

## HOT TIPS



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### **Business Buzz**

- ▶BC Corrections: Adult Custody Division is hiring at multiple locations. The Adult Custody Division operates ten correctional centres located throughout British Columbia that employ approximately 1600 full time employees, including centres located in Nanaimo and Victoria. The minimum requirements for employment as a Correctional Officer are as follows:
  - Must be over 19 years of age
  - Legal to work in Canada
  - Valid Driver's License (Class 5 or better)
  - High School diploma, or equivalent
  - 70% in English 12, or equivalent

#### Hiring process for Corrections Officer:

- Apply online with resume and diploma
- You may then be contacted top COPAT (allowed 2 attempts)
- Invited to REACT, provided successful completion of COPAT
- Complete Security Screening Questionnaire
- Behavioural event interview
- Work performance and reference checks completed
- Invited to CVSA
- Invited to medical exam
- Offer letter

There are many other positions available with BC Corrections, to find out more career options or for more information go to <a href="https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/careers-myhr/job-seekers/featured-careers/bc-correction">https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/careers-myhr/job-seekers/featured-careers/bc-correction</a>

Officials say there is a currently a shortage of 911 call takers across the country, including in <u>Victoria</u>. According to data from Victoria police, more than 42,774 calls came into the communications hub in 2015. That number rose to more than 45,103 in 2016....For the hundreds of people who apply to be a 911 call taker, generally, only a few are selected. Training is also extensive. It takes six months with a coach to become a call taker, and another six months to work as a dispatcher....it is a challenging but rewarding position. <a href="https://www.cheknews.ca/inside-victorias-911-call-centre-389888/">https://www.cheknews.ca/inside-victorias-911-call-centre-389888/</a>.





- ► The RCMP are also recruiting for Telecommunication (911) Operators for their communication centres in Victoria and Courtenay. Their next information session is on Thursday, December 7, 2017 in Courtenay at 6:00 pm. To register to attend this session go to their website <a href="http://www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/recruiting-recrutement/rec-eve-cm-mc/bc-eng.htm">http://www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/recruiting-recrutement/rec-eve-cm-mc/bc-eng.htm</a>
- Final preparations for excavation on the upper lot of Fairwinds Landing will be starting soon, the developer, Seacliff Properties announced...The lot will be developed into the 39-unit condominium building, The Westerly. From the Nov 21, 2017 Parksville Qualicum Beach News
- ▶ Western Canada Marine Response Corporation, an industry-funded organization who clean up oil spills, want to build a hub in Nanaimo to coordinate all oil spill responses on Vancouver Island. "In some places on the coast, we have up to 72 hours to respond. So we're bringing that down drastically to a flat six-hour response for the entire southern shipping lane," spokesperson Michael Lowry told NanaimoNewsNOW. "So you're looking at a significant reduction in response time and a doubling of capacity we have on hand to respond to a spill." The push for a better response time was a safety requirement for the proposed TransMountain pipeline expansion from Edmonton to Burnaby. Federally approved but mired in court challenges, if the pipeline is built the oil spill response has to be in place six months before. Lowry said they're working on a tight timeline but hope to start construction in early 2018 and be finished by 2019. Several other bases would also be established across the Island. If built, it's expected to have 15 vessels in Nanaimo and 35 full-time staff to monitor the waters, maintain their ships and train others. "If you have a relatively large incident and you're running 24/7, you're going to need people to back you up," Lowry said. "We need to train contractors to use our boats and our equipment." The proposed base would be built on Nanaimo Port Authority's Assembly Wharf on downtown waters at 11 Port Dr. Authority president and CEO Ewan Moir said 'while construction isn't confirmed, in-depth discussions about the base are ongoing and the Request for Proposal process is under way'. – from http://nanaimonewsnow.com/article/558863/nanaimo-chosen-main-response-base-oil-spills-salish-sea. Currently WCMRC has a posting in Nanaimo for a Logisitic Coordinator http://wcmrc.com/careers/?jajob=20497

## **General LMI**

The federal government announced that it will spend \$150 million over the next two years with a goal of providing young Canadians with the coding and digital skills they need for the well-paying jobs of the future. The program also aims to encourage more young women, Indigenous Canadians and other under-represented groups to pursue careers in science, technology, engineering and math. In addition, it seeks to equip 500 teachers across the country with the training and tools to teach digital and coding skills. Careering Magazine, Fall 2017, page 8 <a href="http://contactpoint.ca/2017/10/career-briefs-15/">http://contactpoint.ca/2017/10/career-briefs-15/</a>

## **Local Job Leads and Postings**

#### Parksville and Area

- ▶ Database Clerk Family Resource Association Parksville <a href="http://bit.ly/2nPjkB5">http://bit.ly/2nPjkB5</a>
- ► Weekend Dishwasher Quality Resort Bayside Parksville <a href="http://bit.ly/2BbQmSL">http://bit.ly/2BbQmSL</a>
- ► Entry Level Window Cleaner Parksville/Qualicum http://bit.ly/2A1exTN
- ► Lead Carpenter Oasis Renovations Qualicum Beach <a href="http://bit.ly/2jePZyF">http://bit.ly/2jePZyF</a>
- Auto body Tech Parksville <a href="http://bit.ly/2z9NO64">http://bit.ly/2z9NO64</a>
- Coffee Shop Manager Coombs <a href="http://bit.ly/2zWX550">http://bit.ly/2zWX550</a>
- Conveyancer/Legal Assistant Parksville <a href="http://bit.ly/2A2GV7Y">http://bit.ly/2A2GV7Y</a>

- Dispatcher/Office Assistant The Comfort Group Heating Corp Parksville <a href="http://indeedhi.re/2jgQmsr">http://indeedhi.re/2jgQmsr</a>
- Office Assistant -Wellington Foundry Ltd. Parksville <a href="http://indeedhi.re/2mTdbaM">http://indeedhi.re/2mTdbaM</a>
- ▶ Delivery Driver Karma Coffee Ltd. Coombs http://indeedhi.re/2mScgqZ
- ► Rehab Assistant Stanford Place Parksville <a href="http://bit.ly/2nCHrGd">http://bit.ly/2nCHrGd</a>
- ► Activity Worker Stanford Place (ST) Parksville http://bit.ly/2nCOwWZ
- Conveyancer / Legal Assistant Davis Avis Randall Parksville http://indeedhi.re/2A5vGvl
- Drywall Delivery and Forklift Operator Parksville <a href="http://bit.ly/2jQwtfF">http://bit.ly/2jQwtfF</a>
- ►ECE Assistant for Montessori Preschool Parksville area <a href="http://bit.ly/2mTnmfz">http://bit.ly/2mTnmfz</a>
- Management Trainee A&W Restaurants Parksville http://indeedhi.re/2ArkJHF
- ► Gas Bar Clerk Mid Island Coop Parksville http://indeedhi.re/2A83SH4
- ► Pharmacy Assistant Medicine Shoppe Pharmacy #168 Parksville http://indeedhi.re/2A1y9JT

#### Nanaimo

- Painter Nanaimo <a href="http://bit.ly/2A1eirR">http://bit.ly/2A1eirR</a>
- Concrete Precast Labourer Nanaimo <a href="http://bit.ly/2A0D39R">http://bit.ly/2A0D39R</a>
- ► Furniture Installer Monk Office Nanaimo http://bit.ly/2Bh2d1l
- ► Junior Heavy Duty Mechanic A medium sized civil construction and trucking company in central Vancouver Island <a href="http://bit.ly/2zZxqsy">http://bit.ly/2zZxqsy</a>
- ► Branch Manager Fairstone Nanaimo <a href="http://bit.ly/2AqAQVY">http://bit.ly/2AqAQVY</a>
- ► Infrastructure Support Analyst Randstad Nanaimo http://bit.ly/2jQaxRT
- Accounting Assistant Nanaimo <a href="http://bit.ly/2hL1NrX">http://bit.ly/2hL1NrX</a>
- Project Coordinator Multi Level Residential & Commercial Nanaimo <a href="http://bit.ly/2B1kS0P">http://bit.ly/2B1kS0P</a>
- ► Housing Support Worker Pacifica Housing Advisory Association <a href="http://bit.ly/2AoraLO">http://bit.ly/2AoraLO</a>
- ►Insurance Advisor (47321) Western Financial Group Nanaimo <a href="http://bit.ly/2BfnGse">http://bit.ly/2BfnGse</a>
- Security Alarm Technician Price's Alarms Nanaimo http://indeedhi.re/2A2NaZq
- Program Assistant Cultivating Abilities Nanaimo Foodshare Nanaimo http://indeedhi.re/2hMnw2S
- ► Stores and Distribution Attendant BC Clinical and Support Services (BCCSS) <a href="http://bit.ly/2AnkHk8">http://bit.ly/2AnkHk8</a>
- ► Western Forest Products <a href="http://www.jobs.net/jobs/westernforest/en-ca/all-jobs/">http://www.jobs.net/jobs/westernforest/en-ca/all-jobs/</a>

•	Assistant Accountant	Nanaimo
•	Management Development Program	Nanaimo
•	Processing Superintendent, Planer	Nanaimo
•	Quality Control Supervisor	Nanaimo

► BC Public Service is currently seeking Fire Crew Members in Parksville https://search.employment.gov.bc.ca/cgi-bin/a/highlightjob.cgi?jobid=46275 Other Public Service <u>Job Opportunities</u> in Nanaimo include:

Department =	Req # <del> </del> \$\text{\$\Pi\$ Job Title \$\Pi\$}\$		Location    Union   Close Date		
Min of Environment	45343	CNSV O 24R - Conservation Officer	Nanaimo G	EU	11/30/17
Min of Environment	45380	CNSV O 27R - Sergeant or Detective Sergeant Conservation Officer	Nanaimo G	SEU	11/30/17
Forests Lands Natural Res Ops	45635	LSO OTHR 2 - Licenced Authorizations Officer	Nanaimo P	PEA	12/01/17

Forests Lands Natural Res Ops	45637 STO 24R - Authorizations Specialist	Nanaimo GEU	12/01/17
Forests Lands Natural Res Ops	45763 CLK 09R - Administration Clerk	Nanaimo GEU	11/28/17
Forests Lands Natural Res Ops	46062 FO 18R - Financial Analyst	Nanaimo GEU	11/30/17
Forests Lands Natural Res Ops	Band 5 - Executive Director – Timber 46162 Operations, Pricing and First Nations Division	Nanaimo Non	11/30/17

#### **Port Alberni and Other Areas**

- ► Pharmacist Medicine Shoppe Port Alberni <a href="http://bit.ly/2jMuOlc">http://bit.ly/2jMuOlc</a>
- Fisheries Communications and Development Coordinator Nuu-chah-nulth Tribal Council Port Alberni <a href="http://bit.ly/2zt1Vb9">http://bit.ly/2zt1Vb9</a>
- Skilled Carpenters, Apprentices, and Siding Installers Stint Construction Ltd. Port Alberni <a href="http://bit.ly/2ykJUuZ">http://bit.ly/2ykJUuZ</a>
- Office Administrator Alberni Valley Bulldogs Port Alberni <a href="http://indeedhi.re/2A6jxpR">http://indeedhi.re/2A6jxpR</a>
- Self-Loading Logging Truck Driver Dumas Trucking Ltd Port Alberni http://indeedhi.re/2et5Kni
- Door Prehanger Beavercreek Home Center Port Alberni http://indeedhi.re/2AoVDsX
- Lumber Desk Sales Beavercreek Home Center Port Alberni <a href="http://indeedhi.re/2zttDV4">http://indeedhi.re/2zttDV4</a>
- CLK 11R Customer Service Representative Port Alberni <a href="http://bit.ly/2A2XD7l">http://bit.ly/2A2XD7l</a>
- ► Yard Worker Job Number #16835 Windsor Plywood Port Alberni https://avemployment.ca/

#### **Camp Jobs**

- Class one Log Truck Drivers HMT Mackenzie area <a href="http://bit.ly/2zYeOWj">http://bit.ly/2zYeOWj</a>
- Lowbed Truck Driver Wilson Bros Enterprises Ltd. Babine Lake area http://bit.ly/2AlMXnm
- Logging Equipment Operators Peace Country Ventures Ltd. Peace River, AB <a href="http://bit.ly/2hSfw4f">http://bit.ly/2hSfw4f</a>
- ▶ Boiler Operators Extreme Steam Strathmore, AB <a href="http://bit.ly/2hTH1KH">http://bit.ly/2hTH1KH</a>
- ►Buncher Operator MMP Mackenzie area <a href="http://bit.ly/2zVvHnP">http://bit.ly/2zVvHnP</a>
- Experienced Grader Operator J.E. Sellors Services (2014) Ltd Grande Prairie, AB <a href="http://bit.ly/2Bg6yTa">http://bit.ly/2Bg6yTa</a>
- ► Field Labourers & Field Supervisors Blueline Energy Grande Prairie, AB http://bit.ly/2xNb7pM
- ► Water Truck Drivers T-Allan Water Service Willingdon, AB <a href="http://bit.ly/2hWicOg">http://bit.ly/2hWicOg</a>
- ► Vacuum Truck Operators Required (2 yrs. of experience required) Big Rock Water Hauling Service <a href="http://bit.ly/2zXD4vv">http://bit.ly/2zXD4vv</a>
- Class 1 Driver Hauling Frac Sand and Gravel Hauling Red Deer, AB <a href="http://bit.ly/2BeZ7eX">http://bit.ly/2BeZ7eX</a>

## **Job Search Tips**

Five Interview Tips From a Global CEO <a href="http://bit.ly/2jWxp2q">http://bit.ly/2jWxp2q</a>