### Your Oneida Nation Connection



# **GTC Meeting CANCELED** 48th Annual Pow Wow Returns

By Garth Webster Reporter-Senior Photographer

With a weekend of perfect weather, a total of 6 drums and 274 dancers shared song & dance at this year's July 4th Pow-Wow, dazzling the crowd. Past attendance levels averaged just under 7,000 and this year's attendance was a new record of 9,500. New features at this year's event were a hit. including bleacher seating, and a large LED screen increasing visibility of the dance arena. Fireworks and dance specials were graciously donated by Cliff and Tammy Webster. The Pow-Wow Council has a list of improvements for handling the increased crowds. Next year, the council will be seeking your volunteer help to make a great event even better.

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Saturday afternoon grand entry.

Photo Courtesy Garth Webster

## **Oneida children come home from Carlisle**



Photo courtesy of the Carlisle Indian School Digital Resource Center This photo from about 1900 shows pupils at the Carlisle Indian Industrial School in Pennsylvania.

### By Oneida Government Administration Office

The July 4 holiday weekend signaled not only the return of the first inperson Oneida Nation Pow Wow since 2019, but the return of two more Oneida Nation children who attended Carlisle Indian Industrial School during the late 19th century.

The Office of Army Cemeteries returned

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### FEATURE

Happy 71st Birthday Charlie Hill

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JOHN ARCHIQUETTE

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## FEATURE

## Happy Belated Birthday Charlie!



Photo Courtly: https://www.google.com/doodles/charlie-hills-71st-birthday

Groundbreaking Oneida comedian Charlie Hill received a salute on Google Wednesday July 6, 2022 on what would have been his 71st birthday. Hill was featured in the illustration, or "doodle," on Google's landing page.

#### By Garth Webster Reporter-Senior Photographer

The late Charlie Hill would have turned 71 on July 6, 2022. His career left quite the impact on the world of entertainment and thus, spiritually, the Indigenous community, and the world, marks July 6 not only as Hill's birthday, but also as a day of remembrance. This most recent birth date was made extra special by Google, who commissioned Alanah Astehtsi Otsistohkwa (Morningstar) Jewell, a French-First Nations artist from Oneida Nation-Thames, to create a Google Doodle, featuring Hill's likeness on Google's home page. Hill aspired to be a comedian from a very young age and achieved this goal by appearing on several national shows such as The Richard Pryor Show, The Tonight Show with Jay Leno and Late

Night with David Letterman, proving that laughter really is the best medicine. Thank you Charlie and Happy 71st Birthday!





#### By Michelle Danforth-Anderson Marketing & Tourism Director

On July 6, 2022 a site survey was completed at the Amelia Cornelius Culture Park by Oneida Engineering Services. The survey includes the grounds and maintenance area to the end of Finger Lake. Next, the site will have soil boring testing which will lead into the start of the design phase for the \$2.6M TCSF obligation to enhance the park area. Stay tuned for more project updates around the rez as they happen.

## **Oneida Veterans Memorial Restoration**

#### By Colton Doyen Big Bear Media

The Oneida Veterans Memorial, located at the corner of Hwy. 54 and Pleasant Lane, was created 15 years ago. Since then, the elements have taken their toll and thus, it's time for some refurbishing. On July 6, Cynthia Sweetland, owner of Surroundings by Sweetland, LLC, will utilize her company's 30 years of experience to begin phase 1 of the memorial's restoration.

Their work will include cleaning and

resealing cracks, as well as repainting the wampum belt design. Also, the current design does not allow for proper water drainage and thus, "roof-capping," made with special molds by concrete specialist, Kevin Smith, will be added to divert rain away from the sides of the wall. To enhance the wall even further, a light-trough, built into the roof-capping, will help to illuminate the wall.

Smith feels a personal attachment to this project as he explains, "The Memorial is a really significant piece of historical information. Most people forget the value of what the Oneidas did for all of the wars. They have been fighting for this country as long as it's been around – and longer. It's a nice memorial and I think it's nice that they're fixing it up and trying to maintain it. I think this whole park area can be significant."

Smith expects phase 1 of the restoration will be completed in about two to three weeks, whereas the rest is anticipated to take about 1 month.



### **Powless Stingle is the Champ!**



**By Garth Webster** *Reporter-Senior Photographer* 

Gavin (Powless) Stingle, Oneida Member, coached by Billy Pocan, trains at the Soaring Eagles Boxing Club in Oneida, WI, competed in the 165lb novice weight class in the Wisconsin Golden Gloves boxing competition in Madison July 8-10, 2022. He won the championship by knocking out his opponent in the first round. Congratulations on your victory, Gavin!



July 19 Semi-Annual GTC Meeting Canceled



Lisa Liggins Tribal Secretary

With guidance from the Oneida Nation Public Health Officer and Oneida Nation health professionals, the Oneida Business Committee took emergency action on Friday, July 15 to cancel the July 19 semi-annual General Tribal Council meeting.

Effective Friday, July 15, Brown County has been elevated from the low to medium category. Numerous Counties in the Milwaukee area were also elevated into the medium and high categories. The health and safety of our community will continue to be a priority. With elevated COVID-19 Community Levels, indoor gatherings put the well-being of our community at risk.

The Virtual GTC Meeting Sub-Committee has been directed to bring back a recommendation on steps needed to proceed with a virtual GTC meeting to the July 27 OBC meeting.

More information will be provided soon. For the most up-to-date Oneida Nation news, please follow our social media pages along with visiting www. oneida-nsn.gov.

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the remains of Paul Wheelock, just 10-months-old when he passed, and Frank Green, 15, to Oneida on Sunday, July 3, 2022. Wheelock, the son of Carlisle band director Dennison Wheelock and his Chippewa wife Louise, is believed to have succumbed to tuberculosis. Green, son of James Green of Oneida, is believed to have died in an accident while on the run from Carlisle. The return of Wheelock and Green, along with Jemima Metoxen, Sophia Coulon, and Ophelia Powless in 2019, is helping to provide descendants and the Oneida community a sense of closure.

More than 10,000 children from 140 First Nations attended Carlisle between 1879-1918. As was the case with the more than 350 other government-funded boarding schools in the United States, virtually all forms of communication were cut off between the children and their families. Letters from parents were left unsent, and parents weren't notified in a timely fashion if their children died.

The Oneida Nation paid homage to Green and Wheelock, and their descendants Saturday afternoon, July 2, during the Pow Wow. A memorial service was also held at the Church of the Holy Apostles Sunday, July 3, which included the hymnal singers and a drive-through community meal.

While gathering information for

this story, the Kalihwisaks had the opportunity of speaking with Cara Artman, who lives with her mother in St. Louis, MO. Artman was invited, along with Loretta Webster, Artman's aunt, to travel to Carlisle, PA for the disinterment ceremonies for Paul Wheelock, her 3rd cousin. Artman describes how much of an honor this was.

### Artman's Experience at Carlisle Disinterment Ceremony

As an Indigenous individual, you can probably assume you have a relative who experienced boarding school, either by force or choice. But it's not every day you're asked to be present at the disinterment of a family member who died at school. Thus, when the opportunity came to go to Carlisle, PA, there was no question, we were going. It may seem odd to travel all that way for a family member I never knew existed, but it was something much larger.

As the granddaughter and greatgranddaughter of Carlisle attendees, it was a chance to get an up close and personal view of our ancestor's time there. We saw the train tracks and heard the train that brought the students to Carlisle and that many, including my grandfather, Walter House, used to run away from Carlisle. We were able to walk the parade grounds that the children had to report to for daily



Center with sunglasses, Mary Jane Doxtator and on right, Mike King (traditional dancer), stand with other descendants of the family of Frank Green during the 48th Annual Oneida Nation Pow Wow, 2022.

roll call. During the tour, our guide took our photo in front of the Pratt House, the same place those (in)famous boarding school photos were taken. We were able to see the girl's dorm, where I imagined my grandmother Pearl Archiquette House lived as she excelled at Carlisle.

As a whole, the history of Carlisle and Indian Boarding Schools is tragic and a dark chapter of history. However, I grew up with two versions of boarding school life. My grandfather ran away from many schools until he found out from a friend his mother (Celicia Wheelock House) died and he returned home permanently and went to work. He was never able to share stories from that time of his life. My grandmother, who strived to do her best, completed her education at Carlisle, went on to Haskell for college and earned a Master's Degree at the University of Kansas. I am told my grandmother always instilled a love of education in her 10 children. She set the example by not focusing on the problems, but by overcoming obstacles and bettering herself and doing the best for those around her. Because of this lesson, to be educated but not hostile. we were able to travel to Carlisle with no animosity. I am so grateful to be able to do that because those involved with the disinterment could not have been more respectful to us and the deceased.

Today, the Carlisle Indian Industrial School is the Carlisle Barracks. We worked with the best of the best from the U.S. Army, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Office of Army Cemeteries and a team of expert scientists. They guided us every step of the way up to and throughout our visit. A team from Arlington National Cemetery performed the disinterment. Throughout the process we were

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notified when they reached a new level and we were invited to the grave. They would halt work until we gave our okay to proceed. We were there to receive our cousin, Paul Wheelock, a 10-month old baby. The team warned us that after 122 years, there may not be much left. They were correct and the lead forensic scientist went over everything that was discovered.

If at any point we wanted to incorporate any tribal rituals, we could have. We never did anything elaborate but at the end we put tobacco in the empty grave as a thank you to Mother Earth for taking care of Baby Paul. The transfer ceremony was on the final day and the high level of regard and duty were on full display. As the family, we helped plan the ceremony and chose to keep it simple. Paul's coffin was there as the family entered, the rest of the team followed. Once seated, my aunt, Loretta Webster, stood and expressed the family's appreciation and gratitude for the work everyone did to allow Paul to go to his ancestral homeland. Then, the Executive Director of the Office of



June 2022--Carlisle, Cara and Carol Artman and Loretta Webster in front Pratt's home on parade grounds.

Army Cemeteries presented Loretta with an American flag and Arlington Cemetery coin. This presentation was extra special because the Executive Director, Mrs. KDA, is the civilian equivalent of a three-star general and traveled up from Washington D.C. specifically for the ceremony. After that, the family was given alone-time with Paul before he was carried out by members of the team, who served as pallbearers, to a waiting hearse before being flown to Wisconsin.

Afterwards when giving individual

thanks to the team, every one of them thanked us for being there. Many added that there is nowhere else they would rather be and they were honored to be a part of the process. We cannot speak highly enough of everyone involved. I know going there educated but openminded allowed us to be open to the respect and warmth everyone showed us. For us, it was an honor to be included and a privilege to have this opportunity.

> Cover photo from Carlisle Indian School Digital Resource Center carlisleindian.dickinson.edu



June 2022-Carlisle, transfer ceremony of Paul Wheelock, Loretta Webster receiving flag from Ms. Karen Durham-Aguilera, Executive Director, Office of Army Cemeteries.



June 2022-Carlisle, the team who helped disinter Paul Wheelock, (L-R) Renea Yates, Mark Gilfillan, Karen Durham-Aguilera, Carol Artman, Loretta Webster, Dr. Liz DiGangi, Cara Artman and Army Personnel



June 2022-Carlisle, archaelogists work to disinter Paul Wheelock

### Miss and Jr. Miss Oneida introduction to the community



#### By Alexis Madrid Miss Oneida 2022

Shekoli Swakweku Ye<sup>9</sup>niku·lale niyukyats wakenátha niwakitalota oná yoteaka niwakuhutsyota. Hello everyone my name is Ye?niku·lale which, which translates to "she takes care and she is careful." My English name is Alexis Madrid. I'm a member of the turtle clan and the people of the standing stone is the land and earth that I come from. I'm 24 years young. My parents are Robert & Wendy Madrid. My grandparents are the late Myron & Marlene Skenandore and the late Patsy Madrid & Kate Stevens. My platform is to end the use of Native American mascots. I'm currently working as an Emergency Dispatcher. I'm super excited to take on this role as an ambassador for my tribe! Also, to show and be a great leader and mentor to all the little ladies and gents! I am your Miss Oneida 2022-2023 yawańko

#### By Marissa Van Dyke Jr. Miss Oneida 2022

My name is yakolu<sup>9</sup>yakwl which, translates to "she takes up the sky." My English name is Marissa Van Dyke. I am part of the wolf clan. This fall I'm going to be a senior at Green Bay Southwest high school. My platform is mental health awareness. Many teens nowadays have to deal with a lot of stress that comes from school, working, sports, family, and other things. The exhaustion of having an eight hour school day, then having practice for another two hours or having to work right after school and then when you get home having homework or making time for family it becomes a long day. Having outlets to destress or to relax is important for having a healthy lifestyle. Having a person to talk to like a counselor, friend, or family about what is happening and not bottling up emotions is a big part of releasing stress. Being Jr. Miss Oneida

has added stress, but it has allowed me to do things and develop skills that I wouldn't have before. Being able to introduce myself after every grand entry of the Oneida powwow has allowed me to develop my public speaking skills. Being at the powwow has also shown me the impact that I do have on the community especially with the younger generations. Having young kids wave and come up to me all excited to meet me warmed my heart and showed me that I am a role model and someone that they look up to. I'm excited for what the rest of the year will look like being Jr. Miss Oneida. Yawáko

## Virtual Longhouse: Extending the Rafters

### By Norbert Hill Jr.

To the Haudenosaunee, "Extending the rafters" means adding to the Longhouse in a sustainable way to make room for new families and adopted individuals. Today, Oneida citizens and descendants are seeking cultural connection. To enable this, the Virtual Longhouse is a concept that could be a starting point to strengthen this connection, regardless of where you live.

Imagine the opportunity-cultural

renewal, relationship revitalization, and belonging. In fact, at it's core, this is the basis of this concept, a place where everyone belongs. Other benefits would be:

- Enhanced understanding of both the Great Law and the Creation Story
- Identification of clans and adoption
- An honor code of conduct

A thousand ideas will need to be ironed out, including incentives-management and key metrics. Another would include how to integrate this into the Oneida school system. No more cultural orphans.

To get started, our collective minds must come together to advance this notion. Immediately, two teams would be needed. One, a content management team who are intricately knowledgeable about our culture and two, a technical team to develop the virtual platform. Remember, the Longhouse is both a noun and a verb. Again, this concept could be a starting point in the struggle for a solution to create cultural connectedness. Stay tuned.

## HISTORICAL

## John Archiquette — Happenings in Oneida

## **Journal Entry**

Source: John Archiquette Collection; Yale University WA MSS S-2662 Letter to the Indian Agent:

Oneida,Wisconsin Nov. 12, 1888 Thomas Jennings Esq. U.S. Indian Agent Keshena, WI Sir,

In reply to your letter of 22nd Oct. directing me to ascertain the facts concerning the matter stated in the enclosed letter of Sabrina Smith. I would respectfully state that Baptist Smith the husband of Sabrina Smith made a clearing in 1866 and fenced in about five or six acres. He lived on the place with his family until about the year 1870 when he sold it to Henry Cornelius for something over about hundred dollars, Smith says. He says Cornelius paid him a horse on account, and says the horse is all that he ever got for the farm. When Smith got the horse, he moved away from the reservation and stayed away until about two years ago when he came back to live. Henry Cornelius died in 1873.

On the other side I inquired of Henry Cornelius' brother, as to the facts about this matter. He says Henry Cornelius, was keeping a store in De Pere at the time he bought that land, and smith was running up an account there and taking the balance due him for the land in groceries. He says he himself furnished the horse that was given to Smith, and that it was a 4-year-old horse and good,t and that he thinks Henry Cornelius paid him up in full without doubt.

When Henry Cornelius died, his property went to Jacob Cornelius, his father in 1870 or 1871 when the forest fires burnt up all the fence and the house, then the bushes began to grow up all over the land except on a small

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piece of meadow. Jacob Cornelius said he would sell it very cheap or give it away. His grand daughter's husband paid him \$2 for it, and the balance of the value in the land Jacob Cornelius gave to his granddaughter. David Webster the husband of his granddaughter, has been on the place about two years, and has cleared it up again, built same fence, and a house. Smith put in no claim to the place until he saw the clearing made and the house and stable built.

Cornelius never raised a crop there, and has really never received anything for the horse accept the \$2 that David Webster paid. Jacob Cornelius died in 1887.

There is no one except Baptist Smith, that I can find who knows anything about the bargain and he is a man that I would not believe under any circumstances.

Yours Respectfully J Archiquette Captain U.S. Police



Oneida Museum photo Jacob and Nancy Cornelius

## NOTICE

## A Message to the Membership

### **By Chris Cornelius,** Oneida Land Commision Chairwoman

Page 31 of the July 19 GTC packet contains a motion to dissolve the Oneida Land Claims Commission on the basis that the Cultural Heritage Department would take over the OLCC's responsibilities. Originally, on August 28, 1986, John Powless, among others, proposed the creation of our Commission which of course, eventually came to fruition. From this point, our mission was and remains, "To ensure Oneida Tribal Community input, participation, and support in negotiating a settlement of

the Oneida Land Claims in the state of New York." We feel that we are uniquely positioned to do so because we are elected officials, and thus, we have been electorily tasked by the GTC, apart from an employee based Cultural Heritage Department, to fulfill this responsibility. Despite the cancellation of the July 19 GTC, the OLCC encourages the membership to make a motion to table dissolving the Land Claims Commission until all land claims have been successfully resolved by Congress, the Courts, or other means. Our reason for this recommendation is based on two points:

- The original creation documents state that only the GTC can dissolve the OLCC.
- Dissolving the OLCC could be setting a negative legal precedent by making it appear to the opposition that we are relinquishing our land claim rights.

Respectfully, the OLCC requests your support to further discuss this motion.

### STATE OF WISCONSIN

NOTICE OF REPLEVIN CIRCUIT COURT Case Code 31003 Case No. 22-SC-250

**ONEIDA COUNTY** 

### To: JOEY E. POWLESS

You are hereby notified that a summons and complaint has been issued to recover possession of the following described goods and chattels, to wit: 2011 LAND ROVER RANGE ROVER – VIN: SALSH2E4XBA268150 of which I, the plaintiff am entitled to the possession, and which you have unjustly taken and unlawfully detain from me.

NOW, THEREFORE, unless you shall appear in the Circuit Court of Oneida County, located in the Oneida County Courthouse, One Courthouse Square in the City of Rhinelander, State of Wisconsin, on August 10, 2022 at 10:00 A.M. before the calendar judge or any other judge of said court to whom the said action may be assigned for trial, judgment will be rendered against you for the delivery of said property to the plaintiff and for damages for the detention thereof and for costs.

Dated at Milwaukee, WI this 15th day of July, 2022.

ALLY CAPITAL CORP. d/b/a ALLY BANK Plaintiff

By: ZACHARY L. ENSTROM, Attorney State Bar# 1102478 839 N. Jefferson St., #200 Milwaukee, WI 53202 Tele: 414-271-9556 PO No.: 10080.03

## LOCAL EVENT



TO CELEBRATE OUR 20TH ANNIVERSARY, the Oneida Farmers Market will be giving away tone 10-pound box of delicious **Oneida Black Angus** hamburgers at the end of **EVERY** 2022 Farmers Market for **FREE!** 

### **HOW DO I ENTER:**

• Come to the Farmers Market and check in at our vendor booth. There will be a chalk board sign set up there.

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- Fill in your name and phone number (select call or text).
- At 6pm (weather permitting) we will pick a name and contact the winner.
- If you do not answer, you will be given 10 minutes to return the call to this number: 920-819-1933. After that, we will pick again for a different winner.
- You may pick up your 10-pound box of hamburgers at the Oneida Farmers Market the following week.

NOTE: Only 1 entry per person at each Market. Need NOT be present to win. Must be 18 or older to qualify.



# COMBATING VETERAN SUICIDE

Join the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs for a mental health and suicide prevention forum involving *Question, Persuade, Refer (QPR)* suicide prevention training and discussions on tribal veteran needs and substance use.

AUGUST 11, 2022 TRIBAL VETERANS RADISSON HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER 2040 AIRPORT DR., GREEN BAY, WI

REGISTER AT <u>bit.ly/WDVA\_Tribal</u>

















## POW WOW





Hats off to the staff and volunteers who worked tirelessly to make the 48th Annual Oneida Pow Wow a success.















## LOCAL EVENTS

# Community FOCUS GROUPS

We Need Your Voice!



We are looking for Oneida Community Members (18+) to participate in focus groups and discuss areas of health for the next 5 year Community Health Improvement Plan.

Please call Oneida Community Health at 920-869-4840 if you are interested in participating!

>>>> Participants will be given a thank you gift for their time!

## Ninham Honored at Pow-Wow



**By Garth Webster** Reporter-Senior Photographer

This is a follow up regarding the April, 2022 Kalihwisaks article about former VFW Post 7784 Commander, Cletus Ninham, and the positive legacy he built with local veterans affairs during his career. During this year's 48th Annual Pow wow, Ninham received a Grateful Nations Pendleton blanket. This blanket was created to recognize the brave men and women who have defended our freedom throughout history. Ninham also received a shadow box, which proudly displays his military accolades. Thank you for your service, Cletus.



Wed., July 27, 2022 • 5-9 pm
\$35 Non-refundable Deposit
Oneida Big Bear Media
2701 W. Mason St. • Green Bay, WI 54303

Space available for 8 Guild Members and 7 Community Members. (numbers and inclusion subject to change)



Community Members please contact Tyanne Peebles (920) 471-2816. Guild Members see Michelle Daurte for Sign up sheet with your deposit.



## **Neilson Powless Continues His Pro Cycling Dream**

### By Garth Webster

### Reporter-Senior Photographer

Britannica.com describes the Tour de France as the world's most prestigious and difficult bicycle race, which is staged for three weeks each July, usually in 21 stages. This year's race comprises 22 professional teams of eight riders each and covers about 2,068 miles of flat and mountainous country, mainly in France, with occasional and brief visits to Denmark, Belgium and Switzerland. Each stage of the race is timed, and the rider with the lowest aggregate time for all stages is the winner.

Oneida's very own Neilson Powless is the first Indigenous individual to compete in the Tour de France as part of the EF Education-EasyPost professional cycling team. Powless grew up in in northern California competing in triathlons but eventually turned his focus to cycling. He comes from a sporting family. His mother ran the marathon in the 1992 Olympics. His father, Jack, was in the Air force and raced ironmans with great success and his sister, Shayna, is also excelling in professional cycling as a member of the US National Team.

In a recent Sacramento Bee story by journalist, Chris Biderman, he wrote of the 25 year old Powless that this time last year, Powless was tasked with helping his teammates in the Tour de France by putting pressure on the other riders in an attempt to exhaust them with pace. Biderman went on to explain how this year, though, the Roseville High School Graduate (Roseville, CA) is racing like the top rider on his team.

At press time, after the completion of Stage 12 on Thursday, July 14, Jonas Vingegard is the current leader, donning the famous yellow jersey worn by the leader. Powless is in 20th place, about 28 minutes, 10 seconds behind. 1,093 miles are in the books with about 975 more to go. Go Neilson! You got this.



## ONEIDA FAMILY COURT ORIGINAL HEARING BODY NOTICE OF HEARING



Inquiries for pleadings and/or additional information may be directed to: Clerk of Court • Oneida Family Court • P.O. Box 19 • Oneida, WI 54155 • (920) 496-7200

### CASE #14PA176, ONCSA and ERICKA K. KONKOL v. FORREST C. BARTON

A diligent attempt was made to notify the above Respondent of a Motion for Modification of Legal Custody and/ or Physical Placement filed by Petitioner. A hearing shall take place on **Thursday, August 18, 2022 at 1:30 pm** in the above captioned case at the **Oneida Family Court office located at 2630 West Mason Street, Green Bay, WI 54303**. **Please call (920) 496-7200 with any questions**. *First published notice: 7/15/22* 

# DOCKET Case Number 20PA013, Oneida Nation Child Support Agency and Petitioner LISA L. MILLER v. Respondent MAURICE S. WILSON

A diligent attempt is made to notify the above individuals of an action filed by the Oneida Nation Child Support Agency for a Petition for Paternity. A hearing shall take place on Wednesday, September 28, 2022 at 9:00 am in the above captioned case at the Oneida Family Court; located at 2630 W. Mason St. Green Bay, WI 54303. Failure to appear may result in a default judgment. For Paternity only: If you fail to appear at any stage of the proceedings, including a scheduled genetic test, the Judge may enter a default judgment finding you to be the father of the child(ren). Please call (920) 496-7200 with any questions. Second published notice: 7/15/22 • First published notice: 7/1/22

# DOCKET Case Number 22PA006, Oneida Nation Child Support Agency and Petitioner JASMINE M. JOHN v. Respondent BRANDON REICHERT

A diligent attempt is made to notify the above individuals of an action filed by the Oneida Nation Child Support Agency for a Petition for Paternity. A hearing shall take place on Wednesday, September 28, 2022 at 1:30 pm in the above captioned case at the Oneida Family Court; located at 2630 W. Mason St. Green Bay, WI 54303. Failure to appear may result in a default judgment. For Paternity only: If you fail to appear at any stage of the proceedings, including a scheduled genetic test, the Judge may enter a default judgment finding you to be the father of the child(ren).

Please call (920) 496-7200 with any questions.

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## **OBITUARIES**

### SANDRA CHARNON SEPTEMBER 29, 1936 - JULY 11, 2022



Sandra was born in Racine, Wisconsin on September 29, 1936 to the late Murphy and Pansy Baird of Oneida. She married Donald

Lee Charnon in 1957. She attended Haskell Indian Nations University, and was an Executive Assistant for the Kettle Moraine UniServ Counsel. Prior to this, Sandra worked as administrative support for Lakeshore Technical College.

Sandra loved to travel, and took many of her friends, relatives and family around the United States. Sandra was a free spirit. We recall when she first retired and set off on her own in March to attend Mardi Gras in Louisiana. We didn't see her again until she returned in June just in time for the family vacation at Shawano Lake. Sandra also loved to play card games, for hours, with her friends and grandchildren. However, it was her gift for dance and obsession for music that made her venture around the country to blue grass festivals, live Cajun bands and polka music. She was known to jump on stage with her washboard to lend the band a hand. Sandra was a multiple time winner at Indian Summerfest with first place ribbons in the jigging contest. She loved sports, a most fanatic fan of golf, and always was the number one fan at all of her grandchildren's sporting events.

Sandra is survived by her children, Donald Jr. (Tricia), Michael (Lori), Brian and Wendy; grandchildren, Erin, Lystra, Christa, Jacob, Jesse, Mia, Murphy and Noah; step-grandchildren, Morgan and Mitchell; greatgrandchildren, Ember, Rhema, Ellie and Kai; nieces, Kari Schmitt, Stacy Sullivan; great-grand nephew, Wyatt Gleissner; and many other nieces and nephews. Sandra was preceded in death by her parents, husband Donald, her siblings Donald Baird, Warren Baird, Vivian Zavis, and her niece Wendy Wolf.

The outpouring of love and support during this difficult time has been greatly appreciated.

A celebration of Sandra's life will be held from 10 AM to 12 PM on Saturday, July 16, 2022 at Ryan Funeral Home, 305 N. 10th St., De Pere, WI 54115, with a prayer service to follow. Burial will be at Church of the Holy Apostles Cemetery, Oneida following the service.

The family would like to thank Aurora Home Hospice caregivers for their compassionate care.

A memorial fund will be established in Sandra's name for the Aurora at Home Hospice.

To leave a special message or condolences for Sandra's family, please visit ryanfh.com.

### CAROL A. CORNELIUS FEBRUARY 28, 1939 - JULY 9, 2022



Carol A Cornelius fulfilled her responsibilities and was called back to the creator's land on July 9, 2022 and is now being released of her

responsibilities.

A Daughter: She was born on February 28, 1939 to the late Helen (Norm) Laubenstein-Metoxen and the late Ervin Wheelock.

A Wife: On December 15,1955 she married the late Gerald "Everett" Cornelius at the Holy Apostles Church in Oneida, WI.

A Mother: Carol had 7 children: Margaret (Dennis) Danforth, Neal Cornelius, Vincent Cornelius, Jerry (Vicki) Cornelius, Lawrence "Larry" (Jo Ann) Cornelius, Anthony "Tony" (Kris) Cornelius, Mercie (Bruce) Danforth. A Grandmother: Grandmother of 12 grandchildren: Melinda J. (Nelson) Danforth, Sateko (Tamara) Danforth, Reva (Dawson)Danforth, Dennis Jr. "D.J." (Jessica) Danforth, Gerald (Gina) Danforth, Merissa Danforth, Twyla (Franz) Danforth, Christopher "Buck" (Tierney) Cornelius, Ty (Tanya) Cornelius, Irene Danforth, Bruce Jr. (Daniela) Danforth, Crystal Danforth.

A Great Grandmother: Great Grandmother of 28.

A Great Great Grandmother: Great Great Grandmother of 1.

A Coworker: Carol worked many years at the De Pere Animal Hospital and the Clip and Snip groomers. In 1980 she began working for the Oneida Nation's Accounting Department until her retirement in 2001.

A Singer: Carol started singing with the Oneida Hymn Singers around 1965. After many years of singing she took on the role as Coordinator for the Oneida Hymn Singers. She dedicated herself to the Oneida Hymn Singers as she knew how comforting these songs were to the community.

A Sister: Carol is a Sister to 3 siblings: June (Larry) Schuyler, the Late Ken (Nikki) Wheelock, the Late Ervin "Jay" (Gloria) Wheelock.

A Godmother: A godmother to Caryl Wheelock

A friend/relative: Carol was a friend/ relative (aunt, cousin, sister-in-law) to many, a sweet soul that comforted you when needed.

Friends may gather after 3:00PM on Wednesday, July 13th at Ryan Funeral Home 305 N. Tenth Street, De Pere. Oneida Hymn Singers will sing at 6:00PM followed by a prayer service at 7:00PM led by Vicar Rodger Patience to bring the evening to a close. A private family service will take place Thursday, followed by entombment.

## **OBITUARIES**

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The family would like to say Yawáko (thank you) to everyone that helped take care of mom. We are especially thankful to her granddaughters Twyla and Irene for taking such wonderful care of her around the clock. To her Great Granddaughter, Kaylonni, instead of being a 9 year old kid and enjoying your summer break, you chose to take care of your Dodo and we are truly thankful for that.

In lieu of flowers the family ask to please donate to the Oneida Hymn Singers for a special Hymn project.

### DYLAN ANTHONY DE LA CRUZ January 27, 1984 - July 7, 2022



Dylan Anthony de la Cruz, 38, passed away T h u r s d a y afternoon, July 7, 2022. The son of Humberto and Renee (Lopez) de la Cruz, was born

on January 27, 1984.

In his younger years Dylan grew up in Chicago, IL attending LaSalle Language Academy where he studied German. A member of the Chicago Native American community he developed many lifelong friendships and memories. He enjoyed attending and dancing at Pow-wows as a Grass Dancer, chocolate milk, cars, and spending the night at his grandmother's house.

As a child he could run, ride a bike, and he would often attempt to drive cars before his condition began to impact him. He was born with a rare medical condition that most people might only live to the age of 20, but Dylan far surpassed those expectations. For those that knew Dylan knew that he would always surprise you with a smile on his face and a positive attitude that few have. Dylan is survived by his grandmother Carol Lopez (Metoxen). Aunts Karin Wesaw (Lopez), Sherry King (Lopez), Carla Lopez and Uncle Rick Lopez, siblings, sister Jamie de la Cruz and Cary Pidgeon, brother Jarod Pidgeon, nephews Mashuska Pidgeon, Colton Pidgeon, Xander Christjohn, Apollo Christjohn, Jeffery Morales III, nieces Kanikasa Corbin, Keela de la Cruz, Hodazhamaniwinga Pidgeon, Zhaida Wilbanks, Tierza Morales as well as great nieces and nephews and several other family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his mother Renee de la Cruz, father Humberto de la Cruz, grandfather Richard Lopez, and brother Quentin Valez.

Family and friends may visit at Ryan Funeral Home, 305 N. Tenth Street, De Pere beginning at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 13, 2022. A sharing of stories will begin at noon. Burial will take place at a later date at Assembly of God Cemetery, Oneida.

### MICHAEL SHANE NOLAN October 12, 1980 - July 10, 2022



Michael Shane Nolan, 41, Oneida, passed a w a y unexpectedly on Sunday, July 10, 2022. He was born October 12, 1980, to Karen

### Nolan.

Michael was employed at Oneida Golf and Riding Club. He was an outstanding athlete in high School, but above all was a loving father to his two children.

He is survived by his children; Kiley and Connor, his mother Karen, siblings; Louis (Iris Donan) Guerra, Maria (Sandra Whippler) Guerra, Jacob Jackson, as well as his favorite uncle Bill Gollnick, and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Michael was preceded in death by his Grandma Josephine Metoxen – Nolan.

Friends may call at Ryan Funeral Home 305 N. Tenth Street, De Pere after 10:00AM Friday, July 15th, until time of service at 1:00PM. Burial will follow at Oneida Sacred Burial Grounds.

### JEFFREY M. REED March 7, 1981 - July 6, 2022



July 6, 2022 Jeffrey M. Reed, age 41, of Oneida, WI passed away on July 6, 2022 in Milwaukee WI. Jeffrey was born on March 7, 1981 to Walter Reed and the late

Janice (Adams) Reed in Green Bay. He attended Oneida Tribal School and Beth Haven Academy. He spent most of his life in Oneida, until recently relocating to Milwaukee.

Jeffrey is survived by his father, Walter Reed: aunts and uncles, Robert (Sandra) Reed of Milwaukee, Arthur (Leona) Charles of Oneida, Gord (Jude) Skenadore of Oneida, special cousin Chuck of Milwaukee and many other family and friends. Jeffrey is preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Vincent and Christine Reed, maternal grandmother, Nathalie Adams; aunts and uncles, Emerson and Rachal Reed, George and Shirley Reed, Theresa Reed and Elvira Wishart and numerous family members.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the staff of Froedtert Medical Center of Milwaukee for their care of Jeffrey. In addition gratitude to Ryan Funeral Home for their assistance.



## EVENT NOTICE



# EVENT NOTICE



# **TRYOUTS** Saturday, July 23, 2022 Black River Falls, WI





ATHLETICS: 19U, 16U, 14U Male and Female 10 am - 2 pm

Black River Falls High School. Track & Field. 1200 Pierce St., Black River Falls, WI



BASEBALL: 19U Male 10 am-2 pm

Black River Falls High School. Don Halverson Field 1200 Pierce St., Black River Falls, WI



### GOLF: 19U, 16U Male and Female

Skyline Golf Course (call for tee time)- (715) 284-2613 612 N 11 St., Black River Falls, WI Age 11-13, 9/18 holes \$18 Age 14+, 9 holes \$21 & 18 holes \$29

SOFTBALL: 19U, 16U Female 10 am – 2 pm Red Creek Elementary. Softball Fields 410 Hwy A, Black River Falls, WI





BASKETBALL: 16U, 14U Male and Female 10 am-4 pm District 1 Community Center N7261 Warrior Ave., Black River Falls, WI

**19U Male and Female** 10 am-2 pm Lunda Community Center 405 Hwy 54, Black River Falls, WI



SOCCER: 19U, 16U Female 10 am-2 pm Black River Falls High School Football Field 1200 Pierce St., Black River Falls, WI



SWIMMING: 19U, 16U, 14U Male and Female 10 am-2 pm Black River Falls Middle School Pool 1202 Pierce St., Black River Falls, WI



Black River Falls Middle School Gym 1202 Pierce St., Black River Falls, WI



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## **2022 SPECIAL ELECTION**



## **ELECTION RESULTS**

**ONEIDA ELECTION BOARD** Jermaine Delgado

Jermaine Delgado Ray Skenandore Kalene M. White

ONEIDA GAMING COMMISSION Michelle M. Braaten

ONEIDA

LAND CLAIMS Mike S. King ONEIDA LAND COMMISSION Behacca M. Webster

Rebecca M. Webster Jennifer L. Hill

ONEIDA NATION COMMISSION ON AGING Mary J. Doxtator Carole Liggins

ONEIDA NATION SCHOOL BOARD (Parent Position) No Candidates Filed

ONEIDA NATION SCHOOL BOARD (At-Large Position) Kathe S. Cornelius Sacheen Lawrence

ONEIDA TRUST ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE

> Norbert S. Hill Jr. Jermaine Delgado Kirsten Van Dyke