May 26th, 2020

Kisʔuk kyukyit ʔaq̓am community,

The Board of SEMLP has decided to permit St. Eugene to open the RV Park to leisure travel including Canadian, out-of-province guests effective June 1st, 2020. The majority of RV parks in the Kootenays are beginning to open to out-of-province guests already and the practice is being endorsed by the BC Lodging and Campground Association.

Following BC Health guidelines, strict personal distancing measures will be in place in our RV Park. Our website and our reservation confirmation letters clearly state our restrictions including the restriction from venturing onto Community property. RV Park guests will have limited contact with our colleagues even during the check-in and check-out process. They are not permitted to use any of the campground facilities except the laundry which only permits one guest at a time and has its own exterior entrance. The laundry room is also completely sanitized after each use. Guests are not permitted anywhere outside of the RV park except the golf course. Any guest who does not adhere to these restrictions will be asked to leave immediately. Furthermore, our RV Park sites have a minimum 40-foot distance between sites and as such are ideally suited to proper distancing. We are also restricting gatherings to a maximum of 6 persons per site.

We will also be opening the Hotel on a limited basis of 40 rooms per night effective July 1st, 2020. This will allow us to rotate rooms through a proper deep cleaning protocol every three days. We have as yet not received permission to re-open the Casino of the Rockies although we anticipate that decision will be handed down shortly from BCLC.

To be clear, as we open the various business units of the Resort, we are meeting or exceeding all personal distancing, signage, sanitization, and personal protective equipment guidelines for the safety of both guests and colleagues.

We look forward to returning the Resort to some degree of normalcy over the coming weeks for the benefit of our Owner Communities.

Sincerely,

Sophie Pierre

SEMLP Board Chair