

# Baker Lake 2006

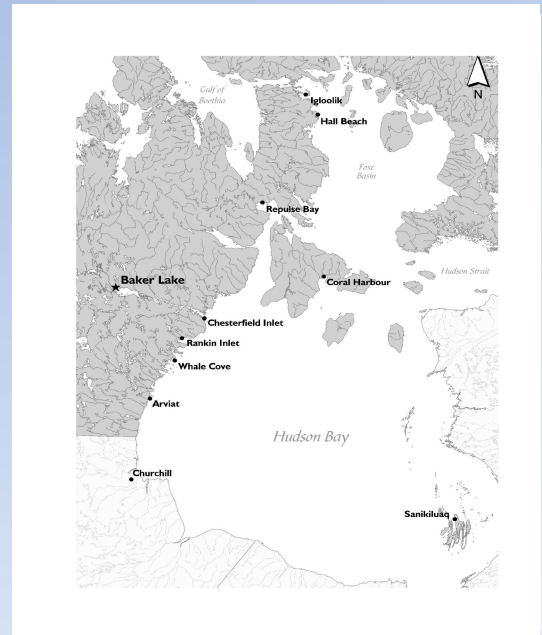
Baker Lake, or *Qamani'tuuq*, is situated inland, at the huge widening at the mouth of the Thelon River, close to the geographic centre of Canada.

Baker Lake is well known for its arts and craft community. Distinguished artists and studios promoting arts and crafts, such as the Inuit Heritage Centre, the Jessie Oonark Centre, and well-established independent art galleries are assets to the community's arts and craft industry.

The natural resource industry could also have a significant impact on the economic development of Baker Lake. Further development of the Meadowbank gold deposit, now at the initial review stages with their environmental impact statement, has already created numerous local hires. If mine proceeds into operation, more jobs will be available at the mine site, approximately 70kms from Baker Lake. From administration to cooking to heavy equipment operation, community council is now proactively looking into training programs to prepare its residents for the assortment of jobs that may be available.

For more information about Baker Lake, visit [www.bakerlake.org](http://www.bakerlake.org) or the Nunavut Handbook website at: <http://www.arctictravel.com>.

**Getting There:** Calm Air operates daily flights from Winnipeg. Please check with the airline for schedule changes.



(For larger map use zoom tool)

## Community Services and Information

<b>Population</b>	<b>~1,700</b>
<b>Region</b>	<b>Kivalliq</b>
<b>Time Zone</b>	<b>Central</b>
<b>Postal Code</b>	<b>X0C 0A0</b>

*Population based on 2001 Stats Canada Report*

**RCMP** General Inquiries 867-793-0123  
Emergency Only 867-793-1111

**Health Centre** 867-793-2816

**Fire Emergency** 867-793-2900

**Post Office** 867-793-2273

### Schools/College

Rachel Arngnamaktig (K-6) 867-793-2513

Jonah amitnaaq (7-12) 867-793-4657

Arctic College 867-793-2971

### Early Childhood Services

Baker Lake Day Care Centre 867-793-2935

Family Support Centre 867-793-2870

Prenatal Nutrition Project 867-793-2626

### Churches

St. Aiden's Anglican Church 867-793-2433

Glad Tidings Church 867-793-2233

St. Paul Catholic Church 867-793-2041

### Community Wellness/Recreation

Arena 867-793-2072

Swimming Pool 867-793-2414

Drop-in Centre 867-793-2870

### Local Communications

Arctic Net (broadband) 867-793-4044

Internet NWTel 867-669-5454

Local website [www.bakerlake.org](http://www.bakerlake.org)

Cable 867-793-2912

Radio Station 867-793-2962

**Airport** 867-793-2564

**Baker Lake Housing Association** 867-793-2462

### Hunters and Trappers Organization

867-793-2520

### Vera Akumalik Visitor Centre

867-793-2456

### Inuit Heritage Centre (Museum)

867-793-2598

### Thomas Tapatai Library

867-793-4657 ext 12

### Banks

Light banking services available at the Northern and Co-op stores; Interact services available at most retail stores.

### Hamlet Office

867-793-2874

For more information about Kivalliq regional government departments, Inuit associations and development corporations, see Kivalliq region page.

Canada-Nunavut Business Service Centre 1-877-499-5199

## Baker Lake Businesses

(Inuit) = On NTI Inuit Firm Registry 2006

### Accommodation and Dining

#### **Baker Lake Lodge**

Contact: Elizabeth Kotelewetz  
P.O. Box 239  
PH: 867-793-2905  
FX: 867-793-2965

*Hotel rooms & cabins, restaurant for guests, conferences, fishing & wildlife expeditions, cultural emersion program.*

#### **Iglu Inns North Hotel (Inuit)**

Contact: Norman Coates  
P.O. Box 69  
PH: 867-793-2801  
FX: 867-793-2711  
*Hotel & restaurant*

#### **Jo's Bed & Breakfast**

P.O. Box 11  
PH: 867-793-2372  
FX: 867-793-2300

#### **Nunamiut Lodge (Inuit)**

Contact: Betty Hughson  
P.O. Box 369  
PH: 867-793-2127  
FX: 867-793-2824  
*Inn with dining room, meeting rooms*

#### **Quick Stop c/o Northern**

P.O. Box 60  
PH: 867-793-2211  
*KFC, Pizza Hut, fast foods*

### Retail

#### **Nathan's Rentals**

Contact: David Annanowt  
P.O. Box 73  
PH: 867-793-2070  
*Retail and sale of movies, games and selling of confectionary items.*

#### **Northern Store**

P.O. Box 60  
PH: 867-793-2920  
FX: 867-793-2565  
*General retail and groceries, light banking services*

#### **Nunavut Purchasing Supply (Inuit)**

Contact: Kenny Hachey  
P.O. Box 350  
PH: 867-793-2311  
FX: 867-793-2310  
*Convenience store, truck rental, equipment supply, accommodation*

#### **Sanavik Co-op (Inuit)**

Contact: Norman Coates  
P.O. Box 69  
PH: 867 793-2912  
FX: 867-793-2594  
*Grocery, hardware, post office, cable*

#### **Yapaksut Fabric Creations**

Contact: Kathy Nateela  
P.O. Box 52  
PH: 867 793-2912  
*Retail sales of materials & pre-ordered clothing*

### Transportation and Shipping

#### **Calm Air**

General Delivery  
PH: 867-793-2873  
Toll free: 1-800-839-2256  
*Scheduled and charter air service*

#### **Inland Taxi**

Contact: Carmen Ikuutaq  
P.O. Box 148  
PH: 867-793-4777

#### **Kivalliq Air (A division of KeewatinAir)**

Toll Free: 1-877-855-1500  
*Scheduled and charter air service, freight and cargo*

#### **Nakilaaq Taxi**

Contact: Hugh Nateela  
P.O. Box 52  
PH: 867-793-2110

#### **Ookpik Aviation**

Contact: Boris Kotelewetz  
P.O. Box 239  
PH: 867-793-2234  
FX: 867-793-2965  
*Year-round charter flights to Canada's remote northern destinations. Based out of Baker Lake*

### Expediting, Contracting and Equipment Supply

#### **Aviation Fuel Enterprise**

P.O. Box 239  
PH: 793-2234, after hrs: 793-2928  
FX: 867-793-2965  
*Aviation fuel sales/refueling, turbo & 100 low led fuel available, can obtain other fuels on demand*

#### **Baker Lake Contracting & Supplies**

Contact: Al Lahure  
P.O. Box 240  
PH: 867-793-2831  
FX: 867-793-2577  
*Building materials, electrical equipment, hardware/tools, lumber, lighting, road construction, freight & cargo, vehicle rental*

#### **Baker Lake Small Engine Repair Sales & Service**

Contact: Johnny Qaqimat  
P.O. Box 148  
PH: 867-793-4777  
*ATV & Snowmobile repairs*

#### **Baker Lake Trucking**

Contact: Randy Perkison  
P.O. Box 296  
PH: (867)-793-4499  
*Trucking & Maintenance*

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**DJD General Contracts**

Contact: David Toolooktook Sr.  
P.O. Box 166  
PH: 867-793-2150  
*Certified plumber & carpenter*

**Joe's Furnace Repair**

Contact: Joe Nattak  
P.O. Box 325  
PH: 867-793-4024

**Kabla's Shop**

Contact: Michael Akilak  
P.O.Box 162  
PH: (867) -793-4752  
*Small Engine & Tire Repair*

**NWT Ltd. (Arctic Fuel)**

Contact: Kenny Ha hey  
P.O. Box 350  
PH: 867-793-2311  
FX: 867-793-2310  
*Convenience & Hardware store, general labor service, lumber, mechanical equipment supply, weather prediction, furnace & boiler repair.*

**Peter's Expediting (Inuit)**

Contact: Peter Tapatai  
P.O. Box 74  
PH: 867 793 2703  
FX: 867-793-2988  
E-mail: [ptapatai@arctic.ca](mailto:ptapatai@arctic.ca)  
*Overland transport, general contractor, garage service station, general retail, gravel hauling, local freighting.*

**S.K. Construction Ltd.**

Contact: Boris Kotelewetz  
P.O. Box 239  
PH: 867-793-2965  
*General contracting, earthmoving, highway maintenance, road construction, building materials.*

**T&M Enterprise (Inuit)**

Contact: Glenn McLean  
P.O. Box 283  
PH : (867) -793-2319

Consulting, Real Estate, Construction

**Tuuapak (Inuit)**

Contact: Tom Kabloona  
P.O. Box 416  
PH: 867-793-2965  
FX: 867-793-2360  
*Expediting, earth moving, general contracting*

**ZDYB Services (Inuit)**

Contact: Ronald S. Bodner  
P.O. Box 150  
PH: 867-793-2918  
FX: 867-793-2624  
*Retail of goods, oil, snowmobile parts, office supplies & contracting & taxi*

**Tourism and Culture****Akubliriit Arts Society**

Contact: Tania Marsh, Arts Coordinator  
P.O.Box 149  
PH: (867)-793-2598  
FX: (867)-793-2315  
*Committee of local artist, representing a variety of art forms*

**Baker Lake Hunters and Trappers Assoc.**

Contact: David Aksawnee, President  
General Delivery  
PH: 867-793-2520  
FX: 867-793-2034  
*Hunting, trapping, gun supplies, ammunition, camping equipment*

**Baker Lake Inuit Heritage Centre**

Contact: Winnie Owingaak, Manager  
P.O.Box 149  
PH: (867) 793-2598  
FX: (867) 793-2315  
*Museum Showcasing the culture and heritage of inland inuit*

**Jessie Oonark Arts & Crafts**

Contact: Paul Qiyuk  
P.O. Box 280  
PH: 867-793-2428

FX: 867-793-2429

*Prints, carvings, arts, grafts, jewelry*

**Ookpiktuyuk Art Gallery**

Contact: David Ford  
P.O. Box 29  
PH: 867-793-2534  
FX: 867-793-2422  
*Inuit art wholesale, stone, bone & ivory sculptures, drawing & print graphics*

**Qatqa Sport Hunts**

Contact: Joan Scottie  
P.O. Box 17  
PH: 867-793-2907  
FX: 867-793-2227  
*Equipment & guides for sport hunts*

**Qimukyuk Outfitting**

Contact: Tom Kudloo  
P.O. Box 14  
PH: 867-793-2560  
*Equipment & guides for sport hunts*

**\*Sila Lodge Ltd.**

General Delivery  
PH: 1-800-663-9823  
PH: 204-663-6375  
E-mail: [fn@silalodge.com](mailto:fn@silalodge.com)  
*Arctic wildlife viewing on Wager Bay*

**Vera Akumalik Visitors Centre & Inujarvik Territorial Park**

P.O. Box 149  
PH: 867-793-2456  
FX: 867-793-2175  
*Open seasonally  
\*Outfitting and guiding services dependant upon annual license renewal*

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**Technical and  
Communication**

**Arctic Net**

Contact: Hugh Tunnuq  
P.O. Box 61  
PH: (867) 793-4044

*Maintaining and supplying Internet  
Hardware; Community Service  
Provider*

**Aqsaliyaa Words & Pictures Video**

Contact: Martin Kreelak  
P.O. Box 34  
PH: 867-793-2999  
FX: 867-793-2277

*Video production contracts  
Producer/director- Martin Kreelak*

**Atqiksuiji Services**

Contact: Margaret Niego  
P.O. Box 385  
PH: 867-793-4026

*Bookkeeping, Conference/Workshop  
Planning & Delivery, Research,  
Proposal Writing*

**Inland Inuit Consulting (Inuit)**

Contact: Joan Scottie  
P.O. Box 17  
PH: 867-793-2907  
FX: 867-793-2227

*Consulting about traditional &  
cultural knowledge on wildlife &  
environmental issues*

**Inuit Broadcasting Company**

Contact: Barney Aaruaq, Manager  
P.O. Box 300  
PH: 867-793-2893  
FX: 867-793-2521

**Inuktitut Uqalkta (Inuit)**

Contact: Sarah Silou  
P.O. Box 335

PH: 867-793-2389  
FX: 867-793-2125  
E-mail: [ssilou@canoemail.com](mailto:ssilou@canoemail.com)  
*Translating English-Inuktitut-French,  
management consulting*

**Nunavut Power Corporation**

General Delivery  
PH: 867-793-2930  
*Suppliers of Electricity*

**Radio Station (CKQN)**

General Delivery  
PH: 867-793-2962  
FX: 867-793-2726

**Tukiliurvik Translation Services**

Contact: Percy Tutannuaq  
P.O. Box 361  
*Written & Oral Translations –  
Inuktitut/English*

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Inuksugait Plaza, Box 1000 Station 1198  
Iqaluit, NU X0A 0H0  
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Fx: 1-877-499-5299 or 975-7885  
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[www.cbbsc.org/nunavut](http://www.cbbsc.org/nunavut)

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