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# Construction, roundabouts greet powwow traffic

By Nate Wisneski

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The road to the 40th annual Oneida Powwow may be highlighted by orange cones and heavy construction equipment. Travelers from all directions will encounter construction activity as major roads such as Highway 29 and 41 are undergoing work. Drivers utilizing I-43 will encounter roadwork on the Leo Frigo Bridge east of Oneida. Drivers

entering the area using Highway 29 will see numerous shoulder and lane closures west and eastbound. Travelers using Highway 41 will encounter construction on 14 miles of the highway in Brown County with the exit to Highway 54 being closed. The biggest wrench for powwow travelers may be work being done on Highway 54 in Oneida. The installation of a new bridge over Duck Creek, wider lanes along with roundabouts has caused traffic delays in the Oneida area. The stoplights at the intersec-

tion of Seminary Road and Highway 54 have been removed and replaced with a four-way stop. The north leg of Seminary road will be closed until mid-September. During the work Highway 54 will remain open until completion in November. With construction work comes the need for driver patience. "First of all slow down," said Wisconsin Department of Transportation



Kali photo/Nate Wisneski

The Oneida Police Department will direct traffic during peak times at the intersection of Hwy. 54 and Seminary Road during the powwow.

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The Oneida Nation Museum held a Meet the Artist event.



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# Getting ready for the 40th Annual Oneida Powwow



Kali photo/Dawn Walschinski

Department of Public Works employees updated the electrical boxes while others set up tents for the 40th Annual Oneida Powwow.

By Dawn Walschinski

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Preparations are underway for the 40th annual Oneida Powwow being held Friday, June 29 to Sunday, July 1. Oneida Department of Public Works employees were out updating the electrical boxes while other workers set up shade tents around the dance grounds behind the Norbert Hill Center (NHC). According to Pow Wow Committee Vice-Chairwoman Tonya Webster, there will be some new items like a

southern style dance category for adults and a father-daughter special, along with a lot of old favorites. "It's still the same concept, it's just gotten bigger over the years," she said. Before the powwow, the Woodland Indians Art Show will be at 5:00pm in the NHC. Li' Miss Oneida will be selected at a pageant starting at 5:30pm on the dance grounds. Grand Entry begins at 7:00pm. See page 9B for more Oneida Cultural events.

# Tribes start receiving settlement money

HELENA, Mont. (AP) – Some Indian tribes have started receiving their shares of a \$1 billion settlement with the U.S. government over mismanagement of their money and trust lands, while others are waiting and remain undecided on what to do with their windfall. The agreement between the government and 44 tribes across the nation was announced in March to settle claims of money lost in mismanaged accounts and royalties from natural resource development. The tribes sued in an attempt to receive an

accounting of the Interior Department's management of the trust funds and to learn how much had been lost. Their claims dealt with tribal trust funds and not individual trust funds, which is addressed in the \$3.4 billion class-action settlement led by Elouise Cobell, the Blackfeet woman who died last year. Blackfeet chairman T.J. Show said that tribal leaders will soon distribute \$9 million of the \$19 million his tribe is due to receive. That's about \$550 per person, which Show said will help residents on a reservation

where the unemployment rate is between 70 and 80 percent. "I believe it will be an economic benefit to the tribal members to use as they see fit, whether it be for college kids going to school or parents just needing to feed their child," Show said. The other \$10 million has been earmarked for investment in projects such as a 90-room hotel to be built on the reservation, Show said. The Great Falls Tribune first reported the Blackfeet tribe's plans to disburse the settlement money. Wisconsin Tribes:

|                              |                  |                       |                    |
|------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Lac Courte Oreilles, WI      | – \$8 million    | Nez Perce, Idaho      | – \$33 million     |
| Lac du Flambeau, WI          | – \$5 million    | Mescalero, N.M.       | – \$32 million     |
| Bad River, WI                | – \$3 million    | Makah, Wash.          | – \$25 million     |
| <b>Other Tribes:</b>         |                  | Tohono O'odham, Ariz. | – \$23 million     |
| Colville, WA                 | – \$193 million  | Blackfeet, Mont.      | – \$19 million     |
| Salish and Kootenai, Mont.   | – \$150 million  | Coeur d'Alene, Idaho  | – \$18 million     |
| Northern Ute, Utah           | – \$125 million  | Spokane, Wash.        | – \$15 million     |
| Assiniboine and Sioux, Mont. | – \$75 million   | Zia, N.M.             | – \$12.123 million |
| Shoshone-Bannock, Idaho      | – \$60 million   | Passamaquoddy, Maine  | – \$12 million     |
| Northern Cheyenne, Mont.     | – \$50 million   | Siletz, Ore.          | – \$9.14 million   |
| Standing Rock Sioux, N.D.    | – \$48.9 million |                       |                    |
| Ute Mountain Ute, Colo.      | – \$42 million   |                       |                    |

• See 4A, Settlement

# Ganka says onaki?wah to Oneida Nation High School

By Dawn Walschinski

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Oneida Nation High School (ONHS) Principle Bob Ganka is retiring June 28 after eight-and-a-half years of heading the high school, making his time in office the longest of all the ONHS principles. Ganka stated his long tenure helped build trust with the students, staff and community.

"We needed structure, we needed organization, and stability and those are the things that I brought by the fact that I've been here for a while. There's been continuity, kids know what to expect," said Ganka. "I've seen a lot of change in our kids. I think we have a more clear understanding of what

our mission is. I built a sense of trust with the kids which seems to take a long time, and takes a long time to get a sense of trust with the adults in the community. Once they realize you're here and you do what you say and say what you do, then it seems to come together, but it takes some time to build that trust. I think our kids are more responsive now. I think our curriculum is better, I think our staff is better."

Ganka is proud of the reading program he implemented in response to test scores that indicated it was a problem area. "I just didn't think our



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Oneida Nation High School Principle Bob Ganka will retire at the end of June.

• See 2A, Ganka says onaki?wah

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## Community discussion meetings



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The Oneida Business Committee held community discussion meetings for the July 2 General Tribal Council meeting. Two meetings will be held Thursday, June 28: Norbert Hill Center, 10:00am to 12:00pm, and Social Services Community Room, 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Above: Brenda John-Stevens hands out information.

## From 1A/Construction

(WisDOT) Regional Communications Manager Kim Rudat. "Follow the signs, be alert and leave distance between you and the vehicle in front of you."

Increased traffic along with construction may lead to bottlenecks but the Oneida Police Department will be visible to ensure the safety of drivers.

"We will be patrolling all of the construction sites to ensure the safe travels of all. Parking will not be allowed in the construction zones," said OPD Police Chief Rich VanBoxtel. "We will be monitoring the traffic flow during the busy times and direct traffic as needed."

New roundabouts in the area have been completed and may be a new experience for some powwow goers. The

WisDOT offers roundabout navigation tips.

### Approach and entry

- Choose the proper lane for multi-lane approach roadways. Slow down and yield to pedestrians in the crosswalk.
- Look to the left. Traffic in the roundabout has the right of way.
- Approach the yield line and enter the roundabout when there is an adequate gap in the circulating traffic flow.
- If another car is waiting at the yield line ahead of you, do not stop in the crosswalk. Keep the crosswalk clear for pedestrians.
- Bicyclists are permitted to ride within the roundabout. Please share the road and do not pass a bicycle in the roundabout.

### Exiting the roundabout

- Once you have entered the roundabout, proceed counter-clockwise to your exit. You now have the right of way.
- As you approach your exit, turn on your right turn signal.
- Exit the roundabout, yielding to pedestrians in the crosswalk.

Above all, VanBoxtel recommends following traffic laws and take your time to ensure safe travel.

"Slow down and leave space between you and the vehicle in front of you. The roadways will not be ideal, but it will be open. With the large concentration of folks that are trying to get to the powwow grounds, the area will be congested and they are narrow. Use an alternate route if possible. Our main concern is the safety of our community," he said.

## From 1A/Ganka says onaki?wah

reading scores were where they should be. We had a lot of data, and we didn't really use the data that well. I think we're using the data now to drive the curriculum.

Our reading scores are going up, and it's just because we practice it, we've made it a point of emphasis," he said.

Ganka noted some contrasts within the school. He stated its weakness is that it's a small school, approximately 75 students, but its strength is it's a small

school where students can get individual attention. The Class of 2012 consisted of 19 seniors, yet nearly 400 people attended the graduation ceremony, a testament to the support Thunderhawks receive from the community. He advises the future principle to keep the community in mind when tackling issues.

"I think that's going to be important for the new person, whoever who he or she might be, is to listen to the needs of the

community and realize the role that the school plays within the community, and help the school to grow," he said.

Ganka said he enjoyed his time as principle and learning about Oneida culture and history.

"I'll miss the kids the most. That interaction with kids keeps you going. Some kids have a real difficult time; it's very rewarding to see a kid do something right because ... you helped him realize there's another way," he said.

### CLARIFICATION

In the story "Pending repairs force indefinite closing of Holy Apostles Church building" on the cover of the June 21 Kalihwisaks, it was reported that funding for the repairs would be through the Diocese in Fond du Lac. Rather, the funding for the repairs will be through the Davis Trust if approved by Bishop Jacobus in his capacity as Trustee. The Davis Trust was established from a bequest of J. Howard Davis and Mildred S. Davis on their deaths for use by the Church of the Holy Apostles for its ministry among the Oneida Tribe of Wisconsin. Information received was not clearly explained at press time. The Kalihwisaks apologizes for the inconvenience.

## Meet the Artist: Samuel Thomas



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Artist Samuel Thomas (center with blue shirt) talks with community members during the Oneida Nation Museum's Meet the Artist event on Friday, June 22. The free event featured bead work done by Thomas as he visited foreign countries for inspiration. The Power of Place - Strength of Being features numerous pieces that will travel to other museums across the country.

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### ENROLLMENT...Reminder

For members whose payment forms are received by

**Tuesday, September 4, 2012...**

Your FY-2012 Membership payment will be mailed:

**Friday, September 28, 2012**

If you have any concerns, please contact the Oneida

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## Passing On...

### Johnson Doxtater, Helen Katherine January 1, 1938 – June 26, 2012

Helen Katherine Johnson Doxtater, 74, of Clarksville, TN, died on Tuesday, June 26, 2012 at Gateway Medical Center. She was born on January 1, 1938 in Montgomery County, Tennessee to the late Onus Johnson and Ruby Atkins Johnson. She was also preceded in death by her former husband, Jack M. Farmer; daughter, Melody M. Poole; brother, Homer E. Johnson; two sisters, Mavis Merritt and Mildred Booth.



Providence United Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband, Ronald D. Doxtater of Clarksville, TN; three sons, Robert R. Poole, II (Diane) of Okemah, OK, Charles E. Poole (Leigh) of Clarksville, TN, and Dale Shelton (Mary) of Columbia, TN; two stepsons, Danny M. Doxtater and Ronald D. Doxtater, Jr. of Clarksville, TN; two daughters, Alaine Davis of Clarksville, TN and Debbie S. Walsh of Irmo, SC; two sisters, Peggy Johnson of Martinez, GA and Ora Mae Smalley of Harrisonville, PA; eighteen grandchildren; thirteen great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be held on Friday, June 29, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Neal-Tarpley-Parchman Chapel with Tom Lynch officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held on Thursday, June 28, 2012 from 4-7 p.m. and Friday, June 29, 2012 from 11 a.m. until the hour of service at the funeral home.

Helen was a devoted homemaker. She was a member of New Providence Church of Christ. She was a member of Skyline Senior Bowling League. She had been a den mother for the cub scouts. She was past girl scout troop leader at New

Family will serve as pallbearers. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the New Providence Church of Christ Building Fund, 421 Providence Boulevard, Clarksville, TN 37042. Arrangements entrusted to Neal-Tarpley-Parchman Funeral Home, 1510 Madison Street, Clarksville, TN 37040. Online condolences may be made at [www.neal-tarpley.com](http://www.neal-tarpley.com).

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

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Matt Cornelius recently became a partner and an owner of Lyndahl Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Green Bay.



Matt Cornelius

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### Morgan, Austin deceased June 16, 2012

Austin Morgan, formerly of Oneida passed away on June 16, 2012 in New York. He is the son of the late Perry and Theresa Morgan. He is survived by his siblings, Louie Brennan, Perry Lasee, Stacy Morgan, John Morgan, Travis Morgan, and Roland Morgan. Austin was preceded in death by his parents, and his daughter. Friends may have

called the RYAN FUNERAL HOME 305 N. Tenth Street in De Pere from 4 – 7pm Wednesday June 27, 2012. The Oneida Hymn Singers sang at 6:30pm to bring the evening to a close. Burial took place with his mother at the Oneida Methodist Cemetery. Please go to [www.ryanfh.com](http://www.ryanfh.com) to leave online condolences.

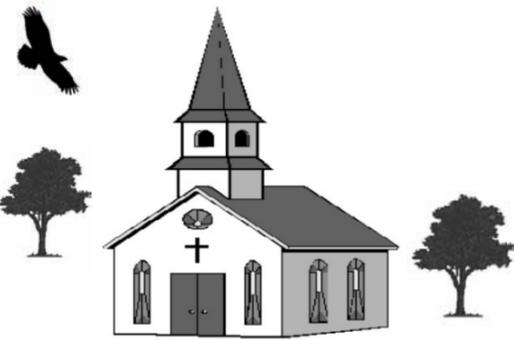
To view updated obituaries go to the *kalihwisaks* website

### Ecumenical Service

Norbert Hill Powwow Grounds,  
Under the Tent

July 1, 2012 • 8:00 AM

Oneida Indian Hymn Singers beginning at 7:30AM



Everyone is welcome to come and worship with Oneida area churches

- Oneida Assembly of God Church
- Holy Apostles Episcopal Church
- Oneida United Methodist Church
- DuPray Ministries, Inc
- Oneida Apostolic Church

(Bring your own lawn chairs if you are able)

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#### 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: Friday, July 27, 4:30pm

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### 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 September 5, 2012 thru March 1, 2013 will be mailed out March 29, 2013

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

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

If you have any concerns, please contact the Oneida Enrollment Department at:  
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## Loretta Says... Things My Dad Taught Me

Loretta Metoxen • Oneida Tribal Historian

Ongoing Kalihwisaks Column • Providing a connection to the past

and was always jumpy and ready to run when surprised by loud engines and machinery. I first drove this team when hitched to a wagon to load hay. At first, we loaded loose hay with three-tine forks. Later, we put the hay in windrows with a dump rake (also pulled by the horses) and picked up the row with a hay loader hitched to the hay wagon. This team pulled every kind of machinery: plows, spring-tooth, riding cultivator, mower, and grain and corn binders. They also pulled the heavy duty rope on a series of blocks and tackles hitched to the hay fork to lift the hay from the loaded wagon to the track in the hay loft where the hay was dropped with a smaller trip rope. I drove this team for every kind of work. My hands and fingers were always calloused.

Machinery always needed to be fixed. The mower and grain binder had sickle bars on them with individual blades affixed along the length of the bar. When the blades were broken or worn out, they needed to be replaced. They were held in place with two rivets. The rivets had to be punched out. A new blade was riveted in its place by pounding the rivets sufficiently flat to avoid hitting the guard teeth. The sickles were powered by a pitman rod when the machine was pulled forward. The mower sickle could be taken out of gear when not cutting hay. Sometimes the pitman rod broke and had to be replaced. The binder had canvases attached to long thin wooden slats. The slats often came off and

the canvas wore out with use. There is a knotter on the grain binder that ties a knot in the binder twine to secure each bundle of grain. Again wear and tear on the knotter meant getting a new piece.

Teeth on the spring-tooth, cultivators and riding cultivator became round with use instead of sharp and pointed to do a good job. The teeth on the riding cultivator were affixed by two bolts, which when removed, allowed the teeth to be turned upside down, so the reverse sharp points would be utilized. When they, too, wore down, they were taken off the machine, fired up in the small forge we had, and pounded on the anvil into a point again. This could occur just so many times and then it was time to buy new teeth.

Dad sent me down to a lower corn field near Duck Creek on the Nick Bronz farm (later belonging to the Tony Van Schyndel family). The corn was tall and heavy and the chain links that fed the cut corn out kept breaking. There is a small tool box on the reach with a few tools and some extra links in it. I had to unhitch the horses a few times so I could replace broken links. The replacements had to be pounded into place.

Every machine required complete oiling and greasing before starting out for the field. Oil was administered on various moving parts with an oil squirt can. Grease was taken out of the container with a wooden stick or paddle and put into the grease cups. Lubrication is key when operating machinery, especially in hot dry weather and when sand and dirt could get into the

bearings or gears. Of course, doing this allowed the machinery to run easier and prevented unnecessary wear.

Dad knew how to splice rope to make a longer rope or to put pieces of rope back together. He couldn't manage the procedure, but he could show me how to do it. He also showed me how to tie a simple square knot, double bolands and many others. Horse harnesses are made of thick leather. They can be fancy with brass fittings and hames and ivory rings for the reins or they could be quite plain. Either way straps or reins may break. Then they were often riveted together with a hollow rivet put in a device with a handle to mash the rivet so it split in all directions after it went through two layers of harness. The black rivets came in two sizes: short and long. (More to come)

Note: Some of the words I used in this column are not in the dictionary, such as knotter and double bolands, but they were quite common when I was growing up, so I used them. Also, on occasion, I feel like I'm writing a manual for the Amish Community. They may not appreciate my reference to them, but I admire their way of life, especially their very good food.

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.



I am the oldest of six siblings. Sister Shirley is next and two years younger. Then, in order, are Kenneth, Patricia, Jerry and Linda. Dad lost his right arm at Hobergs Paper Mill on May 13, 1941. He was hospitalized for a month. On my ninth birthday, June 8, I went to St. Vincent's Hospital to visit him. The farm, machinery and animals were purchased with his settlement money from the Wisconsin Industrial Commission.

One of the first things I learned to do was milk cows. This is a chore needing to be done every day of the year, once in the early morning, and again before supper time in the evening. In order for the cows to be contented and produce the maximum amount of milk, they need to be provided with hay, grain and silage and have access to plenty of water at all times. We did not have electricity, so we had to pump the water by hand and haul it to the barn from the pump shed. The process was to place a wash tub between two cows and fill it with buckets of water. When they drank as much as they wanted, we dragged the tub in the manger over to the next two cows.

Dad purchased a big team of dapple gray horses called Cap (for Captain) and Colonel. They weighed 2200 pounds each (a long ton). Cap was gentle and easy going. Colonel was a little high strung. They were involved in an accident in front of a freight train when first acquired. Colonel never forgot that

## From 1A/ Settlement: List of tribes

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| Round Valley, CA<br>- \$8 million                | Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.<br>- \$215,000 |
| Chippewa Cree, Mont.<br>- \$8 million            | Summit Lake Paiute, Nev.<br>- \$75,000 |
| Tule River, CA<br>- \$7 million                  | Te-Moak, Nev.<br>- \$50,000            |
| Spirit Lake, N.D.<br>- \$6 million               | Nooksack, Wash.<br>- \$25,000          |
| Hualapai, Ariz.<br>- \$6 million                 |  |
| Tulalip, WA - \$4 million                        |  |
| Pawnee, OK - \$4 million                         |  |
| Salt River Pima/Maricopa, Ariz.<br>- \$4 million |  |
| Leech Lake, MN<br>- \$3 million                  |  |
| Quechan Ariz., Calif.<br>- \$3 million           |  |
| Soboba, CA - \$3 million                         |  |
| Minnesota Chippewa, MN - \$1.99 million          |  |
| Bois Forte, Minn.<br>- \$1 million               |  |
| Swinomish, Wash.<br>- \$1 million                |  |
| Rincon, CA - \$1 million                         |  |
| Kaibab, AZ - \$1 million                         |  |
| Kickapoo, Okla.<br>- \$700,000                   |  |
| Santee Sioux, Neb.<br>- \$675,000                |  |
| Cachil Dehe, Calif.<br>- \$650,000               |  |

Source: Department of Interior

Chris J. Cornelius

Appeals Commission



Experience: 20+ yrs working with Oneida Tribal Laws, Ordinances, Standard Operating Procedures & Policies; Judge Advocate-VFW; Hearing Officer - Environmental Resource Board 2007-present; US Congressional Aide; experience in US Federal, State, and Local court systems in criminal and civil cases.

Vote Saturday JULY 7th 7 am - 7 pm Oneida Health

### Department of Health Services

## Tribal Affairs Office

The Tribal Affairs Office within the Department of Health Services (DHS) is recruiting for a Social Services Supervisor/Tribal Affairs Director. The position reports directly to the Communications Director who reports to the DHS Secretary.

**This position is responsible for...**

- The planning, policy development, administration, and coordination of programs for Wisconsin American Indians;
- Provides and directs administrative, fiscal and program supervision to the tribal governments/Indian organizations with whom the Department contracts;
- Supervises and directs the contracting of payments and administers the Department of Health Services State/Tribe Consolidated Contracts.

For additional information and to apply for this position, please go to our website at:

[http://wisc.jobs/public/job\\_view.asp?annoid=59506&jobid=59021&index=true](http://wisc.jobs/public/job_view.asp?annoid=59506&jobid=59021&index=true)



## Calendar

2012

June 28

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

**WHEN:** Thursday, June 28  
**TIME:** 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 30

**WIVA Breakfast Fundraiser**

**WHEN:** Saturday, June 30  
**TIME:** 7:00AM - 11:00AM  
**PLACE:** 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 30

**Annual Oneida Parade**

**WHEN:** Saturday, June 30, 2012  
**TIME:** 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

July 1

**Ecumenical Services at Oneida Powwow**

**WHEN:** July 1, 2012  
**PLACE:** Norbert Hill Center Tent  
**TIME:** 8:00AM,

Everyone is welcome to come and worship with Oneida area churches. Oneida Indian Hymn Singers beginning at 7:30 am. Please bring your own lawn chairs if you're able.

July 11

**JMIO Summer Walk**

**WHEN:** Wednesday, July 11  
**TIME:** 4:30PM - 6:45PM  
**PLACE:** Oneida Family Fitness

4:30pm Registration Begins, 4:30-6:30pm Family Water Games - Please wear appropriate attire & come prepared to get wet if you want to participate in the water games. 4:30-6:30pm Kids Games & Activities 5:00pm Snack 5:00-5:45pm Lively Low Impact Class 5:15-6:00pm Group Personal Training Class 6:15-6:45pm Spin Class For more information call Oneida Family Fitness **920-490-3730**.

July 16 - 18

**"Adventures on Promise Island" Kidz Show**

**WHEN:** Monday, July 16, 2012 -  
Wednesday, July 18, 2012  
**TIME:** 6:30PM - 8:00PM

**PLACE:** Woodland Worship Center, 760 Airport Drive, Hobart  
Free admission for ages 6-12 to our VBS alternative. Three nights of action packed fun, lively music, character skits, and nightly prizes, as well as a dynamic message each evening. Register online at [woodlandworship.com](http://woodlandworship.com), under Events tab. For more info call 920-869-9663.

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

Fridays

**Wise Youth Group**

**WHEN:** Fridays  
**TIME:** 3:30PM - 5:30PM  
**PLACE:** Three Sisters Center

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

To include events in this section please call the **Kalihwisaks**

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

Announcements must have a contact phone # that can be published to be included in this section.

Send your email to: **kalihwisaks@oneidation.org**



## Oneida Tribal Judicial System

# Newly Elected Oneida Judicial Officers

**By Janice L. McLester**

Chief Judicial Officer, Oneida Tribal Judicial System

The purpose of this article is to answer questions individuals may have in regard to their role as a Judicial Officer and the time commitments required within this position. This information is intended to provide a good understanding of the position's expectations.

Prior to being elected, a background check will be completed. As a member of the judiciary, you cannot have been convicted of a felony, nor

been removed from any tribal board, committee or commission. Once you are elected to the position you can no longer sit on any tribal board, committee or commission. This rule is in place to minimize conflicts of interests. Many of the cases filed at the judiciary involve decisions made within the tribe's system. Being on a board, committee or commission outside the Oneida Tribe is acceptable, however requires disclosure to the Oneida Tribal Judicial System.

There are eleven (11) Judicial Officers. Elections are staggered, with eight (8) Judicial Officers having four (4) year terms and three (3) Judicial Officers three (3) year terms. The July 7,

2012 election will be for three (3) seats on the Judiciary with three (3) year terms. The remaining eight (8) Judicial Officer positions will not be up for election until 2015.

### Will I be a full-time or part-time Judicial Officer?

The three seats of the July 7, 2012 election are for part-time positions.

### Will I receive any training on the Judiciary prior to sitting on any cases?

The judicial system has a guiding document that sets forth its training expectations for its Judicial Officers. Judicial Officers must attend training as outlined in Oneida Tribal

Judicial System's Comprehensive Training Plan. Some of the training offered will be conducted at the National Judicial College in Reno, NV with courses ranging from one (1) week to two (2) weeks. Two (2) week courses run continuously. The National Judicial College is an internationally recognized college in training judges and other court personnel. *Note: You will be required to utilize your personal or vacation time if you are a tribal employee.*

Required training consists of Jurisdiction, Essential Skills for Judges, Administrative Law, Federal Indian Law, Conducting the Trial, Rules of Evidence and Decision Writing.

Other training presenters such as Falmouth Institute, National Indian Justice Center, Wisconsin's Judicial College and Wisconsin Tribal Judges Association, provide excellent training opportunities.

### Which part of the Judiciary will I be on Trial or Appellate?

Newly elected Judicial Officers will begin their term serving on the Trial Court. This is done to familiarize the Judicial Officer with the operation of the court setting. As part of the training, you will have an opportunity to audit trial court proceedings and learn the administrative functions of the clerk of courts.

### What time commitments are required?

Trials/hearings are held on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, with the majority being held on Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning at 9:00A.M. and continue throughout the day, with the last scheduled trial at 3:00P.M. Judicial Officers are required to be in deliberation prior to the trial/hearing beginning at 8:00A.M.

Oneida Tribal employees are required to obtain prior approval from their supervisors for any time away from your regular positions within the tribe in order to sit on a judiciary panel during regular work hours in order to fulfill judicial responsibilities.

# Twahwahtsi·láya program continues to move forward in second year

Twahwahtsi·láya (Dwah wah jee lie) - We All Are Family

A project developed for

the Re-vitalization of Tsi'nyukwaliho'tá (Geet ne yoo gwa le ho da) - all of our ways - through

the 'Renewal of Family Titles and Ties'.

Twahwahtsi·láya is moving ahead we are now half way through the second year.

### Special Yawá'kó to:

- **Ron Hill** - Ron has been assisting in the development, implementation, and maintenance of the Project for over nine years and is now a member of the Project Council.
- **Lyle Metoxen** - Lyle has been part of the development, implementation, and maintenance of the Project for over nine years and is now a member of the Project Council.
- **Chaz Wheelock** - Chaz has been offer input and suggestion to the Project for approximately four years and is now a member of the Project Council.
- **Vicki Matson** - Vicki has been part of the Project's development, implementation and maintenance for over three years. Vicki is currently a member of the Project Council.
- **Greg Matson** - Greg, has been part of the Project's development, implementation and maintenance for over three years. Greg is currently a member of the Project Council.

• **Joyce Skenandore** - Joyce has been part of the Project and the process for approximately over three years and is now a member of our council.

• **Tracy Metoxen** - Tracy has been part of the Project and the process for approximately over three years and is now a member of our council.

• **Lori Eiting** - Lori has been part of the Project and the process for approximately over three years and is now a member of our council.

• **Nicholas Reynolds** - Nic has been assisting the Program and is currently a Project Council Member.

• **Michelle Jordon** - Michelle has been part of the Project development, implementation and maintenance of over four years.

• **Justine Souto** - Justine has supported and promoted our efforts over the past six years and was instrumental in the most recent training.

• **Marj Stevens** - Marj a current member of the Project Council.

• **Elijah Metoxen** - Eli is a current member of the Project Council

Yethiya>tan&nha (We are watching over them) part of the Twahwahtsi·láya Project it is a program for youth who need a different way and/or extra support for a time.

The Yethiya>tan&nha Program acknowledges those who have helped make a program happen.

We have just recently seen the end of another school year and have begun our summer schedule for Yethiya>tan&nha. As we move forward we wish to take the time to thank all or those who have helped us. These will include, but, are not limited to:

- **Randy Cornelius** - Yawá'kó - This is the second year Randy has assisted in the education of the youth in regard to the Oneida Culture. The youth met with Randy every other week.
- **Nicholas Reynolds** - Yawá'kó - Nic has been teaching the youth

about their Oneida

History and taking them to location throughout the area where history happened. The youth meet with Nic every other week. Over the summer they are working on a traditional garden with Nic and Randy.

• **Kimberly Pelke** - Yawá'kó - Kimberly meets with the youth weekly to introduce them to Native Author, keep them up to date on current events, lead discussion group and document their activities. Kimberly is continuing to meet with the youth over the summer.

• **Laurie Becker** - Yawá'kó - This is the second year Laurie and the staff of Prevention have assist the youth of the program. Last year they worked on character building this year they worked on 'Corrective Thinking'.

• **Norbert Hill** - Yawá'kó - Norbert and (Connie, Dorothy, Doug and Jerry) - Over the last two years the youth attending Yethiya>tan&nha have built credits through the use of material from the Oneida Community Education Center year round.

• **Leander Danforth, Tracy Williams and Curtis Summer** - Yawá'kó - This trio (with Curtis being the primary teacher) is helping the youth learn the Oneida Language. The youth meet at the Oneida Language House once a week and are continuing to do so over the summer.

• **JoAnn Ninham** - Yawá'kó - JoAnn has been and continues to be a great support to the Yethiya>tan&nha program in many ways. One way JoAnn supports the program is by allow us to use the Youth Educational Services (YES) Conference room daily.

• **Elijah Metoxen** - Yawá'kó - Eli was with the youth twice a week during the school year and continues once a week over the summer. His assist the youth with their personal exercise

program.

• **Sonny Hill** - Yawá'kó - Sonny has been willing to assist with teaching the youth as needed. He is now teaching the staff of Yethiya>tan&nha about the Haudenosaunee Culture and Ways. The staff meets with Sonny once a week.

### Yawá'kó staff:

• **Candy Clark-Durphey** - Yawá'kó - Candy a Student Intern who has been with Yethiya>tan&nha since October of 2011. Candy has gone above and beyond to assist the youth and the program. When we lost our first case manager Candy stepped up and took on greater responsibility. Candy has a strong understanding of youth and a heart for the community. She is a creative thinker, an excellent team member and detail oriented. She is a great asset to the program.

• **Crystal Skenandore** - Yawá'kó - Crystal, the second Student Intern, began with the program in January of this year. She has taken on the data entry for the program; while assisting with the youth when needed. Crystal is timely and accurate. She is always willing to learn and take a risk.

• **Sarah Wunderlich** - Yawá'kó - Sarah is the newest employee and just completed her first 90day with the program. Sarah is a certified teacher and is quickly learning about interventions and case planning.

Sashakotinkuhlaslunih e (Those who gather around to readdress their minds)

Yawá'kó to all of the Sashakotinkuhlaslunih volunteers and everyone else who has supported and help birth this Projects and its' program.

As always if you have any question or wish to contribute in anyway (ideas, time, understandings ...). Please call Alex @ 490-3774 or 370-5084.



**Shannon Hill**  
for **GAMING COMMISSION**

**Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin Indian Gaming and Tribal Government**

*Experience: October 1988 -2012*

- **Gaming:** Regulatory Compliance Audits, enforce and monitor, Tribal Gaming Compact requirements, knowledge of NIGC,IGRA, e-CFR. Front line Tribal Employee-Gaming Compliance Manager/ Investigator, Bingo, Slots, Table Games, Cage/Vault Accounting.
- **Tribal Government:** Responsible to: Enforce Laws/Bylaws of the Oneida Nation ensure and enforce Tribal / Employment Laws/By-laws, Accountability, fairness, equity, and the utmost due process to all employees and all potential employees of the Oneida Nation.

**Qualifications:**  
Education: Post-Secondary 2011-Spring 2013  
2012 - Graduate 2013: Masters of Management Degree Organizational Behavior  
2008 - Graduate: Bachelor of Arts Degree- Business Management  
2007 - Graduate: Associates of Arts Degree- Liberal Arts/Social Sciences  
**Specialized Training:** Gaming Laboratory International - Regulator Basic Training that pertains to Gaming Technology in the 21st century.G2S Certified Engineer Gaming Technology.

**Goals during my term:**

1. **Accountability:** I will implement regulatory audits and observation of the gaming floor by the OGC on a daily, weekly, monthly, and yearly basis to insure strict accountability of Tribal gaming assets for accurate reporting and accountability of revenue of all slot machines. Also call for a complete detailed audit and investigation on the Bally's system and report the findings.  
*Go here: <http://ballytech.com/press-room/print-press-release/2009/06/03/oneida-nation-of-wisconsin-to-replace-current-casi-694.html>*
2. **Protect Tribal Assets to include our employees:** I will strictly monitor all activities related to the revoked software in our jurisdiction, down machines and out of service machines to include the justification of the slot machine in the warehouse, sales, purchase, and lease agreement of slot machines, and back of the house gaming systems in view of accounting practices.
3. **Protect Tribal Assets:** I will strictly monitor all gaming related contract to include the Bally contract as well as all other contracts for the current Oneida Gaming Commission and call for and report audits as needed.
4. **Address Employees issues:** I will take all employee's regulatory issues and concerns seriously, do a complete investigation, and resolve them.

<http://www.facebook.com/shannon.hill.3762?sk=wall>

**Tekityohkwatye·láhtu**  
"I Put The People First"  
**All aspects, All decisions, Always**

**Elect**

*Your Vote is Sincerely Appreciated!"*

# Karen COFFEY

**Oneida Nation Commission On Aging (ONCOA)**

**Boards/Commissions/Committees Experience:**

- Currently... Oneida Community Library Board, Oneida Nation Election Board (*recused now because of running for ONCOA*), Equitable Reserve Association Board
- Past... Oneida Nation Audit Committee, Faith in Action Board, Northeast Wisconsin Diabetes Association
- VFW Ladies Auxillary Member
- Job experience in the nursing care field.
- Cared for Parents



**Family**  
Parents...  
**Edward and Leona (Huff) Collar**  
Grandparents...  
**Anna (Melchert) and Mc Carty Huff**

Authorized and paid for by Karen Coffey

## OBC Forum...

This month has been busy as we continue to wrestle with the fact that we are still working on balancing the budget for the next fiscal year. A large multi-million dollar shortage is forecasted which at one point was in excess of \$24 million dollars.

We need to think about some of the economic pressures which are wearing us down. There are some heavy issues here, from over-staffing to the continued need for us to seek out ways to grow top-end revenues. To this end, I have begun work on a comprehensive report to the Oneida Business Committee (OBC) which is associated with my assigned duties on economic diversification, commerce code designs and regulatory promulgations matters. Last week, I reached out to the tribal financial staff and the OBC to seek some input

and assistance from these collective areas for inclusion in the report.

In the report as I move forward, I will necessarily note some very honest points. I will note how we are off track economically and how we need to re-shuffle the deck.

In the balance of this article are some excerpts from a memo I released on June 18, 2012. My memo was designed to elicit feedback from financial staff and the OBC as I begin some of my work around commerce and economic diversification:

As you're all aware, we previously enjoyed record double-digit economic growth from 1998 through 2007; today we are in a very sluggish economic environment. At risk is our long term financial health as a tribe, we need solutions now!

In my report, it will be

important to note, Oneida finds itself in a very tough economic position and I want to spell out some of these perspectives and highlight prime examples.

Some of the areas where I would like your intellectual assistance and technical feedback for the report are as follows:

- 1) Current economic conditions.
- 2) Breaking point. At what point will we collapse financially if we continue to make no changes? For example, what is the actual number of employees the Tribe is recommended to have on its payroll? I



Vince DeLaRosa  
Councilman

understand this number was projected at approximately 2,500 a few years ago.

- 3) Past economic failures.
  - a) How do we prevent past economic failures from occurring again in the future?
  - b) Is there a better model to consider as we move forward?
- 4) Explanation for the need to grow top end revenues.
- 5) Budget deficits. Budget deficits create an environment where all we can do is barely survive by just making the grade.

We have been operating under massive budget deficits for several years. This is not a good path and I am requesting we spell out in more detail the harm of operating under looming and yearly budget deficits.

- 6) A new model for public / private partnerships.
- 7) Commerce ideas or concepts which should be considered.
- 8) Economic growth and long-term sustainability. How are things so different here in terms of governmental economic growth and long-term sustainability?
- 9) Government businesses.
- 10) Budget Management Act. I am working on a Budget

Management Act and am requesting feedback on the components you feel should be covered. What are some of the ideas and concepts you envision in this type of legislation to streamline our budget processes?

I would note, I have a training and housing development program which I want to bring forward in the next few weeks. I am hoping that we can merge this program with NWTC credit programs. I will release this suggested program in late July of this year.

Thanks for your attention to this report. If you have any question, please feel free to contact my office at 920-869-4426.

Respectively,  
Vince DeLaRosa

## Letters & Opinions...

### Raising the standard of ethics and morale

Although I am not aboriginal to this community, it is to my inclination that all individuals, tribal members in particular be up held of their integrity. I am truly honored to be a member of this "great nation", that is "The People of Standing Stone", I see a need for improvement and the time has beckoned. I have always sought to "pay tribute to my nation through hard work and dedication", however, it seems many are still quite inept. I have always been adamantly striven to promote cohesiveness, combat dissonance, while exemplifying the positions I have held. The question I have consistently asked is "why are the ethics and morale so desolate?"

During my tenure at the "Oneida Casino", I have been subject to vast mutiny, examples include: workplace hostility, harassment, and intimidation. Most imperatively, circumvention has become quite rampant, this can be eradicated through ample facets of communication. It seems everyone is off on a tangent, which attributes to greater ambiguity, thus impacting productivity, as well as efficiency. If no affirmative is taken, the rights of many employees will continue to be infringed upon. How ironic that we have a credo of ethics

which is to do the right thing for the right reasons. This is all futile if fallen on deaf ears, such as the case for those of whom are wrongfully terminated.

For years I have surmised, commensurate wages, benefits would suffice however the morale and ethics, not just in gaming but tribal wide are need of bolstering, and obligation I will always strive ascertain as a member of this great nation! This can only be feasible if we allow those tact and prudence to thrive, hence exuberance should permeate! Embrace diversity!

I wish to be employed nowhere other than for "People of the Standing Stone", if afforded the

opportunity, we can all ascend to new plateaus! For my life encompasses not only me but also society in general.

Conclusively, I am asking for an apology from personnel at the Main Casino in the Vault third shift, for if they had humbled themselves, allowed me to exemplify my position, had faith in my work, it would have been a winning experience for everyone. I would also like to say hello and I love you to four of the most extraordinary individuals I have ever known, that being a beautiful young lady and her three boys. All gaming employees will always be like family!

Thomas Espinosa



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E-mail your letters to: [dwalschi@oneidanation.org](mailto:dwalschi@oneidanation.org)

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- VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE • COMMITTEE CHAIRED BY BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS REPRESENTATIVE • RESPONSIBLE TO REPRESENT TRIBE • RESPONSIBLE TO CONDUCT FEDERAL SECRETARIAL ELECTION • RESPONSIBLE TO WORK COOPERATIVELY WITH OTHER SELECTED REPRESENTATIVES

**Application Deadline: Friday, July 20, 2012**

Applications available by calling 920-869-4364 or online at <https://oneida-nsn.gov/Government/Forms.aspx> (Board, Committee or Commission Application Item)

Submit by: Mail: P.O. Box 365, Oneida WI 54155  
Email: [TribalSecretary@oneidanation.org](mailto:TribalSecretary@oneidanation.org)  
In Person: Norbert Hill Center, Room 284

Visit the updated Oneida  
Government website at

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

## Oneida Business Committee Meetings

Wednesday, July 11, 9:00 am  
Wednesday, July 25, 9:00 am  
Wednesday, August 8, 9:00 am  
Wednesday, August 22, 9:00 am

Norbert Hill Center

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

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

View scheduled Community Events, Business Committee Meetings, Markets, and other activities scheduled on the Oneida Reservation.

**Submit your community event today**

**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 OF INDIANS OF WISCONSIN**  
**2012 SPECIAL ELECTION BALLOT**  
**JULY 7, 2012**

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

**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:

- Placement of campaign signs:
  - Campaign signs shall not be posted or erected on any Tribal property except for private property with the owner/tenant's consent.
  - 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.
  - No campaign signs shall project beyond the property line into the public right of way.
- Removal of campaign signs. All campaign signs shall be removed within five (5) business days after an election.
- 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.
- Enforcement. The zoning Administrator shall cause to be removed any campaign signs that are in compliance with this law, in accordance with the Zoning and Shoreland Protection Law.
- 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](mailto:vcornel3@oneidanation.org) or Lori Elm, Secretary – telephone **920 869-1690 ext. 1807** or e-mail [Lelm@oneidanation.org](mailto:Lelm@oneidanation.org).

# 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**

- Oneida Veterans Color Guard posting of the colors
- Opening and announcements
- Call the meeting to order
- Adopt the agenda
- Approve GTC meeting minutes
  - July 4, 2011 semi-annual meeting
  - Nov. 21, 2011 special meeting petition
  - Nov. 28, 2011 FY2012 budget meeting
  - Jan. 2, 2012 annual meeting
- Tribal Treasurer's FY2012 semi-annual report
- Oneida 2012 semi-annual report
- Unfinished business
  - 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 Zhuckkahosee. Motion approved with a show of hands.*
  - 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.*
- New business
  - 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?
  - 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?
  - 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:

- You must be in line to register for the meeting no later than 15 minutes after the start of the meeting
- You must sign out after the meeting adjourns
- 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)

## Emergency cooling shelter



Kali photo/Nate Wisneski

A recent heat wave has opened the doors of the Oneida VFW as an emergency cooling shelter for community members needing a break from the heat.

**By Nate Wisneski**

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With temperatures expected to reach the mid 90's over the next few days officials have opened the doors of the Oneida VFW as an emergency cooling shelter.

The VFW will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The VFW is located at 2980 E. Service Road.

The best defense to heat related illness is prevention. Here are some tips:

- Drink more fluids (nonalcoholic), regardless of your activity level. Don't wait until you're thirsty to drink. Warning: If your doctor generally limits the amount of fluid you drink or has you on water pills, ask him how much you should drink while the

weather is hot.

- Don't drink liquids that contain alcohol or large amounts of sugar—these actually cause you to lose more body fluid. Also, avoid very cold drinks, because they can cause stomach cramps.
- Stay indoors and, if at all possible, stay in an air-conditioned place. If your home does not have air conditioning, go to the shopping mall or public library—even a few hours spent in air conditioning can help your body stay cooler when you go back into the heat. Call your local health department to see if there are any heat-relief shelters in your area.
- Electric fans may provide comfort, but

when the temperature is in the high 90s, fans will not prevent heat-related illness. Taking a cool shower or bath, or moving to an air-conditioned place is a much better way to cool off.

- Wear lightweight, light-colored, loose-fitting clothing.
- Never leave anyone in a closed, parked vehicle.
- Although any one at any time can suffer from heat-related illness, some people are at greater risk than others. Check regularly on, infants and young children along with people aged 65 or older.
- Cut down on exercise. If you must exercise, drink two to four glasses of cool, nonalcoholic fluids each hour.

## Cardinal Stritch University hosts American Indian Leaders

*American Indian Leadership Program Panel on Leadership and Family*

A high profile panel of American Indian leaders from Wisconsin will be sharing their stories and experiences at "Living Leadership: American Indian Family Journeys", a special event scheduled for July 11, 2012 at the Cardinal Stritch University main campus in Milwaukee.

The family panel will include guest speakers Potawatomi Tribal Chairman Gus Frank and

his nephew Mike Goodrich, General Manager of Potawatomi Bingo Casino; Ernest L. Stevens, Jr., Chairman of the National Indian Gaming Association and his wife Cheryl Stevens, Director of the grants department at the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin; Nate Nez, Tribal and Regional Coordinator for the Wisconsin Dept. of Veterans Affairs, and his 18-year old son Travis Nez, who was recently elected to the Price County Board of Supervisors.

For the past year the American Indian

Leadership Program at the Cardinal Stritch Leadership Center has nurtured a dialogue with members of the American Indian community in Milwaukee and outreached to Wisconsin tribal communities. The program is funded by the Forest County Potawatomi Foundation and the Greater Milwaukee Foundation.

To R.S.V.P. for the event call the American Indian Leadership Program at 414-410-4576 or email at kmhill@stritch.edu

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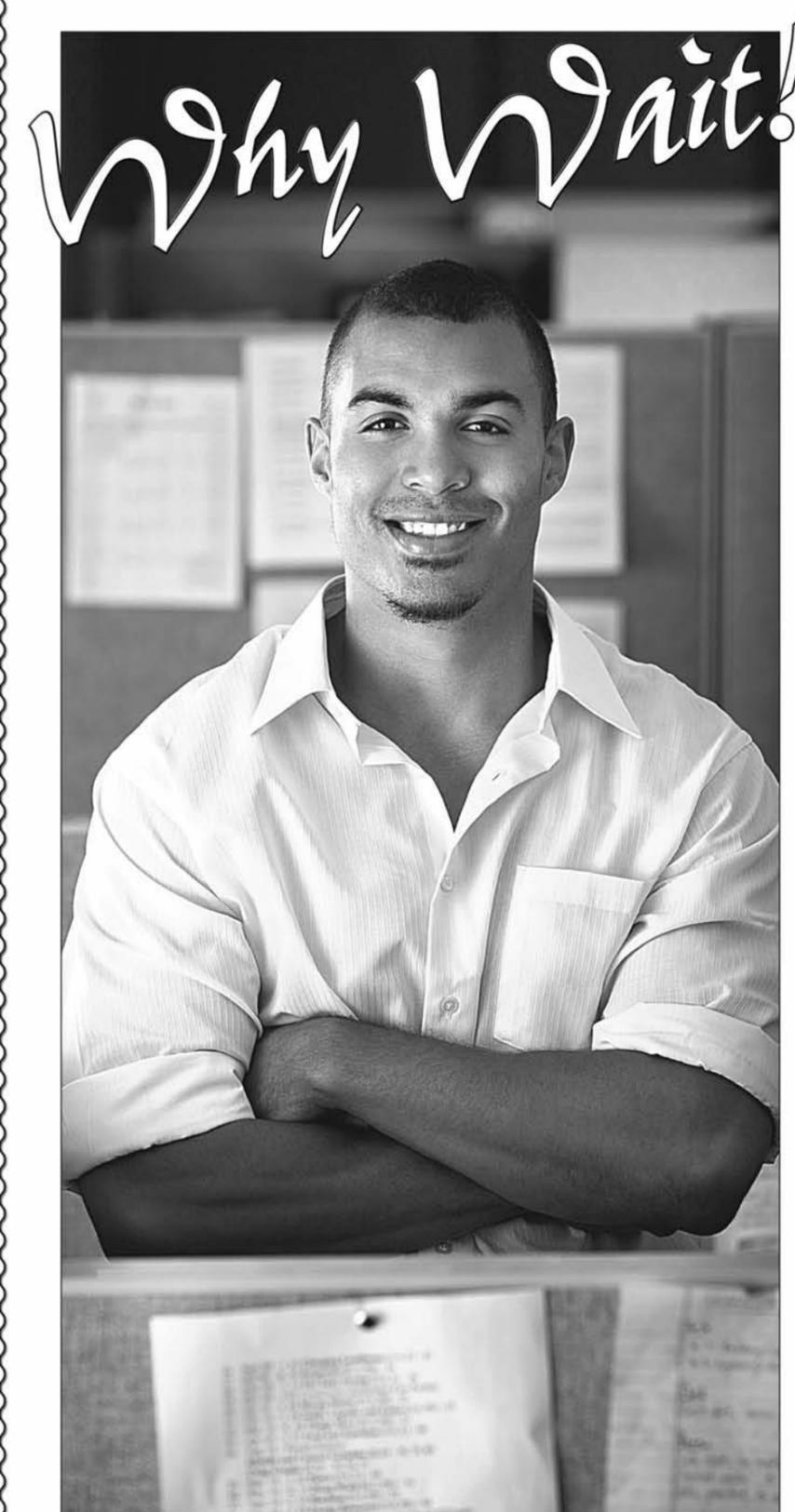
**Background:**  
*Current...* Judicial Officer, 1999 – Present  
*Past...*

- Served as Special Deputy for Brown County 1963-68
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- President of Wisconsin Tribal Judge's Association from 2003-2011

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## Walker: Wis. Won't act on health care ruling

By Scott Bauer

Associated Press  
MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ Regardless of the outcome of the U.S. Supreme Court's ruling on President Barack Obama's health care overhaul law, Wisconsin Gov. Scott Walker has vowed not to do anything until after the November election.

Walker, an outspoken critic of the law, originally said in January that he would not begin setting up the state's health insurance exchange required by the law until after the court ruled. Earlier this month, the Republican governor went even further, saying that if the law is upheld he will not do anything

until after the election, hoping that the next president and Congress will repeal it.

Only after those two fail would Wisconsin "figure out some alternative within the state," Walker said in a statement released by his office this week.

Republican state lawmakers appear to be on board with that approach, even while Democrats and health care advocates say the state should be more bullish in moving forward with consumer protections and other reforms under the law.

The law would provide health care to about 30 million uninsured people and make coverage more affordable to millions of

others by expanding the reach of Medicaid, forbid insurance companies from refusing coverage to people with pre-existing illnesses and creating new subsidies. Officially known as the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, the law is called "Obamacare" by opponents, including Walker.

The Supreme Court, expected to rule on the law Thursday, could allow it to remain or strike down all or part of it. But the ruling is likely to signal only the next stage of the debate, not settle the issue, especially in states such as Wisconsin where Republicans control the governor's office and leg-

islature. Walker's decision to wait until after the November election before doing anything makes sense, said state Assembly Health Committee Chairman Rep. Jeff Stone, R-Greendale.

"There's no way we're going to do anything between now and the elections anyway on this topic," Stone said. "We owe it to business in this state, and our own economy, to have some clear direction."

One of Walker's first actions on the day he took office in January 2011 was to authorize Republican Attorney General J.B. Van Hollen to join the multistate lawsuit trying to block the law, which Congress passed in 2010.

"He's on the far end of the spectrum in terms of trying to block the law and doing nothing to prepare for it," said Robert Kraig, executive director of Citizen Action of Wisconsin, a health care advocacy group that supports the law and expanding health insurance coverage.

Even if the court does as many predict and strikes down the mandate that everyone have health insurance, Kraig said other important changes, including the expansion of Medicaid and allowing young adults up to age 26 to remain on their parents plans, could remain.

"Wisconsin needs to be in position to take full advantage of this law," he

said. State Rep. Jon Richards, the ranking Democrat on the Assembly Health Committee, said it's a big mistake not for Wisconsin to move forward with implementing the health insurance exchange and other parts of the federal law.

"Wisconsin should be in charge of our own destiny with health care and the consumers in Wisconsin should get the benefits of the law no matter what happens in Washington," Richards said.

Wisconsin, like many states, has done nothing to set up a health insurance exchange through which residents could choose among different plans to buy private insurance with taxpayer-provided assistance to cover the cost of premiums. The exchanges are designed to increase competition by requiring insurers to offer more plans and provide more information.

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has set a Nov. 16 deadline for states to submit plans for their health insurance exchanges, which must be in place by 2014. The federal government would step in and run exchanges in states that don't have them.

Richards and Democratic state Sen. Jon Erpenbach introduced a bill last year, supported by a host of consumer advocacy groups, that

would have put major parts of the federal overhaul into state law, including the ban on denying coverage due to a pre-existing condition and removing annual and lifetime benefit caps.

The proposal went nowhere in the Republican-controlled Legislature.

Richards said it's frustrating that the Walker administration has been blocking the changes and "frittered away" the opportunity to be proactive.

"It's about political posturing," Richards said.

Wisconsin has relatively few people without insurance coverage, thanks its popular BadgerCare programs that began under welfare reforms enacted by Republican Gov. Tommy Thompson in the late 1990s. The programs were expanded under Democratic Gov. Jim Doyle, but Walker scaled them back amid skyrocketing demand and state budget troubles.

Based on 2010 U.S. Census Bureau data, 90.6 percent people in Wisconsin had insurance coverage. That tied with Maine for the third-highest rate of any state, after Hawaii at 92.3 percent and Massachusetts at 94.4 percent.

A spokeswoman for Walker's Department of Health Services emphasized that Wisconsin was able to reach a high level of coverage without a federal mandate.

**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.

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## NYC sues Seneca cigarette dealer

By David B. Caruso

Associated Press  
**NEW YORK** ~ The City of New York filed a lawsuit Wednesday against a cigarette dealer on an Indian reservation in western New York, claiming that the business has been flouting state and federal law by shipping thousands of packs into the city without paying state or local taxes or verifying the age of the buyer.

The suit, filed in a federal court in Manhattan, targets Robert and Marcia Gordon, members of the Seneca tribe who were outspoken opponents of attempts by state and federal authorities to rein in the sale of untaxed cigarettes from reservations.

It accused the couple's Salamanca-based business of blatantly ignoring state laws requiring that taxes be paid on any cigarettes shipped off a reservation to people who aren't members of a tribe.

An official with the New York City Sheriff's office confirmed the company's defiance of the law through a simple sting this spring, the suit said. In April, an investigator went on the couple's website, [allofourbutts.com](http://allofourbutts.com), and placed an order for 400 cigarettes at a cost of \$30, plus \$20 for shipping.

The cigarettes arrived a month later as promised, and were signed for by an office clerk. The suit said the delivery driver didn't seek to verify the age of the person receiving the order, the cigarettes didn't carry the surgeon general's required health warnings and no taxes were collected. City lawyers said in the suit that they believed that thousands of similar sales had taken place, costing the city substantial tax revenue.

Reached by telephone Wednesday, Marcia Gordon said she hadn't seen the lawsuit yet, but

was sure nothing the business was doing was illegal. She declined further comment.

Gordon and her husband have made no secret of their company's operations, and have repeatedly argued in court that, as members of the Seneca tribe, they are exempt from certain state taxes.

The couple went to court in 2010 in an attempt to prevent enforcement of the federal Prevent All Cigarette Trafficking Act, a new law that banned the sale of cigarettes through the U.S. mail. They said the law had decimated their business, which, at its peak, was selling \$2 million-worth of cigarettes each month.

Last December, they persuaded a federal court to temporarily block enforcement of a part of the law requiring dealers shipping through private delivery services to pay any applicable state and

local taxes in advance. That suit is still pending.

New York City's Law Department argued in the suit that the couple's involvement in that legal challenge indicated that they were fully aware of their responsibilities under the law. The suit said the business' willful defiance of the law amounted to civil racketeering.

"The City has made clear through our previous lawsuits that illegal sales of cigarettes will not be tolerated in any form," the city's chief lawyer, Corporation Counsel Michael A. Cardozo, said in a statement. "Businesses that flout the law injure the public health and evade taxes used to pay for vital public services. They can expect future enforcement actions directed against them."

## American Indian museum eatery wins DC food prize

**WASHINGTON (AP)** ~ The restaurant at the Smithsonian's National Museum of the American Indian has won a new distinction among Washington eateries.

On Sunday night, Mitsitam (mitt-SEE-tom) Native Foods Cafe won a Rammy Award from the Restaurant Association of Metropolitan Washington. It was named "Casual Restaurant of the Year."

Mitsitam is the first museum restaurant to be nominated for a Rammy

Award. Mitsitam was competing with Bar Pilar, C.F. Folks, Hank's Oyster Bar and Room 11.

The museum eatery has a rotating menu of foods that have been grown, raised and harvested in North and South America for thousands of years, from Peruvian ceviche to pork tacos.

Last week, Mitsitam unveiled its summer menu featuring crispy rabbit, grilled sweet corn, purple potato soup, and other items.

## Bus line expands service for Mich., Ill., Wis.

**CHARLEVOIX, Mich. (AP)** ~ A bus service is expanding in Michigan's northern Lower Peninsula to connect with several other Michigan cities as well as Illinois and Wisconsin.

The Petoskey News-Review reports Indian Trails service is scheduled to begin Aug. 1 in Charlevoix. The stop will be near the dock for the

ferry to Beaver Island.

One route will take passengers north to Petoskey, across Michigan's Upper Peninsula and to Milwaukee, while another will go south to Traverse City, Grand Rapids and Chicago.

Stops on both routes offer an opportunity to connect with Amtrak passenger trains.

## Head of Bureau of Indian Education resigning

**WASHINGTON (AP)** ~ The director of the Bureau of Indian Education is resigning to take a position in his home state of South Dakota.

Secretary of the Interior Ken Salazar announced Wednesday that Keith Moore is leaving the BIE to serve as state director for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes in South Dakota. Moore, an enrolled member of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe in South Dakota, has

led the Bureau for the past two years. He was selected for the position by then-Assistant Secretary of Indian Affairs Larry Echo Hawk.

BIE Chief of Staff Brian Drapeaux will serve as acting director until a replacement is named.

The BIE operates the federal school system for Native American students. It oversees more than 180 facilities on 64 reservations in 23 states.

## Tribes work for record Native American vote

The head of the largest group representing Native Americans and Alaska Natives said federal and state governments should provide voter registration at Indian Health Service facilities.

Jefferson Keel, president of the National Congress of American Indians, said in a phone interview Tuesday with The Associated Press that the health facilities should be designated voter registration sites in the same way

state-based public assistance agencies are under the National Voter Registration Act. He said the facilities are ideal for voter registration because they're in many tribal communities.

"Not all Native Americans are registered, and that's one of the things we are pushing for this year is to turn out the largest Native vote in history," Keel said.

Indian Health Service spokeswoman Dianne

Dawson, reached late Tuesday evening, said the agency had no comment at this time.

Only two of every five American Indians and Alaska Natives who are eligible to vote were registered in 2008, Keel told a gathering of tribal leaders Monday at the opening of the midyear meeting of the National Congress of American Indians in Lincoln, Neb. He said an estimated 1 million Native Americans and Alaska

Natives who are eligible to vote are not registered.

"This should be considered a civic emergency," Keel said.

Keel said the voter registration and turnout work is not intended to be partisan, but American Indians have made significant gains under the current administration and tribes want to protect their resources and sovereignty.

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## Laura Ingalls Wilder Days highlight July events at Heritage Hill Park

**Green Bay, WI** - Great things are happening in July at Heritage Hill! See below information on our July 4 Celebration, Hops on the Hill, Laura Ingalls Wilder Day-featuring Nellie from Little House on the Prairie, Heritage Players and our FREE music concerts!

**Celebrate the 4th!**  
Date: Wednesday, July 4, 2012

Time: 10:00am-4:30pm  
Cost: \$9 adults, \$8 senior citizens and \$7 for children 4-17, those 3 and under are free. Heritage Hill Members FREE. Also those 100 years or older are FREE

Heritage Hill provides Fourth of July festivities that are fun for the entire family. Uncle Sam will be in the park greeting visitors (don't forget to ask him how he got his name)! Enjoy listening to the presentation of the Declaration of Independence by one of the parks historic characters. Children and adults alike will enjoy old fashioned sack races, horse shoes, croquet and other historic games. Have a picnic on the Green and listen to live music as you enjoy your lunch.

**Limited Edition (Randi Fay)-FREE Concert**  
Date: Monday July 9, 2012  
Time: 6:00pm, gates open at 5:00pm  
Cost: FREE

Items to bring: Lawn chair and blankets to sit on  
Listen to Randi Fay's smooth and colorful voice as she and the band Limited Edition perform standards, soft jazz, folks and blues. This trio will put on a concert you won't want to miss! Transportation and concessions are available.

**Hops on the Hill!**  
Date: Thursday, July 12, 2012

Time: 6:00pm-8:30pm  
Cost: \$30 in advance, \$40 at the door. Tickets can be purchased at Green Bay Festival Food locations, on-line at [www.heritagehillgb.org](http://www.heritagehillgb.org) or at Heritage Hill.

Join us for Hops on the Hill Thursday, July 12, 2012 from 6:00-8:30 PM! Heritage Hill is partnering with Dean Distributing to host this fabulous event. There will be food samples for 17 area restaurants and 50 beverages to try! Enjoy live music from Big Mouth and guest emcee John Maino. Enjoy a live auction and bucket raffle. There will be a limited

number of tickets sold. You can purchase tickets at Heritage Hill, [www.heritagehillgb.org](http://www.heritagehillgb.org) or at Green Bay area Festival Foods stores for \$30. Day of tickets may only be purchased at Heritage Hill and are \$40. We do hope you'll join us for this fun event to benefit Heritage Hill's education programming.

**Heritage Players**  
Dates: Sunday, July 15, 2012

Performance: 1:00pm  
Hours: 10:00am-4:30pm  
Cost: \$9 adults, \$8 senior citizens and \$7 for children 4-17, those 3 and under are free. Heritage Hill Members FREE.

This volunteer group has been together for 15 years and has received many accolades including, "Best New Original Historical Program" from the Wisconsin Historical Society in 2006. This year Heritage Hill will perform Civil War Blues: Song and Stories of Wisconsin and the Civil War.

**John Kelly and the Fusion Express-FREE Concert**

Date: Monday July 23, 2012  
Time: 6:00pm, gates open at 5:00pm  
Cost: FREE

Items to bring: Lawn chair and blankets to sit on

High energy level of music fusing jazz, rock and classical. This hot seven piece group plays classical music with an attitude. John states that "their selections from Bach to Broadway ain't no symphony." Audiences love the dynamics of this very entertaining ensemble. Transportation and concessions are available.

**Laura Ingalls Wilder Days-special guest Nellie from Little House on the Prairie**

Date: Friday, July 27 and Saturday July 28  
Time: 10:00am-4:30pm  
Cost: Admission is \$10 for adults, \$9 for seniors (over 62) and \$8 for children 4-17 (children 3 and under free). A Heritage Hill Membership provides for FREE Admission during all the days.

For Laura Ingalls Wilder, the tall trees of Pepin, Wisconsin were her first memories and were recorded within the pages of the Little House series of books. The popularity of the books also prompted a television series, "Little House on the Prairie".

On July 27-28 at Heritage Hill State Historical Park, Laura



**Alison Arngrim**

Ingalls Wilder's classic Little House books will come to life. Activities from Laura's books include: chores on the farm, historical games, and a school lesson. Demonstrations include: bullet making, blacksmithing and historical meal preparation.

Boys and girls are invited to dress as their favorite "Little House" character and join us at noon for the Children's Fashion Promenade, fiddle music and costume contest.

Making a guest appearance this year is Alison Arngrim who portrayed "Nellie" on the "Little House on the Prairie" television series. Returning to Heritage Hill is author and historian, William Anderson. He has spent

many years researching and writing about the people and places of the "Little House" books. "Nellie" will be presenting on life on Little House on the Prairie and William Anderson on the Ingalls family. These presentations begin at 10:15am and 11:15am each morning.

"Nellie" and William Anderson will be available for autographs from **1:00pm-3:00pm daily**. Autograph items will be limited to photos and published works available for purchase in the Heritage Hill Gift Shop and General Store.

For complete information on all events go to [www.heritagehillgb.org](http://www.heritagehillgb.org).

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## Disposal of solid waste

As Oneida people our original instructions given to us by the creator are to always take care of our Mother Earth and walk respectfully among creation. According to the Recycling and Solid Waste Disposal Law, No dumping or burning of solid waste is allowed on the reservation. Those caught violating this law could be assessed a fine as high as \$2000. Sometimes the Division of Land Management monitors sites with hidden cameras and reports violators to the Oneida Police Department.

Other disposal options exist on or near the reservation:

- Brown County Transfer Station: Take garbage, tire and appliances for a fee, Hwy 54, Oneida 920-492-4950
- Brown County Household Hazardous



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The Division of Land Management urges people to dispose of waste material safely and legally.

Waste Facility: Take HHW for no charge, latex paint for a fee, 2561 S. Broadway, Green Bay 920-492-4950

- Best Buy: Electronic Waste some for free, some for a fee; and appliances for a fee, All locations 920-494-2950
- Milwaukee PC: Electronic Waste, some for free some for a fee, Green Bay and Appleton locations 920-465-4430
- Smitty's Salvage: Take all scrap metal and appliances, some for a fee some receive \$\$, 920-468-7715

Please take care of and respect our Mother Earth. Yaw^ko

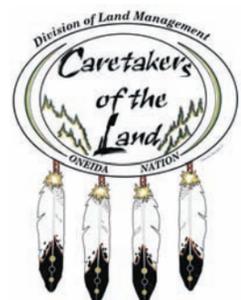
## Oneida Land Commission Renaming of County H Oneida Recreation Center

The Oneida Nation owns and operates the Oneida County H Recreation Center and the Oneida Land Commission is seeking community input to name it. The Commission has received a request to name it, The Clifford Webster, Sr. Recreation Center.

The Commission, in following its procedures, is seeking community input on the name. You may submit written comments or written recommendations to the Division of Land Management. Tribal departments are encour-

aged to submit three names. Three recommendations will be presented to the Land Commission for final selection at the August 13, 2012 Land Commission meeting. The name selected will be translated into the Oneida Language and the name will be designated through Land Commission resolution. Submissions should include:

- Property to be named: Oneida County H Recreation Center
- Location: County H, south of Ranch Road
- Recommended Name
- Reason
- Date



- Your Name or Department Name
- Tribal Enrollment number

Please submit any recommendations in writing to:

Tina Hackett  
Land Management Specialist  
Division of Land Management  
P.O. Box 365  
Oneida, WI. 54155

**All correspondence is due by July 30th, 2012.**

## Medical College trustees approve 2 campuses

MILWAUKEE (AP) ~ Medical College of Wisconsin trustees have voted to move ahead with establishing two community-based medical education campuses in Wisconsin.

The campuses will be located in Green Bay and central Wisconsin. The Medical College has a goal of admitting its first group of students in the summer of 2015.

Regional health systems, academic institutions and civic and business leaders in Green Bay and central Wisconsin will partner with the Medical College in developing the campuses. The college says a key to the success of the campuses is the commitment of the regional health systems to create residency programs.

The cost of creating the campuses is about \$23 million. College spokeswoman Maureen Mack says the specific central Wisconsin site has not yet been determined.

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## Community Meeting on Housing in Oneida drawing near

The Oneida Planning Department is sponsoring a Community Meeting On "Housing" on Thursday, July 5, from 5:00-6:00PM 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 development. The plan will serve as the basis for both daily and long-range decisions that will influence the development of the physical, social, political, eco-

nomie, 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              | 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<br>Dale Wheelock<br>Don White<br>Butch Rentmeester<br>John Breuninger, Planner |
| August 2, 2012    | 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. | Little Bear Development Center Conference Room | Parks and Recreation<br>Natural Resources<br>Environmental Protection | Don White<br>Pat Pelky<br>Stacie Danforth, Planner<br>John Breuninger, Planner                 |
| September 6, 2012 | 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. | Little Bear Development Center Conference Room | Community Design<br>Land Use  | Fred Muscavitch<br>Butch Rentmeester<br>Pat Pelky<br>Jeff Witte, Planner                       |
| October 4, 2012   | 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. | Little Bear Development Center Conference Room | Community Facilities<br>Utilities<br>Transportation                   | Butch Rentmeester<br>Don White<br>Jeff Witte, Planner<br>Leanne Doxtater, Planner              |
| November 1, 2012  | 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. | Little Bear Development Center Conference Room | Economic Development<br>Agriculture                                   | Michele Doxtator<br>Joanie Buckley<br>Jeff Witte, Planner<br>John Breuninger, Planner          |
| December 6, 2012  | 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. | Little Bear Development Center Conference Room | Government Coordination<br>and Regulations                            | Ed Delgado, Chairman<br>John Breuninger, Planner   |

NOTE: Remaining comprehensive plan elements will be scheduled for 2013



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## New community technology center opens at CMN

**KESHENA** - The Community Technology Center on the Keshena campus of the College of Menominee Nation will launch operations on Monday, June 25, with high-speed internet access for people living in local and surrounding communities. The new facility is located on the College campus at N172 State Highway 47-55 in Keshena.

The center will provide the general public with internet access, on-site use of computer equipment, and a variety of learning opportunities. Programs at the center will include technology-based community education and critically needed community support and job training. This project is made possible through funding received by the

College of Menominee Nation from the Broadband Technologies Opportunity Program (BTOP), a Federal initiative under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). The initiative is designed to increase broadband access and use by under-served populations in areas with limited internet availability.

Beginning on June 25, the Community Technology Center will open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. seven days a week for walk-in users and program participants. Patrons will find the following technology-based activities offered concurrently:

- Open Lab for general public use.
- Workshops to meet the needs of all peo-

ple—regardless of ability or need

- Skill building activities including GED, math, reading, and career exploration and placement.
- Certificate/technical diploma job training (using technology equipment).

We will kick off the summer schedule with a Broadband Summer Blast of Activities. Join the fun and earn participation rewards such as iPods, tablets, and eReaders. Stop in to get started earning these rewards.

Orientations and tours are being scheduled throughout the first couple weeks. Call the Community Technology Center at 715-799-6226, ext. 3300 to reserve a spot.

## Jeff Skenandore Memorial Donation Fund

**Purpose:** The Jeff Skenandore Memorial Donation fund was established to offer financial assistance to those students who are pursuing a degree in the Criminal Justice or Police Science programs. The donation is meant to supplement grants and loans in the pursuit of completing a degree and embarking on a career in the Criminal Justice field. The donation funds are generated from fund raising activities of the Oneida Police Department.

*There will be up to four (4) donations awarded.*

**Donation Amount:**  
\$800.00

**Donation Guidelines:**

- The student must be:
1. Must be 18 years or older
  2. An ENROLLED student at an accredited technical college
  2. An UNDERGRADUATE enrolled at an accredited four year college (second semester freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior)
  3. A GRADUATE or PH.D. student enrolled in an accredited college

**Requirements:** Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin pursuing continuing education in the Criminal Justice field. Enrollment

must be verified by the Oneida Enrollment Office.

**Application Procedures:** To complete the application process for the donation, the applicant must provide the following:

1. Completed APPLICATION FORM.
2. Copy of current or most recent SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS. GED/HSED students are eligible only as continuing undergraduate or continuing technical college students.
3. Two (2) sealed LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION - one from a teacher, employer, or other professional familiar with your academic potential.
4. A 12 font, typed personal ESSAY focusing on how you will apply your education.
5. Proof of ENROLLMENT in the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin.

**Evaluation:** Only complete applications will be reviewed. They will be scored as follows:  
**Personal Essay** - 25 pts  
**Letters of Recommendation** - 10 pts  
**GPA 3.5-4.0** - 15 pts  
**3.0-3.49** - 10 pts  
**2.5-2.99** - 5 pts  
**Maximum possible:** 50 pts

Students scoring 25

points or less will not be considered. No applications will be returned.

Application deadline: July 25, 2012  
*Faxes and emails will not be accepted.*

**Responsibilities of Donation recipient:**

1. Must meet application deadline with complete packet.
2. Must maintain at least a 2.50 cumulative GPA.
3. Must carry sufficient credits to maintain full or part time status at an accredited college or university.
4. Must be attending school in the fall of 2012.

All information submitted with this application is confidential and will be available only to authorized individuals.

The applications will be collected and reviewed by the Donation Committee. All Committee decisions are final.

Recipients will be invited to a luncheon at the Jeffrey Skenandore Golf Classic on Friday, August 17, 2012.

Submit your application packet to:

**Oneida Police Department**  
**Attn: Jeff Skenandore Memorial Fund**  
**2783 Freedom Road**  
**Oneida, WI 54155**

## Pulaski to host Green Bay Greats girls basketball camp

The Pulaski Community School District (PCSD) will be hosting its first ever Green Bay Greats girls basketball camp. The camp, open to girls in grades three through eight from throughout Northeast Wisconsin, will be staffed by seven former University of Wisconsin-Green Bay women's basketball players, including Camp Director Chandra Johnson, a former UWGB player who went on to play in the WNBA. Don Beebe's House of Speed will also be on

hand, working to improve the athletes' agility and quickness.

"We want are excited to provide a fun and informational camp for the young girls in our community from some of the best basketball players and role models in the country," Johnson said.

The camp will be held in the Fred Kestly Field House at Pulaski High School, located at 1040 S. St. Augustine St. in Pulaski, on Saturday July 7, 21 and 28 from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Admission to the camp is \$60 for all participants

that register before July 1, (after July 1, the price increases to \$75). Camp space is limited to only the first 125 girls that register.

Participants can register online at [www.pulaskipace.org](http://www.pulaskipace.org) or by mailing their registration forms to:

**PACE, P.O. Box 36,**  
**Pulaski, WI 54162**

All checks should be made out to PACE. For more information about the camp, email Johnson at [chandra.johnson54@yahoo.com](mailto:chandra.johnson54@yahoo.com) or call PACE at (920) 822-6050.

### 2012 YOUTH & ADULTS TECHNOLOGY WORKSHOPS

**The Oneida Nation Community Education Center is excited to announce two unique youth & adult workshops starting the summer of 2012!**

◆ **Kodu** (July 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>)

→ An easy to learn computer programming language that allows you to create your own computer video games.

◆ **LEGO Logo Robotics** (July 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>)

→ Build with LEGO's and have your creations "come alive" using the easy to learn Logo computer programming language.




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*Registration Form: Please Print Neatly & Submit to the ONCEC. SPACE IS LIMITED!*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Oneida:  YES  NO  
 Adult Name (if under 12): \_\_\_\_\_ Oneida:  YES  NO  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Adult Signature (if under 12): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Which Workshop(s):  
 Kodu (July 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>)  
 LEGO Logo Robotics (July 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>)

*\$20 fee per non-enrolled Oneida member participants. Tribal ID required for verification.  
 All classes held at the Oneida Nation Community Education Center  
 2632 S. Packerland Green Bay 54302 (920)496-5260*



**Coming This Summer to the CEC – Microsoft Kodu Game Design Workshop**

If you like to play video games, you might already be thinking about creating your own games someday. Maybe you have an idea for a great storyline, great characters, or maybe ideas for how things should work. Don't wait until "someday" to create your own game – take the Microsoft Kodu Game Design Workshop at the CEC and learn to create video games right now!

Microsoft Kodu is easy to use game design software that already has built-in characters and actions and the ability to create complex landscapes for the action to take place in. No computer programming skills are necessary, because the games are created using graphical "building block" commands instead of code. You won't be ready to design the next Halo or Zelda game when we're done, but you will have a good idea of the elements that go into a video game, and how to make them work for you!



The 2-day Microsoft Kodu Game Design Workshop for Youth and Adults will be held at the Oneida Nation Community Education Center on Monday and Tuesday, July 9 – 10, from 1:00 – 4:00 PM.

Then use your newly developed programming skills some more by taking the Lego Logo Robotics Workshop and learning to create and program robots made from Legos!





**Coming This Summer to the CEC – Lego Logo Robotics Workshop**

The Lego Logo Robotics Workshop will let participants build with Legos, and then show them how to use the Logo easy-to-learn computer programming language to make their creations to come to life! It's Alive! Bwa-ha-ha-ha! Schools and colleges have been using Lego Logo Robotics for years to introduce beginners to computer programming, and now it's coming to this easy and fun workshop at the CEC! This workshop is also a good follow-up to the Microsoft Kodu Game Design Workshop. The Lego Logo Robotics Workshop will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, July 11 – 12, from 1:00 – 4:00 pm at the Oneida Nation Community Education Center.



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## 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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The Oneida Division of Land Management (DOLM) is accepting applications for a vacant lot that is located in the Green Earth Trailer Court. The Green Earth Trailer Court is located on Cty. H, approximately 3 miles south of St. Hwy. 54.

The address is W1256 Hattie Lane. Lot size requires it to be a single wide trailer and must fit onto existing slab.

An annual lot agreement will be entered into with DOLM. Lessee must be a tribal member over the age of 18. Monthly fee is \$115.00. A slab, shared storage unit, mailbox, and garbage pick up will be provided.

Oneida Zoning Ordinance requires any trailer to be moved onto the reservation must be inspected. Contact Oneida Zoning Department at **920-869-1600** to arrange an inspection or for necessary permits.

The GETC lot application is available from Property Management, Land Management office, located at 470 Airport Drive, or call **920-869-1690** or **1-800-684-1697**, ext. 1814, Diane Wilson, for an application to be sent to your home address. [dwilson@oneidanation.org](mailto:dwilson@oneidanation.org) Any questions, feel free to contact me as well. Lot will be available on a first come first serve basis to a qualified applicant.

### Legal Notice

#### Oneida Tribal Judicial System Notice of Complaints Filed and Scheduled Hearings

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

**Carla R. Carlee**  
 12-TC-064

**Jodi A. Dalton**  
 12-TC-065

**Thomas M. Gonzalez**  
 12-TC-066

**Dale & Cheryl Powless**  
 12-TC-067

**Mark Stanchik**  
 12-TC-068

A diligent attempt was made to notify the following of individuals of a claim filed by the Oneida Tribe for judgment against them, on **Wednesday, June 13, 2012, at 9:00 a.m.** in the above captioned case at the Oneida Tribal Judicial System office; located at Ridgeview Plaza, Suite #1, Oneida, WI 54155.

For specific questions about this claim, 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:

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**Oneida Tribal Judicial System**  
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## New Arrivals

If you have a birth announcement, please send it to the Kalihwisaks Newspaper, PO Box 365, Oneida WI 54155 or call Yvonne Kaquatosh at (920) 496-7317 for more information. There is NO CHARGE for birth announcements. However, if you would like to include a photo, please send a SASE with your submission. Please include baby's full (first, middle & last) name, parents (first & last), D.O.B., weight (lbs. & oz.), length, grandparents (maternal/paternal), siblings (first names only). Also, if the baby was given an Indian name, please include the correct spelling and meaning. *Please include a phone number where you can be reached during the day.*



**Paisley Jane Crawford & Violet Fae Crawford**

Paisley Jane Crawford and Violet Fae Crawford were born to proud parents Becky Crawford and Gary Crawford Jr. on May 4, 2012 in Milwaukee. Paisley was 6lbs, 14oz and 18 inches at birth, and Violet was 6lbs, 3oz and 19.5 inches at birth.

Grandparents are Elaine Washkuhn of Muskego and Gary and Dena Crawford of Milwaukee. Great-grandparents are Rose Mary Peters, the late Gladys Crawford, and Beulah Washkuhn. Paisley and Violet were welcomed by big brother Wes, age 7.

## Happy 87<sup>th</sup> Birthday

Celebration of Mae Baxter's 87th Birthday



Mae had a beautiful surprise birthday celebrated with Many family & friends Happy Birthday, Great-Great-Grandma Mae!

## Happy 29<sup>th</sup> Birthday

Happy Birthday to a great husband and Dad! We appreciate all that you do for us, each and every day :) Wishing you nothing but the best on your day, and always!



Love, your wifey, and daughter Carmella

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## Happy 13<sup>th</sup> Birthday

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Love Mom, Dad, Elise, Jossy, Grandma Sandi and Grandpa Jerry

## Happy Birthday

**Emma White** We love you very much and are proud of you!



Sid, Gavin, Elise, Jossy, Grandma Sandi and Grandpa Jerry

## Oneida Nation High School Yearbooks

The Yearbooks are in and can be picked up and/or purchased for \$15.00 from Becky Anderson on Tuesday and Thursday morning from 9:30AM to noon.

## MENTORS NEEDED

KΛ? nithotiyá·sa? "Young people"

Lutatyenawá·se? "They support each other"



**What:** We need adults with diabetes to mentor youth with diabetes.

**Where:** Oneida Family Fitness Education Room 2640 West Point Rd Green Bay WI 54304

**When:** Session Two: Wednesday, July 25<sup>th</sup> 2:00-3:00pm  
Session Three: Wednesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2:00-3:00pm

**Who:** Native American adults diagnosed with type 1 or type 2 diabetes.

**Why:** To provide support and mentorship to youth with diabetes.

This effort is on behalf of the Oneida Comprehensive Health Division Behavioral Health and Diabetes Team. For more information and to register, please contact Margaret VanDen Heuvel at (920) 869-4941 or mvandenh@oneidanation.org

**YOUR PARTNERS FOR SUCCESS**



## Vote

**Barbara (Jordan-Doyen)**



# ERICKSON Gaming Commission Election Board

I currently serve as an Interim Gaming Commissioner

### Experience...

In January 2012, I began working as an Interim Gaming Commissioner.

This appointment was a great opportunity to use the knowledge, training, and valuable work experience I have acquired during my employment at the Casino.

The experience has brought me to become more involved as a Gaming Commissioner on a fulltime basis, and a candidate for Oneida Election Board.

### Background...

#### Past Employment:

- Change Runner in the Slot department, 1993
- Slot Supervisor, 5 yrs.
- Fun Club Supervisor

- Private Business Owner, Partnership with my brother, David 'Fleet' Jordan, 2002. Co-owned and operated Fleet and Barbs Gas Light Bar until 2008

- Semi-Retired now

### Family Ties...

I have lived most of my life in Oneida.

I am the only daughter of Doyle and Grace Jordan and have 10 brothers.

I am a graduate of Seymour High School.

I have three sons, one daughter, and many grandchildren

I would like the opportunity to follow through with initiatives that I've been a part of as a Gaming Commissioner."



### Good News Submissions

Submissions are accepted Mon.-Fri. 8AM-4:30PM at the Kalihwisaks Office which is now located at the Skenandoah Complex • 909 Packerland Dr. Green Bay, WI

## Jeffrey S. Skenandore Sr. Golf Classic

August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2012  
Thornberry Creek at Oneida Golf Course

All proceeds go toward students pursuing a degree in the criminal justice profession and children attending grief camp

**Registration deadline is: July 30, 2012**

- Registration@ 6AM and 9AM shotgun start
- Thornberry Creek at Oneida golf course.
- \$300 per 4 player team (Includes 18 holes, cart and dinner)
- Door prizes, Cash prizes, and Raffles
- Hole-in-one prize packages include: 42" LCD HDTV, \$500 Best Buy Gift card, \$1,000 Golf Shop credit and/or \$5,000 cash
- "Must wear shirts with collars"



Go to the Intranet, call, or pick up registration form at:  
**Oneida Police Department • 2783 Freedom Road**  
To register, drop off or mail form/money to:  
**Oneida Police Department**  
P.O. Box 365 • Oneida, WI 54155  
Attn: Golf Classic

Questions? 920-869-2239  
We are unable to process credit cards.



## DRUMS Across ONEIDA

Oneida Elderly Service 2907  
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Oneida, WI 54155  
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Fx. 920.869.1824



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134 Riverside Dr.  
Oneida, WI 54155  
Ph. 920.869.1551  
Fx. 920.869.1526



Awáhihte? Wáhní-tale?

Strawberry Moon

June, 2012

# Moving Standard Operating Procedure

**1. Purpose:** To assist elders with moving their belongings from one home to another.

**2. Definitions:**

**2.1 Initial Contact Form (ICF):**

A form used to obtain client information and need(s)

**2.2 Service Coordinator:**

The initial point of contact for any service requested.

**2.3 Normal Business Hours:**

Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**2.4 Vendor:**

A company that supplies a service.

in Brown and Outagamie Counties within Reservation Boundaries.

**3.5** Moving request(s) are limited to one request per client; per year.

**3.6** All moves will occur during normal business days (Monday – Friday) and hours (8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.)

**3.7** Packing is solely the responsibility of the client.

**3.8** All cabinetry must be emptied i.e. china hutch, buffets, dressers and etc., prior to being moved.

**4. Procedure:**

**4.1** All requests for services must be initiated through Oneida Elder Services' Initial Contact form (ICF).  
**4.2** The Service Coordinator will obtain needed information and forward to the proper supervisor during normal business hours.  
**4.3** Needs Assessment will be done upon request for service and annually thereafter.  
**4.4** Moving request must be made thirty (30) business days in advance.  
**4.5** Eligibility Requirements:

**4.5.1** Must be enrolled Oneida Tribal Member.  
**4.5.2** Priority will be given to elders

age 70 and older.

**4.5.3** Elder age 55-69 must provide proof of disability from the Social Security Disabilities Administration Office.

**4.6** Must be willing to sign a release of information form and waiver relieving Oneida Elder Services and/or the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin of all liability (See attached form).  
**4.7** Maintenance Supervisor will contact the client to schedule an appointment to sign wavier and schedule moving date.  
**4.8** No move will occur without the RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS wavier completed.  
**4.9** Maintenance Supervisor will make arrangements: contact moving company to process the move request.

**4.9.1** Elder Services does not warrant the work of any moving company, and shall not be liable for any damages caused by them.  
**4.10** Elder Services will follow-up after five (5) business days with client for documentation and customer satisfaction.

**5. References:**

**5.1** Moving Policy Oneida Elderly Services  
Dated: 09/30/2003

**6. Flow Chart:**

**7. Records:**

**Moving Companies:**

**Two Men & A Truck**  
1107 Ashwaubenon St  
Green Bay WI 54304  
Phone: 437-1054  
Monday – Thursday, \$102.00 per hour move only  
Monday – Thursday, \$147.00 per hour packing & move  
Down payment ½

**Express**  
1133 Flightway Dr  
De Pere, WI 54115  
Phone: 337-2180  
2 ½ hours minimum \$98.00  
Approximately \$245.00 extra for packing & move

**Total Relocation Services, Inc**  
2210 Angie Ave  
Green Bay WI 54302  
Phone: 468-2020  
2 -3 men crew \$101.00 per hour  
3 + men crew \$131.00 per hour  
Someone will estimate as to how many men are needed by company

**Economy Movers, Inc**  
1014 Parkview Rd  
Green Bay WI 54304  
Phone: 339-1120  
3 men crew \$125.00 per hour moving only  
Additional cost for travel time more than 15 minutes

**Staleski Moving & Storage**  
911 Goddard Way  
Green Bay WI 54311  
Phone: 884-2222  
4 hour minimum \$95.00 crew of 2 men  
Charges start the minute they walk out of building and 2 -3 week notice required.  
Someone comes out to do an assessment for how much is to be moved and time needed

**U & I Movers**

**Release of Claims Form**

In consideration of receiving support services for moving from: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ in connection with Oneida Elder Services Supportive Service Moving Program, I \_\_\_\_\_ fully and forever release the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Oneida Elder Services, and all of their employees, agents and officers for all claims for reimbursement owed to me and for any future claims of reimbursement for amounts to be paid on behalf of myself resulting from my participation in the Oneida Elder Services Support Services Program for Moving.

By executing this release I agree to fully release, discharge, and hold harmless the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Oneida Elder Services, and all of their agents, employees and officers from all claims for reimbursement related to my move referenced above and it is understood that the execution of this release prevents me from commencing any future claim or action against any party herein released concerning the subject of the above – referenced support services move.

It is understood and agreed that I shall indemnify the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Oneida Elder Services, and their agents, employees and officers from and against any and all claims, of whatever nature, for injuries, losses, of damages arising out of my support service move, including claims related to the negligence, gross negligence, or intentional misconduct, of the contractor who performs the supportive service move including their affiliates, officers, directors, employees, or agents.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
This \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public,  
\_\_\_\_\_ County, WI  
My Commission: \_\_\_\_\_

## Save The Date

Yethino·lúkhwa? Yukwakwá·ná·ta?  
**We Love Our Elders  
Elder Abuse Educational  
Conference**

July 9 - 10, 2012  
8:00AM - 4:30PM

Radisson Hotel and Conference Center, Green Bay, WI

**This training event features:**

- 2 keynote speakers with extensive working experience with the Oneida community
- 6 workshop presenters focusing on all areas of Elder Abuse
- A variety of resources from the State of Wisconsin

- Two working and networking lunches provided with State and National Speakers (Free)
- And Much More!!
- Please call Joyce Johnson or Daniel Borgstrom at Oneida Elder Services (920) 869-2448 to register for this event

**Limited to the first 200 to register**

## Elder Services Public Hearing Notice

### 2013 – 2015 Oneida Tribal Aging Unit Plan for Older People

*Your input is welcome and encouraged!*

**Date:** July 26, 2012  
**Time:** 12:30pm to 2:30pm  
**Where:** Oneida Senior Center/ Meal Site  
134 Riverdale Dr, Oneida, WI 54155

For more information contact Florence Petri, Elder Services Director 2907 South Overland Drive Oneida, WI 54155 920-869-2448

## Declare Independence from Foodborne Illness this Fourth of July

**WASHINGTON**— When celebrating our nation's independence this Fourth of July, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) reminds Americans that proper food handling practices can prevent their "Life, Liberty, and pursuit of Happiness" from being threatened by foodborne illness. The warm temperatures that draw crowds of people to outdoor celebrations also encourage the growth of bacteria, and incidents of food-related illnesses rise in summer months. But four simple steps—Clean, Separate, Cook, and Chill—can help families declare freedom from foodborne illness at Independence Day celebrations.

"We want to provide families with important information that will help reduce the risk of foodborne illness during their Fourth of July celebrations," USDA Under Secretary for Food Safety Dr. Elisabeth Hagen said. "Small children and the elderly are among the most vulnerable to foodborne illness, and this information is essential in protecting loved ones at family barbecues and picnics."

In time for the Fourth of July holiday, FSIS has created a new infographic in partnership with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Ad Council featuring food safety tips from the Founding Fathers. The infographic, fact sheets, videos and podcasts about safe food handling and preparation in warmer months can be found on FSIS' "Grill It Safe" webpage at [www.fsis.usda.gov/Food\\_Safety\\_Education/Grill\\_It\\_Safe](http://www.fsis.usda.gov/Food_Safety_Education/Grill_It_Safe).

Additionally, representatives from FSIS' Meat and Poultry Hotline will answer consumer questions in English and Spanish from the Twitter handles @USDAFoodSafety and @USDAFoodSafe\_es on June 28 at 1 p.m. ET.

### Clean

Freedom from foodborne illnesses starts with clean surfaces and

clean hands. Be sure that you and your guests wash your hands before preparing or handling food. Hands should be washed with soap and warm water for 20 seconds before and after handling food. Equally important is making sure that the surfaces that come in contact with raw and cooked foods are clean before you start and are washed frequently.

### Separate

Raw meats and poultry should be prepared separately from vegetables and cooked foods. As you chop meats and veggies, be sure to use separate cutting boards. Juices from raw meats can contain harmful bacteria that could spread to raw veggies and already cooked foods.

As you take the cooked meats off the grill, be sure to place them on a clean platter, not on the dish that held them when they were raw. The juices left on the plate from raw meat can spread bacteria to safely cooked food.

### Cook

Never begin cooking without your most important tool—a food thermometer. Color is not a reliable indicator of doneness. Meat and poultry cooked on a grill often brown quickly and may appear done on the outside, but still may not have reached a safe minimum internal temperature to kill any harmful bacteria. Whole cuts of pork, lamb, veal, and beef should be cooked to 145 °F as measured by a food thermometer placed in the thickest part of the meat, followed by a three-minute rest time before carving or consuming. Hamburgers and other ground beef should reach 160 °F. All poultry should reach a minimum temperature of 165 °F. Fish should be cooked to 145 °F. Fully cooked meats like hot dogs should be grilled to 165 °F or until steaming hot.

If you are smoking meats, the temperature in the smoker should be maintained between 225 °F and 300 °F for safety. Be sure to use your food thermometer to be certain the food has reached a safe minimum internal

temperature.

### Chill

Keeping food at a safe temperature can be a concern at outdoor picnics and cookouts. Too often, food is prepared and left to sit out while guests munch over the course of several hours. Bacteria grow most rapidly between 40 °F and 140 °F, so perishable food should never sit out for more than two hours. If the temperature is higher than 90 °F—which is common in the summer—food should not sit out more than one hour. Refrigerate or freeze leftovers promptly and discard any food that has been sitting out too long.

It is important to keep hot foods hot and cold foods cold. Hot foods can be kept hot on the grill and cold foods can be kept chilled with ice packs or ice sources in a cooler.

### Still have questions? Ask Karen!

Whether you are cooking in the kitchen or grilling out this Independence Day, make Mobile Ask Karen the first guest on your list. Ask Karen is USDA's virtual food safety representative available 24/7 at [www.AskKaren.gov](http://www.AskKaren.gov) or [m.AskKaren.gov](http://m.AskKaren.gov) on your smartphone. Mobile Ask Karen can also be downloaded from the Android app store. On June 26, 2012, FSIS launched "Mobile Pregúntele a Karen," the Spanish-language version of Mobile Ask Karen. Mobile Pregúntele Karen and the desktop-based Pregúntele a Karen also are available 24 hours a day at [m.PregunteleKaren.gov](http://m.PregunteleKaren.gov) or [PregunteleKaren.gov](http://PregunteleKaren.gov).

Consumers can email, chat with a live representative, or call the USDA Meat and Poultry Hotline directly from these apps. To use these features on the app, simply choose "Contact Us" from the menu. The live chat option and the toll-free USDA Meat and Poultry Hotline, 1-888-MPHotline (1-888-674-6854), are available in English and Spanish from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. ET Monday through Friday.

This seasonal food safety outreach is part of

a multi-faceted USDA initiative to prevent foodborne illness. As part of this initiative, USDA has joined the Ad Council, the FDA and the CDC to launch Food Safe Families, a consumer food safety education campaign. It is the first joint public service campaign to empower families to further reduce their risk of foodborne illness at home by checking their key food safety steps: clean, separate, cook, and chill. For more information, go to [www.foodsafety.gov](http://www.foodsafety.gov).

Today's action is in addition to other FSIS has put in place during President Barack Obama's Administration to date to safeguard the food supply, prevent foodborne illness, and improve consumers' knowledge about the food they eat. These initiatives support the three core principles developed by the President's Food Safety Working Group: prioritizing prevention; strengthening surveillance and enforcement; and improving response and recovery. Some of these actions include:

- Test-and-hold policy that will significantly reduce consumer exposure to unsafe

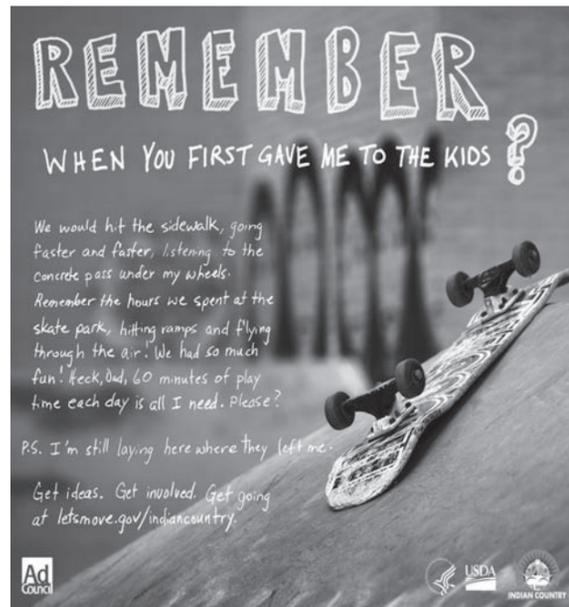
meat products, should the policy become final, because products cannot be released into commerce until Agency test results for dangerous contaminants are known.

- Labeling requirements that provide better information to consumers about their food by requiring nutrition information for single-ingredient raw meat and poultry products and ground or chopped products.

- Public Health Information System, a modernized, comprehensive database with information on

public health trends and food safety violations at the nearly 6,100 plants FSIS regulates.

- Performance standards for poultry establishments for continued reductions in the occurrence of pathogens. After two years of enforcing the new standards, FSIS estimates that approximately 5,000 illnesses will be prevented each year under the new Campylobacter standards, and approximately 20,000 illnesses will be prevented under the revised Salmonella standards each year.



**Eject... "A New Voice"**

## Lora SKENANDORE Gaming Commission

**Employment with the Oneida Tribe...**

- I am currently in my 6th year serving as the License Coordinator for Oneida Gaming Commission
- Background Investigations, 13 yrs.
- Oneida Police Dept., 6 yrs.

**I bring 25 years of Dedication, Experience, and Fairness to the Oneida Gaming Commission.**

- I have gained extensive knowledge of the gaming industry and its tribal, state, and federal laws

with my job.

- I coordinate and assist with background and licensing procedures for the Gaming Operation.
- I provide professional and positive behavior in conducting my daily activities.

**"I take pride in what I do and have sound reasoning in decision making."**

**Let Your Voice and My Voice be heard. Vote on July 7<sup>th</sup>!**

**Thank You!**

Authorized and paid for by Lora Skenandore

Lora Skenandore with Sons, Greg & Wade Waupekenay

**My Parents...**  
Betty Skenandore, and the late Tony Skenandore Sr.

**My Grandparents...**  
the late Pete & Sabie Danforth, and the late George & Hilda Skenandore

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**Friday, July 13, 2012**  
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Contact the Division of Land Management for more information.

Local: (920) 869-1690 ext. 1827 Sheila Huff  
Toll Free: (800) 684-1697  
Address: 470 Airport Drive, Oneida, WI 54155  
Website: <http://www.oneidanation.org/land/>

Directions to Commercial site: Take County Road U heading north to site. The site is just before State Hwy 29. The commercial site will be on the right hand

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## Santa Fe hosts world's largest folk art market

By Jeri Clausing

Associated Press  
**SANTA FE, N.M.** ~ The stories are as diverse as the artists themselves: Afghan women who have lifted themselves out of poverty through a cooperative that sells their traditional embroidery; a former cook for the Sudan People's Liberation Army who now sells beaded corsets to help support her family and send her many grandchildren to school; and sisters from Kyrgyzstan who make hand-stitched felt and silk scarves using a family tradition that dates back some 300 years.

The women and their tales are just a sampling of the real lives behind the work that will be featured in New Mexico next month at the popular Santa Fe International Folk Art Market, which sends 90 percent of its \$2 million-plus annual proceeds back to the artists and programs that can dramatically alter their lives and their communities.

The market is the largest of its kind and runs July 13-15, turning Santa Fe's Milner Plaza into a global destination where buyers can mingle with artisans, some of whom have left remote villages for the very first time.

The show is among this artistic mountain enclave's many popular summer events, drawing 20,741 people last year.

The biggest difference between this and Santa Fe's other shows, like its Spanish and Indian markets, is the impact it has in far-flung corners of the

globe. Besides making life-saving or life-changing contributions like helping communities build schools, houses and wells for clean drinking water, the effort is also helping to preserve traditional art forms while teaching the artists how to create cooperatives and businesses for selling their wares year-round.

Now in its ninth year, the market was founded by of Charlene Cerny and Judith Espinar, two longtime fixtures in the Santa Fe art scene and lovers of folk art.

Espinar says the idea blossomed quickly after she called UNESCO for help locating artists.

"(They) said come to Paris, look through the files. We'll give you 10 Gold Medal winners," Espinar said.

Local businesses quickly lined up to help support the show and sponsor the artists. And the rest is, well, history.

Cerny originally agreed to join Espinar in the project only if it had no more than 25 artists. The first show had 18. This year, more than 150 artists from 49 countries will be in attendance selling everything from traditional scarves and attire to jewelry, rugs and baskets. Fifty-four participants will be representing cooperatives with more than 20,000 artisans. Since its inception, the market has earned more than \$12 million. Prices at the market range from \$5 to tens of thousands.

Espinar and Cerny travel the world looking for new artists. A jury vets the applicants and

some first-timers are offered financial assistance. The artists are also offered training to help them market and sell their wares, enabling many to return in later years on their own.

Among this year's first-timers will be Mary Padar Kuoajok, who spent many years traveling with and cooking for the Sudan People's Liberation Army. When the Republic of South Sudan was created in 2010, she moved to Juba, where she joined the Roots Project, which helps tribal woman from around the country revive long-ignored art traditions.

Kuoajok, now a grandmother, hadn't made the beaded corsets that were unique to her Dinka tribe since she was a child, said Roots Project founder Anyieth D'Wol, a former human rights worker.

"I asked her if she knew how to make something traditional ... and it was beautiful," D'Wol said. About 15 such corsets will be available at the market, but D'Wol said pricing had not yet been set.

Kuoajok's trip to Santa Fe will be only her second time to leave South Sudan; her first trip was to Nairobi to get a visa.

She will also bring beaded work from artisans from other tribes represented by the Roots Project.

D'Wol said the Roots Project not only helps women learn to take care of themselves and establish a business sense, but is also helping to revive traditions that have got-

ten lost in two decades of war.

"When I first started working with the women, it was 'What do you know how to make?' I had no idea what they were. They are not documented and many of the items are rarely even worn by the tribes anymore."

A similar project in Afghanistan, Kandahar Treasures, is giving financial freedom to women who do the traditional geometric embroidery unique to the area. Started by Rangina Hamidi, an Afghan whose family fled war to the United States when she was a child, the project now has more than 400 women selling products.

Some of the women earn up to \$100 a month, which is almost double the average government salary. Homes with mothers and daughters participating have dramatically improved their family's economic standing, and given women more control over their lives.

"One of the women has 13 daughters," Hamidi said. "In a country where manhood is so great, any woman who gives birth to that many daughters is cursed. Now that they have been earning money for almost nine years ... they have risen themselves out of poverty. They are no longer invited as servants to weddings and parties, they are invited as guests."

Some of the artists are well established, but this year, 40 percent will be showing at the market for the first time.

Cerny and Espinar say the market has become a destination, drawing visitors last year from 26 states.

"More and more people are looking at they do as a vote for what they care about," said Cerny. "... They are getting the idea that they are helping build a school in Pakistan, helping put a roof on a women's shelter."

**If You Go...**

**SANTA FE INTERNATIONAL FOLK ART**

**M A R K E T :**  
<http://www.folkartmarket.org/>

July 13-15, on Museum Hill in Santa Fe, N.M.

Friday night party, 6:30 p.m.-9 p.m., \$125.

Saturday early bird market, 7:30 a.m.-9 a.m., \$50, includes full-day admission. Saturday general admission, 9 a.m. on, \$15 in advance, \$20 at the gate.

Sunday general admission, 9 a.m., \$5 in advance, \$10 at the gate.

*Re-Elect*

# Ron



# McLester

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- Patrol
- Patrol Sergeant
- Criminal Investigator

**Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin:**

- Gaming Security
- Security Supervisor
- Internal Investigator
- Oneida Police Commission
- Property Shift Manager
- Surveillance Director
- Oneida Gaming Commissioner Part-Time

*I will do the best I can for the Tribe and the gaming operation*

- William M. Sauer

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# SAVE THE DATE

## August 16-19, 2012

Cultural Heritage Property  
 and Norbert Hill Center

Oneida, Wisconsin

Vendors - Oneida Artists    Significance of Wampum

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Genealogy Training    Arts & Craft Classes    Food, food, food!

Health and Wellness    History Presentations

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Any and all suggestions welcomed    Volunteers needed

Oneida Cultural Heritage Department | 3703 Hillcrest Drive | Green Bay, WI  
 920-496-5394 | oneida-nsn.gov



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

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**TUESDAY, July 10th, 2012**  
11:30 am – 1:30 pm

**WEDNESDAY, July 11th, 2012**  
4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Application Deadline:  
**Monday July 16th, 2012** at  
the Land Management office  
by **4:30 p.m.**

Contact the Division of Land Management for more information.

Local: (920) 869-1690  
Toll Free: (800) 684-1697  
Address: 470 Airport Drive, Oneida, WI 54155  
Website: <http://www.oneidanation.org/land/>

Directions to home:

54 West to County F/Hillcrest, take a right,  
Take 1<sup>st</sup> right on Open Gate  
Take a left on Rolling Green  
Home is on the right corner of Eagle Terrace  
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Approved by the Land Commission: 06/11/2012



Elect  
**CHRIS  
CORNELIUS**  
for  
Appeals Commissioner

#### Experience & Background

20+ years experience working for the Oneida Tribe with Tribal, non-Tribal, Federal, State & Local: Laws, Ordinances, Rules, Regulations, Policies, and Standard Operating Procedures. Court experiences include civil, criminal and trial court systems at either Federal, State, Local & Tribal court levels.

- FACC Tribal Procurement Tech Asst Center - Program Coordinator
- US House-Congressional aide- Defense and Veterans Affairs caseworker - Dr. Steve Kagen
- Lieutenant - Oneida Emergency Management Homeland Security
- Hearing Officer - Environmental Resource Board – 2007 - present
- Judge Advocate - VFW Post 7784
- Appointed Advisor to National American Indian Veteran (NAIV) Commander, Don Loudner
- Oneida Nation Veterans Affairs Committee - Chair
- Environmental Resource Board - Vice Chair
- Mentor - WI National Guard Academy for at Risk youth
- Narcotics Investigator / Patrol Officer
- US Army Veteran - Honorable Service

#### Education & Training

- Peace and Justice - St. Norbert College - De Pere, WI 2009-present
- Supervisory Management Associate Degree - NWTC 2008
- Oneida Tribal Law & Hearing Training- ERB 2007 - Present
- WI Law Enforcement Certificate - FVTC 2001

#### Family: Parents - Pat and Merlin Cornelius

Grandparents: Alice (King) & Joe Cornelius, and  
Grace (Skenandore) & Peter Kurowski.

**Siblings:** Merlin, Phil, Bart, Kenny, Cheryl Vandenberg &  
Terry Doxtator

## Oneida Culture Days

**JUNE 28 - JULY 8, 2012**

### TOBACCO BURNING AND FLAG RAISING CEREMONY

Thursday, June 28, 2012  
8:00 AM  
Norbert Hill Center

### ONEIDA FARMER'S MARKET

Thursday, June 28, 2012  
Noon – 6:00 PM  
Red Willow Parkway (Next to Oneida Post Office)

### ONEIDA RECREATION LITTLE LEAGUE

Thursday, June 28, 2012  
5:30 PM and 7:15 PM games  
Site One Ball Diamond

### INDIAN BOARDING SCHOOL PRESENTATION

Thursday, June 28, 2012  
6:00 PM – 7:30 PM  
Oneida Nation Museum

### WOODLAND INDIAN ART SHOW

Friday, June 29, 2012  
5:00 PM  
Norbert Hill Center

### LIL' MISS ONEIDA PAGEANT

Friday, June 29, 2012  
5:30 PM Registration  
Norbert Hill Center

### ONEIDA POW WOW

**Friday, June 29, 2012**  
Grand Entry at 7:00 PM  
**Saturday, June 30, 2012**  
Grand Entries at 1:00 PM and 7:00 PM  
**Sunday, July 1, 2012**  
Grand Entries at 12:30 PM  
Norbert Hill Center

### WISCONSIN INDIAN VETERANS ASSOCIATION (WIVA)

#### BREAKFAST FUND RAISER

Saturday, June 30, 2012  
7:00 AM – 11:00 PM – All you can eat!  
Parish Hall

#### ONEIDA 4TH OF JULY PARADE

Saturday, June 30, 2012  
10:30 AM  
Turtle School to Norbert Hill Center – Route

#### WOODLAND INDIAN ART SHOW

Saturday, June 30, 2012  
12:00 NOON  
Norbert Hill Center

#### WOODLAND INDIAN ART SHOW

Sunday, July 1, 2012  
12:00 NOON  
Norbert Hill Center

#### GENERAL TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING

Monday, July 2, 2012  
6:00 PM  
Radisson Hotel and Conference Center

#### ONEIDA RECREATION T-BALL LEAGUE

Monday, July 2, 2012  
5:30 PM & 6:30 PM  
Site One Ball Diamonds

#### ONEIDA RECREATION LITTLE LEAGUE

Tuesday, July 3, 2012 & Thursday, July 5, 2012  
5:30 PM & 7:15 PM  
Site One Ball Diamonds

#### ONEIDA SPECIAL ELECTIONS

Saturday, July 7, 2012  
7:00 AM - 7:00 PM  
Oneida Health Center

#### COMEDIAN BILLY GARDELL

Sunday, July 8, 2012  
8:00 PM  
Oneida Casino

*Oneida Comprehensive Health Division Management*

## Appointment shortage for counseling

There is a nationwide shortage of physicians in Primary Care and Psychiatry. We currently have Provider vacancies in Family Practice, Internal Medicine and Psychiatry. We are faithfully attempting various strategies to meet our community's healthcare needs:

- We have contracted with a firm to assist with Provider Recruitment.
- Oneida Business Committee approved Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistant positions.
- The Health Division is working on a Provider retention plan.
- We are negotiating with a local health system to provide urgent care services.

We seek your continued support and patience as we recruit additional providers to become fully staffed.

You can assist us in our goal of improving healthcare access by:

- Keeping your scheduled appointments
- Providing us at least 24 hours' notice if you are unable to keep your appointment
- Providing complete and accurate information at registration

*Thank you  
Oneida Comprehensive Health Division Management*

## TRIAD Program Enhanced with Nutrition Classes

Good News! The Diabetes Team is proud to announce enhancements made to the TRIAD Program. The TRIAD program is a structured exercise program for patients diagnosed with diabetes on behalf of collaboration between the Oneida Community Health Center Diabetes Team, Health Promotion Disease Prevention Department, and Oneida Family Fitness. To improve participant success, Registered Dietitian and Certified Diabetes Educator, Betty Schwantes will be pro-

viding monthly nutrition classes at Oneida Family Fitness Education Room, covering the following topics:

1. YOU CAN HAVE YOUR CAKE AND EAT IT TOO
2. YOUR CHEAT SHEET TO GOOD EATS
3. FEARLESS FITNESS

Beginning May 1, 2012, TRIAD program participants will be required to:

1. Attend one nutrition class every quarter.
2. Exercise at least 24 times every quarter.
3. If you complete 1

and 2, you will receive a \$25 Oneida retail gift card every quarter when you meet with your Health Promotion Wellness Coach.

4. The Oneida retail gift card will NOT be dispensed at the nutrition class.

No pre-registration is required. For more information, please contact Margaret VanDen Heuvel, Diabetes Program Supervisor, at (920) 869-4941. See flyer below for dates, time, and location.

## TRIAD CLASSES

Offered to OCHC Patients Using Physical Activity & Nutrition to Control Diabetes

### SUMMER SESSION

| WHAT   | WHEN                          | WHERE                                |
|--|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| You Can Have Your Cake & Eat It Too                          | July 11 <sup>th</sup><br>3PM  | Oneida Family Fitness Education Room |
| Your Cheat Sheet To Good Eats<br>(bring food label to share) | July 18 <sup>th</sup><br>8AM  | Oneida Family Fitness Education Room |
| Fearless Fitness   | August 8 <sup>th</sup><br>3PM | Oneida Family Fitness Education Room |

<http://www.oneidanation.org/HealthCenter/page.aspx?id=326>

## Information for patients who utilize OCHC On-Call Nurse

Registered Nurses (RN) are available for patient phone calls – 24 hours a day/7days a week. When the clinic is closed the RN is home. They do not have access to medical records or pharmacy information.

### When to call and speak with the RN after clinic hours:

- You/your child have an urgent health care need/question that cannot wait until the next open day of the clinic.
- Don't call the RN when you are having a life threatening issue. For example, chest pain, difficulty breathing, or bleeding profusely from wound. Access the nearest emergency department to get medical attention as soon as possible. Call 911 as needed for intervention. Call the Contract Health Services Department to report the visit within 72 hours to ensure coverage.
- The RN's on call also work 40 + hours per week at the OCHC medical clinic, in addition to providing on call services. Calling in the middle of the night with a concern that is not urgent is not appropriate.
- On call staff does not determine Contract Health eligibility. You need to contact the Contract Health Department when the clinic reopens to check on eligibility

## JUST MOVE IT ONEIDA SUMMER WALK

Wednesday, July 11, 2012

At Oneida Family Fitness

| Time   | Event                         |
|--|-------------------------------|
| 4:30pm   | Registration Begins           |
| 4:30-6:30pm  | Family Water Games            |
| <b>**please wear appropriate attire &amp; come prepared to get wet if you want to participate in the water games**</b> |                               |
| 4:30-6:30pm  | Kids Games & Activities       |
| 5:00pm   | Snack                         |
| 5:00-5:45pm  | Lively Low Impact Class       |
| 5:15-6:00pm  | Group Personal Training Class |
| 6:15-6:45pm  | Spin Class                    |

For more information call Oneida Family Fitness 490-3730

## STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

## Proclamation

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Elderly Nutrition Program is to reduce hunger and food insecurity of older individuals while promoting their socialization by providing them with low cost, nutritional meals in an inviting social setting; and

WHEREAS, the Elderly Nutrition Program assists older individuals gain access to nutrition, health service and disease prevention services; and

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Elderly Nutrition Program served 3.85 million meals statewide at more than 500 dining centers from October 2010 to September 2011, assisting older adults in their homes to keep them out of costly long-term care facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Older Americans Act was signed into law in the month of July; and

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Association of Aging Directors pledges its full and dedicated cooperation with Wisconsin's Aging Network and other federal and state organizations in promoting public awareness of the elderly nutritional program and in celebrating the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the program;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim July 2012, as

### ELDERLY NUTRITION MONTH

throughout the State of Wisconsin, and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 2012.

SCOTT WALKER  
GOVERNOR



By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State