

NEW DATE



**Orange
Shirt Day —
An Evening
with
Phyllis
Webstad**



**On Tuesday, October 23rd please join us in welcoming Phyllis Webstad to our community and share in a cultural event hosted by Comox Valley Schools
Indigenous Education and the Kumugwe Dancers**

Phyllis has inspired thousands and thousands of people to honour residential school survivors and their families by sharing her story of having her orange shirt taken away on her first day of residential school. September 30th of each year is now recognized as Orange Shirt Day and the message that “EVERY CHILD MATTERS” is shared far and wide across Canada. Phyllis is well respected for her work, her courage and for striving to heal our communities and Nation through speaking her truth and we welcome her to come and share her story with us in the Kumugwe Big House.



September 30th has been declared Orange Shirt Day annually, in recognition of the harm the residential school system did to children's sense of self-esteem and well-being, and as an affirmation of our commitment to ensure that everyone around us matters.

When: Tuesday, October 23rd

**Time: 6:15-6:45pm Meet & Greet
with Phyllis hosted at IHOS gallery
7pm-9pm event in Big House**

**Location: Kumugwe Big House,
3330 Comox Rd, Courtenay**

The event is free and open to the public with donations gratefully accepted for the Orange Shirt Day Society!

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