

# **PROPHET RIVER DENE TSAA TSE K'NAI SCHOOL**

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#### **QUICK FACTS**

- + Mixed-use School and Community Centre
- + 7,200 square feet
- + Wood Structure
- + Multiple Stakeholders
- + Highly-Collaborative
- + Smith + Andersen Mechanical and Electrical









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### **ABOUT THIS PROJECT**

- + One storey school designed and constructed for the Prophet River Band (Dene Tsaa Tse K'Nai First Nation).
- + Wood building which includes four classrooms, a library, and a small multipurpose area with an audio-visual display area and an adjoining kitchen.
- + Library and multi-purpose area utilized by both the students and the community.
- + Based on lessons learned from past projects, client requested the simplest possible mechanical system to accommodate straight-forward operational requirements.
- + Mechanical design included commercial grade furnaces, taking into account the remote location and explicit needs of the client.
- + Design accommodates remote, cold location, specified for smooth operations even at temperatures of -40 degrees Celsius.
- + Remote location required heavy collaboration throughout the design process, particularly when arranging services and utilities.
- + Electrical design required very close collaboration for the custom wood construction, an understanding of the colour scheme, and careful coordination to accommodate the wood slat feature ceiling with effective lighting.

**LOCATION** Prophet River, BC

SMITH + ANDERSEN SERVICES PROVIDED Mechanical, Electrical

**SIZE** 7,200 sq. ft. (670 sq. m.)

> **BUDGET** Confidential

COMPLETION YEAR 2015

#### **HOT BUTTONS**

