

Tsqewt Victory Celebration August 6, 2024

Esk'etemc Gym

10:00 am Pipe Ceremony

12:30 pm Grand Entry Assemble in hallway of Gym/Old School

Sen KuKukpi7, KyKye7e, Matriarchs, Mothers, Children, Chief & Council, Headmen, Dignitaries, Visiting Kukupi7 & Guests.

1:00 pm Celebration

- Opening Prayer - Esk'etemc Stsmémelt
- Welcome to Celebration -Kukpi7 Fred Robbins and Sen Kukpi7 Francis Johnson Jr
- Welcome Chiefs, Dignitaries and Guests - Sen Kukpi7 Wilfred Robbins
- Opening Drum Song - Arthur Dick's Unity Song

1:30 pm Honoring

- History of Tsqewt Specific Claim IR # 6 - Councillor R. Irene Johnson
- Tsqewt Video - Sen Kukpi7 Irvine Johnson
- Honor our Ancestral Elders - Moment of Silence
- Jeannie's Healing Song - Frieda Belleau and Matriarchs.
- Honor Esk'etemc Elders - Blanketing Ceremony - Sen Kukpi7 Francis Johnson Jr & wife Roxanne, Sen Kukpi7 Wilfred Robbins Sr & wife Jeannie, Sen Kukpi7 Irvine Johnson & wife Charlotte Gilbert.
- Honor previous KuKukpi7 involved in the Tsqewt IR # 6 Negotiations
- Honor Tsqewt Technical Team - Esk'etemc Youth Warriors
- Visitor Acknowledgement and Gifts
- Honor Esk'etemc University Graduates and Experts
- Honor our Stsmémelt - Doreen M. Johnson - -Stsmemelt Project Team.

Closing Comments

5:30 pm Dinner