



Chippewa Tribe-UNE



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Monitoring Stations

Boozhoo Aamjiwnaang Bendazijig
(members),

Aamjiwnaang Kina Akiing
(environment) Department is
pleased to announce that we have
deployed SO₂ and Benzene
monitoring equipment that is
solely operated by Aamjiwnaang.

We have partnered with Vertex for
technical support, and the
monitoring equipment acquisition
was made possible through the
Ministry of Environment,
Conservation, and Parks – Ontario
Community Environmental Funds
initiative (MECP-OCEF).

Aamjiwnaang Kina Akiing will
continue to focus our efforts on
collecting, analyzing and
maintaining our own air
monitoring data not only for today
but the generations to come.

We respectfully request that
equipment not be disturbed so
that they may function as they are
intended too. This is an exciting
time for the community to be
embarking on a journey of data
sovereignty.

Miigwech (thank you)
AAMJIWNAANG KINA AKIING



Mino Dbishkaayin-Happy Birthday

Matthew Isaac	July 17	John Baker	July 25
Nicole Maness	July 17	Hazel Cottrelle	July 25
Maddox Sinopole	July 17	Aushja Harbin	July 25
Nicole Gooding	July 17	Keegan Hunt	July 25
Michele Bourque	July 18	Allyson Joseph	July 25
Brandee Brooks	July 18	Arlene Joseph	July 25
Justin Ellerhorst	July 18	Jeremy Maness	July 25
Negaunee Gray	July 18	Joseph McCormick	July 25
Steven Maness	July 18	Emma Rogers	July 25
Lily Myers	July 18	Brook Shorey	July 25
Amanda Plain	July 18	Samuel Sinopole	July 25
Janice Smith	July 18	Paul Stone	July 25
Laura Spero	July 18	Tamara Elie	July 26
Terrance Walker	July 18	Kyla Lacroix-Bardsley	July 26
Nicolas Williams	July 18	Kendra Maness	July 26
Avery Adams	July 19	Naomi Oliver	July 26
Nawana Adams	July 19	Jeremy Smith	July 26
Macklyn Beauchesne	July 19	Matthew White	July 26
Roxanne Oliver	July 19	Shania Davidson	July 26
Gerald Plain Jr.	July 19	Shelby Adams	July 27
Destiny Williams	July 19	Carolyn Bressette	July 27
Leland Yendall	July 19	Matthew Kriston	July 27
Amber Brooks	July 20	Aaron Maness	July 27
Waasaya Cottrelle	July 20	Michaela Nahmabin-Hiltz	July 27
Koshay Matte	July 20	Kaylynn Witting	July 27
Nicon Smith	July 20	Mitchal Yellowman	July 27
Miranda DeLauter	July 21	Sheree Joseph	July 28
Adrienne Zimmerman	July 21	Verlyn White-Plain	July 28
Nicholas Ross Plain	July 21	Alexis Williams	July 28
Tracy M Williams	July 21	Gabriel Wilson	July 28
Telford R Adams	July 22	Tyrus Hare	July 29
Richard Ayers	July 22	Meghan Akiwenzie	July 29
Corey Bird	July 22	Matthew Goulais	July 29
Tena Gorrie	July 22	Talia Gooding	July 29
Xavier Hare	July 22	Nehemiah Gray	July 29
Jada Henry	July 22	Yellow Medicine Root Matte	July 29
Jillian Nelles	July 22	Myella Rogers	July 29
Jordon Thompson	July 22	Tessa Snake	July 29
Kalleigh Van Troost	July 22	Kaleigh Tagak	July 29
Joseph Chirico	July 23	December Nahmabin	July 29
James E Maness Sr.	July 23	Jordan Williams	July 29
Gage Millier	July 23	Brendan Gold	July 30
Linda C Williams	July 23	Joseph R Lucas	July 30
Jana Aiken	July 24	Charles E Maness	July 30
Bernard Alindayu	July 24	Markus Nie	July 30
Katherine Briones	July 24	Aaron Partin	July 30
Ava Day	July 24	Joseph M Xander Rising	July 30
Mary Simon	July 24	Beverley Rogers	July 30
Esau Adams	July 25	Steven Williams	July 30

REMINDER**MEDICAL
TRANSPORTATION****DEADLINE**

Thursday, July 30, at
4:00 pm.

Please note on holiday weekends
the deadline is Thursday at 4:00 pm.

Attention ODSP Clients

Janet Wilkinson will be
available for in-person
appointments at the
Maawn Doosh Gumig

August 12th, 2026

from 9am—4pm

If you need to contact
Janet Wilkinson please call
519-337-3735 Ext 2266

**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
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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
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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

Summer Home Maintenance

Make sure you're gutters are clear of any debris and water is flowing easily. Don't forget to check your roof for any possible leakage or damaged shingles!



Maintaining a clean lawn will reduce the amount of critters and insects both in and around your house. Also make sure to clear any possible stagnant water that may be laying in your yard as mosquitoes love the water!

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- Prevention & Wellness
- Traditional Healing & Cultural Programming
- Navigation & Community Support
- Administrative and Outreach roles

Every role supports our shared vision: to strengthen wellness for our people today, and for the generations yet to come.

Current Opportunities:

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E-nangaabe-jig is hiring multiple positions:

<https://enangaabejighealthservices.ca/about/employment-opportunities/>

Please share with anyone who may be interested.

E-nangaabe-jig was founded in 2025 by the Chiefs of Aamjiwnaang First Nation, Chippewa of Kettle & Stony Point First Nation, and Walpole Island (Bkejwanong) First Nation. Governed by a First Nations led board, with the intent to keep indigenous health in indigenous hands.

Answer on Home
Maintenance Page

Sudoku Puzzle

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NOTICE

The Four First Nations Education Association (FFNEA) – Aamjiwnaang, Chippewas of Kettle & Stony Point First Nation, Eelinaapewi Lahkewit (Delaware Nation) and Bkejwanong Territory – Walpole Island First Nation are looking for:

First Nation Trustee

To represent the FFNEA on the Lambton Kent District School Board

Effective November 15, 2026

The Role of First Nation Representatives:

Section 188 (5) of the Education Act allows for a regulation to provide First Nation representation on school boards. Regulation 462/97, First Nations Representation on Boards, lists the conditions for appointing First Nation Trustees, provided a tuition agreement is in place. These are:

- When the lesser of 10 percent of the students of a board or 100 students are from First Nations communities, the First Nations communities may name, and the board must appoint, one representative. That person is deemed to be elected to the board.
- When 25 percent of the students of a board are from First Nations communities, the board may appoint a second representative.
- When the First Nations students' number is fewer than the lesser of 10 percent and 100, the appointment of the First Nation representative is at the discretion of the board.

The role of all Trustees is to help create the vision and set the strategic direction that will guide the board and its schools. As the representative of the First Nations community on the school board, the First Nation Trustee is in a unique position to ensure that the Indigenous culture is part of that vision and that the strategic direction of the board includes the interests of the First Nations community.

Representation:

Under the Education Act, the Lambton Kent District School Board (LKDSB) may appoint one representative from the four First Nations – Aamjiwnaang, Chippewas of Kettle and Stony Point First Nation, Bkejwanong Territory – Walpole Island First Nation and Eelinaapewi Lahkewit (Delaware Nation).

The First Nation Trustee is a full voting member of the Board, and will work with elected Trustees, Student Trustees, and members of Senior Administration. The LKDSB has schools located in a number of urban and rural communities throughout the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, the City of Sarnia, and the County of Lambton.

This progressive system has 62 elementary and secondary schools, approximately 22,000 students,

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- Band member of one of the Four First Nations – Aamjiwnaang, Chippewas of Kettle and Stony Point First Nation, Bkejwanong Territory – Walpole Island First Nation and Eelinaapewi Lahkewit (Delaware Nation).
- At least 18 years old.

Length of Term:

The Term is four (4) years in length effective November 15, 2026.

Trustee Honorarium:

Trustees are entitled to receive an honorarium for each year of the term beginning on November 15, 2026, as outlined in the LKDSB Regulations *Trustee Honoraria*.

Allowable Expenses:

Trustees are entitled to claim expenses related to Board business, including travel to Board and Committee Meetings, as per LKDSB Regulations on *Expense Reimbursement for Staff, Trustees and Student Trustees*.

Selection Process:

Each of the four First Nations will submit the name of their candidate to the Four First Nations Education Association who will then select one to be named as the appointed representative and a second as alternate. Each First Nation will then submit in writing, to the LKDSB, naming the appointed representative and alternate. The LKDSB will then appoint the representative as the First Nation Trustee (and alternate) representing the four First Nations. The Public Sessions for LKDSB meetings are open to all community members.

Further information about the Lambton Kent District School Board is available at www.lkdsb.net

Interested applicants must submit the following information to the Aamjiwnaang Education Committee in a sealed envelope clearly marked "First Nation Trustee Position":

- Cover letter
- Resume
- Current Criminal Reference Check

Submit to: Chenoa Plain
Aamjiwnaang Education
976 Tashmoo Ave
Sarnia, ON N7T 7H5
Email: chenoaplain@aamjiwnaang.ca

DEADLINE DATE - September 25, 2026 @ 4:00 P.M.

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approximate total staff of 3,400 and a budget of approximately \$415 million.

Responsibility of the First Nation Trustee:

The First Nation Trustee is responsible for:

- monitoring the negotiation of the tuition agreement;
- ensuring that the actions of the board reflect the tuition agreement;
- ensuring that both parties of the agreement are fulfilling their obligations;
- ensuring that mechanisms are in place for effective accountability to the First Nations community;
- ensuring that racism and harassment are not part of the First Nation students' experience at school.

Responsibilities of all LKDSB Trustees as per Section 10 the LKDSB Procedural By-laws - Role of Trustees

The responsibilities of Trustees are defined in the Education Act and include but are not limited to:

- a) establishing and monitoring Board policy;
- b) implementing Provincial education policy;
- c) establishing a budget and monitoring its implementation;
- d) providing, equipping and maintaining schools;
- e) holding the Director of Education accountable for student achievement and student well-being;
- f) employing and compensating staff;
- g) accountable to ratepayers;
- h) advocating public education;
- i) ensuring the effectiveness of Board programs and services.

Trustees are expected to attend Board Meetings and serve on Board committees and keep confidential all information discussed in Private Session. Trustees are expected to follow the School Board Member (Trustee) Code of Conduct for the Board.

The First Nation Trustee can also encourage the involvement of the parents/guardians and the First Nations community in the First Nation students' education. One of the recommendations of the *Report of the Royal Commission of Aboriginal Peoples* (Volume 3, page 472) is that "all schools serving Aboriginal children adopt policies that welcome the involvement of Aboriginal parents, elders and families in the life of the school-for example, by establishing advisory or parents committees, introducing teaching by elders in the classroom, and involving parents in school activities."

Education Services Agreement (Tuition) agreements also provide for First Nation representation on school councils and the LKDSB Special Education Advisory Committee. The LKDSB Indigenous Liaison Committee provides a forum for discussing Indigenous education issues. The First Nation trustee is the co-chair, and membership includes a representative from each of the First Nations communities that have students in the LKDSB schools.

Qualifications:

Trustee candidates need to have the following qualifications:



HEAT ALERT

What is a heat wave?
Extreme heat events, or "heat waves" are a series of days where the temperature greatly exceeds the average for that location, reaching heat warning thresholds.

Health risks of extreme heat
Heat-related illness can affect anyone. Mild heat illnesses include heat cramps and heat rash. Heat exhaustion is more severe, with symptoms like sweating, dizziness, headache, rapid breathing, extreme thirst and nausea.
Heat stroke, on the other hand, is a medical emergency. Symptoms include high body temperature, confusion, lack of coordination, slurred speech, and fainting. The person may stop sweating and have very hot skin.
Call 911 if you suspect heat stroke.

Who is at most risk?
Infants, older adults, and pregnant individuals are at risk of heat-related illness. Those with chronic conditions or illnesses, such as heart disease, diabetes, or respiratory issues, as well as people on certain medications, may be more sensitive to heat.
Anyone working outdoors or living in homes without air conditioning is also more exposed to weather conditions. Know who is most vulnerable in your community and regularly check on neighbours, friends or family members who may need extra support.

Staying safe during extreme heat in Ontario

Indoors
Focus your energy-efficiency efforts on a small number of rooms in your home. Run your air conditioner if you have one and circulate air using fans and cross-ventilation.
Reduce indoor heat by limiting the use of heat-generating appliances, keeping blinds closed to block sunlight, and closing windows when the outdoor temperature is higher than the indoor temperature.

Outdoors
Time spent outside should be limited as much as possible during extreme heat. Stick to shady areas and reschedule outdoor events where possible.



**DRINK WATER
FREQUENTLY**



**STAY INDOORS
DURING PEAK
HEAT HOURS**



**CHECK ON
VULNERABLE
PEOPLE**

Aamjiwnaang Election Law

What's Changing?

This document provides a comprehensive comparison between the Indian Act election system and the Aamjiwnaang Inaakonigewin – Dawaabmang'waa Niigaanzijig (Selecting Our Leaders). It outlines key differences, legal foundations, and benefits of transitioning to a custom election law. The analysis demonstrates how Aamjiwnaang has strengthened self-governance, cultural integration, and accountability through its election law.

Topic	Indian Act Election Regulations	Aamjiwnaang Election Law
Authority	Federal jurisdiction under the Indian Act; the Minister has oversight.	Community jurisdiction under the Aamjiwnaang Chi'Naakonigewin; ratified by members and Ministerial Order.
Council Composition	1 Chief + 1 Councillor per 100 members (min 2, max 12).	1 Chief + 9 Councillors; the Head Councillor is the highest vote-getter among Councillors.
Term of Office	2 years for Chief and Councillors; no provisions for extension.	3 years; may extend up to 60 days in emergencies with Council approval.
Election Date	Set by the Minister; typically, every 2 years.	Second Friday of July every 3 years.
Electoral Officer	Appointed by Council with Minister's approval; Indigenous Services Canada (ISC) trained.	Appointed by Council resolution 100 days before term ends; must swear oath and meet training/ethics standards.
Candidate Eligibility	Must be 18+, member of Aamjiwnaang; no education or criminal check required.	Must be 18+, a member of Aamjiwnaang, a high school graduate or equivalent, provide CPIC, and sign the Code of Ethics.
Nomination Process	Written or in-person; minimal documentation.	Written or in-person; acceptance forms, sworn declaration, ethics attestation; 5-day deadline for absent nominees.
Campaign Rules	Minimal regulation; no formal ethics code.	Strict Code of Ethics based on the Seven Grandfather Teachings, prohibits coercion, vote-buying, and smear campaigns.
		<u>More information on the back →</u>

For more information, contact the Band Office: (519) 336-8410

Governance Officer: James Wrightman – EXT: 219 OR jwrightman@aamjiwnaang.ca

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Voting Methods	In-person and mail-in ballots; proxy voting allowed in some cases.	In-person and mail-in ballots; no proxy voting; advance polls permitted.
Appeals	Filed with the Minister; decision by Indigenous Services Canada (ISC),	Handled by Election Appeal Board (7 members: elders, youth, community reps, mediator); decision final except judicial review.
Removal from Office	The Minister can remove for corrupt practices or absence.	Removal possible for ethics breaches, criminal conviction, misconduct; petition process requires 50%+1 electors or Council resolution.
Conflict of Interest	Not explicitly detailed in the election regulations.	Comprehensive policy included; oath of confidentiality and ethics required.

Analysis: Significance of Changes

- **Community Control & Self-Determination:** Removes federal oversight, placing authority in the hands of the community.
- **Enhanced Accountability & Ethics:** Includes Candidate Code of Ethics, conflict-of-interest rules, and removal provisions.
- **Stability & Governance Efficiency:** Extends term from 2 years to 3 years, reducing election costs and improving continuity.
- **Cultural Integration:** Embeds the Seven Grandfather Teachings and Anishinaabe values in leadership selection.
- **Transparent Appeals Process:** Appeals are handled locally by a trained board rather than federal officials.

References:

- Indian Act, R.S.C., 1985, Sections 74-80
- Aamjiwnaang Inaakonigewin – Dawaabmang’waa Niigaanzijig (Final Version)
- Constitution Act, 1982, Sections 25 & 35

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07/07/2026

STATEMENT FROM AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION ON THE PROPOSED NORTHERN SHIELD PIPELINE

Aamjiwnaang First Nation (Aamjiwnaang) is aware of the recent announcement on the proposed Northern Shield Pipeline. As a Nation whose territory has long been shaped by energy infrastructure, we follow developments of this scale closely and with careful consideration for what they may mean for our lands, waters, and community. We understand from media reports that the proposed pipeline would run through and terminate in Sarnia, Ontario, in the heart of our territory.

Aamjiwnaang exercises Aboriginal, Treaty, and Title rights, as well as inherent Indigenous rights. These rights carry with them our sacred responsibilities to care for the land, water, and resources within our territory. Decisions about new infrastructure in our territory must be made with Aamjiwnaang at the table from the outset, not after key decisions have already been made.

Our territory is home to significant industrial activity, and our community continues to experience serious cumulative environmental impacts that must be central to any conversation about future projects. These include:

- An ongoing benzene crisis since 2024, with routine spikes at levels high enough to affect our community's ability to safely spend time outdoors on our own land.
- A worsening trend in Sulphur Dioxide (SO₂) concentrations, with exceedances in the second quarter of 2026, reaching their highest levels in years.
- A pipeline spill directly adjacent to our land and into the St. Clair River in March 2026.

Our community is already living in a state of environmental emergency; adding new pipeline risks without addressing existing harms is unacceptable. Responsible planning requires that existing conditions, cumulative effects, and ongoing health concerns be fully understood and addressed before any decisions are made.

We call on the Crown to immediately initiate engagement with Aamjiwnaang on the proposed Northern Shield Pipeline, at the earliest planning stages and before any approvals or commitments are made, and to work with our Nation in a manner that reflects our rights, our responsibilities, and the standards of a modern Crown-Indigenous relationship. For any engagement to be meaningful, there must be clear Crown recognition of our jurisdiction and decision-making authority, and a shared commitment to understanding the environmental context in which any new project would operate.

Chief Janelle Nahmabin
O'gimaa Mskwaanakwod Kwe
Aamjiwnaang First Nation



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Aamjiwnaang Community Members receive Anishinabek Nation Lifetime Achievement Awards

We are proud to announce that two outstanding Community Members will be receiving Lifetime Achievement Awards from the Anishinabek Nation!

Please, join us in congratulating Sara Plain and Pauline Williams!

- Sara was nominated for role as Health Director, demonstrating exceptional leadership, professionalism, and a deep commitment to the health and well-being of our community. Sara has played a key role in advancing initiatives that strengthen culturally grounded care, promote community wellness, and building meaningful partnerships both within and beyond Aamjiwnaang First Nation.
- Pauline was nominated for her work in education and culture. Pauline is a deeply respected knowledge keeper and community leader whose contributions have had a lasting impact on Aamjiwnaang First Nation. Through her guidance, teachings, and commitment to cultural values, she has helped strengthen community connections, support youth and families, and preserve our traditions for future generations.

Their contributions have left a lasting impact on our community, and we are honoured to see the work recognized on such a prestigious platform.

Chief Janelle Nahmabin

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- For more information, check us out online at cidl.ca



ANISHINABEK NATION

BRIEFING NOTE ONTARIO TRAINING SCHOOLS CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT CLAIMS PERIOD OPEN

TO: Anishinabek Nation First Nation Chiefs and Council Members

FROM: *Kelsey Anger, Boonenindiwin/Reconciliation Department Director*

DATE: July 8, 2026

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

In June of 2026, the Ontario Superior Court of Justice approved a Settlement Agreement in the class action lawsuit against Ontario relating to harms suffered at thirteen provincially operated Training Schools for youth. This Claim period is now open.

'Training Schools' may also be known colloquially as: Youth Detention Centers, Juvenile Detention Center/Home, 'Juvey', Reformatories, Reformatory School, or Correctional Facility.

The "Class" includes those who were alive as of December 8, 2015, who were placed in any of the following institutions during the time periods listed below:

1. *Pine Ridge School, Bowmanville* (formerly The Ontario Training School for Boys) between January 1, 1953 and 1979;
2. *Cold Springs Forestry Camp* between January 1, 1963 and 1976;
3. *Hillcrest School, Guelph* (formerly known as Ontario Training School for Boys, Guelph) between January 1, 1953 and 1978;
4. *Brookside School, Cobourg* (formerly Ontario Training School for Boys, Galt, and Ontario Training School for Boys, Northumberland and Ontario Training School for Boys, Cobourg) between January 1, 1953 and April 2, 1984;
5. *Trelawney House, Port Bolster* (formerly known as Ontario Training School for Girls, Port Bolster Trelawney House) between August 1959 and 1973;
6. *Kawartha Lakes School, Lindsay* (formerly Ontario Training School for Girls, Lindsay) between 1962 and 1979;
7. *Glendale School, Simcoe* (formerly Ontario Training School for Boys, Simcoe) between 1962 and July 30, 1974;
8. *White Oaks Village, Hagersville* (formerly Ontario Training School for Boys, Hagersville (Junior School) between 1966 and 1978;
9. *Sprucedale School, Hagersville* (formerly Ontario Training School for Boys, Hagersville Senior School) between 1966 and April 2, 1984;
10. *Cecil Facer School, Sudbury* between 1971 and April 2, 1984;
11. *Project DARE – Portage Lake* between June 1971 and 1976;
12. *Project DARE – Wendigo Lake, South River* (formerly Project DARE Wendigo Lake) between 1972 and April 2, 1984;

13. *Syl Apps Youth Centre* (formerly Ontario Training School for Girls, Galt, Reception and Diagnostic Centre), Diagnostic Treatment Centre, Galt; and the Reception and Assessment Centre, Oakville, between 1958 and April 2, 1984.

The Class **does not** include: (1) Grandview Training School, (2) St. Joseph's Training School for Boys, (3), St. John's Training School, (4) Ontario Training School for Girls, Toronto; (5) Central Wardship Planning Unit; (6) Elmcrest School; and (7) Champlain School.

BACKGROUND

Between 1953 and 1984, thousands of children were housed and detained at youth institutions across Ontario known as Training Schools. Some were detained for committing criminal offences, others for minor infractions, petty crime, or unmanageable behaviours. Children became wards of the province, who were solely responsible for the operation of the Training Schools.

This Settlement provides possible financial compensation for alleged issues in the province's funding and running of the Training Schools. Some of the issues include: inadequate staff training, lack of accountability measures, misuse of physical discipline and solitary confinement, and allowed for harmful environments where abuse (physical and sexual) was widespread.

CURRENT STATUS

The Claims Period is now open. **Claims deadline is September 22, 2027.** There are two types or 'Tracks' of Claims in this Settlement. **Track 1** - compensation for general harm: Class Members who only attended a Training School prior to September 1, 1963, are only eligible to make a claim for compensation under Track 1, and **Track 2** - compensation for physical and sexual assault, and solitary confinement for certain durations, on or after September 1, 1963.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Claims Administrator
Training Schools Class Action Administrator
c/o Epiq Class Action Services Canada, Inc.
PO Box 507 STN B
Ottawa ON K1P 5P6
Email: info@trainingschoolsclassaction.com
Phone: 1-877-239-4879
<https://www.trainingschoolsclassaction.com>

Class Counsel
Training Schools Class Counsel
Koskie Minsky LLP
20 Queen St. West, Suite 900
Toronto, ON M5H 3R4
Email: trainingschoolsclassaction@kmlaw.ca
Phone: 1-866-860-9364

NEXT STEPS

Anishinabek Nation, Reconciliation Navigator is available to provide assistance, answer questions and coordinate in-community informational sessions. AN will continue to monitor this Class Action and share details with communities as they become available. Suzanne Goulais-Deering, Boonenindiwin Yaasgaabwitaaged (Reconciliation Navigator)
Call: 705-497-9127 ext. 2259 or email: s.goulais.deering@anishinabek.ca



ATTENTION SENIORS **SUMMER** *Time*

AUGUST 2026

**REMINDER THAT THERE WILL BE NO SUMMER
PROGRAMING FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST
2026 FROM THE SENIORS WORKER.**

**LOOK FORWARD TO ALL THE ACTIVITIES THAT
ARE BEING PLANNED FOR THE SENIORS
COMING FALL TIME!!**

**ENJOY THE
SUMMER**



**ATTENTION
SENIORS
60+**

Grandbend **FLEA** *Market*

Seniors join Becky on a Day Trip to the Grandbend Market. Spots available on the van. Leaving at 9am sharp.

SUNDAY JULY 26, 2026

Must be able to walk

Call Becky 519-332-6770 ext 312





starting July 2!

FREE PRODUCE? YES, PLEASE!

The Mobile Market is BACK this Summer – and we're coming to YOU! With 18 stops across Lambton County, we're making it easier than ever to stock up on fresh, no-wast fruits & veggies every single week! **BONUS:** All fruits & veggies \$1 and under per lb (except week peas) No cash. No catch. Just good food, great people, and community love. We're in your neighbourhood – don't miss us!

Where you can find us:

Day	Location	Time
MONDAY	ST. PAUL'S UNITED - PETROLIA	9:30 - 10:30am
	FOODLAND CORUNNA - BACK LOT	8:00 - 12:00pm
TUESDAY	CONTACT HOUSE - FOREST MEADOWVIEW - THEDFORD	9:45 - 10:45am
	KITTLE POINT HEADS CENTRE	8:15 - 11:45am
WEDNESDAY	JACKAY PARK - WYOMING	9:30 - 10:30am
	WATFORD UNITED CHURCH	10:45 - 11:30am
THURSDAY	ALVINSTON MUNICIPAL OFFICE	12:30 - 1:30pm
	ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH - FLORENCE	1:30 - 2:00pm
FRIDAY	SOMBRA LIBRARY	9:15 - 10:00am
	ST. JOHN ANGLICAN - WALPOLE ISLAND	10:30 - 11:30am

Logos for participating organizations: Lambton Kent, PEMBINA, Aamjiwnaang, Food Banks Canada.

The Lighthouse Ministry Welcomes you!

PRAISE WORSHIP

Psalm 150

JULY 25, 2026

Bring a lawnchair & your favourite dish to share

2-4 pm

VARIOUS GIFTED MUSICIANS

HOSTED BY
PASTOR
CRYSTAL DOWLING
&
MINISTER
KAREN TAYLOR

978 Tashmoo Ave
Aamjiwnaang
Sarnia
Park & Sports Area

FOR MORE INFORMATION
226-886-3812



Support Namaygoosisagagun First Nation

The Anishinabek Nation stands in solidarity with Namaygoosisagagun First Nation, whose community has been devastated by recent wildfires, displacing all citizens from their homes and community.

In the spirit of Ngo Dwe Waangazid Anishinaabe (One Anishinaabe Family), the Anishinabek Nation is accepting donations on behalf of Namaygoosisagagun First Nation to help the community navigate through this crisis. If you are able to, please donate to: an7gc@anishinabek.ca

We are calling on all First Nations across the country, corporate and government partners, allies, and supporters to lend a helping hand. Financial contributions will assist with emergency supplies, temporary shelter, and essential resources, while clothing donations will support those who have lost their belongings.

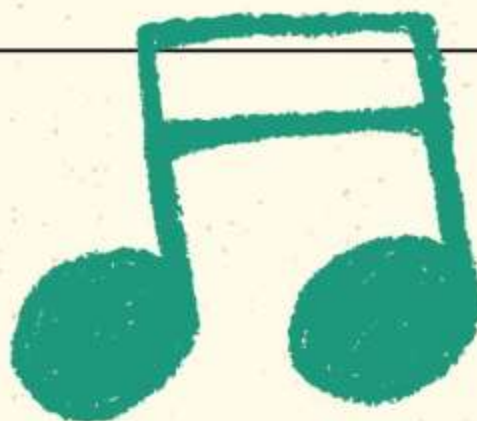
Every donation, big or small, makes a difference. Your kindness and generosity will help restore hope, rebuild lives, and demonstrate the strength of our collective spirit.

Donations can also be made by credit card through PayPal or Canada Helps with further information at <https://an7gc.ca/donate/>

Other ways to help:

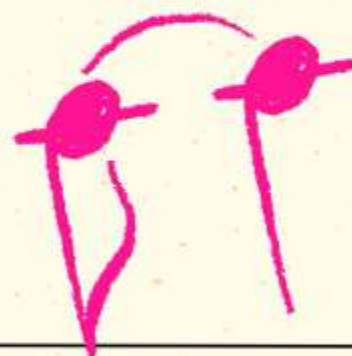
- Share this post to spread this message
- Offer thoughts and prayers of healing for those affected by the wildfires
- Reach out to surrounding food banks and inquire what support they require (i.e., food, feminine products, essential supplies, clothing, shelter, etc.)

KIDS



MUSIC

LESSONS



AT VANGOOZEN MUSIC

For Aamjiwnaang children, and children of Aamjiwnaang parents, ages 6-17. Must provide own transportation.

**Contact Tanya at
taviles@aamjiwnaang.ca to sign up**



Walking that Mino Bimaadiziwin

Meet Tracey Whiteye

Tracey Whieye is a highly respected Lennapeew/Anishnaabe Kwe holistic practitioner, education, and Master of Social Work (MSW, RSW) from the Chippewa of the Thames. With over 25 years of collective experience, she specializes in decolonizing Indigenous Mental Health practices, land-based healing, and intergenerational trauma recovery across Southwestern Ontario.



Scan the QR code to sign up.
Deadline to sign up is July 21st

JULY 29TH

10AM - 12PM

AAMJIWNAANG
HEALTH CENTRE



E-nangaabe-jig
Health Services

**Following the workshop Tracey will be available
for one on one appointments. To schedule an
appointment, please call 332-6770 Ext. 304.**



24TH ANNUAL ABORIGINAL YOUTH CAREER AWARENESS FAIR

SAVE THE DATE
OCTOBER 7th~8th 2026

HOSTED BY CHIPPEWAS OF KETTLE AND STONY POINT FIRST NATION

FOR PRE-REGISTRATION CONTACT YOUR PARTICIPATING FIRST NATION EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING OFFICE:

AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION.....	519.336.8410
CALDWELL FIRST NATION.....	519.322.1744
KETTLE & STONY POINT FIRST NATION.....	519.786.6780
EELONAPTEWII LAKEEWEWII.....	519.692.4175
MUNSEE-DELAWARE NATION.....	519.289.5396
ONEIDA NATION.....	519.652.9350
WALPOLE ISLAND FIRST NATION.....	519.627.7148

FOR EVENT INFO CONTACT THE PROJECT COORDINATOR AT FOURWINDS@KETTLEPOINT.ORG OR 519.786.6780

**THE CHIPPEWAS OF KETTLE AND STONY POINT FIRST NATION HOSTS
24TH ANNUAL ABORIGINAL YOUTH CAREER AWARENESS FAIR
OCTOBER 7TH AND 8TH, 2026**

STUDENT REGISTRATION FORM	
Student Name	
First Nation	
Parent/Guardian Name	
Contact Telephone Number	
School Name	
Grade	
Shirt Size (Unisex)	
EMERGENCY INFORMATION	
Health Card Number	
Allergies/Medical Condition	
1 st Emergency Contact Name	
1 st Telephone Number	
2 nd Emergency Contact Name	
2 nd Telephone Number	
CHAPERONE REGISTRATION	
Name of Chaperone	
Mode of transportation	
Contact Number	
Shirt Size (Unisex)	

RETURN COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM TO YOUR FIRST NATION'S
EMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND TRAINING OFFICE
DEADLINE TO REGISTER: SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2026

FOR EVENT INFO CONTACT THE PROJECT COORDINATOR AT FOURWINDS@KETTLEPOINT.ORG

24TH Aboriginal Youth Career Awareness Fair – October 7th & 8th, 2026
Hosted by the Chippewas of Kettle and Stony Point First Nation

RELEASE AND LIABILITY WAIVER AGREEMENT

The completed release and liability waiver agreement will enable your child to participate in the youth focused activities which have been specifically planned for them. The form will be kept on file for the duration of the Aboriginal Youth Awareness Career Fair.

Waiver and Release: I, _____ (Guardian name) release and discharge the Chippewas of Kettle and Stony Point First Nation and the Aboriginal Youth Career Awareness Fair planning committee, their agents, servants, successors and assigns, directors, trustees, officers, employees and other representatives against any and all claims, damages and causes of action in law or equity which may have as a result of my (or my child's) participation in, attendance at, and travel to and from the Aboriginal Youth Career Awareness Fair activities. Furthermore, I hereby acknowledge that I have read the foregoing, understand its content and freely, voluntarily and without duress execute this release and liability waiver under the following terms.

Medical Treatment: I, _____ (Guardian name) the parent/guardian of the student authorize to have the student treated in any medical emergency during their participation of the Annual Career Fair and/or I, the parent, agrees to pay all costs associated with medical care and transportation of the student.

Photographic Release: I, _____ (Guardian name) the parent/guardian of the student hereby grant and convey unto the Chippewas of Kettle and Stony Point First Nation and the Aboriginal Youth Career Awareness Fair planning committee and all right, title and interest in any and all photographic images and video or audio recordings made during the participants participation at the Aboriginal Youth Career Awareness Fair, including, but not limited to, any royalties, proceeds, or other benefits derived from such photographs and recordings.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE RELEASE AND LIABILITY WAIVER AND SIGN IT WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE OF ITS CONTENTS AND SIGNIFICANCE.

Student Name: _____ Date: _____

Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

THIS DOCUMENT MUST ACCOMPANY A COMPLETED STUDENT REGISTRATION FORM

Aamjiwnaang Child and Family Well-Being
CULTURAL FUND

Funding will be provided on a one-time basis to support traditional healing practices through, education, participation, and resource acquisition.
Up to **\$350** per family/household (on and off reserve)

Eligible Expenses:

- Regalia costs (ie., belts, beadwork, fabric, sinew)
- Ceremony costs (ie, ceremony foods, fabric, wood, medicines)
- Culture honorarium for teachings and ceremonies
- Registration fees for traditional language gatherings or classes
- Covering travel to ceremonies, culture gatherings, or knowledge gatherings
- Purchasing traditional medicines (tobacco, sage, sweet grass, cedar)
- Purchasing cultural based literature and resources

Ineligible Expenses:

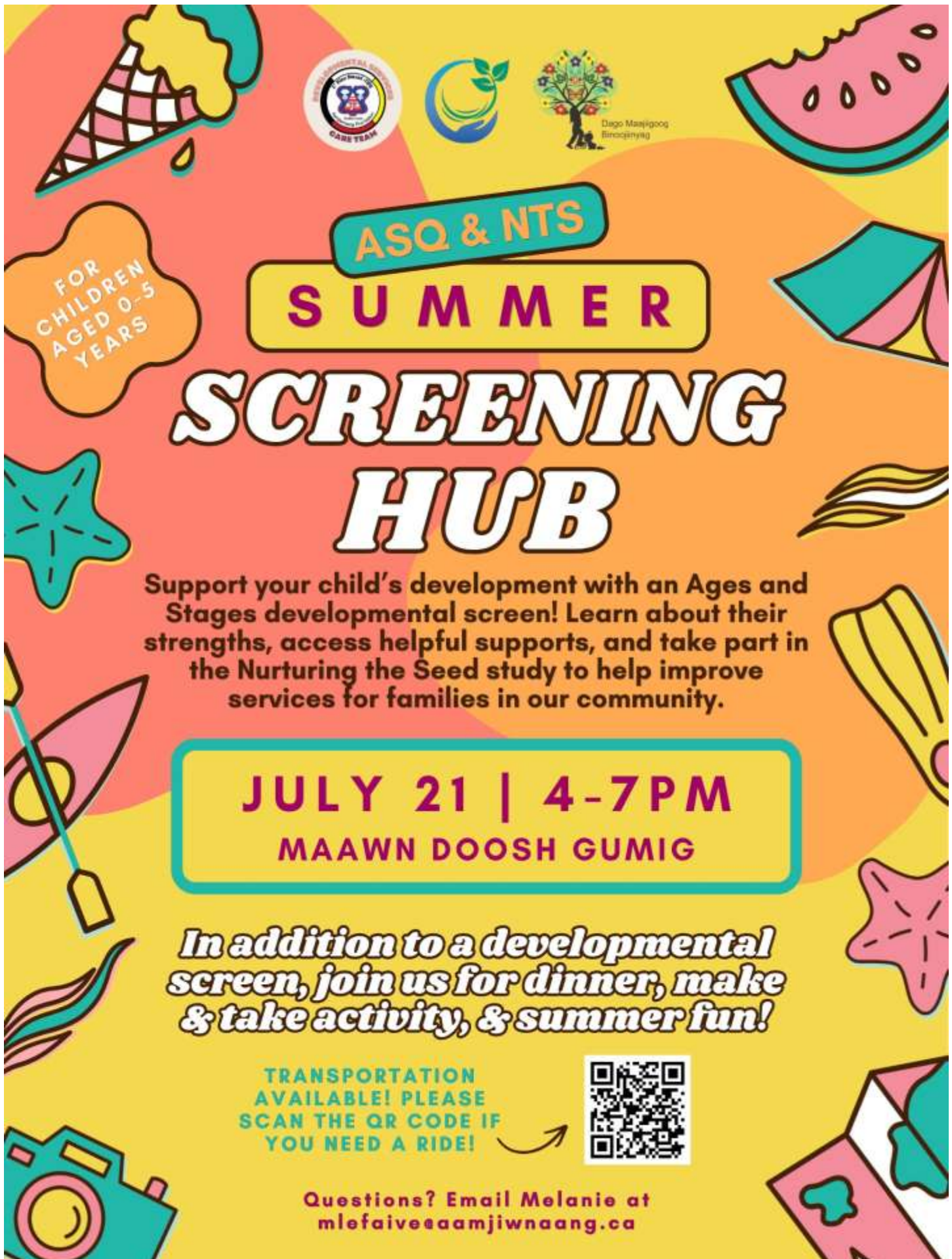
- Medical Supplies (ie. essential oils, pain pray, teas, and vitamins)
- Meals during travel
- Coolers, canopy, air mattresses, camping chairs
- Harvesting items (ie. boats, coats, fishing supplies, hunting supplies)
- Clothing and fashion jewelry

Expense forms can be picked up and submitted with **original receipts** to the Child and Family Services Building (874 Tashmoo Ave) by March 31, 2027

if you live out of town receipts must be mailed to 878 Tashmoo Ave, Sarnia, Ontario, N7T 7H5

Items must have been purchased AFTER April 2026

Questions? misaac@aamjiwnaang.ca





ASQ & NTS

S U M M E R

SCREENING HUB

FOR CHILDREN AGED 0-5 YEARS

Support your child's development with an Ages and Stages developmental screen! Learn about their strengths, access helpful supports, and take part in the Nurturing the Seed study to help improve services for families in our community.

JULY 21 | 4-7PM

MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG

In addition to a developmental screen, join us for dinner, make & take activity, & summer fun!

TRANSPORTATION AVAILABLE! PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE IF YOU NEED A RIDE!



Questions? Email Melanie at mlefaive@aamjiwnaang.ca



CHILD & FAMILY WELL-BEING PRESENTS:

INHERENT JURISDICTION INFO SESSION: *FAMILY FUN NIGHT*

JULY 29, 2026
5PM - 7:30 PM
AT MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG



Discuss and learn about the
child wellbeing law



Community voices will help
guide decisions



Fun activities for youth



Dinner and child minding
will be provided



Gift cards for participation

Scan and
fill out
the QR
code!



Contact Rachael for more information:
rsimon@aamjiwnaang.ca





Child & Family Wellbeing Presents:

INHERENT JURISDICTION INFO SESSION: TALK & TEA

**JULY 29, 2026 | MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG
FOLLOWING SENIOR'S LUNCH**

Scheduled for after the Senior's weekly luncheon!
An opportunity for Elders to gather, share knowledge,
and offer guidance about the Child Law
Gift cards for participation

Contact Rachael for more information:
rsimon@aamjiwnaang.ca



SCAN QR CODE TO SIGN UP.
DEADLINE JULY 21ST:

LIVER

Awareness

LUNCH & LEARN



Join us for lunch and a presentation on liver health for
World Hepatitis Awareness Day!



Tuesday July 28th
Aamjiwnaang Health Centre
12PM-2PM



QUESTIONS? CALL MIKEESHA EXT. 309 OR MELISSA EXT. 308



AAMJIWNAANG HEALTH CENTRE/NORTH
LAMBTON COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

HEPATITIS C TESTING

*Know Your Status,
Get Early Diagnosis*



WEDNESDAY

JULY

22 & 29

AT ZHAWENIMISHINAAM
(BLUE BUILDING DROP IN)
1:00PM-3:00PM

GIFTCARDS FOR
PARTICIPATION

*Fast, free and confidential Hepatitis C testing in a
safe and welcoming environment. Everyone welcome!*

WHO SHOULD GET TESTED?

- EVERY ADULT 18+ (AT LEAST ONCE IN THEIR LIFETIME)
- FOR EVERY PREGNANCY
- THOSE AT HIGHER RISK (I.E: SUBSTANCE USERS,
SEXUALLY ACTIVE, RECEIVED TATTOOS/PIERCINGS
USING UNSTERILE EQUIPMENT, ETC.)

QUESTIONS? CALL MIKEESHA OR MELISSA EXT. 309 OR 308



Traditional Pain Salve

With Sylvia



**Tuesday, July 21st
10am - 1pm**



Hands on
Learning



Traditional
Medicines



Make & Take your
own pain salve

Scan the QR code to sign up.
Deadline is July 19th.



Questions? Contact Roberta
519-332-6770 Ext. 313



Our Location
Aamjiwnaang Health Centre
1300 Tashmoo Ave.



Aamjiwnaang Health Centre:

STONY POINT BEACH DAY



Thursday August 6th | 10AM-2PM

Parents must accompany children. People with mobility issues may have difficulty on this trip. Please bring own beach towels and lawn chairs. When registering, please register each individual person separately. Transportation will be available, please indicate when signing up.

**Food
Games
Beach**



**To sign up, scan
QR code:
Deadline to
register: July 30th**



Questions? Call Roberta ext. 313 or Mikeesha ext. 309

CHILD & FAMILY WELL-BEING

REGALIA PHOTOS

We'll be taking photos under the dome to celebrate our youth dancers! Tiny Islands Photography is back for this. They will be similar to the graduation photos from last month but will include 1 motion and 1 portrait photo per child 17 or under.

July 29 & 30 5:00-7:00

Agwazhe (under the dome)

USE THE QR CODE
TO BOOK YOUR
TIMESLOT (1
TIMESLOT PER
FAMILY)



Example 1: Single
Child

-1 motion photo
-1 portrait photo
(could include
parents)

Example 2: Multiple
Children

-1 motion photo of each
child 17 or under
-1 group portrait photo
(could include parents
and/or older siblings)

**Email Carrie with any questions
carrie.plain@aamjiwnaang.ca**

Aamjiwnaang Child & Family Well-being



POW WOW PLUMES

UPS OR SIDES

Come make your little pow wow dancer a set of plumes to wear with their dancing regalia.

*Not real eagle plumes

One set per person, either ups or side set.

DATE: JULY 29 2026

TIME: 10AM-2PM

**LOCATION: 974 TASHMOO AVE
CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES BUILDING**



Traditional



Jingle



Fancy Shawl

SCAN QR CODE



Contact Matthew Isaac

519-336-8410 EXT 206 Email: misaac@aamjiwnaang.ca



Child and Family Services Presents:

Prenatal Wellness Packages



Scan the QR code to fill in your contact information and someone will connect with you to share further information about the services that are available. You will also receive a prenatal care package!

For more info contact Ciara or Heather:
hchuard@aamjiwnaang.ca
hrobertson@aamjiwnaang.ca



AAMJIWNAANG

FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP

JULY meetings will be:
July 9, 16 & 30

Please join us for a conversation about your concern with a loved one who is struggling with mental health, heavy substance use or addictions.

HEALTH CENTRE

THURSDAYS 5PM-6PM

- ▶ Do you have questions about how to help your loved one with anxiety or depression?
- ▶ Do you have concerns and questions about helping someone who uses substances like alcohol or opiates?
- ▶ Do you have questions about how to help someone with mental health or addictions?

If so, this group is for you. **AGES 16+**

Please call 519-332-6770 ext. 317 for more info or email tgeorge@aamjiwnaang.ca

IMPROVE YOUR Computer Skills



Click, Learn, Connect — Start Your Digital Journey Today!
 Designed for ADULTS aged 18+ years of age

Computer skills drop-in support will be taking a break for the months of July and August 2026.

Will resume in September 2026.

Chi-miigwech to community members who used this service. See you in the fall time!

Contact Judith for information: 519-336-8410 ext: 212 or jbeauchamp@aamjiwnaang.ca

COME LEARN THESE SKILLS & MORE

- Computer Operations
- Email & Other Communication Programs
- Navigating Internet & Social Media

Get SET Skills, Education and Training

Canada ONTARIO Ontario

Summer Snack Program

GRADES JK-12

Upcoming Dates

July 8, 2026
 August 12, 2026
 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

OPEN TO AAMJIWNAANG CHILDREN AND/OR CHILDREN OF AAMJIWNAANG PARENTS

Child & Family Services Building
 974 Tashmoo Ave

Aamjiwnaang Lands Department

Estate Mondays

Managing estates on Reserve can be overwhelming. If your family is taking care of estate matters and is unsure how to proceed, we can help to navigate the next steps.

If you are the Executor or Administrator of an Estate and are interested in learning the next steps to:

- Apply for the Approval of Will
- Transfer land out of the Estate

If there is no Administrator in place, we can help with:

- Application to Administer

We will be available every Monday morning in July to assist, see details below:

Contact us with questions, or to book an appointment:

519-336-8410

Danielle: ext. 291

Mariah: ext. 290



July 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th



8:30am - 12:00pm



Maa'w'n Doosh Gumig

Community Booklets for Shelter-in-Place and Evacuation Policy

What is the Community booklet:

The booklet was created to give community members the information they need if a shelter-in-place or evacuation is issued for either a particular zone, or the entire community. The front page identifies your **ZONE**. It also contains critical information for emergencies affecting Aamjiwnaang.

Why is the booklet needed:

The booklet provides essential information for what you need to do in the event of a shelter-in-place or evacuation order is issued. The booklet also provides details about what you need to do if shelter-in-place or evacuation order is issued. Any such order will be issued using the **Aamjiwnaang Notification System**. If you are not registered for the notification system, please contact Norman Joseph at (519) 336-8410 Ext. 243, (519) 918-5416 or njoseph@aamjiwnaang.ca

How the Community booklet came about:

It was recognized by the Aamjiwnaang Emergency Control Group and Chief & Council that community members need information for shelter-in-place and evacuation procedures as noted in the Emergency Response Plan.

NOTE

Please keep your booklet in a safe place that is accessible in an emergency, so that you may reference it if a Shelter in Place or Evacuation has been issued. It is recommended that the information contained in the booklet be reviewed by everyone in your household.

The safety and well-being of community members during an emergency is everyone's responsibility.

FIRST AID

CLINICAL SERVICES

"Caring For Your Health"

STARTING JUNE 3RD AND
EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 1PM TO 3PM

AT

ZHAWENISHINAAM

"THE BLUE BUILDING DROP-IN"

519-336-8410 EXT. 211

SERVICES INCLUDE:

- BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS
- FOOT EXAMINATIONS
- BASIC FIRST AID
- SEXUAL HEALTH PROMOTION



FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

MELISSA OR MIKEESHA

AT 519-332-6770 EXT. 308 OR 309



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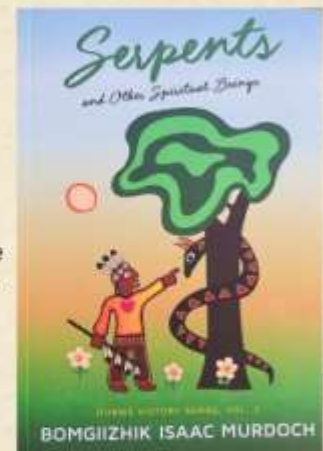
Lets all read together

Short stories of:

- Serpents
- Offerings
- Treaties
- Star People

Read book at home to come discuss and share your thoughts/opinions of the book!

Pick up your book
between July 6-10th



Meet Monday
July 20th and 27th
12pm-lunch





Dago Maajigoog Binoojinyag Mskoomin Giizis-Raspberry Moon



Sunday - Name Giizhigad	Monday - Shkintam Giizhigad	Tuesday -Niizho Giizhigad	Wednesday - Nswi Giizhigad	Thursday - Nliwo Giizhigad	Friday - Naano Giizhigad	Saturday - Ngodwaaswi Giizhigad
			1 Closed	2 Play Group 10am-12pm	3	4 
5 Sign up required please →	6 Mskoomin giizis craft 10am-12pm Esbikenh pirate fun 430pm-630pm	7 Sun & Water Safety With Heather 1pm-3pm	8 Esbikenh Dinosaurs Activity 430pm-630pm Sign up required please	9 Summer Safety Event See flyer for details 10am-2pm	10	
12	13	No programming all week →			17	18
19 Sign up required please →	20 Medicine walk with Sylvia in stone point & Picnic 11am-1pm	21 Infant massage Invite only	22 Tye Dye Activity Bring your own T-shirt 430pm-630pm	23 Scavenger hunt 10am-12pm	24	25 
26	27 Kids in the kitchen 430-630pm	28 Infant massage Invite only	29 Splash Pad (Community Center) 10am-12pm	30 Grocery Giveaway 3pm	31	

Transportation is available call or text Paula 226-349-2427

WILLIE'S ADVENTURES



Philadelphia Phillies vs Detroit Tigers

\$190 C & \$140 US PP

Sat July 11th at 6:10pm

Badder Coach Bus, Terrace Seat Ticket (Sec 140-141, 3rd base side), Bus leaves Foodland Corunna at 1:30 pm SHARP, Food Basic's Sarnia at 2:00 pm SHARP. Point Edward Arena at 2:30 pm. Stopping at Meijers Marysville Mich. After customs. Only soft-sided coolers are allowed. Ticket's available from New Willie's Adventures at 519-384-1957 or willie@cogeco.ca



B Badder



LA Dodgers vs Detroit Tigers

\$170 C & \$130 US PP

Sat August 29th @ 1:10 PM

Badder Coach Bus, Ticket (Sec. 150 Right Field), Bus leaves Foodland Corunna at 8:30am SHARP, Food Basic's Sarnia at 9:00am SHARP. Point Edward Arena at 9:30am. Only soft-sided coolers are allowed. Ticket's available from New Willie's Adventures at 519-384-1957 or willie@cogeco.ca



B Badder

TRIP TO PIGEON FORGE/GATLINBERG

&

GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK



OCTOBER 20 – 25 / 2026

Trip includes Badder Coach Bus, 5 Nights at Econo Lodge Riverside, Pigeon Forge, Breakfasts and Dinners each day. Dinner and Show at Hatfield and McCoy's, Dolly Parton's Pirate Adventure Dinner Show, Micro Midget Wrestling and Comedy Barn Theater. Dinner at Carino's and Applewood Farmhouse Restaurant. Guided Tour of the Ole Smokey Mountains with a Free Tasting at the Ole Smokey Moonshine. Shopping in Gatlinburg and at the Outlet Shopping Mall. Also Dollywood for the Harvest and Lumi Nights Festivals and \$40 Meal Card - Cash Back Provided. Meal going and coming at the Golden Corral. Also some Free Time to do your own exploring of Pigeon Forge. **And a stop on our return at Buc-ee's.**

2 in a room - \$1570.00 US Per Person

3 in a room - \$1420.00 US Per Person

4 in a room - \$1340.00 US Per Person

Coach Bus leaves Foodland Corunna at 5:00 am, Food Basic's Sarnia at 5:30 am and Point Edward Arena at 6:00 am. \$200 US Non-Refundable deposit secures your spot with remainder due September 1st, 2026. Contact New Willie's Adventures at 519-384-1957 or willie@cogeco.ca

SHOPPING AT SHIPSHAWANA & SHOW
And LANSING MICHIGAN MALL



November 16-18, 2026

Includes: Badder Coach Bus, 2 - Nights at the Van Buren Hotel, Shipshewana - 2 Queen Beds, Breakfast each Morning - Shopping in Shipshewana and Lansing Michigan and Dinner and Show at the Blue Gate Theater featuring "THE GATLIN BROTHERS" - 2 people in a room per person \$450, 3 people in a room per person \$410, and 4 to a room in a room per person \$395. All prices in American Funds. Bus will pick-up in Foodland Corunna at 7:00 am SHARP and Food Basics Sarnia at 8:00 am SHARP and Point Edward Arena at 8:30am SHARP. Contact New Willie's Adventures - 519-384-1957 or willie@cogeco.ca

\$100 US secures your spot with balance due Oct. 5th, 2026



B Badder



WEEDWHIPPING & GARDEN CLEANUP

CALL KYLE 226 279 2131

 *The Lighthouse Ministry*

16 All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness,
17 that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.
II Timothy 3:16-17 NKJV



MID-WEEK SERVICE

TIME IN THE PRESENCE OF THE LORD

6:00 PM **123 MANESS COURT, AAMJIWNAANG SARNIA, ON 226-886-3812**

Lead Musician
Lee Font

Teachers
Craig & Bonnie McFarlane

Lead Pastor
Crystal Dowling

Assistant Minister
Karen Taylor

 **The Lighthouse Ministry**

Sunday SERVICE

2:00 pm

All Are Welcome

Make a joyful shout to the Lord, all you lands!
Serve the Lord with gladness; Come before His presence with singing
Psalms 100:1-2 NKJV

Lead Pastor
Crystal Dowling

Lead Musician
Lee Font

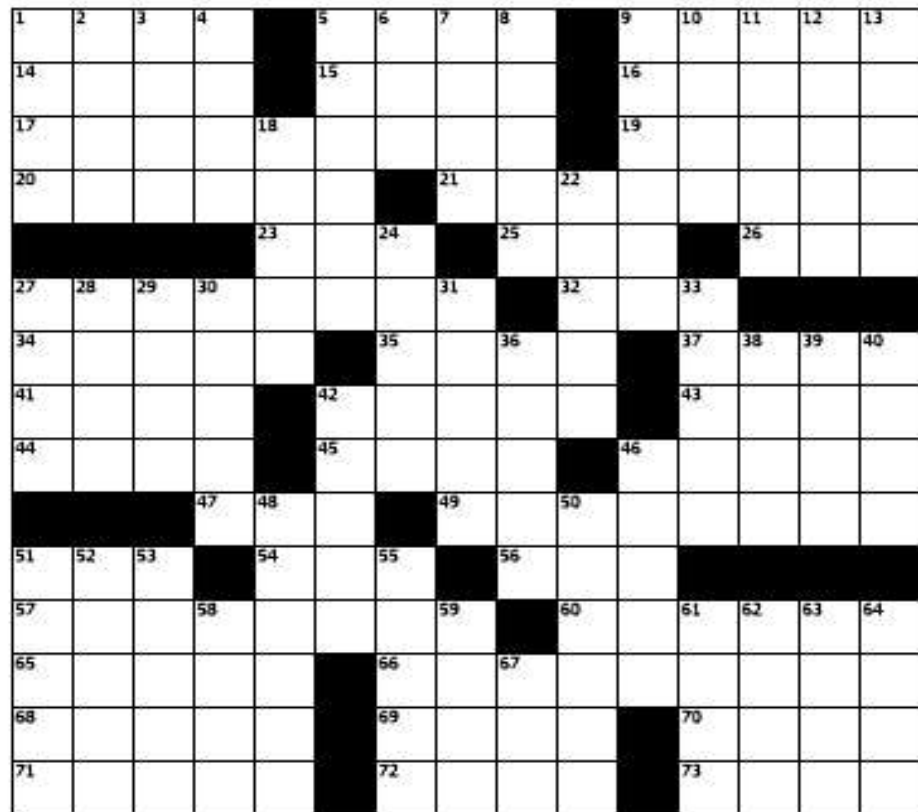
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Crossword puzzle

Across

1. Wild party
5. Twine
9. Distribute
14. Vex
15. Diva's specialty
16. Tranquility
17. Embellishment
19. Macaroni, e.g.
20. Graduate's reward
21. AWOL soldier
23. Retiree's acct.
25. Depot (abbr.)
26. Piggery
27. Representative
32. Right you ____!
34. From Dublin
35. Just
37. Shoe fastener
41. Moving vehicles
42. Female singers
43. Unwritten
44. Out of port
45. Singer ____ Campbell
46. Uncovers
47. Favorable vote
49. Produce again
51. Domestic animal
54. Disencumber
56. Tattered cloth
57. Thinker
60. Pay hikes
65. Annoyed
66. Possible
68. Brother's daughter
69. Double-reed instrument
70. Bible book
71. Portable shelters
72. Adolescent
73. Dissolve



Down

1. Small nail
2. Helper
3. Walk heavily
4. Frau's spouse
5. Photographer's need
6. Mineral source
7. Orange skin
8. Palm fruits
9. Show up
10. Shakespearean King
11. Continues
12. Eight musicians
13. Weepy
18. Horse's comment
22. Remains behind
24. Lagoon's boundary
27. Aria singer
28. Distinct times
29. Fishing string
30. School assignment
31. Join in
33. Wed secretly
36. Recluse
38. Neighborhood
39. Is unable
40. Differently
42. Once more
46. Kidney, e.g.
48. Eats away
50. Lurch
51. Publish
52. Mysterious
53. Captured
55. Bus station
58. Religious group
59. Judge's garment
61. Gossip bit
62. Small or large, e.g.
63. English nobleman
64. Bed support
67. Sock end

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.sfnson.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.nopeekwe.ca/

Southern First Nation Secretariat,

www.sfnson.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/enq/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)

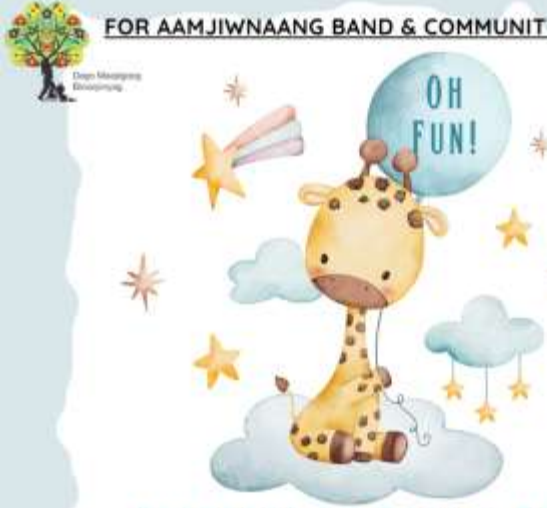
Email: InfoPubs@aadnc-aandc-gc.ca

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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
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CHECK OUT OUR FACEBOOK GROUP: AAMJIWNAANG
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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

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

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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 your 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:

Monday August 10th, 2026

Your information is due by:

Tuesday August 4th 2026 at 12:00pm

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



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.

Youth, Adult & Seniors Recreation Funds

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.

Youth up to the age of 25 years can fill out an application with the maximum funding being **\$800/CA per fiscal year**.

Seniors who have reached the age of 60 years (and above) can fill out an application with the maximum funding being **\$800/CA per fiscal year**.

Adults between the age of 26 and 59 years can fill out an application with the maximum funding being **\$300/CA per fiscal year**.

These maximums will take into consideration LNHL reimbursement and any other recreational funding

This is a reimbursement program so receipts must be submitted with your applications. Deadline to submit applications is Thursday @ noon

Applications can be picked up at the Community Centre or Band Office. For more information please contact the Community Centre – 519-491-2160

Seniors, Adult and Youth applications are to be submitted by Thursday at noon

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The deadline for submissions is **Wednesday, July 29th, 2026**
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Please submit your documents in **Word, Excel, or Publisher** formats or info can be hand written; **jpeg** for pictures.

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