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# 2019 LPGA Classic Media Day at Thornberry Creek



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2017 Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic champion Katherine Kirk addresses reporters and other spectators May 14 during Media Day at Thornberry Creek at Oneida. Kirk, who has become the face of the tournament, returns for the third year of the competition featuring the world's top 144 professional women golfers.

aspects is a customary tradition within the native community. In line with showing, recording the lowest to par tradition, the Oneida Youth Singers performed for the well attended media day event this past Tuesday, to kick off the GA-career victory at the LPGA Medihereturn for the third edition of Thornberry al Championship and moved up to No. 9 Creek LPGA Classic, July 4–7.

Past Champions Sei Young Kim and Australian Katherine Kirk are set to return to Thornberry Creek at Oneida for LPGA Classic from the July 4-7.

memories of her LPGA record-breaking a prosperous career. score (-31) in the history of the Tour. She recently captured her eighth LPin the Rolex Rankings.

Joining her in the 144-player field competing for the \$2 million purse is 2017 champion, Australian 37-year old the third edition of the Thornberry Creek LPGA veteran, Katherine Kirk, Kirk, who is playing her 16th season on Tour, Korea's Sei Young Kim, who cap- has notched 11 victories worldwide tured the Sky Woman Trophy with a on the ALPG, Ladies European Tour, nine-stroke victory in 2018, returns to Futures Tour and the LPGA, with her

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Kirk attended the Official Media Day at Thornberry Creek and took part in activities including meeting with Oneida elders, taking part in an 'Eagle Feather Presentation' with Oneida veterans and inspiring youth golfers in a golf clinic.

Joining the duo of champions are an illustrious list of world class players including two-time major champion and Rolex Ranking No. 3 Sung Hyun Park, rising Japanese star and Rolex Ranking

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# Bay Bank's HIP Program celebrates 50th loan closing



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Above: Chris Coppens (Bay Bank), Julie Miller (Bay Title), Shelly Burzynski (Bay Title), Dana McLester (Comprehensive Housing), Javon Miller, Dominic Miller, Vanessa Miller (First HIP home recipient), Journee Miller, Tehassi Hill (Oneida Nation Chairman), Kanatihal, Tanya Krueger (Bay Bank), Rae Skenandore (Oneida Land Commission), Trish King (Treasurer), Pat Pelky (Oneida Environmental, Health, Safety, and Land Division), Dan Fritz (Bay Bank).

The Oneida Nation's and Bay Bank's partnership with the Homeownership by Independent Purchase (HIP) program celebrated their 50th home loan closing on May 3. The HIP Program, which started in May 2016, is designed to assist Oneida Nation citizens with home purchases on the Oneida Reservation that meet certain criteria.

"In three years we have closed 50 loans with this partnership with the Oneida Nation," Tanya Krueger, Bay Bank Assistant Vice President, said. "A tribal member can buy a home within the reservation boundaries and as long as it's within the subdivisions that don't have restrictive covenants, meaning

the property can't be converted into trust land, and the land value is under \$75,000, the tribe can buy the land at the tax assessed value and customer buys the house. So, the customer can afford more home because the customer is paying for the house but the tribe is paying the taxes on the land and the tribal members pays the taxes on the house. It's more affordable for the customer."

The idea for the HIP Program was brought up with Land Commissioner Rae Skenandore about three years ago. "A friend of mine asked me 'why can't I just pick out my own house and have the tribe purchase the land?" Skenandore said. "We had some of the attorneys, land staff, mortgage lenders from Bay Bank, and some representatives from HUD (U.S. Department of Housing and

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# Tlachac-Toonen releases her latest children's book What's New This Week

By Christopher Johnson Kalihwisaks Sr. Reporter/Photographer cjohnson@oneidanation.org @cjohns89

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The journey to becoming a children's book writer wasn't exactly a straight path for Oneida Nation citizen Janet Tlachac-Toonen. But since she's found her niche Tlachac-Toonen is showing no signs of slowing down and, through her own publishing company Staytoondpublish.com, recently completed and released her latest book "Cozmo's Wish."

"I was an illustrator and tried working with professional writers earlier on but it never really seemed to work out," Tlachac-Toonen said. "So, I just decided to write my own stories and just illustrate them the way I wanted. I have another business where I do illustrations and graphic designs for other companies so I just decided to have fun with it and

do it as a sideline, but pretty soon it became my main focus."

The idea for becoming a full-time writer and publisher came to Tlachac-Toonen while she and her husband were residing in Florida. With no printing companies in their area, she decided to bring her years of printing knowledge and experience to bear and formed her own graphic design business. "My husband told me to make that my main focus and do my own thing while we were down there," Tlachac-Toonen said. "So, while I was in between projects I sat down and started watching cartoons, but I tried watching the ones they had for kids and I simply couldn't stand them. They were horrible, very violent, and the characters just weren't interesting.

"I knew I could make something better for kids than what was out there." Tlachac-Toonen said. "I had created a little bear character named Sydney when I was in high school so I decided I was



Janet Tlachac-Toonen

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# ONES Spring Concert 2019



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The Oneida Nation Elementary School's (ONES) 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students performed their annual spring concert May 10 in front of an amazed crowd that included parents, friends, school staff, and other community members. Each of the grades performed respective renditions of New Women's Dance while they also sang some contemporary numbers. Some other songs they performed included We Will Rock You, Radioactive, It's In The Bag, Hot Cross Buns, Gently Sleep, Merrily We Roll Along, and Not My Bag.



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# **Ground Breaking on Purple Heart Monument in Oneida May 18**

Oneida Reservation ~ On May 18th, at 1:30 p.m., the Military Order of the Purple Hearts will be breaking ground with the Oneida Nation Veterans, for a Purple Heart Monument to be located by the Oneida Nation Veterans Memorial Wall on the corner of Hwy 54 and Haven Place.

The ground breaking ceremony will include raising the flags, a Vet-

erans honor guard and an honor song by the Oneida Medicine Bear Singers. Taps will be played to honor all wounded and fallen warriors. There will be a complimentary meal to follow at the Robert Cornelius VFW Post 7784, at 2:00 p.m. located at 2980 E. Service Rd,



Oneida, 54155.

This ceremony is in conjunction with the 2019 Convention of the Military Order of the Purple Hearts being held at the Radisson Hotel and Convention Center May 17-19. This convention will offer opportunities for attendees to learn more about veterans benefits, suicide crisis, scholarships for dependents, Veterans Invisible Wounds/Blue Line/Spiri-

tual Healing and more.

The Oneida Nation recently proclaimed the Oneida Reservation as a "Purple Heart Reservation" to honor those wounded and fallen warriors who have served our country.

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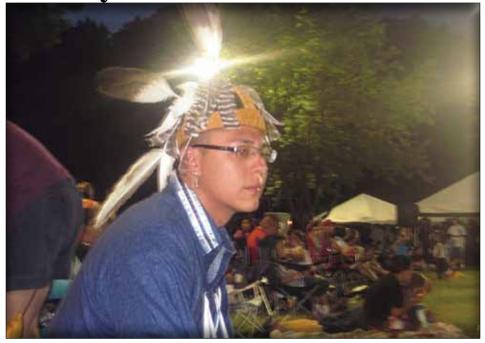
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# Local

# Family remembers Jonathon



**Photo courtesy of Sue Doxtator** 

Jonathon Tubby in his smoke dance outfit. The family often recalls how much he liked to do several styles of dancing.

# By Dawn Walschinski and **Christopher Johnson**

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It was Jonathon Tubby's family's first Easter without him.

"Easter was hard," said his aunt Sarah Wunderlich. She would normally make an Easter basket for her nephew, but instead made one for his mother Nina Hellendrung. Sarah's sister.

"I'm assuming he went to everybody's house for baskets, so he probably had half a dozen baskets," said Sarah with a laugh.

"To-go plates," added Jonathon's aunt Sue Doxtator.

"Care packages," said Sue's husband Arlie Doxtator.

Happy memories are tinged with sadness in the wake of the shooting death of Jonathon while in the custody of the City of Green Bay Police the night of October 19, 2018.

"It's those little things that we forget, those little moments where we expect him to show up or call or message," said Sarah

Arlie, Sue and Sarah are the family's spokespeople who deal with media requests and an ongoing civil lawsuit against the Green Bay Police Department. While they won't disclose the details of their lawsuit, in a statement they said they wanted local law enforcement to have better training and equipment.

"It's a positive thing that some of these things are happening now ... but that still doesn't ease our pain," said Arlie.

Cameras in the Brown County Shariff's sally-port where the shooting took place were updated, and Green Bay Police and the Oneida Nation are communicating with each other more. However, a tour of the reservation by Green Bay Police officers was a stressor for family members who were in tribal buildings they visited that day.

"When they came to Norbert Hill, I was in the High School office, and I was like 'why is that bus here?" said Sarah. "And I looked and I was like 'I gotta get out of here. I need to be away from them.' ... And as I was walking away ...

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# **Family remembers Jonathon**



Oneida Code Talkers Day & Memorial Day

**Oneida offices will be CLOSED on** Friday, May 24th & Monday, May 27th, 2019



# ONEIDA NATION Code Talkers' **GOLF OUTING**

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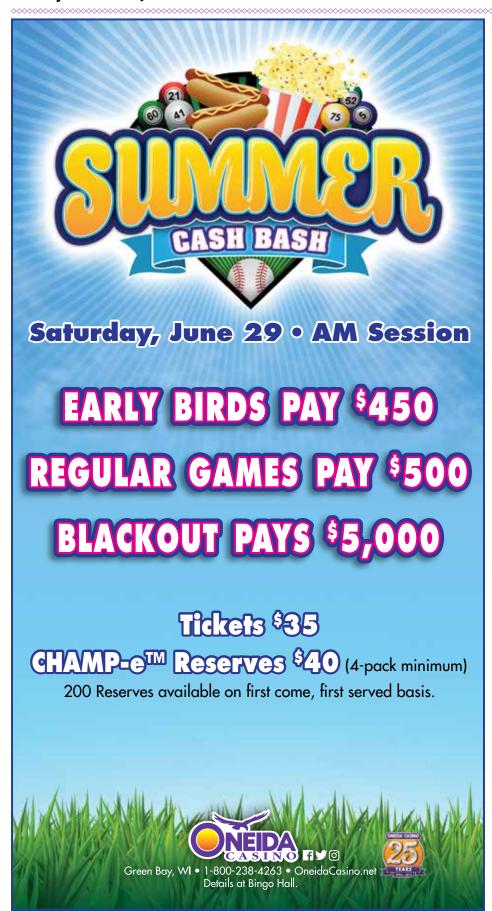
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# **Sacred Eagle Feather Ceremony**



Kali photo/Christopher Johnson

The Oneida Nation Veterans Services Office hosted a sacred eagle feather presentation ceremony May 14 for United States Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class (AW) Connor Kestell. Kestell, an Equipment Operator (EO2) with the Navy Seabees, is presently stationed at Tinker Air Force Base in Oklahoma City, Okla. Petty Officer Kestell is the son of Mary Graves and stepson of Todd Graves. Above: Grandmother Jan Frion, stepfather Todd Graves, EO2 Kestell, and mother Mary Graves

# Country Music Entertainers Highlight Oneida Casino 25th Anniversary in July

Hank Williams Jr., Sara Evans, Pam Tillis, and Lorrie Morgan to perform

Oneida Reservation – As part of their 25th anniversary celebration, Oneida Casino will be holding three separate country music acts. Grits & Glamour Tour with Pam Tillis and Lorrie Morgan will be held on Thursday, July 25, 2019; Hank Williams, Jr. will be held on Friday, July 26, 2019; and Sara Evans will be held on Saturday, July 27, 2019. All entertainment acts will be held in the Radisson Three Clans Ballroom located at the Airport Drive location. Doors to the Three Clans Ballroom open at 7 p.m. with a show time of 8 p.m. each night.

Oneida Casino will be celebrating its 25th anniversary during the month of July. Oneida Casino's Airport Drive location, across from Austin Straubel Airport, opened in July 1994. "We are very excited to celebrate 25 years with our dignitaries, employees and valued patrons by bringing in some of the biggest names in country music," General Manager, Louise Cornelius stated.

Tickets for all three acts go on sale Saturday, June 1, 2019, and can be purchased by phone, online, or in person at Ticketstar. Grits & Glamour Tour with Pam Tillis ticket price is \$25. Hank Williams, Jr. ticket price is \$50. Sara Evans ticket price is \$35. All concerts are general admission seating.

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Urban Development) get together and who was involved in making this prowe hashed it out. It took about another year to get the fine details worked out tribal members to go out and pick their but this has become a really successful homes," Hill said. "They like the proprogram."

Multiple entities within the Oneida Nation put a lot of time and effort into the program that now offers tribal citizens more options for purchasing a home. "For me it's about diversity and offering more opportunities to the membership," Pat Pelky, Oneida Environmental, Health, Safety, and Land Division Director, said. "We could not have done this without the partnerships between Land Management, Comprehensive Housing, three attorneys, Bay Bank, the Land Commission, and of course from the community itself wanting more choices. This has been an excellent choice."

"There were some key people in pushing this forward like Becky Webster," Kanatihal, Housing Authority Senior Loan Officer, said. "And as all the pieces were put on the table Krystal John came in and helped get our process in place. And there were certainly more than just those two involved with this amazing program. And another key part of this program is the tribe is acquiring land so we're building the Nation bigger. I just want to say congratulations."

Oneida Nation Chairman Tehasprogram. "I'd like to thank everybody mortgage lenders at (920) 490-7600.

gram happen and making it possible for cess of figuring out what home they like in their location. Having the homeowners take care of their own homes also relieves that responsibility from various departments and the program benefits the Nation as well."

"I get an opportunity to talk about our bank in a lot of different places," Jeff Bowman, Bay Bank President and CEO, said. "We are getting really well known for good things that are happening right here. Our peers and other Native-owned banks are amazed at what we do. Other people across the country look at these ideas that come from the Oneida Nation and they are really impressed. So, don't stop giving yourselves credit and keep pressing ahead with new ideas because we really are the envy of others that see how progressive and creative this thinking is."

"This is a great program," Krueger said. "We worked with the tribe for several months to get it going and we're proud to have closed our 50th loan three years later. It's been a great way to partner with the tribe and make dreams come true. Our goal is to get people into houses.

For more information about the HIP si Hill also expressed gratitude for the Program contact any of the Bay Bank

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# Wisconsin tribe accused of embezzling could face \$5.5M fines

MILWAUKEE (AP) - The National Vegas. Indian Gaming Commission has proposed fining the St. Croix Chippewa \$5.5 million over accusations that the Wisconsin tribe's leaders pocketed at least \$1.5 million in casino funds.

The commission's chairman, Jonodev Chaudhuri, issued a notice of the proposed fines on Thursday, the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel reported. It comes a month after Chaudhuri charged the tribe with 527 violations of federal and tribal ordinances.

The maximum fine for the alleged violations would be \$27.7 million.

Chaudhuri said the tribal leaders' actions were "egregious" given the tribe's precarious financial situation. Many members of the Burnett County-based tribe live in poverty.

Regulators said some of the funds were used for trips to Hawaii and Las

"The tribe would have an additional \$1.5 million in available funds if they had not been repeatedly doled out to the tribe's own leaders, 'consultants' and others for personal gain," Chaudhuri

Many tribal officials knew about the illicit payments but failed to stop them, he said.

"The seriousness of these violations and their effect on the St. Croix Indians of Wisconsin, as well as the reputation of tribal gaming across the nation, cannot be overstated," Chaudhuri said.

The tribe can appeal the recommended fine to commissioners.

> Information from: Milwaukee Journal Sentinel, http://www.jsonline.com

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major winner, former Rolex Ranking No. 1 and LPGA Hall of Famer. Inbee Park

Commenting on her return, Katherine Kirk said, "It is always special to come back to a place that you love and have enjoyed success at so, I'm excited about returning to Thornberry Creek. Everyone at Oneida is so supportive and the fans really know how to get behind the players, even when you walk through town in your golf gear, people are shouting good luck. During my title defense, I could not believe how many people welcomed me back and that gave me a lot of confidence."

Sei Young Kim said, "Last year felt like such a blur. Everything just fell in to place that week and I hope to have another week like that again. The course and greens in particular are always in great condition and I know that the players enjoy having the perfect opportunity to shoot a low score. The fans last year were amazing and I cannot wait to tee it up as defending champion."

Chad Fuss, Oneida Golf Enterprise Agent said, "We are extremely grateful for the continued support for this event from the community of Green Bay and we are looking forward to giving them a show of excellent golf this year. With Katherine and Sei Young we have two inspiring returning champions but with

No. 5 Nasa Hataoka, and seven-time major champions like Inbee Park joining them, the fans are destined to have some high quality golf to watch. We look forward to announcing more world-class players in the coming weeks."

today, what a class act she is." said Jon-Paul Genet, Thornberry Creek LPGA volunteers, corporate partners and spec-Classic Tournament Director. "She tators."

thrilled the fans on course a couple years ago and still looks to be enjoying herself back in Green Bay. We are thrilled to welcome her and Sei Young back and look forward to witnessing similar "Katherine proved in 2017, and again performances this year as we look to provide a world-class event for players,



Kali photo/Christopher Johnson

Attendees of the media day event this past Tuesday, were treated to a cultural performance by the Oneida Youth Singers before the press conference went underway. Lunch was served and a golf outing was held thereafter for those who signed up to check out the course. The event was held to kick off the return for the third edition of Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic, July 4-7.

# Native American students upset over educator's ouster

BILLINGS, Mont. (AP) - Some students at a Catholic school serving Native Americans in Montana are unhappy after a popular administrator announced she had been dismissed.

The Billings Gazette reported Saturday students at St. Labre Indian School in Ashland planned a walkout in protest, prompting the school to cancel classes Thursday and Friday.

Director of Schools Crystal Redgrave Redgrave is leaving. told staff members in an email that school officials had ended her employment effective June 30.

The newspaper said St. Labre Executive Director Curtis Yarlott didn't return phone messages Friday.

Student government leader Shelrae Limpy, one of the walkout organizers, says students haven't been told why

Redgrave advocates a culturally rooted education for Native American students that includes focusing on spiritual and emotional elements as well as cognitive and physical education.

Information from: The Billings Gazette, http:// www.billingsgazette.com



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# **Volunteer Registration Now Open for 2019 Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic**

Prevea Health continue support as Official Healthcare and Volunteer Sponsor

today launched volunteer registration for the highly anticipated third annual Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic, July 2-7, 2019 at Thornberry Creek at Oneida - the Official Golf Course of the Green Bay Packers. In less than 100 days, South Korea's Sei Young Kim defends the title that she captured in scintillating fashion last year with an LPGA scoring record of 31-under-par.

together last year to contribute to one com. of the most memorable LPGA events of the 2018 season. Members of the public can now apply to volunteer for a range of tournament committee positions including Hospitality, Operations, Scoring and Marshals

Speaking about the announcement, Jon-Paul Genet, Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic Tournament Director. said, "Without the hard work of our volunteers, this unique LPGA event would not be possible. In only the third year of the tournament we have been overwhelmed by the support of the Greater Green Bay community and we look forward to providing another memorable experience for our volunteers and spectators."

In conjunction with the launch of volunteer registration. Prevea Health once again returns as the Official Healthcare and Volunteer Sponsor. They will activate on-site during tournament week and serve as host of the Volunteer Appreciation Party following tournament play on Saturday, July 6.

Dr. Ashok Rai, President and CEO at Prevea Health, said, "We thoroughly enjoy being part of the Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic and it is a pleasure to host the Volunteer Appreciation Party after such a tough but enjoyable week. We are committed to sharing our knowledge and passion for health and wellness to **Ticket Information** the Greater Green Bay community and the tournament enables us to perfectly connect with them."

Volunteers pay a \$55 registration Oneida, WI, - Tournament officials fee, which includes a tournament polo, hat, meals during their shifts, volunteer credential, volunteer preferred parking pass and four weekly Grounds & Clubhouse tickets for friends and family (total value of \$260). Those who volunteer at least 18 hours are also eligible for a discounted round of golf at Thornberry Creek at Oneida.

For more information on how to volunteer or what the roles involve, please visit More than 600 volunteers came www.ThornberryCreekLPGAClassic.

> Check out the Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic social channels: Facebook: www.facebook.com/ thornberrycreeklpga/ Twitter: www.twitter.com/ thornberrylpga Instagram: www.instagram.com/ thornberrycreeklpga/.

A range of ticket options are now onsale by visiting the tournament website with children 17 and under receiving free admission when accompanied by a ticketed adult. New for 2019 - The Clubhouse facility will be open to the public. All ticketholders will have access into the Thornberry Creek at Oneida Clubhouse.

- Single Day Grounds & Clubhouse Tickets \$25
- Weekly Grounds & Clubhouse Tickets

Additionally, tickets for The Deck on 17 are available for purchase starting at \$60 and tickets to our premier hospitality venue, the Sky Woman Suites, are onsale starting at \$200.

Active duty, retired, reserve military and veterans will receive complimentary grounds access. Tribal Members of the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin receive complimentary grounds access as well.

Tickets and additional information is available by visiting www.Thornberry-CreekLPGAClassic.com.

# **FINANCE** Administration Office Hours

Please be aware, **effective** Wednesday, May 1, 2019 and until further notice. the Finance Administration office will be **CLOSED** from 12 Noon until 1 PM for the lunch hour.

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# Town of Oneida 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Volunteer Fire Department Picnic

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- Kids Games and Pedal Bike Giveaways

# Food & Refreshments...

- **Booyah** (Bring a container and bring some home)
- BBQ Pork Sandwiches
- Hot Dogs, Cheese Burgers
- Hamburgers, Nachos and Cheese
- French Fries
- · Soda. Beer & Water

# **Double Elimination Bean Baq Tournament**

Starting at 12:00 Noon \$40.00 per two person team - 50% Pavout

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# O.N.E.S. 2018-19 3RD Qrt. HONORS

# **Academic Honors** GPA 3.00 - 3.499

Rylee Baird, 3 grd. - 3.418 Malakai Cooper, 3 grd. - 3.418 Osakwalha Cornelius, 3 grd. - 3.418 Destiny Doxtator, 3 grd. -3.083 Saniya Ninham, 3 grd. - 3.250 Kimberly Perez, 3 grd. - 3.250 Everett Skenandore, 3 grd. 3.168 Sir Smith, 3 grd. - 3.418 Ayden Thomas, 3 grd. - 3.418 Asha Burgos, 4th grd. - 3.250 Francesca Maravilla, 4th grd. - 3.003 Jamison Quiver, 5th grd. - 3.250 Brianna Shoning, 5th grd. - 3.253 Liliana Annamitta, 6th grd. - 3.167 Carmelita Castillo, 6th grd. - 3.110 Jonas Johnson, 6th grd. - 3.167 Ever Acosta, 7th grd. - 3.445 Mahkia Cloud, 8th grd. - 3.000 Abigayle House, 8th grd. - 3.445 Savannah Warren, 8th grd. - 3.335

**High Honors** GPA 3.500 - 3.799 Raylon Baird, 4th grd. - 3.503 Elliana Grignon, 4th grd. - 3.668 Aubrey House, 4th grd. - 3.753 Jackson Newton, 4th grd. - 3.668 Alazea Skippergosh, 5th grd. - 3.668 Jaylynn Caldwell, 6th grd. - 3.778 Jianna Danforth, 6th grd. - 3.780 Rhianna Danforth, 6th grd. - 3.557 Madalyn King, 6th grd. - 3.667 Lydia Stevens, 6th grd. - 3.557 Cylie King, 7th grd. - 3.500 Audris Cleveland, 8th grd. - 3.557 Eajah Danforth, 8th grd. - 3.612 Krishawna Johnson, 8th grd. - 3.555 Tyra King, 8th grd. - 3.500

# **Highest Honors** GPA 3.800 - 4.000

Delianna Gonzales, 4th grd. - 3.918 Bella Hill, 4th grd. - 4.000 Anani Burgos, 5th grd. - 3.835 Asa Hill, 6th grd. - 3.833 Samantha Anderson, 7th grd. - 3.890 Kyson King, 7th grd. - 3.835 Vernon Stevens, 7th grd. - 3.833

# O.N.E.S. 2018-2019 3RD QUARTER PERFECT ATTENDANCE

# **Elementary School**

Israel Rodriguez-Ignacio, 2nd grd. Leyden Barnes, 5th grd. Zachary Bilquist, 5th grd.

# Middle School

Carmelita Castillo, 6th grd. Alessandro Rodriguez-Ignacio, 6th grd. Jania Skenandore, 8th grd.

# Attention

Oneida Offices will be closed Friday, May 24 for Oneida Code Talkers Day and Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day

# Oneida TANF Program

Accepting applications until May 31 for 2019 Summer Youth Program

The Oneida Nation TANF Program will be taking applications for the 2019 TANF Summer Youth Program. The Monday, April 29, 2019. The program IAIA extends provides career exploration and work experience opportunities for youth ages 14-19 who are attending high school or returning to high school in the fall. The youth will be compensated at an hourly rate of pay and are eligible to work up to 25 hours a week. The program will run June 17th – August 16th and has space for up to 40 youth.

# Requirements for the TANF-funded positions are:

- At least one person in the family must be an Oneida enrolled tribal member living in the home, and residing in Brown or Outagamie County OR
- An enrolled member in any federally recognized tribe living in the home, and residing within the Oneida Nation Reservation boundaries.
- TANF eligible households with income at or below 250% of the Federal Poverty Level -Income Guidelines.

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1	_		\$2,602.00	
2			\$3,522.00	
3			\$4,443.00	
4			\$5,364.00	
5			\$6,285.00	
6			\$7,206.00	
7			\$8,127.00	
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9			\$9,968.00	
10			\$10,889.00	
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For each additional person +\$920.00

The priority deadline to apply is May 31, 2019. Applications can be picked up Monday through Friday from 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., at the Oneida

Economic Support reception desk located at 2640 West Point Rd, Green Bay. Any questions please contact the front desk at 920.490.3939.

Youth whose applications are received after the priority deadline will be placed on a waiting list in the order they are re-

# deadline for scholarship

Santa Fe, N.M. – Novelist George RR Martin, through his Literary Fund, recently established one \$15,000 and two \$5,000 scholarships for students seeking a BFA at IAIA in Cinematic Arts & Technology.

The deadline for one of the two \$5,000 scholarships – for an eligible incoming freshman or transfer student - has been extended to June 1st, 2019 at 8:00 am.

To qualify, the student must demonstrate a passion for story-telling. Also, in addition to completing the on-line scholarship application, they'll need to submit a story sample (or script) and bio. For more information, or to apply, visit www.iaia.edu/newcomer.

The GRRM Literary Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee will complete their selections, and the recipients of all three scholarships will be announced at the IAIA Annual Scholarship Dinner and Auction on August 14, 2019 at the La Fonda hotel.

As Martin remarked at the press conference announcing the scholarships: "....I still would have gone to college, but probably not at Northwestern...' without scholarship support. He also shared a quote from a writer that influenced him in his youth, Robert A. Heinlin: "You can never pay back the people who helped you when you were starting out, so you have to pay it forward."

Legislation (FCNL) is a Quaker lobby in the public interest that seeks to influence national policy for a more just, peaceful and sustainable world. The FCNL is seeking candidates for a 27-month advocacy fellowship in Washington D.C.

FCNL collaborates with national advocacy offices of faith organizations and with Native American organizations to lobby Congress and the administration for investments in Indian country, policy changes to benefit Native American communities and respect for tribal sovereignty.

FCNL supports all of the issue areas encountered by any government: land and borders; environment, energy, and natural resources; economic development; care for the safety and well-being of tribal citizens; protection of religion and cultural rights; and investment in the future through health and education. Since 1976, FCNL's program has advocated consistently for restorations and improvements in many areas covered by the promises made in hundreds of treaties.

**Application Deadline: June 1, 2019** 

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- An undergraduate or graduate degree or some college plus equivalent experience
- At least a year of professional work outside of the school environment
- Excellent research and writing skills, with a commitment to accuracy
- Strong outreach, networking, and partnership building skills
- Ability to connect with constituents and bring their stories to the Hill
- Experience with public speaking and event planning
- · Self-reliance, resourcefulness, and the ability to take initiative
- · A systematic and well-organized approach to problems, with attention to details and deadlines, and the ability to handle a wide range of tasks as needed
- · An ability to collaborate with a staff team responsible for a wide range of objectives within FCNL's work
- An appreciation of the vision that FCNL promotes in Congress and with administrative agencies
- · An abiding passion for Indian issues and for public policy change
- · A consultative and collegial manner, with skills in cooperative work with

# TO APPLY:

Please send the following items to jobs@fcnl.org no later than June 1, 2019:

- 1. Your contact information, including Skype or Zoom name
- 2. An updated resume
- 3. Names and contact information for three references
- 4. Answers to the following questions (1,000 words or less)
- o Why do you want to work on Native American issues?

- colleagues inside and outside of FCNL o What background or experience do you bring that will help you effectively lobby on Native American policy?
  - o How will you continue to engage in Native American policy after this fellowship ends?

Please include "Congressional Advocate" in the subject line of your submis-

For more information on the Congressional Advocate position, visit https://www.fcnl.org/updates/congressional-advocate-for-native-american-policy-2012.



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# Chairman's *Forum*



# Chairman's Forum

Tehassi Tasi Hill Chairman



I hope this finds you well. With signs of spring all around us and warmer weather. . . I'm excited to share that the second phase of construction activities for the expansion of Oneida Lake have commenced just last week! The contractor, Mueller Excavating, has mobilized equipment and began with silt fence installation and clearing and grubbing of designated areas. Earthwork activities will continue for the months



expand Oneida Lake by 10-15 acres providing an approximately 30-acre sustainable fishery the Oneida community as well as more recreational areas. Oneida Lake has been improving the quality of life for our community since 2015 having hosted Just Move it Oneida events, gatherings with friends and family, fishing, swimming, and cook-outs. The

expansion is underway and so are the opportunities for our community to spend time with loved ones outdoors.

As we re-establish and replenish more and more of our lands we will need generations prepared to protect and preserve it as those before us worked so hard to do for us. Youth are the future leaders who will take care of our environment, continue to exercise and protect our sovereignty, speak

This project will and preserve our language, sustain and emotional well-being of tribal youth generations. Providing opportunities for our youth to develop and be prepared to serve as leaders now and in the future is critical. One initiative being put into vouth to attend the National Congress of American Indians Mid-Year Conference and Marketplace Youth Commission in Sparks, Nevada, next month. Funding for the conference, travel, lodging and meals will be covered through the Business Committee's Special Projects budget.

> a unique perspective on issues relevant to Tribal youth and is an opportunity for those attending to acquire knowledge about Tribal government, Native American legislative and governmental Oneida has to offer. affairs and political science. It's also a chance for our youth to connect with other youth from across Indian Country and give input to tribal leaders. The mission of the Youth Commission is focused on enhancing the spiritual, mental, physical

our culture, and set the path for future for a better Native America, which is a great approach to further developing our young leaders and one the Business Committee fully supports.

There are many exciting events coming action is the opportunity for up to six up that will showcase our beautiful community and the talents of many. The Woodland Indian Art Show & Market is coming up from May 24 through the 26th at the Radisson Hotel & Conference Center; Oneida's 47th Annual Pow Wow is held June 28th through the 30th behind the Norbert Hill Center, and the third The NCAI Youth Commission provides year of the LPGA Thornberry Classic at Oneida will be July 2nd through the 7th. I hope you and your loved ones will have the opportunity to participate in these events or just to relax and enjoy all

> Yawakó· Be well and treat one another well. Sa?nikuhlatsa·niht (You have a strong mind) Chairman Tehassi Tasi Hill

# **OBC Council** Forum

### Shekoli Swakwek.

May is National Mental Health Awareness month. To kick off this month's events, we were fortunate to have Founder and Lead Clinical Therapist of HIR Wellness Center, Lea Denny, provide a training for our community May 1-2. We had a great turnout with representation from different area departments of Oneida Nation. This training focused on Healing Generational Adverse and Trauma Experiences (GATE) for Community Wellness. Also

there was a Youth Mental Health Day held at the Oneida Turtle School on Friday, May 10, 2019, sponsored by Oneida Behavioral Health. Lastly, to support the Community Education Center's Women's Health Series, the topic this past week was mental health. I want



Councilman

to encourage community members to not be afraid to go and get a mental health check-up, just as you would a physical or medical check-up. Everything is connected from our minds, bodies, and spirit.

Leadership Training -Oneida hosted a leadership training April 1-4. This was a very well attended training with approximate-Daniel Guzman-King ly 100 participants. Much of the academic literature, surrounding the discipline

> of leadership has its foundations with the Indigenous mindset. The four-day training was to assist those in leadership roles seeking to learn more about leadership interactively. I hope everyone was able to take away positive key points from this training. This initiative was provid

ed by Native Learning Center. I believe we must continuously invest time in ourselves and our people to learn, grow, and develop. The more knowledge and understanding we have as a whole, the stronger we will be as a nation.

8th Grade Futurez girls basketball team – We have an up and coming girls' basketball team that have improved their skills tremendously since 3rd grade. They were able to compete at the State Invitational tournament and were able to finish with 1st place. During the season, they played at a high level for their grade within the state. I want to congratulate their efforts and acknowledge the parents and coaches for their time and energy that was spent with these young female athletes. Not only are they great athletes, but they will develop a great work ethic of what it takes to be successful in the classroom and workforce. Keep up the great work, we can't wait to see what is

in store for the Futurez!

Inspiring Yukwatsistay^ - One of our strategic goals of the Nation is, Access to Care for all Oneidas. As we work to bring back more healthcare options, I am advocating along with the health team of professionals for an expansion of infrastructure and services. Currently, we have outgrown our health facility with the increased number of patients vs medical staff and room space. The building itself is almost 20 years old! The infrastructure could use some improvements and remodeling. As a community member, what would you like to see if services/hours were expanded? Please contact me a dguzman@oneidanation. org or 920-869-4366 or 920-869-4363 for suggestions. Also, if you are out traveling or live outside of Oneida, here is a U.S. map of the tribal health services that provide services to tribal members. https://www.ihs.gov/findhealthcare/#

# Study: Wisconsin sees growth in | Foster Parent Information Session forestry industry

MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ Timber sales are increasing in Wisconsin and more people are working in the state's forestry industry, according to a new national study.

The National Alliance of Forest Owners released a report last month that found employment in Wisconsin's forestry sector grew by nearly 5% from 2010 to 2016, totaling 174,848. The state's timber sales increased by nearly 10% to \$21.6 billion in 2016, the most recent year that comprehensive data is available, Wisconsin Public Radio reported.

Wisconsin led the Midwest in both fields in 2016, as well as timberland acres, according to the study.

Growth in the state's timber industry comes despite the closure of paper mills across Wisconsin in the last decade, said Henry Schienebeck, director of the Great Lakes Timber Professionals Association and chairman of the Wisconsin Council on Forestry.

He attributed that in part to the production of more saw timber, the high-quality wood

that's used in hardwood flooring and furni-

"Some of our forests are getting a little older," Schienebeck said. "What that means is we've actually got more saw timber that's growing.'

The majority of the state's 16.5 million timberland acres are privately owned, according to the study. Public lands account for about 4.7 million acres, while companies and individuals own the remaining 11.8 million

The National Alliance of Forest Owners CEO, Dave Tenney, said creating healthy economies around forestry also protects forest lands because it becomes less likely that they're sold or developed as farmland, among other uses.

"Anybody who owns and manages forests in the United States knows one thing: It's a long-term commitment," Tenney said. "And in order to make a long-term commitment with forests, they have to make investments today that won't return a yield for 20, 30 or 40 years or longer."



Wednesday, May 22nd 2019 11:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

Ever have questions about what fostering mean? What is Respite Care?

Were you ever interested or had questions about becoming a licensed Oneida Foster Home or a Respite Care Provid-

Lea Padron and Kathleen La Plant, Oneida Foster Home Coordinators, will be available for questions about fostering and/or respite care and providing information about how to become a foster home or respite provider on Wednesday, May 22nd from 11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. at Oneida Nation Social Services Building in the Green Room. This is an informal, open house/come anytime during 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. for questions and information. Please let the front desk know that you are here for the Foster Care information session.



# ONEIDA HIGHER EDUCATION'S 2019 COLLEGE FAIR FOR BUSY ADULTS

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# Oneida Nation High School THUNDERHAWK TIMES

# 2018 - 2019 Yearbook Nearing Completion

# By Johnny Doxtator Thunderhawk Times

One way to recall the great memories of another successful school year is to get your copy of this year's ONHS Yearbook.

According to art teacher Becky Anderson, yearbooks are "just about finished, with a few last minute picture and other items to take care of."

This year's yearbook should be ready

to purchase by "mid-June," Said Anderson.

The cost is the usual \$15.

Reported in an earlier issue of "ThunderHawk Times," the cover design was done by Alyssa Noriega.

Also contained inside are cover drawings submitted by Joseph Powless, Stephani Shabow, Kaleigh Johnson, Jossalyn Metoxen, Noemi Faustino, and Jaynoa Johnson.

# Ladies Open Gym Draws Athletes of All Ages

# By Malia Jacobs

Thunderhawk Times

On Mondays at 7 o'clock, you can find a group of women "hooping it up" in some heated games at the Civic.

It's open gym basketball for women of all ages. It draws some pretty good basketball players both young and just a little older. It allows women and young ladies to be active throughout the summer.

Usually all you see are open gyms for boys and men. Where they are playing some fun, intense 5 on 5 games. But

with having the women's open gym, it encourages older and younger ladies to play the sport they love without being afraid they'll get hurt.

These pickup games are located at the Civic every Monday at 7 o'clock. Feel free to come play and have fun. The ability to be able to play with women allows you feel involved and not an outcast as if you were to go to a boys open gym.

If you're interested and think you can hold your own, then join us.t

### **Thunderhawk Times Staff • Second Semester. 2018-2019**

Natavia Adams, Shania Barber, Billy Doxtator, Johnny Doxtator, Malia Jacobs, Talon McLester, Andres Mora, Charlene Peters, Shania Skenandore, Curtiss Summers, Denis Gullickson-Advisor.



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Kali Photo/Eric Doxtato

# Lady T-Hawks Get First Win

# By Natavia Adams

Thunderhawk Times

With a wet, cold spring putting a halt on the Lady T-Hawks' softball season, it's been something like "swim to first base wearing your parka."

Games have been rescheduled, moved or canceled.

But the ladies did reach a milestone on May 7, with a 10-6 victory over the West Wildcats. With Mercedes Ackley making a diving catch and a double play to first base-man Eleciah Danforth in the 7th-inning, the T-Hawks gave the Wildcats their last two outs.

The ladies' record stands at 2-4.

Nice weather for the next week will make softball a lot more enjoyable.

The regular season wrapped up Tuesday, May 14 with the ladies' second win of 19-4 against STAA. A couple of important notes from that game: ONHS freshman RaeAnna Ackley hit one over the fence for the team's first homerun and the game was called after the third inning because of the lopsided score.

Their next game is Thursday for regionals, also against STAA.



By Andrea Mora Thunderhawk Times

It was our teacher's birthday on April 30 and he treated us to brownies. It got this writer thinking: Where did the idea of those sweet, gooey treats come from?

It turns out that the first known recipe for brownies was published in the 1897 Sears, Roebuck Catalogue. The origin of the Brownie is thought to be American.

It is classified as a bar cookie and is thought to get its name from the brown color of the cookie. Folklore says the brownie's origin comes from a careless cook that forgot to put baking powder in a chocolate cake recipe. Since then, they say there have been "almost as many brownie recipes as there are cooks."

There are many types of brownies in this world. Most are made of all different types of chocolate.

For this writer, there's nothing better than double-stuffed brownies with extra chocolate and nuts.

I might add that brownies are a really good treat whenever you have an important event going. Just bring a batch of brownies. But manners are also important: Always remember to ask everyone if they want of slice of a brownie before they get eaten up by everyone else.

# All the Way?

By Talon McLester Thunderhawk Times

It's been a long, but successful, season for the Milwaukee Bucks who continue to hold the best record in the NBA. Their regular season mark was a 60-22 record/ They were the only NBA team to make it to 60 wins in the 2018-2019 season.

They wrapped up their best of seven series against the Boston Celtics on May 8, which was last week Wednesday with a 4-1 record. That's given them a whole week of rest and practice while waiting for the Toronto Raptors-Philadelphia 76ers series to wrap up. That, the Raptors won in that dramatic fashion on Sunday, which had Kawhi Leonard scoring the game winning buzzer beater over the 76ers, with the final score of 92-90.

As of this writing, the Bucks will square off against the Raptors on Wednesday, May 15.

While this writer can't necessarily predict the outcome of the game, he can say this: I am 99% sure that the Bucks are going to go all the way. It doesn't matter who they play, if they just play some solid good basketball I have no doubt that the Bucks can win it all.

I think the Bucks have worked really hard to get here and I feel that they deserve to win it more than the other teams. Don't get me wrong, the Raptors are a very good team as well, so the Bucks are going to have to give it their all to beat them. And, they will.



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# Bucks Going Awww - Aren't They Cute? By Thunderhawk Times Staff the hatching chicks fascinating and

# By Thunderhawk Times Staff

It's spring and life is, well, springing up all over the place. Plants are turning green, animals are more active, and people are out and about enjoying the improving weather. But, that's the great outdoors.

It's also true in Dale Hallum's science room where baby chicks hatched a week or so back. Students found

kept close track of their progress from hatching to taking a few steps to becoming aware of their surroundings.

Most people think baby chicks are "cute," but at least one student who insisted they remain anonymous said, they were actually pretty "ugly."

The chicks have been "farmed" out and are being raised in undisclosed sites in our area.

# **Triple Crown in 2019?**

By CJ Summers Thunderhawk Times

It's a challenge for any race horse to win the U.S. Triple Crown; only 13 have done it in the past 145 years. This year, however, it is going to be very unlikely, more like impossible. The reason is because the horse that won the Kentucky Derby, Country House, is not racing in the next race, the Preakness Stakes. In order to win a Triple Crown is to win at the Kentucky Derby, Preakness Stakes, and the Belmont Stakes.

All of this happens after a very strange Kentucky Derby on May 4 in which Maximum Security was disqualified after he won the race. Then Country House won the race because that was the next closest horse to winning. This was the first time a winning horse was disqualified since 1968 and the first time one was disqualified for how he ran the

So, here comes this Saturday's' Preakness Stakes, which measures out to be 1 and 3/16 miles long. It is on dirt and 12 horses will be racing. The weather is supposed to be bright and beautiful, low winds, and seasonable temperatures.

On Saturday June, 8, it's New York's Belmont Stakes.

With all the unknowns in place even in a "normal" year, those waiting for a Triple Crown would have been cheering for Country House. He isn't running in the Preakness Stakes, so no horse will win a Triple Crown this year.



**Submitted Photo** 

Left to right: Shania Barber and Malia Jacobs wrapping up the THT.

# Passing On...

# Minor's Trust Payment Reminders!

4:30<sub>PM</sub> CST July 1, 2019:

Deadline to submit Minor's Trust
Payment/Deferral form
Claim all or Defer
(NO EXCEPTIONS)

# **September 3, 2019:**

- Deadline to submit Original or Notarized copy of High School Diploma, HSED, or GED
- Deadline to submit a Direct Deposit Form.
- Direct Deposit Forms remain in effect indefinitely or until the Oneida Trust Enrollment Department receives written notice of your intent to change/ terminate this agreement or notice of change/rejection from your financial institution.

# **Payment Date:**

Minor's Trust payments will be issued by the end of October 2019.

Please visit our website for more information:

https://oneida-nsn.gov/resources/ enrollments/

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### Stevens Sr., Glen 'Stein' R. December 29, 1962 – April 29, 2019

Glen "Stein" R. Stevens Sr., 55, Green Bay, passed away after a long illness on Monday April 29, 2019. He



was born December 29, 1962 to the late Buck and Geraldine Stevens.

Stein had a passion for life, and lived each moment to the fullest. He enjoyed working on cars, riding his motorcycle and hanging with his dog June bug. Family gatherings were also important to Stein, especially the summer corn roasts, and the time he spent with the love of his life, Stein's partner of twenty-three years, Diane Ponfil.

He is survived by his three children; Amanda (Fountaine) Gordon, Glen Stevens Jr., Samantha Stevens and Ida. Nine grandchildren; Treyvian, Quade, Jahzara, Carenza, Kahdeija, Fountaine, Za'myah, Lucy, and baby number nine on the way.

Stein's siblings; Kate Calkins, Beas Daniels, Robin Soldier, Roxanne Katers, Jackie Carter, Jean Stevens, William "Buck" Stevens, Pork (Amy) Stevens, Ray (Lyn) Stevens, Quint "Caveman" Stevens, and Barn (Lori) Stevens. The mother of his children also survives him, Tammy Kott, as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Stein was preceded in death by his parents, siblings; Rollin Stevens, James Stevens, Toni Whitaker, and Debbie Stevens.

A private family service was held. Ryan Funeral Home, De Pere assisted the family with arrangements.

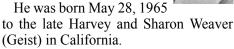
Please go to www.ryanfh.com to send online condolences to the family.

Special thanks to Dr. Moureau, Dr. Flood, Dr. Heezen, and everybody who has shown such kindness and help to Stein over the years.



# **Weaver, Donald**May 28, 1965 – April 3, 2019

Donald Weaver, 53, Las Vegas, Nevada passed away April 3, 2019 with his wife and friends by his side.



On June 24, 2006 he married Francine Skenandore. He worked at Liton Industry in California, loved movies, being around his Grand babies, and playing video games.

Survivors include his wife of 13 years Francine, Son; Lucus (Chandra) Weaver, Stepsons; Russell, Darrell (Brenda), Kyle (Natalie), Kory (Litonya), and 15 Grandchildren. In-laws; Carolyn (Rendall) Miller, Samantha (Emmett) Skenandore, Tina (Roger) Jourdan, many nephews and nieces and two very special friends Donald called brothers - Bill McClure, and Charlie (Kim) Mead. Many other relatives and friends.

He is preceded in death by his Grandparents, parents.

Donald's family extends a special Thank You to Ricky Patrick, Brighton Hospice, and Davita Dialysis.



The family of Dale Cornelius would like to thank everyone who offered their sympathy.

prayers, and support during this difficult time. A big thank you to the aunties, who opened their home for the fire and feasts. And to everyone that offered their assistance during the services. We are very appreciative to everyone that paid their respect, love and support!



From the Cornelius Family

# **Obituaries**

There is **NO** charge for obituary notices to be published in the **Kalibwisaks** for a

the **Kalihwisaks** for enrolled Oneida citizens.

### Skenandore, Dorothy J. March 5, 1928— May 14, 2019

Dorothy J. Skenandore, 91, Oneida, passed away peacefully at her home on Tuesday, May 14, 2019. On August 9, 1952, she married Phillip Ske-

nandore at Oneida Methodist Church. Dorothy took great pride in being a mom and Grandmother. She enjoyed babysitting and visiting with people. Dorothy also liked tending to her flowers and watching birds. She was an active member of Oneida Methodist Church. She is survived by her children, Phil (Connie) Skenandore, Tina Cottrell, George (Lisa) Skenandore as well as numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Claude (Ella); husband Phillip, two children, Joyce Skenandore and Rose (Earl) Tipler, as well as her siblings.

Friends may call at Oneida Methodist Church after 9 am Friday, May 17, 2019 until the time of service at 11:30am with Lay Servant Jeremiah Cottrell-Duebner, her grandson officiating.

Special thanks to Neil Cornelius, Lisa Huff, Vicky Johnson and the staff at Oneida Healthcare Center.

Ryan Funeral Home is assisting the family.





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The Oneida Workforce Innovation and Opportunities Act (WIOA) Program provides resources to help tribally-enrolled individuals with barriers to employment seek realistic vocational goals through employment and training services.

# **WIOA Services provided include:**

- Job Search Assistance
- Resume and Cover Letter Assistance
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- Training to Upgrade Employment Skills
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- Adult Work Experience 8–12 weeks

11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

job placement with an employer to explore career, develop skills and gain Application Process work experience.

# **Eligibility Requirements for the** WIOA Program are:

- Adult Program Individual who is age 18 and older
- Enrolled with a federally-recognized
- Native Alaskan or Native Hawaiian
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Tuesday May 28th, 2019
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11:30 AM – 1:30 PM

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Applicants who have a minimum monthly

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to apply.

Contact Sandra Skenadore at 920-490-3789 or sskenado@oneidanation. org to set up an appointment.

She will meet with you to complete a WIOA intake, develop an employment plan and determine services needed to achieve your employment goal.

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For more information contact:

**Comprehensive Housing Division** 

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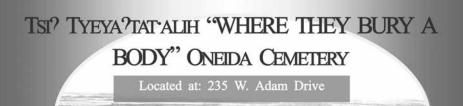
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- Items that generate noise or music
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- Pets ( except service animals)



### The following items are prohibited:

- Planting of trees, shrubs, vines, hedges or vegetables
- Motorized vehicles traveling off designed road way, including processions
- Recreational activities on cemetery grounds (picnics, roller blading, etc.)
- Soliciting in cemetery
- Being disrespectful or disorderly
- Defacing any memorial or structure
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Oneida Land Management has the right to remove non-confirming items (s) that interfere with the maintenance of cemetery without no

Hours: Open Daily

# All PROHIBITED items will be removed from the area

Plots are available to Oneida Nation members, his or her family, and descendants.

A plot fee of \$100.00 will be charged and must be paid at the time of purchase. The remainder of fees will need to be paid prior to the burial.

If you're ordering a plot at the time of the burial, a fee of \$150.00 must be paid at the time of purchase. This amount includes: plot fee & plot marking fee. An additional fee for marking the monument (headstone) will be \$50.00 which needs to paid prior to the placement of the base.

Here is a listing of fees:

- \$ 100.00 / plot
- \$ 50.00 / plot marking
- \$ 50.00 / marking monument (headstone)
- \$ 125.00 / additional winter burial charge

Please note: Land Management only takes checks or money orders.

When purchasing a plot you must have the following verification at the time of purchase:

- 1. Enrollment verification
- 2. Social security number
- 3. Date of birth
- 4. If the plot is for a spouse of an enrolled member a marriage certificate must be present-
- 5. If the plot is for a descendant of an enrolled member, or of family member whom is not enrolled in the Oneida Nation, verification of the descendant will be requested.

For more information regarding the cemetery see our website at: https://oneida-nsn.gov/business/

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# **Food Sovereignty Summit**

Nations Development Institute (First Nations) and the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin (Oneida) again are co-hosting the national Food Sovereignty Summit. It will be held September 23-26, 2019, at the Radisson Hotel in Green Bay, Wisconsin. Check out the Summit Agenda, then get vourself registered!

The Food Sovereignty Summit began in 2013. It is the undisputed national forum for sharing and collaboration to build healthy food systems within Native American communities. Hundreds of attendees come from tribal communities all over that are actively involved in food sovereignty work, including caring for our land, sustaining food systems, and strengthening tribal sovereignty and partnerships between Native nations.

In addition to the numerous learning workshops, general sessions, traditional

It's all coming together nicely! First food tastings and networking opportunities, conference participants have the option of also attending an Experiential Learning Session at one of Oneida's integrated food system sites. These Experiential Learning Sessions are extremely popular and fill up fast, and because space is limited, pre-registration is required. These sessions include:

- Apple Orchard & Apple Fest
- White Corn Husking Bee
- Oneida Market and Oneida One-Stop
- Oneida Cannery Processing
- Bee Keeping
- Ecological Restoration

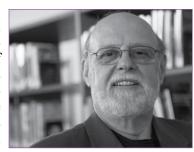
Full information and a registration link can be found at http://www.cvent. com/events/food-sovereignty-summit-2019/event-summary-5beb5fb17af-246cfabed9e7cee759aa5.aspx



Local

# **College of Menominee Nation Graduation Set for May 25th**

Residents Northeast Wisconsin communities and members or descendants of eight Wisconsin tribes are candidates for College of Menominee Nation graduation this spring. The class will gather to receive academic degrees and technical diplomas during

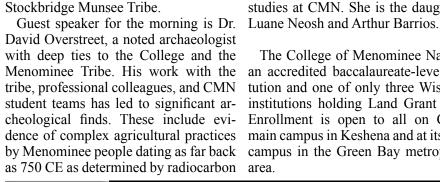


**Dr. David Overstreet** Guest Speaker

ceremonies at 10 a.m.,

Casino Resort Convention Center, Kes- kee.

The 47-member class brings the number of CMN alumni to 1,207 individuals. Nearly onethird of those graduating this spring ceremonies are enrolled members or descendants of the Oneida Nation. The class also includes the College's first graduate in its new Bachelor of Arts in Education. She is Nicole Webster, a Bowler resident and member of the



Saturday, May 25, in the Menominee the University of Wisconsin-Milwau-

**Jasmine Neosh** Student Speaker

dating. Through understanding the size of these raised agricultural beds and the amount of soil enhancement his work is helping to revise understanding of the life-ways of the Menominee. Overstreet holds baccalaureate, master's and doctor of philosophy degrees in anthropology from

Jasmine Neosh has been chosen as student speaker for the commencement ceremonies. The Natural Resources major is CMN's American Indian College Fund Student of the Year for 2019. She currently serves as President of the SEEDS Club. CMN's student chapter of the Ecological Society of America. Neosh, who graduated from high school in Chicago, plans to continue baccalaureate

studies at CMN. She is the daughter of

The College of Menominee Nation is an accredited baccalaureate-level institution and one of only three Wisconsin institutions holding Land Grant status. Enrollment is open to all on CMN's main campus in Keshena and at its urban campus in the Green Bay metropolitan

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Oneida Code Talkers Day & Memorial Day

**Oneida offices will be CLOSED on** Friday, May 24th & Monday, May 27th, 2019

# Come Celebrate with us!!

The Oneida Higher Education Department would like to congratulate you on your recent graduation with a light lunch and refreshments (while supplies last)

Location: 3759 W. Mason St., Suite 3,

Oneida, WI

Friday, June 7th 2019 Date:

11:00 AM - 1 PMTime:



# Oneida Environmental, Health, Safety and Land



3rd Annual Garlic Mustard Pull - Friday, June 1, 2019

Rescheduled Date

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at Norbert Hill Woods

Meet at: Norbert Hill Center (Follow signs)

Light lunch will be provided after the event

Please consider volunteering for the third annual Garlic Mustard Pull in Oneida! Garlic Mustard is an invasive plant that's taking over our woodlands. It crowds out our beautiful native wildflowers and endangers forests by preventing tree seedlings from growing. And, none of our North American insects or wildlife eat it. Help the Oneida Invasive Species Program remove this invader from the Norbert Hill Woods, and keep our natural areas healthy. Our goal is to remove 1,000 pounds of Garlic Mustard!

Event Notes: Please dress for the weather and the work! Where garlic mustard grows, we may also run into poison ivy and mosquitoes. Close-toed shoes, long pants and long-sleeved shirts are highly recommended. Bug repellent, garbage bags, and gloves will be provided.

To register, or for more information, contact: Mike Arce (920)869-4552 marce@oneidanation.org



A good mind. A good heart. A strong fire

# From page 5/Family remembers Jonathon

one of my nieces come walking by, and comfort I was telling her to hurry, and she asked their why, and I said Green Bay PD is walking in, and even she was like 'ahh!' and nity. she took off running out of there.

"And we know it's not all their fault. counseling We understand that. One man pulled the and I get my trigger, and there were a lot of discrepancies within the whole night. But that my trauma is so ingrained in us that little things like that can trigger emotions," said Sarah.

Other things, like the news, can cause grandkids and stress for family members.

"I always dread watching the news be-friends. I got a cause there's always something on there lot of comfort about police shootings," said Sue.

On April 7 a Green Bay man stabbed a police dog during an arrest. The dog, Pyro, was the same dog that was going to be used to subdue Jonathon.

"Every time something like that comes about, or something happens, it's setting us back again," said Sue.

While dealing with their own pain, the three have been helping with the rest of the family.

"Our focus right now is Dean (Tubby) and Nina, Jonathon's mom and dad, to get them the help that they need, because they struggle daily," said Sue.

"One of my nephews, he keeps having the same nightmare that the same cop that shot Jonathon keeps pulling him over. I don't even know if he knows what he looks like, but he keeps having that dream that he's the one that gets pulled over next and that freaks him out. He shouldn't have to live like that," said Sarah.

Between working with their lawyers and dealing with reverberations of their loss, Sarah, Sue and Arlie say healing has been difficult.

"It's not like when my mom passed away. You mourn and then gradually ... it doesn't go away, but it eases. You can face the day that Mom's not suffering any more ... and I'm good with that. I'm not good with this. There is no 'he's not suffering anymore," said Arlie.

mental health counseling, each finds And that's all on top of raising kids and

family and commu-

"I get my comfort from wife. and from my grandkids and my great my family, my when I was a Tsyunhehkwa," said Ar-

lie. "I spent so much time in that cornfield. That's where I got my counseling, that's where I was able to hold it together for everybody."

"Besides my two (children), I have nephews and nieces at the house constantly, and at dinner we'll set the table, they're all younger than Jonathan, so they always ask questions and stories, so that's really helpful to me to remember a lot of the funny and the good times," said Sarah.

She recounted a wedding she attended when Jonathan was younger.

"Everyone was dancing on the dance floor and all of a sudden people made a circle, and I was 'like who are you all circling,' and I went over there and it was him and I was like 'holy wah,' and it was like hip hop dancing, and he was right on and the whole crowd was just lie. "The negativity just doesn't help. It's cheering for him," she said.

Both Sarah and Sue have become closer calling each other to check in.

"Me and Sue, we message 'how are you doing today?' we talk about maybe we should have weekly meetings, so we can just check on each other," said Sarah with a laugh.

hours," said Sue.

"In every possible way it's exhaust-While they haven't sought out formal ing, mentally, spiritually, emotionally.



erything else," said Sarah. knowing ourselves, if Arlie. it's that time or be angry long as we're times, that will get us through this."

Friends and

the community have also stepped up to help the family during this time.

"We can't tell them enough how thankful we are for what they've done and what they've given us," said Sarah. "We ask them to move forward with a good mind and a good heart, and we're lucky because people are listening, and that's the way we want to continue to move."

"I just don't want the community to think that we've forgotten ... we have not forgotten at all," said Sue. "I know the community is angry and anxious, we're angry and anxious, too, but in order to keep ourselves together, we count on their support and their words and our family and each other, and moving in the right, good way."

"Remember that good mind," said Areasier to deal with a hug that it is to deal with negativity."

The family has set up a memorial fund in Jonathon's name at Bay Bank in response to the community's generous requests to help.

"We don't want the community to feel like we're not accepting their offerings," "Otherwise we're on the phone for said Sue. "It's hard for our family, we've talked about fundraisers ... but the momentum to actually do it is really difficult for us."

The family also wants to thank mem-

work and ev- bers of the Oneida Business Committee for their support.

"There's been nothing but support "I think just from them. When it first happened, I to think we heard from just about all of take care of them say 'if you need anything," said

"They've taken our lead and our realone to go quest for privacy for not going out there cry or scream and putting anything out there. They were getting a lot of pressure to do or whatever it something, and we asked them not to as needs to be, as a family," said Sue.

They also thanked Bobbi Webster for taking those helping them deal with local media and for organizing press conferences and organizing an event at Wise Women Gathering.

> "She's been there with everything," said Arlie.

### October 19, 2018

According to a report from Brown County District Attorney David Lasee, Jonathon, 26, had been pulled over that night and arrested for an outstanding warrant by Green Bay Police officers Erik O'Brien and Colton Wernecke. While he was being driven to the Brown County Jail, Jonathon was able to maneuver his handcuffed arms from behind his back to his front. He tucked his arms under his giving the appearance that he had a weapon.

After approximately 50 minutes of attempting to get Tubby to exit the squad car, pepper spray was deployed through the back window of the vehicle. Jonathan quickly exited through the back window and was knocked down by a non-lethal bean bag round. Jonathon rolled from the trunk of the car, one arm still under his shirt, and ran in the direction of O'Brien who fired eight rounds in quick succession from his service weapon, five of which struck Tubby. It was later determined that Tubby was unarmed and still handcuffed throughout the standoff. After an investigation by Wisconsin State Division of Criminal Investigation no charges were filed against O'Brien.

The family disputes the DA's findings.

# Statement from the Family of Jonathon Tubby

events that occurred October 19, 2018. On that day we lost our nephew, son, grandson, cousin and friend Jonathon Tubby. He was killed by a Green Bay Police Officer while in custody in the Sally Port of the Brown County Jail. Since that day our family continues to deal with the tragic loss of Jonathon. We continue to stay united and pray everyday for guidance and strength to make the decisions that need to be made with a good mind and heart for Jonathon and the family.

While we continue to struggle with this great loss we find comfort in the outpouring of support that we have received from the community. We cannot even begin to express our gratitude for the sense of togetherness, support and love from everyone. Even though our hearts are broken and healing them is not easy, it is this love and support that it helps us to get through the day and our attempts to move forward. We continue to appreciate all our family and community, the Oneida Police Department, the Oneida Business Committee and most importantly we thank the creator for guiding us as a family and keep our faith strong. We have been asked on numerous occasions for updates on the story of Jonathon. We continue to move through the civil lawsuit against the Green Bay Police Department, Chief, officers and others with our attorneys. They continue to review and research this case and have been very supportive of our efforts in a positive and forward-thinking manner. As a family we have chosen not to view the information in its entirety and not to discuss details of the lawsuit. We know that there will come a time that it will be necessary, however at this time it is just too painful, and these are not the memories that we want to have of Jonathon. We are blessed that the two attornevs: Attorney Forrest Tahdooahnippah and Attorney David Armstrong crossed our path and we are putting our faith and trust in them as we all walk this path for

Today we have decided to come for- Justice. Through the work that they are ward once again and speak on the tragic doing Jonathon's story will be told. We truly appreciate Forrest and David for the compassion, understanding and the work they are doing in representing our family and Jonathon.

> Our family wishes to again share we are seeking justice for Jonathon. We are not happy that this incident continues to result in heartbreak. We are angry! The anger and grief continue to follow us, but we have not lost sight of the fact that we will move through this without finger pointing, and protests. We advocate for peace and have faith in the justice system to follow due process. We have shared our belief that there must be accountability for the actions that took the life of our loved one. We fight for the development of better training, better equipment and processes to serve the citizens of our communities. We fight and seek change that will help others in the future so that no other family will have to suffer the same grief that we have experienced.

> We continue to remember Jonathon as a young man that had a huge heart, he loved his family. Family had no limits where Jonathon was concerned- once vou had his heart vou were family in his eyes. Jonathon was compassionate and caring, with a smile that could melt your heart. He was quite the suave individual and was always positive about his life and future regardless of what challenges he may have encountered. Many want to make Jonathon out to be a young man who was uncooperative and dangerous, however he is just not that person. We have never stated that Jonathon didn't have challenges or that he was perfect. In fact, we have acknowledged that in our statements. But, we do not agree with painting a picture of him as violent and dangerous because that was not who he was. What we do continue to remember about Jonathon is his dreams of the future, the interaction and love with his family and his compassion for all those that needed him. Jonathon was and is



**Photos courtesy of Sue Doxtator** 

we don't think of him and miss him.

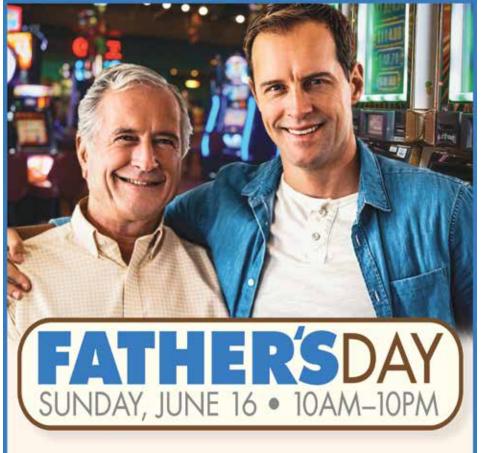
next journey for Jonathon, we want those to remember him, pray for guidance for our family and all those that feel this tragic loss of their friend, son, grandson, and cousin Jonathon Tubby; We will continue to fight for Jonathon and make sure that his story is finally told. We will continue to stand in unity and love as we move forward. But most importantly we will remember Jonathon and keep his memories close to our hearts and continue to try and heal.

We thank you for the opportunity to come forward once again and remember Jonathon. We sincerely appreciate the continued support and love from all loved by many and there is not a day that those that have reached out to us. We ap-

preciate the out pouring from those that As we continue to move through the want to help our family and because of these requests we have decided to establish a memorial fund for Jonathon. The memorial fund has been set up at Bay Bank of Green Bay.

Thank you for your time and support, there are no words that can express our appreciation.

Yawe The family of Jonathon Tubby Nina Hellendrung, Mother; Dean Tubby Jr. Father; Yvonne Jourdan, Grandmother; Dean Tubby Sr. Grandfather; Virginia, Grandmother: Aunt Sarah Wunderlich, Aunt Susan and Uncle Arlie Doxtator Jr.



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# Earth Day tree giveaway



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The Oneida Conservation Field Office was the site of the annual Earth Day Tree Giveaway on May 4. The free tree giveaway is always a well-attended, popular environmental event for the Oneida Nation and its citizens.

# Geno's Warriors win LDF Tourney



**Photo courtesy of Eugene Danforth** 

Geno's Warriors went undefeated in the 15th Annual Flambeau Basketball Tournament April 27-28. Congratulations to the team! From left to right: Brandon Stevens, Elijah Metoxen, Bert Castillo, Mike King Jr., Marques Danforth, Tony MCnaughtan Jr., Coach Eugene Danforth, Tre' Lonnie King, Isiah Danforth, Raymond Danforth and Jamal Hurdle – tournament MVP.

# From page 3/Cosmo's Wish

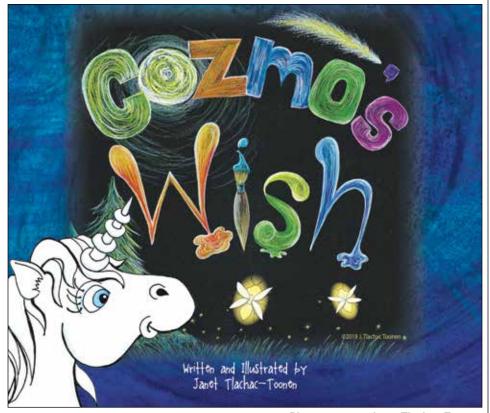


Photo courtesy Janet Tlachac-Toonen

going to do a story with him. I decided Australia. With a target reader audience to include a duck character my kids came up with named Simon and that attentive reading and curiosity about farultimately became the first book that I produced with my family."

Toonen is now working on her 10th, with several side projects as well. She's currently donating time as an illustrator to assist a fellow writer with a book about childhood autism, and she's also working on a story for her seven-yearold nephew who's battling cancer. "I don't really know how long that one is going to take," Tlachac-Toonen said. "I really want for him to have a say in out there."

Her recently released book "Cozmo's Wish" is a preguel to Tlachac-Toonen's "Firefly Cave" series in which the story is told of how the books' fireflies, and a friendly unicorn, become so colorful. The series also tells of the adventures of firefly and animal friends in a bear cave filled with tunnels that lead to other countries, including China and

of 2nd grade, her goal is to inspire away lands, Tlachac-Toonen said.

"Cozmo's Wish" is one of the featured One book led to another and Tlachac-stories along the Crescent Beach Boardwalk for the Town of Algoma's Art of Water event which is taking place throughout the month of May. Tlachac-Toonen will also be conducting a book reading and signing on Sunday, May 26, from 1 p.m.- 2 p.m. at the Yardstick Bookshop and Gallery, 317 Steele Street, in Algoma.

"Cozmo's Wish" and other books by Tlachac-Toonen are available at what kind of message he wants to put the Yardstick Bookshop and Gallery, Wienke's Market in Algoma, as well as Other World's Books and More in Sturgeon Bay. Her books can also be found online at www.staytoondpublish.

> Tlachac-Toonen and her husband Pete reside in Dyckesville. She is the daughter of Susan Webster-Lemens of Green Bay and Dennis Tlachac of Door

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# Local



In memory of the late William King

# REGISTRATION:

Friday, June 28, 4pm - 7pm Saturday, June 29, 11am-12:30pm

# ATTENTION DANCERS/SINGERS:

Point System competition will begin Friday, June 28. Singers please bring your own chairs. No registration fee required, but must purchase weekend pass to compete.

NO CANOPIES ALLOWED. For more information, call the Oneida Pow-Wow Committee at 920-362-5425 (Tonya), or 920-327-9237 (Wayne Jr.). Reserve your room at the Radisson Hotel Green Bay (920-494-7300), or at the Wingate by Wyndham Green Bay (920-617-2000). Ask for the pow-wow room block at both hotels. Rates based on availability.

Pow-Wow. Over \$91,000 in prize money will be awarded! Arena Director: Al Summers, Oneida, Oneida, WI Arena Director: Chaske LaBlanc, Mdewakanton, Lower Sioux, MN Head Drum Judge: Joey Rainey Sr., Chippewa, Oneida, WI Head Female Dance Judge: Grace Hill, Meskwaki/Lakota, Tama, IA Head Male Dance Judge: Wendall Powless, Oneida/Ojibwe/Dakota, Bad River, WI Smoke Dance Coordinator: Johnson Jimerson, Seneca Nation, Oneida, WI

Smoke Dance Spotlight Special sponsored by Oneida Tourism

Oneida Pow-wow Committee Specials Men's Fancy Feather vs. Women's Fancy Shawl Spotlight, Luck of the Draw, Sweetheart Special, Iroquois Singing Special

William "Bill" King Memorial Men's Traditional Special 16 & Over Winner Take All \$2,000 & Jacket with 9 consolations sponsored by Family of William King

Jonathon Tubby Memorial Men's Smoke Dance Special sponsored by Ne' laowatsi'le okhale laonatalo'shu'ha Laluntate'kh^

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1st \$2,000/Starquilt 2nd \$1,500/Starquilt 3rd \$1,000/Starquilt

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# On Nyote ?a · ká Lake expanding for the Oneida Community

By OnAyote?a·ká Lake Team

Onnyote?a·ká Lake has been a great success for the Oneida Nation community and is currently in the fourth summer season of offering fishing and recreation activities for Oneida Nation community members of all ages. New construction is underway to expand the footprint of the lake and bring new outdoor amenities to Oneida families. The expansion of the lake will add 12 new acres of surface water for additional fishing activities. The new addition to the north will also feature plans for a

has awarded over \$360,000 to Native students.

We're looking for golfers, sponsors, donated items for gift

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a second rustic boat launch for small crafts, and include a sledding hill. Planning for the expansion has taken years to piece together but a recent funding allocation from the federal Natural Resources Damage Assessment process has led to initiating preliminary construction activities this summer.

The driving force behind the expansion is to provide additional fishing opportunities for Oneida members to replace traditional fishing areas that have been damaged and degraded by pollution in the past. The construction

campground, an expanded trail system, activities during the Summer of 2019 will include clearing of land for the addition, excavation of the lake bed, creating a new roadway entrance, and landscaping for future campground, trails, and other amenities.

> Please remember to stay safe and be respectful of construction activities. Stay out of the construction area as heavy machinery is present for the expansion work. The area where construction will be occurring is to the far north and separate from the existing

On vote a ká Lake recreational area. For any concerns or to report any illegal activity please contact the Oneida Police Department at 869-2239.

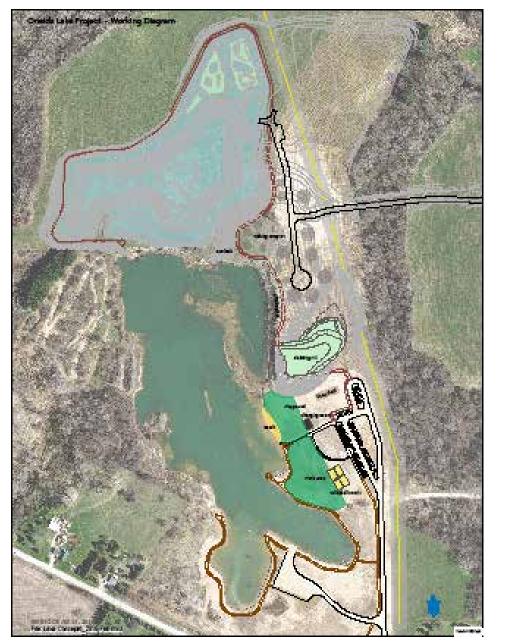
All Oneida Nation employees involved in the development and implementation of this project are proud of the work that is going into this new community recreation area. This new and improved Onayote?a.ká Lake will be a sustainable source of fishing for generations to come.



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Contact Jackie Smith 920-869-4037 jsmith@oneidanation.org



Intro to Engineering Grades: 9-12 June 10 - 13

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Summer Scholars Grades: 9-12 June 14 - July 11

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Engineering by Land, Sea, & Air Grades: 6-8 July 8 - 11

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Sustainability & Agriculture Grades: 9-12 July 8 - 11

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Environmental Science Grades: 3-5 July 22 - 24

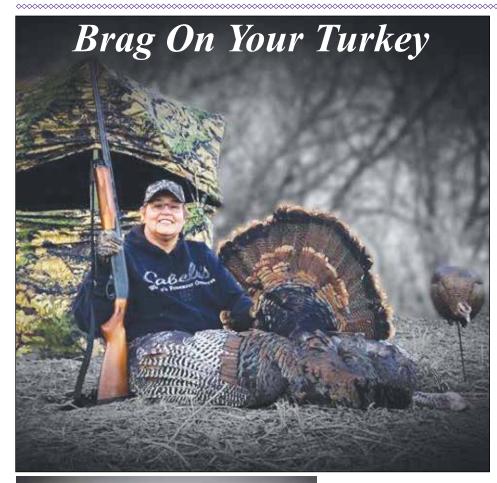
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Robotics & STEM Grades: 6-9 July 29 - 31

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# Brag On Your Turkey







Photos courtesy of Dan Lara Above: Dawn Lara punched a tag to help fill the freezer for an elder. She shot a 20 pound Jake with a 4 inch beard on the Oneida Reservation. She also caught a 22 pound bird with a 10 inc beard and inch spurs on Tuesday, May 7.

Left: Even Parson shot a 23 pound turkey with an 11 inch beard on his very first turkey hunt.

Do you have a turkey you want to share? Email a photo to kalihwisaks@ oneidanation.org



Office Hours: Mon.-Fri.: 8-4:30PM

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# Oneida Nation Fishing Season at Oneida Lake is ON!

# By Melis Arik

Water Resources Specialist
Please practice Responsible
Release to protect and support
the fishery

Anglers are probably familiar with the catch-and-release restriction on largemouth bass at Oneida Lake. But the season is also closed for crappie (crappie numbers are still too small for harvest), so that is also a catch-and-release situation. When you think about it, catch-and-release really applies to all water bodies, all species, anytime you catch a fish that is too small or too large to keep.

The whole purpose of "Catch and Release" is to let a fish go so it can be

caught by another angler or can grow into catchable size. But did you know that up to 20% of fish that are caught and then released actually never live to swim another day? That's what current fisheries research shows. But there are things that we anglers can do to improve chances for survival.

# Responsible Release

Fisheries professionals are now using the phrase "Responsible Release" to emphasize that the WAY a fish is caught and released can make the difference between a fish surviving or going belly-up. Best practices focus on minimizing wounding and minimizing stress on the fish.

### Be gentle so you don't wound the fish.

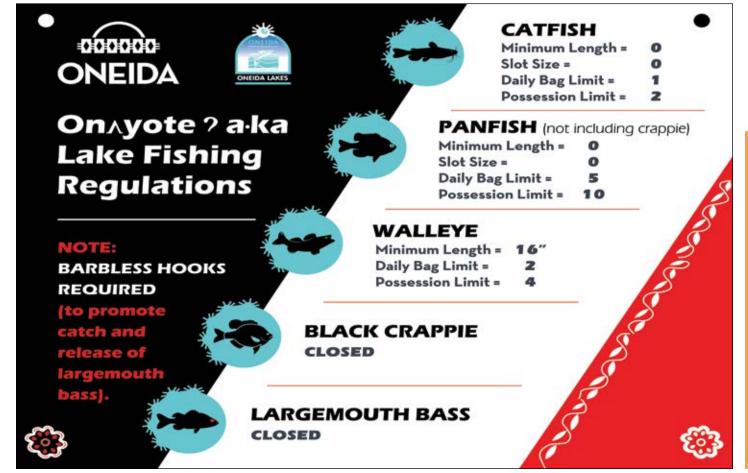
Fish can be severely wounded by an angler pulling on a swallowed hook. When that happens, cut the line immediately! The fish may still recover. Holding a fish by hooking a finger through the gills can also be devastating. The gills are thin, delicate structures that are the fish's oxygen support system – imagine what that kind of poking and prodding would do to your lungs! If it's not toothy, you can hold it by the mouth while supporting the fish with your other hand; just use both hands to support the body of a fish that can bite. And don't squeeze! Also, fun fact: fish "slime" is what protects them from disease-causing pathogens. You can help to keep them healthy by simply wetting your hands before handling.

# Be considerate so you don't stress the fish.

Fish start to stress as soon as they leave the water, so if you catch a fish that you don't intend to keep, use a net to bring it in, keeping it underwater while releasing the hook and let it swim away. If you are playing a trophy-size fish, be aware that the warmer the water, the more the fight will stress the fish. It is possible to play out a fish to the point that it won't recover – be aware that just because it swims away does not mean it will fully recover. And have your photographer get the camera ready while you are bringing it in so you can minimize time out of water.

Following these simple guidelines will go a long way toward supporting and protecting our fishery. And you may find it's also an opportunity to show gratitude and thanks to the Creator, while whispering this message to the fish: "Until we meet again..."

Melis Arik, Water Resources Specialist marik@oneidanation.org 920-869-4566



# Consider these simple actions Land the fish as quickly as possible. Keep the fish in the water as much as possible. Handle the fish as little as possible. Use wet hands or gloves. If the fish is deeply hooked, cut the line and let the fish go. Treat the fish gently throughout the release. dnr.wi.gov/topic/fishing/outreach/responsiblerelease.html

# 20th Annual Youth and Elder Fishing Day



# Contact Information

- Patrick Pelky Division Director, 920-869-4549 PPELKY1@oneidanation.org
- Amy Spears Environmental Specialist-Pollution Prevention, 920-869-4549, aspears@oneidanation.org
- Michael Arce

Field Technician, 920-869-4552 marce@oneidanation.org

 Melis Arik Water Resource Specialist, 920-869-4566, marik@oneidanation.org

 Michael Troge Environmental Project Manager, 920-869-4572, mtroge@oneidanation.org



Saturday, May 18 marks the 20th year for this family-friendly community event at Osnuhsa Lake (aka Finger Lake or Decaster Lake). As usual, the lake has recently been stocked with rainbow trout that are yours for the catching. Maybe you will get lucky like the families in these photos from the 2010 event.

This FREE event takes place from 9-1, rain or shine. We provide bait, loaner poles if needed, and picnic lunch. The event is sponsored by the Oneida Water Resources and Conservation Departments. Please contact Conservation at 920-869-1450 if you have any questions. See vou there!



Congregate Meal Site 2901 S. Overland Rd. Oneida, WI 54155 (920) 869-1551

# DRUMS across Oneida DRUMS latest updates can be viewed at www.oneida-nsn.gov/elderservices

Lee McLester II Building 2907 S. Overland Rd. Oneida, WI 54155 (920) 869-2448

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Speak to Live Operator, 24/7: (800) 867-1551

Elder Services Director: Elijah Metoxen, emetoxe1@oneidanation.org

**DRUMS** Contact: Sacheen Lawrence, slawrenc@oneidanation.org

# **Elder Services celebrates Older Americans Month**

This month at Elder Services we are celebrating Older Americans Month for the entire month of May. The theme for this year is "Connect, Create, and Contribute". We have planned different activities every week to correspond with the theme. Our Program Manager, Elijah Metoxen, kicked off the celebration by doing a short presentation at the meal site on the history of Older American's Month and what the theme is for this year.

During the first week, the Basket Guild came to the meal site and worked with 3 elders and 5 Oneida High School students to make a basket. Due to limited supplies we could only have 5 elders participate. They were chosen from a raffle that they entered at the meal site. The basket making process took longer than we planned for but 2 of our elders stayed to complete their basket and due to time constraints, one elder had to leave early. We would like to thank the Basket Guild, our elders that participated, and the high school students from Oneida.

On May 9th, the talented Oneida singers came to the meal site and sang for everyone present. We also had elder vendors set up at our meal site





**Submitted photos** 

Oneida Hymn Singers and members of the Basket Guild visited Elder Services to share their talents during Older Americans Month.

from 9:00am to 2:00pm along Lunch" event at the end of the with a bake sale and 50/50 raffle so that we could raise money to hold more events for our elder population in the future.

We will be having four more events taking place during the month of May which includes a Memory Screening on May 14th at the meal site from 1:00pm-3:00pm. Our Elder Dance will be on May 17th from 1:00pm-3:00pm with DJ Jamming Joey Ninham. We will also be choosing our elders for the "Take an Elder to

dance. Staff and community volunteers will be paying for 12 Wednesday the elder's lunch at The Marq on May 21st. We are ending the month with story telling with Brian Doxtator on May 30th from 1:00pm-3:00pm at the meal site.

Feel free to attend any of our future events and celebrate Older American's Month with us. If there are any questions regarding any event, feel free to contact us at 920-869-2448.

# Menu June 2019



**Congregate Meal Site** 2901 S. Overland Rd.

# 3 Monday

Chicken A' La King, Biscuits, Carrots, Pudding

# 4 Tuesday

Meat Loaf, Cheesy Potatoes, Green Beans, Bread, Fruit

# **5** Wednesday

Sloppy Joes/Bun, Corn, Chips, Fruit, Gelatin

# **6** Thursday

Chicken Wild Rice, Soup, Sandwich, Fruit

# 7 Friday

Potato Crusted Cod, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Rve Bread, Fruit

# 10 Monday

Barbecued Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Coleslaw, Fruit

# Tuesday

Ring Bologna, Parsley Boiled Potatoes, Carrots, Homemade Bread, Fruit

Country Style Ribs, Sauer Kraut, Oven Browned Potatoes, Squash, **Pudding** 

# 13 Thursday

Chili, Sub Sandwich, Lettuce Salad, Ice Cream

# 14 Friday

Pork Chop, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Dinner Roll, Fruit

# 17 Monday

Baked Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Bread, Fruit

# 18 Tuesday

Corn Soup, Cold Sandwich, Muffin, Berry Lettuce Salad, Fruit

# 19 Wednesday

Oven Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Bread, Fruit

# 20 Thursday

Swedish Meatballs, Buttered Noodles, Cabbage, Dinner Roll, Fruit

# 21 Friday

Honey Dipped Chicken, Wild Rice Pilaf, Mixed Vegetables, Cole Slaw, Bread, Fruit

# **24** Monday

Liver & Onions, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Dinner Roll, Cookie

# 25 Tuesday

Spaghetti & Meat Sauce, Mixed Vegetables, Cheesy Bread, Fresh Vegetables, Fresh Fruit

# **26** Wednesday

Swiss Steak, Noodles, Vegetables, Bread, Fruit

# 27 Thursday

**BIRTHDAY LUNCH** 

Beef Stew, Mashed Potatoes, Dinner Roll, Fruit, Birthday Cake

# 28 Friday

Salmon, Cream Pea Sauce, Potatoes, Rye Bread, Fruit

# MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE

All meals are served with coffee, juice, milk, tea, or water. LUNCH is served: Mon.

-Fri. from 12:00PM – 1:00PM, BREAKFAST is served: 9:00AM

- 10:00AM on posted days



DEBBIE MILLER DEMENTIA CARE SPECIALIST (920) 869- 4854

June 4, 2019 TUESDAY 1:30-3:00 P.M. Oneida Library Let's make some butter Bingo, crafts, and refreshments too.

Come see what we are about

Call Debbie Miller @ (920) 869 4854 to ask any questions.





Thank-You Guidance Dad **Father Good-times** Grandpa Respect Caring Supportive Smile Wonderful Excellent Awesome Grateful Role-model Wisdom Lucky



# TIMBER RATTLERS BASEBALL GAME

WHEN: MONDAY, JULY 22 WHERE: TIMBER RATTLERS STADIUM, APPLETON

**WHAT:** GAME – STARTS AT 12:00

**FOOD** – PICNIC STYLE at 11:00 Hamburgers, Brats and Hot Dogs Pasta Salad, Beans, Chips, Cookie and Drink.

WHEN: Bus leaves at 10:30 Sharp!
COST: \$18 No Refund after July
MONEY DUE AT TIME
OF SIGN UP.

Sign up in person at ELDER SER-VICES MEAL-SITE

Only 16 tickets available. First come, First serve.

Only Elders 55 years and older and in good health are eligible to travel on this trip.

(Those who are oxygen dependent, on medication that causes dizziness, disorientation, or those with high risk of heart attacks are ineligible to travel.)



# Healthy Living With Diabetes

- 6 Week Workshop May 21 June 25, 2019
- · Oneida Elder Services 2907 S. Overland
- Workshop is limited to first 12 people to register
- Meet once a week from 4:30 6:30pm or Tuesdays
- Please contact Lisa Huff, or Denise Johnson to register at Oneida Elder Services (920)869-2448

# June Events

**Memory Café** 

June 4, 1:30pm-3:30pm Oneida Library

**GLNAEA** 

June 5-6, 8:00am - 4:00pm, LCO

**ONCOA** Meeting

June 11, 1:00pm-4:00pm Elder Services Conference Room

**Benefit Information Specialist Meeting** 

June 17, 12:00pm -1:00pm Elder Meal Site Caregiver Support

Group

June 20, 1:30pm-3:30pm Elder Services Pod B

**Nutrition Advisory Council** 

June 21, 1:00pm-2:00pm Elder Meal Site

# **JUNE ELDER ACTIVITIES 2019**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
* Please sign up for trips and activities at the E.S. Meal-site. *Check for Departure Time *Activities subject to change.	Is this the Month of your Birthday? You <u>must sign</u> <u>up in the Birthday Book</u> at the E.S. Meal-site. " <u>Must be present at B-day Lunch</u> to receive your gift card		Hello * Summer	Halloy Faithers Day
Oneida Language Class Meal-site 9:30 Exercise Meal-site 11:00 Cribbage Games Meal-site 1:30	4 Crafts 9:30 – 11:15 Meal-site	5 Book Club Meal-site 9:30 Exercise Meal-site 11:00 Bingo Meal-site 1:00	Christian Thrift Store Depere 10:00  Chair Yoga Meal-site 1:30	7 Banks, Shopping & Lunch Out (On your own) 10:00 – 3:00 No Transportation for lunch
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# **Attention:**

Elder Services will not be offering the elder pow wow tents for vendors for the 2019 Oneida Pow-Wow.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.



<sup>\*\*</sup>If you have any questions Please call Michelle Cottrell at 869 -6733\*\*

# Guest Editorial

# **Blood Quantum - The Big Picture**

By Norbert Hill Jr.

What Really Matters.

Sovereignty matters—Our individual and collective sovereignty is paramount. Without it the Oneida is not a Nation. Deciding citizenship criteria is a preeminent act of sovereignty. The Village of Hobart continues to discount, demonize and diminish our Nation. We need to stand strong.

Institutions matters—Elected leaders are required to manage the day to day affairs. Right or wrong—the BC takes care of matters at hand. Not an easy job—a little empathy might help. Schools, health care systems, social ser-

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vices, and economic enterprises matter, too.

Culture matters—Language, kinship, clans and ceremonies matter. The Creation story and other stories are the bond that hold us together. We are all members of the Longhouse regardless of religious affiliation or personal beliefs

Leadership matters...17,000+ citizens matter. All the voices are important. We hold our destiny in our hands and minds. Moving forward and looking backward simultaneously is required.

A "Two-Way" vision is needed—with both eyes at the same time. One eye is short-term sight and taking care of this generation—old and young. The other eye is long term vision looking into the future—100 to 200 years in the future.

All the above requires deep thinking and deep listening. We need to listen to each other. Sometimes, we formulate an opinion before the speaker finishes their thought. We should respect all ideas, both good and not so good. An open mind is a virtue.

There is no silver bullet in the blood quantum conversation. Maybe there are

many silver arrows that will create a sheaf that will sustain us for many generations to come. We didn't get here by ourselves—we have eons of ancestors to extend our gratitude.

None of this is cheap. Not only should one consider the economic impact, but also the spiritual, physical and emotional cost. We need to hold each other in the highest regard and respect. Soon, we will meet in the Great Hall of the Radisson in an "information only" gathering concerning blood quantum and citizenship. We are in a search for a better collective-self for the long-term sustainability and benefit of the Nation.

Some of this essay is aspirational and some of this is practical. My hope is that we have time to discuss this matter with those who are important to us.

# Letter

# Looking for family

Shekoli Oneida Nation,

Recently, I purchased my Family Tree (through Oneida) because I would truly like to know who I am related to.

The following names are on my Family Tree:

- 1) Mary Jane Pech (King)
- 2) May Mary King (Smith)
- 3) Baeton King
- 4) Jamison King
- 5) George King Sr.
- 6) Melinda King (Powless)

7) Cordelia Smith (Wheelock)

8) Moses Smith (Sommers)

I would respectfully ask to all who read this if you recognize any of the above listed names, please write me so hopefully one day I'll be able to meet my relatives.

Current address:

Lukas Brenneman #551211, FLCI

PO Box 200

Fox Lake, Wi, 53933

Please include my DOC #.

Respectfully, Lukas Brenneman



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# **OBC Meeting Results**

The full version of the Oneida Business Committee (OBC) minutes can be accessed at oneida-nsn.gov or by contacting the OBC Secretary's office at 920-869-4451.



**Executive Session** 8:30 AM Tuesday, April 23, 2019 **Executive Conference Room, 2nd floor, Norbert Hill Center** 

Regular Meeting 8:30 AM Wednesday, April 24, 2019 BC Conference Room, 2nd floor, **Norbert Hill Center** 

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**Present:** Chairman Tehassi Hill, Treasurer Trish King, Secretary Lisa Summers, Councilmembers: Daniel Guzman King, David Jordan, Kirby Metoxen;

Not Present: Councilmembers: Ernest Stevens III, Jennifer Webster;

Arrived at: Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens at 8:37 a.m.;

### **REGULAR MEETING**

Present: : Chairman Tehassi Hill, Secretary Lisa Summers, Councilmembers: Daniel Guzman King, David Jordan, Kirby Metoxen:

Not Present: Councilmembers: Ernest Stevens III, Jennifer Webster;

Arrived at: Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens at 11:30 a.m., Treasurer Trish King at 1:30 p.m.;

# I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order by Chairman Tehassi Hill at 8:32 a.m.

For the record: Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens is attending a public hearding regarding 2019-2021 state budget in Green Bay this morning. Treasurer Trish King is out this morning for a personal appointment. Councilman Ernie Stevens III is on approved travel attending the 2019 Great Lakes Intertribal Food Summit in Dowagiac, MI. Councilwoman Jennifer Webster is on approved travel attending the Tribal Self IV. OATH OF OFFICE Governance Advisory committee annual consultation conference in Washington DC.

# II. OPENING

Opening provided by Chairman Tehassi

A. Special recognition for Years of Service Sponsor: Geraldine Danforth, Area Manager/Human Resources

Special recognition by Kendall Barton of Sponsor: Lisa Summers, Secretary

King (25 years of service); Special recognition by Debra Danforth of Sheri Forgette (25 years of service); Special recognition by Jacque Boyle of Neal Cornelius (25 years of service); Special recognition by Tina Moore of Buddy Laster (25 years of A. Adopt resolution entitled Community service); Special recognition by Tysoshaaht Delgado of Lisa Aho (25 years of service); Special recognition by Dakota House of Curtiss Jordan (25 years of service); Special recognition by Kathleen Sayers of Torland Cornelius-Adkins (25 years of service); Special recognition by Kerry Metoxen of Carolyn Miller (years of service);

Sheri Ault (25 years of service):

Special recognition of the following individuals who could not be present: Patricia Pelishek (25 years of service); Teresa Bonifas (25 years of service); Julie Cornelius (25 years of service); Jeffrey Bauer (25 years of service); Dianne Moore (25 years of service); Tammy Cherney (25 years of service); Kenneth Noack (25 years of service); Deborah Skenandore (25 years of service); Bradley Skenandore (25 years of service);

B. Kahletsvalúsla - 8th Grade Futures recognition

Sponsor: Daniel Guzman King, Council-

Special recognition by Councilman Daniel Guzman King of the 8th Grade Futures girls basketball team and coaches for their 2019 WI State Invitational Tournament Championship.

# III. ADOPT THE AGENDA

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to adopt the agenda as presented, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

A. Oneida Nation Veterans Affairs Committee - Floyd J. Hill II

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary Oath of office administered by Secretary Lisa Summers. Floyd J. Hill II was present.

### V. MINUTES

A. Approve the April 10, 2019, regular Business Committee meeting minutes

Barbara Ninham (25 years of service); Spe- Motion by David P. Jordan to approve the

tee meeting minutes, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

### VI. RESOLUTIONS A. FINANCE COMMITTEE

Based Movement to Build Health Equity and Address Alzheimer's Disease in Wisconsin's Indian Country

**Sponsor:** Pat Lassila, Chair/Oneida Nation Commission on Aging

Motion by Lisa Summers to adopt resolution 04-24-19-A Community Based Movement to Build Health Equity and Address Special recognition by Sally Doxtater of Alzheimer's Disease in Wisconsin's Indian Country, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

> B. Adopt resolution entitled Memory Keepers Medical Discovery Team

> Sponsor: Pat Lassila, Chair/Oneida Nation Commission on Aging

> Motion by Daniel Guzman King to adopt resolution 04-24-19-B Memory Keepers Medical Discovery Team, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

> C. Adopt resolution entitled Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Month

> **Sponsor:** George Skenandore, Division Director/Governmental Services

Motion by Lisa Summers to adopt resolution 04-24-19-C Child Abuse and Neglect Sponsor: David P. Jordan, Councilman Prevention Month, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

D. Adopt resolution entitled Proclaiming the Oneida Nation Reservation as a Purple Heart Reservation

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary Motion by Lisa Summers to adopt resolu- A. Approve the travel report - Councilman tion 04-24-19-D Proclaiming the Oneida Nation Reservation as a Purple Heart Reservation, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

E. Adopt resolution entitled Approval of Use of Economic Development, Diversification and Community Development Fund for Project ED19-008

Sponsor: Troy Parr. Division Director/ Community & Economic Development Motion by David P. Jordan to defer the resolution entitled Approval of Use of Economic Development, Diversification and Community Development Fund for Project ED19-008 to later in the meeting, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

cial recognition by Jacque Boyle of Mike April 10, 2019, regular Business Commit- Motion by Lisa Summers to adopt resolution 04-24-19-F Approval of Use of Economic Development, Diversification and Community Development Fund for Project ED19-008, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

> Ayes: David P. Jordan, Trish King, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens, Lisa Summers Abstained: Daniel Guzman King

> F. Adopt resolution entitled Tribal Energy Development Capacity Grant

> **Sponsor:** Ernie Stevens III. Councilman Motion by Lisa Summers to adopt resolution 04-24-19-E Tribal Energy Development Capacity Grant, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

# VII. STANDING COMMITTEES A. FINANCE COMMITTEE

1. Approve the April 15, 2019, regular Finance Committee meeting minutes

**Sponsor:** Trish King, Treasurer Motion by David P. Jordan to approve the April 15, 2019, regular Finance Committee meeting minutes, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

### **B. LEGISLATIVE OPERATING COMMITTEE**

1. Accept the Children's Code Implementation quarterly update

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to accept the Children's Code Implementation quarterly update, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

### VIII. TRAVEL REPORTS

Ernie Stevens III - Wisconsin Tribal Conservation Advisory Council (WT-CAC) Board Meeting - Crandon, WI -April 10-11, 2019

**Sponsor:** Ernie Stevens III, Councilman Motion by Lisa Summers to approve the travel report from Councilman Ernie Stevens III for the Wisconsin Tribal Conservation Advisory Council (WTCAC) Board Meeting in Crandon, WI - April 10-11, 2019, noting the travel was cancelled due to weather, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

• See 35, April 24 OBC

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## IX. TRAVEL REQUESTS

A. Approve the travel request - Councilman Ernie Stevens III - 7th annual Rising Voices workshop - Boulder, CO - May 14-18, 2019

**Sponsor:** Ernie Stevens III, Councilman Motion by David P. Jordan to approve the travel request for Councilman Ernie Stevens III to attend the 7th annual Rising Voices workshop in Boulder, CO - May 14-18, 2019, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

### X. NEW BUSINESS

A. Post one (1) vacancy - Oneida Nation Veterans Affairs Committee (01:15:23)

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary Motion by David P. Jordan to post one (1) vacancy - Oneida Nation Veterans Affairs Committee, noting the term for the vacancy ends on December 31, 2022, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

B. Accept the Food Innovation Center concept as information

**Sponsor:** Joanie Buckley, Division Director/Internal Services

Motion by Daniel Guzman King to accept the Food Innovation Center concept as information and forward to the Community & Economic Development Division Director for CIP numbering and entering into the process, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jordan, Kirby Metoxen

Abstained: Lisa Summers

C. Approve two (2) actions regarding the Youth Homeland Tour

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to accept the update regarding the Youth Homeland Tour as information for the record, noting the Special Project Budget funds are activated, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

Motion by David P. Jordan to note for the record that Secretary Summers and up to one (1) additional BC member is an approved participant for the Youth Homelands tour for travel procedure purposes, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

### XI. REPORTS A. OPERATIONAL

1. Accept the Health Care Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report

Motion by David P. Jordan to accept the

Health Care Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Secretary Lisa Summers arrived at 1:50 p.m.

2. Accept the Protection and Preservation of Natural Resources Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to accept the Protection and Preservation of Natural Resources Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report, seconded by Lisa Summers. Motion carried:

Motion by Daniel Guzman King to go into executive session at 2:31 p.m., seconded by Lisa Summers. Motion carried:

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to come out of executive session at 2:52 p.m., seconded by Trish King. Motion carried:

3. Protection and Preservation of Oneida Culture and Language Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report - not submitted

**Sponsor:** delete this line

Chairman Tehassi Hill left at 2:00 p.m. Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens assumes the responsibilities of the Chair.

**For the record:** A handout of the report was provided at the meeting.

Motion by Trish King to accept the Protection and Preservation of Oneida Culture and Language Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

4. Education and Literacy Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report - not submitted

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to defer the Education and Literacy Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report to the May 8, 2019, regular Business Committee meeting, seconded by Trish King. Motion carried:

5. Economic Enterprises Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report - not submitted

**For the record:** A handout of the report was provided at the meeting.

Motion by David P. Jordan to accept the Economic Enterprises Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report - not submitted, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jor-

dan, Trish King, Kirby Metoxen Abstained: Lisa Summers

Councilman David P. Jordan left at 3:02 p.m.

6. Building and Property Maintenance Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report - not submitted

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to defer the Building and Property Maintenance Service Group FY-2019 2nd quarter report to the May 8, 2019, regular Business Committee meeting, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

### XI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by David P. Jordan to go into executive session at 9:55 a.m., seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens arrived at 11:30 a.m.

The Oneida Business Committee, by consensus, took a fifteen (15) minutes recess at 1:15 p.m.

Treasurer Trish King arrived at 1:30 p.m. Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens assumes the responsibilities of the Chair and called meeting to order at 1:36 p.m.

Motion by David P. Jordan to come out of executive session at 1:36 p.m., seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Chairman Tehassi Hill returned at 1:36 p.m. and assumed the responsibilities of the Chair.

### A. REPORTS

Motion by Trish King to go into executive session at 3:11 p.m., seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Councilman David P Jordan returns at 3:13 p.m.

Chairman Tehassi Hill returns at 3:28 p.m. and assumes the responsibilities of the Chair.

Motion by David P. Jordan to come out of executive session at 3:29 p.m., seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried:

Roll call for the record:

**Present:** Chairman Tehassi Hill; Councilman Daniel Guzman King; Councilman David P. Jordan; Treasurer Trish King; Councilman Kirby Metoxen; Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens; Secretary Lisa Summers;

**Not Present:** Councilman Ernie Stevens III; Councilwoman Jennifer Webster;

1. Accept the Comprehensive Health Division FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report

**Sponsor:** Jo Anne House, Chief Counsel Motion by Trish King to accept the Comprehensive Health Division FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried: Motion by Kirby Metoxen to direct the BC

Officers to follow up with the Comprehensive Health Division and Human Resources on the identified concern, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

2. Accept the Community & Economic Development Division FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report

**Sponsor:** Troy Parr, Division Director/ Community & Economic Development Motion by David P. Jordan to accept the Community & Economic Development Division FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

3. Division of Public Works FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report - not submitted **Sponsor:** Jacque Boyle, Division Director/Public Works

**For the record:** A handout of the report was provided at the meeting.

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to accept the Division of Public Works FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jordan, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens, Lisa Summers

Abstained: Trish King

4. Accept the Governmental Services Division FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report

**Sponsor:** George Skenandore, Division Director/Governmental Services

Motion by Trish King to accept the Governmental Services Division FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

• See 36, April 24 OBC

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5. Accept the Internal Services Division FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report (02:42:14)

**Sponsor:** Joanie Buckley, Division Director/Internal Services

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to accept the Internal Services Division FY-2019 2nd quarter executive report, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried:

Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jordan, Trish King, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens

Abstained: Lisa Summers 6. Accept the Chief Counsel report

**Sponsor:** Jo Anne House, Chief Counsel Motion by Trish King to accept the Chief Counsel report dated April 22, 2019, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

Motion by David P. Jordan to approve the cover letter and the report regarding the March 25, 2019, General Tribal Council meeting directive, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Motion by Brandon Stevens to approve the agreement between the Oneida Nation and the Brown County Health and Human Services Department regarding 1983 Wisconsin Act 161 and the associated Memorandum of Understanding between Brown County Department of Health and Human Services and the Oneida Nation Indian Child Welfare Department, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Motion by Lisa Summers to approve the agreement between the Oneida Nation and Outagamie County Department of Health and Human Services regarding 1983 Wisconsin Act 161 and the associated Memorandum of Understanding between Outagamie County Department of Health and Human Services and Oneida Nation Indian Child Welfare Department, noting this item can be moved to open session, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

Motion by Lisa Summers to move the agreement between the Oneida Nation and the Brown County Health and Human Services Department regarding 1983 Wisconsin Act 161 and the associated Memorandum of Understanding between Brown County Department of Health and Human Services and the Oneida Nation Indian Child Welfare Department to open session, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

7. Accept the Chief Financial Officer April 2019 report

**Sponsor:** Larry Barton, Chief Financial Officer

Motion by David P. Jordan to accept the Chief Financial Officer April 2019 report, seconded by Trish King. Motion carried:

8. Accept the Intergovernmental Affairs, Communications, and Self-Governance April 2019 report

**Sponsor:** Melinda J. Danforth, Director/ Intergovernmental Affairs

Motion by Lisa Summers to accept the Intergovernmental Affairs, Communications, and Self-Governance April 2019 report, seconded by Daniel Guzman King. Motion carried:

Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jordan, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens, Lisa Summers

Abstained: Trish King Motion by Lisa Summers to approve the comments regarding the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Definition of Waters Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OW-2018-0149 dated April 15, 2019, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jordan, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens, Lisa Summers

Abstained: Trish King

Not Present: Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Webster

Motion by Lisa Summers to approve the Odawi Law PLLC attorney contract – file # 2019-0405, seconded by Trish King. Motion carried:

Ayes: David P. Jordan, Trish King, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens, Lisa Summers Abstained: Daniel Guzman King

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to approve the travel request for Secretary Lisa Summers and Councilwoman Jennifer Webster to attend Various State/Tribal Consultations in Bayfield, WI - May 6-8, 2019, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

### **B. STANDING ITEMS**

- 1. ONEIDA GOLF ENTERPRISE CORPORATION - LADIES PROFESSIONAL GOLF ASSOCIATION
- a. Accept the Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic April 2019 report

Motion by Lisa Summers to accept the Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic April 2019 report, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

# C. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. File # ED18-008 - Accept closeout report

**Sponsor:** Troy Parr, Division Director/ Community & Economic Development Motion by Brandon Stevens to accept the closeout report regarding file # ED18-008, seconded by Lisa Summers. Motion carried:

- 2. Consider two (2) requests regarding the Environmental Resource Board request made pursuant to §105.7-4
  - See 43, April 24 OBC

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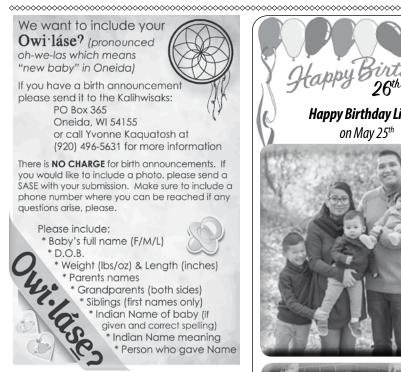
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#### Akwelyá:ne Daisy-Louise Hill

Akwelyá ne Daisy-Louise Hill, was born on March 12, 2019 she weighed 7lbs 5oz and 18inches long. Her parents are Shane & Deborah Hill. She has 5 brothers, Damen, Malaki, Ahnakwet, Shane Jr and Ohkwali Hill.

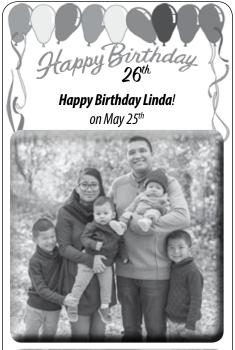
Her grandparents are Dale Cornelius & Lisa Guardipee and Cheri & Andy Goodwin.



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## House Democrats pull tribal bills after Trump tweet

By Matthew Daly Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) ~ Democratic leaders pulled two bills concerning Native American tribes from the House floor Wednesday after President Donald Trump criticized one of the bills on Twitter and urged Republicans to oppose it.

The bills were to be considered under a fast-track provision that requires twothirds majority to pass, making Republican support necessary for approval.

Trump said one of the bills, which reaffirms the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe reservation as trust land in Massachusetts, was a "special interest casino Bill" backed by Massachusetts Sen. Elizabeth Warren. He called it unfair and said it "doesn't treat Native Americans equallv!"

The bill's sponsor, Rep. Bill Keating, D-Mass., said Trump opposes the bill because of "his well-documented alliance" with a lobbyist for Rhode Island casinos that would compete with one planned by the Mashpee Wampanoag.

Keating said on Twitter that Trump was making a "weak attempt to hide corrupt influence in a racist tweet" that uses a derogatory term for Warren, a Democratic candidate for president.

Matt Schlapp, a prominent Trump supporter and chairman of the American Conservative Union, represents Twin River Management Group, which owns two casinos in Rhode Island. Twin River has paid Schlapp's firm, Cove Strategies, \$30,000 for its work so far this year, federal records show.

Schlapp also is the husband of White House strategic communications director Mercedes Schlapp.

Matt Schlapp has publicly criticized legislation to recognize the Mashpee tribe and tweeted Wednesday that the House would soon "vote to reward Sen Elizabeth Warren with...wait for it...an INDIAN casino in Massachusetts."

Warren has co-sponsored a Senate version of the tribal bill, which is intended to ensure that the Mashpees don't lose their federally designated reservation lands after the Trump administration said the tribe does not qualify to have the land placed into trust because it wasn't under federal jurisdiction when the Indian Reorganization Act passed in

Another Trump-linked firm, Black Diamond Strategies, also received \$30,000 from Twin River to lobby the House on the tribal bill. Doug Davenport, one of the firm's lobbyists working on Twin River's behalf, was a senior adviser to the Trump presidential campaign.

Rep. Raul Grijalva, D-Ariz., chairman of the House Natural Resources Committee, said Trump's tweet caused Republicans to get ``cold feet" on the tribal bill, but said the measure could come back as soon as next week under regular

"I have no intention of letting the president's gutter commentary derail the people's business," said Grijalva, whose committee has oversight over tribal is-

The other bill withdrawn Wednesday would reaffirm the interior secretary's authority to take land into trust for Indian tribes. The bill is sponsored by Rep. Tom Cole, R-Okla.

> Associated Press writer Richard Lardner contributed to this story.

#### **ONEIDA LAND COMMISSION**

*In the matter of the Estate of* 

#### Michael L. Redhail NOTICE SETTING TIME TO HEAR APPLICATION & DEADLINE FOR FILING CLAIMS

#### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

- application for 1 An informal administration was filed.
- 2. The decedent, with a date of birth 9/27/1952 and date of death 1/16/2019, was an Oneida Nation tribal member domiciled on the Oneida Reservation. State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of: 2943 Artley St #96 Oneida, WI 54155.
- 3. The application will be heard at by the Oneida Nation Land Commission at Little Bear Development Center. N7332 Water Circle Place, Oneida, WI on May 13, 2019 at 5:00.

You do not need to appear unless you object. The application may be granted if there is no objection.

- 4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is: July 30, 2019.
- 5. A claim may be filed with at the Oneida Nation Division of Environment, Health, Land and Safety at: PO Box 365 Oneida, WI 54155.
- 6. This publication is notice to any persons whose names or addresses are unknown.
- 7. You may contact [Carla Clark] with procedural questions at: (920) 869-6610 (the probate specialist is unable to provide legal advice).

Division of Environmental, Health, Safety and Land Date: 4/4/2019 ########

*In the matter of the Estate of* 

Shawnie Rose Silas-Grode

NOTICE SETTING TIME TO HEAR APPLICATION & DEADLINE FOR FILING CLAIMS

#### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

- application informal administration was filed.
- 2. The decedent, with a date of birth 06/19/1998 and date of death 01/18/2019, was an Oneida Nation tribal member domiciled. State of

- Wisconsin with a mailing address of: 4. The deadline for filing a claim against 1321 Cedar Street, Apt C, Green Bay, WI 54302.
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Division of Environmental, Health, Safety and Land Date: 4/23/2019 In the matter of the Estate of

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*In the matter of the Estate of* 

Jaden Carvert Hensley

NOTICE SETTING TIME TO HEAR APPLICATION & DEADLINE FOR FILING CLAIMS

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- application 1. An informal administration was filed.
- 2. The decedent, with a date of birth 04/08/2005 and date of death 02/27/2019, was an Oneida Nation tribal member domiciled, State of Colorado, with a mailing address of: 279 Cherry Lake Drive, Divide, Colorado 80814-9773.
- 3. The application will be heard at by the Oneida Nation Land Commission at Little Bear Development Center, N7332 Water Circle Place. Oneida. WI on May 13, 2019 at 5:00.

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Safety and Land Date: 4/23/2019

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In the matter of the Estate of

Tina Dawn Metoxen

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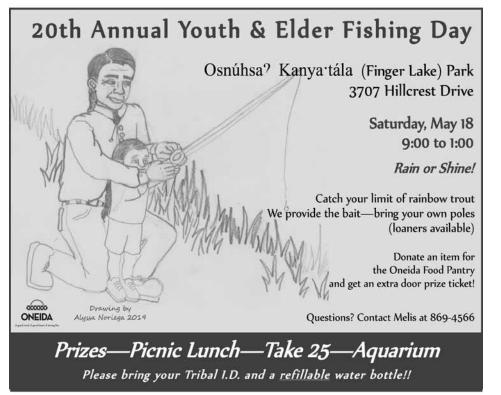
- 1. An application informal administration was filed.
- 2. The decedent, with a date of birth 01/10/1964 and date of death 03/19/2019, was an Oneida

- Nation tribal member domiciled on the Oneida Reservation. State of Wisconsin with a mailing address of: 1205 Shepherds Path, Green Bay, WI 54313.
- 3. The application will be heard at by the Oneida Nation Land Commission at Little Bear Development Center. N7332 Water Circle Place, Oneida, WI on May 13, 2019 at 5:00.

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Division of Environmental, Health, Safety and Land Date: 4/23/2019



## Local

#### **Board Vacancies**

Applications may be obtained online at: https://oneida-nsn.gov/government/boards-committees-and-commissions/vacancies/

Obtained or Submitted in person at: Norbert Hill Center, 2nd Floor, N7210 Seminary Rd., Oneida WI 54155

Submitted by email: **TribalSecretary@oneidanation.org**Submitted by mail: **PO Box 365, Oneida WI 54155** 

For more information about each board, including their By-Laws, please visit our website at: https://oneida-nsn.gov/government/boards-committees-and-commissions/

#### **Oneida ESC Group LLC**

One (1) Vacancy to complete a term ending June 30, 2022

#### **Qualifications:**

- Indian Preference will be followed.
- Education and Experience: Must have obtained a Bachelor's degree or a more advanced degree from and accredited college or university in all diversified fields with 10 years of management experience. However, the technical field of civil engineering, environmental, construction or any related field is strongly preferred, One of the three Board Members should have the above technical education and experience background. If the number of Board Members is increased, a minimum of 1/3 of the Board Members should have the above technical education and experience background.
- Managers cannot:
- o Be an owner, manager, employee consultant or Board member in or to a business engaged in a line of business similar to the Company-i.e., environmental, remediation, construction, engineering, and emergency response services, or a related business, e.g., a supplier or equipment provider, or serve on the board of directors of any similar or related business-unless the other Company is also owned by Oneida Nation; or
- o Be and employee of a government agency that is a client of the Company; or
- o In the past two years have been employed by a government agency or have been and independent consultant/contractor conducting business on behalf of a government agency that has competition and no conflict of interest is proven. For the purpose of b) and c), the Oneida Nation shall not be considered to be a government agency.
- Conduct: The Managers cannot have been convicted of, or have pleaded guilty to a crime involving dishonesty or breach of trust, or a crime which would be a felony under current, applicable law. The Managers must be well regarded in the Tribe and have long-term reputation for the highest ethical and moral standards.

Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 31, 2019

### **ATTENTION**

The Trust Enrollment Department is trying to contact the following individuals with important information regarding their Minor's Trust Fund:

• Michael Dean Cornelius • Jessica Trinity Nicole Roberts

If you are one these people, please call the Trust Enrollment Department as soon as possible. If you know one of these people, please ask them to call Trust Enrollment Department as soon as possible. Yaw^ko

For more information, please call: (920) 869-6200 or (800) 571-9902

#### Oneida Nation Veterans Affairs Committee (ONVAC)

One (1) Vacancy to complete a term ending December 31, 2022

#### **Qualifications:**

- The Veterans Affairs Committee will be made up of members of the Oneida Nation who have served honorably on active duty in the United States Armed Forces.
- Must be a person, who served on active duty in one of the military branches of the United States Armed Forces and received honorable discharge from active duty service.
- Must have been on active duty by serving one hundred eighty-one (181) days or more of continuous active duty unless discharged early, with less than one hundred eighty-one (181) days active duty, for a service connected disability.
- Served as a member of the Selected Reserve and who has completed at least six (6) years in the Reserves or National Guard, or who was discharged early because of a service connected disability.
- Shall be a citizen in good standing in the Oneida Community.

Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 31, 2019

#### **Oneida Personnel Commission**

One (1) Vacancy to complete a term ending March 31, 2020 One (1) Vacancy to complete a term ending March 31, 2021

#### **Qualifications:**

- Be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation;
- Be at least twenty-one (21) years of age;
- Shall not be an employee of the Nation;
- Be available for meetings, training, interviews, prescreening, reassignments, grievance hearings and other duties as needed. Three (3) unexcused absences to attend to such duties may be reported to the Oneida Business Committee, if deemed appropriate by the OPC, for recommended termination;
- Be free of any and all direct conflicts of interest or appearances of conflict as defined under various laws and policies of the Nation, including but not limited to, the oath of office, the Oneida Rules of Civil Procedure, the Oneida Personnel Policies and Procedures and other laws/policies regarding employment, the Code of Ethics, and the Boards, Committees and Commissions law; and
- Have a minimum of two (2) years supervisory experience along with hiring experience, an Associate Degree, or equivalent experience or education.

Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 31, 2019

#### **Oneida Youth Leadership Institute Board**

Two (2) Vacancies to complete a term ending June 30, 2020 Two (2) Vacancies to complete a term ending June 30, 2022

#### **Qualifications:**

- Be at least twenty-one (21) years old;
- Have a high school diploma, high school equivalency degree, or general education development certificate;
- Have fundraising experience and either a) experience in management, business administration, youth services or law, or b) a bachelor's degree;
- Have the ability to obtain a fiduciary bond; and
- Have the ability to exercise sound judgment in matters relating to OYLI's purpose.

Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 31, 2019

Additional Vacancy listed on page 41
Application Deadline for ALL VACANCIES:
4:30 PM – Friday, May 31, 2019

#### **Board Vacancies**

Applications may be obtained online at: https://oneida-nsn.gov/government/boards-committees-and-commissions/vacancies/

Obtained or Submitted in person at: Norbert Hill Center, 2nd Floor, N7210 Seminary Rd., Oneida WI 54155

Submitted by email: **TribalSecretary@oneidanation.org** Submitted by mail: **PO Box 365, Oneida WI 54155** 

For more information about each board, including their By-Laws, please visit our website at: https://oneida-nsn.gov/government/boards-committees-and-commissions/

#### **Audit Committee**

One (1) Vacancy to complete a term ending February 28, 2022

#### **Qualifications:**

- The appointed Committee member shall be at least twenty-one (21) years of age and be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Committee members shall be both independent and financially literate or have access to financial expertise, whether in the form of the Chief Financial Officer, a single individual serving on the Committee, or collectively among Committee members. Components of financial expertise include:
  - o The ability to assess the general application of the principles and standards in connection with the accounting for estimates, accruals, and reserves.
  - o An understanding of internal controls.
  - o An understanding of the procedures for financial reporting.
  - o An understanding of Audit Committee functions and responsibilities.
- The term of the appointed community member shall expire midway through the term of the Oneida Business Committee.
- Defining independence of each Committee member is important for the Tribe and no Committee member may:
  - o Be employed by any Tribal entity.
  - o Provide contract services to the Tribe.
  - o Be a member of any other Tribal Board, Committee or Commission, other than the Oneida Business Committee.
  - o Represent any interests other than the Tribe's while acting as a member of the Committee.
- Committee members shall strictly adhere to the Tribe's laws and policies establishing ethical standards and/or conflicts of interest, and any code of conduct. All work shall be performed in accordance with the International Professional Practices Framework. Failure to do so may result in the removal from the Committee or termination of an appointment.

Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 31, 2019

## OLIPP

Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus Call Oneida Trust Enrollment Department (920) 869-6212

#### **Advertisement for Bids**

**OWNER** – The Oneida Nation hereby gives notice that sealed bids will be received in the Oneida Engineering Department, Little Bear Development Center, N7332 Water Circle Place, Oneida WI 54155 for Silver Creek Trail and Silver Creek Restoration.

**PROJECT** – The creek restoration shall consist of earthwork, environmental controls, dewatering, and stream bed stone. The trail work shall consist of trail construction, prefabricated pedestrian bridge, culverts, signing, and pavement marking.

Bids will be received on the following contracts:

Contract A: Silver Creek Restoration Contract B: Silver Creek Trail Contract C: Silver Creek Restoration and Trail

Bidders will have the option to bid on the creek restoration work only (Contract A), the trail work only (Contract B), or all of the Contracts A, B, and C.

**TIME** – Sealed bids will be received until 2:00 p.m., local time, on May 30, 2019, in the Oneida Engineering Department.

**BIDS** – All bids shall be addressed to Oneida Nation, Engineering Department, N7332 Water Circle Place, Oneida, WI, 54155. Bids shall be sealed and shall have the name and address of the bidder and the contract for which the bid is being submitted on the outside of the envelope. All bidders shall bid in accordance with and upon the Bid Forms included in the contract documents. Bids will be publically opened by the OWNER..

**EXAMINATION OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS** – The contract documents are on file for inspection at the following locations:

Oneida Indian Preference Office Skenandoah Complex, 909 Packerland Drive, Green Bay, WI 54303

Oneida Engineering Solutions (OES) 2555 Packerland Drive Green Bay, WI 54313

**PROCUREMENT OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS** – Contract documents are available for online viewing at:

https://oneida-nsn.gov/business/development-division/engineering-rfp/ or an Adobe Acrobat® electronic format digital file can be emailed upon request to the contacts noted below:

Oneida Indian Preference Office Oneida Engineering Solutions (OES)
Sam VanDen Heuvel Anthony Marcoe
(920) 869-4585 • svandenh@oneidanation.org (920) 884-3963 • amarcoe@oesllc.com

**BID SECURITY** – No bid shall be received unless accompanied by a certified check or satisfactory bid bond payable to the Oneida Nation in an amount not less than 5% of the maximum bid as a guarantee that, if the bid is accepted, the bidder will execute and file the contract, performance/payment bonds and insurance certification, as required by the contract documents, within ten (10) days after the Notice of Award.

**BID REJECTION** – The Oneida Nation the right to reject any and all bids, waive any informality in bidding or to accept the bid or bids which best serves the interests of the OWNER.

**WAGE RATE DETERMINATIONS** – For Contracts B and C, the CONTRACTORS shall be required to pay not less than the wage rates established for the project by the Davis-Bacon Federal Wage Determination. Copies of these wage rates are incorporated in the contract documents. **These wage rates do not apply for Contract A**.

**PROJECT COMPLETION** – Contract award is anticipated for the later part of June 2019 with start of construction being dependent upon site conditions. Final completion including all restoration to be complete no later than November 27, 2019.

**INDIAN PREFERENCE** – To the greatest extend feasible, recipients (Oneida Engineering Department) shall give preference in the award of contracts for projects under this part to Indian Organizations and Indian owned economic enterprises.

Any contract awarded under this Advertisement of Bid shall conform to the Oneida Nation's Indian Preference in Contracting Law. It is the CONTRACTOR's responsibility to present their intentions relative to compliance.

The Awarded Contractor will be required to obtain an Oneida Vendors License, if the firm does not currently hold a license.

ONEIDA NATION Oneida, Wisconsin 

## **Upcoming Events in June**

## June 2 Puppet Idol – Lip Sync Puppet Contest

When: Sunday, June 2

Where: Oneida Apostolic Church 118 W. Meadow Dr., Oneida

*Time:* 5:30 PM Registration, 6:30 PM Show

This contest is open to all who wish to participate. Register the day of the show, no experience needed. Prizes for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd. Come try your hand at puppeteering or just come and watch the fun. For more information call 920-362-6129.

#### **Ongoing**

Monthly Sobriety Potluck Mtg.

*When*: Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month

*Time*: 12:00PM − 3:00PM

*Where*: Yukwatsistay<sup>^</sup> 431 Hillcrest Dr. Green Bay, WI, 54313

Sobriety Potluck to help support those addicted or in recovery as well as their families. Open to the public.

FMI: 920 264-2107

#### Sobriety Breakfast Circles

When: Every Sunday (except 2<sup>nd</sup> of

the month)

*Time*: 10:00 AM − 12:00 PM

Where: Yukwatsistay<sup>^</sup> 431 Hillcrest

Dr. Green Bay, WI, 54313

Come join us for a sobriety talking circle. Open to the public. FMI: 920 264-2107

## Friday Night Fire and Talking Circle

When: Every Friday Time: 6:00pm

Where: Yukwatsistay<sup>^</sup> 431 Hillcrest Dr. Green Bay, WI, 54313

Join us for a open topic talking circle at fire pit at Yukwatsistay<sup>^</sup>, weather permitting. If raining we will hold talking circle inside building. Open to the public. FMI: 920 264-2107

#### Heroin Anonymous Meeting

When: Every Friday Time: 6:00PM

Where: Yukwatsistay<sup>^</sup> 431 Hillcrest Dr. Green Bay, WI, 54313 For more information, contact Josiah P. (920 264-2107) Welcoming other

addictions, we all support each other.

#### **OLCC** Regular Meeting

When: 1st and 3rd Thursday

*Time*: 5:30<sub>PM</sub>

Where: NHC, 3rd Floor Rm 338 OLCC Conference Room

For more information call 920-869-4430 or Email: LandClaims\_

Comm@oneidanation.org

#### **Prayer Warriors**

When: Second Tuesday of every month

*Time*: 11:25AM – 12:00PM

*Where*: Activity Room at the Oneida Nursing Home.

Sponsored by the Oneida Ecumenical Team. All are welcome! Bring your prayer requests for individuals, families, community and world. For more information please contact: Edi at 715-

524-3194 or Edijafra@yahoo.com

#### Alcoholics Anonymous

When: Wednesdays Time: 6:00PM

*Where*: Three Sisters Comm. Center The meeting will be open unless topic calls for a closed meeting. For more information call 920-869-9014.

#### Women's Support Group

When: Every Friday Time: Noon-2:30pm

Where: Three Sisters Community

Center

For more information Isabel Parker at (920) 412-0396 or Georgia Burr at (920) 362-2490.

#### Wise Men's Support Group

When: Thursdays Time: 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM

Where: Wise Women Gathering

Place, 2615 S. Packerland, G.B. Next to Famous Dave's

The Wise-Men's Group is a Fellowship comprised of Native and Non-Native men. The Fellowship is dedicated to healing and supporting all men having difficulties dealing

with personal issues in their lives that are, or can be destructive to their wellness. The Wise Men's Fellowship was created by two elders believing all men had a need for support at certain times of their life. There is no age or community restriction to participate in the Fellowship, just your wanting to be a better you.

Confidentiality is held in high esteem and stays within our ranks. Native

Culture and Spirituality, smudging and tobacco use are forefront to the group. Come and experience our camaraderie or address a struggle you want to lift off your shoulder. FMI, contact: Rick Laes at 920-869-9026.

Note: Any requests to include local events in this section will require individuals to list a phone # and contact person for the event.

#### Reminder Notice

For those listed as **Ongoing**, please let the Kalihwisaks know if the information is up to date **and/or** if the information is no longer valid. We appreciate your assistance in keeping the events calender in good standing.

Contact us at: kallhwisaks@oneidanafion.org to get your event listed.

## Tsyunhéhkwa Spring Tilling Service

Sign up at the Tsyunhehkwa Farm 139 Riverdale Drive, Oneida No Cash Sales—Check or Money order

( money orders available at Oneida post office)

Oneida members 55+ or disable - \$10 54 and younger—\$30 Tribal programs are free of charge

#### SIGN UP & Payment Deadline is MAY 15

Service includes: tilling up to 1/4 acre. You must remove all debris, stake 4 corners and remove or mow grass if not an established garden

Contact Kyle Wisneski with questions

(920) 370-3151 or email kwisnesk@oneidanation.org

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### From page 36/April 10, 2019 OBC Minutes

Sponsor: Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Treasurer Trish King left at 3:38 p.m.

Motion by Lisa Summers to rescind the January 23, 2019, motion which required the Chairman to provide a recommendation regarding

the request from the Environmental Resource Board, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to terminate the appointment of Megan White on the Environmental Resource Board pursuant to §105.7-4, seconded by Lisa Summers. Motion carried:

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to approve the Secretary to post the vacancy in accordance with § 105.6-4(e), seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

#### D. NEW BUSINESS

**Oneida Business Committee Emergency Meeting** 8:30 AM Friday, May 03, 2019 BC Conference Room, 2nd floor, Norbert Hill Center Minutes

#### **EMERGENCY MEETING**

**Present:** Chairman Tehassi Hill, Treasurer Trish King, Council members: Daniel Guzman King, David Jordan, Ernest Stevens III. Jennifer Webster:

Arrived at: Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens at 8:35 a.m., Secretary Lisa Summers at 8:37 a.m., Council members Kirby Metoxen at 8:32 a.m.;

#### I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order by Chairman Tehassi Hill at 8:32 a.m.

For the record: Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens, Secretary Lisa Summers, and Councilman Kirby Metoxen will be late.

#### II. OPENING

Opening provided by Councilman Daniel Guzman King.

Councilman Kirby Metoxen arrived at 8:32 a.m.

#### III. ADOPT THE AGENDA

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt the agenda as presented, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

1. Approve reorganization proposal for Oneida Retail Enterprise

Sponsor: Michele Doxtator, Area Manager/Retail Profits

Treasurer Trish King returned at 3:39 p.m.

Motion by David P. Jordan to approve the reorganization proposal for Oneida Retail Enterprise, noting an implementation plan will be brought back when ready, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jordan, Trish King, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens

Abstained: Lisa Summers

Motion by David P. Jordan to direct the BC Officers to follow up with the Human Resources on the identified concern regarding hiring, seconded by Lisa Summers. Motion carried:

2. Discuss Food Innovation Center concept

Sponsor: Joanie Buckley, Division Director/Internal Services

Motion by David P. Jordan to accept the discussion regarding the Food Innovation Center concept as information, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jordan, Trish King, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens

Abstained: Lisa Summers

Minutes

3. Discuss divisional succession planning

**Sponsor:** Troy Parr, Division Director/ Community & Economic Development Motion by Kirby Metoxen to accept the discussion regarding the divisional succession planning as information, seconded by Lisa Summers. Motion carried:

4. Discuss Economic Development strategic plan

Sponsor: Troy Parr, Division Director/ Community & Economic Development Motion by Lisa Summers to accept the discussion regarding the Economic Development strategic plan as information, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried: Motion by Lisa Summers to direct the OBC liaisons for Oneida ESC Group LLC to coordinate future meetings with the Community & Economic Division Director, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried:

#### XIII. ADJOURN

Motion by David P. Jordan to adjourn at 3:45 p.m., seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Minutes prepared by Lisa Liggins, Information Management Specialist Minutes approved as presented on May 8, 2019.

Lisa Summers, Secretary ONEIDA BUSINESS COMMITTEE

#### IV. NEW BUSINESS

A. Approve the agreement and a limited waiver of sovereign immunity - Joint Effort Marketing Grant Agreement file # 2019-0468

**Sponsor:** Trish King, Treasurer

Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens arrives at 8:35 a.m.

Secretary Lisa Summers arrived at 8:37

Motion by Brandon Stevens to approve the agreement and a limited waiver of sovereign immunity - Joint Effort Marketing Grant Agreement - file # 2019-0468, seconded by Trish King. Motion carried: Ayes: Daniel Guzman King, David P. Jordan, Trish King, Kirby Metoxen, Brandon Stevens, Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Web-

Abstained: Lisa Summers

#### V. ADJOURN

Motion by David P. Jordan to adjourn at 8:38 a.m., seconded by Trish King. Motion carried:

Minutes prepared by Lisa Liggins, Information Management Specialist Minutes approved as presented on May 8,

Lisa Summers, Secretary ONEIDA BUSINESS COMMITTEE

## American Indian Science Scholars Program

July 7 - July 17, 2019





#### A FREE educational program held at the University of Wisconsin -Milwaukee for Native American high-school students

\*Hands-on sessions

(Past activities included looking at blood cells of infection, blood typing, DNA necklaces, learning the physics of medical imaging, visiting a field station, and more!)

- \*Educational field trips to multiple campuses
- \*Room and board at UW-Milwaukee dorm provided
- \*Cultural activities
- \*Milwaukee Brewers game & lots of other fun

#### For more information:

Stephanie Thompson or Amy Poupart sthompson@glitc.org apoupart@glitc.org 800-472-7207 ext. 118 or 177

Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council, Inc Lac du Flambeau, WI 54538 http://www.glitc.org/programs/narch-studentoptions



#### Oneida Dental temporary shutdown

We are fast approaching the temporary shutdown of the Oneida Dental Clinic for the much-needed renovation.

#### Construction begins May 28, 2019.

The dental front desk will remain open and staff will continue to take phone calls and schedule appointments.

Dental emergencies will continue to be triaged by the dental staff and scheduled appropriately.

Limited dental services and dental cleanings will be located at AJRCCC and NWTC.

The dental staff will be available to

give you detailed directions to these locations.

Orthodontic services will continue at NWTC and will be limited to retainer checks and reties.

You will be notified by a reminder call or text message of your appt, including the location. If you have any questions, please call the Oneida Dental Clinic at 920-869-2711 and choose option 2 to be directed to dental PARS.

The Oneida Dental Staff and Comprehensive Health Management thank you for your patience and understanding.

### **ONEIDA EYECARE DEPARTM**

Will now send your appointment reminders electronically.

The following methods will be used:

- ✓ Automated phone call
- **Fmail**
- Text message



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#### **Spirit of Hoops Basketball Camp**

Summer 2019 Basketball Training Camp – 2 days All skill levels welcomed!

#### Camp includes:

- Basketball instruction and drills
- Fundamental skills and techniques
- Contests & Prizes
- Free Camp shoulder pack

Coach JEFF Benton is back!

Training by "Mountain Chief Institute" a Native Youth Basketball Training Group

Wed - Thurs, June 19-20 For Boys and Girls ages 6 - 17

Morning Session 9am - 12pm

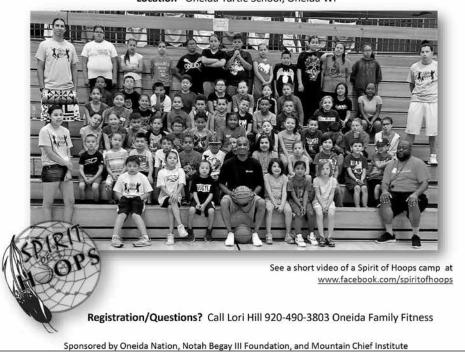
Ages 6 - 12

Afternoon Session 1pm - 4pm

Ages 13 - 17

for ALL Oneida community boys and girls

Location - Oneida Turtle School, Oneida WI



### **Oneida Community Blood Drive**

Thursday May 23, 2019 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

Oneida Family Fitness Gym 2640 West Point Road

- · Must be at least 16 years old
- Bring a photo ID or blood donor card
- Eat 1-2 hours prior
- · Drink plenty of fluids

When you donate blood, you help 2-3 people with each donation. On March 14, 2019, the Oneida Community Blood Drive collected 26 units of donated blood. That could save up to 78 lives! We need your help to surpass this number of units at the next drive.



Oneida Family Fitness **Employee Health Nursing** 

### Sheet Metal Duct Mechanic – Daytona Beach

Mechanical Corporation (GMC) has an • Possess a high degree of immediate opening for a Sheet Metal Duct Mechanic in Daytona Beach, Florida.

#### Job Responsibilities:

- Fabricating, assembling, installing or repairing sheet metal duct products and installation of air handling equipment.
- Follow all required safety procedures and utilize proper PPE.
- Understand and analyze blueprints and specifications to identify requirements for project/ task.
- Setting up and operating fabricating machines to cut, bend and straighten sheet metal if needed.
- Install sections of prefabricated metal duct work.
- Select gauge and type of sheet metal according to product being fabricated and knowledge of metal.
- Maintain the cleanliness of the work area.
- Complete work to ensure adherence to local codes and company quality standards.

#### Basic Qualifications:

• Ability to work in a fast

paced environment.

- integrity and the ability to analyze and solve problems as needed.
- · Effectively communicate with management when necessary.
- Minimum 3 years' experience in commercial HVAC sheet metal industry.
- Ability to read and interpret construction drawings.
- · Familiarity with Sheet-Metal schematics, blueprints and manuals.
- Time management and organizational skills are also essential.
- · Background check maybe required depending job assignment.

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Serving the Federal market, Mission Support Services (MS2) is an 8(a) firm that delivers construction, design-build services, construction management, and technical services for installation facilities with commitment to all elements customer mission support.

Career Opportunities page send your cover letter and resume to:

Mission Support Services - Human Resources 1033 N Mayfair Road, Suite 202 Milwaukee, WI 53226 hrdept@ms2llc.com Fax 414-777-5899

EOE-Minorities/Females/ Disabled/Veterans

### Scientist/Engineer – *Chicago*

Sustainment & Restoration Services (SRS) has an immediate opening for an experienced Scientist/ Engineer in our Chicago office.

#### Job Duties:

- Conduct Environmental Site Assessments, Preliminary Assessments, Site Investigations, and Hazard Ranking System (HRS) site evaluations
- Sampling multi-media (soil, water, sediment) and air monitoring locations
- Prepare work plans, sampling plans, technical correspondences and project reports
- Provide data management of site sampling results
- Provide client technical and administrative support during disaster response activities.

#### Minimum Qualifications:

- Bachelor degree in Science, Geology, Environmental Sciences. Environmental Engineering, or science related field
- Minimum 3 years of experience in the environmental industry
- Willingness to travel up to 50% on average with extended overnight stays
- Strong organizational, technical writing and communication skills
- Proficiency in MS Office including Word and Excel
- Positive attitude, good interpersonal skills
- · Self-starter, flexible,

team player, willing to work on a wide variety of tasks with minimum supervision

- Valid driver's license with an acceptable driving record
- Preplacement drug screening and a Background check is required.

#### Preferred Qualifications:

- OSHA 40-hour **HAZWOPER** Certification as well as Refresher Training Certificate within 1 year
- Experience with multimedia sampling, field screening equipment and/or air-monitoring equipment

NOTE: Applicants must be able to work in locations that feature rough terrain typical of construction sites and to enter and work within facilities that include limited accessibility, moving machinery, and other conditions typical of industrial facilities. Job assignments may involve work on hazardous waste sites and may require use of Personal Protective Equipment to evaluate or sample hazardous materials. Participation in a medical surveillance program is required and safety training will be provided before being assigned to work on these sites.

The Oneida ESC Group is a family of companies owned by the Oneida



Nation of Wisconsin that delivers customer-focused engineering, science, and construction services worldwide.

Our family of companies Oneida ESC include: Group (OESC), Oneida **Total Integrated Enterprises** (OTIE), Mission Support Services (MS2), Sustainment & Restoration Services (SRS) and Oneida Engineering Services (OES). We integrate our staff for dedicated, cooperative, and businesslike delivery of services to enhance our customers' missions.

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Please apply online on our Career Opportunities page at www.srsllc.com or send your cover letter and resume to:

Sustainment & Restoration Services – Human Resources 1033 N Mayfair Road, Suite 201 Milwaukee, WI 53226 hrdept@srsllc.com Fax 414-777-5899

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FRIDAY, MAY 31ST & SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST Parish Hall

2936 Freedom Rd, Oneida

9:00 am to 4:00 pm

**VFW Ladies' Auxiliary** serving lunch from 11 - 3 pm

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## 'illage of Hobart president sentenced to jail

By Christopher Johnson Kalihwisaks Sr. Reporter/Photographer cjohnson@oneidanation.org @cjohns89 🔰 (920) 496-5632 🖀

Village of Hobart President Richard R. Heidel, 66, has been sentenced to 80 days in jail and he will serve an additional two years on probation after pleading guilty to misdemeanor third-offense drunk driving. Brown County Judge Donald Zuidmulder handed down the

sentence May 1.

The judge also revoked Heidel's driv- charge. er's license for 27 months and ordered him to have an Ignition Interlock Device installed in his vehicle once his driving privileges are reinstated. He will also be on a reduced blood alcohol concentration (BAC) for the remainder of his life, meaning while the State of Wisconsin's BAC level used to determine impaired driving is .08 percent, Heidel's threshold will be much lower at .02 percent. Any subsequent drunk driving arrest with a

BAC above .02 percent will be a felony

Heidel was arrested in the early morning hours of February 1 near the intersection of Hillcrest Road and Riverdale Drive on the undiminished Oneida Nation Reservation after a witness called police stating a man had driven into a ditch facing oncoming traffic. The arresting deputies needed to help Heidel stand, and he was eventually transported to an area hospital where he failed sobriety tests.

Court records indicate Heidel has previous drunk driving convictions in 1997 and 2005. He has been Hobart's president since 2001 and is also currently the President of the Brown County Tax Payers Association.



**Richard Heidel** 

**WORK FOR A** TRIBE.

HR INTER-TRIBAL JOB & RECRUITMENT FAIR

Climb the ladder of success with a tribal entity! Join us and imagine your career possibilities.

> WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2019 **1 PM TO 5 PM GAMING EMPLOYEE SERVICES BUILDING** 1940 WEST MASON ST GREEN BAY. WI (Entrance is on Taylor St., just North of Pizza Hut)

The HR Inter-tribal Job and Recruitment Fair is a one-of-a -kind event where community and students can come together and get to know the various tribal employers located in Northeastern Wisconsin. Applications accepted onsite.

> For more information, please contact Recruiters: Teresa 920-490-3624 or Nicole 920-490-3637















### **Public Notice of Intent to Attach Per Capita** Payment for past due payments to Oneida Retail **Enterprise – Oneida Market**

**Arlie Doxtator** Laura Denny Diane Jourdan **Michelle Denny Penny Brunette Sherri Brunette Christine Brunette** 

Linda Kohler **Tina Pinchart Brittany Trepanier Blanche Danforth Ashley Kaercher Annie Fredrick Daniel McKinney** 

**Adrian Matson Cheyenne Kaquatosh Kimberly Metoxen Marcus Skenandore Kayla Danforth** 

The above-named individuals may contact Michele Doxtator at **920.496.7301** or at **mdoxtat3@oneidanation.org** for more information. Payments are accepted at the Skenandoah Complex Monday – Friday 8:15 AM to 4:15 PM in the form of check, debit, credit or Oneida Gift Card, NO CASH.

In observance

ot ... **ONEIDA**  Oneida Code Talkers Day & Memorial Day

**Oneida offices will be CLOSED on** Friday, May 24th & Monday, May 27th, 2019

## T-Hawks win over Lena



Kali photo/Eric Doxtator

The Oneida Nation High School Softball Team had a decisive win over Lena/STAA putting up 16 runs in the third inning thus ending the game 19-4. Above: Rae Anna Ackley winds up for the pitch. The team is 2-5 for the year and faces Lena/STAA for regionals Thursday, 4:30 at Lena.







**KENTUCKY DERBY**-Churchill Downs

**WINNER**Country House



**PREAKNESS STAKES** - Pimlico

Saturday, May 18

Guaranteed Purse: \$1,500,000



**BELMONT STAKES**-Belmont Park

Saturday, June 8

Guaranteed Purse: \$1,500,000

## OTB OPENS AT 9AM ON TRIPLE CROWN RACE DATES.

Advance wagering available the Friday before each race, starting at 11am. Cash bar available on race dates.





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Details at Off-Track Betting.

## Family Fitness Highlights



2640 West Point Rd. • Green Bay, WI 54304

For more information call 920-490-3730

or visit www.oneidanation.org/fitness

www.kalihwisaks.com

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## Meet Oneida Family Fitness Specialist Abby Wasmer

I am excited to be a part of Oneida Family Fitness and help you on your wellness journey. I graduated from University of Wisconsin Oshkosh with a bachelor's degree in Kinesiology -Strength and Conditioning May 2018. In college, I heard the story about a little boy on the beach trying to save the starfish that washed up onto shore due to a storm. Someone observed what he was doing and said, "Son, why do you both-

er, you can't save them all." The boy threw a starfish into the water and said, "But at least I saved that one." The story resonates with me as it has even made an impact on my decision to aid all the people I can. I find joy in helping others improve their quality of life. I make your goals my goals and I am eager to help you achieve them! My mission is to encourage members to overcome obstacles they never thought were pos-

sible. You do not have to do your wellness journey alone and I would love to help and support you!

I grew up in a small town called Howards Grove, WI. In high school, I became an avid cross-country runner and track athlete. When I am not at the gym I spend time with my dog Autumn (red heeler), and we enjoy running and hiking whenever possible. Keeping active and trying new things is something I try to live by; whether it is exercise classes, outdoor activities, or food. I also think breaking a mental sweat is important, so I try to do puzzles and read books on the days where the weather is not so nice.



#### **Certifications:**

- ACSM-CPT
- ACE-CPT
- AHA CPR and AED Certification Adults, child, infant
- Walk With Ease Arthritis Foundation
- NETA Cycling Certification
- Functional Movement System Level 1 Certification



**Abby Wasmer**Fitness Specialist

## Outdoor Class Series

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MINIMUM OF 6
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JUNE 1ST-BOOTCAMP

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## Nine Health Benefits of Martial Art Training

### By Master Instructor Kevin Schoenebeck

Many people grow up with martial arts as one of their first competitive activities. Not only is it a great activity that keeps you physically active, but it instills a sense of achievement and ethics, as you work your way up to the black belt. Even if you have no experience in martial art training, it is a great activity to pick up as an adult, here are some reasons why:

**1. Improved cardiovascular health:** One way to improve your cardio-

vascular system is by participating in activities that work the heart, like martial arts

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  - **3. Self-Confidence:** Goal setting, positive encouragement and respect for values that are part of all martial art programs. Self-confidence is reported by students as a major benefit.
  - 4. Weight loss: An hour long martial

art class can burn up to 500 to 600 calories.

- **5. Improved Reflexes:** Research has found that by participating in martial arts, your reaction times during other activities get faster, like driving, and other daily activities.
- **6. Focus and stillness:** As a martial artist you will learn to be still, challenged and focused.
- **7. Teaches morals and values:** Martial arts teaches a good attitude, good frame of mind, and virtues to strive for inside and outside of training.
- **8. Muscle tone:** By participating in martial arts, you can improve the amount of muscle mass you have in

your body. The higher the muscle mass, the more calories you burn each day.

**9. Better mood:** Research has found that by exercising 3 to 4 times a week is a great way to improve your mood. You relieve stress, and can make you happier.

Oneida Family Fitness Center invites you to try a martial art class of your choice. Classes in Tae Kwon Do, Tai Chi, Inayan Eskrima, Danzan Ryu Ju Jitsu are given Monday thru Thursday. To talk with Mr. Schoenebeck and find out what class might be right for you or your child call him at (920) 490-3804.





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## Traditional Ways for Healing in Modern World

Culture

#### By Eliza Skenandore

Multi Media Specialist

Sometimes when we are feeling unhealthy, needing healing, or just need to give ourselves a fresh start we can look at our culture and traditional teachings for answers. We need to take care of ourselves. We need to eat right, exercise, get plenty of rest and be assertive, our spirit, our fire will be respected and provide us with warmth which is an emotion. We can feel this radiate throughout our being if we respect ourselves and all of creation.

#### **Fasting**

Fasting is during some ceremonies and during personal ceremonies. Fasting is also done during the rites of passage. During the rites of passage fasting is done for 1 day up to 4 days depending on the individual. Fasting is an ancient tradition practiced by many different cultures. Today many people look to fasting to clean or renew their body or kick start their body to a new wellness

Intermittent fasting has become popular also. Some of the main ways to do eating for 8 hours), Eat-Stop-Eat (1-2 times a week don't eat anything from dinner to dinner the next day), and 5:2 Diet (2 days of the week only eat about 500-600 calories).

Breaking a fast is just as important. Traditionally the first day of breaking a multiple day fast is with fruit and then the next day with healthy or traditional foods with the intention to fuel your body.

#### **Sweats**

Many different cultures all over the world use sweat house for ceremonies and good health. Whether doing a sweat lodge or getting the benefits from a sauna. There are get benefits from sweating. Heat causes your heart to beat fast and your blood vessels to widen. This help increase circulation. Improved circulation can help with those have body pains and mobility issues. It helps with weight loss and flush toxins out from your body. Sweating can also reduce stress. Sweating helps release endorphins. These "feel good" chemicals in your body help you relax and feel happier.

"Water is looked at as being a female spirit. We look at the springs, streams, rivers, lakes and oceans as the blood of our real mother, the earth. When we pour the water "a female spirit" onto the red-hot rocks "a male spirit" the steam that rises from this is as close as we can get to the Creators breath. In our creation story it says that the Creator created all the life forms of the world first and the human beings were the very last things to be created. As he was going around creating everything he made molds from the earth and in his mind, he was thinking that this is what will help sustain the human beings he is yet to create. They say he breathed three

it is 16/8 (fasting for 16 hours and only times into everything he created and on the last breath a part of his spirit went into it and it came to life. This steam is what cleanses us and the heat takes us back to the time of conception. The heat is what humbles us, but it was never intended to be used to the extreme." - Tsi? tehutate<sup>2</sup>tuhkwalákhwa<sup>2</sup> (Where they make themselves sweat)

The Sweatlodge by Randy Cornelius

#### **Cold Showers**

After a sweat you would wash up in a cold lake or near by river. If you don't have that luxury to take that another option is taking a cold shower. Cold showers have shown to increase metabolism, enhance immunity, reduce pain, balance sleep cycles and even reduce endorphins. Another way to get this benefit is after a walk or work out slash cool water on your face.

#### **Giving Thanks**

Also, from our culture we were to say the Kanehelatúhsla<sup>7</sup> a greeting of thanks to everything in creation. Every day and sometimes multiple times a day we will do this greeting. As Ukwehu·wé (real, original, aboriginal, indigenous human being) we would do the Kanehelatúhsla<sup>7</sup> fifty or sixty times in one day. It is one of the first things we should teach our children.

There is much research done that gratitude is the key to psychological well-being. Giving thanks can make us happier, improve relationships, and even help with depression and suicidal thoughts. Giving thanks can help with your sleep. Sleep is vital for having good health. When you don't get enough sleep, it puts tons of strain on the body. That can lead to increasing your risk of become obese, developing diabetes, cardiovascular disease, and other conditions.

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## The Oneida Nation Museum Object of the Month

#### By Katelyn Garza

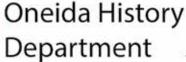
Oneida Museum Specialist

This month's object, much like the month of May itself, celebrates mothers. Created by OnAyote?a·ka artist Mark Fischer, this large copper sculpture entitled Aksotha? Wahni-tale?, or Grandmother Moon, recognizes the role and responsibilities that women have in the world. Grandmother Moon comes from Sky Woman, who travelled down from the Sky World to eventually help

create the world we know today. This is symbolized in the body of the sculpture by the curved linear pattern which imitates a literal path from the world above to the one below. Standing over six feet tall, the form is made of copper, which rusts in a beautiful turquoise color. This sculpture is just one of four in the museum's collection purchased from the artist, and soon to be on display in the museum's Three Sisters Garden. Come see it in person







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### **Kalihwisaks** She Looks for News



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#### **Cultural Heritage**

Given by: Kris Hill May 9, 2019 - 2:30 - 4PM Cottage III - 1250 Packerland Dr May 16, 2019 - 5-6PM **Oneida Community Library** 

#### Rites of Passage

Given by: Latsi Hill June 13, 2019 - 2:30 - 4PM Cottage III - 1250 Packerland Dr June 20, 2019 - 5-6PM **Oneida Community Library** 

#### **Log Home Tours**

Given by: Josh & Eliza July 11, 2019 - 2:30 - 3:30PM July 18, 2019 - 5-6PM Salt Pork Ave.

#### **Indigenous Foods**

Given by: Kristy & Vickie August 8, 2019 - 2:30-4PM Cottage III - 1250 Packerland Dr August 15, 2019 - 5-6PM **Oneida Community Library** 

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## Greetings

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#### By Kateri Baker

Special to the Kalihwisaks

Just about every Oneida Woman, has had that one Menominee friend. You know the one! The one that is fearlessly Herself in every situation. From Her veracious humor all the way through to Her pain, She owns her power. She speaks, laughs, and loves loudly and unapologetically. It is only appropriate that Big Smokey Falls be the Waterfall Ode to the Menominee Woman. She is bold, beautiful, and undeterred in every perception. Her roar is fierce, yet, soothing. Her presence is unmistakable and Her healing is just as undeniable.

She resides within the beautiful Menominee Reservation at its heart center off Highway 55. You'll find yourself joyfully riding to see Her in the Spring to the Autumn seasons. The turns and "tickle bellies," alone on Highway 55 are almost as fun as She is! Even without the ride. She naturally has that draw power. Many go to these falls for white water rafting and mimic Her boldness. Others, like myself, just go to be close

She first came into my life at a young age, during a time I needed Her most. This Being has been both a confidence booster and security blanket for me. It only seems appropriate that the Menominee named Her water source, "Muk-wan-wish-ta-guon," according to the Wisconsin Historical Society. The name translates to "Bear's Head." Her name was changed but her true nature is irrefutable. Her strong protective nurturing Spirit came to me when I was feeling most insecure and unsure in every step I took. She must've sensed this unease and pulled me under her protection, like an empathetic hug given from someone who has been there. Soon, I noticed, simply walking next to Her was an energy transfer that gave me courage just by being near Her. When I couldn't draw from Her power, I sat back and watched Her do Her thing. She willingly stepped up and shielded me from pain, even if only momentarily. Her sweet. kind, and nurturing true nature seemed to be shown to only me during these times and I felt lucky to see it.

When I sit near Her, I wonder, "How does a Being, such as She, get to be this confident and radiant?" She is the perfect culmination of all Her experiences. She is as She is and I am in awe.

She rages with grace. The Water flows over and around rock with ease but creates a constant roar that reminds you of Her true power. You have to see and hear Her for yourself to believe it. The sounds of Her are as unique as the Menominee accent! Just as there are Native accents, then there is the Menominee accent: there are Wisconsin waterfalls, then there is Big Smokey Falls! Her sound is a unique blend of constant roar and soothing wisps in the background created by the separation in flowage from the island. No matter which side you stand closest to, the other is in the background offering balance. I find myself walking up and down the bridge many times over, simply for the effect on my ears.

As an Oneida Woman of Wisconsin. there is a divine sisterhood that has been created between us by our Ancestors. Two distinct Tribes but still so connected. Much like the history of the Menominee gracing us Oneidas with this land, Big Smokey Falls, eventually, gives to us, as well. Muk-wanwish-ta-guon /Wolf River, flows down to Lake Winnebago then back up to us via the Fox River. She naturally comes our way, watching over us, and forever giving to us like a big Sister. For that, there is not enough gratitude I can show to this Feminine Spirit. I can only write my love for Her and encourage other Oneidas to pay Her a visit of respect and appreciation. I make sure to not forget my Oyu<sup>9</sup>kwa<sup>9</sup>u·wé (Sacred Tobacco) during my visits. Instead of raising a glass, I lay down my Oyu<sup>9</sup>kwa<sup>9</sup>u wé to give my salutations. She is a gift to us, just as much as She is a gift to the Menominee. May we never forget.