

**For Immediate Release  
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## **COVID-19 Update # 8**

The District is wishing our residents a happy Easter weekend and thanking them for continuing to follow COVID-19 recommendations. We have several updates to share with you today:

- The Ucluelet Chamber of Commerce and the British Columbia Economic Development Association (BCEDA) are seeking input from local businesses about the impact of COVID-19 and how governments can help. Please [download the Chamber's survey](#) and submit the complete survey to [chamberoffice@uclueletinfo.com](mailto:chamberoffice@uclueletinfo.com) by Friday April 17, 2020.
- The Recreation Department launched [Ukee Recreation Recreated](#) on Tuesday April 7, 2020. This online platform present fitness tips, fun online resources as well as weekly physical and wellbeing challenges. Like and follow Ukee Recreation Recreated at <https://www.facebook.com/RecreationRecreated/> and check out the Rec Department's new Instagram page @UkeeRec.
- The Wild Pacific Trail is open, and the Light House Loop is now one way only. Please follow directional signage, maintain appropriate social distances and keep dogs on leash.
- Residents are reminded that campfires are currently prohibited in Ucluelet and public garbage cans may not be used for residential waste. Residential curbside garbage pickup continues according to the regular schedule.
- Council will discuss [COVID-19 Bylaw Enforcement](#) priorities and strategies at the Regular Council Meeting on Tuesday, April 14, 2020 at 3:30 PM as well as the new District of Ucluelet budget direction. Members of the public are encouraged to watch this meeting on the [District's YouTube Channel](#) to ensure social distancing and submit any correspondence to Council via [info@ucluelet.ca](mailto:info@ucluelet.ca).

Thank you Ucluetians. Stay strong, safe and kind.

For more information please visit [www.ucluelet.ca](http://www.ucluelet.ca) or contact the District of Ucluelet at 250-726-7744.

Residents are encouraged to stay up to date by [signing up for the District's UkeeMail](#) at Ucluelet.ca and by regularly visiting these Federal and Provincial links:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection.html>

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/emergency-preparedness-response-recovery/covid-19-provincial-support>

<http://www.bccdc.ca/about/news-stories/stories/2020/information-on-novel-coronavirus>