



AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION'S

Chippewa Tribe-UNE

NAAW WEEK ACTIVITY JOIN THE HUNT!!

CAN YOU FIND SOBER BEAR?



CLUES WILL BE POSTED ON THE HEALTH CENTRE
FACEBOOK PAGE AND DIGITAL MARQUEES AT
MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG & E'MINO BMAAD-ZIJIG

NOVEMBER 17-21 AT 5:00PM

Once found, please hand him in to the front desk
at Maawn Doosh Gumig

PLAY ALONG FOR A CHANCE TO
WIN A FAMILY GIFT BASKET!

NATIONAL ADDICTION AWARENESS WEEK

CHIEF & COUNCIL BREAKFAST

& AWARD ASSEMBLY

**SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 16, 2025
8 AM**



MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG
COMMUNITY CENTRE

CHILD MINDING &
ACTIVITY
DURING AWARDS

Lunch & Learn

Join us for lunch and learn about the new "Hart Hub"



**National
Addictions
Awareness
Week**



Monday, November 16, 2026
11:30AM - 1PM

Questions & sign up: Please call Kayla at 519.332.6770
Ext.328

Maawn Doosh Gumig
Community Centre

NAAW PRESENTS

PROMJIWNAANG

November 20, 2025
Maawn Doosh Gumig
5:30-7:30

Fun for the whole
family!

CIRCUS

- Mocktails
- Formal attire
- Spot Dances
- Prizes



**NATIONAL
ADDICTIONS
AWARENESS
WEEK**



AAMJIWNAANG

SAVE THE DATE

STEPHANIE STEPHENS

Stephanie Stephens (Waabishka Mligwan) is a bear clan, anti-colonial educator, helper and lifelong learner. She brings perspective on addiction and mental health from Anishinaabe worldview based on old teachings predating contact and works to help shift perspectives today away from blame and shame, towards collective responsibility in healing and wellness at a community level. She shared an understanding about addiction often being a result of coping with normative violence and exclusion from society as a result of unique traits and spiritual gifts that have gone under-nurtured.

NOV 18-19/25

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

SIGN UP POSTED SOON!

COME ALL YE
ANISHINAABE

AAMJIWNAANG'S
**CHRISTMAS
CONCERT**

Santa will be
dropping by,
so remember to
add your child
(12 and under)
to Santa's list!

DECEMBER 11, 2025

DOORS OPEN 5:30

Hayrides from 6-730 pm

Please sign up
your act (singing,
skit or performance).
Lets make this a
Concert to
remember!

Deadline for Signs ups / Act / Skits is December 5 at 4 pm

Call out to uan Goozen Music students and
Aamjiwnaang Got Talent winners to perform

There will be a scheduled rehearsal
on December 10, from 6-8 pm

★ **COME ON OUT AND ENJOY THE FESTIVIES** ★
WITH FAMILIES AND FRIENDS

Mino Dbishkaayin-Happy Birthday

Emma Gravelle	Nov. 14	Jayden Adams	Nov. 21
Angel Pedlar	Nov. 14	Anthony Gray	Nov. 22
Thomas Maness	Nov. 14	Tara Huggins	Nov. 22
Kathryn Mosiej	Nov. 14	Madison Autumn Maness	Nov. 22
Bonnie Plain	Nov. 14	Sidney Maness	Nov. 22
Curtis J Plain	Nov. 14	Brooklyn Nahmabin	Nov. 22
Daniel A Plain	Nov. 14	Keewadin Olds	Nov. 22
Jaxon Aviles	Nov. 15	Daniel Isaac	Nov. 23
John Joseph Jr. Chad	Nov. 15	River Jacobs-Plain	Nov. 23
Allison Janson	Nov. 15	Allan Joseph	Nov. 23
Wade Joseph	Nov. 15	William Meloche	Nov. 23
Karleigh Maness	Nov. 15	Evan Peters-Wright	Nov. 23
Kelley Williams	Nov. 15	Margaret Pouget	Nov. 23
Jake Butorac	Nov. 16	Jillian Rogers	Nov. 23
Freedom Williams	Nov. 16	Danielle Cottrelle	Nov. 24
Cole Ransom-Oliver	Nov. 16	Andrew Simon	Nov. 24
Anah-Kee Mason	Nov. 16	Matthew Simon	Nov. 24
Maddux Matte-Van Ert	Nov. 16	Richard B White	Nov. 24
Kennedy Nahmabin	Nov. 16	Zachariah Black	Nov. 25
Shyanna Joseph	Nov. 17	Loran Jacobs Jr.	Nov. 25
Justin Robertson	Nov. 17	Donald Joseph	Nov. 25
Bradley Rogers	Nov. 17	Alexandra Lacroix-Bardsley	Nov. 25
Linda Robertson	Nov. 17	Cyrus Maness	Nov. 25
Ashley Stone	Nov. 17	Grayson Maness	Nov. 25
Skylar Bird	Nov. 18	Adam Plain	Nov. 25
Katessa Clark	Nov. 18	Dolores Plain	Nov. 25
Jon David	Nov. 18	Josiah Runcorn	Nov. 25
Rebekkah Jones	Nov. 18	Katherine Spero	Nov. 25
Jennifer Henry	Nov. 18	Jordan Snook	Nov. 25
Summer Maness	Nov. 18	Shawn Stager	Nov. 25
Mary Tyson	Nov. 18	Christopher Lloyd Adams, Jr.	Nov. 26
Jaelah Barr	Nov. 19	Gary Adams	Nov. 26
Rahmya Cottrelle	Nov. 19	Nicholas Maness	Nov. 26
Madison Mills	Nov. 19	Blake Stephenson-Adams	Nov. 26
Sarah Mills	Nov. 19	Tyler Bolger	Nov. 27
Chloe Plain	Nov. 19	David Crawford	Nov. 27
Aaron Prevost	Nov. 19	Caden Giovannone	Nov. 27
Janice Rising	Nov. 19	Marilyn Dawn Gray	Nov. 27
Jessi Bullock	Nov. 20	Michael Joseph	Nov. 27
Niki Cottrelle	Nov. 20	Ada Lockridge	Nov. 27
Ronald DeLauter	Nov. 20	James Maness	Nov. 27
Shelly Dodge	Nov. 20	Ebony Maracle	Nov. 27
Kerry Rogers	Nov. 20	Janet Nahmabin	Nov. 27
John Rose	Nov. 20	Teagan Nahmabin	Nov. 27
Maddox Bois	Nov. 21	Stephanie Stone	Nov. 27
Matthew Hamelin	Nov. 21	Adam Yardley	Nov. 27
Daniel Kota	Nov. 21		

2025 Trunk or Treat Winners



Tammy
Plain



Tanya
Aviles



Shiela Firth





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AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION
NOTICE TO BAND MEMBERS RE: DISTRIBUTION

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2025
8:45 – 12:00 PM to 1:00 – 4:45 PM
\$950.00 CDN/band member at
Maawn Doosh Gumig Community Centre, 1972 Virgil Ave
Deadline for changes: Friday, November 14

Eligible Members please note:

- To update or verify mailing addresses or direct deposit information, please contact the Finance department at (519) 336-8410 or email finance@aamjiwnaang.ca.
- Calculation for distribution is based on a percentage of last year's own source revenue, such as wind farms and pipelines, that was not committed to operating Band programs.

Arrears

- Be advised we will be enforcing the Finance Policy for anyone having an account with Aamjiwnaang that is not in good standing (ex. Housing, Post secondary, etc). We will be applying the distribution cheque to the outstanding account.
- No minor children's shares will be held for arrears.

Payments for minor children will be made as follows:

- Payments for minor children will be made to the biological custodial parent, provided that person is an Aamjiwnaang Band member.
- Payments for minor children whose biological custodial parent is not an Aamjiwnaang Band member will be held in trust until the child attains legal age.
- Non-biological custodial caregivers receiving distribution shares for minors prior to November 30, 2024 will continue to receive payments until the minor child(ren) turns 18.
- If requested, proper documentation must be provided.

In the event of Postal Strike:

- Cheques will be available for in-person pickup or direct deposit.
- Direct deposit is now available for Canadian **and US** bank accounts.

Canadian members

- If you received direct deposit last year and your account information ***has*** changed, you must notify Finance.

US members

- Please contact Finance for direct deposit options.
- You must provide banking information ***each year***, even if it hasn't changed.

DISTRIBUTION AUTHORIZATION FORM 2025

I, _____, Band # _____ give
_____ authorization to pick up my distribution cheque on my behalf.

Signature

Date

****Please submit a copy of status card with this form****
Fax: 519-336-0382 or email: finance@aamjiwnaang.ca



Attention!!



It's that time again and this is a call... to all who are interested in coaching, managing or training teams for the 2026 Little NHL this upcoming March. Those interested in volunteering should contact Jamie Maness at (519) 491-2160 or email jmaness@aamjiwnaang.ca
We look forward to another great year!!



Attention Members!

Appointments will be required for membership services. Some services can be requested by phone or through email. Picking up or dropping off paperwork such as forms, letters, etc., does not require an appointment. The Membership Office is now assisting with estates. Also, as a reminder, there is a two-week waiting period for lost or stolen status cards. If your card has been lost or stolen, please notify the Membership Office as soon as possible to prevent any delay in getting a new card. Contact the Membership Office by:

Phone: 519-336-8410, ext. 230

Email: cadams@aamjiwnaang.ca

Aamjiwnaang First Nation PUBLIC WORKS DEPT.



The designated after-hours phone line for infrastructure service emergencies, basement back ups, animal control requests or winter maintenance issues, will be one main contact.

After-hours Phone Number:

519-331-3596

Please continue to use garage number during regular office hours.

Office hours 8am – 4pm , Monday to Friday

Garage Phone Number:

519-336-0510

For security issues contact the security phone line.

The security team will be on duty daily from 8:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.

Security Phone Number:

519-490-5927

Biiskoonyen – You Get Dressed**Tune: “Here we go around the mulberry bush”**

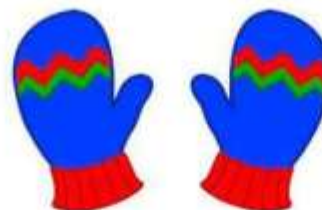
- 1. Biiskaan g'makizinan,
g'makizinan, g'makizinan**

Biiskaan g'makizinan**Aambe goojing zhaada****(Put on your shoes, your shoes, your shoes, put on your shoes, let's go outside)**

- 2. Biiskaan g'wiikwaan,
g'wiikwaan, g'wiikwaan,
biiskaan g'wiikwaan**

Aambe goojing zhaada**(Put on your hat, your hat, your hat, put on your hat, let's go outside)**

- 3. Biiskoo g'mjikiwnaag,
g'mjikiwnaag, g'mjikiwnaag,
biiskoo g'mjikiwnaag**

Aambe goojing zhaada**(Put on your mitts, your mitts, your mitts, put on your mitts, let's go outside)**

- 4. Biiskaan g'biiskowagan,
g'biiskowagan, g'biiskowagan,
biiskaan g'biiskowagan**

Aambe goojing zhaada**(Put on your coat, your coat, your coat, put on your coat, let's go outside)****By: Waawaashkeshiins Beba Niimid, Sophie Solares**

Who's in the Park??

Here's a list of current
tenants of the
Industrial Park

Update! Who is in the park:

CHIPPEWA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENTS LTD. PARK TENANTS

PHASE 1

QUALA WASH	1025 DeGurse Dr.
PETRO-CAN	1010 DeGurse Dr.
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PRECISION CONCEPTS GROUP	460 Williams Dr.
REFTECH INTERNATIONAL INC.	480 Williams Dr.
JOBSITE	505 Williams Dr.
CIDL	510-A Williams Dr.
NEW ALUMA SAFWAY	510-B Williams Dr.
WAMBAM / NYCH	519-D Williams Dr.
VERTEX	518 Williams dr.
ALUMA POWER	235 Henry Dr.
INTERTEC INSTRUMENTATION	255 Henry Dr.

1000 DEGURSE DRIVE

REFINERY WORK WEAR	1000 DeGurse Dr. Unit 1 & 4
NEW ROSE GARDEN	1000 DeGurse Dr. Unit 3
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PHASE 2

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April, May, June, October,
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9am to 2pm

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Aamjiwnaang First Nation
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For more info, contact Karb Urlescher at: urlescher@amjwnaang.ca • 519-336-6410



Aamjiwnaang First Nation

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position Title: Language and Culture Early Childhood Educator

Location: Sarnia, ON

Duration: Permanent

Posting Closes/Deadline: November 21st, 2025

Tentative Interview Date(s): November 26th-28th, 2025

Overview of the Position

The Language and Culture Educator for Early Years will assist in the development and facilitation of an integrated Culture and Language Program for the benefit of children 0-6 and their families.

Responsibilities

Main Duties:

- Teach and promote Anishinaabemowin words and phrases with daily activities identified with children's programs, seasons, and following the centre's curriculum highscope.
- Maintaining a daily record of activities, new word, progress, etc.
- Acting as a resource for parents, staff, and service providers.
- Contributing to the general operation of service by working co-operatively with other staff, attending staff meetings, attending Early Childhood Development Team meetings when necessary, and assisting staff with children as necessary.
- Working directly with each age group (children and staff) on a weekly basis.
- Providing exposure to Anishinaabemowin culture through crafts, singing songs, dancing, finger plays, storytelling, cooking and other age-appropriate activities.
- Quality reports
- Arranging for Guest Elder's, parent engagement workshops, events, and trips that relate to cultural awareness.

Other:

- Incorporate land-based learning
- In ratio when needed
- Being designate when needed

Minimum Requirements

- Post-secondary education or demonstrated competency in Anishinaabemowin culture and language/RECE
- Experience working with young children
- Must be able to teach primary words/phrases from the Ojibway language
- Must possess First Aid and Child CPR Certification, Vulnerable Sector check up to date

Other Considerations

In accordance with Section 16 Special Programs of the Canadian Human Rights Act, preference will be given to Aamjiwnaang Band Members with relevant education/experience (R.S.C 1985, c. H-6, s16 (1-3)).

Application Process

If you are interested in this opportunity, kindly forward your resume and cover letter via mail, email, or fax to:

Aamjiwnaang First Nation
978 Tashmoo Avenue
Sarnia, ON
N7T 7H5

Attention: Ashley Fisher, Human Resources Officer


Or

humanresource@aamjiwnaang.ca


Or

519-336-0382 fax


For more information, check us out online at www.aamjiwnaang.ca



PREVENTATIVE CARE PROGRAM:



CANCER SCREENING INFORMATION SESSIONS





CERVICAL CANCER

Wednesday November 5th
2:30PM-3:30PM
Maawn Doosh Gumig

COLORECTAL CANCER

Wednesday November 19th
2:30PM-3:30PM
Maawn Doosh Gumig





BREAST CANCER

Wednesday November 26th
2:30PM-3:30PM
Maawn Doosh Gumig

TAKE CHARGE OF YOUR HEALTH

- Learn about FREE cancer screening services
- Discuss strategies to reduce cancer risk
- Learn about support available for you and your family
- Learn about the benefits of early detection

QUESTIONS? CALL MIKEESHA 519-332-6770 EXT. 309



Aamjiwnaang First Nation

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position Title: Personal Support Worker (PSW)

Location: Sarnia, ON

Duration: Casual On-Call

Posting Closes/Deadline: November 21st, 2025

Purpose of the Position

To deliver homecare to the Aamjiwnaang First Nation community members. Homecare services include: Respite care, housekeeping services, meal preparation, personal care, assistance with routine activities of daily living, simple non-nursing bedside care, and childcare for children whose regular care taker is absent or recovering as a result of illness or accident. Reports to and works under the direction of the Home and Community Care Program Supervisor.

Responsibilities

- Experience and knowledge in meeting the needs of clients and /or families.
- Following the care plan, observing and reporting any substantial findings and/or changes in the client's behavior to the appropriate member of the healthcare team.
- Working under the supervision of a Registered Healthcare Professional such as a Registered Nurse (RN) or a Registered Practical Nurse (RPN).
- Performing delegated tasks (only if they are trained to perform the delegated task).
- Assisting with ambulation, positioning and transferring using mechanical lifts.
- Assisting or providing total personal care such as toileting, bathing and perineal care.
- Assisting with eating, dressing and grooming.
- Documentation of Activities of Daily Living (ADL's) and other findings.
- Reporting behavioral and clinical changes to a Registered Nurse, Registered Practical Nurse, Resource Nurse or Manager.
- Self-actualization by helping client reach maximum potential.
- Sensitive to the well-being of children, families, and those who are elderly, handicapped, disabled, ill or convalescent.
- Ability to teach basic homemaking skills through instruction and demonstration.
- Ability to use their homemaking skills in a simple, practical manner.
- Ability to maintain therapeutic relationships.
- Overall competency in working under pressure.
- Experience in providing general care and support.
- Knowledge of home care services.
- Proficient in written and oral communication.

Minimum Requirements

- Personal Support Worker (PSW) Certification from a recognized educational institution
- Grade 12 or equivalent
- Police record check (CPIC) current, within 6 months
- Immunizations current
- CPR and First Aid certificate
- WHMIS training
- Safe Food Handler's certificate
- Gentle Persuasive Approach certificate

- High level of appreciation and sensitivity to Indigenous issues, beliefs, and values
- Must have reliable transportation
- Available to work flexible hours, including evenings and weekends

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

- Ability to work independently and as part of a team
- Ability to work with diverse and high-risk populations
- Strong interpersonal skills
- Ability to follow oral and written directions well
- Ability to adapt to changing needs of clients

Other Considerations

In accordance with Section 16 Special Programs of the Canadian Human Rights Act, preference will be given to Aamjiwnaang Band Members with relevant education/experience (R.S.C 1985, c. H-6, s16 (1-3)).

Application Process

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Aamjiwnaang First Nation
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Sarnia, ON
N7T 7H5
Attention: Ashley Fisher, Human Resources Officer
Or
humanresource@aamjiwnaang.ca
Or
519-336-0382 fax

For more information, check us out online at www.aamjiwnaang.ca

Mino Miijim Program

Presents

Immune Support Remedies

Preparing for Cold & Flu Season
with

Andrea Doxtator
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Thursday November 27th, 2025
10am – 2pm
Maawn Doosh Gumig Community & Youth Centre
Seniors Room
Light Lunch Provided



Take Five Products Home with You



Elderberry Syrup
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All Materials Provided – No Experience Needed



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Tammy Simon 519 332-6770 ext. 323
tsimon@aamjiwnaang.ca

Limited Spots Available – Draw to be held if necessary
Register by November 17th, 2025 - 4pm
COMMITMENT FEE POLICY



Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre Job Description

Position Title:	Executive Director
Status:	Full-Time (35 hours per week)
Compensation:	\$80,000-\$100,000 (Annually)
Closing Date:	November 21st 2025.

DESCRIPTION

The Executive Director is responsible for providing the leadership and direction required for the successful management of Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre (SLNFC), consistent with the strategic direction outlined by the Board of Directors. The Executive Director must establish themselves and the Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre as a visible and active presence in the community.

RESPONSIBILITIES

LEADERSHIP AND RELATIONSHIPS

- Serve as the direct supervisor to all staff or ensure that a staff supervision process is established subject to SLNFC Personal Policy and Procedure and attends or participates in Board of Directors meetings.
- Provide professional oversight to all management to ensure the achievement of all goals.
- Lead the organization's employees successfully through goal-setting, delegation, and effective communication.
- Partner with the Board of Directors to construct a strategic plan that guides the organization in providing services to the community.
- Advise and inform the Board of Directors on the priorities of the organization, including both ongoing and emerging issues of importance that need to be addressed.

OPERATIONS AND FACILITIES MANAGEMENT

- Manage the organization's day-to-day operations.
- Supervise and participate in the development, execution, and assessment of Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's services, ensuring they reflect the mission/vision set by the Board of Directors.
- Organize and draft the agenda develops supporting reports for all Board of Directors meetings.
- Lead the development, establishment and maintenance of Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's policies, procedures, and job descriptions, including obtaining approvals from the Board of Directors when required.
- Review policies and procedures annually and drafts recommended improvements to the Board of Directors as required.

- Ensure that confidentiality is always maintained for all employees, students, and volunteers.
- Ensures regular organizational and evaluation reviews occur and that appropriate program, operations and facility shifts occur as required.

MISSION OUTREACH AND COMMUNITY RELATIONS

- Act as the organization's spokesperson – promote Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's mission/vision and increase community awareness of Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's its services; including public events, agency meetings and invite the media when required.
- Identify and participate in events that will effectively establish community relations and enhance the organization's visibility, promoting the overall mission/vision and services of Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's.
- Establish working relationships with a broad range of community groups, all levels of government, and other organizations, both Indigenous and other to work toward common objectives.
- Represent Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's on appropriate committees, networks, and joint projects.
- Monitor community needs to identify when changes in programs are required to effectively serve the community.
- Acts as a representative of the Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's as required or delegated in various community.

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

- Determine and meet staffing requirements to effectively implement and manage the organization's programs.
- Create a supportive and safe working climate for all employees and volunteers that is in accordance with laws and regulations.
- Ensure proper recruitment, hiring, and training of all new hires to develop a strong staff team that will contribute to the organization's mission/vision and objectives.
- Oversee a performance management system that monitors staff performance and includes annual performance reviews for all employees.
- Work with Board of Directors to set salaries and other compensation benefits.

FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION

- Directly oversee all financial activities related to the annual and day-to-day operation of Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's.
- Lead preparation of a comprehensive annual budget for approval by the Board of Directors.
- Partner with the Board of Directors to secure sufficient funding for the operation of Sarnia-Lambton Native Friendship Centre's through proper research and preparation of funding plans and proposals.

- Monitor all financial records and ensure that proper regulations and procedures are adhered to.
- Keep the Board of Directors informed through regular reports outlining the organization's revenues, expenses, and cash flows.
- Manage and monitor the organization's funds and cash flow according to the approved budget.

POSITION REQUIREMENTS

FORMAL EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATION

- Bachelor's Degree from an accredited college or university in a related field such as law, social work, human resources, finance, marketing management or leadership, or equivalent experience.

KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE

- Strong awareness of Indigenous culture.
- Must possess an in-depth knowledge of urban Indigenous community needs, solutions, trends, and gaps.
- Must have a minimum of 3-5 years' experience in managing a non-profit community resource-based agency, preferably within an Indigenous organization.
- Must have a minimum of 2-4 years' experience in staff management.
- Experience in initiating, strategically planning, implementing, and evaluating programs and services.
- Strong financial understanding of operational budgets and forecasts.
- Strong record-keeping and documentation abilities.

PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

- Ability to manage multiple projects/tasks at once: set priorities, develop a personal schedule, record goals, and track progress.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills: speak, listen, and write clearly. Able to understand questions and convey appropriate information in response.
- Good reading comprehension skills: read and comprehend information in work-related procedural documents.
- Strong interpersonal skills, including an ability and motivation to work and interact with a variety of people, and experience and success in motivating and managing volunteers and staff.
- Problem solver. Able to assess issues and identify their causes, generate solutions, and make recommendations/decisions when appropriate.
- Team player. Able and willing to work with a group of peers.
- Leader. Positively influence others to meet and exceed goals that are in the best interests of the organization and the community.
- Flexible. Work irregular hours and some weekends when required.



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HOW TO APPLY

Please submit your resume and cover letter describing the qualifications above to our Vice-President of our Board of Directors at:

Email: suziisaac@slnfc.org

**PLEASE NOTE THAT ONLY THOSE APPLICANTS CHOSEN FOR AN INTERVIEW
WILL BE CONTACTED**

GCHI-MIIGWECH!

Please join us

Recovery Group

EVERY Tuesday

November 4 Blue Building 1-3
November 11 CANCELLED
November 18 CANCELLED
November 25 Health Centre 5-7

For more information please contact Michelle at 519.332.6770

For transportation please call or text Amy at 519.384.1955

UPCOMING MEN'S WELLNESS

with Alphonse Aquash

Date	Event	Time
SEP 25	DINNER, CRAFTS & CONVERSATION	4-7PM
OCT 9	CANCELLED	
	OPEN HOUSE HAPPENING AT COMMUNITY CENTRE	
OCT 23	DINNER, CRAFTS & CONVERSATION	4-7PM
NOV 6	DINNER, CRAFTS & CONVERSATION	4-7PM
NOV 20	DINNER, CRAFTS & CONVERSATION	4-7

Transportation available please call Amy at 519.384.1955

Aamjiwnaang Health Centre



General Carpenter

Pre-apprenticeship Program for Women

FREE for Qualified Participants

This training program is geared towards Indigenous women, or any woman interested in carpentry.

Train to use hand and power tools while working with various construction materials. Learn the latest installation methods along with the best practices and workplace safety to make you employable in today's construction industry.

You will be guided and supported in culturally inclusive strategies during training and placement, with continued support as you transition into the workplace or further education.

Location: Canadore College Commerce Court Campus, North Bay

Program Length: 23 weeks

Duration: Spring 2026

Cost: **FREE** (Tuition, tools, PPE, and Health and Safety Certifications)

To determine eligibility or for more information please contact:

Chad Baron
Indigenous Skills & Trades Coordinator
705.471.9686
chad.baron@canadorecollege.ca

Funded by:

Ontario



canadorecollege.ca/generalcarpenter

General Carpenter Pre-apprenticeship program for Women

What You Will Learn

- Essential and Employability Skills Development
- Math Upgrading
- Health and Safety Training
- Exposure to Electrical as a Secondary Trade
- General Carpenter Level 1 Training
- Work Placement (8 Weeks)

Upon Completion of the Program, Students May Pursue:

- Further Apprenticeship Training

Other Training Opportunities at Canadore College:

- Building Construction Technician
- Electrical Techniques
- Mechanical Technician-Welder
- or other Post-Secondary Programs

Future Career Opportunities:

- General Contracting
- Construction Companies
- Residential ICI Sectors
- Furniture and Cabinet Manufacturers



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LEADERS OF TOMORROW YOUTH GATHERING

Friday November 21st 2025, 9am–6pm

Maawn Doosh Gumig Community and Youth Centre

1972 Virgil Avenue, Sarnia, ON

**Connect with peers, build lasting relationships,
strengthen your community**

Speaker:

Jason Simon

Workshops

Activities

Sports

Meals/Snacks

**Free to
attend!**

Ages 12–24

RSVP Here:



IN COLLABORATION WITH:





We're looking for a **REGISTERED MASSAGE THERAPIST**




Aamjiwnaang Health Centre is seeking a Registered Massage Therapist (RMT) to join our team on a part-time basis. We're looking for someone who can provide therapeutic massage services focused on pain relief and pain management for community members.

Location: Aamjiwnaang Health Centre

Schedule: Flexible – a few days a month

Requirements:

- Must be an Aamjiwnaang Band Member
 - Active registration with the College of Massage Therapists of Ontario (CMTO)
 - Professional Liability Insurance
 - Supply your own linen and supplies
 - Availability: 1-2 days per month
- 

If you're passionate about helping others manage pain and improve their wellness, we'd love to hear from you!

To apply or learn more, please email Roberta Bressette at:
rbressette@aamjiwnaang.ca.

Application will be received until November 21st.

Mino Mijim

AAMJIWNAANG COMMUNITY COOKBOOK

SUBMIT YOUR RECIPE(S)

email or in person

**HELP US TO CREATE A DIVERSE,
DELICIOUS COLLECTION THAT
HELPS US CONNECT,
CELEBRATE, AND INSPIRE
THROUGH FOOD**

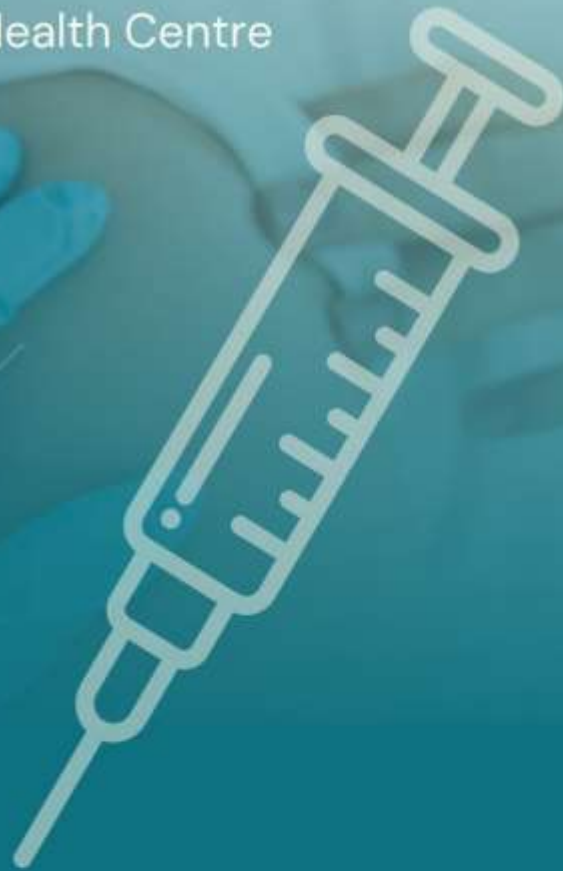
We are looking for your favorite
traditional and family recipes!
Include any personal stories or
memories tied to the recipe
(optional, but encouraged)

Questions Contact - Tammy (Mino Mijim Worker)
519 332-6770 ext. 323
tsimon@aamjiwnaang.ca
E'Mino B'maad Zijig Gamig
Aamjiwnaang FN Health Centre



Aamjiwnaang Health Centre

COVID-19/ INFLUENZA VACCINE CLINIC



in Partnership with Lambton Public Health



Friday December 5th (Distribution Day)



Appointments starting at 10AM



Maawn Doosh Gumig Community Centre

Open to Aamjiwnaang Community/Band members.



***To book an appointment, please
call Health Centre reception at
519-332-6770.***

IT'S YOUR GAME

Help keep it healthy

Chronic wasting disease (CWD) is a fatal brain disease that affects white-tailed deer, moose, elk and caribou, and could severely impact Ontario's deer population if left unchecked.

So far, CWD has been found in neighbouring U.S. states, Manitoba and Québec, BUT NOT in Ontario wildlife.

We need your help to keep it that way!



What you can do

Ministry of Natural Resources will be testing for this disease in the area from October to December 2025.

Hunters can help protect both deer population and hunting by submitting heads of harvested deer for testing.

When submitting heads, hunters:

- are asked to provide the date and general location of harvest, otherwise the sample will not be tested
- must provide contact information so that we can reach out if the deer tests positive
- should drop off the head as soon as possible, preferably within 48 hours of harvest, or freeze the head until it can be dropped off
- should remove the antlers before submission
- may remove the skull cap as long as the majority of the brain, including all of the brain stem remains

Visit ontario.ca/CWD to learn more about our surveillance program, report sick deer and to get your test results.



Deer heads can be dropped off at the freezer at the Aamjiwnaang Lands Department.

Deer heads cannot be returned after testing.

Get your results at ontario.ca/CWD



WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU?

Chronic Wasting Disease collectable crests — plus you're helping to keep Ontario's deer population healthy.

Ministry of Natural Resources
1-866-574-6656 CWD@Ontario.ca

For more information or to see your deer's test results visit: ontario.ca/CWD

Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD)

FACT SHEET

CWD is a progressive, fatal disease that attacks the central nervous system of cervids (e.g. deer, moose, elk, and caribou). There is currently no treatment or cure.

Signs of CWD

Similar signs may be observed in other diseases.

*Sometimes no visible signs are shown.

Lack of coordination

Excessive thirst, salivation and urination

Progressive weight loss

Unusual behaviour (such as lack of fear of humans)



CWD surveillance

Ontario tests wild deer and other cervids annually. Since 2002 Ontario has tested:

over 15,000
wild deer and elk



over 3,100
farmed deer and elk



CWD has not yet been detected in Ontario



Distribution of CWD in North America



CWD has been detected in five Canadian provinces and over 34 U.S. states, including all of those bordering Ontario.

CWD not detected
 CWD not detected for over 6 years
 CWD detected

Legal Requirements

Cannot bring cervids from other provinces/states into Ontario, except:

- Packaged and deboned meat
- Finished taxidermy mounts
- Tanned hides and skins
- Cleaned skull plate and antlers with no tissue attached

Cannot use products that contain bodily fluids from any cervids for any purpose, including hunting.

Must hold a permit to transport live, captive cervids into, through or between points within the province.

Report sighting of a sick deer to:

Canadian Wildlife Health Cooperative
1-866-673-4781

Ontario's Natural Resources Information and Support Centre
1-800-667-1940
or by emailing CWD@ontario.ca

Information and reporting



Ontario.ca/CWD

Visit our site for more information about CWD, surveillance and how you can help keep CWD out of Ontario.

Ontario.ca/CWD
CWD@ontario.ca

Ontario 

MINO MIIJIM LAND BASED LEARNING FALL DEER HUNTING SEASON

HUNTERS SAFETY DATE:
WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 26TH, 2025
MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG - BANQUET RM
5:30PM - 7:30PM

HUNTING DATE
WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 3, 2025
TIME TBD

This is a great opportunity to learn the proper steps to safe hunting & harvesting with traditional and cultural infused teachings. You must complete the HUNTING SAFETY DATE to be eligible to participate on hunting day, where you will be paired up with a local hunter to do a morning/evening hunt (TBD)

**** FOR AGES 18+ ****

For more information contact Tammy
tsimon@aamjiwnaang.ca
519 332-6770 EXT. 323



SIGN UP WITH QR CODE

<https://forms.office.com/r/3VkeMDiVz1>

**** COMMITMENT FEE POLICY ****

MINO MIIJIM PROGRAM

Wild Game Donations CALL-OUT

FOR
Learning Sessions
&
Traditional Foods Gathering

**ALL WILD GAME DONATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT THE AAMJIWNAANG
HEALTH CENTRE DURING REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS**

For additional information contact Tammy

Call: 519 332-6770 ext. 323

Email: tsimon@aamjiwnaang.ca

FALL MAKE & TAKE

MINO MIJIM

MONDAY NOVEMBER 17, 2025 1PM

CHRISTMAS PRODUCE/TURKEY GIVEAWAY – RECIPE IDEAS



MONDAY NOVEMBER 24, 2025 1PM

THREE SISTERS SOUP

MONDAY DECEMBER 1, 2025

WILD RICE CASSEROLE

MONDAY DECEMBER 8, 2025 1PM

INDIAN COOKIES – TO WELCOME IN THE NEW YEAR

LIMITED SPOTS PER SESSION – YOU MAY REGISTER FOR ALL – PRIORITY TO NEW REGISTRANTS

E'MINO B'MAAD ZIJIG – AAMJIWNAANG FN HEALTH CENTRE

TAMMY SIMON 519 332-6770 EXT. 323 OR TSIMON@AAMJIWNAANG.CA

** COMMITMENT FEE POLICY **

Aamjiwnaang Child & Family Well-being

please join us at

SLOAN'S VILLAGE

29876 Zone Road 7 Bothwell ON
1 km north of Longwoods Rd., on
Zone Rd 7

November 29, 2025
11am - 2pm



Bus leaves @ 10am
Returning @ 3pm

Registration deadline:
November 26, 2025 at 2:30PM
Draw will take place for bus
seats if needed



Scan to Sign Up!

Questions? misaac@aamjiwnaang.ca



Homemade Christmas gifts W/Sam Doxator

Monday, December 15th

10am-2pm

Maawn Doosh Gumig

To sign up please scan the QR code. Questions?

Contact Roberta at 332-6770 ext. 313.

Deadline to sign up is Dec.7th with draw taking
place Dec. 8th



WORLD AIDS DAY

DIY

CHRISTMAS ORNAMENTS



THURSDAY DECEMBER 11TH
12-2PM
HEALTH CENTRE

LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED.

**IN HONOR OF WORLD AIDS DAY, PLEASE JOIN US FOR A PRESENTATION
ON AIDS AWARENESS AND MAKE A DIY CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT.**

LIMITED SPOTS.
TO SIGN UP,
SCAN QR CODE:



QUESTIONS? CALL
MIKEESHA EXT. 309



**AAMJIWNAANG DEVELOPMENTAL
SERVICES CARE TEAM**

Join Us for Our

PARENT & CAREGIVER ENGAGEMENT NIGHT

Multisensory Learning

Multisensory learning is a teaching approach that uses sight, sound, touch, and movement at the same time to help children learn.

"We learn best when we see it, say it, touch it, and do it."

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4

MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

- **Dinner Provided**
- **Child Minding**
- **Transportation**



**SIGN UP
HERE!**



Deadline: November 28th

For more information, email:
apettit@aamjiwannag.ca

CALLING ALL
MEN OF
AAMJIWNAANG!
LETS SEE HOW
YOU DO
MOVEMBER!



GROW YOUR MO, GROW YOUR SPIRIT

Email us a "before" and "after" photo of you growing your movember mustache along with a photo of you "growing" in another area of wellness (such as connecting with culture, family, or the land) by Friday November 28th to enter for a chance to win a gift card! Examples can include (but not limited to) attending a ceremony, hunting/fishing, daily walk, crafting, etc.

QUESTIONS? CALL MIKEESHA 519-332-6770 EXT. 309



SEND US AN EMAIL WITH YOUR PHOTOS TO
HEALTHPROMOTION@AAMJIWNAANG.CA

Coping Through The Holidays w/ Samantha Doxator

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18TH

10AM - 2PM

MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG



The Holiday Season can be a difficult time for many. Families who have experienced the death of a loved one are welcome to join us for some tips on getting through the holidays, honoring your loved one, memorial craft, & lunch

TO SIGN UP, PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE.

QUESTIONS? CONTACT ROBERTA @ 332-6770 EXT. 313

DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS DEC.10TH

In honor of World Diabetes Day

Creators Garden

WITH JOE PITAWANAKWAT



November 28th

10am -12pm

Maawn Doosh Gumig



Scan the
QR code
to sign up.

Deadline to sign up
is Nov.20. If required
a draw will take
place on Nov. 21st.

SENIORS INFO CORNER

NOVEMBER



3 & 4
NOVEMBER

STAINED GLASS ART

COMMUNITY CENTRE - SIGN UP
ON SEPARATE FLYER

4

NOVEMBER

GAME NIGHT

SENIORS COMPLEX



11

NOVEMBER

REMEMBRANCE DAY

BAND BUILDINGS CLOSED



13

NOVEMBER

MAKING MEMORIES SCRAPBOOKING

SIGN UP ORIGINAL FLYER

18

NOVEMBER

POTLUCK GAME NIGHT

SENIORS COMPLEX

20

NOVEMBER

SENIOR DINNER & MOVIE

SIGN UP OIN ORIGINAL FLYER

25

NOVEMBER

COFFEE TIME

GANIGIWE



26

NOVEMBER

ROCK N' ROLL CHRISTMAS

SIGN UP ORIGINAL FLYER

27

NOVEMBER

MAKING MEMORIES SCRAPBOOKING

SIGN UP ORIGINAL FLYER



29

NOVEMBER

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

SIGN UP ORIGINAL FLYER



Seniors 60+
Memories in the Making

November 13TH AND 27TH
1pm-4pm
Ganigiwe

Join us for a creative 4- part scrapbooking workshop where we will turn memories into keepsakes!

Please note this is a 4-session series and participants are asked to attend all sessions to complete their scrapbook from start to finish.
Limited 15 participants.

No experience needed - just bring your photos, memories and creativity! All basic supplies will be provided.



AAMJIWNAANG BAND MEMEBERS

FRUIT BASKETS
SENIORS 65 YEARS +

DECEMBER 18TH, 2025
FROM 9AM TO 4PM

PICK UP FROM COMMUNITY CENTER SENIORS ROOM

ON RESERVE MEMEBERS ARE AUTOMATICALLY SIGNED UP

OFF RESERVE MEMEBERS MUST SIGN UP BY FRIDAY NOVEMBER 28TH, 2025

WE WOULD LIKE TO WISH YOU ALL A MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR

CALL BECKY TO SIGN UP



SENIORS 60+
DAY TRIP
CHRISTMAS
BAZAAR

WALPOLE ISLAND

NOVEMBER 29TH AT 1030AM
LEAVING COMMUNITY CENTER

SIGN UP USING QR CODE.
DRAW MAY NEED TO BE DONE



Aamjiwnaang First Nation
Home and Community Care

SENIORS 60+

Movie Night & Dinner

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20
8:00 PM



Scan QR Code to sign up. Draw will take place if needed.



CHRISTMAS PLANTERS
AT SIPKENS

Questions?
Contact
Roberta @ 332-6770 Ext.313




To sign up, scan the QR code.

25 NOV MAKE & TAKE 10 AM

SPACE IS LIMITED. DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS NOV.17 WITH DRAW ON NOV. 18TH

3261 London Line Wyoming



CHILD & FAMILY WELL-BEING

RIBBON SKIRT DRIVE

FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER
WE'LL BE COLLECTING GENTLY
USED RIBBON SKIRTS AND SHIRTS.

CHILD & FAMILY WELL-BEING WILL BE OFFERING A "SHOPPING" EXPERIENCE FOR THOSE WHO WOULD LIKE TO GIFT RIBBON SKIRTS/SHIRT TO A LOVED ONE WHO DOESN'T HAVE ONE OR MAY NOT BE ABLE TO AFFORD ONE.

ACCEPTING ALL AGES & SIZES

PLEASE DROP OFF ANY DONATIONS AT THE CHILD & FAMILY WELL-BEING BUILDING



WINTER
Clothing Allowance

**FOR AAMJIWNAANG BAND MEMBERS:
0 - 17 YEARS OLD**

Each child is eligible for reimbursement of up to \$250.00 for the purchase of Winter clothing.

Winter clothing expense forms can be picked up and returned with original receipts to the receptionist. All receipts and expense forms are due by **January 16, 2026** to the Child and Family Services Building (974 Tashmoo Ave) or by Mail.

Will NOT be accepting via email

If you have any questions feel free to reach out to ADMIN at 519-336-8410 ext. 223 or by email at new person email



Aamjiwnaang Child & Family Well-being

Pow wow drum night's



"Come join us whether you're experienced or no experience at all"



• Location: Aamjiwnaang Maawn Doosh
Guming Community Centre 1972 Virgil Ave,
Sarnia, ON

Time 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM

Thursday November 6, 2025

Thursday November 20, 2025

Thursday December 4, 2025

Thursday December 18, 2025

For more information contact: Matthew Isaac
misaac@aamjiwnaang.ca

AAMJIWNAANG HEALTH CENTRE

CHRISTMAS
Turkey/Produce
GIVEAWAY

THURSDAY DECEMBER 4TH
MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG
12PM-4PM

SIGN UPS ACCEPTED
UNTIL NOVEMBER 20TH

SCAN THE QR CODE TO
SIGN UP. DEADLINE FOR
SIGN UPS ARE
NOVEMBER 20TH.



ON AND OFF RESERVE
AAMJIWNAANG BAND
MEMBERS. ONE PER
HOUSEHOLD

QUESTIONS? CALL
MIKEESHA EXT. 309

COMMUNITY
GROCERY GIVEAWAY

23 | **30** | **27** | **18**

SEPTEMBER | **OCTOBER** | **NOVEMBER** | **DECEMBER**

10:00am - while supplies last

On and off reserve Aamjiwnaang members. One person per household. No registration needed, bring your own bag! First come, first serve while supplies last

Maawn Doosh Gumig - 1972 Virgil Ave, Sarnia, Ontario

QUESTIONS? BRJACOBS@AAMJIWNAANG.CA

PREVENTATIVE
HEALTH CLINIC

Take Charge of Your Health!

E-nangaabe-jig
Health Services

Services provided by a Registered Nurse from Twin Bridges Nurse Practitioner-Led Clinic:

- ✓ Blood pressure checks
- ✓ Diabetes Screening- blood sugar & foot checks
- ✓ Chronic disease prevention
- ✓ Cancer prevention education
- ✓ Smoking cessation advice
- ✓ HPV testing (previously known as PAP test)
- ✓ Pregnancy testing
- ✓ Emergency contraception (Plan B)
- ✓ Sexual Health - testing & screening
- ✓ Labwork (must have Life Labs requisition from GP or specialist)
- ✓ Wound assessment

EVERYONE IS WELCOME, LET'S TALK PREVENTION!

UPCOMING DATES:
SEPT 16
OCT 21
NOV 18
DEC 16

TIME: 9:30AM - 2PM

WHERE: AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION HEALTH CENTRE
ADDRESS: 1300 TASHMOO AVE

CALL NOW TO REGISTER!
PHONE: 519-332-6770

DROP INS WELCOME!

CONTACT NORTH

Edith Kealy
Education & Training Advisor

AACE WELCOMES BACK

Every 3rd Thursday of the Month
10AM-12PM

Let's connect you to free courses & programs from Ontario colleges, universities, & training providers.

Upgrade your skills, advance your career, or reach new goals—all without leaving your community.


Online Subjects

- Accounting & Business
- Science
- English
- Personal Development
- Mental Health & Addictions
- Indigenous Focused
- IT & Computer Programming


LOCATION:
976 Tashmoo Ave
AACE Classroom @
Education Building

For more information:
Contact our LBS team at lbs@aamjiwnaang.ca

Changin' our way Health Centre



DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP



Monday, November 17, 2025 – 10 am prompt!
Health Centre – We will have a Guest Speaker!

*This is an open support group which is facilitated by a dietitian,
Diabetes educator/nurse & Health Centre staff. No sign up required.
Transportation is available if needed. Please contact Natalie at (519)
332-6770, ext. 326.



**AAMJIWNAANG HEALTH CENTRE/WEST
LAMBTON HEALTH CENTRE**

HEALTHY COOKING CLASS

This is a healthy cooking class for Aamjiwnaang community members age 18+, on and off reserve which will be monthly. (We are replacing the women's and men's with just the one class). This class is facilitated by a Diabetes Educator/Nurse and a dietitian from West Lambton Health Centre. This class is very beneficial to learn new ways to prepare food in a healthier way! The participants are hands-on with prepping and cooking the delicious meals! We then get to enjoy the results!



**Tuesday, Nov. 18,
2025 - Noon**

**Health Centre
Community Health
Room**

Please sign up by Friday, Nov. 14, 2025 as we have limited space at (519) 332-6770, ext. 326. We will hold draw if necessary.

Transportation is available if needed. Leave your phone # if no answer when you sign up.

**Come on out to
learn how to
make delicious,
healthy meals!**

PREVENTATIVE CARE PROGRAM:

CHAIR ZUMBA

MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG

1:00PM-2:00PM

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 5TH
WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 12TH
WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 19TH
WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 26TH

QUESTIONS? CALL MIKEESHA EXT. 309



Dago Maajiigoog Binoojiinyag Baashkaakodin Giizis-Freezing Moon November 2025



Sunday-Name Giizhigad	Monday Shkintan Giizhigad	Tuesday-Niizho Giizhigad	Wednesday-Nswi Giizhigad	Thursday-Niiwo Giizhigad	Friday- Naano Giizhi-	Saturday- Ngodwaaswi Giizhigad
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2	3 Fall ornament 10am-12pm Morning only	4 Open Craft 1pm-3pm	5 Poppy Craft 5pm-7pm Evening only	6 Play group 10am-12pm	7	8 Cultural and Family Language Gathering 900-430 See flyer for details
9 Cultural & Family Language Gathering 830-200 See flyer for details	10 No programming	11 Closed Remembrance Day	12 Bird Feeder Craft 10am-12pm 5pm-7pm	13 Home safety presentation 10am-12pm	14 	
16	17 Animal Tracks 10am-12pm Gym Night 5pm-7pm	18 Baby/Toddler Check - in 1pm-3pm	19 Scarecrow Craft 10am-12pm Book & Craft Night 5pm-7pm	20 Tie blankets 10am-12pm Sign up required Limited to 12	21	22
23	24 Christmas tree craft 10am-12pm Christmas Craft 5pm-7pm	25 Christmas Craft 1pm-3pm	26 DMB welcome event : information about our program 4pm-7pm	27 Grocery Giveaway 10am Community center gym	28	29
30						

We also have transportation available for Programming call or text Paula 226-349-2427

NOVEMBER 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Youth Drop-In (**NEW**) Tues-Thurs : 2:30-3:00 PM (on RTP program days only) Right to Play Program Tues-Thurs : 3:00-6:00 PM Contact Ashley if you have any questions (226) 349-4362					1
2	3	4 <i>Sports Night</i>	5 <i>Manhunt Canatara Trails</i>	6 <i>Smash Bros Tournament</i>	7	8
9	10 <i>N</i>	11 CLOSED <i>Remembrance Day</i>	12 <i>A</i> <i>Storytelling Lodge</i>	13 <i>W</i> <i>Movie Night</i>	14 <i>WEEK</i>	15
16	17	18 <i>Sports Night</i>	19 <i>Pool Tournament</i>	20 <i>Minute To Win It</i>	21 <i>Leaders of Tomorrow Event</i>	22 <i>Medieval Times **DRAW**</i>
23	24	25 <i>Sports Night</i>	26 <i>Wellness Wednesday</i>	27 <i>Baking</i>	28	29
30						

WILLIE'S ADVENTURES



TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS vs PITTSBURG PENGUINS

at
PPG PAINTS ARENA, PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA

November 28th - 30th

GAME IS Saturday 29th at 7:00 PM

****Includes - Coach Bus, 2 Nights at the Double Tree Downtown Pittsburgh - 2 Double Beds, Dinner at Golden Corral in Toledo Ohio going and returning,**

****Ticket to Game Lower Level ****

2 in a Room Per Person \$580 US, 3 in a Room Per Person \$540 US, and 4 in a Room Per Person \$500 US. \$100 U.S. non-refundable deposit secures your spot. Remainder to be PAID by October 17th. Bus leaves Foodland Corunna at 12:00 pm Sharp and Food Basics at 12:30 pm, Pt Edward Arena at 1:00 and Krogers at 24th St Port Huron, Michigan. Contact Willie at 519-384-1957 or

willie@cogeco.ca

WORLD'S LARGEST CHRISTMAS MARKET

**One Of
A Kind** 

Enercare Centre, Exhibition Place, Toronto

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 29th

10:00 AM TILL 5:00 PM

\$150 Per Person

**Badder Coach Bus, Ticket & Tote Bag and also
Supper at Yong Great Wall Buffet in Brantford.**

**Bus leaves Foodland Corunna at 6:30 am, Food
Basics Sarnia at 7:00 am and Reece's Corner Truck**

**Stop at 7:30 am. Contact "New Willie's
Adventures" at 519-384-1957 or willie@cogeco.ca**



© The Mirvish Theater Toronto Ontario

Jan 10th 2026 at 2:00 pm

\$260 PER PERSON

**Includes Badder Coach Bus and Ticket (Orchestra Level) and
Dinner at the "Yong Great Wall Buffet" in Brantford after the
show. Badder Bus leaves Foodland Corunna at 8:00 am SHARP,
Food Basics Sarnia at 8:30 am SHARP. Soft sided coolers are
allowed. You can contact Willie at 519-384-1957 or**

willie@cogeco.ca



Boston Bruins

VS

Detroit Red Wings

© Little Ceasars Arena, Detroit

Tuesday, Dec. 2nd , 2025 at 7:00 PM

\$260 CDN or \$180 US

Coach Bus & Ticket (Lower Level)

**Bus leaves Foodland Corunna at 3:00 pm Food Basics at
3:30 pm SHARP & Pt. Edward Arena 3:45 pm.**

Small Soft Sided Coolers Allowed.

Picking up at Krogers 24th St. Port Huron at 4:15 pm.

Contact New Willie's Adventures at 519-384-1957 or

willie@cogeco.ca

THE LIGHTHOUSE MINISTRY

2 Timothy 3:1

SAT NOV 22

Holy & SET APART Service

10AM-2PM

Maawn Doosh Gumig
1972 Virgil Ave, Aamjiwnaang
Banquet Room

Assistant Minister
Karen Taylor

Host Pastor
Crystal Dowling

Guest
PASTOR MARK JOHNSON

Musician
Lee Font

Prepare yourself for the coming of the Messiah

THE LIGHTHOUSE MINISTRY
AAMJIWNAANG

Invites you to join us for

Holy Communion

Every Sunday

2pm

13 "Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it, 14 [c]Because narrow is the gate and [d]difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it. Matthew 7:13-14 NKJV

123 Maness CRT Aamjiwnaang
226-886-3812

THE LIGHTHOUSE MINISTRY
AAMJIWNAANG

BIBLE STUDY

EVERY WEDNESDAY

6PM

Host Pastor
Crystal Dowling

Teacher Craig & Bonnie McFarlane

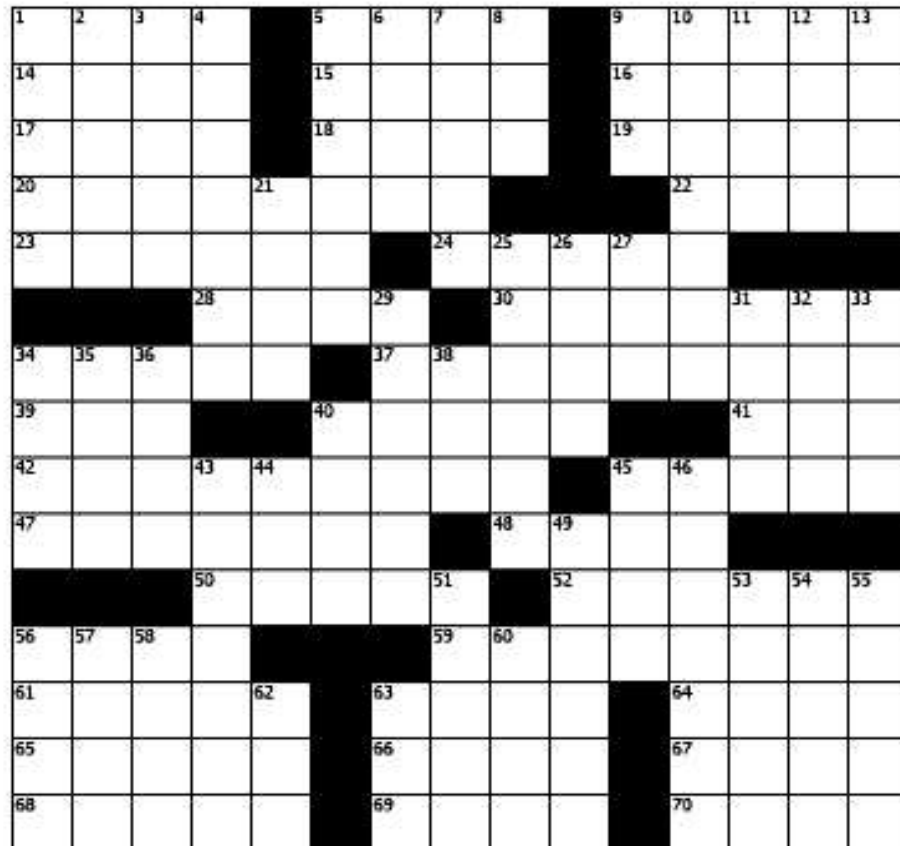
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2 Timothy 2:15 NKJV

CROSSWORDS

Across

1. Play divisions
5. Used the pool
9. Lady's title
14. Englishman, for short
15. Connecticut university
16. Limber
17. Present!
18. Cut
19. Is bold
20. Musical drama
22. Longing
23. Dwell
24. Car style
28. Star's car
30. Without pausing
34. Chirp
37. Possible
39. Cry of surprise
40. Masts
41. School group (abbr.)
42. At no time hereafter
45. Disordered
47. Sound systems
48. Rock's ____ Clapton
50. Double-____ sword
52. Finally (2 wds.)
56. Long tale
59. Begin
61. Shopping reminders
63. Singles
64. Paid athletes
65. Prepare to pray
66. "The Way We ____"
67. Chimney dirt
68. Shabby
69. Greek deity
70. Terminates



Down

1. Detest
2. French pancake
3. Becomes weary
4. Antiseptic
5. Method
6. Animator Disney
7. Assumed name
8. Converged
9. Irrate
10. Opposed to
11. Soil
12. A Baldwin
13. Interlock
21. Censor
25. Main dish
26. Performs
27. Dancer ____ Miller
29. Go against
31. Bits of advice
32. Horse feed
33. Romp
34. Browns in the sun
35. Hone
36. Roof overhang
38. Rowing device
40. Urban air pollution
43. Constructed
44. Apple color
45. Catcher's glove
46. Overshadow
49. Lifts
51. Roadside eatery
53. Baseball great Hank ____
54. Got up
55. Trials
56. BPOE members
57. Yearn
58. Words of comprehension (2 wds.)
60. Fiddling emperor
62. Cunning
63. Have creditors

For Up-To-Date News and Information on First Nations you may visit:

Chiefs of Ontario visit:

<http://www.chiefs-of-ontario.org/>

Anishinabek Nation visit:

<http://www.anishinabek.ca/>

Assembly of First Nations visit:

<http://www.afn.ca/>

Southern First Nation Secretariat:

<http://www.sfnso.ca/>

Crown Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/crown-indigenous-relations-northern-affairs.html>

Indigenous Services Canada:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/indigenous-services-canada.html>

Job Search Websites

OFIFC www.ofifc.org/

Nokee Kwe www.nokekwe.ca/

Southern First Nation Secretariat,
www.sfnso.ca/index.html

N'Amerind Friendship Centre (London)
www.namerind.on.ca/

Anishnawbe Health Toronto <http://www.aht.ca/>
SOAHAC London, Chippewas of the Thames,
Owen Sound,

<http://www.soahac.on.ca/>

Six Nations (Ohsweken, ON),
www.sixnations.ca/

Other Job Search Engines:

- <http://www.aboriginalcareers.ca/>
- <http://ca.indeed.com/Aboriginal-jobs>
- <http://www.wowjobs.ca/jobs-aboriginal-jobs>
- <http://www.turtleisland.org/front/front.htm>
- <http://www.eluta.ca/>
- <http://www.monster.ca/>
- <http://www.workopolis.com/>
- <http://www.jobs.ca/>
- <http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/eng/sc/jobs/jobbank.shtml>
- <http://www.ofifc.org/>



JORDAN'S PRINCIPLE

Do you know a First Nations child that hasn't reached their 18th birthday who has a medical, social, educational, or cultural unmet need? Jordan's Principle may provide assistance to remedy that unmet need and assist the child and family, whether they live on or off reserve.

Start the process by contacting the dedicated Jordan's Principle Call Centre and Help Line:

English: 1-855-JP-CHILD
(1-855-572-4453)

French: 1-833-PJ-ENFAN
(1-833-753-6326)

Email: InfoPubs@aadnc-aandc-gc.ca

Christian Hebert
Jordan's Principle Navigator
Anishinabek Nation
Phone: 705-497-9127, ext. 2386
E-mail: christian.hebert@anishinabek.ca

Marina Plain
Jordan's Principle Navigator
Anishinabek Nation
Phone: 519-328-0942
E-mail: marina.plain@anishinabek.ca



FOR AAMJIWNAANG BAND & COMMUNITY MEMBERS



PRENATAL OR HAVE A NEW BABY IN THE HOUSE?

REACH OUT FOR A...

WELCOME BABY KIT & SERVICES

HEATHER ROBERTSON AT 519-332-6770 EXT 305

OR

MALYNDA MANESS HENRY AT 519-332-6770 EXT 311



CHECK OUT OUR FACEBOOK GROUP: AAMJIWNAANG
DROP IN DAGO MAAJIIGOOG BINOOCIINYAG



ATTENTION TO ALL MEDICAL DRIVERS!!!

**Medical Travel slips are now due
Fridays before 4:30pm.**

Medical Travel Drivers:

Terry Plain (Monis) 519-402-5535

Sheila Firth 519-383-1073

Christine Plain 519-466-0054

Muriel (Toddy) Joseph 519-336-6323 or 519-312-2403

Marion Waters 519-312-5283

Kailey Maness 519-328-5366

Jill (Henry) Smith – 519-384-0076

Ron Simon 519-331-7607

Wheelchair Accessible Van Driver:

Contact the Health Centre at 519-336-6770

Attention ODSP Clients

Janet Wilkinson will be available for
In person appointments

December 10th, 2025

from 9am—4pm

If you need to contact Janet Wilkinson
please call

519-337-3735 ext 2266



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**FYI - Health Benefits under
Indigenous Services Canada**
**The Non-Insured Health
Benefits Program (NIHB) -**
**(Indigenous Services Canada) is a National
Program administered by Health Canada
providing coverage for:**

**Dental, Drugs, Medical Supplies & Equipment,
Medical Transportation, Vision Care, and Short
-Term Crisis Intervention Mental Health
Counselling.**

**Client Questions? - contact the NIHB client
information line at: 1-800-640-0642**

**Using you Benefits: When you present your
status card to any health provider, as if they
bill directly to NIHB before obtaining the
service. Ensure the health care provider
verifies that the product/treatment is an eligible
benefit listed on NIHB**

**Be Aware: If you are asked to pay upfront, it
can take 6-8 weeks to be reimbursed, and you
may not get reimbursed if the benefit was not
pre-approved. You may want to seek out a
provider that does bill directly to NIHB. The
Drug or product may be an exception benefit
requiring the provider to call the Drug
Exception Centre at 1-800-580-0950**

**Benefits Outside of Canada: You must
purchase travel health insurance if you travel
outside of Canada. If you are a migrant worker
or a full time student working or studying
outside of Canada, call NIHB to ask about
coverage at 1-800-640-0642 More information
can be found at <https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng>**

**Reimbursements: Mail your reimbursement
form along with your original receipts and a
copy of your prescription to;**

NIHB/FNIHB

**Health Canada, address locator 1902D
200 Eglantine Driveway, 2nd Floor
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0K9**



Aamjiwnaang Chief & Council

Agenda Item Submission

Information and Deadlines



- * Regular Council Meetings - 1st & 3rd Monday of every month, **starting at 5:00pm**. If Monday falls on a statutory holiday the meeting is generally held the following Monday. Please note, that from time to time meetings may be cancelled or postponed.
- * Deadline - Tuesday's prior to the regularly scheduled meeting date, by 12:00 noon, for Band Manager review.
- * Agenda Item Request Form is available at reception for the following locations: Administrative Complex (Band Office), E'Mino Bmaad-Zijig Gumig (Health Centre) & Maawn Doosh Gumig (Community Centre); and, on the Aamjiwnaang website.
- * Your completed request form can be submitted in person or email, you may also wish to attach additional documentation and information to support your request (i.e. acceptance letters, budget, personal summary, etc.).
- * Requests will be reviewed by the Band Manager, to ensure that the appropriate personnel/ department have the opportunity to respond or resolve the request, prior to being placed on the Council agenda.
- * The guidelines set out above are in place to ensure that the flow of information to and from the Council table is efficient, and that your matter is addressed and resolved in a timely manner.

If you have discussion items for

Chief and Council on:

December 1st, 2025

Your information is due by:

Tuesday November 25th 2024 at 4:00pm

Miigwech, for your co-operation and understanding.

Ashley Jackson, Aamjiwnaang Council Clerk

ajackson@aamjiwnaang.ca

COUNCIL AGENDAS

Presently a copy of the Council Agenda is posted on the front doors of the Band Office and Community Centre.

If you would like to receive an "electronic" copy of the Council Agenda, please send an email to:

pnahmabin@aamjiwnaang.ca providing your name and band number.

Only band members can receive an electronic copy of the Agenda.

Thank you.

Patrick Nahmabin

Community Information Officer

RE: Seniors Travel and Recreation Funding

Chief and Council along with the Community Services Committee have developed a new Seniors Travel and Recreation Funding Policy to help assist Seniors with Travel and Recreational activities. **This application is for Seniors who have reached the age of Sixty (60) years and over. The maximum funding is \$800/CA per fiscal year.** Applications can be picked up at the Community Centre or Band Office. For more information please contact the Community Centre – 519-491-2160

Seniors, Youth and Security Fund applications to be submitted by Thursday at noon

RE: Youth Funding Policy / Funding Applications

Chief and Council along with the Community Services Committee have developed a new Funding Policy to help our youth with their Sports, Arts and Recreational activities. **This application is for youth to the age of 25 years. The maximum funding is \$800/CA per fiscal year. This maximum will take into consideration LNHL reimbursement and any other recreational funding.** Applications can be picked up at the Community Centre or Band Office. For more information please contact the Community Centre – 519-491-2160



Indigenous Services Canada

**IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THE
MANDATORY IDENTIFICATION TO
OBTAIN A STATUS CARD,
PLEASE CALL: 1-800-567-9604**

- Advise the call centre representative that you want to obtain a Temporary Confirmation of Registration Document (TCRD).
- They will ask a series of questions to confirm your identity and then mail a Temporary Confirmation of Registration Document (TCRD) to you.
- This document will state your registration number and can be used in place of a Status Card to access benefits and services.

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1972 Virgil Avenue

Sarnia, Ontario N7T 7H5

Phone: 519-491-2160 or

Fax: 519-491-0912

E-mail: editor@aamjiwnaang.ca

The next issue is due out on:

Friday, November 28th, 2025

**The deadline for submissions is
Wednesday, November 26th, 2025
at 12:00pm**

Please submit your documents in **Word, Excel, or Publisher** formats or info can be hand written; **jpeg** for pictures.

This paper and past editions can also be found on the Aamjiwnaang website

at: www.aamjiwnaang.ca

If you have stories that you would like to share, please submit them to the Editor at : editor@aamjiwnaang.ca

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