

## Spring Job Fair brings employers, workers together

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### Spring Hiring Fair-Oliver

Thursday

March 16, 2017

2 pm – 5 pm

SenPokChin School Gym

1156 Senpokchin Blvd

Looking for a job in the South Okanagan?

WorkBC is inviting workers to meet potential new employers Thursday afternoon at a Spring Hiring Fair in Oliver.

The event, sponsored in part by the Osoyoos Indian Band, is scheduled for 2 to 5 p.m. at SenPokChin School (1156 Senpokchin Blvd.).

"We've got more than 35 (employers) confirmed right now," said Kendi Clearwater, a job developer at WorkBC. "Most of them are from Oliver and Osoyoos."

The jobs they're bringing, she said, range from seasonal to full-time positions in the hospitality, agriculture and construction industries — and beyond.

"We have everything from Constellation Brands, wine tasting jobs at Tinhorn Creek, Structurlam looking for people to construct in Oliver and resorts such as Watermark and Walnut Beach."

"(BC) Corrections will be here."

"We do it in the spring every year," she said. "This seems to be the time when jobs are pouring into our offices and people are looking."

"We tell all of our people to bring their resumes and come dressed to impress. And we tell employers if they have application forms or work information to please bring that as well."

Some training opportunities will also be presented and Open Door Group staff will be available to assist with resume preparation and career goal setting.

For those who can't make the Job Fair, WorkBC has an office in Osoyoos, located at 9150 Main Street. The Osoyoos office is open Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.