

HTC & BELLA BELLA RCMP

Joint Advisory Report

August 2024

Drug – Safety & Awareness

A message from HTC & your local RCMP Detachment:

On August 23rd, a small Ziploc bag containing 13 smaller bags of 1 gram each was found on by the playground of the Bella Bella Community school.

Pre-emptive tests were done and the blue & pink powder tested positive for cocaine.

We are providing this bulletin to educate people on what the current drugs found in the community look like.

Thankfully, this drug did not end up in the hands of unsuspected children. Please protect our Sasum!



DID YOU KNOW?

- Cocaine is often cut with other addictive substances such as local anesthetics, amphetamines, bath salts and caffeine;
- Cocaine is also often laced with fentanyl or its derivatives, which are deadly opioids;
- The amount of cocaine found is estimated at a local street value of \$2600 or \$200 a gram.



If you or a loved one struggles with addiction, there are support & wellness groups in the community. Referrals for treatment can be made by a medical practitioner. Crisis Line worker can be reached at 250-957-7048 or Hailika'as Heiltsuk Health 250-957-2308.

REMEMBER!

One of the Bella Bella RCMP's mandate is public safety. We encourage everyone to report suspicious activities, impaired drivers and offences involving drugs and substance abuse by calling the detachment at 250-957-2388.

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