

## **Oneida youth wins Packer ticket takeover contest**

GREEN BAY-The question was intended jump-start an Avenger-themed, Marvel Comics-type family Halloween outing back in 2012.

"Who's your favorite superhero?" Ernie Stevens asked his then 4-year-old son Daniel. The lad thought about it for a moment and then piped up with, "Aaron Rodgers."

off-guard Caught slightly, his dad replied, "OK, that works." And so began the process of putting on the No. 12 Packers jersey over a set of youth la crosse pads, then adding the football pants and helmet and some of mom's eyeliner for Rodgers' goatee.

Young Daniel went so far as to mimic a diving, somersault-like Rodgers touchdown run in the living room, after which he hopped up off the floor and did the quarterback's famous "belt" celebration.

That snapshot will now grace roughly

80,000 tickets for the Packers' home game against Detroit on Sunday, Dec. 28, the 2014 regular-season finale.

Stevens entered the photo in the "Packers Ticket Takeover Contest," which received more than 8,000 entries. The top five, as chosen by Packers officials, were then posted on packerseverywhere.com, and Stevens' shot of Daniel was chosen the winner amongst 22,000 fan votes.

Told by his dad recently that his picture won the contest, the now 6-year-old Daniel responded with, "Cool," which matches his most common description of Rodgers.

Stevens will receive two tickets to the Detroit game, but he won't need the plane tickets that would have gone to an out-of-town winner. The family lives on Green Bay's west side, a mere six minutes

from Lambeau Field.

It's fitting the tickets are for the Lions game because that's the opponent Daniel saw at Lambeau last season, the first time the Oneida Turtle Elementary School kindergartner got to watch his hero in action.

He didn't wear the entire Halloween get-up to the game, but the costume won't soon be forgotten.

"We didn't just dress him up. He really wanted to do that because he thinks Rodgers is so cool and he looks up to him as a role model," Stevens said.

"There are so many athletes out there kids look up to that I wouldn't want my kids looking up to. With Rodgers, I take pride in him being a Packer, because he is that role model. He's just that kind of guy."

That night two Halloweens ago truly was a family outing. Daniel's older brother, Ernest, has long hair

and went as Clay Matthews with the jersey and eye black.

Stevens regretted he didn't have a really good photo of his two sons together that night. Some turned out a little fuzzy and dark, but the one of Daniel was good enough to submit for the contest.

"Going around trickor-treating, he was a big Stevens said. hit," "People were high-fiving him, and he was getting a lot of attention. He was a little minicelebrity."

He'll be a slightly bigger one on Dec. 28.

"We asked him, do you understand, this picture is going to be on 80,000 tickets?" Stevens said. "He just smiled. I don't think he understands just how cool it is."



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# Headstart graduates class of 2014



Kali photo/Margo Reiter Students of the Oneida Head Start Program sang songs in celebration of their graduation Wednesday, May 14 Radisson Below: Jr. Miss Oneida and Lil Miss Oneida help

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## **Oneida Tribe has own history of food hub**

#### By Dawn Walschinski

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"Food hubs" and "local foods" may seem like new fads, but Oneida has a long history of feeding itself according to Oneida Business Committee (OBC) Vice-Chairman Greg Matson. He explained in the past, Oneida residents would grow their own food and share or barter with their neighbors.

"We had our own little trade route within the reservation and everybody knew what everybody could provide," he said.

Since 1994 Oneida has bought approximately 17,928 acres of land within its reservation boundaries that were lost as a result of the Dawes Allotment Act of 1887.

"We've acquired all this land ... Reestablishing the land should immediately lead to reestablishing those old ways of using the land the best way we can, growing the food that's best for us, interacting with each other on the old trade routes," said Matson.

Matson and OBC Councilman Paul Ninham want to tap Oneida's existing resources to create an integrated food system that will improve the health of area residents and improve the area economy as well.

> • See 11A, **Food Hub**



### 2014 Primary results; New Chair to be elected

#### By Nate Wisneski Kalihwisaks

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The Oneida Tribe will have a new Chairperson this summer as incumbent Ed Delgado was defeated in the primary elections on Saturday, May 10.

Current Vice-Chairman Greg Matson and current Treasurer Tina Danforth will faceoff for the top Oneida Business Committee (OBC) position in the July 12 General Election. Voter Dr. Sandy Dennett would have

liked access to more information about the candidates before she casted her ballot.

"It was difficult, we didn't have a forum before the primary. I spent time with three different friends getting their viewpoint. I spent a lot of time trying to make a decision," she said.

Dennett feels qualified



Kali photo/Nate Wisneski

Voters took to the polls during the tribe's second primary election on Saturday, May 10.

candidates should emphasize their business credentials.

"We need people that are business oriented. I understand our values and how we need to work towards those but if we aren't in balance financially we can't move toward our values as much," said Dennett.

July's General Election will also have Melinda Danforth and Cathy L. Metoxen facing off for the Vice-Chair position,

Trish King and David Jordan battling for Treasurer, and Lisa Summers verse Cathy Bachhuber for the Secretary position. The 15 candidates moving on for the Council positions are listed below.

The majority of the OBC will feature new this August. faces Secretary Patty Hoeft, Councilmembers and Paul Ninham and Vince Dela Rosa did not seek re-election. Current Chairman Ed Delgado was defeated and either Vice-Chairman Greg Matson or Treasurer Tina Danforth will not return as one of them is elected as Chair.

The 2014 General Election is slated for July 12.

Saturday's primary was the second in tribal history after it was first utilized in the 2011 election. It narrows the field for OBC Officer positions to two and the OBC Council positions to 15.

### NWTC and Oneida partner to offer new summer camp

(GREEN BAY, Wis.) A new summer camp presented by Northeast Wisconsin Technical College and the Oneida Tribe of Wisconsin gives students the opportunity to explore healthcare careers. The NWTC Tech Camp Introduction to the Medical Field is offered June 23-27 from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. on the NWTC Green Bay campus, and includes engaging tours, hands-on activities, a daily lunch, and T-shirt.

Oneida Tribe members entering grades 6 - 8 can attend the camp for a discounted fee of \$25. The Oneida Tribe is covering part of the cost of this Tech Camp.

During the four-day camp, students will explore a variety of medical careers, including nursing, emergency medical technicians, medical assistants, dental hygienists and more. They will tour the NWTC campus' health science facilities, participating in labs and simulations, and completing projects across campus. An Eagle III medical transport helicopter will also be on campus for campers to tour.

To register for the Introduction to the Medical Field Tech Camp, contact Norbert Hill at nhill@oneidanation.org or 920-869-4037 NWTC or Campus Experience Coordinator Samantha Allen at 920-498-6817 samantha.allen@nwtc.ed u.

### **Oneida Tribe** Holiday Observance Oneida Code Talkers Day – May 23 Memorial Day - May 26

Tribal offices will be closed

# 2014 Primary Results \*\*Tentative\*\*

Chair		Council
*Greg Matson	343	*Tehassi Hill
*Tina Danforth	324	*Brandon Stevens
Mark Powless	238	*Jenny Webster
Ed Delgado	147	*Danelle Wilson
Gary Jordan	132	*Linda Dallas
Donald Webster	59	*Winnifred Thomas 291
Chaz Wheelock	20	*Fawn Billie
		*Stan Webster
Vice-Chair		*Chris Cornelius
*Melinda Danforth	946	*Bernie Stevens
*Cathy L. Metoxen	196	*Ben Vieau
Ryan Gerhardt	94	*Dan Skenandore
-		*Bart Cornelius
Treasurer		*Debra Powless
*Trish King	657	*Brenda John Stevens
*David Jordan	423	Daniel Guzman-King
Leah Sue Dodge	163	Mike Mousseau
C		Mike Debraska
Secretary		Wesley Martin, Jr.
*Lisa Summers	574	Todd (Moon) Hill
*Cathy Bachhuber	340	Anthony Franco
Leyne Orosco	315	Simon De Coteau
-		Daniel King

Names in red have moved

Council	
*Tehassi Hill	625
*Brandon Stevens	609
*Jenny Webster	367
*Danelle Wilson	321
*Linda Dallas	308
*Winnifred Thomas 291	
*Fawn Billie	259
*Stan Webster	259
*Chris Cornelius	254
*Bernie Stevens	252
*Ben Vieau	241
*Dan Skenandore	238
*Bart Cornelius	223
*Debra Powless	221
*Brenda John Stevens	197
Daniel Guzman-King	185
Mike Mousseau	133
Mike Debraska	131
Wesley Martin, Jr.	128
Todd (Moon) Hill	96
Anthony Franco	93
Simon De Coteau	92
Daniel King	80
Joey Powless	75



onto July's General Election.

Joey Powless	75
Jon Adams	65
Dawn Delebreau-Alt	65
Thomas Espinosa	35

### CORRECTION

In the Secretary Candidates section of the May 1, 2014 Kalihwisaks on Page 12B, Cathy Bachhuber's name was misspelled twice. The Kalihwisaks apologizes for the error.

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Po-soh!! It's time once again for the next, "BW's Scoop". In this issue I am writing about a Dealership's responsibility to stand by the car they sold you.

The state of Wisconsin is a very consumer friendly state. There are many laws in place to protect your investment. When a used car is on the lot for sale, a dealer has to do a safety inspection. In this inspection a responsible dealer will have their mechanics inspect the car thoroughly. The service department wants to find as many problems as

they can. This is how the mechanics earn money. The more problems they find wrong with a vehicle, the more money that department is able to make.

When the inspection is complete the problems and costs to fix them go to the sales department managers. They decide what they can fix on the car. If the budget is right they can put money into the car that you will not need to. If they can't they must disclose the problems on the Wisconsin Buyers Guide. A trustworthy dealer will do this.

Now if you buy a car and the safety inspection said no leaks and you find there is a leak at the time of purchase, the dealer legally must stand behind the inspection

Customers who do not know this will end up paying thousands of dollars at the same dealer who misled them in the first place.

That is another reason why I choose to work at Russ Darrow Used Car Super Store in Green Bay. Sure in the used car world there will be problems. I am proud to say we not only disclose the problems we find and do not repair on the window sticker, but we go above and beyond, over the call of duty to fix them. Of my customers who have had problems (just a couple) they were provided with a no charge rental and the problems were fixed !!

I hear the stories up here and see how dealers take advantage of you. Call me and make an appointment to see how I keep it real and why you should keep it Native. In close and always in a good way. Po-soh all my relatives. Basil "BW" Richmond Menominee/Arikara.





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Passing On...

### Danforth, Wilma L. February 24, 1931 - May 3, 2014

Wilma L. Danforth (Biscuit), 83 years old, born February 24, 1931. Our beloved mother, grandmother,

great grandmother, sister, auntie, and friend went to heaven to be with her husband John on Saturday morning May 3, 2014.

Wilma and her sister Arlene attended Green Bay East High School and they graduated in 1952. Wilma married in June of 1953. She was an active member at the Holy Apostles Episcopal Church in Oneida until 2000, when health problems kept her from attending. Deacon Edmund and Deacon Debbie would then visit her to give her communion. Wilma loved to play cribbage with her sons, grandsons, daughter-in-law, and whoever stopped by to challenge her. She loved watching Packers games, and NASCAR, and really, really loved going to bingo or the casino with anyone who invited her. She even spent one of her last days having fun at the casino with her sister.

Wilma is survived by her children: Curtis (Carla) Danforth, Diane (Michael) Doxtator, Kathleen (Bob Brown) Danforth, and Joseph (Geraldine) Danforth; sister Arlene Summers; sister/cousin Sandra (Don) Charnon; brother Richard Dodge (Skenandore); brotherin-law Hugh Danforth; sister-in-law Ellen (Vern) Martin; grand-Curtis children:

(Angela), Jessica

(Tony), Tawny (Joshua), Dominique, Desiree, Allan, Lyle (Schuyler),

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Winslow (Kama), John, and Jayne (Joshua); great grandchildren: Whitney, CJ, Sydney, Brandon, Marissa, Zoe, Rebecca, Marie, Myah, Terrence, Desmond, Anthony, Adrianna, and Nyah; and many nieces and nephews that loved Auntie Wilma. Wilma was preceded in death by her husband John; her parents Harry and Helen Skenandore; brothers: Harding, Long Tom, and Carl; sister Jean King; granddaughter Cassie Rae; and great grandson Drew Matthew.

Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10:30AM on Wednesday, May 7, 2014 at Holy Apostles Episcopal Church, Freedom Road, Oneida. Burial followed in church cemetery.

Ryan Funeral Home & Crematory, 305 N. Tenth St, De Pere. Oneida assisted the family with arrangements. Please visit ww.ryanfh.com to send online condolences to the Danforth family.

Special thanks to Davita Titletown Dialysis Staff who took care of Mom every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, to St. Vincent Hospital 9th floor nurses, CNA's, and respiratory care who were so kind and gentle to our mother in her short stay with them, and to Unity Hospice who made it possible to bring Mom home, where she wanted to be.

Wilber, Kenneth October 6, 1969 – May 5, 2014



A man of honorable character and unwavering integrity, Kenneth accomplished Wilber many things of which to be proud, but there was nothing he treasured more than being a father to the son he loved more than life itself.

The 1960s were a vibrant time in American history when the fabric of our nation was as colorful as could be. Civil rights and women's rights were making great strides while the space race between the United States and the Soviet Union was highlighted by our ability to put a man in space as well as the first man on the moon. It was during this eventful time that a young couple from Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was pleased to announce the birth of their baby boy on October 6, 1969. Kenneth John was the fourth of five children born to his parents, Ruben D. and (Clune) Beatrice M. Wilber, and was raised in the family home alongside his siblings, James, Tammy, Michelle, and Shelia. Throughout his formative years Kenny was proud of his Native American heritage and ancestry, and as an Oneida Indian he was part of the tribe. He was a student at local schools through the ninth grade.

New and exciting changes were in store for Kenny when he met the woman with whom he would welcome the son he treasured into the world. Her name was Kristen Engelhardt, and after falling in love they were married on August 10, 2007. Their most cherished blessing came the following year in the form of their son, Kenny, who made his arrival on February 3, 2008. It was easy to see that Kenny lived to be a father, and that his son was his whole world. They shared more than the same name, too, as they were similar in their appearances and manner-

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isms as well.

Although nothing was better than being with his family, Kenny kept busy with other things as well. His hobbies were primarily a reflection of his Native American heritage as they included beading and making traditional things like pouches, sun catchers, and wind catchers. Kenny was a talented artist who could often be found painting or drawing. He worked as a siding installer in the home improvement industry throughout his career. Kenny's interests also included passionately cheering on the Green Bay Packers and all things Harley-Davidson.

Life became more difficult for Kenny and his loved ones when he was diagnosed with brain cancer in May of 2010. Although he was given only six months to live, he courageously persevered well beyond that timeline. Eventually the fight became too much, and Kenny drew his last breath surrounded by his beloved family.

Deeply devoted to the people and things he was passionate about, Kenneth Wilber was a blessing to his family and friends. Taken from his loved ones too soon, he will be deeply missed while his memory is forever treasured.

Kenneth J. Wilber died on May 5, 2014. Kenny's family includes his wife, Kristin; son, Kenny; stepchildren, Keiana and Ashley; mother, Beatrice Wilber; siblings, Tammy Wilber, Michelle Wilber, and Shelia Wilber; moth-Sally er-in-law, Williamson; and other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his father Rueben D. and older brother James M. Wilber. A Native Ceremony was held on Friday, May 9, 2014 at the Suminski LifeStory Funeral Homes, Niemann Suminski, 2486 S. Kinnickinnic Ave., Milwaukee, WI.

### Cornelius, Jr., Norrin B. "Fred" September 13, 1955 – May 8, 2014

Norrin B. "Fred" Cornelius, Jr., age 58, began his journey to the spirit world on Thursday, May 8, 2014, from injuries received in a driven in his younger motorcycle accident in Green Bay, Wisconsin. Born on September 13, 1955, in Shawano, Wisconsin, he was the son of the late Norrin "Joe" and Lois Ann (Davids) Cornelius, Sr., grandson of Elmer and Eureka Davids and Lucy and Andrew Cornelius. Fred was baptized at St. James Lutheran Church in Shawano and attended the church school in his early years. He was confirmed at Lutheran Church of the Wilderness in Bowler. He grew up in Shawano County and attended Bowler High School. Graduating from Northeast Wisconsin Technical School, Fred received a degree in Diesel Mechanics. On June 17, 1978, at the Lutheran Church of the Wilderness, Fred was united in marriage to Judy Hollenbeck, the mother of his children. They lived in Green Bay for a few years before moving to Judy's home state of Iowa where he worked as a diesel mechanic. Mechanically inclined, Fred was always tinkering on one vehicle or another. He also enjoyed auto racing with his brother, Jody and his nephews, Jason Jeremy. and Teri Vannieuwenhoven and Fred were married in Oneida on August 18. 2001 and made their home in Green Bay with their precious pooches Pup and Missy. Fred enjoyed being a truck

surgery. declared free, Fred pursued one of his dreams of owning his own

motorcycle. Having vears, he was now ready for his own, and had planned to spend endless time this summer riding alongside his sister Carmen. Fred was a very proud grandpa. He had a great sense of humor and enjoyed listening to tapes of the trucking comedian, Gene Tracy.

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Leaving behind to cherish his memory are his three daughters, Angela McCormick, Alysha Cornelius, and Andrea Kennedy, his grandchildren, Aliyah, Aubriana and Camron, as well as the mother of his children, Judy Cornelius of Marion, Iowa. He will be deeply missed by his siblings: Dr. Carol Cornelius of DePere, Jody (Aleta) Cornelius of Oneida, Norma (James) Flauger of Gresham, Dr. Neil (Lorraine) Cornelius of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Reva (Robert) Fuhrman of Wausau, Lowell Cornelius of Bowler, and Carmen Cornelius of Bowler. He is further survived by his loving companion, Teri Cornelius, her children Heidi and Holly, and their 5 children, along with numerous other relatives and friends.

Fred will be reuniting with his parents, grandparents, and sister, Dotty Jean.

A traditional funeral service was held at 1:00P.M., Monday, May 12, 2014 and was followed by a Christian Church service at the Lutheran Church of the Wilderness on Moh He Con Nuck Road, Rev. Melinda Shriner and Mr. Sonny Smart officiated with burial in the Indian Stockbridge Burial Grounds.



Klingert. Sandra Grace **December 9, 1945** March 11, 2014

Grace Sandra Klingert, 68, of Milwaukee, passed away March 11, 2014. Sandra was born on December

9, 1945 Hattie to (Skenadore) and Gus Peterson.

She was preceded in death by her husband Hilmar Klingert; her parents, Hattie and Gus; brothers, Paul and Guy Peterson and sisters Katherine Bealer and Eileen Belling.

She is survived by, her brother Richard Peterson, of Grand Prairie, Texas, and several nieces and

nephews. Among her illustrious Oneida ancestors are her great-great grandfather Elijah Skenandore (born about 1812) and great grandfather Henry K. Cooper, born in 1823, both being born before the Oneida Indian Reservation was established.

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Friday, April 18, 2014; Friday, May 9, 2014

Friday, May 23, 2014; Monday, May 26, 2014

Please visit www.SuminskiFuneralH ome.com to send online condolences to the Wilber family.



### **Obituaries**

There is no charge for obituary notices to be published in the Kalihwisaks for enrolled Oneida members.

road with his brother Jody, then having his own rig and "Little Horse Trucking, LLC", he most recently drove for Hotline out of West Salem, WI. Fred had just returned to work after recovering from a bout with cancer and shoulder

driver, hitting the open

Swedberg Funeral Home assised the family with the arrangements.

### Davids, Marvin W. Ž February 4, 1944 – January 23, 2014 🍼

Marvin W. Davids, 69, of Franklin Wisconsin passed away of natural causes at St. Medical Luke's Center in

Milwaukee on January 23, 2014. He was born in Milwaukee on February 4, 1944 to Albert and Bessie (Cornelius) Davids.

Marv was a long time employee of ACL Laboratories in Cudahy, working for 43 years in the former Trinity Memorial Hospital and the current St. Luke's South Shore in that same location. He served his country for two terms in the US Army and traveled to many European Middle Eastern and countries.

Marv had a great sense

of humor and was an avid Packers and Badgers fan. He enjoyed vacationing and has seen nearly all of the continental

United States. Mostly he loved being surrounded by his family.

He is survived by his devoted wife Susan, his loving daughter Kelly and his dear son Wade. He is further survived by brother his Donald (Phyllis) Davids, his sister Barbara Skenandore, cousins, nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents, sister Edith Davids and several aunts and uncles.

A memorial service celebrating Marv's life was held January 30, 2014 in Oak Creek Wisconsin

Additional Obituary, Memorials on pg. 4A



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### **ONES students bike at school**



Passing On...

### 🔗 Schultz, Sandra 'Sandie' M. October 18, 1946 - May 10, 2014

Sandra "Sandie' M. Schultz, age 67, of De Pere, passed away fearlessly on Saturday, May 10, 2014 with family at her side after a six year battle with breast cancer.

Sandie was born on October 18, 1946 in Green Bay, daughter of the late Lawrence and Harriet (King) Vanden Heuvel. After graduating from Preble High School in 1964, she enrolled at the Holy Family School of Nursing in Manitowoc. married Bill Sandie Narten in 1969 and together they were blessed with two children, Scott and Elizabeth "Liz". Sandie later married Ronald E. Schultz, Sr. in 1991 at St. Bernard Parish in Green Bay. He preceded her in death on June 7, 2004. She continued to further her education throughout her nursing career by earning her bachelor's degree at the University of Wisconsin - Green Bay and later her master's degree from the University of Wisconsin – Oshkosh and became a family nurse practitioner. For over four decades, Sandie excelled at her profession. She providcompassionate, ed knowledgeable care while working at area hospitals, clinics, and hospice programs. She most was recently employed at Prevea Clinic in Howard until her retirement in 2013. Always eager to help others, Sandie also volunteered with Oneida Home Health Nurses, the Green Bay Free Clinic, and went on a medical mission to Haiti. Sandie valued education greatly and believed in giving back to her profession. She was a leader, role model, and mentor for many colleagues and students. During her illness, Sandie selflessly gave herself to clinical research at the University of Minnesota, vowing to contribute to the body of knowledge about breast cancer.

table walks supporting the fight to end breast cancer, including the Susan G. Komen race in Madison. She cherished time spent with her large family and many friends and also loved to

travel, read, and garden. In 2007, she became a Master Gardener. Her work can be seen at her Serenity Garden located on the family's Oneida land. She also enjoyed volunteering at Heritage Hill and the Green Bay Botanical Garden.

Sandie is survived by her loving children, Scott (Ann) Narten of Manitowoc, Liz Narten (Kirsten Robertson) of Minneapolis, MN and Lynne (Jeff) Kunitz of Seattle, WA; her six grandchildren, Blair, Hannah, Shelby, Garrett, Eli and Caroline; stepmother, Dolly Vanden Heuvel; two brothers, Rodney (Diane) Vanden Heuvel and Bill (Cheri) Vanden Heuvel; six sisters, Marcia Vann, Lorna Vanden Heuvel, Donna King, Paula Vanden Heuvel, Carla (Bob) Peot and Gina (Jon) Accola: step-sister, Leanne (Todd) Hinkfuss; and her grand-dog, Schlitz. Sandie is further survived by her former husband, Bill Narten and many dear nieces, nephews and other close friends. Visitation for Sandie will be held on Friday, May 16, 2014 from 10:00 am until the Memorial Mass at 12:00 pm at St. Bernard Parish, 2040 Hillside Lane, with the Rev. Mark Vander Steeg officiating. Online condolences may be expressed at www.lyndahl.com. A memorial fund has been established in Sandie's name. Gifts will be given to the various organizations she supported. The family would like to thank Dr. Winkler and staff at Green Bay Oncology, Dr. Potter and staff at the University of Medical Minnesota Center as well as the staff at Unity Hospice for the exceptional care given to Sandie. Sandie's family is encouraging those who attend the memorial service to wear bright colors, reminiscent of her gardens she loved so dearly.

kali photo/Nate Wisneski Turtle School students rode their bikes on the paths around the the school on Friday, May 9 in honor of national Bike to School Day. Students, along with Oneida Police Officers and staff rode their bikes around the school at the end of the school day.

### MacArthur Elementary School hosts annual day honoring Grandparents and Special Persons



Kali photo/Margo Reiter

Recognizing the roles that grandparents and other family members play in our childrens' lives, MacArthur Elementary School hosted their annual day honoring those people special to their students. The school, along with the PTO Committee, provided sweet treats to those in attendance before heading off to the various classrooms. While in the classrooms, the guests were treated to different games and activities to participate in with their youngsters. Many of our Oneida family members participated. Ending the day, the school sponsored a Book Fair enabling the youth and their guest to purchase books or other reading materials.



Ever the promoter of good health, Sandie maintained an active lifestyle and proudly participated in the Bellin Run with her family as well as numerous chari-

# Business

## **Understanding** Federal **Procurement and the NAICS Codes**

#### Submitted by Francine Skenandore OTIF

The United States government is the largest buyer of goods and services, and it is federal contractors that provide those goods and services through the federal procurement process. To facilitate the purchase of goods and services for the United States and its agencies, including all the branches of the military, the federal government identifies businesses and potential contractors through the North American Industry System Classification (NAICS). This federal classification system specifies a six-digit number, called the NAICS code, which represents a specific industry and business activity.

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) is also part of the federal procurement

process through its 8(a) program. For companies in the 8(a) program, a primary NAICS code must be identified for that company's core business activity to be eligible for federal contract work. A company may also have secondary NAICS codes for its business as long as that company can demonstrate the capability to perform that type of work.

For each NAICS code and industry category there are size limits established by and defined in federal regulations. The size standard limits are measured by a company's annual revenue and/or the total number of employees. The revenue or number of employees is calculated by averaging the past 3 years.

For instance, a business has a major NAICS code 236220 for commercial building con-

struction with a size standard limit of \$33.5 million annual revenue. If the company's past 3year revenue average is at \$35 million, then this company is no longer qualified to pursue any federal contract under NAICS 236220 as a small business, even though it is certified as an 8(a) business. As a result, the company would have to pursue work in the 236220 category in the full and open category and then compete against many other larger companies.

To initiate a contract for the purchase of goods or services, a Request for Proposal (RFP) is announced and issued to federal contractors. In the RFP, a NAICS code is specified that represents the scope of work in a certain business category. To be eligible to pursue any federal contracts, a business must match the specified NAICS code that is provided in the RFP.

In the federal procurement process there are categories that federal contractors will be competing within. There are three main categories: 1) Full and Open Category, 2) Small Business

Category, and 3) 8(a) Category. In the Full and Open Category, any qualified business can submit a proposal as a prime contractor.

In the Small Business Category, a qualified business must match the NAICS code and be within the size standard limits of annual revenue or the total number of employees. The SBA size standard regulations define whether a business is "small" and eligible for small business contracts. These size standard limits are also found in the Federal Acquisition Regulations that are part of the Code of Federal Regulations.

In the 8(a) Category, only those companies that are certified as an 8(a) company by the SBA and meets the size standards can pursue a contract as a prime contractor. If the company is certified as an 8(a) business, but either its annual revenues or total number of employees exceeds the size standards in the regulations, that 8(a) company is not allowed to submit a proposal under the

> • See 6A, **NAICS Codes**

## Thornberry Creek at Oneida **Doxtator named General Manager**

Submitted by Janice Skenandore-Hirth Agent for OGEC

Oneida Golf Enterprise Corporation would like to welcome the newest member to the Thornberry Creek at Oneida team, Joshua Doxtator. Josh will be the General Manager at Thornberry Creek with oversight of the food and beverage, banquets, golf and administration. Josh brings many years of experience to the already highly performing staff. His previous 10 years was spent as the Head Golf Professional and Operations Manager at the only Golf Digest 5-Star rated facility in the Northwest Phoenix Valley in Arizona. We are excited to have Josh on the team and look forward to his leadership and direction moving forward.

Golf has been in Doxtator's blood since an early age while growing up in Geneva, New York where his Father and Grandfather passed along the passion for the game. Josh started learning at 3 years old and started playing competitively at 8 years. He has competed in numerous Junior PGA Championships and National events and still



#### Joshua Doxtator

holds the Missouri state record for the lowest 9 hole round recorded in a high school match with a 31 or 5 under par. Competing is still something Josh enjoys. He plays competitively in the Southwest PGA Section and looks forward to playing in the Wisconsin PGA Section.

After a successful amateur career in both high school and college Josh turned his passion into a career. Doxtator moved from Upstate New York to St. Louis, Missouri during his adolescence, and continued his education and golfing career at Maryville University where he focused on Business Management. In 2004 he moved to sunny Phoenix, Arizona to gain a foundation in golf business and management. Working his way through the ranks, Josh was named Golf Operations Manager in 2006 and acquired his Class 'A' PGA Membership in 2010. Growing the business was an integral part of his position and along the way he created a player development program that has been recognized nationally. He has been the recipient of two Top 50 US Kids Teacher Awards and won the Player 2012 Development Award by the Southwest Section PGA. Josh was also featured on the cover of Golf Business Magazine for his efforts in player development and his pioneering entrepreneurial programs. "The opportunity for growth and development is overwhelming here at Thornberry and I'm excited for the chance to work with such an amazing group. Growing, gaining, and attaining is something I've always strived to do and I look forward to assisting in creating an unforgettable experience for everyone who visits the facility." Doxtator brings a wealth of knowledge to the team and we look forward to a long lasting partnership for the future. Josh relocated this month with his wife, Katie and son Drew. They're anxious to get involved in the community and build new "Coming friendships. from such a large metropolis you forget something that's SO important to connecting with others and that's sincerity. The people of Oneida have been so welcoming, inviting and sincere and we look forward to raising our son in that type of atmosphere." Joshua officially start date is May 19th so stop in and say hello when you get the chance!

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### Shekoli,

My name is David "Fleet" Jordan. My parents are Doyle and Grace Jordan. My grandparents are the late Ben and Amelia (Wheelock) Jordan.

For the past three years, I have proudly



Audit Committee Vice-Chair

Accomplishments...

Successful business owner

**Oneida Business Committee** 

• Served three years on the

- Sponsored several new and revised laws, including the Indian Preference Law, GTC Meetings, and Clean Air Policy.
- Sponsored the FY 2013 forty-four cent pay increase.

### Goals as Oneida Tribal Treasurer...

- To ensure all the Tribe's needs are met in a fiscally responsible manner;
- To implement a new Budget Management Act through the Legislative Procedures Act;
- To protect and carry through all GTC mandates;
- To enforce accountability of all Tribal employees who are involved in the procurement process;
- Enforce/promote Indian Preference and require a competitive bidding process.

#### served the Oneida Nation as a member of the Oneida Business Committee. This year, I have decided to run for Tribal Treasurer.

- For the past fourteen (14) years, I have been the owner of a successful business located within the Oneida reservation boundaries. Owning a business has taught me many things, including how to manage and stick to a budget, how to manage employees, and the importance of keeping accurate records of all business expenditures. As a member of the Oneida Business Committee for the past three years, I have worked with the Tribe's budgeting process and have gained skills in not only working within the Tribe's budget, but I have made it my number one priority to stay within budget by not approving expenditures that were not fiscally responsible. As the Tribal Treasurer, I know that I can utilize the skills learned from owning a successful business and as a member of the Oneida Business Committee to steer the tribe's finances in the right direction.
- It has been mentioned by several GTC members that some Business Committee members do not attend meetings. This is true of some of the current Business Committee members, but not me. With the exception of a recent medical leave of absence, I have attended every single Business Committee Meeting and GTC meeting that has been held over the past three years. As with any business, it is important for leadership to show up to work, work the full day, and set a high standard for other employees to follow. The Tribe's important business decisions cannot be made by one person alone.

### As your Tribal Treasurer...

I will be committed to continuing cost containment, paying down the Tribe's debt, and working towards implementing Tribe-wide department staffing models to reduce redundancy.

### "The Voice of Reason" Vote **David "Fleet" Jordan**

Authorized and paid for by David 'Fleet' Jordan

# Health

## How People Get Themselves Into Debt Trouble

By Shannon Stone Oneida Community Education Center

According to the Federal Reserve, average family income dropped 11 percent from 2007 to 2010. This was compounded with a loss in net worth, the total value of everything you own, which dropped by nearly 40 percent during the same time. What does this mean to you? It means things happen beyond our control. The economy can go in the wrong direction, jobs can be lost, illness and injury may strike and there is not much that you can do when that income disappears except by being prepared.

This means doing what you can to manage the things that you can control. Most people don't intentionally get themselves into money trouble. It often sneaks up and bites you when you are not ready and something out of your control happens. Many times people just are not aware when they are making poor decision with their money or more correctly with other people's money. That is the money that we borrow and promise to back.

Everybody uses other people's money, even if they don't realize it. If they get cable television, use cell phones, rent stuff or get any service that creates a monthly bill, they are borrowing from the service provider. According to The 2012 Consumer Financial Literacy Survey, one in three adults do not pay their monthly bills on time. Not paying these bills on time is often a signal that other problems exist or are coming. This is one of the first pitfalls of debt because stuff happens and often causes people to make more bad choices, such

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### 869-4840

To schedule an appointment!!



### Awareness Educational Series

as payday loans.

As soon as people take out loans to catch up, they are digging the hole. Many people think it's not a problem because credit card companies and banks would not give them credit and loans unless they could pay it back. Unfortunately, this is not always the situation and some lenders are only looking out for their own best interest and not yours. The department store that gave you the discount to sign up for their gold card knows that if you get it you will use it. The bad thing about credit cards is that it is so easy to use them and the debt just piles up. Surveys have shown that over 70 percent of people do not pay their credit cards off each month and

they end up paying interest and other fees. It is important to understand that is exactly why these businesses want to keep you in debt to them.

One part of the solution is to not go in debt in the first place. While that is not always practical, if people minimize their exposure to debt they will also reduce the cost of getting out of debt. This money can be saved to help you with other things. Just to show how this works, imagine you wanted to buy a car and it cost \$15,000. The salesman gives you a good deal and says you don't need a down payment. The interest on the car is 8% APR over five years with monthly payments of \$304. The interest will cost you \$3,250 adding

nearly 22 percent to the cost of the car. With a \$5,000 down payment your monthly payment is reduced to \$203 and interest costs are reduced to \$2,166, saving you \$1,084. Another option would be to make the \$5,000 down payment and keep the monthly payments at \$304 per month. This would pay the car off in two years earlier (38 monthly payments) and the interest would only be \$1,327 for a savings of \$1922. You can see with this small example that a little math and planning can save a lot of money. That \$1922 could go to other bills or retirement. It certainly does not have to go to the finance company.

The Oneida Nation Community Education Center has several articles and tools on personal finance on our website at:

https://oneida-nsn.gov/CEC/PerDev/PerFinance.aspx See our past articles in our blog for more tips. The ONCEC supports financial wisdom so that you can have a better life.

## From 5A/NAICS Codes

contractor, but may submit a proposal as a subcontractor in the 8(a) category.

The 8(a) program is a very helpful and convenient contract tool for any kind of business in the start-up phase to establish and improve business capability, because the 8(a) company is allowed to compete in a procurement category that is smaller. Even so, the 8(a) program also has limits for those participating individuallyand tribally-owned companies. One of the limits is the maximum period of program participation of nine years.

Another limit imposed

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upon 8(a) companies is the size of the company, which is measured by the annual revenue or the number of employees. Once an 8(a) company exceeds the revenue or employee limit, the 8(a)company is no longer considered a small business and cannot compete in the 8(a) or the small business procurement categories.

These 8(a) and small business requirements with size standard limits are why OTIE emphasizes the best way to sustain business for the long term is to have a solid business operation with a deep understanding of the industry and regulations that does not have to rely upon the 8(a) or small business status for longevity.

Also important for the 8(a) company is the commitment to fulfill all legal and contractual obligations to the clients, employees, business partners and subcontractors, the government and the industry as a whole. With a commitment and determination to face and overcome all the business challenges that occur through competition and the business cycle, a company can survive and be successful.



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Wednesdays

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Samantha Allen at: samantha.allen@nwtc.edu 920-498-6817



## Education

### 2014 Oneida WIA Job Training Summer | Oneida Trust Scholarship **Youth Work Experience Program**

The Oneida Job Training Program is taking applications for the 2014 Summer Youth Work Experience Program. The program provides career exploration and work experience opportunities for youth ages 14 - 18 who are attending school or returning to school fulltime in the fall. The youth will be paid \$7.25 hr, and are eligible to work a maximum of 20 hours a week. The program will run for 6 weeks from July 7th - August The program 16th. includes 38 positions - 18 WIA federally-funded positions, and 20 TANFfunded positions.

Requirements for the 18 WIA federally-funded positions are:

- Enrolled with a federally recognized Tribe, of member an Alaskan village or Hawaiian Native, and
- 30 -day resident of our service area, and • Meet federal house-
- hold poverty income guidelines, or
- Medically-diagnosed disability (cognitive, emotional or physical which includes ADD, ADHD, LD, and ED).

Youth will be considered a household of one for income purposes), or

• Youth living out-ofhome through a court-ordered placement. Youth will be considered a household of one for income purposes.

Requirements for the 20 TANF-funded positions are:

- Someone in the household is an enrolled Oneida living on the Oneida Reservation, or living Brown in or Outagamie County, and has proof of 30day residency, or
- Enrolled Native American with dependent children living on the Oneida Reservation and has proof of 30--day residency, and
- TANF recipient or TANF eligible household. Income guidelines for TANF are 185% of the HHS Poverty-Income Guidelines. Badger Care and Food Share recipients meet

these income guidelines.

Sandi Contact Skenadore at 920/490-3789, sskenado@oneida-Rudolph nation.org, (Rudy) Reiter at 920/490-3854, rreiter1@oneidanation.org or Mallory Patton at 490-3884, mpatton@oneidanation.org to obtain an application, or pick one up at the Oneida Economic Support reception desk (formerly known as the Center for Self Sufficiency). The priority deadline to apply is Wednesday, May 21, 2014. All names will be entered into a lottery drawing to be held on May 22nd. The staff will begin contacting the first 38 names drawn to set up intakes. All other youth will be placed on a waiting list in the order his/her name was drawn, and contacted if more positions become available. Applications received after the priority deadline will be placed at the end of the waiting list.

PRIORITY DEAD-LINE TO APPLY IS MAY 21, 2014

1-800-236-2214

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920-869-4333

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The purpose of the Oneida Trust Scholarship is to establish a trust resource that provides financial aid scholarships to assist with higher education financial needs not being met by tribal contribution, and to assist eligible enrolled Oneida Tribal members in securing higher educational opportunities based on criteria. established (Oneida Trust Scholarship Fund Policy Amendment -BC-12-11-13-E)

The Scholarship is being provided by the Oneida Trust/Enrollment Committee with the specific policy and procedures separate from the **Oneida Higher Education** Scholarship program.

The Trust Scholarship fund is to provide assistance to eligible enrolled Oneida tribal members in securing higher educational opportunities in the following areas with a lifetime scholarship amount of \$3,000.

- a. Required post-secondary pre-requisite credited classes
- b. Post-graduate preparation and admission exams (e.g., GRE, MCAT, LSAT, GMAT...)
- c. Post-secondary preparatory program/course

Applicants must complete the Trust Scholarship Application with required documents. The applicant must be in good standing with the **Oneida Higher Education** Office.

The Oneida Trust/Enrollment Committee respectfully requests that all recipients keep in mind the prospect of returning to the Oneida Tribe to share their acquired knowledge, experience and education.

For more information and eligibility requirements visit the Trust Scholarship link

at: www.oneidansn.gov/highered

Or contact the Oneida Higher Education Department at

(920) 869-4033

Email: highered@oneidanation.org

### MOHAWK SUMMER LANGUAGE CAMP



Kanatsiohareke Mohawk Community 4934 St. Hwy. 5, Fonda, NY 12068 Mailing Address: PO Box 714, Fonda NY, 12068 Tel: 518-673-4197 Fax: 518-673-3783 E-mail: info@mohwkcommunity.com

### July 14 – 25, 2014

### Applications are now being accepted!

Three (3) levels of learning being offered:

#### Introduction to Mohawk

An intensive beginners class for those who have had no prior, or very minimal, exposure to the Mohawk language - working with experienced language instructor.

#### **Basic Mohawk**

A language session for those who have completed Session 1 or those who have had some prior language-learning experience with the Mohawk language - working with a Mohawk speaker.

#### **Conversational Mohawk**

A Mohawk immersion session for those seeking an opportunity to work on developing their proficiency in the language - working with a fluent Mohawk speaker.

### Deadline for Applications: June 20, 2014

Application forms available on-line at www.mohawkcommunity.com

#### Registration Fee: Two-week/12 day Session \$1000 (US)

(Fee includes accommodations, all meals, instruction and materials)

Scholarships may become available for Haudenosaunee applicants Cash/Checks/Money Orders payable by first day of class

#### Space is limited so register early !!

Ages 10-17 and Tribal Enrolled FREE TO ENTER-Submit application by June 7th, 2014

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For more information on Summer Language Camp, please contact: Iehnhotonkwas Bonnie Jane Maracle at: bjm@kos.net Office: 518-673-4197

The Human Resources Department is excited to announce:

# 2014 toing in the June - July 2014 right

Deadline to apply is May 7, 2014

### A NEW fact

regarding the Oneida Human Resources Department Summer Internship Program:

Limited internships offered.

#### To Be Eligible You Must:

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Are you

- Be an enrolled member of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin.
- Be attending an accredited post secondary institution.
- Be in good standing based on the guidelines of the Higher Education Grant Program.

### The Summer Internship Is:

- A paid eight week internship experience running from June-July, 2014.
- Intended to provide an opportunity or a balanced exchange of skills and ideas between the host department and the intern.

Please call Oneida Human Resources Department, Jennifer Garcia, 920-490-3644 or 1-800-206-1100 for further information, or for Applications and Background Disclosure (BID) Form visit our website www.oneidanation.org/humanresources.

## OFF

**Oneida Family Fitness Summer Hours:** Monday-Friday: 5:30AM-8:00PM

For more information call 920-490-3730 or visit www.oneidanation.org/fitness

## Good luck Team Oneida at the 2014 Bellin

Family Fitness Highlights

#### By Amanda Riesenbera OFF Fitness Specialist

With less than 1 month until this year's 38th Annual Bellin Run, Oneida Family Fitness would like to say GOOD LUCK to all participants! We have a team of over 175 participants, with over 80 employees. For those participating, you are putting in all of the hard work and effort to do something good for yourself and your life! It takes time and dedication to accomplish the task of running or walking a 10K/6.2 mile race. As the race draws near, keep training and putting one foot in front of the other until you hit the finish line!! Remember you have put in the training and the race is just a day to celebrate what you have accomplished over the past few months. Remember, if you think you can, then....YES YOU CAN!



If you have not registered to be a part of Team Oneida, but you would still like to, you can still go online and register. Go to Bellinrun.com, click register, click on Corporate Challenge team member, type in Oneida underneath the team name, type in 716 for team code. If you have not registered yet, your packet will not be at Oneida Family Fitness, so you will have to go

down to Astor Park to receive your BIB and shirt.

If you registered before May 15th, you can come on down to Oneida Family Fitness to pick up your race packet the week of June 9th. If you registered by May 1st, you will receive your corporate incentives in your race packet. Also, please make sure you look in your packet to see how to receive your

Corporate Challenge Oneida Retail Card for those who qualify. We are open Monday -Friday from 5:30 am -8:00 pm. We will not have any race day pick up at the fitness center or in our tent at Astor Park. Please make sure you have your packet before we close of Friday! Call Oneida Family Fitness at 920-490-3730 with any questions.

### **Oneida Family Fitness Staff**

• Ryan Waterstreet Assistant Director
• Amy Griesbach Office Manager
• Ryan Engel Fitness Specialist Supervisor
• Jason Manders Fitness Specialist
• Jessica Schultz Fitness Specialist Supervisor
• Amanda Riesenberg Fitness Specialist
• Brad Sosinsky Fitness Specialist
• Elijah Metoxen Fitness Specialist
• Tek Skenandore Fitness Assistant
• Hudson Denny Fitness Specialist/Promotions
• Kevin Schoenebeck Martial Arts Coordinator
• Maureen Cisler Administrative Assistant
• Shoshana King Administrative Assistant
• Christine Siebers Administrative Assistant
• Teresa Holschuh-Sieja Aquatics Trainer/Supervisor
• Nicole Herlache Lifeguard
• Orrie Kreuscher Lifeguard
• Quinn Button Lifeguard
The Oneida Family Fitness (OFF) staff is here to serve

you! If you haven't been to the Fitness Center lately, please stop in and get acquainted with the staff! The office is located at: 2640 West Point • Green Bay, WI

Look for O.F.F. Highlights once a month in the Kalihwisaks!



### www.oneidanation.org/fitness



The facility will be **CLOSED** 

### Friday, May 23 (Oneida Day) & Monday, May 26 (Memorial Day)

(Reminder....we are now closed on Saturdays through Labor Day)

### Have a safe & enjoyable Holiday Weekend!



### **Oneida Family Fitness Spring 2014 - Group Fitness Schedule**

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Phone: (920) 490-3730

## SEOTS

### May 15, 2014 • (Wá·tehlu) 9A



### for the month of June 2014

#### 2 Monday

Med Pick-up in Oneida for SEOTS Pink Shawl Mtg. 5:15pm, Potluck Oneida Singers 6:30pm

#### 3 Tuesday

Last Day to Call in Meds for Monday Pick-up; Oneida Pharmacy 1-866-869-2711 and SEOTS 1-414-329-4101: Senior Activity Day 11:00am-2:00pm Alzheimer Presentation/Br. Bag Luncheon/Bingo, Bird Room: **Öneida** Language; Beginner Class 5:00pm-5:45pm, Advanced Class 6:00pm-7:00pm. All are Welcome! Learn with Oneida language teacher Renee Elm – Pfaller, Bird Room

5 Thursday Summer Youth Program Parent Meeting 6:00pm-7:00pm, Bird Room GTC Meeting Topics Discussion 6:00pm

**Turtle Room** 7 Saturday

### SEOTS CANDIDATE FORUM

I:00pm-3:00pm, Location: St. Lucas Lutheran School Gymnasium, 648 E. Dover

Street, Milw. 9

#### Monday Med Pick-up in Oneida for SEOTS Oneida Singers 6:30pm

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Last Day to Call in Meds for Monday Pick-up; Oneida Pharmacy 1-866-869-2711 and SEOTS 1-414-329-4101: Senior Activity Day - Planting Peat Pots/Potluck/ Bingo, Bird Room: Oneida Language Time To Be Determined: SEOTS Board Meeting 6:00pm

### **13** Friday

#### Family Research at Cemetery Sites

7:00am Departure, Research two sites at the Holy Apostles Church and the Methodist Church, Lunch on your own

### **4** Saturday

Jr. Pink Shawl Meeting 10:00am Girls and Boys Ages 2-17years, Cultural based learning, Crafts and Fun-Fun-Fun!

### 6 Monday

**Oneida Van Trip** 8:00am Departure Med Pick-up in Oneida for SEOTS GTC Meeting 6:00pm, Radisson Hotel and Conference Center, 2040 Airport Dr.

Ashwaubenon, WI: Oneida Singers

### 6:30pm I 7 Tuesday

Last Day to Call in Meds for Monday Pick-up: Oneida Pharmacy 1-866-869-2711 and SEOTS 1-414-329-4101 Senior Activity Day 11:00am-2:00pm Dancercise/\$3 Luncheon/Bingo, Bird Room Oneida Language Time To Be Determined 8 Wednesday Summer Youth Program, ages 7-11 8:00am-5:00pm 9 Thursday Summer Youth Program, ages 12-16 8:00am-5:00pm 20- 21 Friday & Saturday COMMUNITY RUMMAGE SALE 9:00am-3:00pm, Clean your attic and garage and sell your rummage! Rent a spot for \$15

## **Doxtator Receives Leadership Award**

*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.

### **By Antonio Doxtator**

Roberta Doxtator of Milwaukee was awarded the Wallace Pyawasit Community Leadership Award from UW-Milwaukee, American Indian Student Services program on April 22, 2014.

The award has been given yearly since 1989, to recognize individuals "who have demonstrated an unfailing commitment to American Indian causes through leadership, generosity of spirit, and ability to approach community problems with wisdom, foresight, and a positive attitude."

Roberta was introduced at the event by her grandson Antonio Doxtator, who spoke about her over 30 years of community service. Including as a member of United Indians of Milwaukee from 1981 to 1989, in which her and her family helped perform educational programs around southeast Wisconsin almost weekly to help raise money for the maintenance of the firehouse center. Roberta

also served as a board member of the Indian community school for over 10 years from 1983 to 1994.

Her children were also students of the Indian Community School (ICS) Coast Guard site since 1971. When the school moved to the Bartlett Avenue site and was forced to close in 1983 due to funding cuts, Roberta was one of the parents that volunteered her time to try to re-open the school. The parents would meet at the abandoned building with no electricity, usually outside during the summer and plan fundraisers and events to attract attention to the schools plight. This new parent school board was able to eventually get the deed for the building and sold the property and purchased the Concordia College site.

In 1987, ICS re-opened at 3134 W. State Street, (Later Spotted Eagle High School) though they were forced to close again in June of 1988. Finally on July 25, 1990, the Concordia College campus was placed in



**SEOTS** Candidate Forums



**SEOTS Photo** Roberta Doxtator, seated, received the Wallace Pyawasit Community Leadership Award from UW-Milwaukee.

federal trust status as the

Forest County Potawatomi and ICS Board of Directors entered into a 20-year agreement for lease of land and revenue sharing until 2010.

In 1990, ICS also reopened at 3121 W. State Street, the revenue sharing helped secure the schools financial future and enabled them to build a new \$50 million school and they moved their current into Franklin, WI location in 2007.

Roberta chose to resign in the fall of 1994, since she was also working full-time and supporting a household. She continued to volunteer and helped start and support the Lutheran Church of munity and continue to the Great Spirit in 1990, make it their home. and is still currently a church council member

She often speaks with pride and nostalgia about her Oneida upbringing since she lived and grew up on or near the reservation until she was 14 years old, and the family moved to Milwaukee in 1951. She eventually raised six children and two grandchildren as a single parent in Milwaukee.

She is the daughter of the late Isadore and late Beatrice (Hill) Doxtator, her siblings are the late (Clarence) Delores Skenandore of Oneida, and Brenda, and Carol Doxtator Jean of Milwaukee. The Doxtator family are proud members of the Milwaukee Oneida com-

23 Monday Med Pick-up in Oneida for SEOTS **Oneida Singers** 6:30pm

### 24 Tuesday

Last Day to Call in Meds for Monday Pick-up, Oneida Pharmacy 1-866-869-2711 and SEOTS 1-414-329-4101 Senior Activity Day 10:30am-2:00pm Holy Apostles Presentation with Opal/\$3

Luncheon/Bingo, Bird Room **Oneida Language Class Time To Be** 

Determined

SEOTS Board Meeting 6:00pm

25 Wednesday Bingo Trip 7:00AM Departure; Summer Youth Program, ages 7-11 9:00am-3:00pm

## 26 Thursday Summer Youth Program, ages 12-16

9:00am-3:00pm

28 Saturday SEOTS Picnic & Rally Location: Humboldt Park Pavilion, 3000 S. Howell Avenue, Milw. Join us for our Annual SEOTS Picnic and Rally for Getting the Vote Out! Tribal Candidates are invited to mingle and offer campaign materials. Picnic is Potluck-SEOTS will provide meat and beverage. Bring lawn chairs. Raffles. Fun and Bingo!

30 Monday Med Pick-up in Oneida for SEOTS Oneida Singers 6:30pm

### ATTENTION TRIBAL MEMBERS!

SEOTS will be sponsoring the following events to allow members to meet Tribal Election candidates and hear answers about their perspectives:

- Saturday, June 7: SEOTS Candidate Forum, 1:00pm, St. Lucas Lutheran School Gymnasium, 648 E. Dover St., Milw.
- Saturday, June 28: SEOTS Annual Picnic and Voter Rally, 11:30am, Humboldt Park Pavilion, 3000 S. Howell Ave., Milw.

### **Oneida Singers**

Are you interested in learning to sing with the Oneida singers or need to contact them for an event? Call John House at (414) 313-2559

## New Location

FOR THE INDIAN COUNCIL

OF THE Elderly Weekly Meals

### Visit the meal site at: 3232 West State Street

(former Indian Community School) every **Monday**, **Thursday** and **Friday** ((5pm the first Friday of each month, 11:30AM all other Mondays, Thursday, and Fridays). Enjoy a tasty meal, visit with friends, and play Bingo. Eligibility: Native American (plus spouse) must be 45+, Non-Native must be 60+.

## **MEDICATION**

**Distribution Reminder:** SEOTS now picks up medications from Oneida every Monday.

Please call with all of your medication orders by the Wednesday before our Monday pick-up.

### Work Out, Low Fat for **Elders**

Have you participated in the W.O.L.F.E. Program at the 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**
- | | AM | |: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

Changes to the

**Services Fund** 

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This fund was amend-

through

Resolution #12-11-13-D

and will go into effect

March, 2014. Funds for

this program are based

on the Tribe's economic

Requests for assistance

from the Community

Support Services Fund

must be the result of a catastrophic event, ill-

**Community Support** 

## Walleye run in Duck Creek

#### By James Snitgen Water Resources Supervisor

Nobody knew for sure just how many fish would come up Duck Creek after having the "end of the road" removed and having Duck Creek's huge watershed available again. For the first time since the 30s, exciting reports came in during April from Oneida community members that were seeing large numbers of walleye way up in Duck Creek, in places like the Seminary Road crossing and beyond. Suckers and pike were also seen running up. This is the kind of news about our streams that really means something – getting fish back in Oneida streams! Although some fish



Photo courtesy of James Snitgen

Oneida community members fishing Duck Creek where the dam used to be

could get upstream of the dams at Pamperin Park during high flow periods in the past, low flow conditions prevented fish

from getting up into the Reservation. Now that the dams are gone, many more kinds of fish will be able to get up and into

Duck Creek and tributaries such as Oneida Creek, Fish Creek and Trout Creek.

### Volunteer Opportunities for Savour Green Bay

May 8, 2014 – Mosaic Arts, Inc. is in search of volunteers for Savour Green Bay to be held June 20th and 21st 2014 downtown Green Bay.

Savour Green Bay brings together local food, lifestyle and music

GREEN BAY, WIS. to the heart of downtown Green Bay. Innovative chefs, notable wine experts, brewmasters, and local restaurateurs will be at the festival for a weekend of culinary events including cooking demonstrations, tastings, and seminars. Volunteer

opportunities include helping out in the children's area, pub, raffle, information booth, and for set up and tear down before and after the event. Volunteers are asked to work at least one 3-4 hour shift. For questions and

information more regarding volunteer opportunities contact Mosaic at (920) 435-5220 or at info@mosaicartsinc.or g.

#### The main changes include elimination of Stabilization Assistance (examples include shelter, auto repair, appliance

ness or injury.

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repair/replacement, D.O.C. re-entry assistance, legal fees, home renovations to accommodate handicap access, student assistance, basic eyewear/dental needs, or basic home medical equipment).

Other changes include:

### **Eligibility Criteria**:

- Services are available only for enrolled members of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin.
- Services will cover catastrophic events, illness, or injuries only.
- Services will assist with an emergency situation that poses an immediate risk to health, life or safety.
- Requests for assistance must be made within thirty (30) business days from the catastrophic event, illness or injury.
- Applicants must satisfactorily provide the program with required documentation and/or verification before funds can be released.
- Application for assistance shall be made

within a reasonable time period, not to exceed thirty (30) business days of a catastrophic event or illness or injury. Applications made after thirty (30) business days of the event will not be considered.

- **Priorities for Assistance:**
- Severity of event, illness or injury
- Life-threatening emergency requests
- Emergency medical travel

### **Cost-Sharing**:

One of the other changes for the fund is the applicant will be required to pay a portion (cost-share) unless the person falls below the Federal Poverty Level The Federal limit. Poverty Level limit is used by Economic Support Services (Center for Self-Sufficiency) and determined by the Federal government.

The Amendment to the Community Support Services Fund requires Economic Support Services (Center for Self-Sufficiency) to set caps on the amount of assistance each person or household may receive, per event.

A copy of the Resolution can be obtained by calling the Tribal Secretary's Office (920-869-2214), downloading a copy from the Tribe's website www.oneidanation.org (Select Government, scroll to Oneida Laws, BC click on Resolutions), or pick up a copy at the Economic Support Services (Center for Self-Sufficiency) office.

### **Upper Plains and Woodland Residents** Traditional, visual artists sought for Fellowship

VANCOUVER, Wash., -Regalia makers, beadwork artists, photographers, painters, sculptors and other American Indian traditional and visual artists living in North Dakota, Minnesota, South Dakota or Wisconsin are invited by the Native Arts and Cultures Foundation (NACF) to apply for an NACF Regional Artist Fellowship by July 10.

includes an award ranging up to \$20,000 per artist. The opportunity will support individual artists in creating new works to share with their communities and allow them to undertake a professional development opportunity of their choice to further their ongoing work as an innovative and respected arts and culturemaker.

"The new works produced with the support of this award will range from indigenous-created forms like beadwork, weaving and carving, to photography, sculpture, printmaking and paint-

ing. The creativity from the Upper Plains and Woodlands arts and culturemakers invited to apply will be inspiring to see!" said NACF President/CEO T. Lulani Arquette.

Each year, the national-Native-led nonprofit awards fellowships to individual artists. "To date, we have supported the work of 41 different artists nationwide," said NACF Program Director Reuben Roqueñi. "We are excited about this years support for the brilliantly distinctive work from the tribal nations of this four-state region and welcome visual and traditional artists to apply."

Applications must be submitted online by the 5 p.m. Pacific Standard Time, Thursday, July 10 deadline, at: http://www.nativeartgrants.org.

For a full list of application criteria, please visit www.nativeartsandcultures.org or www.nativeartgrants.org.

The fellowship available to American Indian traditional and visual artists, who hold citizenship in the 35 federallyrecognized tribes located in those four states,



### Woodland Indian Art Show and Market Art Class Program 2014 SCHEDULE

Art Classes for all ages



#### Corn Husk Doll

This is a fun and rewarding project for all ages. Children under 6 must be assisted by an adult. Judy will talk about the importance of corn to the Oneida People and about the Legend of the Corn Husk Doll and Why She Has No Face. All supplies are included in the class fee. Class size is limited to 12 students.

Plaza Club Room, Radisson Hotel, Green Bay, WI Location: Time: 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm General Fee: \$10 Instructor: Judith L. Jourdan Sunday, June 8, 2014 Date:

#### Strawberry Barrette, Necklace or Broach

Participants will choose one project to complete. Class is open to 12 years and older. The Strawberry is very important to the Oneida Culture and it has medicinal properties to help strengthen the heart. All supplies are included in the class fee. Class size is limited to 20 students.

Location: Plaza Club Room, Radisson Hotel, Green Bay, WI Instructor: Sandra J. Wescott-Gauthier Time: 10:00 am - 2:00 pm Monday, June 9, 2014 Dates: General Fee: \$8

\*Pictured left is a view the Strawberry design. Participants will not be making purses

#### How to Make Indian Flutes

This project is open to all ages. Children under 10 must be assisted by an adult. Participants will choose a cedar flute or cane flute. Flutes have taken William across the world. They have allowed him to share his culture and help eliminate negative stereotypes of the American Indian. All supplies are included in the class fee. Class size is limited to 15 students.

Location:	Plaza Club Room, Radisson	Hotel, Green Bay, WI	
Instructor:	William Harjo	Time: 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	
Dates:	Tuesday, June 10, 2014	Cedar Fee: \$25 Cane Fee: \$10	,



#### **Beaded Amulet**

Come learn how to make a Native American Beaded Amulet in the shape of a bear or turtle. These amulets will be made with micro suede, size 11 seed beads and filled with sage and cedar. Class size is limited to 20. All supplies are included in the class fee.

Location: Plaza Club Room, Radisson Hotel, Green Bay, WI Instructor: Douglas K. Limon Time: 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm General Fee: \$20 Dates: Wednesday, June 11, 2014

If you wish additional information contact Laura Manthe at Imanthe@oneidanation.org or call 920-360-4761.





FARMER'S MARKET?



www.oneidanation.org

N7332 Water Circle Place, Oneida www.oneidanation.org/ofm



#### EKLY ACTIVIT

This year the Oneida Farmers Market will try to have events at each of the markets. For example on July 10 St. Patrick's Day we will have Irish Dancers. July 24 is Christmas in July where a tree will be filled with candy canes and some vendors will be offering discounts, you may even see Santa. On August 28 it will be Easter and we will have egg hunts in the field with prizes in them for the kids. Please see our website at www.oneidanation.org/ofm or Facebook for more details.

June 26 • Oneida Days	August 7 • Health and Fitness	September 11 • Applefest and
July 3 • America's Birthday Party	Week	Mom's Day
July 10 • St. Patrick's Day	August 14 • Valentine's Day	September 18 • Car Show
July 17 • Market Bash I	August 21 • Market Bash II	September 25 • All About
July 24 • Christmas in July	August 28 • Easter	Wisconsin
July 31 • Kid's Day	September 4 • Pet's Day	October 2 • Thanksgiving
,		October 9 • Halloween



Oneida Falling Leaves 4-H brat booth open from 11:00-5:30pm

### MARKET BASHES • JULY 17 & AUGUST 21 Live Music, Games, Prizes, Raffles, Contests, Demos



Visit our website for more information at www.oneidanation.org/ofm

## From 1A/Food Hub

"It's all around health, it's all holistic, it's our food, our food has spirits," said Ninham.

Oneida owns a cattle farm with 500 head of Black Angus, has a herd of 155 buffalo, and harvests 11,000 bushels of apples at the Apple Orchard. Tsyunhehkwa and the Cannery grows and processes white corn – a crop that's been farmed by the Iroquois from before the arrival of Europeans in the Americas.

The Oneida farm runs 5,281 acres of crop land and 565 acres of pasture land, and the tribe leases 6,552.07 acres of agriculture land. While it could focus on selling commercial crops or leases for profit, Matson believes Oneida should focus on feeding its own people.

"If we grow a cash crop, we're going to use that cash to fight diabetes, to fight heart disease, to fight all these different things where we could simply gain ground on just by providing better food," he said.

"First and foremost what we are attempting

to do with a lot of good help is feed our community because we want to become sustainable around food," said Ninham.

Oneida has made strides in getting its products in the market place by selling white corn, buffalo, beef and apples through the Oneida Market, and getting Oneida the Farm's Black Angus beef in the Oneida Casino new restaurants that are managed by Ovations. Matson and Ninham have also worked to get Oneida foods in the school system, and are attempting to get it into the Anna John Resident Care Centered Community.

"That would be the goal, feed the children, feed the elders, feed the community, and whatever is in excess of that, bring it to the local market" said Matson.

Along with developing Oneida's own agriculture enterprises, Internal Services Director Joanie Buckley would like to see individual and family gardeners joining the integrated food system by expanding the Oneida Cannery and providing a market for their produce. "We would love to

have is an entrepreneurkitchen," ial said Buckley. "We need to take some of our marketing expertise that we have in house to help community members to build their labels, to show them how to market their products."

"What we envision is all these local farmers and gardens and farmers taking their produce to processing center somewhere here on the reservation centrally located," said Ninham.

While developing the integrated food system, Oneida has reached out to other tribes to share its experiences through the Sovereignty Food Summit held at the Radisson Hotel and Conference Center this April as well as last year. Buckley would like to expand the learning opportunities to include hands on training.

"If we became an outdoor classroom where Menominee could come and do some training,

where NWTC could train here, where other tribes can come in and spend a week here and learn about food prep and food handling, and how to grow some gardens, then it would be great. Not only would we would be a good, responsible citizen in Indian Country, but we would be helping ours because it makes us be better and better," said Buckley.

Oneida is looking to create new trade routes with other food producing tribes. The Oneida Market sells Seka Hills oil and vinegar produced by Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation of California. Nisqually The of Washington discussed selling salmon in Oneida.

"We've been having a lot of discussion around trade and trade groups," said Ninham.

The ultimate goal is for Oneida to be able to take care of its own people, according to Matson.

"The main focus is to feed ourselves," he said. "In order to really, truly be sovereign you need to feed yourself."

## **Health Facts**

- 32% of the Oneida population has diabetes. (Figures are based from the Oneida Health Center with 21% user population and an additional 11% estimated to be undiagnosed)
- 60% of youth in the Oneida Schools are overweight & at risk of obesity.
- There are young Oneida people in their 20's who are insulin dependent.
- 80% of the youth in the Oneida Schools are classified as low or very low income. (Figures are from the Wisconsin Department of Instruction)
- National health care expenditures related to obesity averages \$107 billion annually and it will continue to increase. (Figures from Institute of Medicine)

## **Farm Facts**

- The Oneida Farm runs 5,281 acres of crop land and 565 acres of pasture
- · Oneida has approximately 500 cattle and buffalo 115
- The Oneida Orchard has approximately 4500 trees and harvested about 11,000 bushels in 2013
- Since 1994, Oneida has acquired approximately 17,928 acres
- Oneida leases out 6,552.07 acres of agricultural land

### **USDA Announces \$78 Million for Local Food Enterprises**

WASHINGTON, Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack announced that USDA is making a historic \$78 million investment in local and regional food systems, including food hubs, farmers markets, distribution services, and other local food business enterprises.

"The 2014 Farm Bill has given USDA new tools, resources and authority to support the rural economy," Vilsack said. "Consumer demand locally-produced for food is strong and growing, and farmers and ranchers are positioning their businesses to meet that demand. As this sector continues to mature, we see aggregation, processing, and distribution enterprises across the local food supply chain growing rapidly. These historic USDA investments in support of local food give farmers and ranchers more market opportunities, provide consumers with more choices, and create jobs." Vilsack said that \$48 million in loan guarantees for local food projects is now available through USDA 's Rural Development's Business and Industry Guaranteed Loan Program, and \$30 million is available through competitive grants via the

Agricultural Marketing Service's (AMS) Farmers Market and Local Foods Promotion Program.

The 2014 Farm Bill requires USDA to set aside at least five percent of Business and Industry (B&I) program loan guarantees for projects that focus on local food business enterprises. Details on how to apply for local food funding through the B&I program are available on the Rural Development website. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. The B&I program has the authority to fund local food infrastructure in urban areas as long as the project supports farm and ranch income and expands healthy food access in underserved communities. Rural Development's B&I program provides financial backing for rural business development in partnership with private-sector lenders. It is one of several USDA programs that help finance local foods projects. In 2013, Rural Development supported more than 170 local food infrastructure projects from food hubs, to scaleappropriate processing facilities, to cold storage and distribution networks. Entities eligible for B&I loan guarantees include cooperatives,

non-profit organizations, corporations, partnerships or other legal entities, Indian tribes, public bodies or individuals.

The 2014 Farm Bill tripled funding for marketing and promotion support for local food enterprises by creating the Farmers Market and Local Foods Promotion Program, administered by the AMS. This new program makes \$30 million available annually to farmers markets, other direct producer-to-consumer venues, and other businesses in the local food supply chain. Under this program, \$15 million is now available for marketing and promotional support specifically for local food businesses, including food hubs, delivery and aggregation businesses, and processing and storage facilities along the local food supply chain, while \$15 million is for marketing support for farmers markets and other direct to consumer outlets. Since 2009, AMS, which administers this program, has funded nearly 450 projects totaling \$27 million to support direct marketing efforts for

local food. More information about how to apply is available on the AMS website. Applications are due June 20, 2014.

These funding opportunities are cornerstones of the USDA's commitment to support local and regional food systems. USDA's Know Your Farmer, Know Your Food Initiative coordinates the Department's policy, resources, and outreach efforts related to local and regional food systems The Know Your Farmer, Know Your Food Compass maps nearly 3,000 local and regional food projects supported by USDA and eleven other federal agencies. Secretary Vilsack has identified strengthening local food systems as one of the four pillars of USDA's commitment to rural economic development, along with production agriculture (including expanding export markets and improving research), promoting conservation and outdoor recreation opportunities, and growing the biobased economy.



Notice from the...Oneida Motor Vehicle **NO CASH POLICY** 

**Oneida Licensing** will not be able to accept cash for any motor vehicle transactions,

no exceptions. Acceptable method of payments include: Check, Debit/Credit Card, Money Order, or **Oneida Gift card.** Please contact our office if you have any questions: Tonya Webster, 920.496.5311 — Licensing Administrator OR Trista Cornelius, 920.496.5326 — Licensing Assistant

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MAY 31st 2014, 10a-1p at Oneida Police Department 2783 Freedom Road, Oneida WI Bring your family to OPD for a SAFETY presentation, tour through Emergency Vehicles, and much more!

**Demonstrations:** 

**Fire Trucks** 

**County Rescue Squad** 

Multi-Jurisdictional Squad Cars

K9 Demo

Safe Assured

Possible Eagle III Landing



What is Take 25?

Take 25 was designed to raise awareness of the issues surrounding missing and exploited children, the Take 25 campaign encourages parents, guardians, educators, and others to take 25 minutes to talk to children about safety. With a focus on prevention, Take 25 provides communities with free safety resources including safety tips, conversation starters, and engaging activities. Take 25's resources are available free of charge and can be found at local Take 25 website

In case of bad weather event will be cancelled and rescheduled on another date.



Questions please contact Matt Ninham at Oneida Police Department at 920-869-2239 or e-mail Matt at mninham2@oneidanation.org



## News from around Wisconsin

### Ho-Chunk may change how they dole out trust funds

BLACK RIVER FALLS, Wis. (AP) ~ When enrolled members of the Ho-Chunk Nation turn 18 and earn a high school diploma, they receive trust funds in a lump sum that can exceed \$200,000. But too many burn through their cash recklessly, ending up with little to show.

Tribal leaders are trying to change that. They've begun considering proposals to dole out the money in smaller amounts or to tie payments to college, military service and employment, the Wisconsin State Journal reported. The Ho Chunk Nation's legislature set a 90-day public comment period, which ends this week.

The money comes from gaming profits. Ho-Chunk adults get \$12,000 per year in four installments, but children have to wait for the money until they're 18.

When the program started in the mid-1990s, the payout was about \$17,000 per teen. That figure has skyrocketed along with the tribe's profits: This year's qualified graduates will receive more than \$200,000 before taxes.

When Troy Wallace got \$110,000 from the Children's Trust Fund in 2006, it was like winning the lottery, he said. He immediately bought a muscle car for \$34,000 in cash, and he also traveled to Disney World and Cancun.

Now the 26-year-old, who has two young kids, is unemployed and lives with his grandmother. He still has the car but it needs a new transmission.

"If I had used (the money) for college, I could have been in a lot different place," he said.

### Green Bay Symphony Orchestra to close after season

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) ~ The Green Bay Symphony Orchestra survived plenty of lean times in its 100-year history, but the current economic downturn has proven too difficult to overcome.

The symphony will fall silent at the end of the 2014-15 season, the result of dwindling donations and years of declining attendance.

"It was a very difficult decision to make," orchestra executive director Dan Linssen said Friday. "However, we cannot continue offering high-quality, professional performances not knowing from concert to concert if we'll be able to cover our costs.'

The orchestra was able to pick up a number of corporate sponsors, but not enough to compensate for other lost sponsorships and declining ticket revenue. The symphony has been losing \$30,000 to \$50,000 for the past few years, he said.

"It's sad, but if you take a broad enough perspective, we're in an evolutionary phase in the arts," Linssen said. "... We've got to be sensitive about what constitutes art appreciation for the next generation. It's clearly not symphony concerts."

The orchestra will end next year after a farewell season of five performances, beginning with a Star Spangled Celebration on Sept. 13.

The Green Bay Symphony was founded in 1913. It held its first concert the following year.

### Report: Climate change to affect Wisconsin crops

MADISON, Wis. (AP) \_ Wisconsin farmers can expect to see more crops damaged by extreme weather, and residents will see the Great Lakes shrink, forests recede and higher health and other costs as a result of climate change, according to a federal report released Tuesday.

The report highlighted challenges the country and Midwest residents will have to adapt to, including longer growing seasons that are also affected by extreme weather events. Wisconsin will see more precipitation, but that will include severe floods that threaten farmers and city infrastructure, according to the report.

John Young, who serves as the Wisconsin climatologist, said climate trends and variability, paired with extreme weather, create the biggest societal impact.

The Associated Press talked with some of the lead authors from Wisconsin who were cited in the report, who gave a rundown of the biggest challenges facing the state.

Agriculture: Farmers will face challenges from both higher average temperatures and wetter weather, the report said.

## Menominee to host benefit to help homeless vets



By Nate Wisneski Kalihwisaks nwisnes@oneidanation.org @Nwisneski\_Kali 🔰

A themed musical show will take center stage at the Menominee Resort Casino during the Menominee Tribe's Gathering of the Warriors Powwow and will put a spotlight on homeless veterans. The show is Friday, May 16 at the Menominee Resort Casino at 7 p.m.

"It's an event to create awareness for homeless veterans. It's really a fun event to shed light on a dire situation," said event coordinator Scott Marrier.

The Hands Foundation was formed by Marrier's sons Darrell and Chauncey and focused on disaster relief and community service. The foundation's focus shifted in 2011 when they were read stats that showed there are 76,000 to 200,000 homeless veterans on the street any night across the country.

"At first we didn't believe what we were reading. We started talking to the homeless and most of them were veterans," said Marrier. "We've collected and distributed over 21,000 items to homeless veterans. It's such an overwhelming problem." The tribe invited the

group to perform during the powwow and will stop all events to ensure maximum attendance for the event.

"We learned that native vets are really, really proud to be veterans. They're treated with such respect and it was so refreshing to us. This is the first time they invited an outside group to their National Warriors Powwow so it's a big deal to us," said Marrier.

The show will feature Darrell and Chauncey's outlaw country group Rosewater Band. It tells a story that weaves through a couple's life in the 1930s.

"We invite people to come to a wedding reception and dress like they are going. It just makes it like a more festive event. We also ask them to bring wedding presents and those presents go to homeless veterans," Marrier said.

"During show we will talk about what's going on with homeless vets. It's kind of embarrassing for our country. We also tell what people are doing to help homeless vets," added Marrier.

The gifts being sought are what most would consider basic need items.

"We're really interest-

is new men's underwear and socks. When the top of their shopping list is underwear and socks, it's kind of humbling," Marrier said.

The group is from western Wisconsin and puts a lot of focus in Minneapolis.

"Most of the homeless vets from Wisconsin end up in Minneapolis because of empty buildings and street corners to panhandle," said Marrier.

The Hands Foundation will arrive in Minneapolis with an RV and 12-foot trailer full of donated items.

"They can take whatever they want. We want to earn their trust back and get them talking. When we do that, then we try to hook them up with groups that can find them housing or jobs. The items are gifts with no strings attached," Marrier said.

The Hands foundation is a 100% payback foundation with no administration costs.

"It's a wonderful event. We tell people dress up, show up, and have fun," said Marrier. "People helping people is the fix.'

For more information about the Hands Foundation visit handsfoundation.com and for ed in winter jackets, win- more information about

Scientists say Wisconsin has warmed since at least 1950, and that the state's growing season has increased an average of five days, and by 20 days in central and northwest Wisconsin. The report predicts that trend will continue.

Corn production will continue to be affected by the changing weather patterns, while soybeans have a two in three chance of seeing higher yields in the short term. Farmers would also see decreased yields if they have to delay crop starts or plant shorter-season varieties of crops.

# FOR AMERICAN INDIAN AND Alaska native youth,

### THE NEWS COULD BE BETTER.

- · On average, Native teens first use alcohol at the age of 14.
- · AI/AN teens use marijuana and prescription drugs at twice the rate of the national average
- Many AI/AN youth believe that their parents do not strongly disapprove of them drinking alcohol or smoking pot.

### BUT THERE'S A LOT TO CELEBRATE! RECENT RESEARCH SUGGESTS THAT:

- Just talking with your teen about drug and alcohol use early and often can give them greater self-control and the confidence to say "no" when pressured.
- · More than 75% of AI/AN youths surveyed had not used drugs or alcohol in the past month.
- AI/ANs 12 and older were the least likely group of any race/ethnicity to currently use alcohol.

### SO WHAT'S THE MESSAGE?

- Talk to your child about alcohol and drugs. If possible, start the conversation before they're in school - but it's never too late.
- Make it clear that you strongly disapprove of underage smoking, drinking, or using any other drugs. Never let someone drive who has been drinking or using drugs

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- Set a good example. Live a drug and alcohol-free life
- · For additional help, go to www.weRnative.org

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## **Oneida Film Society Turns One Year Old**

Featuring the movie Shouting Secrets

#### By Shannon Stone Oneida Community Education Center

The Oneida Film Society is closing in on its first birthday. In May of 2013, we showed our first film Reel Injun. We were pleased to have Charlie Hill to share his connection to the film. Many of you knew Charlie and his life's work to tear apart stereotypes about Indians. That is a large part of what the film society is about. When we look at the different films, old and new, we hope to celebrate what it means to be Native American while dispelling the myths.

Sometimes it is incredibly funny. Chris Eyre is a Cheyenne/Arapaho filmmaker. Smoke Signals was his first feature film made the comment "White people playing Native roles? I love it, because it's funny." He is referring to how little these people understood about the people they portrayed. Most of the Native roles of the past were typically negative showing Indians as stupid, uncultured, alcoholic savages living in teepees. The unfortunate thing is that for most people this was their only

knowledge of Indians. In other cases, we saw some very sad things. In one film, a clip showed Bugs Bunny counting "One little, two little, three little Injuns..." as he fires his rifle into a group of whack-a-mole Indians shooting arrows at his position behind a fort wall. He's keeping score. On the wall in front of him, he is tallying his kills. He gets to number six, pauses, and says, "Uh-oh, sorry, that one was a half-breed." Using the pencil in front of him, Bugs erases half

of the tick mark and continues. "Seven little, eight little, nine little Injuns..." At least one of our audience members came to tears watching.

Several of the films were dramas that many were able to identify with as they were movies about Native problems with real Indian actors in the roles. The language and cultural of the films often left tribal members smiling or laughing while the non-Indians in the room were occasionally scratching heads because they didn't understand. After a summer break we showed a series of films to match the holidays including ghost film in October, a hunting film in November and а Christmas film in December. Each of the films took traditionally American stories and were written to fit Native American experiences to give them a more Indian feel.

In Barking Water, an older Indian couple with an on and off relationship come together for one last time. Frankie is dying from cancer and his only way home is for past love, Irene, to drive him across Oklahoma. Neither of them has much money, so they make several stops were family and friends help them out. The story was very American and yet very Native American. It was easy to look at a character and they remind me of people we know.

Rounding up our season, we had several documentaries about Native people that made a contribution to Indians. We showed a couple films with Charlie Hill to share his humor at the beginning of the year, including a showing at the Anna John Center since so many there knew Charlie for most of their lives. The final two documentaries were movies

about dancer, Maria Tallchief, and Jazz musician Jim Pepper. They made an excellent contrast as Maria was a highly disciplined world class ballerina and Jim was much more improvisational blending Jazz and Native sounds to create his own unique sound that is popular around the world.

The final movie before we take a summer break will be the award winning Shouting Secrets. Many people have been asking to see this hard to get film so we are glad to end the season with it. The story surrounds a young successful Indian author, Wesley, who long ago left Arizona and the San Carlos Apache Reservation in his rear view mirror. He remains close to his mother but alienated the rest of the

family with his autobiographical bestseller. He has no intention of returning for his parent's anniversary party but finds himself pulled back into the fold. Coming home only underlines what a mess Wesley's life has become, but he's not alone in that. Shouting Secrets tells a present day story about a Native-American family with unique struggles but universal truths.

Make sure you attend this very special event on June 2 at the Oneida Nation Community Education Center at 4:30 pm. There is no cost but seating is very limited so we are asking everyone to register online at www.oneidafilmsociety.e ventbrite.com/ or email Shannon Stone at SStone@oneidanation.or g.

# Large crowd at memorial for Billy Frank Jr.

SHELTON, Wash. (AP) ~ Thousands of people attended a funeral service for Billy Frank Jr., the Nisqually tribal elder who fought for Indian fishing rights in Washington state and was an advocate for salmon habitat.

Frank died May 5. He was 83.

Frank figured prominently in Northwest fish-in demonstrations of the 1960s and 1970s that eventually led to sweeping changes in how Washington manages salmon and other fish.

Among those at the service Sunday at the Little Creek Casino Resort's Event Center were Gov. Jay Inslee and Sens. Patty Murray and Maria Cantwell. Inslee said Frank was a state and national leader and that when he spoke, "people listened."

About 6,000 people attended the service, said Little Creek spokesman Greg Fritz. Crowds also served in the Marine Corps - and remarks from more than 20 tribal leaders and elected officials.

"I often said that no one cared more about salmon and the planet Earth than our friend Billy," said former U.S. Rep. Norm Dicks.

Cantwell described him as "a legend that has walked among us," comparing his legacy to those of Cesar Chavez, Martin Luther King Jr. and Nelson Mandela.

Frank was arrested more than 50 times for "illegal fishing" during the protests that came to be known as the fish wars. Patterned after the sit-ins of the civil rights movement, the campaign was part of larger nationwide movement in the 1960s for American Indian rights.

In 1992, Frank was awarded the Albert Schweitzer Prize for Humanitarianism, whose winners include former



## and win an ADDITIONAL \$5,000.

Valid on regular games only. Complete details in the Bingo Hall. watched the service on jumbo screens from a large tent and other areas of the resort.

The service featured traditional Indian Shaker Church prayers, a presentation of a folded U.S. flag for the family - Frank had President Jimmy Carter and Desmond Tutu.

Swinomish tribal chairman Brian Cladoosby, president of the National Congress of American Indians, described Frank as a forceful teacher and a truth teller.



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Photo taken by Dennis King/dkingofimagez.com Sandy (Ninham) Brehmer, left, and Alma Webster, the first Oneida Bingo managers, are shown beneath a portrait of Irene Moore, the tribe's first woman chair. The portrait hangs in the Irene Moore Activity Center, the current home of Oneida Bingo.

#### By Dawn Walschinski Kalihwisaks dwalschi@oneidanation.org

While Oneida is looking forward to celebrating its expanded gaming facilities this summer, a new book "The Bingo Queens of Oneida: How Two Moms Started Tribal Gaming in Wisconsin" by Mike Hoeft tells the story of its humble beginnings.

"They started bingo simply to pay the bill at the Civic Center," he said.

Hoeft heard stories about the early days of Bingo from his motherin-law Sandy (Ninham) Brehmer and his wife Patty Hoeft. "I thought this was a good story that needed to be told, and nobody else was writing it," said Hoeft.

Hoeft tells the Oneida gaming story through the eyes of Brehmer and Alma Webster, the women who had the idea for a tribe-run bingo operation. Bingo became the Oneida's first mon-

eymaker at a desperate time where half of the population was living in poverty.

Bingo not only paid the Civic Center's light bill but was soon financing vital health and housing services for tribal elderly and poor — and inspiring other tribal gaming ventures throughout Wisconsin and beyond.

The start of bingo in 1976 coincided with a dynamic political time within Oneida and all of Indian Country.

"Bingo was the first revenue stream for the tribe, but there

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was so much nation b u i l d i n g going on at the very same time," said Hoeft. "This wasn't just given to the tribe - they had to fight for it."

Hoeft gives thanks to Patty for encouraging him to write the book.

"I give credit to my wife for hanging in there, and giving me the idea for the book," he said.

Profits from book sales at this event will go to the Purcell Powless Scholarship Fund.

Upcoming Book Launch Events • Wednesday May 21, 2014 — Book Talk and

Signing

Mike Hoeft, Author

• Time: 7 P.M.

• Location: *Ontario Room* at the *Radisson Hotel by Oneida Bingo & Casino*, 2040 Airport Drive, Green Bay, Wis.

Author Mike Hoeft will be joined by the two women who started the Oneida Bingo tradition — Sandra Ninham and Alma Webster — to celebrate the publication of his new Wisconsin Historical Society Press book, "The Bingo Queens of Oneida."

Hoeft will detail the story of struggle and triumph he shares in the book. A book signing will follow with cake and coffee.

How to order the book:

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#### **Program Expands Services**

A new focus on spay/neuter, bite prevention, owne education, and vaccination will replace the Annual Rabies Clinic. The Oneida Pet Safety Program is designed to help tribal members continue to vaccinate their pets and to motivate pet owners to spay and neuter the pets- which is important to bite prevention.

#### How the Program Works

Program from Environmental, Health, and Safety Division

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The new program will provide Oneida Retail Gift Cards in exchange for vet services. Pet owners will be responsiexchange for vet services. Yet owners we be response ble for taking their pet to any licensed veterinarian in **Brown or Outagamie County**. Pet owners must pay 100% of the bit at the time of service. After the pet receives service, pet owners who provide the following information will receive Oneida Retail Gift Cards

1. Proof of vaccinations: An itemized receipt and/or rabies vaccination certificate.

2. Copy of your Oneida Tribal Identification Card.

3. A copy of a current Oneida Pet License if you live on the reservation. You can bring your paperwork to either N7332 Water Circle Place. Little Bear Development Center, or at the Conservation Office, located at N8047 County Rd. U. Pet licenses will be available for purchase at both sites

Pet licenses will be available for purchase at both sites. Licenses for intact pets are \$ 10.00 each. Licenses for spayed or neutered pets are \$ 5.00 and you must pro-vide documentation from a Vet that your pet is spayed or neutered.

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ONEIDA PET SAFETY Program

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### Wis. ranks No. 2 in organic farms in US

MILWAUKEE (AP) Wisconsin had 1,180 organic farms in 2012, more than any other state except California.

Nearly one in five was in Vernon County the nation's top seller of organic milk.

Organic Valley CEO George Siemon says the cooperative started in the late 1980s when tobacco farmers in western Wisconsin were looking for a new crop.

The company now employs 1,800 farms nationwide and 750 nonfarm workers.

Siemon says its success has led to others' success. Vernon County is also home to Harmony Valley Farm, and another major farm, Driftless Organics,

### Wisconsin farms become extended family affair

MILWAUKEE (AP) \_ The federal government released new farm data this month in the 2012 Census of Agriculture, which helps illustrate changes in how the nation's food is produced. Here's a look at some interesting trends in Wisconsin:

Advertisers and retailers use the phrase ``family farm" to conjure images of small, idyllic homesteads run by a nuclear family. Some Wisconsin farms still fit that mold, but a growing number are run by extended families, with siblings, cousins and other relatives working together.

Most of Wisconsin's 69,754 farms are familyowned, but nearly half

are run by more than one person.

Farmers say there are two main advantages to working together: They can focus on individual areas of expertise and take breaks. Partnerships are particularly appealing in the dairy industry, where cows need nearly around-the-clock care.

Karen Hughes oversees milking and care of the 900 cows on a farm near Allenton started by her father and his three brothers in the 1970s.

"When the skid loader breaks, I don't have to worry about fixing it, I can call a guy who knows exactly how to fix it, and he's fast at it because he knows how to do it," said Hughes, 29.

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## **Attention Oneida Graduates**

The Kalihwisaks is preparing to honor ALL "graduating" High School Seniors A special graduate full-color centerfold will be published in the June 12, 2014 issue



\*Any special congratulatory messages will NOT be included in this section BUT you can purchase space in the "Good News" section for your special wishes.



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Roycee-Lou Hudson Summers

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For your support in the **Primary.** Respectfully asking for your

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## **Good News**

### **Submissions**

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DONATION OPPORTUNITIES FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

By Lindsey Danforth

On the evening of

Sunday, June 8th, the

Class of 2014 at Oneida

Nation High School will

be attending the final

milestone of high school.

these seniors have been

working towards the last

The whole thought of

going to college and

being on their own may

seem overwhelming, but

they have been handling

it very well. Most of

them know exactly what

they want to do after high

four years.

Graduation is what

Thunderhawk Times



## **Changing from ONHS seniors to freshman**

- Haskell University; Shy

House - NWTC; Billie

Muriel King - UW-

Sheboygan; Raymond

King - University of

Skenandore - NWTC;

Stevens - Undecided;

Tyler Stevens - NWTC;

Joelle Thomas - CMN;

Luis Webster - UW-

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Miranda

Powless

Stage

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Undecided;

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MATC;

Kaylynn

NWTC;

Sheldon

Natasha

Vincent

John

Hawaii;

Hector

Powless

Matthew

NWTC;

Amanda

Undecided;

Sheboygan;

Webster - NWTC.

Martinez

Undecided;

## It's horse time

#### By Ruby John Thunderhawk Times

This winter has been rough on the animal world. For the equine world, it's been especially hard because the snow and the cold have kept owners from what they love the most – riding or just plain hanging out with their best barn buddy.

Winter on the farm becomes a matter of feeding and watering, making sure the water doesn't freeze, and making sure that the equines are safe and warm.

"You train a horse from the ground up – literally," says Dennis Gullickson, a wellknown horseman.

Anyone who is interested in gathering some tips and some ways to get ready for those amazing spring and summer days when there can be some galloping, trotting, and walking across open fields or working on getting some or all blue ribbons in the show rings can start out by hanging around a stable. It's amazing how much information can be learned by simply immersing oneself into the equine world.

Get out there, enjoy the beautiful spring weather, and enjoy some quality horse time!

## **ONHS** focus rewards positive behavior

#### By Isaiah Charles Thunderhawk Times

ONHS students have been earning rewards for positive behavior. These rewards are given in the form of a "T-Hawk Pride punch card." Essentially, the T-Hawk punch cards are small index cards, about the size of a business card, which have 10 boxes printed on them.

Whenever an ONHS

student is "caught" doing something positive, the teacher who witnesses the positive behavior will use a specially designed paper punch and punch a hole in that student's T-Hawk Pride card.

school, whether it is

attending a technical col-

lege, a four-year college,

or joining the workforce.

Even so, there are a

couple of seniors who

still aren't 100% sure

about their future plans

Currently, the 2014

ONHS seniors plan to

follow these paths after

Christjohn,- Undecided;

Cody Cornelius - NWTC

Danforth - St. Norbert

College; Yasmine Denny

CMN;

Cornelius-Daubon

Undecided;

Charles

Paul

Josanna

Lindsey

and are "undecided."

graduation:

Isaiah

NWTC:

or

Once the card is filled, students can turn them in at Snack City, the ONHS school store, for \$.50 worth of merchandise. If a student saves up 10 punch cards, he/she can



redeem them for a \$5.00 gas card.

Currently, ONHS teachers have been

focusing their punches on cellphone use. Lately, too many students have been attempting to use

Students and staff showcase talents during annual Culture Days

their phones in class.

ONHS senior Shelia Stevens, left, cele-

brates last June with her sister and 2013

ONHS graduate Heather Stevens, right.

THT file photo

ONHS students can earn punches by putting their cellphones into a "Cellphone Parking" box on a teacher's desk for the whole class period.

Students can pick up their phones when the class is over and earn two punches.

This is a very good deal because if the student does it all day, he or she can earn fourteen punches in one day. That means that ONHS students can fill up 1 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cards in only one day just by not having their phone in class. Wow!

### Bay Beach officially opens

By Talon Skenadore Thunderhawk Times On May 5th, 2014,

the Green Bay amusement park called Bay



Clockwise: ONHS freshman Raeden Metoxen gets her ingredients ready for the fry bread competition; ONHS junior Mitchel Cornelius takes aim during Culture Day's archery contest; ONHS Principal Artley Skenandore tests his talents on the grill.



right around the corner and some of the students at the Oneida Nation High School like to go to Bay Beach during their summer break. Not only students from ONHS, but lots of students from other schools, families, and children.

Bay Beach is on the east side of Green Bay and is a family-friendly park with lots of rides for not only children but for teenagers as well. There is a new ride at Bay Beach called the sea dragon which swings back and forth. When asked about Bay Beach, ONHS junior Dante said, Thomas "Bay Beach is the best place for kids. It has so many rides that you'll never get bored. Personally, I like going on the Zippin Pippen. I didn't try the new ride yet, but I want to."

Later on in the summer, the go-cart track and mini golf course across the street from Bay Beach will open up. That



will allow more options for fun rather than just rides. If teenagers are searching for something fun to do during the summer, they can go to Bay Beach and have a great time.



Isaiah Charles Cody Cornelius Lindsey Danforth Shy House Ruby John Tavia Moore Talon Skenadore Sheila Stevens Vincent Webster

# **OBC** Forum



Tina Danforth Treasurer

As my term as Treasurer comes to an end I want to thank everyone for their support and understanding during these difficult financial times. It has been a tough few years with cuts but the diligence has allowed us to

## **OBC Forum**

#### Shekoli, Memorial Day

First of all I would like to pay tribute to our veterans. These individuals who served in our Armed Forces. whichever branch of the military they served, are to be thanked for their dedication and civic responsibility to endure the separation required to defend our country.

Coming up on May 23rd at the Oneida Veterans Nation Memorial Wall is the Oneida Code Talkers Ceremony. This event locally honor, will remember and pay tribute to several individuals who were instrumental in helping the military transmit secret coded messages during WWI and WWII.

### Work Ethic

Howard Rainer, Taos Pueblo-Creek, said, "Children learn from what they see. We need to set an example of truth and action." Mr. Rainer is right. As a Nation, we need to see more examples of truth and action. It has been mentioned by several GTC members some Business that Committee members do not attend meetings. This is true of some of the current Business Committee members, but not me. With the exception of a recent medical leave of absence, I have attended every single Business Committee Meeting and GTC Meeting that has been held over the past three years. As with any business, it is important for leadership to show up to work, work the full day, and set a high standard for other employees to follow. The Tribe's important business decisions cannot be made by one person alone.



When I began my

million. Instead of tak-

ing out loans and put-

ting ourselves into fur-

ther debt for the Larsen

Road One Stop and

Gaming expansion, we

have self-funded these

projects which has

allowed us to focus on

our debt payments. It has

always been important to

me to leave a legacy of

finances for the next

fiscally

responsible

### David Jordan Councilman

#### Audit

As some of you may know, I am the Vice-Chairperson of the Audit Committee. The audit Committee has made positive advancements these past three years. Some of successes include:

- Closed 84 High Risk Audits • Closed 13 Operational
- Audits Both of these actions

Treasurer and I believe I have done my job to the best of my ability. The next person to be seated as Treasurer will have an excellent staff to work with.

In addition to paying down debt, we have also preserved the employee base. Changes still need to occur in our dated staffing levels but I am optimistic that will continue to change in the future. We have been very fortunate to avoid layoffs and extended furloughs during the government shutdown and despite the economic downturn we have been able to maintain our employment base. This is a huge feat and some-

didn't have to happen. I

am a strong believer in

listening to the experts

and asking the experts

for recommendations.

Currently we have an

excellent team in the

Previous administrations

were prone to bad deci-

sions resulting in having

to borrow money each

week to make payroll

and not putting money

away to fund the per

capita payments. Part of

these decisions was due

to improper due dili-

gence. Had the proper

safeguards been in place,

we would not have suc-

cumbed to this drain on

I believe we need to

implement the Budget

Management Act as this

is a very important key to

the future in budgeting to

the Tribe's priorities. I

am a very cautious per-

son that you can trust and

where you will never see

me trying to benefit

myself, but being here

our government.

Department.

Finance

thing we should all be proud of while many surrounding businesses have been forced to downsize.

Discussing money is not an easy task for many different reasons but being Treasurer demands the dialogue. Often times I hear from the membership that they want more in per-capita and want increased services. Increases are the Business Committee's (BC) decision just like lowering the per-capita was the General Tribal Council's (GTC) decision. I cannot act alone and can only address what I am instructed to do by either the BC or the GTC. I was not in favor of lowering per-capita nor am I in favor of discontinuing the GTC meeting stipends. GTC input and participation is priceless.

Per-capita and GTC meeting stipends are a way some of our members supplement their income so how can we take this away? People generally vote with their hearts or their own interests in mind when these issues are discussed at GTC. The same is true at the BC level. I must look to the bigger picture and consider all the needs of our members.

Many of our Tribal members work for the Tribe and with the economic downturn, government shutdown, and cost

containment measures there has been no merit increase in years. Cost containment was intended for specific areas and because of our diligence we have gone from a \$12 million dollar deficit to \$3 million. Also, we were able to fund an equitable wage increase across the board (44  $\phi$ ) for FY 2014 as directed by the GTC. As we begin the budget process for FY 2015 we must remain diligent to ensure our future endeavors are for everyone's benefit.

As spring approaches I hope everyone takes a few extra minutes each day to enjoy the warmer weather and rejuvenate their Spirits. Yaw^ko.

abreast of any financial impacts that may arise which could threaten our stable economy.

#### **Open door policy**

I will continue this policv that I have had in place for the past three years. My door is always open for Tribal members to approach me on various issues that may be of concern to them or to the community. I will do my utmost within the parameters of my office to secure an answer and/or

present the change to the proper entity within the Tribe to see that the situation is rectified.

Not everyone can say they are a successful business owner. There is a reason why I have owned and operated my business for the past 14+ years. People trust me there. After three years on the Oneida Business Committee, I believe I have proved this point that I am a person who can be trusted. Humbly I thank everyone who sup-

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ported me in the primary and would appreciate your continued support in my quest to be your next Treasurer.

Again I want to thank you, the general membership, for taking the time to read these articles and as always I am available to meet with you, should you so desire. I can be reached at (920) 869-4482 or you can e-mail me at djordan1@oneidanation.org.

David Jordan



- AGENDA -

I. Posting of colors by Oneida veterans color guard and Opening prayer

II. Announcements and Call meeting to order

III. Adopt the agenda

**IV. New Business** 

1. Judiciary transition update and amendments



have not been completed in the history of the Committee. Audit Congratulations to the Audit Committee and the Audit Staff for your hard work.

We need to have an enforcement mechanism put into effect because currently when we do audits nobody really wants to fix the problem. An audit is the tool used to identify a high risk finding and/or checks and balances, followup/implementation of corrections is necessary.

### **Quest for Treasurer**

The role of a Treasurer safeguarding is the money, making sure every investment is well thought out and analyzed by professionals. In the past, bad investments were made because of a lack of proper analysis and quick decisions that for the Tribe's future. Pay Down Debt

Since 1996 we as a Tribe have paid over \$36 million in interest alone. If we had this debt paid off, we would be a much stronger Tribe and would be able to use these dollars for the Tribe's future. Interest rates have been low, but will start to rise, increasing the cost of interest for future years if we don't pay down now. We as a Tribe need to adopt a no new debt policy. The Tribe should use the policy of "pay as you go" for future projects and adhere to all GTC mandates.

#### Communication to the GTC

I believe Tribal members should receive information pertinent to the operation of our tribal government and will keep the membership

### **ONEIDA** Business Committee Meetings 9:00 AM

Wednesday, May 28 Wednesday, June 11 Wednesday, June 25

Norbert Hill Center **2nd Floor** 

- a. Adopt resolution for Judiciary Law Amendments Re: Clarification of education requirements for Chief Judges
- b. Transition update: Assigning a Tribal Judge position to Family Court
- c. Adopt resolution to set compensation for judges
- 2. Verbal report on status of implementing GTC 12-15-13 action to dissolve the Oneida Seven Generations Corporation
- 3. Referendum questions
  - a. 2012 When a thorough audit is completed, should this Audit Committee include any names of individuals, amounts of missing monies, etc., be included in each audit report? July 7, 2012 special election 320 yes,127 no
  - b. 2013 Should the land use plan be brought before GTC for approval to be changed or reversed? July 6, 2013 special election 239 yes, 81 no

#### 4. Petitions

- a. Petitioner Linda Dallas Require Tribe to pay real estate taxes for all Tribe-owned property - Petition submitted March 4, 2013
- b. Petitioner Madelyn Genskow To review and consider the attached resolutions.

In the event that public hearings are a requirement, we direct the Business Committee to hold the required public hearings and bring these resolutions to the GTC intact - Petition submitted July 10, 2013

- 1. Genskow resolution no. 1: Now therefore be it resolved the name and home address of people who sign petitions will not be published in the General Tribal Council meeting mail outs
- 2. Genskow resolution no. 2: Now therefore be it resolved - presenters who submitted petitions may respond to questions and comments from the floor at GTC meetings
- c. Petitioner Yvonne Metivier The GTC directs the OBC to create a "stall mall" for Oneida tribal members, small businesses and vendors at the empty former grocery store on Water Circle in Oneida - Petition submitted Dec. 27, 2013

## **Indian Community School To Feature Music Showcase**

Artist in Residence to Highlight Student Native American Flute *Concert* 

MILWAUKEE, WI ~ The Indian Community School of Milwaukee -Milwaukee's premier American Indian educational institution - will showcase their music artist-in-residence with a program of Native American flute music and culture on Friday, May 30 at 6:00 P.M. in the Indian Community School's Drum Room. The program will feature performances from the artist-in-residence Darren Thompson, a renowned Native American flute player, and 5th grade students

Native performing American flute music from American Indian cultures throughout North America.

"The Indian Community School strives feature to American Indian culture and a sense of identity through indigenous teachings and ways of learning to our students and we are truly privileged to have hosted Darren Thompson and the accomplishments he has brought and given to our students," said Indian Community School of Milwaukee Principal Amy Tromp. "The school and students are excited to share their work with the community and we look forward to hosting a landmark event featuring our student's success and display of culture."

The concert highlights

Darren Thompson's residence, where 5th grade students were provided an opportunity to intimately learn about the Native American flute its history, its construction, its songs, how to play the instrument, and its cultural abilities - all in the framework of American Indian culture. The program will feature ancient songs that have been passed through the generations and original compositions inspired by the students. Darren Thompson is originally from the Lac du Flambeau Indian Reservation in Northern Wisconsin and has performed throughout the world. He hosts an acclaimed Native American flute workshop in his hometown of Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin attracting visitors and students from all over the

United States eager to learn about more American Indian culture.

"Words cannot express how honored and excited I am to showcase the Indian Community School's students and their growth with one of the most cherished instruments in American Indian culture," said Darren Thompson. "Much like our people, this instrument and all it represents was nearly lost to the world. To have the opportunity to teach children in the context of their own culture is an extreme privilege and I am thrilled to share this accomplishment with the students, their families, and the broader community."

For the Best in Native American Music Kalihwiyo'se **WPNE** 89.3 Thursdays 10PM to Midnight

### **Guest** Editorial

#### for a Thank You Successful Food Drive

We did it again! Letter carriers at the Oneida Post Office along with postal employees and local volunteers teamed up to stamp out hunger in the community.

I want to thank everyone who helped make this year's Food Drive a success. It could not have been done without you.

Across the country, the Food Drive - held in cooperation with the Postal Service - resulted in millions of pounds of non-perishable food collected and distributed to deserving charities

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Closer to home, the Oneida carriers collected 1,943 pounds of food from generous donations left at mailboxes, which were then delivered to Black Creek the Salvation Army food pantry.

For more than twenty years our local community has come together for this important event to help make it successful. This clearly shows the generosity of everyone involved with the project - people who make a difference in other people's lives.

> **Cheryl Koenig Oneida Postmaster**

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E-mail your letters to: dwalschi@oneidanation.org

### Tribal tourism leaders to focus on Wisconsin's tribal cultural heritage

Green Bay, WI~ Native American Tourism of Wisconsin (NATOW) is bringing its annual conference to Green Bay Sunday, June 8, through Tuesday, June 10, 2014. The conference will be held at the Oneida Tribe's Green Bay Radisson Hotel and Convention Center and is slated to include the latest developments in tribal tourism.

"Wisconsin's Tribes are determined to share their rich cultural heritage with the world and NATOW's annual conference serves as a platform for Tribes and the State of Wisconsin to propel their collective efforts to strengthen Wisconsin's resilient tourism industry," said NATOW Executive Director Ernest Stevens III. "With tourism at the heart of Wisconsin's economy, Tribal input and participation not only strengthens the Tribes, but the entire

State of Wisconsin we all call home."

More than 300 American Indian and Tourism leaders and representatives are expected to attend the conference. The plenary and breakout sessions during the two-day conference will provide a forum for tribal, state government and tourism leaders to keep abreast of trends on issues such as digital marketing, Native cuisine, cultural entertainment, and educational efforts in American Indian/Alaskan Native tourism throughout the United States.

For the first time ever, NATOW will host a food competition featuring chefs representing Wisconsin's tribal comand the general public can will have an opportunity to taste each entrée that is prepared with main ingredients that are native to Wisconsin. The competition's entrées

will highlight foods that are rich in Wisconsin's tribal history - wild rice, walleye, and buffalo where recipes will be shared with those in attendance.

The NATOW tradeshow is free and open to the public. The tradeshow offers the public an opportunity to gather information and goods from artisans, business, agencies, and non-profit groups. A conference agenda can also be view on the NATOW website http://www.nativewisconsin.com.

Founded in 1994, Native American Tourism of Wisconsin is an intertribal consortium that was launched by GLITC munities where attendees (Great Lakes Indian Tribal Council) in the State of Wisconsin. The mission of NATOW is to promote tourism featuring Native American heritage and culture.

## Legal Notice

**ONEIDA TRIBAL** JUDICIAL SYSTEM **NOTICE OF COM-**PLAINT FILED AND **SCHEDULED** HEARING

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

14-TC-014 - Miranda Redhail 14-TC-017 - Dale and Sara Hill 14-TC-018 - Serena L. Hernandez 14-TC-020 - Michael Ramirez 14-TC-021 - Sarah L. Danforth

Tuesday, April 29, 2014, at 2:00 p.m., in the above captioned case at the Oneida Tribal Judicial System office; located at Ridgeview Plaza, Suite #1, Oneida, WI 54155.

For specific questions about this claim; for settlement or payment arrangements, please Timothy Zellmer, at Central Accounting at (920) Inquiries for additionindividuals of a claim al information may be filed by the Oneida directed to Clerk of Court, Oneida Tribal Judicial System (920) 497-5800

**ATTENTION:** Vietnam Veterans – Desert Storm Veterans - Iraq Veterans - Afghanistan Veterans

Anyone who may have been exposed to dioxins, toxins from the burn pits and other hazardous materials.



Vietnam Veterans of America - Wisconsin State Council requests your attendance:

### TOWN HALL MEETING

When: June 25th 2014

Where: Oneida Veterans Dept. 134 Riverdale Dr.

**Time:** 10:30 – 12:00, Light lunch to follow

Speakers: John Margowski, Richard Lindbeck & Michael Demske This event will discuss possible side effects due to exposure to hazardous material. This can effect yourselves, your children, grandchildren and possibly your spouse. Please come, listen and participate. Additional information will be handed out at the event.

14-TC-004 - Brian and Onikwintala Webster Linda Batemen 14-TC-007 – Michelle M. Cornelius L. Edwards 14-TC-009 – Sean E. Powless 14-TC-010/011 - Travis V. Moore 14-TC-012 – Jodi A. Dalton 14-TC-013 - Michelle appearance a judgment L. Ambrosius

14-TC-022 14-TC-024 – Elizabeth contact

A diligent attempt was 490-3529. made to notify the above Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin. Due to nonwas rendered on

### **Oneida Total Integrated Enterprises (OTIE)**

OTIE's Education Outreach Program will sponsor two Oneida high school students to attend:

### Milwaukee School of Engineering 2014 Summer Camp Engineering Program

The camp sponsorship will cover the cost of a one-week academic program, student housing, meals and evening activities at the Milwaukee School of Engineering (MSOE) campus in downtown Milwaukee. Students and their families will be responsible for any transportation costs.



The MSOE camps are during the month of July 2014 in the following engineering fields: electrical, mechanical, computer, software, architectural, and biomedical/biomolecular. High school students must be an incoming sophomore, junior or senior. The registration deadline is June 1, 2014.

If you or someone you know is a high school student with a strong math background and interested in attending an MSOE engineering camp this summer, please contact:



Francine Skenandore fskenandore@otie.com or (414) 607-6746



# The Oneida Tribe Legislative Operating Committee LOC Update

# A Step-by-Step Guide to the Oneida Tribal Legislative Process

When the General Tribal Council (GTC) adopted the Legislative Procedures Act (LPA) in January 2013, the legislative process (*i.e.* the process by which the Tribe makes and amends Tribal laws and policies) underwent some changes.

process were intended to streamline and make the lawmaking process more accessible to the Tribal membership-for example, the formal Public Hearings were replaced with public meetings where the

The changes to the legislative LOC not only accepts comments but is also able to answer questions and engage in dialogue with those who attend.

As part of the LOC's longstanding commitment to providing the membership with as much infor-



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### The Request is Considered at the LOC Meeting The LOC will review the agenda request form and any supporting information. If the LOC accepts the and if the requester is present, they can speak to the LOC about their request, and request: the item is answer any questions the LOC might have. added to the LOC's Then, the LOC will make a decision on whether to accept the item for processing. Active Files List, a Sometimes, the LOC might decline to accept an item. This might happen for a sponsor is assigned, number of reasons-for example, if the underlying issue could be resolved in a and the LRO begins different manner without needing legislation, the LOC might refer the matter to a processing the item different Tribal department with a request to resolve that issue. The LOC might The Active Files List i also decline a request if it would be too expensive to implement, or if it does not a list of all of the items fit with the long-term goals of the OBC, or if there are other priority items that the he LOC is currently LOC feels should take precedence at the current time. processing, and identifies where each item is in the legislative process. Each item is sponsored by an individual LOC who responsible for guiding that item through the egislative process from start to finish. Processing-Research and Drafting The LRO processes the item. When the request is for a new law or policy, the LRO's drafting attorneys will create a written draft. When the request is for amendments to a current law or policy, the drafting attorneys will create a draft with changes to the current law or policy. The drafting attorneys may meet with the item's sponsor, the requesting party, other Tribal departments that could be affected, and may also meet any other entity that can provide information that would assist the drafting attorneys. This step usually involves a lot of re search and work meetings, and continues until a final draft is ready for the LOC to consider. **Finish! Consideration for Adoption** Once a final draft is ready, and the analyses are updated to reflect any changes made during the process; the proposal is submitted to the OBC (or to the GTC), along with the legislative and fiscal analyses, a statement of effect, and a draft Resolution. If the OBC (or GTC) wants to adopt the new/amended law or policy, they will pass a Resolution doing so. Once a Resolution is passed, that new or amended policy is onsidered formally adopted by the Tribe. In accordance with the Legislative Procedures Act, all new r amended laws and policies will go into effect ten days after adoption, unless the draft or the adopting Resolution set a different time for the law/policy to go into effect. How to Contact the Legislative Reference Office For general information, or to obtain an agenda request form or copies of a law, policy, proposal or public neeting materials, or for any other information related to Tribal legislation: Visit us! The LRO is located on the second floor of the Norbert Hill Center; Oneida WI. Mailing address: Legislative Reference Office, PO Box 365; Oneida, WI 54155

Phone: (920) 869-4375 or (800) 236-2214

E-Mail: LRO Staff Attorney Michelle Mays at MMays@oneidanation.org.

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

14-TC-025 – Gordon L.
Skenadore
Jr.
14-TC-026 – Heather
M. Smith
14-TC-027 – Jennifer
M. Stevens
14-TC-028 – Karen
Valentino
14-TC-029 - Carol
Torres
14-TC-030 – Kimberly
L. Powless
14-TC-031 – Tina L.
Pinchart
14-TC-032 – Keshia
Mencheski

14-TC-033 – Peter King Ш 14-TC-035 – Edward J. Joepeck 14-TC-036 – Adrian L. Huff 14-TC-037 – Sylvia A. Graves 14-TC-038 - Holly L. Eisch 14-TC-040 - John Doxtator 14-TC-041 – Jerilynn Doud 14-TC-042/043 - Nikki M. Dickenson 14-TC-044 – Marques Danforth 14-TC-045 – Debra J. Cornelius 14-TC-046 – Rita L. Thornton 13-TC-116 – Julius J. Sommers Jr.

A diligent attempt was made to notify the above individuals of a claim

filed by the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin. Due to nonappearance a default judgment was rendered on Monday, May 12, 2014, at 9:00 a.m., in the above captioned case at Oneida the Tribal Judicial System office; located at Ridgeview Plaza, Suite #1, Oneida, WI 54155.

For specific questions about this claim; for settlement or payment arrangements, please contact Timothy Zellmer, at Central Accounting at (920) 490-3566.

Inquiries for additional information may be directed to Clerk of Court, Oneida Tribal Judicial System (920) **497-5800**.

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ONEIDA TRIBAL JUDICIAL SYSTEM NOTICE OF HEARING	14-TC-058 – Tammy & Dale Sr Metoxen 14-TC-059 – Linda A. Koehler
	14-TC-060 – Merlene
RE: Oneida Tribe of	Jordan
Indians of Wisconsin	14-TC-061 – Marlene
vs. Various Individuals	Ninham
	14-TC-062 – Marlene
14-TC-048 – Marlo J.	Ninham
Webster	14-TC-063 – Autumn
14-TC-049 – Robin R.	Elm
Martinez	14-TC-064 – Sharon
14-TC-050 – Ethel M.	Alvarez
Summers	14-TC-065 – Jodi &
14-TC-051 – Connie	Aleta Cornelius
Skenandore	14-TC-066 – Darnell
14-TC-052 – Floyd F.	Danforth
Schuman Jr.	14-TC-067 – Kevin
14-TC-053 – Geronimo	Cornelius
Powless	14-TC-068 – Renita
14-TC-054 – Michelle	Hernandez
A. Nohr	14-TC-071 – Daniel P.
14-TC-055 – Deborah	Guzman
Johnson	13-TC-072 – Evelyn
14-TC-056 – Jacqueline	Elm
E. Ninham	13-TC-073 – Moses
14-TC-057 – Luke	Doyen
Laster	

A diligent attempt was made to notify the list of individuals of a claim(s) filed by the Oneida Tribe for judgment against them. A hearing shall take place on **June 10, 2014**, at **2:00 P.M.** in the above captioned case at the Oneida Tribal Judicial System office; located at Ridgeview Plaza, Suite #1, 3759 W. Mason St, Oneida, WI 54155.

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

Inquiries for additional information may be directed to Clerk of Court, Oneida Tribal Judicial System (920) **497-5800**.

### **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**:

Tribal Secretary's Office is located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Norbert Hill Center Any questions please contact the Tribal Secretary's Office at 920-869-4364

### **Board Name:** SEOTS One (1) Vacancy (Finish term until 8/8/15)

#### **PURPOSE:**

It shall be the purpose of the Board to provide advice and constructive input to the Southeastern Wisconsin Oneida Tribal Services (SEOTS) Director in order that the SEOTS office can formulate social services programs for the Oneida people residing in Southeastern Wisconsin. Each member of the Board shall act as an ambassador for the SEOTS program by promoting its mission whenever possible; shall review the program's budget; shall guide and advise SEOTS administration and shall to the adhere to the appropriate chain of command in any and all related communication with the Oneida Business Committee.

#### **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:** 4:30pm • Friday, May 16, 2014

### **Oneida Library Board:** One (1) Vacancy (Finish term until 4/10/16)

**PURPOSE:** is to assist the Oneida General Tribal Council and the Library staff:

- 1. To provide quality library and information services to the people of the Oneida community as well as Brown and Outagamie county residents through the continuation of existing tribal, county and interlibrary system agreements.
- 2. To encourage and promote the development of library services to meet the informational, educational, cultural and recreational needs of the Oneida Community Library clients.
- 3. To develop policies which will protect the unique resources held by the Oneida Community Library, specifically those pertaining to the Oneida/Hotinonshonni and other Native American Nations.
- 4. To promote the use of meeting areas within the Oneida Community Library for socially usefully and cultural activities.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- a) Any Oneida Citizen who appears on the official roll of the Oneida Nation of Indians of Wisconsin and is eligible to vote can serve on this body.
- b) Any patron of the Oneida Community Library who is on the official patron list of the Oneida Community Library.

#### **Deadline:** 4:30pm • Friday, May 16, 2014

### Computer Classes Offered at the ONCEC May 2014

Contact the ONCEC to register (920) 496-5260 2632 S. Packerland Drive Green Bay, WI 54131

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## **Meeting** Notice

### **ONEIDA NATION Pardon and Forgiveness Hearing Notice**

### **Purpose:**

Pardon or Forgiveness- . A Tribal member may receive a pardon for any criminal conviction(s) and any individual may receive forgiveness for an act(s) that renders the Tribal member or individual ineligible for Tribal employment, an occupational license, certification or permit issued by the Tribe, housing through the Tribe or other Tribal benefit.

When: May 22, 2014

Where: Norbert Hill Business Center Committee Conf. Rm., N7210 Seminary Road Oneida, Wisconsin. Time: 10:00 a.m.

Pardon and **Forgiveness Hearing Process** I. Registration

Pardon or Forgiveness petitioners must register witnesses twenty-four

(24) hours prior to the public hearing date by contacting the Tribal Secretary at 920-869-4451.

### **II.** Testimony A. Oral:

Each witness will be limited to 5 minutes. Witnesses who have not pre-registered will not be allowed to testify. There will be no exceptions.

#### **B. Written:**

Written testimony must be submitted on or within 5 days of the pardon and forgiveness hearing date.

### C. Witnesses:

Witnesses who wish to testify against the granting of a pardon or forgiveness must register twenty-four (24) hours prior to the pardon and forgiveness hearing date. There will be no exceptions.

**III.** Petitioners The following pardon and forgiveness applications will be considered: Cliff Sundquist

This pardon and forgiveness hearing notice conforms to the Oneida Pardon and Forgiveness Ordinance notice requirements [5.7-1].

Inquiries for additional information may be directed to Clerk of Court, Oneida Tribal Judicial System (920) 497-5800



Computers for Beginners (10:15 am - Noon) Foundational Power Point 2010 (1 pm - 3 pm)

### May 14

Standout Applicant (1 pm - 5 pm)

May 14 - 16

Intro to Windows 7 (10:15 am - Noon) Intermediate Power Point 2010 (1 pm - 3 pm)

May 19 - 21

Foundational Microsoft Excel 2010 (4 pm - 6 pm)

May 20 - 22

Foundational Microsoft Word 2010 (10:15 am - Noon)

May 27 - 29

Intermediate Microsoft Word 2010 (10:15 am - Noon) Intermediate Microsoft Excel 2010 (4 pm - 6 pm)

**Oneida Tribal members, meet Oneida Business Committee Candidates RADISSON HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER** MOHAWK-SENECA ROOM SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 2014 10 AM -12 PM

Candidate Registration: 9:00 AM- 9:30 AM Candidates must register before 9:30 AM - NO EXECPTIONS -Informal meet and greet from 12:00 PM to12:30 PM

No campaign signs, banners, or posters allowed. FMI: Call (920) 869-4281 or email: adanfor5@oneidanation.org

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### **Julie Denny**

Estate Claims Assistant Oneida Enrollment Department

#### Shekolih Swakweku (Greetings to all)

all accounts, By springtime has finally arrived! It's good to see families doing yard work, firing up the grill and seeing children once again playing outside. Speaking of yard work, just a friendly reminder for families with loved ones buried in our Oneida Cemetery to please remove all winter baskets and any other items, which have become weathered over the long harsh winter.

### Oneida Cemetery Update

The Development Division will resume the following cemetery work when weather permits.

• Additional drain tile will be installed north and east of the main roadway. Current drain tile is discharging approximately 26 gal-

#### lons per minute and moving water away from the cemetery.

- Grading the northeast section so surface water can run off.
- Cleaning ditch on east side of the dirt road so water will not pond in Ag field and run off into cemetery.
- Installing or repairing culvert at dirt road/Adams Dr. so water will not pond in Ag field and run off into cemetery.
- Dirt fill will be added in selective areas of the property.
- Landscaping will be done in the areas disturbed during Phase I work.
- Debris will be cleaned up around perimeter of wooded area.

The work performed to date has shown positive results. The discharge readings indicate water is being moved away from the property. A recent walk through of the wooded area indicated water is no longer encroaching into the woods, so the lowering of water level at "Where the Water birds Nest" wetland was successful. These cemetery remedies are a multi-phase, multiyear project and we ask your continued for patience as we move forward in making other necessary improvements.

#### Next Cemetery Community Meeting: – May 21, 2014 at 5PM at Norbert Hill Center-BCCR. Lite refreshments will be served.

#### Cemetery Maintenance Vendor

The Oneida Enrollment is pleased to welcome Michael Nooyen of 1st Choice Landscaping as the caretaker to the Oneida Cemetery property. Michael 's small family-owned business has over 11 years experience in the landscape services. The Wisconsin Better Business Bureau awarded 1st Choice and A+ rating in 2010! Michael's family has ties to the Oneida Tribe and he is very aware of our cultural heritage and ceremonial practices. We welcome you aboard Mike!!

### **OLIPP (Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus)**

- Currently there are 5433 members who have not completed Oneida Beneficiary Designation Form.
- OLIPP replaces the previous "\$5000 Burial Fund".
- OLIPP is valued at \$15,000 Term Life Insurance policy and has NO cash value.
- All enrolled tribal members are afforded this benefit.

• OLIPP is intended to pay your final expenses, which can include funeral related expenses.

### New Changes In Processing "Oneida Beneficiary Designation Form"

• Effective June 2, 2014 any Oneida Beneficiary Designation Form which is incomplete with missing information or errors will not be returned to the member for correcting, INSTEAD you will receive notification what section was incomplete/invalid and a new form will be sent to you. The Oneida Beneficiary Designation form contains highly important personal information such as birthdates. address's and social security numbers. Our department wants to protect that information and reduce the risk of identity theft happening through the exchange of this document.

#### Common mistakes made on "Oneida Beneficiary

#### **Designation Form"?** • Page #1, Section B-

Primary Beneficiary has the most common mistakes. We need all the fields completed. If you're married and you're checking the box designating Oneida Enrollment as a primary beneficiary-then your spouse must sign/date in Section D-Spousal Waiver section. OR if you designate someone other than your spouse, the spouse must sign/date in Section D.

- Page #1, Section B-If you list more than one primary beneficiary the total between those listed must total "100%. Don't use fractions, only use whole numbers.
- Page #2, complete all of Section A2.
- Page 2, Section C-Contingent Beneficiary is optional to complete. If you list a contingent beneficiary, all the fields must be completed. A contingent beneficiary should be someone different than your primary beneficiary. EPIC Life Insurance will pay out a contingent beneficiary in the event the person (s) listed in Section B are ALL pre-deceased.
- Page 2, Section E-Member Signature/ Date.
  Don't use "white out" on the form. If you make a mistake draw a line thru mistake then initial and date next to the mistake.

#### OLIPP- Frequently Asked Questions We have compiled

We have compiled a list of the most "fre-



quently asked questions" regarding Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus (OLIPP). Please take a few moments to read and if you have any additional questions, don't hesitate to call me for clarification.

### Please see below.

**Estate Planner Update** We are very excited as we near the completion of this document. We're putting the final touches and expect to have the Estate Planner available to the membership in June. Life is a circle, it has a beginning (time of birth), middle and an ending (death). The Creator has put each one of us on this earth and were all given a certain amount of time to fulfill responsibilities. our When your times comes and the Creator calls you back to the Sky World, this document will serve as your last wish before you enter that journey. By completing this document you will find comfort knowing the funeral reflects what you wanted. It also gives your family peace of mind by not having to make important decisions at a stressful time.

### **Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus (OLIPP)** – *Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)*

- A. Questions about naming a Beneficiary:
- 1. Am I required to fill out a Beneficiary Designation form? No.
- 2. What should I consider when choosing my beneficiary? Here are some examples you might need to ask

yourself:

a. Whether you want your funeral expenses or

or can I list a specific dollar amount for my beneficiary?

You can only list a percentage of the total funds.

10. If a guardian or power of attorney (POA) is established for someone, can they complete the beneficiary form for that person?

Only in certain circumstances.. EPIC would have to examine the Guardianship/POA document to verify what authorities are granted to the Guardian/POA. Please submit such documents to the Oneida Enrollment Department. The Oneida Enrollment Department will notify you if the document is acceptable. **5. If I request the Living Benefit, can I request a lesser benefit amount than what is allowed?** *Yes. Approved claims will be charged a \$300 processing fee for administrative expenses.* 

### **D.** Claim Payout Questions:

**1. Who should I talk to if I have questions?** *OLIPP benefit and claim filing questions should be directed to the Oneida Enrollment Department at* 

- final expenses paid from the benefit.
- b. How your benefit will be paid out if you designate someone other than your spouse to receive the benefit.
- c. How your benefit will be paid out if you designate a minor child or someone with a court appointed guardian as a beneficiary.

#### 3. What happens if I don't designate a beneficiary? Will the proceeds automatically go to my "next of kin"?

If you do not elect a beneficiary, EPIC Life Insurance will research your possible beneficiaries and will pay the first available individual or individuals using the appropriate naming sequence:

- a. For a deceased Oneida tribal member age 18 and older or,
- b. For a deceased Oneida tribal member under age 18

## 4. What happens to the funds set aside by law for a spouse or designated beneficiary that go unclaimed?

EPIC will issue a check to the spouse or beneficiary and hold the funds according to the payee's state law requirements before being distributed to the state's unclaimed property division.

### 5. Are there any documents I need to submit with the beneficiary designation form? No.

### 6. How often should I update my beneficiary form?

At least once a year or anytime there is a change such as marriage, birth of a child, or death of a named beneficiary.

#### 7. What if I don't know anything about my beneficiary except their name?

You probably do not want to list someone unless you know some information about them, including their most recent address.

#### 8. What if I don't trust anyone?

You may designate an organization or a trust as the beneficiary. You also have the option on the Beneficiary Designation Form to authorize the Oneida Enrollment Department to request payment for your funeral expenses.

### 9. Do I have to list a percentage of the total funds

### 11. Are unborn (in utero) children eligible for benefit payments?

An unborn child may have a right to benefit proceeds from a life claim. Determination of benefit proceeds will not be made until the child is born. In some cases documentation of paternity may be requested.

### **B.** Tax Questions:

#### 1. Are the benefit proceeds taxable to beneficiary? If so, why? We were told it would not be taxable.

It may be taxable. The beneficiary should always consult a qualified tax professional for personal guidance.

### C. Living Benefit Questions:

### 1. What is the Living Benefit?

If you are deemed terminally ill by a physician and it has been determined that you have less than one (1) year to live, you may request up to half of the benefit to be paid to you prior to your death.

### 2. How do I request the Living Benefit?

You must contact the Oneida Enrollment Department to request for the Living Benefit claim and an Oneida Beneficiary Designation must be on file with the Oneida Enrollment Department before a Living Benefit request can be processed by EPIC Life Insurance Company.

### 3. If I request the Living Benefit, how long does it take to receive the benefit?

Processing a claim will depend upon how quickly any required information can be obtained. A normal claim should be paid two weeks after the Insurance Company receives the claim and medical records.

### 4. If I request the Living Benefit, how much of the benefit may I request?

*Up to \$7,500. Approved claims will be charged a \$300 processing fee for administrative expenses.* 

*920-869-6200 or toll-free at 800-571-9902. Questions with a claim that is in process should be directed to EPIC Life Insurance Company at 800-520-5750.* 

### 2. How long does it take to pay the beneficiary?

Processing a claim will depend upon how quickly any required information can be obtained. A normal claim takes two to four weeks.

### **3.** How can my beneficiary receive payment faster?

This depends on how soon all the required information is provided to the Oneida Enrollment Department and/or EPIC Life Insurance.

## 4. What happens if I am unable to locate my spouse for the Spousal Waiver signature sign-off and I die?

Beneficiary payment(s) will not be held up; however, they will only receive a payment amount that is allowed by law. Any required spousal share will be distributed to your spouse.

## 5. What happens if the beneficiary does not use the benefit proceeds to pay the funeral expenses?

There is nothing EPIC Life Insurance or the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin can do.

- 6. How long is the beneficiary proceeds check good for? It doesn't indicate that on the check. 180 days from the date of the check.
- 7. What happens if both the person I designated my life insurance to and I were involved in an accident and I die and my beneficiary ends up on life support?

The beneficiary must out live you by at least 120 hours beyond the time of your death by state of Wisconsin statute. If you die shortly after your beneficiary, then the contingent beneficiary(ies) or naming sequence may be used.

Continued on page 12B, Please see OLIPP (Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus)



### Group 'Survivor' to rock Country Fest 2014

the Tiger," "High on staronline.com You," and "I Can't Hold Back" are just a few of the 1980s hits that Wisconsin Survivor <a href="http://survivor-">http://survivor-</a> band.com/> fans can rock along with when the band performs live in Freedom this summer. Tickets are on sale now for the Saturday, August 9, Country Fest concert at the St. Nicholas Catholic Community grounds, W2035 Hwy S, Freedom. Local favorite Adam's Way <http://www.adamswayband.com/Home.shtml> from Little Chute will open for Survivor at 7:30 p.m.

"We are looking forward to seeing our fans in Freedom," said Survivor guitarist Frankie Sullivan, "Come ready to rock!"

**Ticket Information** Survivor concert tickets

Freedom, WI – "Eye of are on sale at www.ticket-<http://www.ticketstaronline.com/> for \$20.00 and other fees.

- Ticket buyers can save by purchasing tickets in advance for \$20 each with no additional fees at the following Freedom locations: the St. Nicholas Parish Office, Freedom Foods, Capital Credit Union, and East Wisconsin Bank.
- Tickets can be purchased at the gate the night of the concert for \$30.00 each.
- "We're so excited for Survivor to rock the Country Fest stage," said Sarah VanderLinden, Country Fest promotions coordinator. "Everyone loves their hits from the 80s, so it's going to be great concert and a great night in Freedom."

### From 1A/OLIPP Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus

### E. Life Claim Process Questions:

- 1. Does my Will override my Beneficiary designation form? No.
- each plus convenience 2. What's needed at time of death?

Someone needs to contact the Oneida Enrollment Department. The Oneida Enrollment Department will identify what will be required to file the Life Claim.

3. If a minor child/grandchild is named or is to receive the benefit proceeds through the naming sequence, who is the money paid to?

EPIC will pay either the custodian or legal guardian on behalf of the minor under the Uniform Transfers to Minors Act.

- 4. Are trust accounts established for minor children? |No.
- 5. Who makes sure the benefit proceeds are being used for the minor(s)?

The custodian or legal guardian of the minor.

10:30pm

All 6 Packs \$10 each

<u>FUTURE DATES</u>

Thu., July 3

Wed., Nov. 26

Tue., Dec. 23

Must show employee badge to

participate. Each employee is allowed

to invite one guest. Jackpots that are

posted for the games regularly played

during public sessions will

not apply to the employee bingo

session. Games 6, 7, 8 and 9 are

not included in the pack and can

be purchased separately.

6. Can my funeral be paid before the benefit proceeds are distributed to the children?

Yes. If you checked the Designated Primary Beneficiary box and (if it applies) the Spousal Waiver line has been signed and dated in Section D.

- F. Other Frequently Asked Questions:
- 1. Can I use the benefit proceeds to pre-pay my funeral expenses and lock into a price now? No
- 2. Can I take a loan out against the life insurance plan? No.
- 3. Can I transfer some of my benefit proceeds to pay for my child's funeral? No.
- 4. I understood this insurance was to make sure my funeral bill automatically got paid. Doesn't it do that? No.
- 5. Can the family get the benefit proceeds to pay for some of the funeral expense up front? No.

If you have any concerns or questions on Oneida Cemetery, Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus (OLIPP) or Children's Burial, please stop in at: **Oneida Enrollment Department** 201 Elm St., Oneida WI or, call me at 920-869-6212 After business hours: 920-606-9433 or email me at: jdenny@oneidanation.org I welcome your questions, input and suggestions on how I can best serve your needs.

### Get to know the... **Oneida Business Committee** candidates

Another opportunity for the remaining OBC candidates to address the General Tribal Council about their experience, their goals and vision for the future of the Oneida Tribe of Wisconsin.

### Publish / Deadline Dates are as follows:

Business Committee – June 12<sup>th</sup> Deadline: Monday, June 2, 2014

Officers – June 26<sup>th</sup> Deadline: Monday, June 16, 2014

More information to follow in the May **29th issue of the Kalihwisaks.** 

### **Employment Opportunity** with **OTIE**

Senior Civil Engineer – Green Bay OTIE has an immediate opening for a Senior Civil Engineer in our Green Bay office. Applicants must have a BS in Civil Engineering, minimum of 15 years of design/construction experience with civil/site, transportation and municipal projects. Knowledge of the WisDOT design process including the use of AutoDesk Civil 3D design software is a plus. A Wisconsin PE is required or ability to attain registration within 6 months. Job Description: OTIE currently has a solid backlog, an excellent staff of design and construction engineers, and a reputation for providing outstanding services to our clients. We are seeking a highly motivated professional to manage projects and staff out of our Green Bay office. This position offers an excellent opportunity for rapid promotions and upward mobility within a growing firm that has a 25+ year track record of providing outstanding engineering services for WisDOT, counties, municipalities and private clients. Specific duties include:



- Direct and oversee the daily operations of the design group, and possibly the construction services group
- · Actively manage projects and assigned staff to ensure that project deliverables and budgets are met
- Assist with business development activities to proactively market and win new projects
- Ensure that all services being performed out of this office exceed our clients expectations
- Attend and participate in meetings with clients and the general public
- Work cooperatively with other engineers, project managers and technicians
- Develop and promote a positive internal work environment that takes great pride in delivering outstanding services to our clients
- Assist with strategic planning to ensure the long term success of this office

Send your cover letter and resume with salary requirements to: **Oneida Total Integrated Enterprises (OTIE)** Human Resources 1033 N. Mayfair Rd Ste. 200 Milwaukee, WI 53226 • Fax: 414-777-5899 • Email: hrdept@otie.com www.otie.com EOE-Minorities/Females/Disabled/Vets

## Bingo on any "N" on the final Blackout and win \$5,000!

1.	Crazy Bingo	\$250
2.	Crazy Six Pack	\$250
	Any Outside Line	
	Double Bingo	
5.	Crazy Nine Pack	\$250
*6.	Dual Dab (\$1)	\$400
*7.	Double Triple Game (\$2) \$400,	\$500

### INTERMISSION:

MINUTE TO WIN IT CHALLENGE Players Club Members enter for a chance to win a \$50 Bingo Pass.

*8.	Crazy T (\$2)	\$400, \$500
	Bonanza (\$1)	
	Crazy Bingo	
	Letter X	
12.	Hardway Bingo	\$250
	Double Bingo	
	Blackout (\$3)	
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### **ONEIDA NATION THUNDERHAWKS LACROSSE** Thunderhawks fall to GB Southwest

Sports



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### **New York lawmakers** denounce Redskins name

#### ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) ~ A bipartisan group of New York lawmakers is calling on the NFL's Washington Redskins to

drop the team's name. Republican Sen. George Maziarz, who leads the Senate's tribal relations committee, joined colleagues from the Senate and Assembly on Tuesday to say they'll introduce a resolution urging Redskins owner Daniel Snyder to rename the team.

A New York tribe has recently been leading a campaign against the name.

The lawmakers say the New York City-based NFL should pressure Snyder.

Several members of Congress from both parties have also asked Snyder to change the name

The lawmakers were joined by Ray Halbritter, a representative of the Oneida Indian Nation, who says the resolution would ensure New York stands "on the right side of history."

A vote on the measure hasn't been scheduled.







More information call: Shawn Skenandore @ 920-430-1041 or Louis Cottrell @ 920-680-6506

For more information on this cattal phases call Scott Krueger or Leslie Beyersdorf al U// 1507/00+2048 op ameli (root) al soottkemtclinic.net



## **Upcoming Events for May - August 2014**

### May 17

Growing Gardeners Workshop WHEN: Saturday, May 17 *TIME:* 9:30AM – 11:00AM WHERE: Ellenbeckers Farm, N6661 Seminary Road

Date dependant on weather conditions. Soil preparation/planting, care and maintenance of your plants, seed starting, homemade hot boxes, aqua culture, fruit trees, chickens, composting, homemade hoop house, landscaping, watering systems, berries and grapes. Call Bill at 920-496-7423 or wvervoor@oneidanation.org.

### May 23

**Oneida Code Talkers Gold Congressional Medal Celebration** WHEN: Friday, May 23, 2014 *TIME:* 10:00AM WHERE: Oneida Veteran's Wall, West Mason Street Save the date to come celebrate the Gold Congressional Medal awarded to

the Oneida Nation in honor of the Oneida Code Talkers. The Oneida Business Committee will adopt a resolution to declare this date "Oneida Nation Code Talkers Day." This day is reserved to honor and pay tribute to our Oneida men who valiantly served in the military and used the Oneida language to communicate vital information and kept it top secret from the enemy.

### June 17

Jams & Jellies WHEN: Tuesday, June 17 *ТІМЕ:* 5:30рм - 8:30 рм WHERE: Brown County Culinary Kitchen, 2900 Curry Lane Instructor: Judy Knudsen

Whether you are a seasoned pro at canning or never canned in your life, learn to use the freshest ingredients of Judy Knudsen, family the season. living educator for the UW-Extension office, teaches how to can jams and jellies in this hands-on class. \$40 per person, includes instruction, food and materials Register by June 10, 2014 call Amy at: 920-403-3494 OR online at:

http://www.snc.edu/languageservices/

#### June 30 - July 3 **Oneida Community Vacation**

**Bible School 2014** WHEN: Mon., June 30 - Thurs., July 3 *TIME:* 9:00 AM - Noon WHERE: United Methodist Church,

Oneida Oneida Community Vacation Bible School 2014 - "Christmas in July. Welcome children ages 5-12, Post Kindergarten through post 6th grade. Registration forms will be available at Local Oneida Churches: Assembly of God Church Holy Apostles Episcopal Church United Methodist Church

Sponsored by local Ecumenical Team For More Information Emily 920-869-2325 emst@netnet.net Edi 715-524-3194 edijafra@yahoo.com

### August 9

### Survivor to rock Country Fest *2014*

WHEN: Saturday, August 9 **ТІМЕ:** 7:00рм WHERE: St. Nicholas Catholic Community grounds,

W2035 Hwy S, Freedom

Survivor concert tickets are on sale at www.ticketstaronline.com for \$20 each plus fees. Ticket buyers can save by purchasing tickets in advance for \$20 each with no additional fees at the following Freedom locations: the St. Nicholas Parish Office, Freedom Foods, Capital Credit Union, and East Wisconsin Bank. The Survivor concert is the highlight of a two-day event packed with entertainment, food, and fun for the whole family. For a schedule of weekend activities, go to www.stnicholascountryfest.com

### **ONGOING – TUESDAYS**

Wise Women's Support Group WHEN: Every Tuesday *ТІМЕ:* 5:30рм – 7:30рм **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.

### Second TUESDAY monthly

#### **OEI Lunch & Learn**

WHEN: 2nd Tuesday of each month *ТІМЕ:* 12:00рм – 1:00рм

PLACE: Oneida Early Intervention, Cottage 1260 • 1260 Packerland, Green Bay WI

Join us every 2nd Tuesday of each month for our parent education series focusing on parenting, education, and child development. Registration is required, open to the first 12 participants. Box lunch included. A new topic will be announced each month. Contact Ana Balbuena 920-490-3893 to register or for more information.

### WEDNESDAYS

Blanket Burger \$4, Blanket Dog \$3 Delivery & Take Out available Call 920-869-2927.

### THURSDAYS

Wise Men's Support Group **WHEN:** Every Thursday *ТІМЕ:* 5:30рм – 7:30рм **PLACE:** Wise Women Gathering Place, 2483 Babcock Rd. Green Bay, WI

We welcome all men to come and share the issues that are affecting their lives. This is a talking circle and support group for men seeking a healthy life style. Our focus is on helping each other become a more productive member of our community. Come join us. 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\* *ТІМЕ:* 6:00рм

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 attend an informational meeting: August 1; September 5; October 3; November 7; December 5. Questions, or you would like more information, please call Jen Kruse @ 920-490-3717.

### **FRIDAYS** Second FRIDAY monthly

**Open Mic Night** WHEN: 2nd Friday of each month *TIME:* Potluck @ 5:00PM; Music & Entertainment @ 9:00pm

PLACE: Oneida United Methodist Church, N6037 County Road E, Oneida WI

Join us every 2nd Friday of each month starting Friday, May 9, 2014. This event is open to all. There will be a potluck, so bring your favorite dish to pass. If you can sing, dance or play an instrument, we invite you to come and share with us and have some fun. For more information please contact Pastor Candace Ascher.

#### Wise Youth Group

WHEN: Fridays *ТІМЕ:* 3:30рм – 5:30рм **PLACE:** Three Sisters Center For more information call Isabel Parker at 920- 498-2011 or Bev Scow at **920-490-0627**.

### Women's Support Group

WHEN: Fridays *ТІМЕ:* 12:00рм – 2:30рм **PLACE:** Three Sisters Center For more information contact Isabel Parker at (920) 412-0396 or Georgia Burr at (920) 362-2490.



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**Oneida Methodist Church Taco** Sale Fundraiser WHEN: Wednesdays *ТІМЕ:* 11:00АМ – 6:00РМ PLACE: Oneida United Methodist Church, Freedom Rd, De Pere Tacos \$6, Corn Soup \$3, Corn Soup & Frybread \$5, Chili \$3, Frybread \$2,

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