

# FY 2024 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Report

For Tribally Chartered Entities

**Note: If you have other required reporting that must be included in the 2024 Annual Report, please submit such reports along with this completed template. Thank you.**

## Oneida Youth Leadership Institute

### **Oneida Youth Leadership Institute Mission Statement:**

*Investing in the development of our youth to enhance nation building by learning from our past, embracing our present, and leaving a legacy for the future.*

The Oneida Youth Leadership Institute is a tax-deductible 7871 entity of the Oneida Nation actively planning for the 7th generation by providing opportunities, initiatives, and trainings that can help inspire our Native youth to become strong, progressive leaders.

The Youth Leadership Institute fosters youth growth and development in the following areas: Tradition Heritage/Culture; Healthy Minds/Healthy Bodies: Citizen Engagement; Leadership; Academic Excellence; Entrepreneurship; and Networking

### **Corporate Board Members**

Sidney White, Protem Chairman

Present – June 2026

Margaret Ellis, Treasurer

Present – November 2025

Elijah Metoxen, Board Member

Present – April 2026

Melissa Metoxen, Board Member

Present – April 2026

Christarra Waukau , Board Member

Present – November 2026

VACANT, BOARD MEMBER

Present –

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### **Looking Back: Accomplishments in FY-2024**

OYLI has restricted monies/expenditures in the amount of \$855 to be disbursed, OYLI currently has a balance of \$135,723.53 in unrestricted funds in the OYLI bank account. These are monies that can be used at the Board's discretion in meeting the mission of OYLI. All fund raising has been halted since the pandemic, but OYLI is proceeding with organizational planning.

### **Looking Forward: Goals/Announcements for FY-2023**

OYLI was provided with funding for an Executive Manager position. This will allow the Grant Manager to step back from this duty that was assigned in 2017 when OYLI was launched. There will be a training/transition period once new person is hired and this may take a few months. OYLI is also looking at developing a capital campaign to fundraise for organizational support. We have had a facilitation session with HRD to align our mission and vision. We also look to recruit for the vacant board positions. The Board is waiting for at least 6 members before selecting new Officers.

### **Dividends**

No dividends paid to shareholders.

### **Meetings**

Held every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month.

### **Stipend**

\$50 stipend per meeting

### **Contact**

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Last meeting for Jeff House, Paul Ninham, and Marlon Skenandore. We have since added Christarra Waukau to the board. OYLI Board now has 2 vacancies.