Grise Fiord 2013

The “Most Northern Community of Canada”, Grise Fiord is located in the High Arctic on Ellesmere Island, 76°25’00”N 82°54’00”W in the map.

Picturesque and remote, it is surrounded by high hills and, for most of the year, sea ice. The local residents of the Hamlet, call Grise Fiord, Ausuikutq, “the place that never thaws out”, referring to the glacier above and behind the mountains of the community.

Visitors come to Grise Fiord to witness its spectacular beauty and wildlife. Researchers travel either to Ellesmere Island or to the famed “Ancient Forest” on Axel Heiberg Island.

Getting There: All scheduled air travel to Grise Fiord is done via Resolute Bay with Unaalik Aviations, Kenn Borek Air Ltd. Thursday and Saturday mornings. First Air operate flights to Resolute Bay from Iqaluit on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. Please check with the airlines for same day connections to and from Ottawa and Resolute Bay or for scheduled changes.

Community Services and Information

| Population | 148 |
| Region | Qikiqtani |
| Time Zone | Eastern |
| Postal Code | X0A 0J0 |

Population based on 2013 Municipal Statistics
(Area Code is 867 unless as indicated)

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For more information about regional Qikiqtani government departments, Inuit organizations and development corporations, see Qikiqtani Regional page.
Grise Fiord Businesses
(Area code 867 unless as indicated)

Accommodation and Dining

Grise Fiord Lodge
(Inuit)
Frank Holland
General Delivery
Ph: 980-9135
For Reservations: 980-9913
Fx: 980-9954
gfcoop@qiniq.com
Hotel

Retail

Grise Fiord Inuit Co-operative
(Inuit)
Frank Holland
General Delivery
Ph: 980-9913 Fx: 980-9954
gfcoop@qiniq.com
General retail and groceries, hardware/tools, arts and crafts, post office

Transportation and Shipping

Unaalik Aviation, Kenn Borek Air Ltd.
Frank Holland
General Delivery
Ph: 980-9913
Fx: 980-9954
gfcoop@qiniq.com
Scheduled flights; cargo

Expediting, Contracting and Equipment Supply

Oogliit Sannavik Business
Aksakjuk & Liza Ningiuk
Box 66
Ph: 980-4040
Fx: 980-4041
Fuel contractor & office space rental

Tourism and Culture

Iviq Hunters & Trappers Organization Qutsiktumiut Outfitting (Business Arm)
(Inuit)
Box 78
Ph: 980-9063 Fx: 980-4311
gfiviqhta@qiniq.com
Information about the land, country foods, outfitting

Koonoo’s Outfitting
Ipeelee Koonoo
Box 114
Ph: 439-8180
Local outfitter

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Technical and Communications

Interpreting/Translating
Hamlet of Grise Fiord
Box 77
Ph: 980-9959
Fx: 980-9052

gfsao@qiniq.com

Nunavut Power Corporation
General Delivery
Ph: 980-1201
Fx: 980-1202
Suppliers of electricity

Qaqqalik Local FM Radio
Hamlet of Grise Fiord
General Delivery
Ph: 980-9951
Fx: 980-9042
Radio announcements
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