



NOTICE OF DINNER MEETING

DATE: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2022
TIME: 6 PM NO-HOST BAR | 7 PM DINNER
PLACE: JERICHO TENNIS CLUB
3837 Point Grey Road
Vancouver
COST: \$85 Members | \$100 Non-Members

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THE TRUTH & RECONCILIATION COMMISSION OF CANADA: HONOURING THE TRUTH, RECONCILING FOR THE FUTURE

GUEST SPEAKER – JUSTICE LEN MARCHAND, JR.



Justice Len Marchand, Jr. is Syilx and a member of the Okanagan Indian Band. He grew up in Kamloops and after finishing a B.A.Sc. in chemical engineering at UBC in 1986, he worked in the oil industry for five years. He returned to law school at UVic in 1991 and graduated in 1994. He articulated and practised law at Fulton & Company LLP in Kamloops from 1994 - 2013. His practice focused on the liability of public authorities and he appeared before all levels of court and many administrative tribunals.

Justice Marchand has dedicated a substantial portion of his career to achieving reconciliation for many Indigenous people through, among other things, advancing civil claims for abuses suffered by residential school survivors. His presentation will focus on this subject.

In 2005, he helped negotiate the Indian Residential Schools Settlement Agreement which was, at the time, the largest class action settlement in Canadian history. He served on the Oversight Committee for the Independent Assessment Process and on the Selection Committee for the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Justice Marchand was appointed to the Provincial Court of British Columbia on September 5, 2013. As a Provincial Court judge, Justice Marchand had the privilege of presiding in Cknucwentn Court in Kamloops, where, with input from Elders, healing plans are developed for Indigenous offenders. Justice Marchand was appointed to the Supreme Court of British Columbia on National Indigenous People's Day, June 21, 2017 and was appointed to the British Columbia Court of Appeal on March 24, 2021.

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PLEASE INDICATE THE NAMES OF MEMBERS & GUESTS ATTENDING THIS MEETING

WE REQUIRE 24 HOURS' NOTICE OF CANCELLATION

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