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Petition process questioned after GTC agenda gets cancelled

By Nate Wisneski

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The General Tribal Council (GTC) took the rare action of deleting the entire agenda during the July 8, 2013 Special GTC meeting.

The agenda featured three petitions surrounding child laws within the Oneida Appeals Commission along with a referendum question asking if tribal members should be allowed to withdraw their custody cases from the Oneida Child Support Program and move them to the County system. The petitions

were submitted to the tribal Secretary's office in February of this year.

The GTC felt the agenda items were already addressed when they took action by adopting the proposed Judiciary Law during the GTC Annual Meeting, Monday, January 7. The Judiciary Law establishes a court system with two branches, the trial court and court of appeals. The new judicial system will start accepting cases November 1, 2014. The amendment to delete the entire agenda was made by Councilman Brandon Stevens.

The move has some asking

for the current GTC petition process to be reviewed.

A GTC meeting can be called by 50 verified voters serving a written notice or by the tribal Chairman.

GTC member Kaylynn Gresham felt petitioners along with the petition process should be examined to make better.

"I just think that we need to start looking for options on how to fix things instead of complaining about what is wrong. I realize that everyone has a story and wants to be heard. Many people are not satisfied with how things are but its difficult to support something when

there are no options of how to fix a problem. I believe that if people leave their personal issues out of it we would get much more accomplished. Had the petitioners come with some sort of potential solutions I believe more people would have been in support of staying at the meeting and listening to possible solutions," said Gresham.

"Perhaps it is time to consider changing the petition process to require more signatures, although that would require that we amend our constitution, the 50 signature requirement was established when the 75

member to create a quorum was established. As a result of the large number of members that now attend the meetings it may be time to consider an increase of the number or required signatures to call a special meeting. If more signatures are required it demonstrates that there are a larger number of members in the community that support an issue. I believe that if the number was increased it would likely alleviate problems in the future so that what occurred last night does not occur again in the future," she added.

Paramilitary-style guards 'going to stay,' mining company vows

Two legislators seek removal of armed security

By Ron Seely

Wisconsin Center for
Investigative Journalism

Despite harsh criticism from two northern legislators and an outcry from anti-mining activists, a spokesman for Gogebic Taconite said Tuesday that armed, paramilitary-style guards will continue to patrol the site deep in the Penokee Range where the company wants to build a large open pit iron mine.

Bob Seitz, a Madison lobbyist representing Gogebic, said the guards are necessary because of a

Photos by Rob Ganson
Guards on the site of the proposed Gogebic Taconite mine in Northwestern Wisconsin's Penokee Range. Gogebic officials hired the armed guards from Bulletproof Security in Arizona and said Tuesday that, despite criticism, the guards will continue patrolling the site.

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confrontation between 15 to 20 protesters and an unknown number of mine workers a month ago.

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From 1A/Mine Guards

“The guards are going to stay,” Seitz said. “We have a responsibility to provide a safe workplace.”

But others say they fear Gogebic Taconite’s hiring of the guards only serves to escalate the already heightened tension over the company’s plan to build a 4 ½-mile-long open pit iron mine in northwestern Wisconsin.

And critics of the company say the guards, especially those wearing tactical gear and armed with semi-automatic weapons, are unnecessary because protesters’ activities have been almost entirely peaceful.

Since the dustup between protesters and mine workers on June 11, the ongoing protest against the mine — centered largely in an encampment of Chippewa tribal members in the woods not far from the mine site — has been peaceful, according to Iron County Sheriff Tony Furyk.

Furyk said that in the incident, one woman was charged with robbery with the use of force, a felony, after she forcibly took a camera away from a Gogebic employee. Organizers of the Chippewa educational encampment — which is modeled on the harvest camps used by tribal members in the past to fish, gather food and harvest maple syrup — say those protesters acted without their knowledge and added that they have since established strict rules to prevent such individuals from using the camp.

Mel Gasper, a Lac Court Oreilles tribal member who oversees the camp, said he now interviews and screens anyone who wishes to stay at the camp. He said the camp is being used not only to monitor mining company activities but also to educate people about the wild landscape of the Penokees.

Furyk said there have been no problems with the harvest camp or with any protesters since the June confrontation. “I’ve talked to the permit holders at the camp and they’ve been very cooperative,” he said.

But emotions continue to run high. On the night of July 4, Furyk said,

“There is no reason for them to Rambo up the way they have because things are peaceful.”

— State Rep. Janet Bewley, D-Ashland

tribal flags were stolen from the entrance to the harvest camp. And Seitz said anti-mine activists continue to walk from the harvest camp to the mine site.

“They come down in the middle of the night,” Seitz said. “It’s an ongoing security risk.” He added that the company may seek to restrict access to the area in the future.

State Rep. Janet Bewley, D-Ashland, said the company is overreacting.

“There is no reason for them to Rambo up the way they have because things are peaceful,” Bewley said. “After a month of peace, why bring in a paramilitary group? We are not lawless up here. We are not Deadwood where there is no law and you need the Pinkertons.”

Bewley joined state Sen. Bob Jauch, D-Poplar, in writing a letter this week asking the company to remove the guards, who are from an Arizona private security outfit called Bulletproof.

“The images are horrifying,” wrote Bewley and Jauch, “and the action by the company to hire this high security Arizona firm is appalling. These kinds of security forces are common in Third World countries but they don’t belong in Northern Wisconsin.

“We cannot begin to describe how upset the citizens of Northern Wisconsin are at the sight of our forests being patrolled by masked soldiers carrying military style assault weapons like mercenaries in a time of war. While no one can argue that your company does not have the right to protect your private property, these armed guards serve no purpose other than to intimidate local citizens and increase local tensions.”

The guards were first photographed by Rob Ganson, a mine opponent who regularly visits the harvest camp and takes frequent walks to the mine site to monitor

activity. He was shocked to see the armed guards in tactical gear with face masks. Ganson, who is not a tribal member, said he has been spending time at the harvest camp to learn more about the tribal view on the mine and has in the past brought his wife along. Now, with the presence of powerful weapons in the woods, he is reluctant to bring her along anymore.

“It has definitely ramped up the tension,” Ganson said. “The last thing we need is a Kent State up here in the hills.”

George Meyer, executive director of the Wisconsin Wildlife Federation, has been heavily involved in mining issues for years. He worked as a lawyer for and served as secretary of the state Department of Natural Resources during the controversial and eventually failed efforts of Exxon Minerals to build a mine near Crandon. That project died largely due to tribal opposition.

Meyer, who has recently given presentations in Iron County on the need for local mining impact regulations and zoning, said the company’s heavy-handed approach, including not only hiring the paramilitary guards but also resisting local zoning laws, could be causing some — including previous supporters — to question the entire mining project.

“This is the kind of thing that backfires,” Meyer said of the guards. “They’re (Gogebic Taconite) losing the goodwill of the public.”

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Oneida Gaming Commission

Choose ONE (1)

Mark A. Powless Sr.	106
Amelia Cornelius	75
Barbara (Jordan) Doyen	
Erickson	38
Matthew W. Denny	89
Stephanie Metoxen	40

Oneida Nation Commission on Aging (ONCOA)

Choose THREE (3)

Ronald McLester, Sr.	105(TIE)
Arlie Doxtator Sr.	154
Wesley Martin, Jr	105(TIE)
Roberta M. Young	34
Michael L Hill (Bluto)	48
Maryann Kruckeberg (Danforth)	105(TIE)
Dorothy J. Skenandore	93
Warren Skenadore	71
Dellora (DoDo) Cornelius	98
Charlene E. Cornelius	74

Trust/Enrollment Committee

Choose THREE (3)

Wesley Martin, Jr.	116
Chad Wilson	---
Loretta V. Metoxen	181
Debra J. Danforth	138
Norbert Hill Jr.	188
Dakota Webster	77
Eric McLester	147

Land Commission

Choose TWO (2)

Ronald McLester, Sr.	127
Isaiah D. Skenandore	74
Lloyd E. Powless Jr.	161
Dakota Webster	49
Chad Wilson	---
Michael L Hill (Bluto)	51
Matthew W. Denny	140

Land Claims Commission

Choose ONE (1)

Dakota Webster	130
Eric McLester	192

Election Board

Choose THREE (3)

Tom (The Burrito Man)	
Escamea	95
Barbara (Jordan) Doyen	
Erickson	209
Melinda K. Danforth	262
Teresa Schuman	209

School Board (Parent Position)

Choose THREE (3)

Dewain Danforth	232
Apache Danforth	270
Priscilla Dessart	244
Linda Dallas	100

Referendum Question:

Should the Land Use plan be brought before GTC for approval to be changed or reversed?

239 YES	81 NO
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"The election results posted here are tentative results. Final election results are forwarded by the Oneida Election Board to the Oneida Business Committee via a Final Report after time has lapsed for recount requests, or challenges or after all recounts or challenges have been completed, whichever is longer"

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Passing On...

Daug's, Daryl Lee
July 22, 1958 - June 29, 2013

Daryl Lee Daugs, age 54, passed away peacefully on Saturday, June 29, 2013 at St. Vincent Hospital, Green Bay, Wisconsin.

Daryl was a lifelong resident of Manitowoc, born the son of Harold L. and Betty J. (Hill) Daugs on July 22, 1958. He was a 1976 Graduate of Lincoln High School and worked for Carpet Plus of America as a subcontractor - Floor Mechanic. He took great pride in his work and loved art and music, playing the saxophone, clarinet, flute, and bass guitar. Daryl enjoyed spending time with his family and friends.

Besides his parents, Daryl is survived by his son Bradley W. and his wife Amber L.; two sisters Pamela Farr and Lori (Lee) Novy; two nieces Crystal Herald and Amy (Farr) Krueger; two nephews Daniel Ford and Michael Farr; and former spouse Rebecca Zahn.

Visitation was held on Friday, July 5, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. at Calvary Assembly of God Church, 1444 North Rapids Road, Manitowoc. Pastor Paul Hansen officiated a prayer service at 11:00 a.m. A luncheon followed in the Fellowship Hall. The Jens-Reinbold & Pfeffer Family Funeral Services and Crematory is assisting the family with funeral arrangements. Online condolences may be expressed at www.jensreinboldandpfeffer.com

In Loving Memory



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Travis G. Cornelius
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Still missed by family

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Brian



July 14, 1969-July 21, 1996

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But Always In Our Hearts**

Loved and missed by Mom, Norman,
Brothers & Sisters, Nieces & Nephews,
Aunts, Uncles, and Cousins

History of Lacrosse opens at the Neville Museum

By Travis Cottrell
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The Neville Public Museum recently unveiled an exhibit highlighting games played by the Oneida and Menominee Nations, with an emphasis on the game of lacrosse.

The exhibit is called Native American Games: the History of Lacrosse.

Louise Pfothenhauer, Curator of Collections at the Neville Public Museum, worked with Oneida and Menominee to get the display installed at the museum.

“The planning for this exhibit began, I would say, about six months ago. Michelle Danforth contacted us about a project, the Sacred Stick documentary that she had already done. So we started talking about different things. It is really based on her vision as to what it would look like. Scott Elm did the display design. We provided the exhibition space and the forum; we did the installation, and provided some pieces from the museum’s permanent collection,” Pfothenhauer said.

The exhibit features large wallboards that lay-out the history of lacrosse, beginning with the start of the Creator’s Game and its importance to the Iroquois Confederacy to the current Iroquois Nationals team, an all-Native American lacrosse team playing at the world level. Along with the wallboards are video clips from the Sacred



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Above: Nine panels span a hallway inside the Neville Public Museum composing the History of Lacrosse exhibit.

Right: Artifacts on display from the Oneida and Menominee museums and the Neville museum’s permanent collection.



Stick documentary.

“The videos consist of five-minute clips from the Sacred Sticks documentary, each highlighting a different aspect of lacrosse,” Pfothenhauer said.

Also included in the exhibit is a case of artifacts from the Neville’s permanent collection as well as items borrowed from the Oneida Nation Museum and the Menominee Indian Tribe Cultural Museum.

“The Neville Museum has pieces on display in the exhibit and the museum has had them since the 1920s to the 1930s.

We became a museum in 1915 so these are some of the earliest pieces obtained by the museum. Some were purchased by early directors and others were donated,” said Pfothenhauer.

The lacrosse exhibit gets added to a long list of projects in which the museum has highlighted or collaborated with Indian Tribes of Wisconsin.

“We haven’t done an exhibit on lacrosse per se but we have done a few projects with Oneida in the past. Some that stand out are the basket display that was here the

same time as the wolf display about 15 years ago. Around five years ago we had an art exhibit that incorporated some Oneida pieces and some Menominee pieces,” Pfothenhauer added.

The museum is hopeful that the exhibit will be made into a traveling display where it would be able to travel to places like Canada and New York once its time at the Neville Museum is over.

Native American Games: the History of Lacrosse is open now through October 20th.

Swallows put casino expansion on hold

Progress on the Oneida Casino expansion has abruptly come to a halt in terms of the exterior demolition of the canopy. A nest of swallows under the east entrance canopy prevents the demolition of the canopy. According to Federal provisions which protect migratory bird nests, they must not remove or destroy the nesting as long as the birds are using the nest. It is estimated the birds will vacate the nest within the next 28 days, depending upon when they actually hatch their eggs.

The Oneida Conservation Department advised the Casino Construction team of the tribal and federal provisions to protect the swallow nest. An Oneida Conservation Officer advised, “The swallow nests are protected by federal law



until the eggs have hatched and the birds no longer use the nest.” The Oneida construction crew will work around

the nest for the time being.

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Guest Editorials...

Our turn to care and share

By Rose Kerstetter
Oneida Citizen

I would like to share this story with all Oneidas and friends everywhere on Mother Earth.

On a summer day approximately fifteen years ago there was a knock on the door of my apartment on Artley Street in Oneida, Wisconsin, where I lived at the time. It turned out to be Joanne Doxtator, Coordinator of the Southwold Oneida Long Term Care Program. I invited her in when she mentioned she was visiting Oneida with a group of Oneida of the Thames from Southwold in Ontario, Canada. We had a delightful visit, and in that short time we became good friends.

Joanne invited me to visit her since I was thinking about joining a busload of our people who were planning a get-acquainted visit to Southwold in the fall. I was a bit hesitant, I told her, because I would miss my September birthday dinner at our meal site; Joanne promised a birthday dinner at their elders' meal site if I made the trip. Little did I realize what was in store for me in deciding to visit the Oneida of the Thames.

Talk about hospitality! I sat down to an excellent dinner, finishing off with birthday cake. And then Joanne brought out a birthday present: A beautiful traditional dress made for me by the women who worked at their Long Term Care Program. I was asked to

wear the dress to the meeting after the dinner, and I did so with pride and gratitude to these women for their willingness to share so much with this now 94-year-old elder. To this day, memory of the event brings joyful tears when I think about how the qualities of caring and sharing remain strong in the human heart throughout the challenges we faced and are facing in our history as a nation.

My thank-you note always seemed inadequate to show my heartfelt appreciation for this gracious gesture. Today I have found a good way to express appreciation to my Oneida relatives in Southwold. Today it gives me great pleasure to send a contribution representing "my best possible and a little bit more" to

help with expenses of the event being planned for the reciting of Kay^tlakowa, or the Great Law, which will take place in August at Southwold.

Please join me in supporting this important upcoming event by sending your "best possible and a little bit more" to:

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Rose Kerstetter, (above) is the daughter of the late John P. and Lillian Archiquette Skenandore, grandparents are the late Peter and Electa Baird Skenandore and the late Elijah and Phoebe Archiquette.

Oneida of the Thames Hospitality, an Experience to Remember

By Loretta V. Metoxen
Oneida Tribal Historian

Last week four Business Committee members, three Land Claims Commissioners (including myself) and the Land Claims Coordinator traveled to the Oneida of the Thames Community. Their hospitality was something to experience and be remembered. One young man invited us to his house for corn soup and strawberry drink. He also showed us a "standing stone" in his back field which had five distinct stripes on it—representing the Five Nations. Then, he showed us the following message that he had written. I asked his permission to print it in our paper. Anthony Ireland is a member of the Elected Band Council for the Oneidas of the Thames.

“When I deal with everyday life in my community I think about the different ways we corrupt our Nation and about the outside communities. I

think of how the non-native people treat us, roll their eyes when we use our status cards, and how I sense that they feel we are trespassing on their land. Yes, it does get me down. Sometimes I wish that I were not part of this nation. However, that feeling changed when I went on the “Walk for the Moving of the Fire” for the Longhouse, which I almost didn’t go because of the rain and long walk especially for someone who doesn’t walk every-day. That morning I thought of my mother, who was doing a lot of cooking for the ceremony, and when she asked me to take some food over to the new Longhouse, I did. When I arrived there I saw all the cars and looked at all the license plates and noticed that people drove from all over Turtle Island. When I saw the bus transporting people to the old Longhouse I decided to go and when I arrived I noticed people I knew and people I didn’t know. When everyone started to

walk I couldn’t believe how many people were walking and it felt so good to get to the new Longhouse. Later that evening I came back for the social, I was talking to some friends outside the Longhouse, and I couldn’t hear the singer’s sign, the dancers dance like there was no tomorrow, the drum, the rattles, and the beat of about a hundred feet all making one soothing sound. I finally got to step inside the Longhouse and when I did the sounds of the signers, the sight of the drummers with the rattles, and the hundreds of people participating sent chills down my spine and a tingle through my body. During that time in the Longhouse I never once thought of all the things that get me down and this was a reminder to me of who I am and I am proud to be a part of the Oneida Nation. All of the money in the world can’t buy the feelings I got when I stepped into the Longhouse.”

— Anthony Ireland

Elder Services hosts expo



Kali photo/Nate Wisneski

The Oneida Nation Commission on Aging along with Elder Services presented the Elder Expo on Friday, June 28 at Elder Services. The expo had 21 tables offering information about state and county services along with benefit specialists. Over 150 community members attended the free event.

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Behind the Naming of Structures in Our Community

Embracing the Life Achievements of those Honored

Norbert S. Hill

Who was Norbert S. Hill? He was the son of Charles and Dr. Rosa Minoka Hill born January 18, 1912. He was also a boxer and an engineer of political initiatives. Most memorably, Norbert S. Hill was a Tribal leader who championed a cause to recover tribal lands which rightfully belonged to the Oneida Nation.

Elected as Chairman of the Oneida Tribe in 1966, Norbert served one year then subsequently served as Vice Chairman for 6 years following his Chairman's term. He served the Oneida Nation with honesty and integrity until he passed away in 1975.

Norbert was married to Eileen Johnston Hill and together they raised a family of six children. Norb and Eileen had two daughters, Barbara Hill Author and Rosa Hill Coenen and four sons, Norbert Jr, Charlie, Rick and Jimmy. Rick followed passionately into the footsteps of his father and served as Vice Chairman and Tribal Chairman for many years.

Most of the adult years spent on the Oneida Reservation by Norbert were as a politician in a very young Indian Reorganization Act Tribe. The Oneida Nation morphed from a very traditional form of government into a system that was forced upon the Tribes in the 1930's. It was the BIA way or the highway.

As with every initiative in Oneida, no one is solely responsible, our people are most remembered for their accomplishments in different ways. Norb was engaged in many passionate fights while serving on the Oneida Business

Committee. Preserving and protecting tribal sovereignty was a goal the entire Business Committee shared. While the Oneida Business Committee was at odds over many issues, they always stood united in protecting land and treaty rights.

One issue Norb was well respected and remembered for was the fight to regain title to the lands where the Norbert Hill Center is now located. Previous to being the NHC, it was the Sacred Heart Seminary.

The Seminary was located on land where the Catholic Diocese built a large school, church and well protected wild life refuge. Somehow these lands were lost to the tribe and illegally acquired by the Catholic Diocese. Long story short... Oneida Business Committee, attorneys and Tribal members fought the battle to regain title to the land. It was a good fight, very civil and in the end, the Catholic Diocese agreed, the land belonged to Oneida. They asked only that Oneida pay for the improvements they made to the property, which in essence was the buildings constructed.

As a charter member of the Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council, Norbert was a strong advocate for the power of unity amongst sovereigns. He worked to unite the eleven Tribes in the state of Wisconsin under one umbrella, he believed the strength in their numbers would greatly benefit all Wisconsin Tribes. This organization is over 40 years old. Throughout the Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council, he was instrumental in securing our first grant for the Oneida Headstart program, still thriving today.

Passionate about land claims, treaty



rights, sovereignty and land acquisition, Norbert was a man who could provide a brief history lesson on any of the aforementioned subjects at the drop of a hat. That means if you asked, he could go into detail about the history of the Oneida Tribe and talk at great length.

Like most of our early Oneida politicians, Norbert was dedicated to advancing the quality of life on our reservation, most of the time without any compensation. He was driven by a vision he inherited from his parents and grandparents. Back in those days visions were inherent, they were not results of tedious sessions of discussion for days, weeks and months. Those who knew Norb will remember how he crept through the halls of the Norbert Hill Center when it was the Sacred Heart Seminary and stopped to visit in offices daily.

Face to face communication was the rule for Norb. He stepped gingerly like a boxer in a bout, but was usually dressed in dress slacks, clean well ironed shirt, bolo tie, suit jacket and tennis shoes. Norb was a leader that showed up everywhere on the reservation, attended every event he could, especially if it was pot luck. He was always engaged in some activity to advance education, recreation, athletics and employment, and of course, economic development.

The Oneida Economic Development Corporation was another project Norb championed. Establishing the first Oneida Industrial Park was an initiative he strongly advocated for. Today there is a Walmart, Sam's Club and other thriving businesses located in the

Oneida Industrial Park. A dream come true.

These are just a few of the recollections about Norbert S. Hill Sr. that should provide some insight as to why there is a facility named in his honor.

Seven Generation Visionaries

This is a series I am composing to profile our past leadership for their contributions to the Oneida Nation and their efforts that will impact our lives for the next seven generations and perhaps beyond. These are recollections that I have about the people I have known throughout my life, my earliest recollection is Oscar Archiquette who was my first teacher of the Oneida Language. Others include, Irene Moore, Lee McLester II, David "Sonny" King, Norbert Hill and others.

The first in my series is Anna John, an elder whom I respected and admired for many years. Her grandson Allen, entered a comment on facebook about the new Anna John Nursing Home and felt there was very little attributed to the namesake of that beautiful state of the art facility. That inspired me to begin to write short recollections about all the Oneida people who have places named in their honor. We need to keep their memory alive, but more importantly, Oneida people need to know the spirit that lived in each of these leaders which inspired them to create a better quality of life on our reservation.

I hope you enjoy my memories.

Bobbi Webster,
Public Relations Director
Oneida Nation

FY-2013 Per Capita Reminders!

September 3, 2013:

- **Deadline to submit Payment Forms (NO EXCEPTIONS)**
- **Deadline to claim UNPAID 2012 Per Capita Payment(s)**

September 30, 2013:

- **Per Capita Payments Issued**
- LATE Payment forms received September 4, 2013 thru March 3, 2014 per capita payments will be issued March 31, 2014.
- Tribal ID's will NOT be issued on Mondays from June 3, 2013 thru September 30, 2013 and from August 26, 2013 thru September 4, 2013.
- The Enrollment Department will be CLOSED on Wednesday, September 4, 2013.

Please contact us with any questions

Oneida Enrollment Department

PO Box 365, Oneida WI 54155-0365

(920) 869-6200 • 800-571-9902

<http://www.oneidanation.org/enrollment/>

FY-2013 Per Capita Reminders!

For members whose acceptable payment forms are received by:

Tuesday, September 3, 2013

Your FY-2013 payment will be issued on:

Monday, September 30, 2013

Please contact us with any questions

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Mike Peltier

GOLF OUTING

Where: Thornberry Creek at Oneida
When: Wednesday August 28, 2013

4-Person Scramble
Luck of the Draw @ 10:45AM
Tee times start @ 11:00AM
\$80/ Person Includes: 18 holes/cart/food/prizes
To sponsor a hole contact: Chad M. @ 920.554.2620 or Virginia P. @ 920.857.6940

American Care Act and Native Americans

Insurance exchange plans to begin enrolling October 1

Administrators at the Oneida Comprehensive Health Division (OCHD) have important information concerning the Affordable Care Act (ACA) to share with the community.

The Affordable Care Act (ACA) permanently reauthorized the Indian Health Care Improvement Act, and provides new opportunities for health insurance coverage.

The ACA will start the open enrollment in the Health Insurance Marketplace or the Federal Marketplace on October 1 of this year. Most Americans will be required to get health

insurance or pay a tax penalty, but there is an exception for Native Americans due to federal treaty and trust obligations.

According to Danforth, Operations Director and Dr. Ravinder Vir, Medical Director, Oneida’s current employee health insurance carrier, UMR is the leading insurer for patients of the OCHC followed by medical assistance. OCHC staff members want to help Oneida citizens to begin enrolling in health insurance plans this fall however the path to take is not clear at the moment.

“When Wisconsin had the option of becoming either a state exchange or a federal exchange, Governor Walker made the decision to not accept the Federal funding for the development of a State Exchange and determined that the State would move ahead with

the federal exchange,” said Danforth. The federal exchanges are still in the works.

“We’re providing information as we receive it. It’s still basic information. For Wisconsin, we are moving forward as a Federal Marketplace. Once that detailed information becomes available, we will help people understand what they need to do,” said Danforth.

Wisconsin is not the only State that has chosen to go with the Federal Marketplace. There are a total of approximately 16 states overall that will be implementing Federal Marketplaces vs. Individual State Exchanges.

According to HealthCare.gov, the Federal Marketplace will offer health insurance plans that meet the needs of your family and your budget. If you are a

member of a federally recognized Tribe, or are Alaska Native or you currently receive your health care through an IHS or Tribal facility (this is defined as minimum essential coverage) you will receive benefits and protections through the Marketplace which include Cost-sharing reductions on deductibles, co-payments and coinsurance. There will be special enrollment periods for Native Americans and or Alaska Natives allowing you to get health insurance or change insurance in any month not just the yearly open enrollment period.

There will be insurance exchange plans that will be based on income such as Medicaid or the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP). If you already have health insurance through your employer, you will not have to enroll in an additional plan. Oneidas or any American Indian/ Alaska Native who enroll in health insurance exchange plans do not have cost sharing.

Cost sharing is the term used for both the deductible and co-pay. A deductible is the amount most consumers pay each year before the insurance

company pays for health services. A co-pay is the amount most consumers pay at each visit. For Oneidas or any American Indian/ Alaska Native with health insurance, there is never any cost sharing when you receive your services from a Tribal or IHS clinic.

“There will be significant changes, and the challenge really is those changes are going to impact us in less than six months, probably less than three months when they start enrolling in the exchanges and we don’t have the specifics of what that change is going to be,” said Dr. Vir.

2012/2013 Contract Health Services Bill Submission Deadlines

If you’re requesting Contract Health Services to assist in payment of your health related bills you must submit all bills to the Contract Health Service Department. It’s best to submit your bills as soon as you receive them to prevent them from being turned over to a collection agency. The Contract Health Service fiscal year ends September 30th of each year.

Below is the bill submission deadline dates:

Date of Service 4/1/13 – 6/30/13 Submission deadline: 9/30/13

Date of Service 7/1/13 – 10/31/13, Submission deadline: 1/31/14

Date of Service 11/1/13 – 12/31/13, Submission deadline: 3/31/14

Please be sure that your insurance has been billed and made a payment determination on all your claims. If your insurance requires additional information you must respond within the specified timeframes. Once your bills are received CHS will determine your CHS eligibility and pay or notify you if your claims are not eligible for payment.

We advise you to turn the bills in personally so we can give you a receipt for them. In this manner, we and you have a good record of what you submitted and when you submitted them. This will avoid confusion when a bill is not paid for whatever reason. Your Contract Health Services Department tracks your bills submitted for payment in case an outside healthcare provider disputes receiving payment of a bill that you may owe.

For inquiries regarding your bills please contact the Contract Health Service Department at (920) 869-2711.

WHEN YOU ARE OUT OF TOWN AND NEED MEDICAL ATTENTION

During regular business hours

Please call the Oneida Community Health Center at (920) 869-2711 to speak with the triage nurse. The nurse will assess your symptoms and recommend care. If you need further evaluation and treatment, the nurse will direct you to the appropriate healthcare facility. Depending on the urgency of your symptoms, your healthcare insurance, and your current location, you may be sent to an urgent care clinic or emergency room (ER). Please present your healthcare insurance card and a list of your current medications. You are responsible to pay for any prescriptions you need. However, you may turn in your receipt into Contract Health Services (CHS) for reimbursement. Any bills received from the healthcare facility can be submitted to CHS for payment. Your telephone call and recommended care by the nurse will be documented.

After regular business hours

Please call Oneida Community Health Center at (920) 869-2711. If you are certain that this is a life threatening emergency or injury and you need to go to the ER, please leave a message with the after-hours CHS notification line. The message should include the patient’s name, birthdate, phone number and reason for ER visit, name of ER and healthcare insurance information. If you need to discuss your symptoms with the nurse, stay on the line for the Answering Service. Those representatives will gather your contact information and have a nurse call you back. Depending on the urgency of your symptoms, your healthcare insurance, and your current location, you may be sent to either an urgent care clinic or emergency room. Please present your healthcare cad and list of current medications. You are responsible to pay for any prescriptions you need.

However, you may turn in your receipt into Contract Health Services for reimbursement. Any bills received from the healthcare facility can be submitted to Contract Health Services for payment.

Affordable Care Act RESOURCES

www.healthcare.gov
1-800-318-2596

This website also has a 24 hour 1-800 line that you can call and talk directly to an individual or you can enter a chat line with a representative. (They are still fine tuning Native American/Alaska Native information but general information is pretty good)

www.nativeexchange.org

This webiste is specifically dedicated to Native American/Alaska Native information.

www.ihs.gov

This webiste is specifically dedicated to Native American/Alaska Native information.

After Hours Care for OCHC Medical

When to speak with On Call Staff:

- Any urgent health care needs that cannot wait until the next business day

Prescription Coverage:

- CVS Pharmacy on W. Mason and Military
- No controlled substance coverage (narcotics and pain pills)
- Must have Tribal ID & insurance card

Tribal employees with UMR may go to the Retail Clinic at Wal-Mart or Shopko

- \$0 copay—must show insurance card
- If directed elsewhere, contact the On Call Staff

Lighting the Fires Of Good Health

Wednesday, August 28, 2013
4:00 to 8:00 pm
Radisson Conference Center

Master of Ceremonies
Tim Moureau, NP, BC-ADM

Community Panel
Reynold Denny
Todd Mendolla
Charles John

Guest Speaker
D.J. Vanas

Lighting the Fires of Good Health

Tickets Available at Oneida Diabetes Team
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Opportunity to win a Treadmill (must be 18 or over)
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CMN Offers Special Program for New ‘STEM’ Majors

Students interested in science, technology, engineering or math – known as STEM programs – are invited to apply for the STEM Scholars Program at the College of Menominee Nation.

Students chosen as STEM scholars participate in education opportunities designed to increase their academic success. For example, math and English classes taken during the first semester are preparatory in nature to help students be successful when taking college-level math and English during the second semester. The peer-group component of the program is designed

to increase student success by helping participants build relationships while supporting each other in the learning process.

The program is open to new students who are enrolling at the College of Menominee Nation in any of the STEM majors: biological science, computer science, microcomputers, math, natural resources or sustainable development. In addition to having a STEM major, applicants need to achieve an Accuplacer test score within a specific range, be enrolled members or descendants of an American Indian tribe, and complete the CMN admission process.

The College’s selection team will consider prior coursework and grades, essay and interview results, and applicants’ commitment to maintaining the schedule of STEM classes.

The program is available at both the Keshena and Green Bay/Oneida campuses of the College. STEM Scholars’ coursework is conducted during daytime hours Mondays through Fridays.

Financial stipends may be available for students who maintain high attendance levels.

Applications are available at both campuses. At the Keshena campus, contact Academic Adviser Becky Zimdars

by phone at 715-799-5600 or by email at bzimdars@menominee.edu. At the Green Bay/Oneida campus, contact Academic Adviser Mike Faulds by phone at 920-965-0070 or by email at mfaulds@menominee.edu.

The College is an accredited institution of higher learning now celebrating its 20th year of operation. CMN offers classes leading to Bachelor’s and Associate degrees, and also to diplomas in technical and trades fields, at N172 Highway 47/55 in Keshena and at 2733 S. Ridge Road, Green Bay.

ATTENTION Higher Ed Students

2012 – 2013 Graduating Students

Will you be graduating between the dates of August 1, 2012 and July 31, 2013?

If so, please let us know by contacting our office at **1-800-236-2214 ext. 4436**, email us at **highered@oneidanation.org** or submit the "Oneida Higher Education Graduate Questionnaire" which can be printed from **www.oneidanation.org/highered** under *Applications & Forms*.

Remember to send a final official transcript of grades upon graduation.

Be sure to continue sending us pictures, copies of your diplomas; and any other recognitions we can share and display on our department's "Student Achievement Board".

Income Eligibility Guidelines

July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014

Eligibility determination is based on household size and income.

Total Annual income must be *at or below* the amounts in this table.

Your children may qualify for *FREE* or *Reduced Price Meals* if your Household Income falls *at or below* the limits on this chart.

Oneida Head Start Program, is the sponsoring program.

Sites are:
• Norbert Hill Head Start,
• Three Sisters Head Start
• Oneida Childcare
• Norbert Hill
• Airport Rd. Childcare

Family (Household) Size	FREE Must be at or below figure listed	Reduced Price Must be at or between figures listed
1	\$14,521	\$14,521.01 – \$20,665
2	\$19,669	\$19,669.01 – \$27,991
3	\$24,817	\$24,817.01 – \$35,317
4	\$29,965	\$29,965.01 – \$42,643
5	\$35,113	\$35,113.01 – \$49,969
6	\$40,261	\$40,261.01 – \$57,295
7	\$45,409	\$45,409.01 – \$64,621
8	\$50,557	\$50,557.01 – \$71,947
For each additional household member, add	+ 5,148	+5,148 and +7,326



College of Menominee Nation

Accreditation Comment Period

The College of Menominee Nation is seeking comments from the public about the College in preparation for the periodic evaluation by its regional accrediting agency. CMN will host a visit Oct. 23-25 by a team representing the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association.

The College was accepted for candidacy in 1996 and has been accredited by the Commission since 1998. The team will review the institution’s ongoing ability to meet the Commission’s Criteria for Accreditation.

The public is invited to submit comments regarding the College to:
Third-Party Comment on the College of Menominee Nation
The Higher Learning Commission
230 South LaSalle Street, Suite 7-500
Chicago, IL 60604-1411

The public may also submit comments on the Commission’s website at: **www.ncahic.org**.

Public comments must be in writing and must address substantive matters related to the quality of the institution or its academic programs.

Comments must be received by Sept. 20, 2013.

ONEIDA Trust Scholarship

The \$3,000 lifetime scholarship shall assist with:

Required prerequisite credited classes,
Post graduate preparation and admission exams or related preparatory courses.

The lifetime gives the student the ability to utilize the scholarship as they progress throughout different levels of their educational degrees. e.g. Associate degree, Bachelor degree, Masters and Ph.D.

The Scholarships will remain dependent on the student being in good standing with Oneida Higher Education office. Students must abide by the established Higher Education program guideline. The Oneida Trust Committee (the donors) requests that all recipients of the Oneida Trust Scholarship keep in mind the prospect of returning to the Oneida Tribe to share their acquired knowledge, experience, and education.

The application is available at **www.oneidanation.org/highered** click the *Scholarship* button and search for **Oneida TrustScholarship**

ONEIDA Higher Education

Located in the north wing of the Norbert Hill Center
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UW-Green Bay admits first Master of Science in Nursing students

GREEN BAY – The University of Wisconsin-Green Bay Professional Program in Nursing has announced that 19 registered nurses (RNs) have been accepted to the first cohort in the new online Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) Leadership and Management in Health Systems program. Living in 16 cities and six states across the country, with undergraduate degrees from four universities (most are UW-Green Bay alumni), the new admits will begin online MSN courses in Fall of 2013.

The average age of those admitted is 42 years old, and the average grade point average is 3.6 (on a 4.0 scale).

The newly admitted RNs aspire to management and leadership roles and practice in diverse areas ranging from the intensive care unit to home care and public health, long-term care, surgery, cardiac care, mental health, emergency services, oncology and correctional nursing. Many already hold managerial or leadership roles such as directors, team leaders, quality measures, vice presidents of business — and even a hospital chief nursing officer.

The UW-Green Bay faculty and staff consulted with nurse managers and leaders across the nation in developing the curriculum for the MSN program. The curriculum covers 34 credits in 12 online courses delivered over two years (six consecutive academic periods). Students will participate in practicum placements during the second year at sites close to their homes.

For more information regarding the UWGB MSN Leadership and Management in Health Systems, visit the program website at <http://www.uwgb.edu/nursing/msn/>, email nursingmsn@uwgb.edu or contact Jan Malchow, (920) 465-2722 or mail to: malchowj@uwgb.edu

Oneida reaching for the clouds

By Dawn Walschinski
Kalihwisaks
dwalschi@oneidanation.org

The Oneida organization is moving to the cloud.

According to Application Services Manager James Wildenberg Oneida is updating its software to Office 365 which will allow employees to work on their documents almost anywhere on almost any device.

“(We’re) Making more of those services available to you outside of these four walls so you can conduct business not only with your customers but with your employees and your colleagues and your business partners,” he said.

This feature will be made possible by utilizing Microsoft “cloud” servers which saves data at a remote location.

“Being able to access certain information, whether it’s your documents, your contacts, your calendar, those types of things, from not having to be in the building and connected via wires,” said Wildenberg. “It makes for a more connected world.”

More features are being added such as instant messaging, web conferencing, and document sharing as well as adding Wi-Fi to all tribal



Kalih photo/Dawn Walschinski

James Wildenberg, far left, and MIS Manger Dave Cluckey, standing, present Office 365 to Oneida supervisors, managers and directors at a meeting held Thursday, June 27 at the Radisson Hotel.

buildings.

“We’re spread out over 60 buildings, and we don’t always have to hop in the car to conduct business ... We’re able to pull up video conference meetings, voice conference meetings, simple chats and those types of things, sharing documents and working collaboratively at the same time,” he said.

Wildenberg anticipates that Oneida will be able to reduce the costs of employees traveling within the area for meetings. Also, utilizing the Microsoft servers allows for savings in infrastructure costs.

“We manage a couple

100 servers now, and if you expand that by say another dozen or so, you have more costs and resources to manage those things,” he said.

One more savings will be the move to a subscription service instead of buying licenses for software for three year terms.

“By moving to Office 365 we’re changing that whole model and moving into a subscription mode which is more pay as you go,” said Wildenberg. He explained that the subscription model is more flexible especially when dealing with personnel changes or changing needs in software.

Currently, the tribe’s Management of Information Services (MIS) Department is beginning its training phase for employees, and will fully implement the change before October.

“It’s exciting from a technology standpoint for the organization that we’re joining the ranks of a lot of other tribal governments, city governments, even state governments that have already moved to Office 365,” said Wildenberg.

The City of Chicago, State of Minnesota and the Seminole Tribe are some of the organizations that have switched to Office 365.

ONAP Dollars for Arts

Application
Deadline –
Friday, July
26, 2013



Oneida Nation Arts Program

The Dollars for Arts Program (DAP) is a re-granting program funded by the Wisconsin Arts Board and the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin. DAP provides funds to support excellence, innovations and the development of the arts in Oneida. The arts include both traditional and contemporary styles in dance, literature, music, theatre, and visual arts. There are three funding areas in DAP:

Community Awards - are available to community groups or tribal programs for arts projects that are new and innovative or significantly enhance an existing program in the Oneida community.

Oneida Fellowship Award - is a \$1,000 cash award to an Oneida artist for artistic excellence in the Oneida community. There is a maximum of one Fellowship available per fiscal year. If you have received a

Fellowship from the Oneida Nation Arts Program in the last years or received an Artist Development Award in the current fiscal year, you are not eligible for this award in fiscal 2014.

Artist Development Awards - are available to artists in the community who have identified a special project that will enhance their professional development and benefit the Oneida community.

The deadline for submitting grant applications is Friday, July 26, 2013, for activities occurring October 1, 2013, through September 30, 2014. The applications are available through the Oneida Nation Arts Program’s website oneidanation-arts.org. If you have any questions or wish to receive a hard copy of the application, contact Christine Klimmek via email at cklimmek@oneidanation.org or call 920-490-3831.

The Iroquois Clan System and Blood Quantum

By Oneida Trust & Enrollment Committee

Do you know what your clan is? Turtle, Bear or Wolf? We say today that we have three clans but really we don’t have three...we have nine. Due to boarding schools, acculturation, and assimilation many of us have forgotten that there are three different Wolf Clans, three different Turtle Clans and three different Bear Clans. The Wolf Clans are the Grey Wolf, Red Wolf, and Timber Wolf. The Turtle Clans are the Snapping Turtle, Mud Turtle and Painted (or Sun) Turtle. The Bear Clans are the Brown Bear, Black Bear, and Yearling Bear. Our traditional Oneida governing system includes nine Clan Mothers, nine Chiefs, and so on due to the fact that we have nine separate clan families.

Clan identity is perhaps one of our most basic and ancient ways of belonging and identifying ourselves. A long time ago, to be Oneida meant you were part of an Oneida clan. You were born or adopted into a clan. Adoption was a common practice then, and still happens today. Over the years, we have turned to other ways to identify ourselves. When the United States Congress passed the Indian Reorganization Act (IRA), Native Americans were "encouraged" to abandon traditional governments and



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adopt a more Euro-American style of government.

Oneidas in Wisconsin voted to adopt an IRA government. From that time going forward, we began tracking the Oneida blood quantum. Blood quantum is a way of identifying someone’s lineage and measuring the portion of it that is Oneida. Under the IRA, we began “enrolling” ourselves as “members” of a tribe. Knowledge of the clan system and traditional understandings of identity were often set aside or forgotten.

It is ironic that the federal government intentionally encouraged Oneida and other Native nations to identify themselves through blood quantum considering nowhere in the United States Constitution does it encourage or even consider tracking blood quantum for American citizens. The concept was

borrowed from the past. European royal families struggled for centuries over the custom of intermarriage and designed systems to document bloodlines to prevent infighting and corruption. Oneida, as a community and over time, adopted policies and ways of thinking that emphasize blood quantum. Today, enrollment is necessary to receive most of the tribe’s benefits, and enrollment is contingent upon having at least 1/4 Oneida blood quantum. This is a concept that would be foreign to our ancestors. Our ancestors identified fellow Oneidas by clan identity, by family connection, by a common language and by shared values, beliefs, and more.

The Oneida Nation cannot be sustained tracking lineage by blood quantum; it is a system destined to fail. In a few decades, the population

of the Oneida Nation will be only a fraction of what it is now. This crisis cannot be avoided unless we redefine ourselves according to our own terms; not those of the federal government. Whether we look to our past for a more traditional definition of identity, or look forward to something different, we cannot stay as we are. How do you identify yourself?

For more information about Sustain Oneida please visit:

- <https://www.facebook.com/OneidaTrust>
- <https://www.oneida-nsn.gov/TrustEnrollmentCommittee.aspx>

For comments or questions please email: sustainoneida@oneidanation.org

Oneida Mail Center

The Oneida Mail Center is located at 2701 W. Mason Street and we are an internal service for the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin. We currently operate with a total of four employees which includes three Mail Clerks and one Supervisor. The Oneida Mail Center has numerous responsibilities with our main focus being the processing all inter-tribal mail.

One of our most important responsibilities is processing all GTC mailings without delay. A GTC mailing can consist of as little as one hundred mail pieces per mailing up to fourteen thousand mail pieces per mailing.

The Oneida Mail Center assists the General Tribal Council in making sure the mailings

are processed in the most efficient and cost effective mailing method possible. This process is based on many variables including the weight of the mail piece, the due date, the quantity, the piece size, and the type of mail piece. With following the United States Postal Service (USPS) regulations a decision is made on how the GTC mailing will be sent out to the Oneida enrolled tribal members. At times, the GTC mailings are sent out via United Parcel Service (UPS) for cost savings purposes; generally the USPS is the best option for the GTC mailings.

The Oneida Mail Center, on average, processes 350 mailings per year for all tribal departments, 20 of which are GTC mailings.

July 10, 2013

LEGAL NOTICE:

ONEIDA CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY
ONE TIME NOTICE OF PER CAPITA ATTACHMENT CLAIMS FILED

Re: Child Support Agency(s) vs. Various Individuals

A diligent attempt was made to notify the following individuals of claim(s) filed by child support agency(s) and the Oneida Tribe for interception and attachment of per capita payments to satisfy outstanding orders for payment of child support to the custodial parent and state of Wisconsin.

Sarol H Cadotte, Eric A Edwards and Rebecca M Osswald

Our records show that you owe child support arrears pursuant to your account statement. Arrears may include child support, medical expenses, interest, costs and/or fees.

Your current balance and any increases will remain subject to collection by per capita attachment until the arrears are paid in full pursuant to 9.4-6(a)(1) of the Oneida Per Capita law.

You may volunteer to have federal taxes withheld prior to the attachment. The form following this notice must be completed and returned to the Oneida Child Support Agency within **ten (10) business days** if you want federal income tax withheld before your per capita payment is attached. Once returned, the federal tax withholding will remain in effect until the Agency receives written notification stating otherwise. A member can also change one's voluntary tax withholding status at any time by submitting a written request to the Agency.

If you have questions regarding your account please log in on-line to view your account balances at <http://dcf.wi.gov/bcs/payments/login.htm> or contact your appropriate local child support agency.

For specific questions about this claim, settlement or payment arrangements, please contact the appropriate child support agency. If you have questions on the process, feel free to contact the Oneida Child Support Agency at (920) 490-3701.

Voluntary Federal Income Tax Withholding Request

I hereby request the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin to withhold 20% of my Membership, and future year payment(s), if eligible, for my Federal Income Tax Account. This withholding request shall remain in effect until a new payment form is submitted to the Oneida Tribal Child Support Agency.

I hereby absolve the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin of any liability for honoring this federal income tax withholding request.

SIGNING HERE AUTHORIZES FEDERAL INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING

Member Signature: READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING Date: _____

Member Name: _____ Enrollment Number: _____

Please return to: Oneida Tribal Child Support Agency, P.O. Box 365 Oneida, WI 54155



Learn more about Sustain Oneida at:
<https://www.oneida-nsn.gov/TrustEnrollmentCommittee.aspx>

Letters & Opinions...

Food for Thought

In the June 13, 2013 Kalihwisaks articles from the Treasurer, Cristina Danforth and Vince DelaRosa, Chairman of Community Development Planning Committee, it appears that both want to blame the Oneida Housing Authority for the lack of housing progress. Linda Dallas complains about rumors that attack her character, credibility and image by false statements that are very vicious and malicious rumors about her in the community. I find it ironic that these are the same people along with Ed Delgado who have spread false claims about me during OBC meetings and in the paper. Ed Delgado placed a restraining order against me in Brown County Court on September 14, 2012. Brown County Court has since dismissed that restraining order. I wish to thank the Vets and Elders who showed up to support my day in court.

Facts about OHA under Dale Wheelock leadership

- OHA had an average of 22 new housing units each year for the past three years through new construction, and acquisition/rehabilitation.
- \$3.7 million was made available to OHA from HUD each year since 2009 in the Indian Housing Block Grant (IHBG).
- Dale Wheelock's leadership brought in over \$5 million in additional competitive grants since 2009. These grants included the \$3 million dollar ARRA grant, \$1.8 million in Indian Community Development Block Grants (infrastructure) and the \$243,000 ROSS Grant.

Facts about OHA under OBC leadership

- The FY 2013 Indian Housing Block Grant was reduced by \$195,000. Check with OHA for verification of grant amount.
- The 2013 ROSS grant of \$243,000 was lost by Ed Delgado because he

failed to notify OHA of the two deficiencies in the grant application. I believe an internal audit is needed to determine accountability for that loss of housing funding.

- In September 2011 Dale Wheelock was notified by his supervisor Ed Delgado to stop the development of 22 units on County FF and 16 apartment units on West Mason St. This can be verified by Oneida Land Committee minutes which approved holding the land at these sites for OHA development.
- In December 2011 the Oneida Business Committee took action to stop OHA from the purchase of homes/land on the reservation. This can be verified in the OBC minutes of January, 2012.
- In March 2012, Vince DelaRosa proposed a joint venture with HomeWay Homes out of Peoria, Illinois. Read the April 5, 2012, page 2A article in the Kalihwisaks for verification of OBC debate on the housing proposal. Vince DelaRosa has been the OBC liaison to OHA for the past two years. He has traveled to Chicago and Milwaukee to meet with the new housing Czar, Fred Busch. Fred Busch reports to Vince and has not produced a single new housing unit this past year.

The OBC has accomplished going over budget in their travel and delayed housing progress. Housing development contracts were delayed for months by OBC involvement in day to day housing operations. No reorganization plan and no balanced budget as promised by the OBC.

Dale Wheelock

Shock and Gall

At the July semi-annual GTC meeting many were surprised to find the Treasurer's report did not mention the 7 Gens corporate report. A crime was committed by omission. Our Oneida Constitution requires it.

Article 1 section 4. Treasurer of the Tribal Council shall accept, receive, receipt for, preserve and safeguard all funds in the custody of the Council, whether they are tribal funds or special funds for which the Council is netting as trustee or custodian. He shall deposit all funds in such depository as the Council shall direct and shall make and preserve a faithful record of such funds and shall report on all receipts and expenditures and the amount and nature of all funds in his possession and custody, at each regular meeting of the General Tribal Council, and at such other times as requested by the Council or the business committee."

Have any of you received the required report? Is the Treasurer violating the Oneida Constitution? You decide.

To hide behind a corporate board is wrong. The BC created the corporation. The corporate charter Article XIII reports section 3(b) states: disclosure report content: The disclosure report shall include, but not be limited to, the following detailed information: (a) Names and titles of all the Corporation's Board members' names, time in the position, ad date when position shall be up for renewal or replacement (if applicable). (b) Names and title if all of the Corporation's key management personnel, with length of service in that position, and if under contract, when that position is up for renewal or expiration of the contract term. (c) Summary of any financial or familial relationship between any of the people in part a. or part b. in this Section, as well as any relationship financial or familial with any current member of the Oneida Business Committee or any member of any regulating the Corporation's industry or activities. (d) Names of any other person whether it is a business in any legal form or an individual, doing business with the Corporation for purposes or mutual enterprise (i.e. including but not limited to: joint ventures; membership in an LLC together; acquisition as a subsidiary, partnership). (e) Summary of the financial transactions or relationship between those listed in d. above in this Section and Corporation, including the purpose of mutual enterprise, legal relationship, or other connection Between the Corporation, its Board or its key management personnel and this other named entity or person.

I am outraged when I see our money being wasted. On May 5, 2013 the GTC voted against 7Gens. The BC had given them \$750,000. This abuse and inefficiency must stop.

You must pitch in and help the people trying to protect the tribe for your children and your grandchildren.

I was shocked to find out that "Green Bay Renewable Energy LLC" was established recently and that they were registered in Delaware.

Greater still was when the treasurer was asked, "Who are the owners?" She gave no answer!

Frank Cornelius

Does It Matter Where You Were Born or Raised?

Should it?

Once again, Oneidas are under attack—but only certain Oneidas. The attack is not from an outside source either. Now our own people are attacking Milwaukee with petitions. Some individuals born and raised in Oneida believe that Oneidas in Milwaukee should not be entitled to, or receive the same things as those who are born, raised, and living on the reservation.

More disturbing is the fact that the individuals who submitted the petitions to possibly get rid of the SEOTS facility and the Milwaukee polling site work for the tribe. One heads up the Oneida Trust Committee as an elected position and the other is an employee working at the Turtle School. Isn't that a "conflict of interest"? I thought those individuals were supposed to be working on behalf of all Oneidas and not just a select few. Is this the same individual who headed up our Children's Trust accounts a few years back? Does anyone remember that? When your child turned 18 and was supposed to get their entire per cap distribution, did they get it all, or was there some missing because of bad investments? Remember, these are the same individuals who now want you to believe what they are saying—that by taking away having a permanent facility or removing the polling site is a positive thing because of its cost or some other lame excuse. A few in Oneida still feel Milwaukee should not get a new facility or have a new polling site even after 20 years.

I know—let's have all the Milwaukee elders drive up to vote, even if the weather is bad or they have medical issues. Or, better yet, let's have Milwaukee people take a day off of work and not get paid to drive up and participate in an election that is supposed to benefit everyone. Does that make sense?

The percentage of Oneidas who now reside off-reservation represents about 70% of the tribe. By taking away the Milwaukee polling site, is it simply voter disenfranchisement? Do certain Business Committee members support this idea, and, if so, which ones? Shouldn't Oneida be making it easier for individuals to vote and participate in elections? Who stands to benefit from not having a permanent facility or polling site? Is someone trying to fix or rig next year's tri-annual election, again?

Will someone take the ballot box home in the trunk of his/her car, again? Will the wrong address of the polling site be used, again?

Some Oneidas who reside in Milwaukee now feel like we are nothing more than a whipping post for all of Oneida—being treated unfairly, differently, or cast aside like garbage. Based upon ideologies like the submitted petitions, we can now see the systematic erosion of our constitutional rights and liberties and "our ways". Only this time, it is not by the outside source but, some of our own people who believe we are "not all equal".

Mike Debraska

Seven Generations Corporation is Not Your Friend

They pay themselves \$200 or more each time they meet (pg. 1 of the corporate report). Last year alone they spent \$16,437 for their meetings (pg. 7). Check who is on their Board, who is getting all the money while the GTC cuts back on our per capita. Paying for projects even before they are approved and buying items has put them in the hole for 2012. Now in 2013, according to BC members, \$750,000 was set aside to fight a losing battle with Green Bay. Why? The BC also gave 7 Gens a Tribal grant for \$334,000 for a feasibility study (pg. 22). Why?

How many LLC's does 7 Gens have and who is each director, CEO, manager, what is the salary, how much did each receive, and how much did each spend? Who are the shareholders, who are the outside investors, how much did each receive for meetings?

BDO's Independent Auditors' Report says: "Management has omitted the Management, Discussion and Analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements" (pg. 4) It further states: Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context" (pg. 4).

Because many years of insubordination, 7 Gens should be abolished in accordance with their By-Laws and their Charter (Article XV. Dissolution).

Why do we spend all that money for audits when 7 Gens does not provide all the information for a complete audit in accordance with their Charter (Article XIV. Audits)? Concerning 7 Gens "internal control over finance reporting" BDO said, "we express no such opinion" (pg. 3) and the Business Committee let them get away with it.

Beverly Somers

Seven (7) Gens

The Business Committee must understand that there is a debt crisis that will continue

draining our economy, if they do not get spending under control. If this BC does not do this we will feel hardship beyond imagination. If the BC can't make tough choices, they were elected to do, to GTC must take a stand to re-establish sound policies for our existence.

This BC is endangering our tribal sovereignty the 7 Gens fight with the City of Green Bay, Wis., by giving them our money even though some may say the attorney is already being paid. Where is our money being spent? Let's not forget the 7 Gens calamities to the tune of \$4 million with not only Nature's Way, but that 7 Gens failure to collect on the large sum of back rent with Nature's Way also including others.

The BC reports this type of activity to the GTC, right? Should we, or do we have to have an outside audit, or should we just abolish the 13-year drain on the tribe? If 7G's ask the BC and/or Trust committee for money and getting it, it appears with very little accountability.

If it's true that 7 Gens refuses to provide detailed reports requested by the BC, and requests by the GTC, and do not comply with the auditor's recommendations, I believe that our attorneys ignore the constitution and provide wrong advice to the GTC.

All tribal members are entitled to this information. We need to bring this issue to the forefront of the GTC agenda before it's too late.

According to our constitution, the Treasurer: shall report on ALL receipts and expenditures and the amount and nature of ALL funds in his/her custody, at each regular meeting of the General Tribal Council, and at such other times as requested by the council of the Business Committee.

If we don't work together, if you don't protect our money, it may just be a matter of time before the tribe is hit by a devastating financial crisis. The tribal members giving out this information, handing out petitions, and questioning the activity by 7 Gens, are a group who have proven themselves to be politically engaged, well informed and have the ability to recognize the seriousness of these issues by being attentive.

The BC does not seem to be able to see it or the ability to grasp it that way. That is why we need to support the effort of all the GTC members to bring the 7 Gens' shady operation to the forefront of the tribal agenda.

The irresponsible action by those who left our tribe vulnerable to those willing to enrich themselves with our money and leaves the BC to appear fearful of taking action, only shows a reluctant BC in need of being forced to protect the tribe, unless the GTC forces them to chain their thinking of our children, grandchildren, our future, not just their families and friends.

Cathy J. Metoxen

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Activities Calendar

for the month of August 2013

- 1 Thursday**
Last Day of the SEOTS Youth Program 8:30am-5:30pm
- 2 Friday**
Last Chance to Call in Med Orders
- 5 Monday**
Pink Shawl Meeting 5:15pm
Oneida Singers 6:30pm
- 6 Tuesday**
Senior Activity Day 11:00am-2:00pm,
 Bird Watching by Bob/\$3 Luncheon/Bingo-
 Bird Room
Oneida Language Classes 3:00pm,
 Summer Hours for Beginners, 5:00pm for
 Continuing Students. All are Welcome!
 Bird Room
Board Meeting 6:00pm - Turtle Room
- 7 Wednesday**
Med Pick-up
- 8 Thursday**
Trip to Arlington Race Track 10:00am
 Departure, \$4 for Adults/Lunch on your own
 and spending money. Call to reserve your spot!
Youth Program Dinner & Slide Show 6:00pm
- 9 Friday**
Last Chance to Call in Med Orders
- 10 Saturday**
Jr. Pink Shawl Mtg. 10:00am, Cultural
 Activities, Crafts, Snacks and Fun! Ages 4 – 17
 - Parent or Adult must be present for the
 morning
- 12 Monday**
Oneida Singers 6:30pm
- 13 Tuesday**
Senior Activity Day 11:00am – 2:00pm
 Wills & New Health Care Changes with
 Sunshine/\$3 Luncheon/Bingo - Bird Room
Oneida Language Classes
 3:00pm Summer Hours for Beginners
 5:00pm for Continuing Students
 All are Welcome! Bird Room
Health Care Changes Presentation
 6:00pm, Sunshine Lemieux from Great
 Lakes Inter-Tribal - Turtle Room
- 14 Wednesday**
Med Pick-up
- 16 Friday**
Last Chance to Call in Med Orders
- 19 Monday**
Oneida Singers 6:30pm
- 20 Tuesday**
Senior Activity Day 11:00am-2:00pm,
 Tai Chi with Jim/Potluck/Bingo - Bird Rm
Oneida Language Classes 3:00pm,
 Summer Hours for Beginners, 5:00pm for
 Continuing Students. All are Welcome!
 Bird Room
- 21 Wednesday**
Med-Pick up Trip to Oneida 8:00am
 Departure
- 23 Friday**
Last Chance to Call in Med Orders
- 24 SEOTS CIRCLE OF LIFE PICNIC**
 Humboldt Park, 3000 So. Howell Ave. at
 the Park Pavilion, 11:30am – 3:30pm
 Wear Purple, Red, White, Black or Yellow –
 (Colors of Oneida and the Medicine Wheel)
 Bring your Lawn Chairs, and dish to pass
 – SEOTS provides the meat and drinks.
 Put on your Smiling Face and be ready to
 have Fun!
- 26 Monday**
Oneida Singers 6:30pm
- 27 Tuesday**
Senior Activity Day 11:00am-2:00pm,
 Horse Race Day/Brown Bag/Bingo - Bird
 Room
Oneida Language Classes 3:00pm,
 Summer Hours for Beginners, 5:00pm for
 Continuing Students. All are Welcome!
- 28 Wednesday**
Bingo Trip 7:00am Departure, \$10 Bingo
 Coupon & \$6 Meal Ticket
Med Pick-up
- 30 Friday**
Last Chance to Call in Med Orders

SEOTS Mission...

Our mission is to strengthen our cultural connection and provide services and programs that enhance the well being of Onayote'a'ka in southeastern Wisconsin.

Milwaukee Community Garden Revitalizes Native Cultures

By Mark W. Powless

Located at 125 West Saveland Avenue in Milwaukee, the Gerald L. Ignace Indian Health Center (GLIHC) Native Wellness Garden offers weekly activities every Friday at 4:00pm.

The 2013 Garden Club is an opportunity for Indian people from all Tribes to learn about Native cultures and traditions. The activities are fun for all ages, but specifically target the youth of the community. According to the GLIHC Community Wellness Representative, Angela Kingsawan, the Friday afternoon get-togethers are “Native inspired with a modern twist”, blending education with fun.

Upcoming Garden Club doings include painting on birch bark, dream catcher making, creating and learning about herbal bundles, sweet grass braiding, storytelling, and information on Native history and culture. In addition, lively games are planned to draw excited youth and their positive energy to the plants and herbs.

The make-up of the garden is as diverse as the Native cultures participat-



Submitted photo

GLIHC Community Wellness Representative, Angela Kingsawan, shows the Three Sisters mounds growing in the Native Wellness Garden.

ing. Mrs. Kingsawan has focused on not only indigenous plants and herbs from Wisconsin, but also plants and herbs used by different Tribal communities. The Tribal diversity of the garden includes Hopi Red Dye Amaranth, Cherokee Trail of Tears Beans, Oneida White Corn and much more. The veritable pot-pourri of remaining plants include strawberries, cantaloupe, peas, black berries, sun flowers,

Echinacea, acorn squash, and catnip, to name a few.

The harvest will be used for Elder group meals, community education, herbal bundle hand-outs, home planting, and to disperse to the Milwaukee Native community. Various programs through GLIHC focus on healthy eating and the benefits of traditional diets.

This garden is an opportunity to “revitalize our culture by remember-

ing and learning about our past”, expressed Mrs. Kingsawan. “I think that is really important for our kids!”

All community members are welcome to participate in the Friday afternoon Garden Club. No RSVP or appointments are necessary, although a good mind and willingness to have fun are!

Work Out, Low Fat for Elders

Have you participated in the W.O.L.F.E. Program at Gerald L. Ignace Indian Health Center?

Here are the details of the program:

Who: Any Native American Elder (age 45 or better)

When: Every Wednesday, 10AM – 1PM

What:

- 10AM – 11AM: **Fitness Activities**
- 11AM – 11:20AM: **Nutrition Discussion**
- 11:20AM – Noon: **Cooking**
- Noon – 1:00PM: **Eat and Socialize**

Where: 1711 S. 11th Street, Milwaukee, WI

(kitchen located on the 2nd floor)

For more information, contact Jennifer Casey at: **414-383-9526, Ext. 155**

Native Wellness Garden

at Tippecanoe Community Garden

Join us for our 2013 Garden Club

Fridays at 4pm!

- Plant a Three Sister's garden!
- Tend medicines, herbs, and vegetables!
- Share in garden stories and traditions!
- Enjoy crafts & games & activities!
- Take home the harvest!

The Native Wellness Garden is located at:
 125 W Saveland Ave, Milwaukee in the Tippecanoe Presbyterian Church's
 Community Garden (4 blocks South of Holt & 1 block West of Howell, near the
 MCTS's GREEN line bus)

Contact Angela or Jennifer to get involved & for more info:

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Legal Resource Center

The Oneida Legal Resource Center will be dedicating hours to the SEOTS office.

For Tribal members seeking free legal advice, please contact the SEOTS office to schedule an appointment. Appointment times are each Tuesday afternoon.



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Get Connected!

Are you interested in learning to sing with the Oneida singers or contacting them for an event?

Call John House at (414) 313-2559

INDIAN COUNCIL OF THE ELDERLY WEEKLY MEALS

Visit the meal site at **631 North 19th Street** every **Monday** and **Friday** (5:00pm the first Monday and Friday of each month, 11:30AM all other Mondays & Fridays).

Enjoy a tasty meal, visit with friends, and play Bingo.

Eligibility: Native American (plus spouse) must be 45+, Non-Native must be 60+.

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COLOR GUARD

The SEOTS Color Guard is seeking veterans to join and participate in Color Guard activities.

For those interested, please contact:
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SEOTS FACILITY USE NOTICE

Effective January 2, 2013 SEOTS will be requesting a donation of **\$25 (Tribal Members) and \$50 (Non-Tribal)** for rental of SEOTS space for private social gatherings.

In addition, SEOTS will require a refundable deposit of \$25 (Tribal Members) & \$50 (Non-Tribal).

If you would like to rent space for your event, please contact the SEOTS office.

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Parent - Teen Adventure Group

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Group Session 2**Date: Wed July 17th, 12-4pm****GPS Adventure Course**

Addressing conflict resolution, and learning to work together in our differences while seeking understanding and solutions. Taking a look at our current parent-teen interactions, and seeking adjustments for more effective communication.

Group Session 3**Date: Mon Aug 5th, 12-4pm****High Ropes Course**

Redeeming/re-establishing trust in the parent-teen relationship. Learning to once again rely on each other.

Creating the opportunity for **RESILIENCE: CONNECT, DISCUSS,** and **PLAY**. Each session will offer the opportunity to engage in a recreational or adventure activity, group discussion, and one-on-one take-home work. Each group session is open to new members, but it is recommended to commit to participating in all three.

Price:Individual Session Price: **\$15 (UP TO THREE FAMILY MEMBERS)**Package Price (For all 3 session): **\$30 (UP TO THREE FAMILY MEMBERS)****AGE:** children 10yrs-17yrs*****Please Contact for more information and to register*******Contact :**

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Cindy Young

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920-490-3818
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**Session 1 - Tree Climbing,
A Success!**

The families that participated in our Parent-Child Tree Climbing session found great joy in being able to share in the experience with their family members. Many found it to be a bonding time. 100% of the families that participated, both parents and children, walked away feeling much more connected to one another.

Please **contact us** if you wish to be involved in the following sessions:

- 1) **GPS: Exploring Conflict Resolution**
- 2) **Challenge Course: Restoring Trust**

Paddling Camp!

Campers gained skills in sea kayaking, recreational kayaking, and canoeing. Canoeing seemed to be a favorite amongst the campers! While accomplishing certain paddling skills is one of our goals, instilling confidence and personal self-esteem is of our highest priority in all our camps. This was not only felt by our campers, but reported by their parents. Amongst the comments of our parents were, "I love that he is exposed to such positive experience; it really helps him expand his horizon. I think it also helps boost his self-esteem."



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Buy local; save oil – shop the Oneida Farmers' Market. Transportation costs are driving up the price of food and beverages, says the Grocery Manufacturers Association. Transportation expenses have risen 32 percent in the past three years and now accounts for 69 percent of all logistic costs.

The Oneida Farmers' Market located at Hwy 54 in the Oneida Business Park by the water tower open every Thursday from 12pm to 6pm. What a great way to spend a nice summer day; buying fresh produce right from the farmer, having a brat or a burger and taking a little time to socialize with the people around you. The Farmers Market started on Thursday, June 27th and runs every Thursday throughout the summer.

New this year is the 'Vendor of the Week'. Each week one vendor will offer a special where if you purchase \$10 worth of product you will get \$5 Oneida Farmers' Market dollars back to use at one of the other many vendors. The Information section is designed to inform and educate our local community about what the Oneida Nation has to offer and the vari-

ous events going on in our area. The demonstration area of the canopy will be for departments or Market vendors to demonstrate various health needs or useful skills (e.g. Early Head Start Program on July 11, Green Cleaning Make it and Take July 25, beading, basking making, etc).

Be sure to mark your calendar for the two Oneida Farmers' Market Bashes which are on July 18th and then on August 15th. We will have live music, games and prizes, youth events, balloon animal making and a free horse drawn wagon ride. So, grab the family and come on down to another great season of the Oneida Farmers Market.

You can keep updated on what is happening at the Oneida Farmers' Market by subscribing to our weekly newsletter. If you are interested in getting the newsletter via email just contact Bill at Wvervoor@oneidationation.org or call 920.496.7423. You can also get the newsletter on our website at www.oneidationation.org/ocifs. We hope to see you down at the Oneida Farmers' Market.



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Previous Lil' Miss Oneida Yokalasha Danforth (right) and newly crowned Lil' Miss Oneida Riley Aguirre (left) pose with newly planted flowers around the Norbert Hill Center sign facing Highway 54. The pair, along with staff from the Environmental Department, spent Friday, June 28 planting as part of their campaigns to beautify the Oneida Reservation.

Skenandore selected as emerging Indigenous leader

Candice Skenandore, an enrolled citizen of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, was recently selected to be a part of a cohort of 18 emerging Indigenous leaders from around the world to participate in a one of a kind leadership development initiative, the Ambassadors Program. Americans for Indian Opportunity (AIO) spearheads the program in the belief that today's Indigenous communities and tribal governments require strong leadership to ensure their

cultural, political, and economic growth and well-being. The Program is unlike any other leadership initiative in the country insofar that it draws upon traditional Indigenous values to empower a new generation of Indigenous leaders.

Candice Skenandore works as a legislative analyst in the Oneida Legislative Reference Office. She holds a B.A. in Political Science with a minor in International Studies from the University of Wisconsin-

Whitewater and an Associate's Degree and Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Paralegal from Northeast Wisconsin Technical College. In pursuit of her B.A., Candice interned with the Oneida Legislative Affairs Office where she worked to build and sustain good-working relationships with local, state and tribal governments. She went on to intern for the PACE, LLP Government Relations firm in Arlington, VA where she assisted in federal lobby-

ing efforts pertaining to Native American issues. She has volunteered with the Girl Scouts of Northwestern Great Lakes and the Green Bay Packers' program First Down for Trees and actively volunteers for the House of Hope.

"Our applicant pool was especially competitive this year, especially with first ever cohort that includes international participants," said Laura Harris, Executive Director of AIO. "The 18 individuals chosen already exhibit exceptional leadership skills, so AIO's program aims to further strengthen their talents by reaffirming their cultural values, cultivating their community organizing skills, and building a network of people and resources they can utilize throughout their careers."

During the two-year Program, Skenandore will meet with leading Native decision-makers, national policymakers and international dignitaries. She will develop and implement a community-based initiative, explore family and tribal histories, expand her knowledge of personal medicine, and gain a more global perspective. "In today's globalized world, the challenges we face are complex and carry dangerous ramifications if we don't develop Indigenous leaders with the skills to build politically sustainable communities," said LaDonna Harris, President of AIO, who helped create the Ambassadors Program in 1993 to nurture culturally grounded Indigenous leaders and strengthen their self-determination capabilities. The Program is designed around four core cultural values: Relationships, Responsibility, Reciprocity and Redistribution.

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Judge blocks new Wisconsin abortion law

MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ A federal judge issued a temporary restraining order Monday evening to block enforcement of a new Wisconsin law that bans doctors who lack admitting privileges at nearby hospitals from performing abortions.

U.S. District Judge William Conley granted the order following a hearing in a lawsuit filed Friday by Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin and Affiliated Medical Services. It alleged the requirement would unconstitutionally restrict the availability of abortions in the state, violates the U.S. Constitution's due process guarantee and unconstitutionally treats doctors who perform abortions differently from those who perform other procedures.

The restraining order will remain in place pending a "Moreover, the record to date strongly supports a finding that no medical purpose is served by this requirement," he said.

The bill was introduced in the Legislature on June 4, passed nine days later and signed into law Friday by Gov. Scott Walker. It took effect Monday. The law also requires women to obtain an ultrasound before getting an abortion, but that provision is not being challenged.

"This ruling is a step in the right direction for the women of Wisconsin who can now continue to make their own personal, private health care decisions," Terry Huyck, president and CEO of Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin, said in a statement. "We are confident that the Court will ultimately recognize if ACT 37 is not blocked, it would unconstitutionally restrict the ability of Wisconsin women, including victims of rape and incest and women who are in need of an abortion to preserve their health, to access safe and legal abortions."

Attorneys told Conley that if the law wasn't put on hold, dozens of women with abortions scheduled in the coming week would have had to cancel their appointments. Those appointments are at a Planned Parenthood clinic in Appleton and the Affiliated Medical Services clinic in Milwaukee, where doctors performing abortions do not have admitting privileges to hospitals within 30 miles as the new law requires, attorneys said.

Wis. could be only state to have 1-term justices

MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ Wisconsin could become the only state to limit its Supreme Court justices to a single term if a proposal put forward by a task force of attorneys becomes law.

The task force has recommended amending the state constitution to limit justices to a single 16-year term, in part as a way of stemming the flow of money into judicial elections. The amendment would have to be approved by the state Legislature and voters.

Sixteen years is about the average length Wisconsin justices have served in recent years.

No state currently limits justices to a single term, according to the American Judicature Society, which advocates for judicial ethics and merit-based appointments of justices.

"It would go some way to curing the perception that judges were looking for handouts," K.O. Myers, research and program director for the group, told the Wisconsin State Journal "If they aren't up for election again, it removes the perception that they are ruling to get someone to donate in the future."

Sixteen years is longer than the set terms in other states, but Rhode Island appoints justices for life and Massachusetts and New Hampshire have appointments until mandatory retirement at age 70.

Joe Troy, a former circuit court judge who chaired the task force, said there has been no political support in Wisconsin for appointing, rather than electing, justices. However, he said political leaders from both parties have said they would consider term limits.

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GTC zips through agenda at semi-annual meeting

By Dawn Walschinski
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The General Tribal Council (GTC) rejected two referendum questions and a petition at the Monday, July 1 Semi-Annual GTC Meeting held at the Radisson Hotel and Conference Center. 1932 Oneida citizens attended the meeting.

A referendum question and petition were both about term limits for boards, committees and commissions and were presented together. The first referendum question from the 2012 election read “Should there be term limits for all board, committee and commission positions including the Business Committee?” The question was disregarded by GTC and accepted as For Your Information (FYI) because adding limits to the Oneida Business Committee (OBC) candidates would take an amendment to the Oneida Constitution.

The petition, presented by Linda Dallas, read “Direct that all elected and appointed positions for all Oneida Boards, Committees and Commissions, excluding the Oneida Business Committee, shall be for a four (4) year term, with a term limit of two terms (totaling eight years), a two (2) year waiting period before running for the same board, committee or commission, and shall be effective for the elections of 2013 and all future elections.” The motion was later amended to the 2014 elections and excluded the Oneida Nation Commission on Aging (ONCOA) and the Oneida Nation Arts Board as both programs receive state funds.

“People are in those positions for a very, very long time, and elected and appointed position are not intended to be careers,” said

Dallas in her presentation.

However, GTC member Elijah Hill stated he disagreed with the petition during discussion.

“People have the right to vote for whoever they want in a position,” said Hill. “If you’re in a position already, you’ve gained all that experience and then to me it seem it’s almost got to work backwards to put someone new in.”

The motion to accept the term limits would have needed a two thirds majority to pass, but OBC Chairman Ed Delgado stated it was clear during the hand vote that the petition didn’t have enough support, and the motion failed.

The second referendum read “Should school board members have educational backgrounds?” Councilman Brandon Stevens told the GTC members that they would have to define “educational background.” Stevens also noted that other area school boards had no such requirement, and it is currently difficult to attract people who want to serve on the school board. Currently the only requirements are that the nine member board all be Oneida citizens and that at least seven members are parents or guardians of a student in the Oneida Nation School System.

GTC member Linda Powless argued against the referendum during discussion.

“The whole point of parental involvement was to get control of our education so that we could support the cultural knowledge that we hold within our communities,” said Powless.

The GTC denied the referendum.

Earlier in the meeting, the GTC approved minutes for the July 2, 2012 semi-annual, the September 17, 2012 FY2013 Budget, and

the November 19, 2012 special meetings.

Treasurer Tina Danforth gave her semi-annual report. She explained that the tribe was working on paying down debt and had created set asides to do so.

The GTC accepted the Treasurer’s Report, however, the body tabled a request to accept the 2013 Semi-Annual Report when some members of the GTC complained that they hadn’t received the packet and didn’t know what they were approving.

Secretary Patty Hoeft explained that Oneida citizens needed to return their postcard to receive the annual and semi-annual reports in the mail, and that the material was available online at the members’ only website (<https://oneidansn.gov/MembersOnly.aspx>).

GTC member Diane McLester-Heim admonished the other attendees to be prepared for meetings.

“Take responsibility and seek out the information?” she said.

Councilman David Jordan gave a report on plans to implement a new parent communications and grievance process for the Oneida Childcare Department. He stated that the policy was moving forward and they are creating a parent-teacher association. The report was accepted by the GTC.

Councilwoman Melinda Danforth gave status report on conducting a US Department of Interior Secretary election to vote on changes to the Tribe’s constitution.

“We think we’re close, but we’ve been close for a long time,” said Councilwoman Danforth.

She pointed out that voting might be limited to people who live on the reservation, and that she was working to fight that limitation.

Dad in Indian child case seeks Oklahoma adoption

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) ~ The biological father of an American Indian child who is the center of a custody suit that went to the U.S. Supreme Court has now filed to adopt the child in Oklahoma.

The Post and Courier of Charleston reports that Dusten Brown and other relatives filed the court papers in Oklahoma on Monday.

The U.S. Supreme Court ruled last month that South Carolina courts should decide who gets to adopt the 3-year-old named Veronica. South

Carolina courts originally said the federal Indian Child Welfare Act favored her living with her father and Brown took custody in 2011.

Matt and Melanie Capobianco of James Island, S.C., who raised Veronica for the first 27 months of her life, appealed. Their attorney says the Oklahoma filing will further delay South Carolina proceedings.

Information from: The Post and Courier, <http://www.postandcourier.com>

American Indian staff remains outside civic center

DULUTH, Minn. (AP) ~ The American Indian staff, vandalized three times, will remain outside the Duluth Civic Center until the city and tribal leaders can discuss its placement.

The staff is made of ironwood with eagle feathers and ribbons tied to the top. It’s considered a flag to the Anishinaabe people and was planted during a rally in November of 2011. It was replanted

during a recent spiritual ceremony after it was vandalized for a third time.

Mayoral spokesman Daniel Fanning says questions have been raised about whether the staff’s placement is legal. Fanning tells the Duluth News Tribune the staff won’t be moved until a discussion is held with tribal leaders about what to do with it.

Smoking Group

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Cost: FREE to tribal members & employees

The curriculum that is being used for this program is through the American Lung Association and is called “Freedom From Smoking”.

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CMN's Theatre Production Tells the Story of an Oneida 49 Gone Wrong

College of Menominee Nation (CMN) again invites you and yours to the Norbert Hill Center Auditorium in "Reservation Interrogation", is a comedy that uses dark humor to talk about land ownership issues, and it was written by CMN students, Anthony Hernandez, Shanae Hickman, Sapatis Menomin, Elizabeth Rice, Quinton Schuyler, and Kayla Thomas in a playwriting course at CMN this past spring. This production also marks the sixth time CMN has collaborated with the Oneida Arts Program's Dollars for Arts Program, which provides funds to support excellence, innovations, and the development of the arts in Oneida for individual artists and community groups.

The play, "Reservation Interrogation", depicts an episode of the fictional news program "Wisconsin Justice" to recap the mysterious events stemming from a 49 that occurred after the Oneida Powwow. It seems that sometime during that night someone snuck into Hobart and left their mark on the Village Office. Four people were accused of the crime and brought into the Oneida police

department for questioning. There's more at play than there initially appears, and the production uses a series of flashbacks to uncover the truth. The play talks about contemporary issues for Oneida people specifically, and American Indians in general, but it does so in a way that is both engaging and entertaining.

involved in the play included: Elizabeth Rice, Nathaniel Madsen, Brooke Metoxen-Smith, Louis Cottrell, Wauneka Powless, Jessica Buettner, Kiara Dorner, Amber Webster, Geoffrey Madsen, Marlow Dorner, Mason Powless, Amanda Stevens, Jaime Wheelock, and Quinton Schuyler.

member Ryan Winn, has two showings, one on Tuesday, July 23rd and the second on Wednesday, July 24th. Both shows begin at 7:30 and admission is free. The production runs just under an hour in length, and there will be a reception following both shows where the audience will be able to meet and greet the production's cast and crew. The play is perfect for all ages.

RESERVATION INTERROGATION

Written By:
CMN'S Spring 2013 Playwriting Course

DIRECTOR:
Ryan Winn

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR:
Elizabeth Rice

TECHNICAL DIRECTOR:
Nathaniel Madsen

JULY 23 & 24, 2013
7:30 P.M.
Norbert Hill Center Auditorium
Oneida, WI

Free Admission

Welcome to INDIAN HOBART!

CMN students and community members

The play, edited and directed by CMN faculty

Menominee Casino Resort Honors the "King of Pop" with Moonwalker: A Reflection of Michael

Michael Jackson, also known as the King of Pop, is recognized as "the most successful entertainer of all time" by Guinness World Records. This July, the Menominee Casino Resort presents a captivating opportunity for you to experience a reproduction honoring the musical genius, his distinctive sound and flamboyant style.



Moonwalker's stylists bring Michael Jackson to life in an explosion of energetic perfection, with the appearances and performance.

Purchase your tickets online at www.menomineecasinoresort.com or by calling (800) 343-7778, ext. 4024. VIP Seating is \$35.00 and General Admission is \$30.00. Each adult ticket holder will receive \$5.00 in Free2Play. Relive the magic and magnificence of the King of Pop; purchase your Moonwalker tickets today!

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Children enjoy activities at Oneida Recreation

Submitted By:
Chrisstara Cornelius
Recreation Intern

Since the first week was completed the seven and eight year old participants have continued to have many positive experiences.

The second week began with a field trip to the 1000 Islands Environmental Center located in Kaukauna which is a public recreational and nature area open to all. The nature resource center provides educational programs that teach children and adults the importance of the relationship between them and the environment. While there the youth got the opportunity to hike a portion of the many miles of trails. They also had the exciting chance to catch crayfish in the river which flowed between the 1000 islands.

The following day was reserved for making sun catchers and designing their own puzzles, along with playing games to build their team skills.

Wednesday was spent enjoying the amusement park rides out at Bay Beach.

The next day entailed a “Not So Tough Mudder” competition. The relay consisted of multiple water obstacle stations that the participants had to complete as a group.

On Friday the youth took an exciting trip to Funset Boulevard in Appleton which concluded the second week.

Watch for updates on the Oneida Recreation Summer Program in the next Kalihwisaks.



Photos courtesy of Chrisstara Cornelius
Seven and eight year olds enjoyed trips to Bay Beach and healthy snacks at Oneida Recreation.

New Oneida ID Cards Available

Beginning June 1st there will be a new Oneida ID card available at Enrollment office. The new card looks much like the old cards with one exception, it will have a bar code on the back of the card. This bar code allows for faster Gas Tax exemption service for the customers at the Oneida One Stops. It also a more accurate way of tracking the transactions so the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin can be reimbursed from the State more efficiently.

In the future it will also assist with the processing of tribal members who attend GTC meetings. Getting a new card today will require a fee of \$3.50 or \$1.50 if you are over 55. The only exception to the bar coded cards are youth 15 or younger who will not receive bar coded ID cards.

A new ID card can be obtained during regular business hours at the Enrollment office with the exception of Mondays – No ID cards are processed on Mondays between June 1-Sept 2.

If you do not need a new card right now, you may opt to wait until October 1, 2013, at which time, you may exchange your old card for a new card with bar code at NO cost to you.



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Oneida Tribal Chairperson



Oneida Enrollment Official

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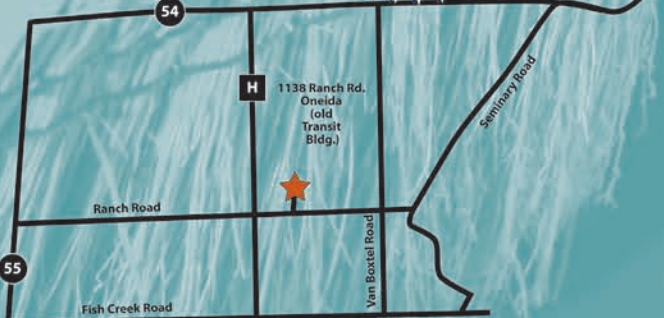


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Independent Consultant/Contractor
NATOW Director

Position Summary:
Facilitates the continued development of the Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council Native American Tourism Of Wisconsin (NATOW) program. In conjunction with the NATOW Advisory Committee, develops and promotes tourism in order to attract visitors and produce significant economic benefits for Wisconsin tribal communities. Works with the Advisory Committee to implement tourism planning, marketing and public relations campaigns to promote NATOW projects and activities, provides technical assistance and training to tribes for tourism planning, marketing and promotion; leverages time and resources of the organization’s leadership to drive growth by managing and developing a variety of fundraising initiatives. The Director reports to the NATOW Chairperson or designated NATOW official. The Director will serve as liaison between the NATOW member tribes, Wisconsin Department of Tourism, GLITC Executive Director, and associate partners.

Expectations and Responsibilities
1) Develop and implement fund raising plan for project funding soliciting support from multiple sources, including tribal councils/legislatures, tribal vendors and other tourism related entities.
2) Coordinate the publication of new editions of the Native Wisconsin magazine.
3) Assist with the development of; and direct NATOW marketing strategies and execute the public relations strategies/activities.
4) With direction from the NATOW Advisory Committee, update NATOW Strategic Plan and is responsible for accomplishing the goals and objectives.

5) Coordinate planning, marketing and staging of the NATOW Tourism Conference and fundraising golf outing annually along with all other NATOW events.
6) Update NATOW website on a recurring and timely basis.
7) Access the impacts of tourism in Native American communities and the State of Wisconsin.
8) Attend conferences, seminars, tradeshow, workshops and other education events, approved by NATOW initiatives; and to stay current on tourism technology.
9) Develops and administers budget and approved expenditures in accordance with program requirements. Maintains fiscal integrity for all NATOW funding while ensuring complete and accurate record-keeping.
10) Responsible for completion of reports, the continuing funding applications, and development of financial guidelines and management of local projects.
11) Assures that all services are delivered in a culturally sensitive manner.
12) Engages in ongoing networking activities to remain current on the availability of services available to Native Americans.
13) Performs other duties as necessary to fulfill these expectations /responsibilities.
14) Promote the development of Native American tourism for the benefit of the Wisconsin Tribes and their surrounding communities, recognizing the unique contributions and significant impact tribes have on Wisconsin’s tourism industry.

Job Requirements
Bachelor’s Degree in tourism, economics, commerce, communications, business or public administration or related field preferred or related experience. Ten years experience in tourism/economic development projects supervision and administration, program evaluation and community needs assessment preferred or an acceptable combination of relate education and experience. Working experience desired with a Native American Tribal organization and/or not-for-profit agency. Grant writing and /or fundraising experience required. Individual must possess: excellent verbal and written communication skills; professional demeanor and appearance excellent problem solving skills; ability to manage time effectively; ability to prioritize multiple projects; self-motivation skills; work effectively under pressure; ability to build positive work relationships with internal and external customers; ability to interact professionally with a wide variety of people and ability to maintain confidentiality. Individual must be able to apply advanced reasoning skills to problem solving and use basic and advanced mathematical skills. Must possess valid driver’s license and/or have reliable transportation with adequate insurance and ability to travel. Must be computer literate and have skills in website maintenance and design. Submit cover letter and resume to:
Carmen Brady, NATOW Secretary/Treasurer; P.O. Box 95; Crandon, WI; 54520 or via email **CarmenB@molelake.com**. Fax **715-478-1428**. *Applications accepted until 4:30 pm on July 24th, 2013.*



Graphic Design Specialist
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Graphic design and graphic arts support for overall marketing including proposals, qualification statements, brochures, posters, conference materials, publications, project signs, office signs, logo development, and any other items requiring graphic arts. Work involved deadline-driven schedules and ability to support multiple, concurrent projects successfully. Ability to work positively in a customer service atmosphere with effective communication skill and collegial spirit is essential.

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• Graphic arts support of all marketing activities firmwide, including simple to complex technical proposals, brochures, posters, presentations, publications, project signs, office signs, logo development, and technical reports.
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Qualifications:
• Ability to work in a deadline-driven environment with mastery of multitasking skills while serving multiple internal customers.
• Ability to produce effective figures, charts, brochures, and other graphical design pieces using Adobe Creative Suites tools, MS Word, and MS PowerPoint.
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The address is W1256 Hattie Lane. Lot size requires it to be a single wide trailer and must fit onto existing slab.
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Oneida Zoning Ordinance requires any trailer to be moved onto the reservation must be inspected. Contact Oneida Zoning Dept. at **920-869-1600** to arrange an inspection or for necessary permits.
The GETC lot application is available from Property Management, Land Management office, located at 470 Airport Drive, or call **920-869-1690** or **1-800-684-1697**, ext. **1814**, Diane Wilson, for an application to be sent to your home address. **dwilson@oneidanation.org** Any questions, feel free to contact me as well. Lot will be available on a first come first serve basis to a qualified applicant.

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<i>Deadline: August 15</i>	Print: September 19

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*Attorney	Law	July 5, 2013

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River Ohkwali (Bear) Schuyler
River Ohkwali (Bear) Schuyler was the first-born child to Paul R. Smith and Jessica Foster, of Milwaukee, WI, at 9:24 PM on Wednesday, June 19, 2013 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Milwaukee, WI. River weighed 7 lbs. 11.8 oz. and was 20 3/4 inches long. Maternal Grandparents are Steve and Gloria Foster (Canandaigua, NY). Paternal grandparents are Paul A. Smith (Milwaukee) and Sandy Schuyler (Oneida).



Preston Alan Moses
Preston Alan Moses was born to proud parents Linda Douangmala and Trevor J.J. Moses at 6:14AM on Wednesday, July 3, 2013 at Bellin Hospital. He weighed 7lbs 4oz and was 21 inches long. The maternal grandparents are Bounmy Douangmala and the late KhamSingh Douangmala. The paternal grandparents are Yvonne Kaquatosh and the late Louis A. Moses Jr. His older brother Ayden gives him kisses every day.

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travel to the Gathering Place Victory Garden, an apartment building community garden, a neighborhood garden, and the SLO Food garden at UWGB. Two weeks later, on August 10th we will be visiting five more gardens on the West side. The tour will begin with Tsyunhekw^ Oneida Community garden, proceed on to the Seymour Park Community garden, West High Schools Wildcat Community Garden, The New Community Shelter Community garden, and UW extension community garden on Maple & Augusta.

Come and visit these gardens and find out more about how they are empowering their communities and supporting people to embrace healthy food habits. Learn how you can become part of a sustainable local food system that supports healthy eating and healthy living. New Leaf Foods, Inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit community organization working collaboratively with New Leaf Market Cooperative to promote "healthy people nurturing and nourished by a thriving, sustainable

local food system." New Leaf Foods' educational and charitable mission is to improve the health of community members, cultivate access to local and regional food, promote sustainability of natural resources and nurture community food security. If you have any questions about the garden tour, please contact Molly Collard at 920.680.6484 or molly.collard@gmail.com & Kim Diaz at 920-496-9464 Thank you for all you do to support healthy, local food!

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Would You Be Interested In The "Safe Home Parent Network"?

The Safe Homes Parent Network Program is designed to:

- Protect the safety of youth by educating parents about the impact of adolescent alcohol, tobacco, and other drug use. To educate the parents on the serve legal consequences for parents who willing allow underage drinking and drug use in their

- homes. • Help parents establish a clean "NO USE" of alcohol, tobacco and other drug use message to their children. • For parents to take a unified stand and send a consistent message that underage drinking and drug use is unhealthy, unlawful and unacceptable. • Encourage parents to openly communicate with one another about parenting con-

- cerns. • Assist parents in establishing reasonable guidelines for their children's behavior. • Make parents aware of alternative activities for the youth. • Provide a continuing support network for both the parents and youth.

To learn more, please join us in the **Community Room at OLC on July 17th, 2013 from 4:30PM – 5:30PM.** For more information please contact **Laurie Becker** at 490-3843.

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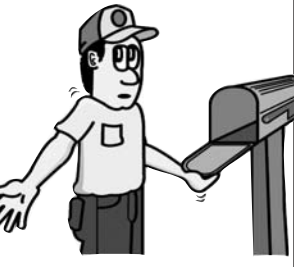
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Telephone service is considered a necessity, yet the cost of activating and maintaining the service may be too costly for some consumers. For this reason, the government provides two low-income programs for qualifying customers through the federal Universal Service Fund – Lifeline and Link-up. These programs provide discounts on initial connection fees and monthly service for qualified telephone subscribers. The qualifications for these programs vary by state. To find out if you qualify or for more information, please contact Nsight Telservices – Pulaski at 920-865-7000. Residents of Oconto, Oconto Falls and Abrams can reach Nsight Telservices at 920-826-5215.



Dear General Tribal Council,

On July 8, 2013, once again, the Supreme Governing Body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, the General Tribal Council spoke and the directive was swift and short leaving many, including myself, to ponder and reflect. The General Tribal Council, in accordance with all the rules of our governmental system, determined that an entire agenda would be dismissed. In effect, the mechanisms of the regulation of GTC decision making is continually “making history.”

Three petitions sponsored by Linda Dallas and Kerry “Bug” Danforth were on the agenda for the GTC meeting addressing the issues of the Appeals Commission in decision making on child support, custody, transference of cases to Family Court in the County circuit system, and the dissolution of the Appeals Commission. The impetus for generating the petitions was first and foremost for the “protection of Oneida children within the Family Court system in the Appeals Commission and the wishes of the signers to protect Oneida children were expressed in the support of the signers of the petition. As a Councilman and as Chair, my record and the record of the Business Committee on protecting the Oneida people and their resources is strong and the protection of our precious children is beyond a priority, it is the great act of love by parents and grandparents, and the entire extended Oneida family to “grow” and protect our children.

As a people, providing for the wellbeing of all our people is reflected in



Chairman’s Report

By Ed Delgado
Chairman



our laws which govern all tribal members. Indeed, the passage of the Judiciary Act in January, 2013, to create a newer and better system to adjudicate matters for all Tribal members was a giant step forward in that effort to protect our people and our resources; it included the creation of a Family Commission and the dissolution of the current Appeals Commission process. In fact, the motion to dismiss the agenda by

Councilman Brandon Stevens was based on the position that all of the items in the petitions on the agenda had been addressed in the Judiciary Law passed in January, 2013. The General Tribal Council passed the motion to dismiss the agenda; The decision of the General Tribal Council is the law of our tribe.

In fact, the Legislative Reference Office is now working on refining and explaining the issue of transfer of cases under

the stipulations to the Counties, and this process has the support of my office and the matter will be closely followed by this Chair and staff and information transmitted to tribal families.

Please note that the last three GTC meeting mail out booklets (May 5, July 1, and July 8, 2013) have contained the published petition and the names of the signers on the petition. While this falls under the Public records law, it was done without notice to the GTC and has caused questions regarding the fact that just because a record can be published, should the record be published. It is equally important to note that the tribal members should be advised that just because you sign a petition does not necessarily mean that you are going to vote for or against it; it signifi-

cantly means that you as a tribal member see merit in the issue being brought before the GTC.

This power of the General Tribal Council and the work of the General Tribal Council is a binding commitment by all Tribal members and elected and appointed officials that this body is the highest authority of our Tribal government.

While our governmental processes are often cumbersome, the Oneida Tribe continues to remain steadfast in both the survival and the will to thrive as a strong and sovereign people. In the end, as we all, as a Tribe, humble ourselves to the power and the direction of the General Tribal Council, the Chairman and the Business Committee continue to work as directed to move forward in the protection and wellbeing of all of our people.

Treasurer’s Report

By Cristina Danforth
Oneida Tribal Treasurer

With a majority of General Tribal Council members not in receipt of the 2013 Annual Report I am taking the opportunity to highlight the Finance Division of the Tribe. The mission of the Finance Division is “to provide exceptional financial management and support while safeguarding the assets and ensuring financial integrity.” These words are very important to us and we take our mission seriously.

Over the past year we have accomplished many things. Chief Financial Officer Larry Barton was named CFO of the Year

which resulted in this new facility

Finance and Purchasing worked diligently together to keep the costs of the new Anna John Resident Centered Care Community project below budget. Rae Skenandore and Dave Bischoff were instrumental in ensuring all the project needs were met while working meticulously to negotiate the best prices possible. Through this joint effort, we were able to finish the project well below budget.

The Finance Committee meets twice per month on the first and third Friday’s of each month. During these meetings we address requests from various departments as well as community requests. The Community Fund is funded through the rebate we receive from our soda vendor. Tribal dollars or Tribal contribution is not used for this fund. These dollars are used to pay for

a variety of events such as sport fees, music lessons, educational camps, special needs supplies and classes. The Community Fund does not pay travel expenses of any kind nor do they pay for anything related to personal business.

So far this year we have received thirty-six (36) requests in the amount of \$12,377 which is an average of \$343.80 per person. The limit is \$500 with a 10% participant match. For the complete guidelines of the Community Fund please visit the Tribe’s website.

This same fund also allows us to donate soda and water. To date we have donated one hundred sixty-seven (167) cases of product to various Tribal events. These two funds are very important to many people throughout our community and we are very glad this opportunity is available to any Tribal member.

Over the past two years of this term, I could not be happier with the Finance Division as a whole. They are very ethical people who I can rely on for any financial information I need at any time. Combine that with how carefully they have worked to ensure we have the appropriate policies and procedures in place to ensure each department is treated fairly is essential. By mandating the three bid process, we have saved millions of dollars. The same is true with the changes that occurred to the Tribal Preference Law. While Finance cannot take the credit for those changes, we have implemented and enforced the new law which also has resulted in millions of dollars in savings. All these small things add up to heaps of dollars, dollars we used to fund the new Larsen Road One Stop, the Casino expansion and pay down over \$11M in debt.

All of these accomplishments would not have been made without the persistent attention to detail made by the Finance Division, namely Larry Barton, CFO, Ralinda Ninham-Lambries, Assistant CFO and Terry Cornelius, Chief Financial Advisor. They could not be as effective in their jobs without Denise Vigue, Administrative Assistant who not only coordinates them but everything relating to the Finance Committee. Without these individuals and their respective teams I truly believe our financial situation would not be as bright as it is today. Thank you for all your hard work!

On that note, I wish everyone a safe, happy, and healthy summer filled with fun and new experiences. Thank you all for your support at the July 1, 2013 GTC meeting and I look forward to our next meeting together.

ONEIDA NATION COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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Latest News

Congratulations to Oneida Nation School System students who participated in the National American Indian Science & Engineering Fair

Kalihwisaks feature story
Webster to tee off at Nationwide event

Public Safety Notice
Please read this important public safety notice regarding cow horn rattles sold at the Oneida Museum

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- Important dates
- Government Meetings
- Upcoming Special GTC Meetings
- Latest News
- Letters from tribal leaders

Government Meetings

BC Regular Meeting
Wednesday March 28, 2012
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

LOC Meeting
Wednesday April 4, 2012
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

CDPC
Thursday April 5, 2012
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Finance Committee
Monday April 9, 2012
9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

BC Executive Discussion meeting
Tuesday April 10, 2012
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

BC Regular Meeting
Wednesday April 11, 2012
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

LOC Meeting
Wednesday April 18, 2012
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

More Meetings...



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Public Hearing Notice

5:00 pm - 3759 W. Mason St. - Ridgeview Plaza - Suite 4
Thursday July 18, 2013

Purpose: Land Access Designation for Natural Areas
• **Norbert Hill Woods**
• **Osnúhas? Kanya-tála (Finger Lake)**
• **TyenΛyaokwáhtha? Tsi?tyutat?nikuhlolya'tha? (Quarry Park)**
• **Nya?tekatsi?tá'slake? Thutstelítha? kah-nekalúnyuhse? (Where the Water Birds Nest)**

The Environmental Resource Board (ERB) is identified in the Public Use of Lands and Trespass Law as the body to determine the designations for Tribal Land.

The purpose of this hearing is to identify the proper land access designations for Oneida Natural Area lands for different land uses. Land Access shall be created which designates these Natural Areas as one of the following: Limited Access, Oneida Community Access, Oneida Tribal Member Access, or Open Access. The ERB together with the EH&SD shall, after holding a public hearing and reviewing any comments received, make written findings of fact and determine the designations towards the creation of a Land Access map.

I. Testimony:
A. Oral: There will be a 5 minute limit for all oral presentations. Each participant is encouraged to provide a written transcript of his/her oral testimony, to be submitted while present at the public hearing or within ten (10) business days from the date of public hearing to the below named individuals.
B. Written: For those who cannot attend the scheduled public hearing or do not plan to speak at the hearing, the Oneida Environmental Resource Board encourages those to submit written testimony. A maximum of five (5) pages, doubled spaced, can be submitted within ten (10) business days from the date of public hearing to Eugene Schubert, Policy Analyst, eschuber@oneidanation.org or Chad Wilson, Project Manager, cwilson1@oneidanation.org at Environmental Resource Board, 3759 W. Mason St, Ridgeview Plaza Suite #6, Oneida, WI 54155

* If you would like to obtain a copy of the Parks under discussion, the land access designations under the Public Use of Lands & Trespass Law, or have any questions as to the public hearing process you may contact Eugene Schubert at ERB, via email at: eschuber@oneidanation.org or call (920) 496-5362.

Legal Notice

Setting Time and Notice to Creditors:
Request for information.
The following estates are being prepared for probate by the United States Department of the Interior and/or the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Division of Land Management.
All creditor claims must be filed on or before July 24, 2013

Mrs. Josephine Kindness
DOB 04/18/1938
DOD 03/05/2013

Send all creditors' claims and/or information relating to the decedent to the following:

Tina L. Figueroa, Land Title and Trust Specialist/Probates, Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin
Division of Land Management
P.O.Box 365 • Oneida WI 54155
Dated: June 12, 2013

Legal Notice

Oneida Tribal Judicial System Original Hearing Body Notice of Hearing

Re: Docket #13CS003A, Oneida Tribe
Child Support Agency and Raeann A. Teller vs. UNKNOWN

A diligent attempt is made to notify the above individuals of an action filed by the Oneida Tribe Child Support Agency for a Petition for Child Support. A hearing shall take place on August 1st 2013 at 9:00 am in the above captioned case at the Oneida Tribal Judicial System courtroom; located at Ridgeview Plaza, Suite #1, 3759 W. Mason St, Oneida, WI 54155.
Inquiries for pleadings and/or additional information may be directed to:
Clerk of Court
Oneida Tribal Judicial System
P.O. Box 19
Oneida, WI 54155
(920) 497-5800

Legal Notice

Oneida Tribal Judicial System Original Hearing Body Notice of Hearing

RE: Oneida Division of Land Management vs. Dakota King and Jessica Akeens
2013-LCCV-003

A diligent attempt was made to notify the individuals of a claim filed by the Oneida Division of Land Management for Summons to Appear. A hearing shall take place on (September 9, 2013 at 4:00 p.m.) in the above captioned case at the Oneida Division of Land Management office; located at 470 Airport Drive, Oneida, WI 54155.
Inquiries for additional information may be directed to
Original Hearing Body Clerk
(920)869-1690

Send your email to:
kalihwisaks@oneidanation.org

Legal Notice

Oneida Tribal Judicial System Notice of complaints filed and scheduled Hearings

Re: Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin vs. Various Individuals

A diligent attempt was made to notify the following individuals of a claim filed by the Oneida Tribe for **judgment against them, on Wednesday, June 26, 2013**, at 3:00PM in the above captioned case at the Oneida Tribal Judicial System office; located at Ridgeview Plaza, Suite #1, Oneida, WI 54155.

13-TC-074	Antoinette R. Thomas
13-TC-075	Sarol Cadotte
13-TC-076	Carla R. Carle
13-TC-077	Shelbie Castillio
13-TC-078	Melissa S. Dallas
13-TC-079	Eugene Danforth
13-TC-080	Janine A. Danforth
13-TC-081	Sheena Danforth
13-TC-082	Simone F. Decoteau-Patterson
13-TC-083	Steven L. Deyo
13-TC-084	Clarence Duxtater, Jr.
13-TC-086	Ricky J. Granquist
13-TC-087	Theresa Gutierrez
13-TC-088	Nicole House
13-TC-089	Edward J. Joepeck
13-TC-091	Leah John
13-TC-095	Tracy L. Smith
13-TC-097	Sabrina M. Trepanier
13-TC-098	Kyla R. Wallenfang
13-TC-099	Sherrie Brunette
13-TC-101	Rebecca & Ronald Cornelius, Jr.
13-TC-102	Jody & Aleta Cornelius
13-TC-105	Simone F.Decoteau-Patterson
13-TC-106	Daniel P. Guzman
13-TC-108	Marie & Ronald L. Hoke
13-TC-109	Liane F. Melchert
13-TC-110	Darlene A. Longcore
13-TC-111	Lizzie & Looney Mouse
13-TC-112	Tina D. Metoxen
13-TC-113	Lauralyn S. Schuyler
13-TC-114	Jennifer M. Stevens
13-TC-115	Rodney & Pat Vandehei
13-TC-118	Kyla R. Wallenfang
13-TC-119	Diane M. Wilson

For specific questions about this claim, settlement or payment arrangements prior to this hearing, please contact Mary J. Smithers at Central Accounting at (920) 490-3566.

Inquiries for additional information may be directed to Clerk of Court, Oneida Tribal Judicial System (920) 497-5300.

The Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin - Legislative Operating Committee

Notice of Public Meeting

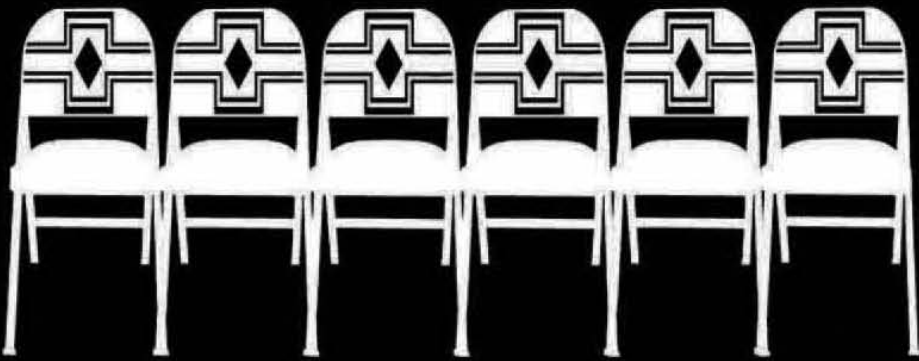
Topic: Amendments to the Comprehensive Policy Governing Boards, Committees and Commissions

When & Where:

Thursday, July 18, 2013 at 12:15 p.m.

OBC Conference Room

Second Floor, Norbert Hill Center—Oneida, WI



Summary of the Proposal

The amendments would retitle the policy as “Board, Committees and Commissions” (Law) and enact it as a law. The amendments would also:

- Govern the creation and dissolution of boards, committees and commissions; and the appointment of persons to boards, committees and commissions;
- Set out the type of information required to be contained within bylaws;
- Determine how official records are maintained and compensation is paid;
- Limit a Tribal member to one (1) appointed position on a Board, Committee or Commission. Tribal members will not be allowed to hold more than one Board, Committee or Commission position and Tribal Corporation Board position at the same time.
- Limit a Tribal member to serve a maximum of two (2) consecutive full terms in any one (1) appointed position. Upon adoption of the Law, the resolution will contain a grandfather clause to allow all elected persons serving in an office on the effective date of this amendment to have their current term counted as their first term, regardless of the number of terms previously elected to that office.
- Prohibit Tribal members from serving as an elected or appointed official and as a Tribal employee.

The Public Meeting materials, including the draft proposal, legislative analysis and any other relevant documents, will be made available at the Public Meeting, or can be obtained in advance through the Legislative Reference Office. The Public Meeting materials are also available on the Tribal Website at: <https://oneida-nsn.gov/PublicHearings.aspx>

Public Comment Period:

June 27, 2013 to July 25, 2013

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To submit written comments, obtain a copy of the Public Meeting documents, or learn more about the public meeting process, please visit or contact the Legislative Reference Office, located on the second floor of the Norbert Hill Center, Oneida WI.

Mail:
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PO Box 365,
Oneida, WI 54155
E-Mail:
LBoucher@oneidanation.org
Phone:
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(800)236-2214

Board Vacancies

To submit an application by **e-mail** send to: **TribalSecretary@oneidanation.org**
To submit an application by **mail** send to: Tribal Secretary's Office
PO Box 365 Oneida, WI 54155
To submit an application **in person**: The Tribal Secretary's Office is located on the 2nd floor of the Norbert Hill Center
If you have any questions please contact the **Tribal Secretary's Office at 920-869-4364**

Environmental Resource Board:

One (1) Vacancy, 3yr term

Qualifications:
a) The ERB shall consist of nine (9) enrolled members of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin who are not employed within the Environmental Dept., the Conservation Dept., or other areas of the Oneida Tribe over which the ERB has direct oversight responsibility and authority.
b) Commissioners shall be appointed by the Oneida Business Committee to serve a three (3) year term.
c) All ERB members, within one hundred eighty (180) days of the appointment to the ERB , are required to participate in training as follows:
1. Environmental Law-Eight (8) hours, two (2) hours of which shall be Oneida Tribal law and procedures.
2. Grievance, Hearing, and Appeals. Six (6) hours of

training in formal opinion writing and the basics of evidence.
3. Two (2) hours of professional ethics, including issues of confidentiality.
4. Thereafter, all ERB members shall either accumulate a minimum of eight (8) hours annually in the above training or shall review annually the lessons and materials connected with the above training.
5. A minimum of three (3) hours training in a formalized process for conducting meetings as determined by the ERB.
6. The ERB may, at its discretion, extend the time allowed for completion of any and all required training of a member for good cause shown.

Deadline: Friday, July 12, 2013, 4:30pm

Bay Bank Board

One (1) Vacancy, 5yr Term

Qualifications:
Individual eligible for election to the Board of Directors shall meet minimum qualifications determined by properly offered and approved motion (s) of the stockholders.
1. Qualifications for membership to the Board may include experience, education, prior service to the shareholder or its affiliates, or other qualifications which the shareholders deem appropriate

and are within the parameters of applicable laws.
2. Due to the regulated nature of the business and the state in incorporation, shareholders shall not be bound by the Oneida Tribe of Indians Policy on Boards, Committees, and Commissions when electing eligible members to the Board.
3. A director does not need to be a resident of the State of Wisconsin.

Deadline: Friday, July 12, 2013, 4:30pm

Oneida Pow Wow Committee

Three (3) Vacancies, 3yr Term

Qualifications:
a) Committee shall be made up of nine members with voting powers.
b) Membership is not restricted to enrolled Oneida

tribal members or age.
c) Committee may recommend preferred applicants.

Deadline: Friday, July 12, 2013, 4:30pm

Oneida Southeastern Tribal Advisory Services

One (1) Vacancy

Qualifications:
a) Applicants who wish to be considered for membership shall be enrolled Oneida Tribal members who are eighteen (18) years of age or older.
b) Board members shall reside within one of the six (6) Southeastern Wisconsin counties of Milwaukee, Racine, Kenosha, Waukesha, Ozaukee and Washington.
c) Appointments to the Board shall be made in

accordance with the Comprehensive Policy Governing Boards, Committees and Commissions.
d) Board members shall agree to firm commitments for attending the Board's meetings and General Tribal Council meetings, as well as, training, functions and other events as established by the Board, SEOTS office or the Tribe.

Deadline: Friday, July 12, 2013, 4:30pm

<http://oneida-nsn.gov>

ONEIDA BUSINESS COMMITTEE
Special Meeting

1:30 p.m., June 18, 2013

Present: Chairman Ed Delgado, Vice Chairman Greg Matson, Secretary Patty Hoeft, Council members Vince DelaRosa, David Jordan, Paul Ninham, Brandon Stevens
Not present: Treasurer Tina Danforth, Council member Melinda J. Danforth

Others present: Kerry Brunette, Chaz Wheelock, Diane House, Leyne Orosco, Larry Barton, Cathy L. Metoxen

Call to Order and Opening by Chairman Ed Delgado at 1:37 p.m.

Approve the agenda

Motion by Patty Hoeft to adopt the agenda, seconded by David Jordan. Motion carried unanimously
Paul Ninham arrived at 1:39 p.m.

A. Open Session

In accordance with provisions of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin Open Records and Open Meetings Law, Chapter 7, section 7.17-1. Closed meeting sessions, or executive sessions, are permissible, if they relate to personnel matters or contract discussion or other exceptions enumerated in section 7.4-1 of Subchapter I of this law.

1. Set special GTC meeting agenda

Sponsor: Patty Hoeft
Excerpt from June 12, 2013: Motion by David Jordan to defer this item to

Special Business Committee meeting next week to be called at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 18, 2013, seconded by Greg Matson. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Vince DelaRosa that we do not set the July 29 GTC date, so we can better prepare for an August date, seconded by Greg Matson. Motion carried unanimously

Adjourn

Motion by Patty Hoeft to adjourn at 2:06 p.m., seconded by Vince DelaRosa. Motion carried unanimously

Minutes Approved as presented/corrected on June 26, 2013.

Saturday Mornings with the
Oneida Business Committee

10a.m. – Noon • Ridgeview Plaza, Suite 4

2013 UPCOMING MEETING DATES

Aug. 3rd

Sept. 7th

Oct. 5th

Nov. 2nd

Dec. 7th

Jan. 4th

10a.m. to 11a.m.

Open Forum to discuss what's on your mind about the Oneida Community

11a.m. to Noon

Meal with continued open forum

For more information, contact:

Tribal Member Information Services at 920.869.4452 or 920.869.4281



Oneida Business Committee 2013 Pardon Hearing Schedule

Application Deadline	Time	Hearing Date	Time
FRIDAY July 19 Oct. 18	4:30 PM	THURSDAY May 16 Aug. 15 Nov. 14	10:00 AM

HEARING LOCATION

Norbert Hill Center, 2nd Fl.

After the application has been completely filled out with \$50 filing fee, return to:
Norbert Hill Center – ATTN: Tribal Secretary
N7210 Seminary Rd. • Oneida, WI 54155

Any questions or concerns call Kathy Metoxen (920) 869-4451 or e-mail kmetoxe1@oneidanation.org

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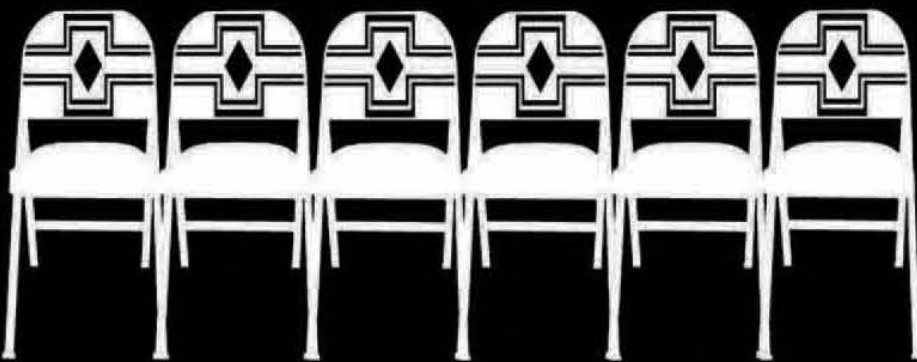
Notice of Public Meeting

Topic: Amendments to the Oneida Election Law

When & Where:

Thursday, July 18, 2013 at 12:15 p.m.

OBC Conference Room
Second Floor, Norbert Hill Center—Oneida, WI



Summary of the Proposal

The Amendments limit Tribal members to serving 2 consecutive terms per position; limit Tribal members to run for 1 elective seat per election; prohibit any Tribal member from serving in more than 1 any elected or appointed position at any given time; prohibit Tribal members from being Tribal employees while serving on an elected board, committee or commission; and include enforcement provisions for campaign violations. The Amendments also:

- Update the duties of the Election Board.
- Streamline the caucus process by making the Election Board, instead of the Business Committee responsible for calling a caucus and decreasing the time frame for when a caucus can be held.
- Clarify where campaign activities can occur.
- Require a polling site be located on the Reservation and in Milwaukee.
- Require video surveillance of all ballots and voting devices when the polls are open.
- Allow voters to have one person of their choice assist them with marking their ballots.
- Allow election observers and set out requirements regarding the observers' actions.
- Require the Election Board to document election day incidents and other irregularities and include them in a report to the Business Committee.
- Increase the time frame for filing a challenge of the election results – from 10 to 30 days. Amends the section on "Referendums" to clarify the parameters and process for referendum questions to be placed on a ballot

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NORBERT HILL CENTER,
ONEIDA, WI
JULY 5-7, 2013

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TRAVIS COTTRELL



Community Feedback from the Wise Women Gathering Place Treasure Hunt during the **Step 2 Heal Walk!!!**

O- What is one word or phrase to describe what stood out during the WWGP Treasure Hunt?

- Enjoyable
- Need clipboards!
- Hurting, coming together
- Believe victims
- Sense of togetherness
- Unity
- Where to find help
- Respect
- Helping others
- Offer
- Togetherness
- Nice day out for a walk and good cause.
- Believe victims

Laughter is
GOOD
MEDICINE

5 LOVE Languages

1. Words of Affirmation
2. Quality Time
3. Gifts
4. Acts of Service
5. Physical Touch

What are the 7 TRUTHS about Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault???

R- What past experiences does this event, Step 2 Heal, trigger or you?

- I've lost a lot of family to suicide and other reasons for this walk.
- To remember what abuse and problems I went through and these same steps I took to get help.
- Camp U
- Going to marathons to support family members who have overcome diseases or are struggling with a disease.
- Memories of those passed on in my family from cancer, suicide, and diabetes.
- Run for Life
- Being together and helping each other.
- Loss of loved ones.
- Clarity of what happens to others.
- Physical Touch
- Cancer, suicide, and car accidents
- Helping others.
- Always leave up building words with those you leave after a conversation.

I- What have you learned from participating in this community awareness walk?

- A lot of people are affected in the same way -- need more awareness.
- We need more Natives to get together and be aware of what's really going on.
- It's better to come together.
- These "unseen" illnesses are more common than we think. People shouldn't be so judgmental towards others who are dealing with these illnesses.
- We are not alone.
- How nice Oneida is becoming
- Be kind to one another.
- Who and where to call for help.
- Even though you think you've fallen down a hole there's always a latter.
- 7 truths about Domestic Violence
- People do care.
- Who to call for help.
- To be aware and ask questions if I think, see, or hear someone talking about suicide.

D- How will you use this information the next time you or someone you love needs support with the healing process?

- I know numbers to call to help someone now.
- Wisely and provide as much help as I can.
- Stay calm and QPR.
- Listen with an open heart and encourage and promote the resources that are available to help someone overcome their struggles.
- Share all what I know them.
- Go for a walk.
- Call and talk with services that will help support me.
- To call someone to get help for self or others.
- I'll try to give my moral support.
- Explain how this may help.
- Come and talk, I will listen.
- Information and numbers to call.
- Definitely ask questions and become more involved.

Where are the **7 Places to Call to talk about Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault???**

Wise Women Gathering Place

Our Mission is to promote **Peace, Respect & Belonging** through skill-building, sharing of knowledge & resources and caring support for our community.

Community Feedback from the WWGP Expression Wall that took place during the **Step 2 Heal Walk!!!**

O- What did you notice on the walk?

- Good feelings on the walk – thank you Amanda
- Everyone was having a blast!
- Family Gathering
- Togetherness
- That the walls told stories!
- The beauty of our rez and community
- Family time
- The awesome bridge
- The beautiful trails and artwork
- Community uniting
- Great day!
- A lot of artwork
- The good change in the community. Looks like a wonderful rez.
- Amazing artwork under the Oneida bridge
- Everybody was friendly
- Our community coming together as one
- Signs
- Positive energy
- All ages involved
- So many people came to walk and stay healthy.
- Places to get support



R- What are some feelings that came up?

- A lot of thinking
- Confusion
- Sense of Pride and Community
- That there were lots of people looking in wonder and awe at their beautiful community. Feels good just to see that!
- Broken heart
- I thought I wouldn't make it the rest of the way but I did!
- Togetherness
- Happiness
- Love and Miss you boys – BJ, Josh, and Jerry
- Happiness and memories – Rest in Paradise Uncle Tony
- Happiness and Pride
- Goosebumps
- Why, why, why
- I Love you
- Memories – Josh and BJ



I- What are some needs in our community?

- To gather together as one strong people
- New playgrounds for the kids.
- More events like today.
- The community needs more social events, ice cream socials, potlucks, dances, picnics. It seems like we've forgotten who we are and who our neighbors are!
- To be united like this again.
- Ears – people need someone to listen.
- Support avenues
- Supporting each other/ social-local events
- Let's talk about those we miss – I miss my dad, my son, my grandpa, grandma, and my friends.
- Escalators for the bridge ☺
- More walks and community stuff to do together.
- Pride – lots of people showed up.
- Support and more events like this!
- We need trees
- Plants
- More events/opportunities like this one!
- We need to stop judging each other and come together/unite!



D- What are other steps to heal we can take?

- Have compassion for one another
- Break the Silence, End the Violence
- Forgive and Forget
- Love one another
- Let's talk about it (abuse, sexual assault, etc)
- Eat, music (stress relievers)
- Sit down and talk
- Be kind to others
- Have rec centers open when kids aren't in school all the time!
- Renew our sense of identity as a family, community, and being Oneida.
- Love and accept yourself
- Workout!
- Stand up and speak the truth!
- Talk and be with family and friends
- Listen
- Talk more often to your family members to make them feel good!



Wise Women Gathering Place. 2482 Babcock Rd, Green Bay WI 54313. Ph: (920) 490.0627

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It seems like it was yesterday when we learned to ride our bikes **together**, discovered that we both liked to dance and speak our language. It seems like we were **never apart** and everyone knew we were **best friends**.

When we decided to go to school, we made sure we were going to be roommates.

When you finally landed that first job after all your hard work, I was the first to say **"congratulations."**

When you said you wanted to help the youth on the reservation, I said, **"Let's do it together."**

Then came a time when you told me that you have a **mental health problem**, like **depression** and **anxiety**.

Now I know that anyone can experience mental health problems, even **Native People**. We thought we knew everything, yet I really didn't **understand** what a **difference** my support can make in your recovery.

Well, I am here for you. I **will** be here for you.

And—as always—**we will recover together.**



Visit www.whatadifference.samhsa.gov/native to learn how you can help support a friend.

Check out the

Wise Women Gathering Place

on facebook



or stop by their website at

wisewomengp.org

Home Building Opportunity – Residential Vacant Land

If you are in the market to build a home and looking for land, you may want to consider the Home Building Opportunity (HBO). The HBO is a means for enrolled members of the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin, to obtain a Residential Land Lease for a vacant residential lot.

A good place to start the research for your home building project is to find out how much financing you will be able to obtain. A pre-qualifying letter from a financial institution is required at the time of application.

Lots 7, 14-17 of Green Valley are new postings therefore will be advertised for the 30 days above before applications will be accepted. *Applications for the Green Valley Sites* will **ONLY BE ACCEPTED**

from **August 13 – August 27, 8AM – 4:30PM Monday – Friday**, at **DOLM** front desk.

Application packets can be obtained at the Division of Land Management.

Please feel free to contact the Division of Land Management at **920-869-1690** or **1-800-684-1697** and speak with Diane Wilson, Tina Hackett, or Michelle Hill with questions about the HBO.

Home Building Opportunity (HBO) Build & Occupy Process

1. Obtain Pre-qualify Letter from Financial Institution
Financial institutions will provide a pre-qualify letter that will reflect a maximum loan amount and often a maximum

PITI (principle, interest, taxes, and insurance) payment.

2. Submit Complete HBO Application Packet to DOLM
An HBO Application Packet consist of a Residential Vacant Land Request Application, Residential Vacant Land Request Letter of Intent, and a pre-qualify letter from a financial institution.

3. Obtain Residential Lease offer from Division of Land Management
Pending a qualifying Residential Vacant Land Request Application, Division of Land Management will provide a Residential Lease offer letter that will reflect the desired lot and tax status of the property. The specified lot will be held for the applicant

pending formal loan approval.

4. Obtain Contractor Contract and Home Building Plan
Finalize a home building plan with a contractor of your choice. Contractors and sub-contractors must be licensed and insured.

5. Obtain Formal Approval from Financial Institution
A contractor’s contract, building plan and Residential Lease offer letter are all required to obtain a formal approval letter from a financial institution. This letter ensures the applicant is confidently approved for the loan.

6. Resolve Any Unpaid Bad Debt with the Oneida Tribe.
Repay any unpaid bad debt owed to the Oneida Tribe.

7. Obtain Residential Lease from Division of Land Management
With a formal approval letter from a financial institution, Division of Land Management will issue a Residential Land Lease.

8. Obtain Residential Lease approvals from Oneida Land Commission and/or Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA)
Financial institutions require that all leasing documents be signed and approved from Oneida Land Commission and Bureau of Indian Affairs.

9. Obtain Oneida Zoning Approval of Home Building Plan
With a signed Residential Land Lease, Oneida Zoning can approve the home build-

ing plans. For plans to be approved the applicant must submit the following: Residential Land Lease, Lot Survey, Home Building Plans, and Zoning Permit application.

10. Initiate Loan Proceedings
This is the point where the loan is actually signed and accepted by the applicant. All of the above must occur before a loan can proceed and be finalized.

11. Commence Construction
Ensure all necessary permits are obtained through Oneida Zoning Department and begin construction.

12. Obtain Occupancy Permit
Oneida Zoning will provide an Occupancy Permit upon final inspection.

Lot #	Address/Location	Advertising Status	Land Status	Lot Size(acres)	Infrastructure
Lot 4*	Legacy Lane, De Pere	first come first serve	Trust	0.87 m/l	sewer & water
Lot 7	Powless Drive, Oneida Green Valley Subdivision	July 11-Aug 12, 2013	Trust	0.48 m/l	sewer & water
Lot 14	Metoxen Lane, Oneida Green Valley Subdivision	July 11-Aug 12, 2013	Trust	0.40 m/l	Sewer & water
Lot 15	Metoxen Lane, Oneida Green Valley Subdivision	July 11-Aug 12, 2013	Trust	0.38 m/l	Sewer & water
Lot 16	Metoxen Lane, Oneida Green Valley Subdivision	July 11-Aug 12, 2013	Trust	0.38 m/l	Sewer & water
Lot 17	Metoxen Lane, Oneida Green Valley Subdivision	July 11-Aug 12, 2013	Trust	0.53 m/l	Sewer & water
6	Total Individual Sites				

*Lot 4 of Legacy Lane was previously advertised and is now on a first come first serve basis. Office Hours are 8 am - 4:30 Monday -Friday.



Discovery

Dating

Growing Together

A Discovery Dating Community Class designed for **PARENTS and their CHILDREN (5th-12th grade)**



This summer, take four days to learn and grow with your child.

Monday, July 15

Tuesday, July 16

Monday, July 22

Tuesday, July 23

9am-3pm each day

Lunch will be served.

Discovery Dating is about more than just dating—You and your child will learn meaningful lessons about self discovery and relationships, side by side!

Parents and children will explore personal goals, the benefits and pitfalls of relationships, temporary vs. permanent decision making, healthy communication, sorting out life’s chaos, affirmations, and more.

REGISTER TODAY! Discovery Dating Community Classes: Monday/Tuesday, July 15-16 and 22-23

Child (Youth) Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone Number:

E-Mail (if applicable):

Parent (Adult) Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone Number:

E-Mail (if applicable):

I understand and agree that any products, photos and other materials generated during this training become the property of Wise Women Gathering Place and may be used in research, promotion or other educational undertakings.

(Parent/Guardian Signature)

Please return this form to Wise Women Gathering Place, 2482 Babcock Center, Green Bay WI 54313

Or, fax to (920) 490-0922,

Wis. lottery players targeted by scammers

MADISON – The Wisconsin Lottery and the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) are urging players to think twice before giving out personal information to anyone who contacts them and says they have won a lottery prize. The Lottery has heard from several players who recently have been contacted about supposedly winning a special drawing associated with the Mega Millions jackpot game. The caller has attempted to get them to provide money and personal information in order to "process" their prize claim. The special drawing does not exist. The caller is a thief. "Be suspicious of calls out of the blue that seem too good to be true," said Mike Edmonds, Lottery Director. "Don't let the idea of a big prize cloud your judgment and lead you into a big mistake."

Lottery, prize notice and sweepstakes scams are a significant issue for Wisconsin consumers. Among all consumer complaints logged by DATCP in 2012, the “Contest / Sweepstakes / Prize Notices” category received the tenth most complaints of all categories. “Identity thieves often pretend to represent an institution you trust, and trick you into revealing personal information by phone or email,” said Sandy Chalmers, DATCP’s Division Administrator for Trade and Consumer Protection. “Legitimate sweepstakes and lotteries do not require winners to pay an upfront fee to collect a prize.”

There are ways you can protect yourself from prize scams: ³⁵ Be wary of anyone who says you've won a prize in a game or drawing you never entered. ³⁵ Know that legitimate lotteries and contests will NEVER ask you to pay a fee to collect a prize. ³⁵ Think twice before providing bank account numbers, credit card numbers or Social Security numbers over the phone, especially to someone you don't know or on an unsolicited call. ³⁵ Be suspicious of "urgent" solicitations that suggest that you will lose a prize if you don't act immediately. The Wisconsin Lottery will never contact players to tell them they've won a prize, unless they have entered a second-chance or special event drawing. The Lottery will never ask for personal bank information as a prerequisite to claiming a prize or require players to pay a fee or make special additional purchases to claim a prize. If you're suspicious of a caller, please contact the Lottery at 608-261-4916 or send an email to info@wilottery.com. For additional consumer information or to file a complaint, visit the Consumer Protection Bureau at http://datcp.wisconsin.gov, send an e-mail to datcp hotline@wisconsin.gov or call the Consumer Information Hotline toll-free at 1-800-422-7128.



Editor's Corner

By Dawn Walschinski
Kalihwisaks Managing Editor

To my fellow General Tribal Council (GTC) members, I've asked you in the past to make decisions based on reason and facts. Now I ask one more thing from you, come to work prepared.

If a slots employee showed up to work without steel toe shoes, she would be sent home. If someone from the Department of Public Works (DPW) assigned to cutting down trees showed up at the site without a chainsaw, he would be sent to base in a hurry. If I rambled into the Skeandoah Complex wearing my PJ's, people would say I was unprepared for work.

GTC, when more than half of you show up to the meeting without a meeting packet, I have to say you are not ready to work. You do not have the facts; you are not prepared to discuss the issues and are certainly unprepared to vote. Why, if I was a cynical person, I would almost say you're there to just collect a meeting stipend.

GTC, we are looking to you for leadership. How can we expect high work standards from our employees, managers and elected officials if we ourselves don't set the example? Without leadership what will happen? Pandemonium! Chaos! 70's Night every Monday! That last one sounds like fun! Why am I yelling!

What I'm trying to say, GTC, is that you expect a certain level of professionalism from the people who work for you. You expect the person who pushes the soda cart at the casino to have soda on a cart. You expect the cashier at the One Stop to have access to a cash register and be able to use it. You expect me to be able to wrap up this thought in some clever way. Sometimes you're disappointed, almost as disappointed as the 800 people who managed to get a hold of a Semi Annual meeting packet. They came ready to work. Why should they have to sit through this item again because a bunch of people showed up to the meeting without the intention of earning their pay?

And speaking of earning pay, what the heck happened at the Monday, July 8 meeting? Can't we at least pretend to be interested in listening to a petition before shooting it out of the sky? I'm all for efficiency, but wow, deleting the

entire agenda brings up all kinds of metaphysical questions like did we really sit through a half-hour prayer or was it a group delusion? Did I really lose money at the casino waiting for the meeting to start? Is my meeting fee deleted as well? Ok, that one is less trippy, but is maybe worth asking.

I'm not faulting the GTC on that move, obviously the petitioners didn't have the support they needed to move forward so why not cut to the chase. Still, the meeting costs pretty much the same if it lasts two hours or six hours. I guess meeting goers prefer to make \$50 an hour than \$17.



Community Banking the Way it Used to Be.

Bay Bank Presents: Summer Fun on a Budget

Temperatures are high, kids are out of school and the family needs something fun to do! However, keeping everyone entertained can put a strain on your wallet. Water park excursions, grill-outs and Fourth of July parties can all add up to an expensive summer! Here are a few ideas to keep your budget from exploding this summer:

Research alternative activities. Many towns and cities in Wisconsin offer inexpensive or free activities during the summer. Your city's Chamber of Commerce or Travel & Visitors Bureau will have a full list of movie theater specials, park activities, zoo schedules and outdoor concerts. Many local libraries also have free reading sessions for kids on weekdays during the summer,

which can be a nice break from the heat if the rest of your time is spent outdoors.

Create a spending plan. As with any budget, creating a plan for how you will spend your money and when is critical to enjoying a cost-effective summer. One method is to allot each child a specific amount of "fun money" for each week. The kids can then practice good financial habits by determining how they will spend their portion. A spending plan also helps reduce spontaneous

purchases that can add up throughout the summer. For example, planning meals the week before a picnic can prevent the potential cost incurred by ordering pizza or fast food during the week.

Independence Day celebrations are fun for the whole family, but it can be very pricey to feed everyone, especially if you're hosting lots of guests. Consider having this year's event be a potluck to bring costs down. You can also make your own decorations rather than buying them. Also,

skip the backyard fireworks show. Watch your local newspaper or search the internet for times and locations of public fireworks shows in an area near you. Professional fireworks are safe, free and bigger than anything you can set off on your own.

With a little research, careful planning and some creativity, you can have an exciting and enjoyable summer without squeezing your budget.

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FY-2013 Per Capita Information

FY-2013 Payment Types & Amounts

\$1,200.00.....General Payment

\$2,000.00.....Elder 62 Payment
(\$1,200.00 + \$2,000.00 = \$3,200.00)

\$638.14.....Elder 65 Payment
(\$1,200.00 + \$2,000.00 + \$638.14 = \$3,838.14)

**FY-2013 Payment Forms were Mailed
on June 07, 2013**

Direct Deposit (ACH) Available
**Sign up to have your Per Capita and
GTC Stipends Direct Deposited into
your checking or savings account.**

**Payment Form
Deadline
Close of Business
on ...
Tuesday.**

Receipts will be mailed to members that return an acceptable FY-2013 Payment Form to the Oneida Enrollment Department, if you do not receive your receipt within 2 weeks from the time you submitted your form, please contact us immediately.

**Elders turning 62 or 65 in
October, November, or
December 2013, your elder 62
or 65 payment will be issued
at the end of the month of
your birthday.**
Example: If your birthday is in
December your payment will
be issued on December 31,
2013.

**UNCLAIMED
2012 Per Capita
Payments
The deadline to
claim is
September 3,**

FY-2013 Payment Forms
available to print from our website:
<http://www.oneidanation.org/enrollment/>

**Per Capita
Payments will be
Issued on...
Monday,
September 30,**

Please contact us with any questions
Oneida Enrollment Department
PO Box 365, Oneida WI 54155-0365
(920) 869-6200 • 800-571-9902
<http://www.oneidanation.org/enrollment/>

Child Support Questions: Contact Oneida Child Support @ (920) 490-3700
Minor Trust Account Questions: Contact Trust @ (920) 490-3935
1099 Tax Form Questions: Contact Central Accounting @ (920) 490-3500

Little League Action Continues



Kali photo/Nate Wisneski

Oneida Little League post season play begins July 16.

By **Kyle Casper**
Recreation Supervisor

June 18th games

Calvyn Grignon-Danforth had 3 hits while Jack Mehojah and Bradyn Reed scored 3 runs a piece during the Hawks 15-1 rout of the Wildcats. Trenton Gegare and Brianna Rosenbaum each had a hit for the Wildcats.

Elijah Metoxen had 3 hits while Clifford Bodway added two hits in the Cardinals 11-1 victory over the Eagles. Xavier Summers had 2 hits for the Eagles.

June 20th games

Brianna Rosenbaum had 2 hits and Anthony Abbott Jr scored the winning run in the Wildcats 5-4 come from behind win over the Bears. Xavier Saldana was the leading hitter for the Bears.

In the nightcap the Hawks used a 6 run fifth

inning to defeat the Eagles 13-8. River Hawk hit a double to cap the big inning. Floyd Silas and Dylan Danforth had 2 hits apiece for the Eagles.

June 25th games

Elijah Metoxen and Fox Christjohn had 2 hits and scored 3 runs each leading the Cardinals to a 17-1 victory over the Hawks. Jaelin Moss, Calvyn Grignon-Danforth, and Jack Mehojah each had a hit for the Hawks.

Armani Hill, Guillermo Acosta, Xavier Saldana, and Seth Charles were the leading hitters for the Bears in their 12-3 win over the Eagles. Floyd Silas and Jerusha Bain had hits for the Eagles.

July 2nd Games

The Hawks scored 10 runs in the first two innings en route to a 13-4 victory over the Eagles. Brandon DeMoulin had 2 hits for the Hawks while

Floyd Silas collected 2 hits for the Eagles.

The Wildcats jumped out to a 4-0 lead but it was all Bears after that during a 14-4 Bears victory. Seth Charles struck out 8 Wildcat hitters in 3 innings and also homered. Tyson Webster hit a triple for the Wildcats.

Playoffs coming soon

The Little League playoffs are scheduled for July 16-18. The fourth place team will play the fifth place team at 5:30 on July 16. 2nd place will play against 3rd place at 5:30 and the winner of game one will play the first place team at 7:15 on July 17. July 18 will include the 3rd place game at 5:30 and the Championship at 7:15.

Current Standings

Cardinals 5-1
Bears 4-2
Hawks 4-2
Wildcats 2-5
Eagles 1-6

Jeffrey S. Skenandore, Sr. Golf Classic

ALL PROCEEDS GO TOWARD STUDENTS PURSING A DEGREE IN THE
CRIMINAL JUSTICE PROFESSION AND CHILDREN ATTENDING GRIEF CAMP



AUGUST 16, 2013

- REGISTRATION @ 8AM AND 9AM SHOTGUN START
- THORNBERRY CREEK AT ONEIDA GOLF COURSE
- \$300 PER 4 PLAYER TEAM (INCLUDES 18 HOLES, CART AND DINNER)
- REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT DEADLINE: JULY 31, 2013
- DOOR PRIZES, CASH PRIZES, AND RAFFLES
- HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZE PACKAGES INCLUDES: 42" LCD HDTV, \$500 BEST BUY GIFT CARD, \$1,000 GOLF SHOP CREDIT, AND/OR \$5,000 CASH
- *MUST WEAR SHIRTS WITH COLLARS*
- SEE REGISTRATION FORM ON BACK



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Oneida Nation High School 2013 Football Activities

Date	Event & Location	Time
7/17/13	Organized Team Activities, Football Field	4:00-6:00PM
7/25/13	Skill Position Camp, Football Field / D1	4:00-6:00PM
7/26/13	Lineman Camp, Football Field / D1	4:00-6:00PM
8/02/13	Equipment Issue, Locker Room	4:00PM-TBD
8/05/13	Training Camp, Football Field	4:00PM-TBD
8/16/13	Scrimmage @ Sevastopol, Sevastopol High	

1. Organized team activities/Position Camps are voluntary, but highly encouraged for players.
2. Equipment Issue is mandatory for all players
3. Training camp will run Monday through Friday and every other Saturday from 08/05 until the first game.

ATTENTION

Incoming Freshman and all ONHS Athletes

July 15, 2013

5:00PM Impact Testing
(New students and freshman)

5:30PM Meeting in Cafeteria (ALL)

Mandatory 2013-14 Impact Testing
Concussion/Code of Conduct/Coaches Sports Meeting



10U & 12U Baseball TOURNAMENT



12 TEAM MAXIMUM

ENTRY FEE \$150 PER TEAM FOR 10U TEAMS

ENTRY FEE \$200 PER TEAM FOR 12U TEAMS

3 GAMES MINIMUM (POOL PLAY)

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS FOR 1ST—3RD PLACE

1 HOUR 20 MINUTE TIME LIMIT PER GAME

PITCHERS MAY PITCH 3 INNINGS MAX PER GAME

AND 12 INNINGS TOTAL FOR TOURNAMENT

.....NO AUU TEAMS PLEASE.....

CONTACT JAY MARTINEZ FOR REGISTRATION
INFORMATION: JMARTIN2@ONEIDANATION.ORG OR
920-217-3022



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For photo galleries from
Oneida sporting events

2013

FOOTBALL

SCHEDULE



ONEIDA NATION
THUNDERHAWKS

8/16/2013	at Sevastopol (Scrimmage)	12:00PM
8/24/2013	at Bowler	4:00PM
8/30/2013	Wayland Academy	6:00PM
9/6/2013	GB NEW Lutheran	7:00PM
9/13/2013	at Sevastopol	7:00PM
9/20/2013	Bowler	7:00PM
9/27/2013	at Gilbraltar	7:00PM
10/4/2013	Valley Christian Oshkosh (Homecoming)	7:00PM
10/12/2013	Three Lakes	1:00PM
10/18/2013	at Elkhart Lake	7:00PM

Upcoming Events for *July/August 2013*

July 2 – November 2, 2013

Sisters in Spirit: Native American Stories in Rocks and Beads

WHEN: TUESDAY THRU SATURDAY

TIME: 9:00AM – 4:00PM

PLACE: Wisconsin Historical Museum
On the Capitol Square
30 N Carroll St, Madison, WI

Explore the messages left by the original artists and storytellers of Wisconsin through masterful watercolors and sparkling glass beadwork. This exhibit showcases Geri Schrab's petroglyph- and pictograph-inspired watercolors, and Karen Ann Hoffman's traditional Iroquois beadwork. Viewed together, their work presents a compelling glimpse of the continuing influence of Native Americans on contemporary Wisconsin art.

Ticket Info:

Admission by donation –\$4 for adults, \$3 for children under 18 or \$10 for a family

Contact Info:

E-mail: museum@wisconsinhistory.org
Ph: 608-264-6555, Fax: 608-264-6575

July 14

REZurrected Ridez Car Club Car Show

WHEN: Sunday, July 14

TIME: Registration starts 8:00AM

Showing 10:00AM to 3:00PM

PLACE: Oneida Baseball Diamonds
across from Oneida VFW Post
7784, 2980 E. Service Rd.

REZurrected Ridez Car Club, Oneida, Wisconsin, invites all classic & contemporary car collectors as well as motorcycle owners to join them in “Showing Off” their pride and joy. Vehicle Entry Fee: \$5. SPECTATORS ARE FREE!!

For any questions or details, please call 544-1262. We are asking for donations of school supplies or any new toys to help benefit the children in our community for school and Christmas.

July 17

Safe Home Parent Network

WHEN: Wednesday, July 17

TIME: 4:30PM – 5:30PM

PLACE: Community Room at OLC
2640 West Point Road,
Green Bay, WI

Would you be interested in the “Safe Home Parent Network”? The program is designed to provide a continuing support network for both the parents and youth. To learn more, please join us in the Community room at OLC, or for more information, please contact **Laurie Becker at 490-3843**.

July 18-28

St. Norbert College Music Theatre to Present Les Mis

WHEN: July 18-28

TIME: Call for times

PLACE: Walter Theatre

St. Norbert College Music Theatre celebrates its 52nd season presenting the

internationally famous Les Misérables. Ten performances are scheduled July 18-28 in the Walter Theatre of the Abbot Pennings Hall of Fine Arts.

Tickets for Les Misérables are available by calling the St. Norbert College ticket office at **920-403-3950, 800-762-2699**, or online at <http://tickets.snc.edu>.

July 26 – 27

17th Annual Relay for Life

WHEN: Fri., July 26 – Sat., July 27

TIME: Starts 11:00am Friday

PLACE: Norbert Hill Center Powwow Grounds, N7210 Seminary Rd.

Oneidas Annual Relay for Life is a 16-hour event in which teams walk the track to raise money for American Cancer Society. All these funds raised stays in the Brown County area. At the Oneida Relay for Life you can enjoy camaraderie with other teams, music, testimonials and good food, all in an effort to help fight cancer. You are welcome to camp overnight or just come out for the day. We will be releasing an event schedule closer to the event. This year's theme is Fiesta. Contact **Jenny Webster**, jwebstel@oneidanation.org or **Lisa Metoxen**, lmtox5@oneidanation.org for more information.

August 9

BoDeans to play Country Fest 2013

WHEN: Friday, August 9

TIME: 7:30 PM

PLACE: St. Nicholas Catholic
Community grounds, W2037
Hwy S, Freedom

Rock music fans and concert-goers can experience a live performance by Wisconsin's own BoDeans this summer in Freedom.

August 9-10

Seymour Celebrates 25 Years of Burgers

WHEN: Fri., Aug. 9 - Saturday,
August 10

TIME: Fri. 4:00 PM, Sat. 8:00 AM

PLACE: Seymour

Seymour is located 15 miles west of Green Bay on Highway 54. All events are located in downtown Seymour with hot air balloon rallies at Rockledge Elementary School. Commemorative admission buttons, available at many Seymour businesses, are \$3 in advance and \$5 at the gate; children 12 years old and under are free. There is a \$2 parking fee for school and Rock Ledge Park grounds. There is no admission cost for hot air balloon rally events. To purchase admission buttons, call the hamburger hotline at (920) 833-6688.



August 28

4th Annual Mike Peltier Golf Outing

WHEN: Wednesday August 28

TIME: Starts at 10:45 am

PLACE: Thornberry Creek
4 Person Scramble.Luck of the Draw @ 10:45 a.m.Tee times start @ 11 a.m. \$80/ Person Includes: 18 holes/cart/food/prizes. To sponsor a hole contact: Chad M. @ **920-554-2620** / Virginia P. @**920-857-6940**.

ONGOING – TUESDAYS

Wise Women's Support Group

WHEN: Every Tuesday

TIME: 5:30PM – 7:30PM

PLACE: Wise Women Gathering
Place, 2483 Babcock Rd.
Green Bay, WI

Wise Women Gathering Place is sponsoring a Women's Support Group. Come and enjoy a cup of hot tea in the presence of women of all ages sharing and caring. Talking circles and fun activities. Held the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month during the summer. Contact Julia McLester **920-490-0627** for more information. Open to all women.

WEDNESDAYS

VFW Brat Fry

WHEN: Every Wednesday

TIME: 10:00AM – 2:00PM

PLACE: Veterans of Foreign Wars
Oneida Post 7784, 2980
East Service Road

Hot dogs \$1.50, burgers \$2.50, brats \$2.50, water \$1, soda \$1, chips .50¢.

Women's Support Group

WHEN: Wednesdays

TIME: 12:00PM – 2:30PM

PLACE: Three Sisters Center
For more information contact **Isabel Parker** at (920) 412-0396 or **Georgia Burr** at (920) 362-2490.

THURSDAYS

Environmental Youth Group

WHEN: Every 3rd Thursday of month

TIME: 5:00PM – 7:00PM

PLACE: Little Bear, N7332 Water
Circle PL Oneida, WI

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Environmental Youth Group is open to any Oneida students from any school district. Join to learn about Oneida's natural areas, environment, language and culture. Meal provided, incentives, field trips. Oneida Retail gift cards provided for participation. Call Sylvia at **920-869-1600** or email scornel2@oneidanation.org.

Men's Support Group

WHEN: Every 1st & 3rd Thursday

TIME: 5:30PM – 7:30PM

PLACE: Wise Women Gathering
Place, 2483 Babcock Rd.
Green Bay, WI

The Men's Support Group was recently formed (March 7th). FMI, contact: **Rick Laes** at **920.432.6028** or **Gary Keshena** at **920.362.0206**. Open to all men.

It Starts with You...

WHEN: Every 1st Thursday of month*

TIME: 6:00PM

PLACE: Oneida Library, Site I
201 Elm St., Oneida, WI

Oneida kids and families need you! If you have ever thought about being a Foster Parent for Oneida kids, please come ask questions and learn more about it. Informational meetings will be held on the following dates:

July 11* (2nd Thurs., due to July 4th Holiday); August 1; September 5; October 3; November 7; December 5.

If you have any questions, or would like more information, please contact **Jen Kruse @ 920-490-3717**.

FRIDAYS

Wise Youth Group

WHEN: Fridays

TIME: 3:30PM – 5:30PM

PLACE: Three Sisters Center
For more information call **Isabel Parker** at **920- 498-2011** or **Bev Scow** at **920-490-0627**.

Food & Live Music

Free Event

DUCK CREEK INTERNATIONAL CARVING COMPETITION

Oneida Village Property
1 mile west of Green Bay

Friday, August 2

Grounds open 10 am – 8 pm

Big N' Tasty Blues Band

11:30 am – 1:30 pm

Sunday, August 4

Grounds open 10 am – 8 pm

Artists Awards Ceremony

Starts @ 4:30 pm

Public Auction of all Wood Carving art @ 5:00 pm

Saturday, August 3

Grounds open 10 am – 8 pm

Oneida Farmer's Market

10 am – 5 pm

Mad Dog & Merrill

1 pm – 1:30 pm

- Kids Inflatable Bounce House area
- Public Auction of "Quick Carving" by Guest Artists



Do you have children
between the ages of
10 – 14?

Do you want to help
them learn to deal with
Stress & Peer Pressure
and guide them into a
Healthy Future?

*If you said yes – our **Strengthening Families Program** will help teach you and your child skills to strengthen your family relationships through fun and Interactive activities, games and art projects.*

We will meet **EVERY Wednesday**
for seven weeks.

Starting on

July 17th thru August 28th

(July 24, 31st, August 7, 14, 21 & 28th)

Oneida Social Services Building
– Green Room –
from
5:00PM to 7:30PM

- **FREE**
- **Family Meal**
- **Incentives**
- **Transportation**
- **Childcare**

*For more information, call the **TRAILS Prevention Program** at*
920.490.3700

Must sign up by Monday • July 15, 2013