper, 6-pack rings, paper-lined plastic, biodegradable and/or compostable plastic, vinyl, plastic squeeze tubes</p>
 <p><b>Other Flexible Plastic Packaging: Flexible Packaging with Plastic Seal</b></p> <p>Packaging for fresh pasta, pre-packaged deli meats, pre-packaged cheese, etc.</p>	<p>Plastic-lined paper, 6-pack rings, paper-lined plastic, biodegradable and/or compostable plastic, vinyl, plastic squeeze tubes</p>

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 <p><b>Other Flexible Plastic Packaging: Woven and Net Plastic Bags</b></p> <p>Net bags for avocados, onions, oranges, lemons, limes, etc.; woven plastic bags for rice, etc.</p>	<p>Plastic-lined paper, 6-pack rings, paper-lined plastic, biodegradable and/or compostable plastic, vinyl, plastic squeeze tubes</p>
 <p><b>Other Flexible Plastic Packaging: Non-food Protective Packaging</b></p> <p>Padded protective plastic like plastic shipping envelopes, plastic air packets, bubble wrap</p>	<p>Plastic-lined paper, 6-pack rings, paper-lined plastic, biodegradable and/or compostable plastic, vinyl, plastic squeeze tubes</p>

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**There have been instances of loud and disruptive behaviour at community residences. (such as Bone games, loud music, screaming, yelling, arguing, barking dogs, and so on)**

**We wish to maintain Penelakut as a quiet and peaceful environment for our members.**

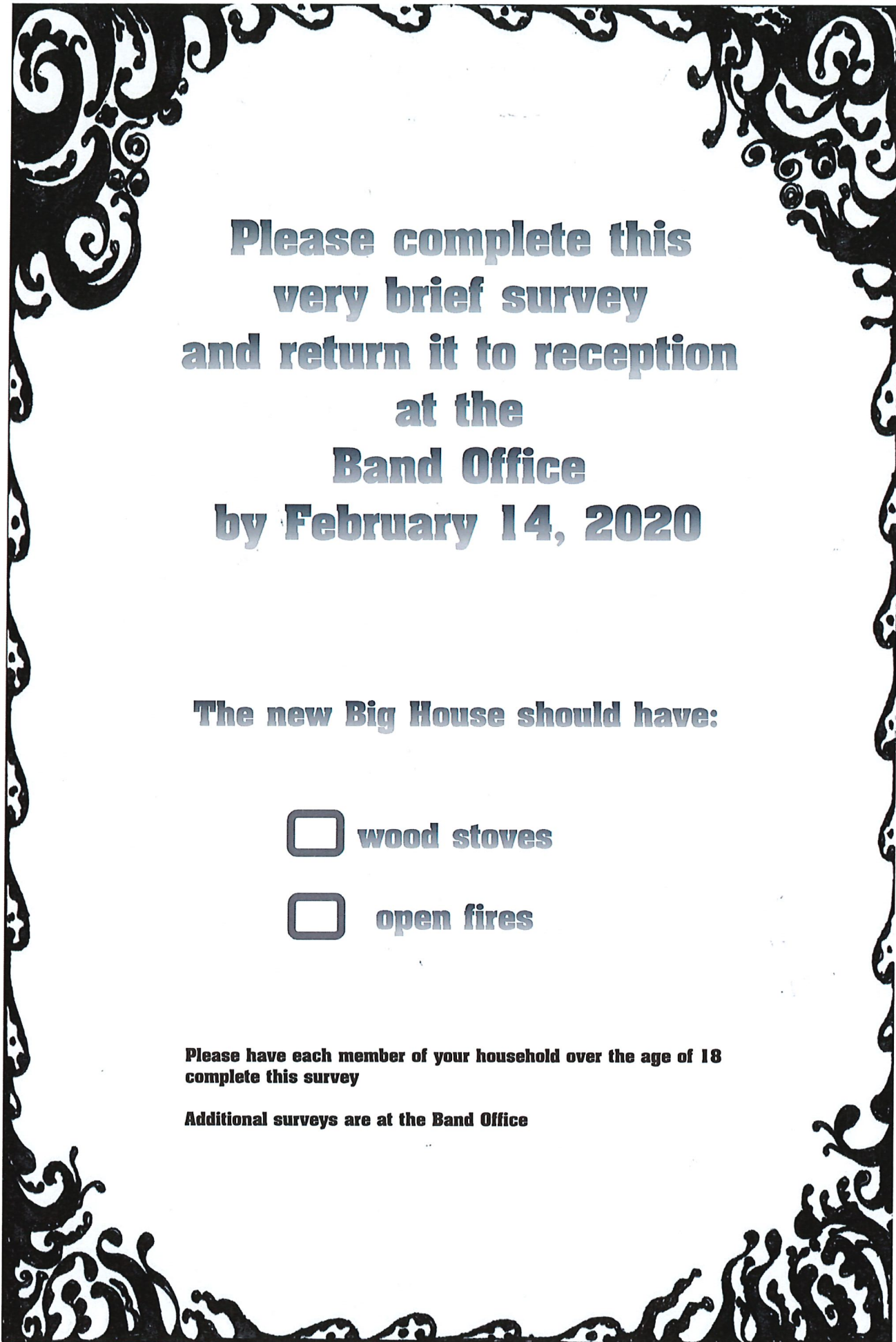
**Please be aware that unacceptable behaviours WILL be promptly dealt with.**

**Be respectful of your neighbours and community and YOURSELF**

**USE AND SALE OF HARD DRUGS  
IS PUNISHABLE BY LAW**

**Anyone known to be selling or using will  
be reported to the RCMP**





**Please complete this  
very brief survey  
and return it to reception  
at the  
Band Office  
by February 14, 2020**

**The new Big House should have:**

☐ **wood stoves**

☐ **open fires**

**Please have each member of your household over the age of 18  
complete this survey**

**Additional surveys are at the Band Office**