

Fernandes, Ruth FLNR:EX

From: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Sent: Monday, June 26, 2017 2:51 PM
To: MacIver, Stephen FLNR:EX; Sigg, Dominique ENV:EX
Subject: FW: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine

Panic over

From: Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX
Sent: Monday, June 26, 2017 2:27 PM
To: s.22 White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Cc: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine

Thanks s.22 Nothing we need to do. The specifics here don't negate the interest in letting hunters know to look out for them.

Chris Addison
Director of Resource Management, Northeast
(250) 787-3285

From: s.22
Sent: Monday, June 26, 2017 2:18 PM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX; Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX
Subject: Fwd: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine

Begin forwarded message:

From: s.22
Subject: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine
Date: June 24, 2017 at 6:32:02 PM MST
To: communications@nprg.ca
Reply-To: s.22

To:
Website Content

Name:
s.22

Email:
s.22

Subject:
Liard feral swine

Message:

****Update on this feral swine at Liard incident.** It was a misunderstanding. I was one of the people who found the pig near the Liard hot springs. In the end it turns out it was not killed in the wild there and had been brought from Alberta as bait during last winter and was left there. Sorry everyone for the misunderstanding. That's why people shouldn't jump to conclusions and open wild pig season so fast, since there aren't any wild pigs within hundreds of kilometers of the Liard hot springs lol. So note to hunters don't waste your time. Might want to add a note about this on the article. All this information can be verified by BC parks.

s.22

Fernandes, Ruth FLNR:EX

From: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 9:59 AM
To: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Subject: FW: hog
Attachments: Doerkson site.PNG

From: Hansen, Al H ENV:EX
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 9:11 AM
To: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: hog

Like I said, closest hog farms would be FSJ, 800km south of the Liard.

Attached is a google earth clip showing location of find.

Al Hansen
Area Supervisor
BC Parks
Liard Area – Northern Region
Ministry of Environment
250-774-5577

From: Hansen, Al H ENV:EX
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 7:50 AM
To: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: hog

Do you remember where George Doerkson got killed by a bear back in '82? Well, that's where we found this thing. Had the whole spinal column and most of the hide but it had been there awhile and obviously been scavenged upon by other critters. Wonder how it got there as the closest hog farm would be way down around FSJ. That's a long way for a pig to travel and not get eaten by a bear. I'm thinking some fool must have dropped it off there for some reason.

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From: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 7:42 AM
To: Hansen, Al H ENV:EX
Subject: Re: hog

Domestic escapee
Hope there are no more
Save that skull, it's a beaut!

Can you provide the exact location Al?
How the heck are ya?

Helen

On Jun 19, 2017, at 7:39 AM, Hansen, Al H ENV:EX <Al.H.Hansen@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Helen

Found this critter in the bush up near the Liard. What do you make of a critter like that?

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From: [Bridger, Michael C FLNR:EX](#)
To: [Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX](#); [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Feral hogs
Date: Friday, July 14, 2017 5:58:34 PM

Can someone write a response for this one and bcc Fish and Wildlife?

Thanks

Mike Bridger

Regional Wildlife Biologist, FLNRO

Fort St. John

Phone: (250)787-3294

From: Fish and Wildlife FLNR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 12, 2017 3:06 PM

To: Bridger, Michael C FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: Feral hogs

Please respond to writer and BCC Fish and Wildlife, thank you!

From: s.22

Sent: Friday, June 23, 2017 / 2:02 PM

To: Fish and Wildlife FLNR:EX

Subject: Feral hogs

Hi

So i was just reading an article about feral hogs being found by liard hot springs. I live in whitehorse yukon and i am wondering how one would go about hunting them. Would i need a guide? what type of licence is needed to hunt them? Costbof said license?

Thanks

s.22

Sent from my Bell Samsung device over Canada's largest network.

From: [Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX](#)
To: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Media request - CBC radio - Feral pigs
Date: Tuesday, June 27, 2017 9:02:54 AM
Importance: Low

Your famous lol 😊

Inspector Darryl J. Struthers

OIC Peace Region|Conservation Officer Service| Min. of Environment
1201-103rd Avenue Dawson Creek BC V1G 4J2
Phone: (250) 784-2305 Fax: (250) 784-2510

From: Karn, David GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 27, 2017 8:35 AM
To: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX; Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX
Cc: Doyle, Chris J ENV:EX; Price, Gabrielle GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Media request - CBC radio - Feral pigs
FYI

B.C. wildlife official goes hog wild over imaginary wild hogs
Yukon News
Monday, June 26, 2017

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From: [Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX](#)
To: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Cc: [Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX](#); [Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: FW: hog
Date: Monday, June 19, 2017 10:54:56 AM
Attachments: [hog_001.jpg](#)
[hog_002.jpg](#)
[hog_003.jpg](#)
[FW hog.msg](#)

Hey Katelyn, could you send these photos, with a brief communication (like maybe 2 paragraphs) about a pig near the hot springs? The message is to look out for them, and to kill them on sight if able. They're pretty good meat if FNFN, Kaska or Prophet in particular is interested (but every T8 community may want to know). They are what's called "schedule C" wildlife which means there is no closed season for them. If they become entrenched they'll be almost impossible to get rid of and they're very destructive.

Recipients I'd guess should be the communities, and the PAC mailing list, the guides north of the Prophet etc, for broad distribution?

Chris Addison

Director of Resource Management, Northeast
(250) 787-3285

From: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 10:01 AM
To: Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX; Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX; Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX
Subject: FW: hog
Good morning.

Wanted you to know about what Al found in the bush near Liard Hot Springs. A feral hog of some age, fortunately dead. Would be a good idea to notify staff and folks (including outfitters, FN and any likely homesteader types) to keep eyes open since if there are more they could grow quickly to become a huge issue. He is reaching out to Parks.

Thanks and have a nice week!

Helen

From: Hansen, Al H ENV:EX
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 7:40 AM
To: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Subject: FW: hog

Hi Helen

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Al Hansen

Area Supervisor

BC Parks

Liard Area – Northern Region

Ministry of Environment

250-774-5577









MEMORANDUM

June 20th 2017

SUBJECT: Feral swine in the area of the Liard River Hotsprings Provincial Park

Please be advised that BC Parks Area Supervisor for the Liard Area found a feral swine dead in the bush close to the Liard River Hotspring Provincial Park. The pig appeared to have been killed by a bear.

For your information pigs in the wild are classified as "Schedule C" wildlife. This means that there is no close season and you are within your rights to kill a pig on sight. The rationale behind this is that pigs, in the wild, reproduce quickly and can become entrenched in an ecosystem. They cause damage to the environment and may aid in ecosystem shifts. It would be greatly appreciated if you would help in the initiative to ensure that no pig populations are able to establish themselves in the Northeast. The meat is edible.

If you sight any pigs in the wild, and are able to kill it please do. In all pig sighting cases please contact us to report the details and location of the sighting or kill.

Thank you for your support,

Katelyn White

First Nations and Stakeholder Engagement Specialist | Fish and Wildlife Section

Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations

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Ph: 250-787-3496

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["Baptiste.Metchooyeah@denetha.ca"; "Joe.Pastion@denetha.ca"; "Fred.Didzena@denetha.ca"](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:21:00 PM
Attachments: [Hog Memo June 2017.docx](#)
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[hog_002.jpg](#)
[image001.png](#)

Good Afternoon,

Please see the attached memo about a feral swine found in the area of Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park.

If you have any questions or further information about pigs in the wild please contact me.

Thank you for your cooperation,



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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["mdiffin@mliib.ca"](#); ["slo@mliib.ca"](#); ["tlucoordinator@mliib.ca"](#); ["Cdavis@mliib.ca"](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:23:00 PM
Attachments: [Hog Memo June 2017.docx](#)
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Good Afternoon Clayton,

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Thank you for your cooperation,



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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["myahey@blueberryfn.ca"](#); ["bandadmin@blueberryfn.ca"](#); ["Norma Pyle"](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:20:00 PM
Attachments: [Hog Memo June 2017.docx](#)
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From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
To: s.22

Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 8:44:00 AM
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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["referral@hrfn.ca"](mailto:referral@hrfn.ca); ["rnotseta@hrfn.ca"](mailto:rnotseta@hrfn.ca)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:22:00 PM
Attachments: [Hog Memo June 2017.docx](#)
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Good Afternoon Roslyn,

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["tthielen@doigriverfn.com"](#); ["snelson@doigriverfn.com"](#); ["cheron@doigriverfn.com"](#); ["ghaines@doigriverfn.com"](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:22:00 PM
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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: [XT:Chief, West Moberly First Nations EAO:IN](#); ["jwebb@incentre.net"](mailto:jwebb@incentre.net); ["tamara.dokkie@westmo.org"](mailto:tamara.dokkie@westmo.org); ["lureception@westmo.org"](mailto:lureception@westmo.org); forestry@westmo.org
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:25:00 PM
Attachments: Hog Memo June 2017.docx
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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: [XT:Chief, West Moberly First Nations EAO:IN; "jwebb@incentre.net"; "tamara.dokkie@westmo.org"; "lureception@westmo.org"; forestry@westmo.org](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: s.22
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:26:00 PM
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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["Csam@lheidli.ca"](mailto:Csam@lheidli.ca); ["info@lheidli.ca"](mailto:info@lheidli.ca)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["glapierre@saulteau.com"](#); ["nathan.parenteau@saulteau.com"](#); ["Naomi Owens"](#); ["Lands Biologist"](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:25:00 PM
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Good Afternoon Naomi and Melissa,
Please see the attached memo about a feral swine found in the area of Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park.

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: [s.22](#)
Cc: ["Bill Lux"; "Norm MacLean"](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:14:00 PM
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Good Afternoon Vanessa,

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["Lynette.Tsakoza@prophetriverfn.ca"; "Beverly.Stager@prophetriverfn.ca"; "Randy.Chipesia@prophetriverfn.ca"; "Robin.Tsakoza@prophetriverfn.ca"; "Larissa.Tsakoza@prophetriverfn.ca"; "BMuir@nunwadee.ca"](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:16:00 PM
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To: s.22
s.22 Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX; Scheck, Joelle L FLNR:EX;
Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX; XT:Hauk, Evan FLNR:IN; s.22 Kneller, Micah ENV:EX; Bridger, Michael C
FLNR:EX; Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX; Gagne-Delorme, Augrey FLNR:EX; Brinsky, Shawn ENV:EX; Hansen, Inge-
Jean FLNR:EX; s.22 ; Brock, Lisa FLNR:EX; Hopkins, Breanna FLNR:EX; Lacey, Brad A
ENV:EX; s.22 s.22 ; Cage, Rhonda R
FLNR:EX; Hardy, Lisa M ENV:EX
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hotsprings Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 9:08:00 AM
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Good Morning PAC members,

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["Marilyn Norby"](#)
Cc: ["Katherine Wolfenden"; "cynthia.burke@fnation.ca"](#)
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of Liard River Hot Spring Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:12:00 PM
Attachments: [Hog Memo June 2017.docx](#)
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Good Afternoon Marilyn and Katherine,
Please see the attached memo about a feral swine found in the area of Liard River Hotsprings Provincial Park.

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From: [Townsend, Dave H GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX](#)
Cc: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#); [Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Question please on Wild Pigs
Date: Thursday, June 22, 2017 3:43:50 PM

Hi Chris,

We have received a media request from a CBC radio talkshow regarding this Alaska Highway News article on hunters being encouraged to kill wild pigs. The talkshow was hoping to speak to Katelyn White about it. I was going to speak to Katelyn and get some more detail but it looks like she^{s.22}

Do you know anything about this or know anyone else in the ministry that might be able/willing to speak about it?

<http://www.alaskahighwaynews.ca/regional-news/hunters-encouraged-to-kill-wild-pigs-1.20713742>

Thanks,

Dave Townsend

Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations
Office: 250 356-5261 Cell: 250 889-5945
Email: dave.h.townsend@gov.bc.ca

From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: s.22
Bcc: [Bridger, Michael C FLNR:EX](#); [Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX](#); [Fish and Wildlife FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Feral hogs
Date: Monday, July 17, 2017 11:38:00 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Hello Ken,

Thank you so much for your inquiry.

The Fish and Wildlife team in the Northeast of BC has gotten to the bottom of the feral hog incident. The animal was brought into BC already dead to be used as bait on a trap line. That information, and accounts from locals that they had not found any live pigs, leads us to believe that that hog is not part of a larger problem. Fortunately, for BC there are no feral hogs to hunt.

For future reference, non-resident hunters are able to hunt in BC using a guide outfitter; OR if you have a friend or family member that is a BC resident you can apply for an **Accompany to Hunt** permit, the fee plus applicable taxes for which is \$55.00.

I hope this information was useful for you and please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any further questions.

Thank you,



Katelyn White

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Sent: Friday, June 23, 2017 2:02 PM
To: Fish and Wildlife FLNR:EX
Subject: Feral hogs
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Thanks

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From: [O'Brien, Laura FLNR:EX](#)
To: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: GO emails
Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 8:37:46 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Ok, so here is everything that I have for you for emails for the GO Territories. Many of them might have other outfitters that work on their territory, but I do not have a list of those people. You might be able to have more luck if you ask Mike, I kn

A few of them may have transferred their territories. So If you get their territory no I might be able to find more emails.

Gunson, Jason- jake@ggoutfitting.com

Shippmann, Chris

Vince, Thomas

Thompson, Arthur - info@gundahoo.com

Mueller, Frank trapperfank@northwestel.net

Miller, Blair- infor@foldingmtn.com

Black, Shane shane_black@bcsafaris.com

Cary, Darwin – info@scooplake.com

Drinkall, Dale (The new owner will be Craig, so do you want to email him instead? Dale doesn't want anything for the go territory anymore if so it is :s.22

Olsen, Leif- leif@stonemountainsafaris.com

Origoni, Maria s.22

Solmonson, Richard

Case, Danny s.22

Tuchodi River-

Olmstead, Victoria

Clark, Lloyd - pinkmountainoutfitters@telus.net

From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:06 PM
To: O'Brien, Laura FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: GO emails
Hello Lady,

Sorry for no reply I was at the G2G training.

Yes that would work very well thank you ☺

From: O'Brien, Laura FLNR:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 3:46 PM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: GO emails
I am terrible at knowing where I am, from Pipics and Hammett upwards?

From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 9:11 AM
To: O'Brien, Laura FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: GO emails
its basically all around Fort Nelson and then north to the territories.
Thank you Thank you

From: O'Brien, Laura FLNR:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 9:06 AM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX

Subject: RE: GO emails
Where is that on the map?

From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 9:03 AM
To: O'Brien, Laura FLNR:EX
Subject: GO emails

Hello Laura,

Can you give me a list of all of the Guide outfitters above Prophet?

I need to send out a notice about Feral pigs in the area.

Thanks,



Katelyn White

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From: [Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX](#)
To: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Cc: [Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX](#); [Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX](#); [Sigg, Dominique ENV:EX](#)
Subject: RE: hog
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 8:53:51 AM

<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/1365-2664.12866/full>

<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1002/wsb.424/full>

There are a variety of terms but making it easy to understand is likely the key. Hog is probably the least used. I'm copying Dominique now as she is fascinated by them too and is leading invasive spp issues for MOE.

Thanks for the help all!

Helen

From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 8:32 AM
To: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Cc: Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX; Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: hog
Thank you Helen!

I will make the change. I was wondering on terminology myself.

Have a great day,

Katelyn

From: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 8:32 PM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Cc: Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX; Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX
Subject: Re: hog
Great job K

Maybe instead of hog call it a feral swine or pig so there's no confusion?

Helen

On Jun 19, 2017, at 4:49 PM, White, Katelyn FLNR:EX <Katelyn.White@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello All,

Please find the memo draft attached. Please let me know what changes I should make. I would like to send it out tomorrow.

-Katelyn

From: Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 10:55 AM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Cc: Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX; Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX
Subject: FW: hog

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Chris Addison

Director of Resource Management, Northeast

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From: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX

Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 10:01 AM

To: Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX; Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX; Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: hog

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Thanks and have a nice week!

Helen

From: Hansen, Al H ENV:EX

Sent: Monday, June 19, 2017 7:40 AM

To: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: hog

Hi Helen

Found this critter in the bush up near the Liard. What do you make of a critter like that?

Al Hansen

Area Supervisor

BC Parks

Liard Area – Northern Region

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: [Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX](#)
Cc: [Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX](#); [Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: hog
Date: Monday, June 19, 2017 4:49:00 PM
Attachments: [Hog Memo June 2017.docx](#)

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: [Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Media request - CBC radio - Feral pigs
Date: Wednesday, July 5, 2017 11:59:00 AM

Yeah.. ***facepalm***

Thanks..

From: Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 27, 2017 9:03 AM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Subject: FW: Media request - CBC radio - Feral pigs
Importance: Low

Your famous lol 😊

Inspector Darryl J. Struthers

OIC Peace Region|Conservation Officer Service| Min. of Environment
1201-103rd Avenue Dawson Creek BC V1G 4J2
Phone: (250) 784-2305 Fax: (250) 784-2510

From: Karn, David GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 27, 2017 8:35 AM
To: Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX; Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX
Cc: Doyle, Chris J ENV:EX; Price, Gabrielle GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Media request - CBC radio - Feral pigs
FYI

B.C. wildlife official goes hog wild over imaginary wild hogs

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From: Cec Heron
To: White, Katelyn.FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 10:54:41 AM
Attachments: image001.png

Thanks for the info Katelyn

From: White, Katelyn.FLNR:EX [mailto:Katelyn.White@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: June 20, 2017 4:22 PM

To: Teresa Thielen ; Shona Nelson ; Cec Heron ; Gord Haines

Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park

Good Afternoon,

Please see the attached memo about a feral swine found in the area of Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park.

If you have any questions or further information about pigs in the wild please contact me.

Thank you for your cooperation,



Katelyn White

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: ["Nathan Prince"](#); ["Eran Spence"](#); ["Clayton Davis"](#)
Cc: ["Arlene Solonas"](#); ["Debra Pinkston"](#)
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 8:42:00 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Good Morning Nathan,

Thank you so much for your response. Your attention to the matter is very much appreciated.
Thank you as well for your offer of assistance. If we hear of anything closer to your band I will be sure to let you know and get MLIB involved in any efforts.

I will update my contact list for future correspondence.

Thank you again and Happy National Aboriginal Day!

Katelyn White

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From: Nathan Prince [<mailto:tlucoordinator@milib.ca>]
Sent: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 8:26 AM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX; Eran Spence; Clayton Davis
Cc: Arlene Solonas; Debra Pinkston
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Greetings and Danach'ea, Katelyn;

Thank you for the information regarding the finding of a feral pig

As these sort of animals are not native to our Lands, we do not have information to share with at this point in time

Should we encounter any feral pig with our Hunters or Gatherers we will be certain to inform you without delay

In the meantime, if we can be of service, please do not hesitate in contacting a member of our Team

Please feel free to

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Thank you for taking the time to review my correspondence, Katelyn – enjoy your morning!

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Sincerely,

Nathan Prince

Assistant Manager

McLeod Lake Indian Band Land Referral

Tel: 250 788 2227

From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX [<mailto:Katelyn.White@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:24 PM
To: mdiffin@milib.ca; Eran Spence; Nathan Prince; Clayton Davis
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Good Afternoon Clayton,

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From: Nathan Prince
To: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#); [Eran Spence](#); [Clayton Davis](#)
Cc: [Arlene Solonas](#); [Debra Pinkston](#)
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 8:33:15 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Greetings and Danach'ea, Katelyn;

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As these sort of animals are not native to our Lands, we do not have information to share with at this point in time

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Thank you for taking the time to review my correspondence, Katelyn – enjoy your morning!

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Sincerely,

Nathan Prince

Assistant Manager

McLeod Lake Indian Band Land Referral

Tel: 250 788 2227

From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX [mailto:Katelyn.White@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:24 PM

To: 'mdiffin@mli.ca'; Eran Spence; Nathan Prince; Clayton Davis

Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park

Good Afternoon Clayton,

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From: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
To: "[Cec Heron](#)"
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 11:34:00 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

No problem at all Cec.

Hope all is well with you,

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From: Cec Heron [<mailto:cheron@doigriverfn.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, June 21, 2017 10:54 AM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hot Springs Provincial Park
Thanks for the info Katelyn

From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX [<mailto:Katelyn.White@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: June 20, 2017 4:22 PM
To: Teresa Thielen <tthielen@doigriverfn.com>; Shona Nelson <snelson@doigriverfn.com>; Cec Heron <cheron@doigriverfn.com>; Gord Haines <ghaines@doigriverfn.com>
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From: [Kneller, Micah ENV:EX](#)
To: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hotsprings Provincial Park
Date: Monday, July 31, 2017 11:36:17 AM
Attachments: image001.png

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CO Micah Kneller, BASc | Fort St John

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From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Sent: Monday, July 31, 2017 11:16 AM
To: Kneller, Micah ENV:EX
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hotsprings Provincial Park
Mike I think had mentioned that to me. Thank you for letting me know!
Turns out this pig in Liard was brought in from Alberta and used as bait..

From: Kneller, Micah ENV:EX
Sent: Monday, July 31, 2017 11:14 AM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hotsprings Provincial Park
FYI,

I shot one of these by Lynx Creek on Hwy 29 in May. The carcass is in our walkin freezer

CO Micah Kneller, BASc | Fort St John

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From: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 9:09 AM
To: Carl Gitscheff; Dave Harris; 'Horseshoe Creek Outfitters'; Jim Fulton; 'leif@stonemountainsafaris.com'; 'Phinney, Mark'; Steve Hewitt; Backcountry Archery; Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX; Scheck, Joelle L FLNR:EX; Lavallee, Michel FLNR:EX; XT:Hauk, Evan FLNR:IN; Kaleb Bellamy; Kneller, Micah ENV:EX; Bridger, Michael C FLNR:EX; Struthers, Darryl J ENV:EX; Gagne-Delorme, Audrey FLNR:EX; Brinsky, Shawn ENV:EX; Hansen, Inge-Jean FLNR:EX; 'bapaterson@gmail.com'; Brock, Lisa FLNR:EX; Hopkins, Breanna FLNR:EX; Lacey, Brad A ENV:EX; s.22 : Cage, Rhonda R
FLNR:EX; Hardy, Lisa M ENV:EX
Subject: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of the Liard River Hotsprings Provincial Park
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From: Katherine Capot-Blanc
To: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of Liard River Hot Spring Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:22:22 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Hi Katelyn,

What a find! I knew there was one found near FSJ but didnt think about them up here! I will add the memo in our newsletter so members are made aware.

Thank you,

Katherine Capot-Blanc RBTech (trainee)
Land and Resources Coordinator
Lands Department



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Subject: RE: Memo: Feral Swine in the area of Liard River Hot Spring Provincial Park
Date: Tuesday, June 20, 2017 4:29:00 PM
Attachments: image001.png

Hi Katherine!

I know we were quite shocked! We decided it best to send it out to everyone so people are on the lookout! Not something that we were expecting to find and hopefully we don't see any more. Thank you for passing the memo on to the members and let me know if you hear any feedback. Have a great evening,

Katelyn White

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From: Katherine Capot-Blanc [mailto:katherine.capotblanc@fnnation.ca]

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From: [Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX](#)
To: s.22 [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Cc: [Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: RE: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine
Date: Monday, June 26, 2017 2:27:28 PM

Thanks Gerry. Nothing we need to do. The specifics here don't negate the interest in letting hunters know to look out for them.

Chris Addison

Director of Resource Management, Northeast
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From: s.22
Sent: Monday, June 26, 2017 2:18 PM
To: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX; Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX
Subject: Fwd: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine

Begin forwarded message:

From: s.22
Subject: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine
Date: June 24, 2017 at 6:32:02 PM MST
To: communications@nprg.ca
Reply-To: s.22
To:
Website Content

Name:
s.22

Email:
s.22

Subject:
Liard feral swine

Message:

****Update on this feral swine at Liard incident.** It was a misunderstanding. I was one of the people who found the pig near the Liard hot springs. In the end it turns out it was not killed in the wild there and had been brought from Alberta as bait during last winter and was left there. Sorry everyone for the misunderstanding. That's why people shouldn't jump to conclusions and open wild pig season so fast, since there aren't any wild pigs within hundreds of kilometers of the Liard hot springs lol. So note to hunters don't waste your time. Might want to add a note about this on the article. All this information can be verified by BC parks.

s.22

Date/Time: June 24, 2017 6:32 pm

s.22

From:
To: [White, Katelyn FLNR:EX](#)
Cc: [Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX](#); [Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX](#)
Subject: Re: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine
Date: Monday, June 26, 2017 3:40:34 PM

More likely bait for trapping as he references winter.

s.22

Sent through Mobile Magic

> On Jun 26, 2017, at 3:38 PM, White, Katelyn FLNR:EX <Katelyn.White@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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> Wow!

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> Thank you so much for passing this on to us s.22

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> Very concerned though about transporting carcasses for bait for disease transmission, also for the fact that baiting bears is not legal under the wildlife act? Or did I misunderstand that.

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> Thanks again,

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> Katelyn

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> From: 's.22

> Sent: June-26-17 2:33 PM

> To: Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX

> Cc: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX; Schwantje, Helen FLNR:EX

> Subject: Re: North Peace Rod and Gun Club Contact: Liard feral swine

>

> Agreed about communicating the regulations around feral pigs. I am not sure about using carcasses from Alberta for "bait" in BC, even if it was for trapping. What if it was a deer carcass - CWD comes to mind?

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> Cheers

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> s.22

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Oh okay. This makes more sense!

Maybe we should reach out to the individual with information about CWD and other diseases that can be transmitted.

Let me know if you would like me to do that :)

Have a great evening.

-Katelyn

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More likely bait for trapping as he references winter.

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> Wow!

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> Thank you so much for passing this on to us s.22

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> Very concerned though about transporting carcasses for bait for disease transmission, also for the fact that baiting bears is not legal under the wildlife act? Or did I misunderstand that.

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> Thanks again,

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> Katelyn

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Cc: White, Katelyn FLNR:EX; Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Question please on Wild Pigs
Date: Thursday, June 22, 2017 4:28:37 PM

Hi I'm out of the office with Katelyn. Yeah we don't really know much about this current incident but we have had feral (not wild) pigs in the past and they can be a real problem. We do encourage people to kill them when they can. I could reach a phone probably at some point if necessary but would need to clear with Vivian and my exec.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

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Date: 2017-06-22 3:43 PM (GMT-07:00)
To: "Addison, Christopher FLNR:EX"
Cc: "White, Katelyn FLNR:EX" , "Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX"
Subject: Question please on Wild Pigs

Hi Chris,

We have received a media request from a CBC radio talkshow regarding this Alaska Highway News article on hunters being encouraged to kill wild pigs. The talkshow was hoping to speak to Katelyn White about it. I was going to speak to Katelyn and get some more detail but it looks like she is^{s.22}

Do you know anything about this or know anyone else in the ministry that might be able/willing to speak about it?

<http://www.alaskahighwaynews.ca/regional-news/hunters-encouraged-to-kill-wild-pigs-1.20713742>

Thanks,

Dave Townsend

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