

Careers

MINE ENGINEER

WORKING AT VICTORIA'S EAGLE

GOLD MINE involves living in camp while on site and the company is proud of its efforts to foster a strong and respectful health, safety and environmental culture within its site community.

As a **Mine Engineer** at the Eagle Gold Mine, getting to site for Nico Harvey, as for many other Victoria employees, begins with a one-hour Air North, Yukon's Airline flight from Whitehorse to Mayo followed by a van or bus shuttle to the mine along the 85-kilometre road between the community and site. Depending on weather conditions, this journey takes one-and-a-half to two hours.

A typical day begins at 6:00 a.m. in preparation for a morning shift meeting at 6:15 followed by coordination with the site surveyors about what needs to be staked out in the field, a review of the day's work requirements and a daily 7:00 a.m. departmental safety meeting.

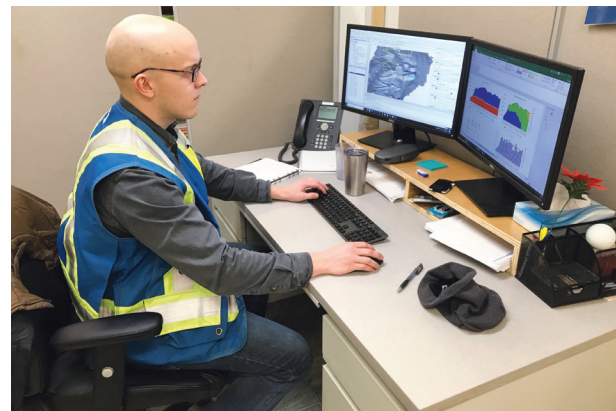
Breakfast, and all meals in camp, are served buffet style and prepared by NND Summit Camp Services. "They provide a wide array of options and lots of it, so there's great variety and something for everyone," says Nico.

"After we eat, we review the current status of the mine to gauge the adequate amount of ore to feed the crusher for the next 24 to 72 hours and go on a pit tour with the General Foreman to ensure the mine's weekly plan is being executed, design back-up plans and discuss any issues or concerns," continues Nico. "Before lunch, we then design and implement any changes that came up during the tour."

Afternoons are spent working on projects, longer-range planning and the evaluation of scenarios and mine designs with dinner at 5:30 p.m. followed by a night shift meeting and notes and reminders for the next day. Camp dorms provide employees with a private room with shared washrooms and showers.

Every Sunday, as a member of the Eagle Gold Mine Rescue Team, Nico, who has his Mine Rescue tickets, trains and practices scenarios in order to respond to potential emergencies at site. "As the mine is in a remote location, we need to be prepared to handle things on our own," says Nico.

"Working 12 to 14 hours a day doesn't leave a lot of spare time, especially if I want to get a good night's sleep," says Nico. "That being said, I make sure I go to the gym here in camp five times a week and I read a lot. I try to avoid watching TV as I already get a lot of screen time in my position."



Mine Engineer Nico Harvey preparing status reports in the Eagle Gold Mine site offices.



Tour to oversee operations in the Eagle Gold Mine pit.



Reviewing drill and blast designs with a Victoria Gold team member.

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ABOUT VICTORIA GOLD & THE EAGLE GOLD MINE

The Eagle Gold Mine, now in production, is part of Victoria's 100-per cent-owned Dublin Gulch Property located approximately 375 kilometres north of Whitehorse and 85 kilometres north, northeast of the Village of Mayo within the traditional territory of the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyak Dun. The property is accessible by road year-round and is connected to Yukon Energy Corp's electrical grid. The mine will be a significant contributor to Yukon employing 350 to 400 people.

