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## Sustainable Tourism

By Yvonne Kaquatosh

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**Keshena, WI – Sustainable Tourism: Naturally Attractive** is the conference theme chosen by the NATOW (Native American Tourism of Wisconsin) group for their annual gathering which was held earlier this week on a reservation which is known for its sustainable practices in forestry.

The Menominee Casino Resort in

Keshena is where NATOW organizers planned to highlight programs and methods to help all businesses, Native and non-Native alike, become more environmentally friendly.

"As stewards of the land, we Native Americans have always taken pride in maintaining our environment while developing our communities and economies," said Kirby Metoxen of the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin and acting NATOW Chairman, "Now we want to share our belief system and help all com-

munities in their sustainability efforts."

The Menominee Nation is the perfect setting for sustainability. The tribal lands encompass 223,500 acres of heavily forested lands, representing the largest single tract of virgin timberland in Wisconsin and the wild and natural beauty of the Wolf River. The College of the Menominee Nation also showcased its sustainability program at the Conference.

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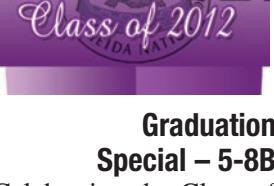
Kali photo/Yvonne Kaquatosh  
At left, Dr. Daniel R. Wildcat, a Yuchi member of the Muscogee Nation of Oklahoma, provided the opening remarks to kick off the 3-day conference Monday morning. He is director of the Haskell Environmental Research Studies (HERS) Center and Dean of the College of Natural and Social Sciences (acting) at Haskell Indian Nations University in Lawrence, Kansas.

### What's Inside...



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The community had a chance to clear out unwanted items at the Household Clean Sweep.



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Celebrating the Class of 2012.



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## Oneida Community Fest 2012



Kali photos/Nate Wisneski

Music, food, games, and a Green Bay Packers Play 60 event highlighted the Oneida Community Fest at the Norbert Hill Center in Oneida on Saturday, June 9. The all day event was capped off with fireworks that light up the sky over Oneida.

## Dan Ninham hired as Bemidji basketball coach

By Pat Miller

Bemidji Pioneer

BEMIDJI – During his 12 years as head boys basketball coach at Cass Lake-Bena Dan Ninham turned a small-town program into a perennial state championship contender.

In time the Panthers developed into the kings of Section 8A and during Ninham's final six years at the helm CL-B appeared in five state basketball tournaments. During a run which saw the Panthers play in four consecutive tourneys, Ninham's teams posted a runner-up and a pair of third-place finishes.

His coaching philosophy is based

defense and pressure offense and any opponent that plans to stay with a Ninham-coached team better be prepared to constantly run up and down the court.

"We have had success offensively and defensively with our high tempo brand of basketball," Ninham said.

Two years ago Ninham left the Panthers and last winter he served as an assistant coach at Red Lake. On Friday he was named the new head boys coach at Bemidji High School.

"Susan (his wife) and our entire family are excited about this opportunity," Ninham said. "I look at this

as a win-win for both the high school and for us. I think this is a great day to be a Lumberjack."

Ninham is a physical education teacher at the Bemidji Middle School and Bemidji activities director Troy Hendricks was happy to announce the appointment.

"Dan already has proven that he is a successful basketball coach," Hendricks said. "He also is a teacher in the district and is here for the kids. He is a man of character and we fell in love with his approach to building a program."

Ninham replaces Jeff Brown who resigned following the 2011-2012 sea-

son. Brown was on the BHS varsity bench for 10 seasons and last winter his team fell one game short of advancing to the state tournament.

When it was possible Ninham watched the Lumberjacks and he was impressed by what he saw.

"They were a senior-laden team last year but what I noticed were the talents at the younger levels," Ninham said. "I see a bright future for this program and we will get after things right away."

"The bottom line is that not only are we building a team, we are building a program. And I plan to be here for quite a while so we can do that."

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# Just Move It Oneida



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Just Move It Oneida held a fun family event Wednesday evening, June 13. Participants such as Jesus Hernandez, top, made their own bubble solution and wands. Others such as Sharon Mousseau, right, took part in a Zumba class.



## From 1A/Sustainable Tourism

Dr. Daniel R. Wildcat was the first speaker to set the premise with his message to the attendees.

After being introduced by Dr. Verna Fowler, CMN College President, he made a point to reference how CMN stands out (in his mind) among tribal colleges and universities in Indian country.

He shared four key points with the group with relation to the unique cultural personality that indigenous people have to showcase their individual locations in the area of tourism.

The first was Power and Place equals Personality. It's the right model/strategy for success. "We ought to play to our strengths as Indigenous people," he said.

Quoting Satchel Paige, he shared Paiges' definition of Indigenous, which is – To have an identity that connects your people to a place.

Dr. Wildcat had his own key word – 'Indigeneity' that he referenced quite often throughout his message. His new book Red Alert: Saving the Planet with Indigenous Knowledge, suggests current global climate change issues will require the exercise of Indigenous Ingenuity – Indigeneity – and wisdom if humankind is to reduce the ecological damage well underway.

The second point he

*"We ought to play to our strengths as Indigenous people"*

– Dr. Daniel R. Wildcat

shared was in the area of Health, and Fitness Opportunities outdoors. Posing the question, "How do you want to attract people to your homelands?"

The third point was in the area of education. "Learn valuable lessons from relatives in your community," explained Dr. Wildcat. "People are hungry to go places and learn something they don't know," he added. "Who better to tell the history than those who have lived here." An experiential basis of learning - not necessarily inside a classroom, he suggested.

The fourth and final point was the development of a communities' sustainability in a qualitative, value added experience. "Menominee is a perfect example," he explained, pointing out the 'naturally attractive' area, which also offers white water rafting on the homelands.

"Make those exercises of Indigeneity," he said, adding, "We can create incredible tourism opportunities."

He shared one final thought he heard from an elder many years ago – the Natural Law – which is to Respect the Land, Air and Water.

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## Groups in 13 states want US to block Internet bets

By Wayne Parry

Associated Press

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) ~ Family-centric groups in 13 states are calling on Congress to block states across the nation from legalizing Internet gambling, saying the societal costs will far outweigh the benefit to tax coffers.

They want Congress to strengthen the Unlawful Internet Gambling Enforcement Act "to ensure its clear intent that the Internet not become a giant online casino."

The groups are from Wisconsin, Kentucky, Louisiana, North and South Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Missouri, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Hawaii, Georgia and Tennessee.

The U.S. Justice Department ruled in December that in-state online bets not involving sports teams do not violate federal law. That has touched off a race by cash-strapped state governments to try to legalize Internet gambling.

Several national family groups expressed similar concerns last month.

"The bottom line is we are The Family Foundation, and expansion

of gambling through casinos or online is targeting one group only: moms and dads," said Kent Ostrander, founder of The Family Foundation of Kentucky.

"It's an effort to separate a family from its assets. The family is the building block of any society, and yet it is the most vulnerable institution in that society."

Ostrander said there is a push in Kentucky, as in many other states, to add slot machines or casino-style gambling to race-tracks in order to increase the tracks' viability.

He said the added tax revenue to state governments will be more than offset by the societal costs of expanded gambling, particularly if it is made as easy as logging on to a computer.

"We are going to find ourselves with more broken homes and families than we can afford," he said.

The groups sent letters to congressional leaders asking them to strengthen the Internet Gambling law to make it clear that online betting is not what lawmakers wanted. "We must protect our children and families from the destruction of safeguards

Congress has previously established," they wrote.

Referring to the Justice Department's December interpretation of the law allowing in-state Internet gambling, the groups wrote that the decision "unleashed actions by a growing number of revenue-hungry state governments to turn the Internet into the largest casino ever, and welcoming into homes a greater social cost than any government can handle. This action is undermining Congress' clear intent when it passed the Unlawful Internet Gambling Enforcement Act in 2006 that online gambling should be prohibited."

Many states, including New Jersey and Nevada, are rushing to be among the first to get Internet gambling up and running before the competition. At the East Coast Gaming Congress last month in Atlantic City, a panel of industry and Wall Street experts predicted that Internet gambling will soon become a reality on a state-by-state basis, rather than by a national law, because Congress is too divided to agree on such a far-reaching measure.

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# Wisconsin officials strengthen fight against human trafficking

**By Mario Koran**  
Wisconsin Center for Investigative Journalism

## WISCONSIN DELLS

- Wisconsin law enforcement leaders acknowledge they need to do a better job of attacking criminals who enslave victims in sex and labor markets. And this week, about 300 officials received training on how to identify cases of human trafficking -- which often are not spotted because victims are fearful to speak out.

"It's an issue that's happening right under our noses, it's an issue that we frequently categorize wrong," Wisconsin Attorney General J.B. Van Hollen said Thursday as he launched a two-day summit for law enforcement officials at Chula Vista Resort.

Law enforcement officers, prosecutors and victim-assistance specialists attended, along with survivors of human trafficking who shared their stories.

Lisa Tritt-Feleshchuk told the group that while attending college at Arizona State University, she met a man who became her boyfriend but later coerced her into prostitution.

Tritt-Feleshchuk said the man forced her to give massages and sell her body to strangers.

Over time, she grew dependent on him for survival and acceptance.

"I wasn't lured by

drugs. I was lured only by the promise of love," she said.

"While most prostitution stories end in jail, that's where my journey begins."

Tritt-Feleshchuk served time in jail for prostitution, but her boyfriend escaped charges and abandoned her to focus on younger women in Eastern Europe.

Today, Tritt-Feleshchuk works on behalf of trafficking survivors and is calling for a law that would allow victims to have their records expunged if they were forced to commit their crimes.

Human trafficking involves controlling or attempting to control a person by force, fraud, or coercion. Its victims include children involved in the sex trade, adults who are coerced or deceived into commercial sex acts, and anyone forced into labor or services.

Jeff Stillings, group supervisor for the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, played video clips to illustrate signs of trafficking: Often a "spokesman" mediates between victims and public safety officials, while the trafficker withholds victims' passports.

The crimes remain difficult to prosecute. According to a report by the Bureau of Justice

Statistics, between January 2008 and June 2010, federally funded task forces opened 2,515 suspected incidents of human trafficking for investigation. Yet, during that same period, only 389 incidents were confirmed cases of human trafficking, which included 488 suspects and 527 victims.

In a recent news release, Van Hollen said there's a need for better data. "We know human trafficking is happening in Wisconsin," Van Hollen wrote, "but we need to know more about the extent and nature of the problem locally."

Last August, the Wisconsin Center for Investigative Journalism reported that over the past decade, people have been trafficked to Wisconsin from at least 17 countries, including Brazil, China, Colombia, Ecuador, Guatemala, India, Laos, Lithuania, Mexico, Moldova, Nigeria, Peru, Philippines, Russia, Rwanda, Ukraine and Uzbekistan. Many additional victims were American citizens.

Experts quoted in that report said that since enacting a state law against human trafficking in 2008, Wisconsin

had done little to expose situations in which hundreds of state residents, including children, live as virtual slaves. They said Wisconsin lacked money for data collection, education, law enforcement training and victim services that could bring more cases to light.

Just a handful of cases have been prosecuted in Wisconsin under state and federal anti-trafficking laws.

Jill Karofsky, director of the Office of Crime Victim Services at the state Department of Justice, noted that because victims are often reluctant to testify, elements of trafficking are difficult to prove and defendants plead to lesser charges such as soliciting prostitution. The state recently published a guide to help law enforcement agencies crack down on trafficking.

"You're talking about a crime that's driven underground by the people who perpetuate it," said Karofsky, who expressed optimism that the new training will lead to more prosecutions.

"As soon as it becomes above ground, they're going to get caught."

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## Aldrich, Donald A.

February 21, 1933 – June 11, 2012

Donald A. Aldrich, age 79, of Custer, WI, passed away on Monday, June 11, 2012 at University Hospital, Madison, WI, surrounded by his family.

He was born in Stevens Point, on February 21, 1933, a son of the late Lyle and Leona (Skenadore) Aldrich.

He married Faith Charity Hope, they later divorced. He married Christine K. Kuzynski, they later divorced. Donald then married Judith A. Hoffman on May 6, 2006 in Stevens Point. Donald was a member of the Oneida Nation. He was an avid athlete, outdoorsman and enjoyed camping.

He served in the Army National Guard from 1950 – 1953. Donald worked for Bake-Rite Baking Company for 31 years and then for the City of Stevens Point until his retirement.

Survivors include his Wife: Judy Aldrich, Custer, WI; Children: Holly (Steve) Colby, Ochauke, WI; Colleen (Jim) Glodowski, Stevens Point, WI; Carol (Peter) Vleeshouwers,

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## Loretta Says... Old Cape Cod

Loretta Metoxen • Oneida Tribal Historian

### Ongoing Kalihwisisaks Column • Providing a connection to the past

**O**tis Air Force Base is in the town of Bourne, at Falmouth, Massachusetts. I served my tour of duty here, in the Eastern Air Defense Command. It is here that I met and married Wilfred Pauson Ellis. By this time, he had served 12 years in the military. He had just returned from a three year tour in Japan. His family was all Cap Codders and all his grandfathers were sea captains.

Captain Theodore Ellis owned his own sailing vessel and possessed a license to sail the seven seas. Captain Richard E. B. Phillips served on the Handkerchief and other light ships off Monomoy Point for all of his sea career.

We lived off base in a little town called East Sandwich. We were very fortunate to have met Uncle Charlie Orcutt. He was a widower who owned and lived in Skiffe House which was built in 1638—yes, 1638. It had all original oyster shell plaster. There were fireplaces in every room which were higher than I was tall. The tiny window panes had bubbles and swirls in them, indicative of having been made more than a hundred years ago. The furnishings included a chair once used by President Thomas Jefferson. There was a secret panel in place alongside the large

fireplace in the main sitting room on the first floor. It was only removed to allow slaves to go to the attic as part of the Underground Railroad.

We rented a large bedroom and had kitchen privileges as well as use of the entire large house. Uncle Charlie charged us \$50.00 a month. I washed the sheets in an ancient gas operated washing machine for all five bedrooms and did some other minor chores. He paid me \$10.00 a week for that, so we had virtually no costs for staying in that magnificent historical house.

The Mid-Cape Railroad ran behind the house. Spring Hill was on the other side of that. I discovered the entire hill was covered with high bush blueberries. I attached a bail handle kettle to my belt and picked many quarts. There were empty canning jars available, so I set to work canning all the blueberries. Uncle Charlie had relatives who were wool merchants. They spent a lot of time on the Cape in the summertime—at Skiffe House. One weekend they caught a 125 pound tuna, and they gave it to me. I created a steamer to process the tuna. I cleaned it, sliced into two inch parcels and steamed it off the bones. It worked perfectly, so I canned the whole tuna.

Cape Cod is where I learned about seafood. I

ate fried clams, stuffed clams and clam chowder. There were places that served “lobster in the rough” outdoors on wooden picnic tables. I learned to cook salt codfish and scallops. Uncle Charlie’s son, Freole, took us out on Long Island Sound in a converted PT boat to troll for bluefish. I caught five. They weighed four and five pounds apiece. They are very good eating.

The wool merchants often entertained guests. They usually served lamb: roast leg of lamb with mint jelly, Irish stew, lamb chops. They included us in the feasting. It was my first experience with eating lamb. Today, I buy it if it is on sale because it is very expensive.

Our first daughter, Gail, was born at the Otis Air Force Base Hospital. My doctor was a civilian named Dr. Hartwell. I did not go to the Base doctors because women in service then were not allowed to have children (married or not). The Mashpee Indian Reservation was just outside the back gate of the Base. I had to drive through the Reservation on my way to work. One night, Dr. Hartwell made a house call to deliver a baby there. On his way home in the early morning hours, he fell asleep, hit a tree and died.

The Mashpees are descendants of the very people who helped the Pilgrims to survive.

Now, they have lost nearly all their original homelands to conglomerate development corporations. The Federal Courts did not rule in their favor.

Horseshoe crabs, hermit crabs, quahogs and all kinds of clams, shore birds of many descriptions live in the water, in the sand or along the shoreline. Life on the beach or near the shore is very interesting. There are salt marshes. Salt marsh hay was harvested for fodder by those who kept cattle and horses on the Cape. The rivers and streams are filled with herring runs during certain times of the year.

The climate is moderated by the effects of the ocean and bay. There are not the extreme cold temperatures that the Midwest has in the winter. However, when I lived there, there was a massive snow storm that stopped all transportation for nearly a week. The summer winds off the ocean and the bay were most comforting when walking the beaches.

To be continued...

*Bio: Raised on a farm in Oneida. Graduated Seymour High School, 1950, Ex Airborne Radar Technician, USAF during Korean War; Mother of six children and seven stepchildren, widow of Floyd Metoxen, Historian – 15 years, on Business Committee from 1967 to 1996.*

## Oneida Nation Arts Program Dollars for Arts

Oneida Arts Program  
Dollars for Arts  
Application Deadline  
**Friday, July 27, 2012**

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

arts. There are three funding areas in DAP:

- Community Awards - are available to community groups or tribal programs for arts projects that are new and innovative or significantly enhance an existing program in the Oneida community.
- Oneida Fellowship Awards - are a \$500 cash award to individual artists for artistic excellence in the Oneida community. There is a maximum of two Fellowships available per fiscal year.

• Artist Development Awards - are available to artists in the community who have identified a special project that will enhance their professional development and benefit the Oneida community. The deadline for submitting grant applications is **Friday, July 27, 2012**, for activities occurring October 1, 2012, through September 30, 2013. The applications are available through the Oneida Nation Arts Program's website [oneidanationarts.org](http://oneidanationarts.org). If you have any questions or wish to receive a hard copy of the application, contact Christine Klimmek via email at [cklimmek@oneidanation.org](mailto:cklimmek@oneidanation.org) or call 920-490-3831.

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Lifeline eligible subscribers may also qualify for reliable home high-speed Internet service up to 1.5Mbps for \$9.95\* per month for the first 12 months of service. Further details are available at [centurylink.com/internetbasics](http://centurylink.com/internetbasics).

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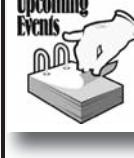
high school soon, Harvard University wants to pay the tuition. The prestigious university recently announced that from now on undergraduate students from low-income families can

go to Harvard for free... no tuition and no student loans!

To find out more about Harvard offering free tuition for families making less than \$60,000 a year, visit Harvard's financial aid website at: <http://www.fao.fas.harvard.edu/> or call the school's financial aid office at (617) 495-1581.

If you know of a family earning less than \$60,000 a year with an honor student graduating from

## Local



### Calendar

2012

June 16 & 30

#### WIVA Breakfast Fundraiser

Saturday, June 16 & June 30

7:00AM - 11:00AM

Parish Hall - Freedom Road

An all you can eat breakfast for the Oneida chapter of the Wisconsin Indian Veterans Association. Cost is \$7 for adults and children 10 and under are \$4. There will be a 50/50 raffle. For delivery orders two or more call (920) 530-5645.

June 20

#### The War of 1812

Wednesday, June 20, 2012

11:30AM - 1:00PM

Oneida Cultural Heritage House  
Olihwaka-yú Presents The War of 1812 Presented by Reggie Doxtater. Oneida Cultural Heritage House, 3703 Hillcrest Drive, Green Bay, WI.

June 23

#### Taco Sale

Saturday, June 23, 2012

11:00AM - 7:00PM

Oneida Methodist Church

Cty. Rd. E, Oneida, WI.

Fundraiser for Methodist Church maintenance. For more information you may contact Marsha at 920.712.5314.

June 24

#### The John Kelley Group

Sunday, June 24th

6:00PM

Woodland Worship Center

The John Kelley Group will be performing at the Woodland Worship Center. Join us for a casual evening of music and entertainment. We are located about 1-1/2 miles west of the airport on Highway 172.

FMI, you may call Teresa Zellner, Office Manager/Children's Pastor at 920.869.9663

June 28

#### An Indian...One Block East of Broadway

Thursday, June 28

6:30PM

An Indian...One Block East of Broadway is an evening of humor, music, videos and education from a Native American man's perspective and stories relating to personal experiences. This show addresses the advancement of two cultures, Native American and Non-Native American, as it relates to education, politics, culture, history and entertainment. Presented by Richie Plass, local radio host of Kalihyo'se. Tickets are \$8/member and \$10/non-member. Call 920-448-4460 to get yours today!

June 29 - July 1

#### 40th Annual Oneida Powwow

WHEN: June 29 - July 1, 2012

PLACE: Norbert Hill Center

Celebrating 40 years of song and dance! Over \$80,000 in prize money will be awarded. Grand Entries are 6/29 at 7pm, 6/30 at 1pm and 7pm, and 7/1 12:30pm. Admission: Weekend Pass - \$12, Daily Pass - \$7, 60 & Over - Free, 5 & Under - Free.

June 30

#### Annual Oneida Parade

WHEN: Saturday, June 30, 2012

10:30AM

The route for the Annual Parade through Oneida changed in 2011 due to road construction. The NEW Parade route is permanent and will begin at Path of the Wolf and continue down Old Seymour Road to Seminary Road. Themes: Star Wars & Walt Disney

Tuesdays

#### Wise Women's Support Group

WHEN: Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday

TIME: 5:30PM – 7:30PM

PLACE: Wise Women Gathering Place

2483 Babcock Rd.

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 Lester 920-490-0627 for more information. Open to all women.

Fridays

#### Wise Youth Group

WHEN: Fridays

3:30PM – 5:30PM

PLACE: Three Sisters Center

For more information call Isabel Parker at 920-498-2011 or Bev Scow at 920-490-0627.

To include events in this section please call the

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at (920) 496-7316, 7317, 7318 or 7319

Announcements must have a contact phone # that can be

published to be included in this section.

**Board Vacancies**

To submit an application by e-mail send to: [TribalSecretary@oneidanation.org](mailto:TribalSecretary@oneidanation.org)  
To submit an application by mail send to: Tribal Secretary's Office

PO Box 365 Oneida, WI 54155

To submit an application in person: The Tribal Secretary's Office is located on the 2nd floor of the Norbert Hill Center

If you have any questions please contact the  
**Tribal Secretary's Office at 920-869-4364**

**Arts Board****(2) Vacancies Qualifications:**

- A majority of the members shall be enrolled members of the Oneida Tribe.
- Any vacancies which cause non-tribal members to make up the majority of the Board shall be filled within three (3) months. If such vacancies are filled within three (3) months, a sufficient number of non-tribal members shall be re-designated as alternates until tribal

members again make up a majority of the board.

- When non-tribal board members are to be re-designated as alternates, all such non-tribal members shall first be invited to volunteer to serve as an alternate. If there are not sufficient volunteers, then the members that have the shortest time on the board shall be selected first.

**Deadline: 4:30pm, June 22, 2012**

**Oneida Tribal Services Advisory Board****One (1) Vacancy**

**Purpose:** To set missions and goals for the delivery of services; to act as liaison between the Oneida Social Services program serving Southeastern Wisconsin and the Oneida people residing therein; to review the programs budget; to guide and advise the programs administration; provide guidance in all the functions of the SEOTS Board; and to adhere to the appropriate chain of command in any and all relative communications.

**Qualifications:**

- Must be an enrolled Oneida Tribal member.
- Resumes will be required for appointments.
- Applicants must agree to firm commitments for attending training, Board and General Tribal Council meetings, functions and other events established by the SEOTS Advisory Board or the Oneida Tribe.

**Deadline: 4:30pm, June 22, 2012**

**Oneida Nation Veterans Affairs Committee****One (1) Vacancy****Qualifications:**

- The Veterans Affairs Committee will be made up of members of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin who have served honorably on active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States of America.
- Members shall have been inducted into, or voluntarily entered, active duty in one of the service branches of the Armed Forces of the United States of America and who did not receive a discharge from active duty with that branch of the Armed Forces of the United States of America due to "less than honorable conditions."
- Must have been on active duty by serv-

ing 181 days or more of continuous active duty unless discharged early, with less than 181 days active duty, for a service connected disability.

- Served as a member of the Selected Reserve and who has completed at least six years in the Reserves or National Guard, or who was discharged early because of a service connected disability.
- Shall be a citizen in good standing in the Oneida Community.
- Terms of office shall be for a period of 3 years.

**Deadline: 4:30pm, June 22, 2012**

**Bay Bancorporation****One (1) Vacancy****Qualifications:**

Individual eligible for election to the Board of Directors shall meet minimum qualifications determined by properly offered and approved motion (s) of the stockholders.

1. Qualifications for membership to the Board may include experience, education, prior service to the shareholder or its affiliates, or other qualifications which the shareholders deem appropri-

ate and are within the parameters of applicable laws.

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

**Deadline: 4:30pm, June 22, 2012**

**Anna John Nursing Home Commission****Two (2) Vacancies****Qualifications:**

- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Tribe of Wisconsin.
- Reside within Brown or Outagamie

County.

- May not be employed by the Anna John Nursing Home.

**Deadline: 4:30pm, June 22, 2012**

**Oneida Child Protective Board****One (1) Vacancy****Qualifications:**

Section 1-4. Membership. The Board shall be composed of seven (7) members appointed by the Oneida Business Committee by resolution. Each member shall have one vote. The Chair shall vote when there is a tie. The Board shall act by a majority vote of the quorum present at any meeting.

A. Selection of Board Members.

1. Any Tribal member who is enrolled with the Tribe and is eligible to vote in the elections of the Tribe may apply to be on the Board.

2. Members must reside in Brown or Outagamie County.

3. Relevant experience or education considered for membership is listed in alphabetical order:

a. Employment related to child protection matters.

b. Foster parenting experiences.

c. Guardian Ad Litem experiences. d. High School Diploma/ GED.

e. Kinship/ family, care experiences i.e., grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and elders.

f. Previous Oneida Child Protective Board experience.

g. Post Secondary Training preferred.

4. An individual must obtain and file a complete application with the Tribal Secretary's office. The Tribal Secretary's office shall forward copies of all applications under consideration to the Board. Within fifteen days, the Board shall return all applications and submit the name of a candidate whom they recommend. The candidate's name will be submitted, along with all other names of qualified applicants, to the

Oneida Business Committee for final selection and approval in accordance with the Comprehensive Policy Governing Boards, Committees and Commissions.

5. Board terms shall be for four years.

B. Restrictions on Membership:

1. A member shall not have a previous record of child abuse, neglect, or abandonment for the past ten (10) years.

2. Employees of the Indian Child Welfare Department shall not serve as Board members.

3. Any member desiring to resign from the Board must submit their resignation in writing with a thirty (30) days notice, to the Board. The Board will send this resignation to the Oneida Business Committee.

4. Any member causing discredit to the Board, or violating the provisions of these By-Laws, will be required to resign by action of the Board. The Board will send this resignation to the Oneida Business Committee.

5. If a member fails to attend three (3) consecutive meetings without notification or justification, he/she shall be required to resign. The Board will send this resignation to the Oneida Business Committee.

6. In the event a Board member refuses to resign, the Board will refer to the Comprehensive Policy Governing Boards, Committees and Commissions section 6-5.

7. When a resignation occurs, the procedures set forth in the selection of new members will be adhered to.

**Deadline: 4:30pm, June 22, 2012**

**Shooting of teen reopens Milwaukee's racial wounds**

**MILWAUKEE (AP) ~**  
Darius Simmons was buried between two tall maple trees, nine days after he was gunned down, allegedly by an angry neighbor who believed the 13-year-old had stolen his shotguns.

The tragedy has reopened wounds in Milwaukee, which has a long history of racial strife, the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel reported Sunday. A black boy shot at close range; the suspect, a 75-year-old white man now charged with first-degree intentional homicide. The boy and his family recently moved to the block, where the man has lived for decades, watching the neighborhood change from all-white to multi-ethnic.

And police are accused

of treating the victim's family with a heavy hand. They grilled Darius' mother for two hours while the boy lay dead and left the family's house in disarray after scouring it in vain for the shotguns. They also arrested one of Darius' brothers for a year-old truancy violation.

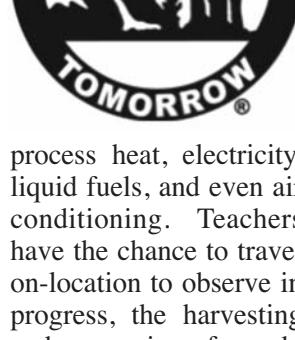
"This was a huge, huge loss - one of those injustices that you can't even calculate," the Rev. Willie Brisco, president of the Milwaukee Inner-city Congregations Allied for Hope, said at the youth's funeral Saturday. "You want to be angry but you realize that anger doesn't solve it."

"It's just unconscionable," Rainbow Push Coalition executive Tavis Grant said at the

services, which drew a couple of hundred mourners to All Peoples Church, a multiracial Lutheran congregation.

Also attending was Mayor Tom Barrett, who on Friday promised an investigation of how police treated Darius' mother, Patricia Larry. So were three aldermen, the president of the Milwaukee branch of the NAACP and representatives of the Nation of Islam.

Darius attended at All Peoples Church, where he worked in the garden, cracked jokes frequently, occasionally whispered with friends during prayers, but always, Pastor Steve Jerbi said, responded respectfully when called to account.

**Trees For Tomorrow offers Wood Energy Workshop**

**Eagle River, WI –** Teachers seeking university credit and professional development are encouraged to register for Trees For Tomorrow's workshop entitled: *Utilizing Wood for Energy: The Options Are Nearly Endless*, taking place on July 23-25, 2012. The workshop will be taught by Mr. Don Peterson, President of Renewable Resource Solutions, LLC and a member of the Wisconsin Consulting Forester Association. An advantageous and grant-supported education opportunity for teachers, this course is aimed at professionals striving to expand the depth of their natural resources knowledge for direct application in the classroom. Register early, space is limited!

Attendees will gain experience in adapting a wood energy curriculum specific to their own community/area, the ability to explain the various wood energy products currently available and how they are produced, and the economic/societal/environmental impacts of using wood energy while earning two graduate credits. They will explore historical, current, and potential uses of wood for producing warming heat,

process heat, electricity, liquid fuels, and even air conditioning. Teachers have the chance to travel on-location to observe in progress, the harvesting and processing of woody biomass and view on-site uses for wood energy.

Take home classroom activities for educators will include determining moisture and BTU content of woody biomass samples, how to evaluate your school or other facilities in your community for feasibility of conversion to a wood boiler system, and much more.

Trees For Tomorrow workshop participants will benefit from highly respected and knowledgeable contemporaries in their field, enthusiastic to contribute to natural resources education!

The Wisconsin State Energy Office has provided a generous grant for participating teachers to cover instruction fees, food, lodging and credit tuition for this workshop. A \$50 non-refundable

deposit is required to register for the three-day course. Interested educators will find complete information in the form of downloadable PDF documents outlining the course description, daily schedule and credit criteria at [www.treesfortomorrow.com](http://www.treesfortomorrow.com) by clicking the Programs tab. To register by phone for Utilizing Wood for Energy: The Options Are Nearly Endless, call Trees For Tomorrow's office at (715) 479-6456.

*Trees For Tomorrow is a natural resources specialty school located in Eagle River, Wisconsin. Various programs are offered for all ages throughout the year that place participants in direct contact with natural resources that support human needs. These programs develop awareness, knowledge and understanding of natural resources to help participants understand and make informed decisions regarding the management and wise use of those resources. The experience inspires informed participation in policymaking and promotes stewardship and renewal of natural resources for use by future generations.*

**Oneida Higher Education****All Graduating Students**

If you will have graduated between the dates of **August 1, 2011** and **July 31, 2012**, please contact the Higher Education Office at **1-800-236-2214 ext. 4436**, email us at [highered@oneidanation.org](mailto:highered@oneidanation.org) or submit the "Student/Graduation Profile" form, which can be printed from [www.oneidanation.org/highered](http://www.oneidanation.org/highered) under Applications and Forms.

*Upon graduation please have your school send your unofficial transcript of grades.*



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## Chairman's Corner...



**Ed Delgado  
Chairman**

Shekoli,

*Community Concern Equates to a Safer Community*

The Site I Oneida Indian Community has recently been the place where a couple of bad things have happened (standoff with police, stabbing incident and continuing gang problem). But Site I contin-

ues to be, in my mind anyway, a good place to be. Surrounded by woods, a river and green space, the community is not only the place where my youngest daughter was born some 20 years ago, it is also the home of a great recreational center, a very vibrant community library and is where some great Oneida people live.

Fritz Hill lives in Site I. He's lived there for many years. With the recent road construction, he saw that Oneida children were being forced to take alternate routes to get to Site I's baseball fields. He saw that the alternate routes were dangerous to the children and he sought out solutions. When he contacted my Office, my Executive Assistant Kitty Melchert and I went to Fritz and he showed us the problem and made a recommen-

dation on how to solve the problem. With the expedient cooperation of Oneida Housing and Oneida Recreation, it was decided to create an alternate walkway to the baseball fields. As of yesterday, work on the new walkway began and very soon Oneida children in the area will be safer. Mr. Fritz Hill is truly one of those great Oneida people who live in Site I. He cares.

### *I'm an Indian - not Native American*

For the almost 7 years that I have been on the Oneida Business Committee, I've consistently objected to being called a Native American, sometimes to the point of probably giving some of my colleagues on the OBC a big headache. Sorry. I think maybe I'm old fashioned. Being an Indian is good enough

for me. Or maybe it's because I never read an Indian treaty that used the word Native American. I know that our Oneida treaties with the United States contain no mention of the term. We're Indians in those treaties and my rights to be an Oneida and live on this Reservation as an Oneida Indian are rested in those treaties. Those treaties set us aside not as a minority citizen of the United States, but as a separate classification with specific rights under the United States Constitution. I believe using the term Native American to identify ourselves diminishes that special classification and makes just another minority group, even though those minority groups are also great people like us. Today, in some of its policies, the US government uses the term

Native American as a completely self-identifiable term and thus anyone can identify themselves as Native American and receive employment and educational benefits once granted to Indian people. It would seem that Indian leaders would want to protect the terms within our treaties. I am one Indian who will protect every term within our treaties by staying an Indian.

### *Tribal Sovereignty Continues to be Targeted*

Bob Eberle, according to the Spokeman-Review, lives on the Swinomish Indian Reservation on Puget Sound in Washington State. Mr. Eberle, who is not a Swinomish Indian, is calling for federal force to make it mandatory to allow non-Swinomish people to

vote in Swinomish Tribal elections. Elerle says in the article, "This business about the Indian having authority is a bunch of bunk." The article also carries a quote from a John Fleming, also a long time crusader against Indian sovereignty. The quote by Fleming has him saying, "The U.S. Army and the Air Force and the Marines and the National Guard are going to have to battle back." It sound like Washington State has some real backward and hateful bigots in their mist. Hopefully, they are few, and perhaps someday they will have to meet their maker to account.

Thank You for reading

Sincerely,  
**Ed Delgado**  
Oneida Tribal Chairman

## General Tribal Council Semi-Annual Meeting

**6:00PM, Monday, July 2, 2012**

*Radisson Hotel and Conference Center, 2040 Airport Dr., Green Bay, WI 54313*

### MEETING AGENDA

1. Oneida Veterans Color Guard posting of the colors
2. Opening and announcements
3. Call the meeting to order
4. Adopt the agenda
5. Approve GTC meeting minutes
  - a. July 4, 2011 semi-annual meeting
  - b. Nov. 21, 2011 special meeting petition
  - c. Nov. 28, 2011 FY2012 budget meeting
  - d. Jan. 2, 2012 annual meeting
6. Tribal Treasurer's FY2012 semi-annual report
7. Oneida 2012 semi-annual report
8. Unfinished business
  - a. Adopt Trust/Enrollment Committee proposed by-laws amendments

*Excerpt from Jan. 2, 2012 annual GTC meeting: Motion by Sherrole Benton to defer the Trust Committee by-laws to the Legislative Operating Committee to address issues of concern and be brought back to the July 2012 Semi-Annual meeting for consideration, seconded by Corrine Zhuckahosee. Motion approved with a show of hands.*

  - b. Personnel Policy and Procedure Amendment to Vacation and Personal Day Accumulation

*Excerpt from Jan. 2, 2012 annual GTC meeting: Motion by Melinda J. Danforth to defer the Personnel Policy and Procedure Amendment to Vacation and Personal Day Accumulation back to the Legislative Operating Committee and be brought back at the next available GTC meeting, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion approved with a show of hands.*
9. New business
  - a. 2011 referendum question 1: Should absentee ballots be accepted, for tribal members that live out of state, that are home bound, or in any other way incapacitated to attend any type of election?
  - b. 2011 referendum question 2: Should the Oneida Business Committee disallow employees of the tribe, who are required to be at the GTC in the capacity of their job, from the stipend?
  - c. 2011 referendum question 3: Should the Chief of Police be elected?

## Meeting Information

*You must be an enrolled Oneida Tribal member at least 21 years old to attend the meeting.*

### GTC MEETING STIPEND

Meeting attendees are eligible to receive the \$100 GTC meeting stipend. In order to receive the stipend:

1. You must be in line to register for the meeting no later than 15 minutes after the start of the meeting
2. You must sign out after the meeting adjourns
3. You must remain in the ballroom or designated restroom areas.

### PHOTO ID REQUIRED

To get your tribal identification card, call the Oneida Enrollment Office at: **(920) 869-6200**. Office hours and location: 8:00AM to 4:30PM weekdays. located at **210 Elm St. Oneida, WI 54155**

### FOOD AND BEVERAGES FOR SALE

If you have medical needs, please bring your own food and beverages to ensure you are prepared if the meeting runs longer than 3 hours

### SIGN OUT SAFETY

When the meeting is adjourned, please remain seated until your section is released by the Tribal Chairman.

### MEETING MATERIALS

Please bring the packet with you to the meeting. Meeting materials will not be available at the meeting. Go to the Tribe's website to get copies of the meeting agenda and packet: [www.oneida-nsn.gov](http://www.oneida-nsn.gov)

### QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS

Please call the Oneida Business Committee office at **(920) 869-4364**. In the event of inclement weather or other unforeseen circumstances, check on status of the meeting at the Tribe's website: [www.oneida-nsn.gov](http://www.oneida-nsn.gov)

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Visit the updated Oneida Government website at  
<https://oneida-nsn.gov/>

## Oneida Business Committee Meetings

Wednesday, June 27, 9:00 am

Wednesday, July 11, 9:00 am

Wednesday, July 25, 9:00 am

Wednesday, August 8, 9:00 am

*Norbert Hill Center*

*The OBC meets every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month*

# 2012 SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

**Saturday, July 7, 2012  
7:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.**

**ONEIDA HEALTH CENTER  
525 Airport Drive  
Oneida Wisconsin**

**\*\* Picture Identification Required\*\*  
\*\*Only Qualified Voters Allowed In Voting Area\*\***

## Oneida Tribe Committee compensation

The 2012 Special Election Caucus will be held Saturday, May 5 at 1:00pm at the Norbert Hill Center (see notice on page 9A). Here is information on the compensation paid to members of the elected boards:

**Oneida Appeals Commission:**  
Full time: \$28.84 per hour  
Part time: \$200 per day maximum stipend  
Monthly meeting: \$100  
Subcommittee meetings: \$50

**Oneida Gaming**

**Commission:**  
\$150 per meeting and hearings

**Oneida Land Commission:**  
\$50 per meeting, \$150 for hearings

**Oneida Nation Commission on Aging (ONCOA):**

\$75 per meeting

**Oneida Election Board:**

\$100 per meeting, \$10 per hour for elections

**Oneida Land Claims Commission:**

\$50 per meeting

**Oneida Trust/Enrollment Committee**

\$75 per meeting

**Oneida School Board:**

\$75 per meeting, \$75 per employee screenings, interviews, hearings and retreats.

All boards, committee and commission members are eligible for \$100 per day stipend for training and conference attendance required by law, bylaw or resolution.

## Attention

### Oneida Community Veterans

The Oneida Veterans Dept. is holding a Veteran Outreach at the Parish Hall on June 21 at approximately 1700 hrs.

Topics include:

- Brown County -Veterans Court update
- Veterans Memorial Park name change proposal
- 2012 Oneida Powwow
- OPD Gang update

*A light Dinner will be served!*

Visit the updated Oneida Government website at

**<https://oneida-nsn.gov/>**

## Oneida Nation Child Support Agency

### Shakoti?nukú'lale? Latiksashúha?

#### Topic: Paternity FAQ's

- Q. If I signed a voluntary paternity acknowledgement, can I withdraw it?  
 A. Once a Voluntary Paternity Acknowledgment is filed, the parents have 60 days to withdraw or rescind it. Contact your case manager with any questions regarding this.  
 Q. If I suspect a child is not mine, can I request a paternity test?  
 A. If paternity has not been established by signing a Voluntary Paternity Acknowledgment or a court has not issued a Judgment of Paternity, then paternity testing can and should be done.  
 Q. How much does it cost to have a Paternity test?  
 A. If you have a Paternity Case with the Oneida Tribe and paternity has not already been established there is no charge for Paternity testing done in the child support office.

#### Upcoming Events and Updates:

- See us at Oneida Farmers market from 3:00-5:30pm for information and a child-friendly activity.
- The start of the Outagamie County transfer process was initiated in May 2012. Call **920-490-3700** and ask for Michelle with any questions regarding the transfer.

Please keep address and contact information current with the agency in order to avoid any delay in the transfer.

## ONEIDA TRIBE OF INDIANS OF WISCONSIN

### 2012 SPECIAL ELECTION BALLOT

**JULY 7, 2012**

ONEIDA JUDICIAL SYSTEM (ONEIDA APPEALS COMMISSION) CHOOSE THREE (3)	LAND COMMISSION CHOOSE THREE (3)
JENNIFER WEBSTER KAYLYNN GRESHAM SUSAN M. DANFORTH KATHY HUGHES DOROTHY A. SKENANDORE CHRIS J. CORNELIUS (CHRISY)	GARY JORDAN RON MCLESTER AMELIA CORNELIUS DAKOTA WEBSTER MICHAEL HILL (BLUTO) RON (TEHASSI) HILL DONALD MCLESTER BRENDA JOHN STEVENS DEREK DENNY ERIC MCLESTER
<b>ELECTION BOARD</b> CHOOSE THREE (3)	<b>ONEIDA NATION COMMISSION ON AGING (ONCOA)</b> CHOOSE THREE (3)
TOMAS (THE BURRITO MAN) ESCAMEA RACQUEL (ROCKY HILL) PAMANET PATRICE JOHN BARBARA (JORDAN-DOYEN) ERICKSON TINA HACKETT (SKENANDORE) MICHELE M. DOXTATOR TERESA SCHUMAN LISA LIGGINS	PEARL MARIE MCLESTER CAROL L. ELM KAREN COFFEY MARY JANE DOXTATOR NEOMA L. CHRISTJOHN-ORSBURN DONALD MCLESTER CHARLENE E. CORNELIUS JUDITH H. SPENCER
<b>GAMING COMMISSION</b> CHOOSE ONE (1)	<b>TRIBAL SCHOOL BOARD PARENT POSITION</b> CHOOSE TWO (2)
GARY L. JORDAN BARBARA (JORDAN-DOYEN) ERICKSON TRISH KING SHANNON HILL LEE NINHAM LORA SKENANDORE WILLIAM M. SAUER STEVE MITTAG	DEBRA J. DANFORTH
<b>LAND CLAIMS COMMISSION</b> CHOOSE TWO (2)	<b>TRIBAL SCHOOL BOARD AT-LARGE POSITION</b> CHOOSE TWO (2)
AMELIA CORNELIUS DAKOTA WEBSTER LORETTA V. METOXEN HUGH DANFORTH CHARLENE E. CORNELIUS	DELLORA (DODO) CORNELIUS BERNARD JOHN STEVENS MARY JANE DOXTATOR
<b>THIS IS A SAMPLE BALLOT ONLY</b>	
<b>TRUST/ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE</b> CHOOSE THREE (3)	SHOULD TRIBAL MEMBERS BE ALLOWED TO WITHDRAW THEIR CUSTODY CASES FROM THE ONEIDA CHILD SUPPORT PROGRAM AND APPEALS COMMISSION HEARINGS, AND BE ALLOWED TO RETURN TO THE COUNTY THEY RESIDE IN, WITHOUT INTERFERENCE FROM THESE TRIBAL ENTITIES?
SHANNON HILL ROCHELLE A. POWLESS CAROLE LIGGINS DEBRA J. DANFORTH DONALD MCLESTER JUDY CORNELIUS CHARLENE E. CORNELIUS JENNIFER HILL-KELLEY ERIC MCLESTER LINDA (BUFFY) DALLAS	YES NO
<b>REFERENDUM QUESTIONS</b>	SHOULD ALL SALARIED EMPLOYEES, PUNCH IN OR OUT, TO PREVENT FRAUDULENT CLAIMS OF WORK HOURS?
SHOULD BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS, CONSIST OF ENROLLED TRIBAL MEMBERS, BUT NOT BE TRIBAL EMPLOYEES?	YES NO
SHOULD AN ENROLLED TRIBAL MEMBER BE ALLOWED TO HOLD MORE THAN ONE POSITION ON ANY BOARD, COMMITTEE OR COMMISSION?	YES NO
SHOULD THERE BE TERM LIMITS FOR ALL BOARD, COMMITTEE AND COMMITTEE POSITIONS, INCLUDING THE BUSINESS COMMITTEE?	YES NO
SHOULD SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS HAVE EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUNDS?	YES NO
<b>THIS IS A SAMPLE BALLOT ONLY</b>	

## NOTICE TO SPECIAL ELECTION CANDIDATES

The Oneida Election Board hereby informs you of the laws as they pertain to campaign signs and campaigning within the Oneida Election Law:

2.5-9. Campaign Signs and Campaigning:

(a) Placement of campaign signs:

- (1) Campaign signs shall not be posted or erected on any Tribal property except for private property with the owner/tenant's consent.
- (2) No campaign sign shall exceed sixteen (16) square feet in area. A maximum of seven (7) such signs may be placed on a building or on a lot.
- (3) No campaign signs shall project beyond the property line into the public right of way.
- (b) Removal of campaign signs. All campaign signs shall be removed within five (5) business days after an election.
- (c) Employees of the Tribe shall not engage in campaigning for Tribal offices during work hours. Tribal employees shall be subject to disciplinary action under the personnel policies and procedures for political campaigning during work hours.
- (d) Enforcement. The zoning Administrator shall cause to be removed any campaign signs that are not in compliance with this law, in accordance with the Zoning and Shoreland Protection Law.
- (e) Fines. Violation of the campaign sign restrictions shall result in a fine imposed by the Oneida Election Board in an amount specified in a resolution adopted by the Business Committee.

Per 2.5-9 (3) above, all signs located within any right-of-way need to be moved. If they are not moved, the Zoning Administrator will remove these signs. If any signs are erected in any right-of-way, they may be subject to fines per 2.5-9 (e) of Oneida Election Law.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact one of the Election Board officers: Vicki Cornelius as Chairperson via telephone at **920 490-3634** or via e-mail at **vcornel3@oneidanation.org** or Lori Elm, Secretary – telephone **920 869-1690 ext. 1807** or e-mail **Lelm@oneidanation.org**.

*Congratulations***Raeden Zavis**Bachelor of Arts  
in Interior Design from  
Syracuse University

May 2012

You are changing the  
world in your own  
special way.It is an honor to be  
your father.Love, George,  
Grandmother  
Vivian Baird Zavis and  
family[www.  
kalihwisaks.com](http://www.kalihwisaks.com)*Congratulations***Layatalati**for your great  
accomplishment.  
Lati graduated from  
the University of  
Kansas, School of Law  
with the Degree of  
Juris Doctor.We are so Proud of You!  
Kunolukwa Mom (Vickie  
Cornelius), brothers;  
Tehassi, Sonyowa,  
Latsi?khanunha,  
Lolihwakyu and Dad  
(Ron Hill Sr.)*Congratulations***Gina Gutierrez**on graduating from  
NWTC from the  
Dental Assistant  
Program.We are ALL so proud  
of You!  
Frank & Pat Gutierrez  
(parents)  
Savannah (daughter)  
David & Chanel Benson  
(sister & brother-in-law)  
Theresa Gutierrez (sister)  
Mitchell, Gaby, Alexis,  
Kyla, Michael  
(nephew & nieces)

*Dawn*  
To  
all the  
men in my  
life who are  
**Awesome**  
**Dads!**

- Trevor Moses (my son)
- Juan Mendoza (my nephew)
- Joe Kaquatosh (my nephew)

They're celebrating their first  
of many Father's Days...

My Son-in-law... • Craig Wescott

More nephews...

- Theo Y. • Dale Lee K. • Robert (Kake) • Forrest S. • Thunder & Jerome C.

And all my brothers...

- Frank C. (Schooz) • Cliff Kak (Poonah)
- Dale Kak • Brian Kak • Gordy Kak
- Mario Lyons • Kevin Kak

**Take Pride in what you do for your children!**  
You all are very dear to my heart! ❤️ Yvonne

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## Oneida Family Fitness

### Summer Hours

Monday:	5:30 a.m.—10:00 p.m.
Tuesday:	5:30 a.m.—10:00 p.m.
Wednesday:	5:30 a.m.—10:00 p.m.
Thursday:	5:30 a.m.—10:00 p.m.
Friday:	5:30 a.m.—8:00 p.m.
Saturday:	<b>Closed</b> (May 19—Labor Day)
Sunday:	Closed

**Let us help you with your fitness and wellness needs!**

Stop in or call us at 490-3730 to discuss membership options or  
visit our website at [www.oneidanation.org/fitness](http://www.oneidanation.org/fitness)

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## Important 2012 Per Capita Deadlines... Updates & Reminders!

**Deadline to submit Membership Payment Forms:****Tuesday, September 4, 2012...****Deadline to Claim unpaid 2011 Membership Payment(s):****Tuesday, September 4, 2012...**

**Tribal ID's will not be issued August 27,  
2012 thru September 4, 2012.**  
Please plan accordingly

**Membership Payment forms received  
by September 4, 2012 will be mailed  
out on September 28, 2012**

**Membership Payment forms received  
September 5, 2012 thru March 1, 2013  
will be mailed out March 29, 2013**

**The Enrollment Department  
will be CLOSED on  
Wednesday, September 5, 2012**

*If you have any concerns, please contact the Oneida Enrollment Department at:*

**(920) 869-6200 or Toll Free (800) 571-9902**

**Oneida Enrollment Dept. • P.O. Box 365 • Oneida, WI 54155-0365**

<http://oneidanation.org/enrollment>

# Birding adventure in Oneida

**ONEIDA NATION—** Experience all the birding opportunities in the Oneida Nation in this weekend's episode of Discover Wisconsin, developed in partnership with Oneida Nation. Shot over the past year, the episode will air Saturday, June 23 and Sunday, June 24 on the Discover Wisconsin broadcast network, reaching 250,000 viewers across the upper Great Lakes region, including Minnesota, Iowa, Northern Illinois and Upper Michigan. The episode airs state-wide on Fox Sports WI on Saturday morning at 10AM, and locally on WFRV TV-5 Green Bay on Saturday evening at 6:30PM.

The episode will highlight several restored wetlands, Salt Pork Avenue, Bay Beach Wildlife Sanctuary, and the many species of birds you can expect to see in the Oneida Nation. Michelle Danforth Anderson, Marketing and Tourism Director of Oneida Nation is proud of the land the tribe has. "We will be one of the first Native tribes in Wisconsin to offer guided bird watching tours," said Anderson.

Show host Emmy Fink admits she hadn't spent much time birding before this, but sees why so many find it enjoyable. "The rare birds you can



Submitted photo

Show Host Emmy Fink birding with the Wisneski Family in the Oneida Nation.

spot in the Oneida Nation, such as eagles, canvasbacks and many types of waterfowl make it a birding paradise" said Fink. Show producer,

Danielle Bernard has really enjoyed this assignment.

"I think viewers will be surprised to see all of the natural beauty we also found while birding, you don't have to be a bird enthusiast to enjoy Wisconsin's wild life and birds."

gorgeous landscapes," said Bernard.

Discover Wisconsin is the nation's longest running tourism program, and is celebrating its 25th Anniversary throughout 2012.

To learn more go to [www.discoverwisconsin.com](http://www.discoverwisconsin.com).



Photo courtesy of Michelle Danforth

Where the Waterbirds nest has a new sign and carved birds to help community members identify the variety of wild life and birds. There is also a walking trail and a canoe launch.



# Wisconsin

## News

### Kohl bids farewell to state party Democrats

APPLETON, Wis. (AP) — Herb Kohl, who has represented Wisconsin in the U.S. Senate since 1988, expressed gratitude to fellow Democrats Saturday, who in turn showered the senator with applause and chants after his farewell speech at the state party's annual convention.

Kohl, 77, announced last year that he would not be seeking a fifth six-year term.

Kohl told several hundred Democrats gathered at the convention that the next steps for the Democratic Party of Wisconsin should be focused on preserving the unifying grass-roots support that drove the recall election between Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett and Gov. Scott Walker.

The crowd stood and applauded as Barrett introduced Kohl.

"I want to make sure that we all recognize the incredible commitment he's made to this state, not just for the 24 years

he's been an elected official, but for his entire adult life," Barrett said. "I want to give my thanks to him."

Kohl told Democrats he was thankful for the chance to serve in the Senate.

"As I look back on my time with you, I am forever grateful for the chance that you gave me, to be your senator," Kohl said. "It has been the greatest honor and responsibility of my lifetime, and I have loved every minute of it."

Kohl has endorsed U.S. Rep. Tammy Baldwin as his replacement. She will likely face the winner of the Aug. 14 GOP primary. Tommy Thompson, a former governor who was secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services under President George W. Bush; former U.S. Rep. Mark Neumann; state Assembly Speaker Jeff Fitzgerald; and millionaire hedge fund manager Eric Hovde are vying for the Republican nomination.

Before serving in the Senate, Kohl helped build his family-owned business, Kohl's grocery and department stores. He served as president from 1970 through the sale of the corporation in 1979. In 1985 he bought the Milwaukee Bucks.

Kohl serves on the Senate Appropriations Committee, Judiciary Committee, Banking Committee, and the Special Committee on Aging, of which he is chairman.

Kohl told Democrats he won't completely disappear from politics.

"I'm not going anywhere," he said. "I'll always be around to help you, and us and the great party that we represent as we serve the people of Wisconsin today, tomorrow and in the decades to come."

The crowd chanted, "Thank You. Thank You," as he finished his speech.

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# 40TH ANNUAL ONEIDA POW-WOW

June 29-July 1, 2012  
Norbert Hill Center

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## Bellin Run 2012



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Congratulations to all Team Oneida Bellin Run participants!

## Sacred artifacts being returned to NY tribe

**SYRACUSE, N.Y.** (AP) ~ A central New York historical organization is returning artifacts, including a rare wampum belt believed to be more than two centuries old, to an Iroquois tribe.

The wampum belt will be repatriated to the Onondaga Indian Nation during a ceremony Tuesday at the Onondaga Historical Association's museum in Syracuse, Gregg Tripoli, the association's executive director, said Wednesday.

The historical organization has recently returned human skeletal remains and several sacred ceremonial masks to the Onondagas, whose reservation is south of Syracuse.

The repatriation of the artifacts, first reported by the Post-Standard of Syracuse, was prompted by a now-deceased Onondaga clan mother who told the association's new executive director that his organization had items belonging to the tribe, including the wampum belt.

Tripoli said it's believed all the Onondagas' other wampum belts were lost when American troops destroyed Onondaga and other Iroquois villages during the American Revolution.

The belt being returned to the tribe is made of white and purple shells. Tripoli said it was obtained in 1919 by a Syracuse historian who worked for years with the Onondagas. The belt's origins have been traced back to William Claus, a Canadian government and military official who interacted with the Six Nations of the Iroquois Confederacy in the late 18th and early 19th centuries.

The wampum is marked with his initials and the year 1800. Sid Hill, an Onondaga spiritual leader, said the tribe will find ceremonial purpose in the masks, commonly known as false faces. He credited Dorothy Webster, an Onondaga clan mother who died in 2010, with getting the items returned to the tribe.

"Hopefully, it will send a message to other people to do the right thing," he said. "How much more sacred can it get than to want your ancestors' bones to be at rest? We want the ones we put to rest to have a good journey; all of our teaching about the cycle of life is surrounded by that."

## Voters in Mass. city say 'yes' to tribal casino

**TAUNTON, Mass.** (AP) ~ The Mashpee Wampanoag tribe got a vote of confidence from Taunton residents as the tribe pushes forward with plans to develop a \$500 million resort casino.

By a nearly 2-1 margin, voters in Saturday's referendum expressed support for having a casino in their s o u t h e a s t e r n Massachusetts community, according to the Taunton clerk's office.

While nonbinding, the 7,693-4,571 vote marks the first time local residents have expressed support for a casino project at the ballot box since Gov. Deval Patrick signed the state's new gambling law last year.

The law legalized casino gambling, authorizing the state to license up to three resort-style casinos and giving exclusive rights to a federally recognized Indian tribe to develop one

of the casinos if the tribe can reach a compact with the state by July 31. The Indian casino would have to be in southeastern Massachusetts.

Voters in the towns of Freetown and Lakeville recently gave a thumbs-down to a less detailed casino proposal offered by the Wampanoag Tribe of Aquinnah.

"We are overwhelmed by this resounding victory in Taunton," Tribal Council chairman Cedric Cromwell said in a statement. "But let's be clear. This is not just a victory for the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe, this is a victory for the future of this city, for every person looking for a good job, and for the entire Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

Cromwell said the tribe will be back at work on Monday to finalize a compact with the governor on

a project Cromwell said will create thousands of jobs and bring in millions in revenue. Patrick has said he expects negotiations on the compact will be completed by the summer deadline.

But opponents worried the project will bring traffic headaches and increased crime to the city of about 55,000. They contended that backers overstated the economic benefits of casino gambling. One major concern is the location of the proposed casino in the East Taunton neighborhood, close to three schools and sensitive environmental areas, said Tony LaCourse, chairman of the anti-casino group Preserve Taunton's Future.

After the vote, LaCourse said he and others individually will continue to push for the interests of the city and to ensure that any downside to the project

will be mitigated. He said the group raised about \$1,500 and will donate any left over money to the local schools.

The tribe has an option to buy 146 acres in an industrial park at the junction of Routes 24 and 140, where it has proposed a 150,000-square-foot casino. The land will have to be placed in federal trust. Eventually, the tribe expects to add three hotels, retail shops, conference space and a water park.

Under a host community agreement negotiated with Mayor Thomas Hoye Jr. and approved 6-1 by the City Council, the tribe would make about \$33 million in upfront payments to Taunton, including about \$15 for traffic improvements. The deal also calls for minimum annual payments of \$13 million after the casino begins operations.

# Summer CASH BASH

Saturday, June 30, 2012

**TICKETS: \$35**

**On sale at the Bingo Bash Booth**

**10AM EARLY BIRDS**

**10:30AM CASH BASH BEGINS**

**EARLY BIRD GAMES PAY \$1,000!**

**THREE SPECIALS PAY \$1,199!**

**BLACKOUT PAYS \$5,000!**



# Lifestyles

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June 14, 2012

## Wind River Tribal College grads learn Arapaho

**By Martin Reed**  
The Riverton Ranger

ETHETE, Wyo. (AP) — Karen Smith decided to enroll at the Wind River Tribal College in Ethete to learn about the Northern Arapaho's rich culture.

"I started taking Arapaho classes to learn our language. My siblings, we never spoke the language," said Smith, 49, of Ethete.

After taking the college's four Arapaho language classes, Smith said "it's just barely scratching the surface" with her linguistic knowledge.

"I can pray, I have my own prayer. I can introduce myself and it's motivating my other two kids to begin to learn the language also," Smith said.

Smith was one of two Wind River Tribal College's 2012 graduating class members. She and Layha Spoonhunter, 22, earned associates of arts degrees in Arapaho studies during the sixth annual ceremony last month.

The two joined several others who have taken

advantage of the tribal college to learn about subjects unique to the institution while fulfilling their desire to gain a higher education.

"I wanted to learn my Arapaho language and my Arapaho culture, and I always wanted to be a student at the tribal college," Spoonhunter said.

Learning about the tribe's history and culture was a priority for him. "It was a chance to go back and kind of reclaim my heritage," he said.

Wind River Tribal College president Marlin Spoonhunter danced in traditional tribal attire before addressing the audience at the graduation ceremony at the Wyoming Indian High School Tech Center.

"I want to thank our two graduates for persevering through a lot of tough times as they pushed forward to obtain their associates of arts degrees," Spoonhunter said.

In the tribal college's short history, there have been people 19 years old who have graduated up to senior citizens, he said.

"It doesn't matter what

tribe you are, you're all welcome. It's also open to non-Indians that want to gain knowledge of both worlds," Spoonhunter said.

Layha Spoonhunter before the ceremony began talked about the two worlds: "We have to balance the non-Indian and Indian worlds."

"Even when we gain our education, we must never forget where we came from," he said.

He noted that Lander Valley High School did not teach the Arapaho language. "That kind of motivated me to go to the tribal college to learn the language and the history of the Arapaho people and the Shoshone tribe," he said.

He hopes to serve as a role model "to further educate our youth to be proud of who we are and stay true to who we are."

Spoonhunter credits the tribal college for providing the knowledge he sought. "It's given me new perspectives, new opportunities to learn about different tribes and understand the legal issues tribes face every day," Spoonhunter said.

Wyoming Indian High School graduate Crystal

LeBeau-C'Bearing, who is pursuing three majors at the University of Wyoming, talked about attending the tribal college during her keynote address.

She recalled enrolling in the college with her cousin to take an Arapaho language class. "It was all strictly Arapaho, no English, no writing," she said.

After class she felt amazed at what she had accomplished. "Can you believe we just did that? We spoke a whole hour of Arapaho," she recalled telling her cousin.

The next day her mother went to the language class with her. "It stays with me and I gained a very valuable lesson that anything is possible if you stay with it," she said.

Marlin Spoonhunter spoke highly of the accomplishments of the two graduates.

"Layha did a lot for the college. He went to all of the high schools and he stressed higher education and also stressed health and substance abuse issues" facing the reservation, he said.

Both graduates

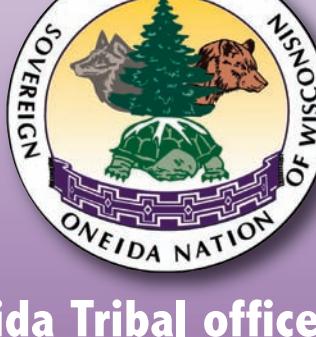
addressed the audience in Arapaho, thanking those who were important in their success.

"I thank my parents for encouraging me throughout the years to get a higher education," Smith said.

"We are Arapaho. We have a language and culture," Layha

Spoonhunter said. "It is our responsibility to pass these ways down to future generations and this higher education is important to pass down to future generations."

Information from: The (Riverton, Wyo.) Ranger, <http://www.dailyranger.com>



**Oneida Tribal offices will be closed on Wednesday, July 4, 2012 in observance of Independence Day**

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## Household Clean Sweep



Kali photos/Dawn Walschinski  
Cars filled with unwanted items lined up early for the Household Clean Sweep held Monday, June 11 at Oneida Department of Public Works. Oneida citizens could get rid of household waste or donate usable items to Goodwill.

## Tsynuhéhkwa products available at Highway 54 One Stop Store

**By Jeff Metoxen**

Director Tsyunhehkwa

Tsynuhéhkwa (joon-héhkwa), is a culturally and community based agricultural program of the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin. The title of the program Tsyunhehkwa is from the Oneida language and in a loose translation stands for Life Sustenance. The program consists of two components of Agricultural and Cannery. The Agricultural component is located on a Certified Organic 80-acre site, which provides grass-fed beef, free range poultry, farm fresh eggs and organic produce. The Cannery processes not only Oneida produced products, but items pro-

duced in other areas of the Nation and the Community. The program provides you organic white corn products to the community in the form of soup, bread, meal, flour and packaged dehydrated corn.

We sell our products at the Retail Store and now at the Oneida One Stop on Highway 54 in Oneida. The community can now purchase the following products at that location: dehydrated white corn, apple sauce, triple berry jam, dill pickles and bread & butter pickles. We hope to see you there. Supplies are limited and seasonal based.

We continue to work throughout the Oneida Tribe to find ways to bring our products and services to our Community. We would not have been able to continue working on this project & direction without the help and support of many people and areas of Oneida, which include but not limited to: Oneida One Stop 54, Enterprise, Internal Services Division, Oneida Community Integrated Food Systems, and the many people that work at our Tsyunhehkwa Program! We will continue to work toward improving our services and products. Any questions please let us know.

Jeff Metoxen, Director  
Tsynuhéhkwa  
**(920) 869-2141**  
**jmetoxen@oneida**  
**nation.org**

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## Community Meeting On Housing in Oneida

The Oneida Planning Department is sponsoring a Community Meeting On "Housing" on Thursday, July 5, at 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. in the Little Bear Development Center Conference Room

The purpose of the community meeting is to present the progress of the Housing Comprehensive Plan Element and to gather information from community members about

visioning the future of housing development for the Comprehensive Plan Re-write.

The Oneida

Reservation

Comprehensive Plan

sets broad policies and

guidelines for future

growth and develop-

ment. The plan will

serve as the basis for

both daily and long-

range decisions that will

influence the develop-

ment of the physical,

social, political, eco-

nomic, aesthetic, and other related factors of the community.

Below is a schedule for future Comprehensive Plan meetings. The schedule includes the date, time, place, presenters and comprehensive plan topic. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend these and future community meetings so you can voice your vision of the future of our community.

### 2012 Public Participation Schedule

Date 1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday	Time	Place	Comprehensive Plan Element Topics	Responsible for Presentation
July 5, 2012	5:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Little Bear Development Center Conference Room	Housing	Fred Muscavitch Dale Wheelock Don White Butch Rentmeester John Breuninger, Planner
August 2, 2012	5:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Little Bear Development Center Conference Room	Parks and Recreation Natural Resources Environmental Protection	Don White Pat Pelky Stacie Danforth, Planner John Breuninger, Planner
September 6, 2012	5:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Little Bear Development Center Conference Room	Community Design Land Use	Fred Muscavitch Butch Rentmeester Pat Pelky Jeff Witte, Planner
October 4, 2012	5:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Little Bear Development Center Conference Room	Community Facilities Utilities Transportation	Butch Rentmeester Don White Jeff Witte, Planner Leanne Doxtator, Planner
November 1, 2012	5:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Little Bear Development Center Conference Room	Economic Development Agriculture	Michele Doxtator Joanie Buckley Jeff Witte, Planner John Breuninger, Planner
December 6, 2012	5:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Little Bear Development Center Conference Room	Government Coordination and Regulations	Ed Delgado, Chairman John Breuninger, Planner

NOTE: Remaining comprehensive plan elements will be scheduled for 2013

## Onkyote?aka Culture Camp

The Oneida Community Action Team is collaborating with representatives from various tribal departments/programs to conduct two Onkyote?aka Culture Camps.

Many activities are planned to enhance your child's social, emotional, spiritual knowledge of Oneida traditions, culture and games. Your child will have 24 hour care by chaperones and volunteers of the community. The camp will be held at the Oneida Cultural Heritage Department grounds, across from the Oneida Language House by Osnúhsa Lake.

Pick up/drop off registration packets at Oneida Housing Authority (2913 Commissioner Street), or Oneida Social Services – Antonio Doxtator (2640 West Point Rd) between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday – Friday.



Camp will be held on:  
**High School students**  
(grades 9-12) Camp

June 24, 2012 – June 27, 2012

**Middle School students**  
(grades 6-8) Camp

July 15, 2012 – July 18, 2012

**Registration Deadline:** June 15th

For more information, contact Michelle Jordan at **920-869-6194** or Antonio Doxtator **920-490-3986**.

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## ONHS Academic Honors Quarter Four – 2011/2012

### Highest Honors 4.000 - 3.800 GPA

Guadalupe Martinez	4.000
Anthony Cornelius	3.934
Mason Powless	3.906
Kaylynn Powless	3.857

### High Honors 3.799 - 3.500 GPA

Noelle Metoxen	3.763
Natasha Stevens	3.763
Jessica House	3.716
Michael Mills	3.716
Allie Spruce	3.667
Colleen Cornelius	3.600
Kanani Nunies	3.585
Kylene Welch	3.526

### Honors 3.499 - 3.000 GPA

Paul Christjohn	3.476
Muriel King	3.430
Ruby John	3.380
Mitchel Cornelius	3.334
Rachel Ninham	3.333
Hodazha Pidgeon	3.330
Brandon Doxtator	3.287
Josanna Cornelius-Daubon	3.286
Abalone Paprocki	3.286
Diego Metoxen	3.239
Luis Webster	3.191
Oscar Schuyler II	3.168
Fredrick Miller	3.055
Byran Halona	3.001
Aleah Jimenez	3.001
Michael (Jojo) Santiago	3.000

## ONMS Academic Honors

### Quarter Four – 2011/2012

#### Highest Honors 4.000 -

##### 3.800 GPA

##### Eighth Grade

Synala Smith – 4.00

Jade Cornelius-Daubon – 3.868

Yohnehtote Danforth – 3.868

##### Seventh Grade

Kwnwahta Smith – 3.534

Sandra Torres-Mejia – 3.534

##### Sixth Grade

Aleena Escamea – 3.868

Yakira Tate – 3.868

Saquoia Metoxen – 3.866

Taliah Frederick – 3.802

##### Sixth Grade

Lexus Stevens – 4.00

Jermaine Running Bear – 3.868

Shienne Red Hail – 3.800

##### High Honors 3.799 -

##### 3.500 GPA

##### Eighth Grade

Chad Manthei – 3.466

Angalee Powless – 3.334

Grace Powless – 3.334

Brittney Hill – 3.736

Makayla Doxtater –

3.734

Tiger Smith – 3.734

Colleen Johnson – 3.600

Louisa Mehlijah – 3.500

##### Seventh Grade

Jordan Sitting Bear –

3.400

Clara Denny – 3.334

Mariah Miranda – 3.134

Florence John – 3.250

Jadin Sitting Bear –

3.202

##### Sixth Grade

Deion Komanekin –

3.268

Esperanza Cruz – 3.266

Ariel Webster – 3.266

Jenna Cornelius-Daubon –

3.200

Odessa Morgan – 3.132

Angeequay Schuyler –

3.000

Vaniecia Smith – 3.000

## ONES Perfect Attendance

### Quarter Four – 2011/2012

#### Middle School

##### Sixth Grade

Danielle Dessart-Skenandore
David Reed
Lexus Stevens

##### Eighth Grade

Louisa Mehlijah
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#### Elementary School

##### Fifth Grade

Emerson John
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##### Fourth Grade

Eleciah Danforth
Evan Danforth
Logan Hill

#### Third Grade

Shania C. Barber
Richard W. Longcore

#### Second Grade

Guillermo R. Acosta
Mariah Barber
Vicente Otega-Stevens

#### First Grade

Eajah Danforth
Damario Torres

#### Kindergarten

Ever Acosta
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### Legal Notice

Oneida Tribal Judicial System  
Notice of Hearings

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

Armando & Robin Martinez  
12-TC-074

Randy A. Vandebloomer  
12-TC-075

Brian A. Ninham  
12-TC-076

Travis V. Moore  
12-TC-077

Twylite Moore  
12-TC-078

Teyelihwak Webster  
12-TC-079

Roland Vandehei Jr  
12-TC-080

Kenneth Stevens  
12-TC-081

Christl L. Stevens  
12-TC-082

Shelbie & Charles Skenandore  
12-TC-083

Kevin Skodowski  
12-TC-084

Shiann L. Skaradzinski  
12-TC-085

Linda & Brian Ninham  
12-TC-086

Mary Cornelius  
12-TC-087

Dorothy & Barry Burt  
12-TC-088

Melvin Brocker Sr  
12-TC-089

Caroline Bentley  
12-TC-090

Jody & Aleta Cornelius  
12-TC-091

Morning Star Cornelius  
12-TC-092

Matthew Ellis  
12-TC-093

Naomi Cadotte  
12-TC-094

Rochelle E. Cadotte  
12-TC-095

Dennis & Deborah Dalgard  
12-TC-096

Stacy Grignon  
12-TC-097

Crystal Flores  
12-TC-098

Scharlene Kasee  
12-TC-099

Dale Cornelius  
12-TC-100

Dale Cornelius  
12-TC-101

Tammy Rosa  
12-TC-102

Todd Schuyler  
12-TC-103

Kathleen King  
12-TC-104

Desmann Escalante  
12-TC-105

Staci Leon  
12-TC-106

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 26, 2012, 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 Cheryl DeJardin, at Central Accounting at (920) 490-3529.

Inquiries for additional information may be directed to:

Clerk of Court  
Oneida Tribal Judicial System  
(920) 497-5800

### Legal Notice

Oneida Tribal Judicial System  
Original Hearing Body  
Notice of Hearing

RE: DOCKET #10-CS-246, Oneida Child Support Enforcement Agency and Brandi J. Kane vs. Kris J. Johnson Jr.

A diligent attempt was made to notify the above individuals of a claim filed by the Oneida Child Support Enforcement Agency for a Motion to Modify Child Support. A hearing shall take place on Thursday, July 12, 2012 at 9:00 a.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.

Inquiries for additional information may be directed to:

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Oneida, WI 54155  
(920) 497-5800

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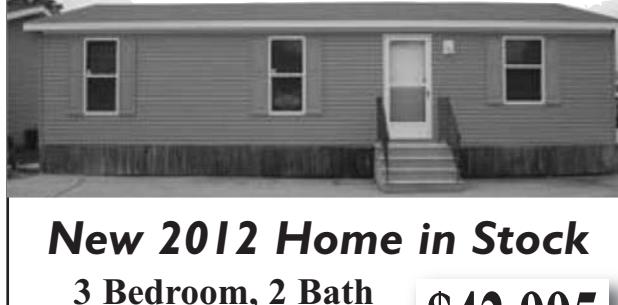
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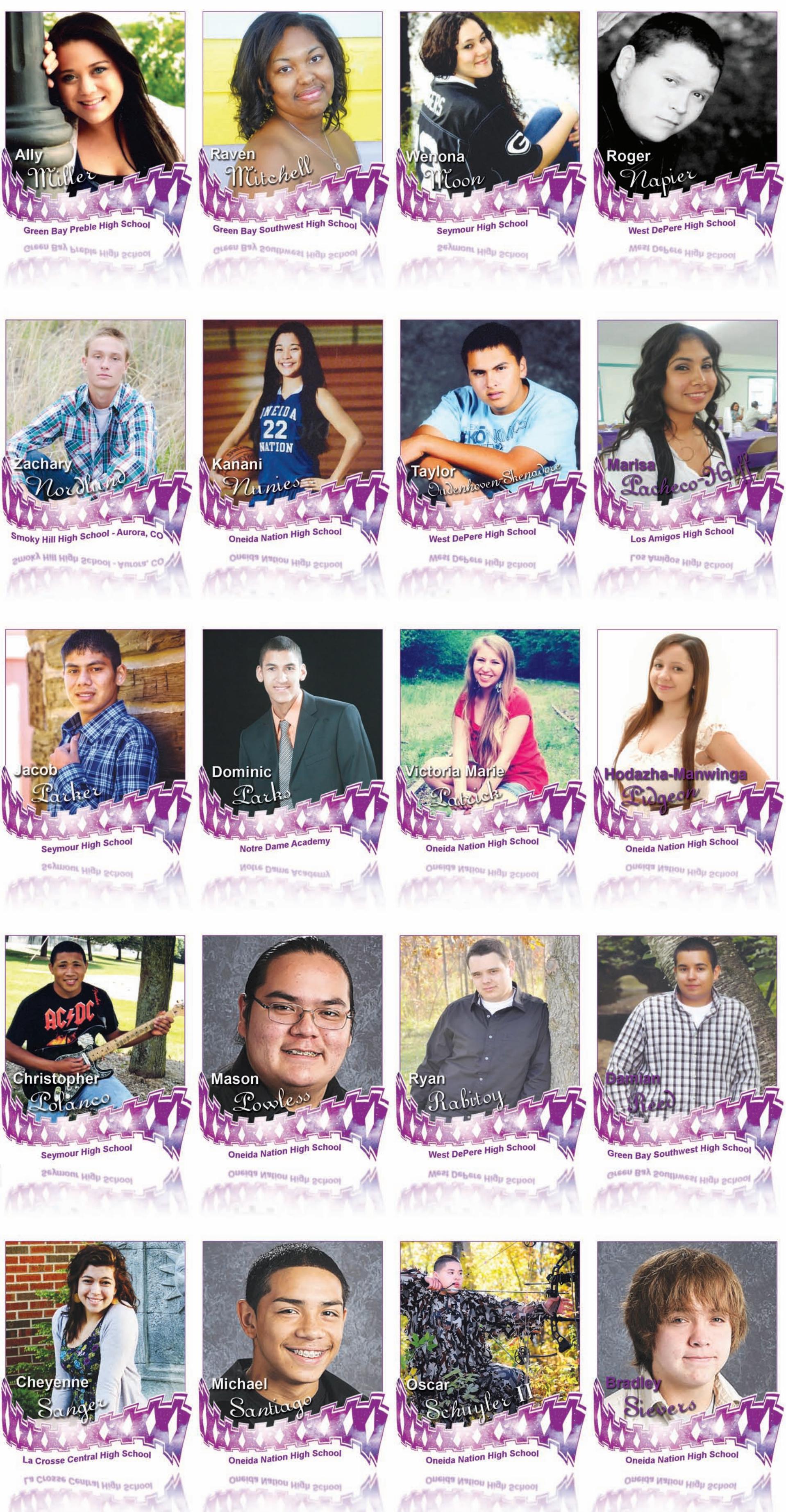


# HIGH SCHOOL Class of 2012



<p>Nico Adams West Allis Central High School</p>	<p>Tinea Nicole Bailey Green Bay Southwest High School</p>	<p>Jordan Bain Oneida Nation High School</p>	<p>Dustin Baker Arlee High School</p>
<p>Kalene Beechtreee Oneida Nation High School</p>	<p>Jaleesa Caldwell Oneida Nation High School</p>	<p>Breann Clark Green Bay Southwest High School</p>	<p>Kanikisa Corbin Oneida Nation High School</p>
<p>Anthony A. Cornelius Oneida Nation High School</p>	<p>Colleen Cornelius Oneida Nation High School</p>	<p>Taylor Cornelius West DePere High School</p>	<p>Tonya Cornelius West DePere High School</p>
<p>Cody Cottrell Green Bay Southwest High School</p>	<p>Brock Denny Ashwaubenon High School</p>	<p>Eva Domenich Freedom High School</p>	<p>Ryan Doatator Seymour High School</p>
<p>Tanner T. Doatator West DePere High School</p>	<p>Savannah Drew Pulaski High School</p>	<p>John-David Duggan West DePere High School</p>	<p>Jocelyn Elie Green Bay Preble High School</p>





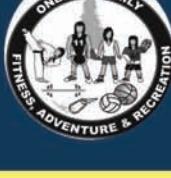


# ONEIDA ADVENTURE



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# PADDLE

### Day/Evening/Weekend Classes

### Paddle Tours/Trip

Quick Start your kayak: Learn the basics of kayaking with instruction on wet exits, strokes, safety and acquiring skills for entry level paddlers. Boat, paddle and PFD provided, or bring your own.	Cost: \$20	Dates: June 26, 4:30-7:30 July 24, 8:30-11:30 July 26, 4:30-7:30	Evening Canoe Tour: Share an evening with friends/family with a guided canoe trip on a local river. We will provide the boat, paddle, PFD and guide/instruction. Age 16 and under to paddle with an adult. <b>No previous instruction required.</b>	Cost: \$5	Dates: May 31, 4-8p.m. July 30, 4:00-8p.m.
Kayak rescue and safety: Now that you have learned the basic strokes, and may have a couple experiences on the water, this class will review rescue techniques. We will review the paddle float-rescue, T-rescue and others such as the scoop rescue, as time permits. Kayak and boating safety will be reviewed including rules of the nautical road, weather, wind and waves. Boat, paddle, PFD provided. Bring your own if applicable.	Cost: \$20	Dates: May 19 12-3 & Upon request	Evening Sea Kayak Tour: Join the experiential staff for a guided kayak tour on a local river/lake. We provide the boat, paddle, PFD, and guide/instruction. Ages 12 and up may be able to paddle their own kayak. Tandem kayaks also available. Training required prior.	Cost: \$10	Dates: May 17 4-8 June 7 4-8
Intro to Sea Kayak: This is a full day class on the water with some on-land instruction. Topics to include wet exits, strokes, safety, equipment, and rescue techniques. Wind, weather and waves, and necessary safety equipment with on-land instruction. Boat, paddle and PFD provided.	Cost: \$30	Dates: May 19 9:00-3:00	Day/Evening Recreation Kayak Tour: Join the experiential staff for a guided Rec kayak tour on a local river/lake. We provide the boat, paddle, PFD, and guide/instruction. Ages 12 and up may be able to paddle their own kayak. <b>No previous instruction required.</b>	Cost: \$10	Dates: May 16 Women 4-8 June 27 4-8
Intro to Whitewater Kayak: This is a 1/2 day on the water. We will start out with some instruction about reading a river, ferry lines and eddys. We will progress to some quiet water for learning wet exits, strokes, and boat maneuvering/safety. Then off to some class I and II rapids to practice our new skills. Boat, paddle, PFD and helmet provided.	Cost: \$20	Dates: Upon request	Apostle Island Trip: It is your time to paddle the largest, cleanest and most pristine of the Great Lakes. Paddle crystal clear water while exploring sea caves, hike an Island forest by wood plank trails and enjoy meals prepared by your certified guide(s) over campsite fire on Sand Island. Boat, paddle, and PFD also provided. <small>*Additional sea kayak instruction class required to meet minimal skills.</small>	Cost: \$200	Dates: August 17-20

### Contact

Shannon Steif

ssteif@oneidanation.org

920-490-3818

Kip Miller

kmiller@oneidanation.org

920-490-3810

## Campground Cooking Classes Delicious Dessert Class!

You don't want to miss out on this special treat of a class! We are going to explore all the BEST dessert ideas while out camping that will stretch well beyond the traditional S'mores.

Date: June 19th Time: 5:00PM-6:30pm

—no cooking experience necessary—\$10 per person—



Contact to register: Shannon Steif (920) 490-3818 or ssteif@oneidanation.org

\*\*Cost includes all the food and instruction\*\*

Location: Behind Oneida Fitness Center (Ropes Course Area)



The Apostle Islands Are Calling YOU!

August 17-20 2012

Paddle crystal clear waters, explore sea caves, hike an island forest by wood plank trails, explore historic Island lighthouses, and enjoying camp meals by fire. Discover the adventure and tranquility that the Apostle's can provide under the instruction and guidance of our staff.

\*Cost: \$200

\*Beginners require successful completion of Introduction to Sea kayak class.\*

\*Cost includes pre-trip planning night (required attendance for training), camp fee, guide, kayak, paddling gear, and camp meals. Additional gear may be available. Open to adults (age 15 with parent.)

Contact:  
Oneida Adventures  
for  
registration/  
questions:

Mark- (920)490-3846

msteinba@oneidanation.org

## Future stars take to the diamonds of Oneida



Kali photo/Nate Wisneski

Cardinal pitcher JD Johnson delivers a pitch during Little League action Tuesday, June 12 at the Site I ball diamond. League games are on Tuesdays and Thursdays throughout the summer.

## Becker Recognized as U.S. Kids Golf Certified Instructor

ATLANTA ~ Mark Becker of Green Bay, WI, has earned the title of Certified Instructor, as announced by U.S. Kids Golf.

Becker has been a junior golf instructor for 16 years and is currently The PGA Director of Golf at Thornberry Creek at Oneida, where he has been for eight years. "Watching kids grow up learning the game, to appreciate the game and learn life lessons along the way, is amazing," Becker said, "I am very happy and fortunate to have the privilege to share this game with them." A U.S. Kids Golf Certified Instructor has received extensive training in teaching golf to kids ages 12 and under. Each instructor will provide a high-quality and fun experience that features game-based learning methods and a willingness to engage parents.

"Parents of young golfers can expect that a Certified Instructor will bring great enthusiasm to instruction," said Dan Van Horn, President/CEO of U.S. Kids Golf. "They understand that kids learn best while having fun." The Certified Instructor program was



Kali file photo

Mark Becker gives tips to a young golfer.

launched in March of 2012 with seminars in Atlanta, Chicago, Dallas, Denver, Los Angeles and Philadelphia. There were 170 PGA and LPGA members who participated in the seminars.

### About U.S. Kids Golf

U.S. Kids Golf, LLC is based in Atlanta, Ga., and manufactures equipment and related golf products made especially for kids. In addition to more than 4,000 golf shops and retail locations in the U.S., the company's products also are available in over 75 countries worldwide.

The U.S. Kids Golf Foundation, a Georgia non-profit recognized as a 501(c)(3) charity, was created in 2001 and provides services that include competition and instruction.

Foundation organizes more than 600 golf tournaments for kids each year, including Local Tours in more than 40 cities, ten Qualifiers across the nation, six Regional Championships, a European Championship and the U.S. Kids Golf World Championship and Teen World Championship, which are held each year in Pinehurst, N.C.

In partnership with the PGA of America, the Foundation also supports the U.S. Kids Golf Family Course program, which provides guidelines that help courses make the game easier to learn and more fun for kids and their families.

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## Notre Dame High School wins lacrosse championship



Photo courtesy of Jennifer Hargrove

Notre Dame High School Boys Lacrosse team won the 2012 Wisconsin High School Division 2 State Championship defeating Sauk Prairie with a score of 12 to 8 at Perkins Stadium in Whitewater, Wisc. on Saturday, June 9.

From left to right: Dustin Skenandore, Cayman Berg and Little Wind Silas are Oneidas who played on the championship team. Silas scored two goals in the game. Little Wind's younger brother Carlos, front center, assisted the team.

### Oneida Dental Clinic Provided Clinic for Elders who are Oneida Community Health Center Patients [by Appointment](#)

#### Elder Dental Cleaning Clinic: Call 869-2711 & ask for Dental

\*Every Wednesday from 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

\*Held at Elder Services Building by the Dental Department Staff

### Public Health Clinics are available to Oneida Community Health Center Patients [by Appointment](#)

#### Immunization Clinics: Call 869-4840

\*Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month from 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

\*Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month from 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

\*Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month from 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM

\*Held at the Oneida Community Health Center by the Community Health Nursing Staff

#### Elder Foot Clinics: Call 869-4840

\*Every 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

\*Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month from 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

\*Held at the Oneida Elder Services Building by the Community Health Nursing Staff

## Change in Annual Oneida Parade Route

The route for the Annual Parade through Oneida changed in 2011 due to road construction. The **NEW** Parade route is permanent and will begin at Path of the Wolf and continue down Old Seymour Road to Seminary Road.

**Mark your Calendars!!**

**Saturday, June 30, 2012 • 10:30AM**

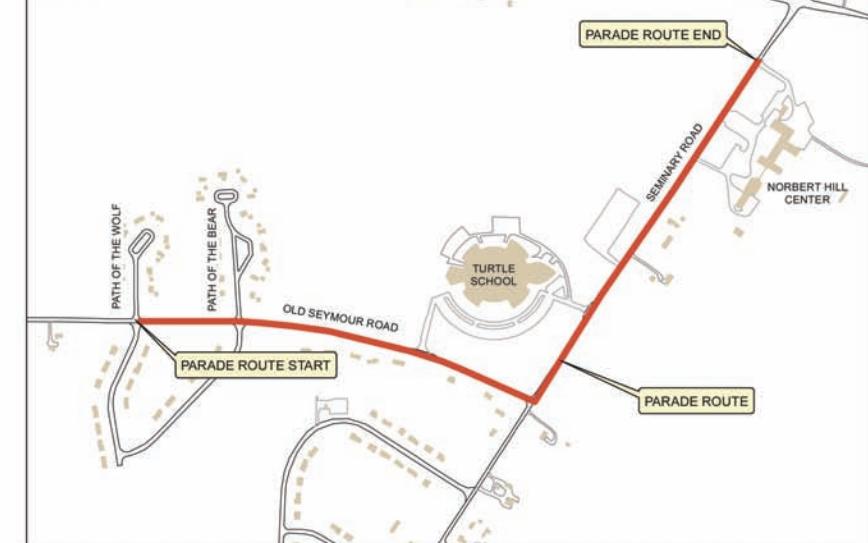
The **DEADLINE** for entries is...

**Friday, June 15, 2012 @ 4:30PM – NO EXCEPTIONS**

*Two Themes to choose from: (Choose one or both)*

**Star Wars & Walt Disney**

FMI, call: Tonya Webster, 920.496.5311 or Terese, 920.412.3289



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