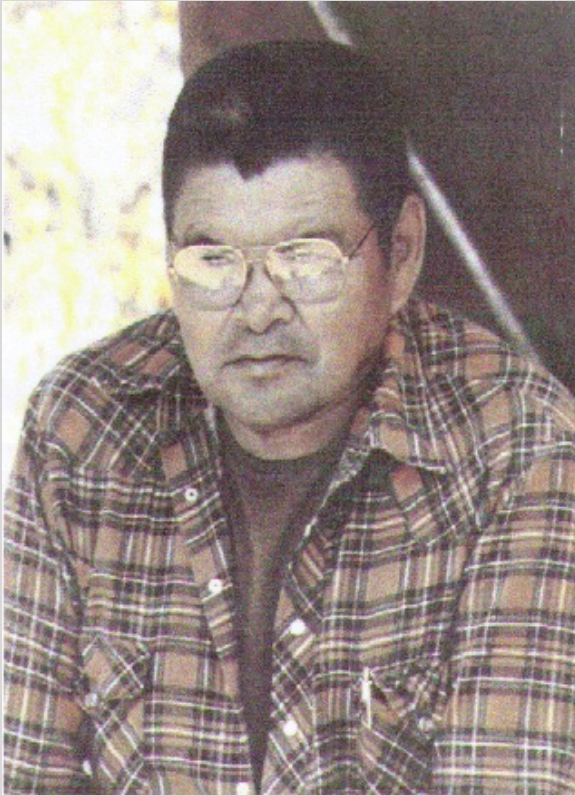


# PETER LUCAS



**STORY:** Peter Lucas, son of Johnson Lucas, was a skilled hunter and trapper and worked as a big game guide for local outfitter Louis Brown.

Peter Lucas home schooled his children. He spent a lot of time on the land and passed on traditional knowledge and culture of the Na Cho Nyak Dun to local youth.

Peter lived with his family at Nogold, an early settlement east of Mayo on the Stewart River. For many years Peter was a skilled storyteller.

Peter was Chief for Na Cho Nyak Dun First Nation 1971-78. He was one of the first people to advocate protection of the Peel River.

Peter was instrumental in producing the document Together Today for our Youth Tomorrow, the document where the Yukon indigenous people made clear their desire to protect their cultures and develop economic opportunities for future generations. Eventually this work led to the signing of the Umbrella Final Agreement in 1990.