January 31, 2025 Flyer



Upcoming Band Meetings

Please see the schedule for the remaining Band Meetings for 2025.

Please note that this schedule reflects the changed start times of Band Meetings. All virtual links are posted in the Members Portal under the Band Meeting link.

Governance Band Meeting - January 28th @ 6:00 pm
Administrative Band Meeting - February 11th @ 6:00 pm
Governance Band Meeting - February 24th @ 6:00 pm
Administrative Band Meeting - March 11th @ 6:00 pm
Governance Band Meeting - March 25th @ 6:00 pm

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Robinson Huron Treaty Annuities Claim Past Compensation Community Sessions

Agenda Update

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek is holding a large-scale community information and discussion session on the topic of the Robinson Huron Treaty Annuities Claim Past Compensation

These sessions will take place on

Saturday, February 22nd, 2025 from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Sudbury - Holiday Inn - Georgian Room D + E
Toronto - Chelsea Hotel - Carlyle Room
Ottawa - Westin Hotel

1)Opening Ceremony (8:00 a.m.)
2)Breakfast (9:00 a.m)
3)Opening Prayer, Introductions, & Housekeeping (9:50am)
4)Presentation and Q&A – RHT Report: Canadian Law perspective (10:00 a.m.)
5)Lunch (12:00 p.m.)
6)Presentation and Q&A – RHT Report Anishinaabe Law perspective (1:00 p.m.)
7)Health Break (3:00 p.m.)
8)Discussion on future use of settlement funds (3:15 p.m.)
9)Next Steps and Closing Remarks (4:45 p.m.)
10) Prize Draws (5:00 p.m.)
11) Feast

Please contact public.relations@wlfn.com or 705-626-5977 for more information.

Robinson Huron Treaty Per Capita Distribution Submission Process

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek Administration is continuing the collection of information to execute the RHT Per Capita Distribution which now also includes members included by the referendum held on November 16, 2024.

Distribution Schedule

Submission Period	Test Date	Distribution Payment
January 18, 2025 – February 14, 2025	February 20, 2025	February 26, 2025
February 15, 2025 – March 14, 2025	March 20, 2025	March 26, 2025
March 15, 2025 – April 18, 2025	April 24, 2025	April 30, 2025

PCD Form Submissions

When providing your supporting documents, please DO NOT include original documents. You can submit the PCD form and supporting documentation to any of the following:

1. BY MAIL

   Administration Office
   Attn: Dennis Cropper, Chief Administration Officer
   25 Reserve Road Naughton, Ontario P0M 2M0

2. BY EMAIL

   pcd@wlfn.com

3. DROP OFF

   During regular administration office and hub business hours
   Monday-Thursday 8:30am-4:30pm, Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

RHT PCD Distribution Team

For General questions or for one-on-one support, please contact Pam Naponse-Corbiere at 705-692-3651 ext. 1106.
For online support of your emailed submission, please contact Hailey Clark at 705-692-3651 ext. 1108.
For any suggestions and concerns, please contact the following staff:

Sierra Fitchett
705-692-3651 ext. 1111
office.manager@wlfn.com

Dennis Cropper
705-692-3651 ext. 1107
cao@wlfn.com

HOUSING NOTICE



Please get your housing applications in. We anticipate going through a selection process soon. Only <u>fully completed</u> applications will be considered

For a copy of the application please visit: https://atikamekshenganishnawbek.ca/service/housing/

If assistance is needed to complete an application, please contact Emilly Kewais, Tenant Relations Officer

Tenant.Relations@wlfn.com
705-692-3651 ext: 1139

NOTICE TO ALL BAND MEMBERS!!

Atikameksheng Trust will be hosting the virtual "2023 AGM AUDIT" February 2025

"YOU MUST PRE-REGISTER IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE ZOOM LINK DUE TO SENSITIVE INFORMATION"
THE ZOOM LINK WILL NOT BE SHARED ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Please provide your name, e-mail address and band number to:

Jordon Shawanda Administrative Assistant @ admin@atiktrust.ca or call 705-692-2235

ALL THOSE REGISTERED will be provided with the Zoom link the day of the virtual '2023 AGM' meeting.

"PLEASE WATCH FOR OUR NEXT FLYER WITH THE DATE AND TIME OF "2023 VIRTUAL AGM MEETING"

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ATIKAMEKSHENG ANISHNAWBEK

EXCITING NEWS!

NEVER MISS AN UPDATE

GET THE NEW APP

The app uses state-of-the-art technology to notify members of breaking news, documents, videos, and events, instantly delivered via push notifications.

GET IT ON Google Play

Download on the App Store



Information Session dates to follow!

HOW TO GET THE APP

1. Scan the QR code above or visit the App Store or Google Play Store and Search 'Atikameksheng Anishnawbek'
2. Tap 'Register' under 'Member Login'
3. Fill out your information and press 'Register'
4. Click the verification link in your email address

- NEWS
- EVENTS
- SURVEYS
- JOB OPENINGS

Download the free app today

For more information please contact communications@wlfn.com

SkillsCompétences Canada Ontario

SAVE THE DATE

THE FIRST NATIONS, MÉTIS, AND INUIT STUDENT SUMMIT

in partnership with Mamaweswen, The North Shore Tribal Council

MARCH 4TH, 2025

GFL Memorial Gardens
Sault Ste Marie, Ontario

EVERYONE WELCOME!
Everyone, no matter their background, is welcome to attend!

FREE TO ATTEND
Learn more at NO cost!

MEAL PROVIDED
Fuel up to explore on us!

Explore opportunities in the skilled trades and technologies at our first ever First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Student Summit! There will be opportunities to listen to incredible speakers, explore booths at the career fair, and more!

Registration will open in January 2025.

GET ADDED TO THE EMAIL LIST FOR REGISTRATION!

SkillsCompétences Canada Ontario

SKILLS ONTARIO

First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Student Summit

EVENT AGENDA

March 4th, 2025 | 9:30am-3:30pm | GFL Arena, Sault Ste Marie, ON



9:30am-10:00am	**Arrival & Registration** *Attendees arrive through Box Office Gate A Entrance and register with Skills Ontario Staff. An accessible entrance can be found at the base of the outside stairs.*
10:00am	**Start** *Programming to include traditional welcome, keynote, and panel discussions!*
11:30am	**Lunch** *Attendees can grab their lunch and begin the exploration of the booths.*
11:30am-3:30pm	**Booth Exploration** *Attendees can explore the booths and network with representatives.*
3:30pm	**Closing**

Miigwetch, Thank You for being with us today!

Thank you to our program sponsors:

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Thank you to our Summit sponsor:

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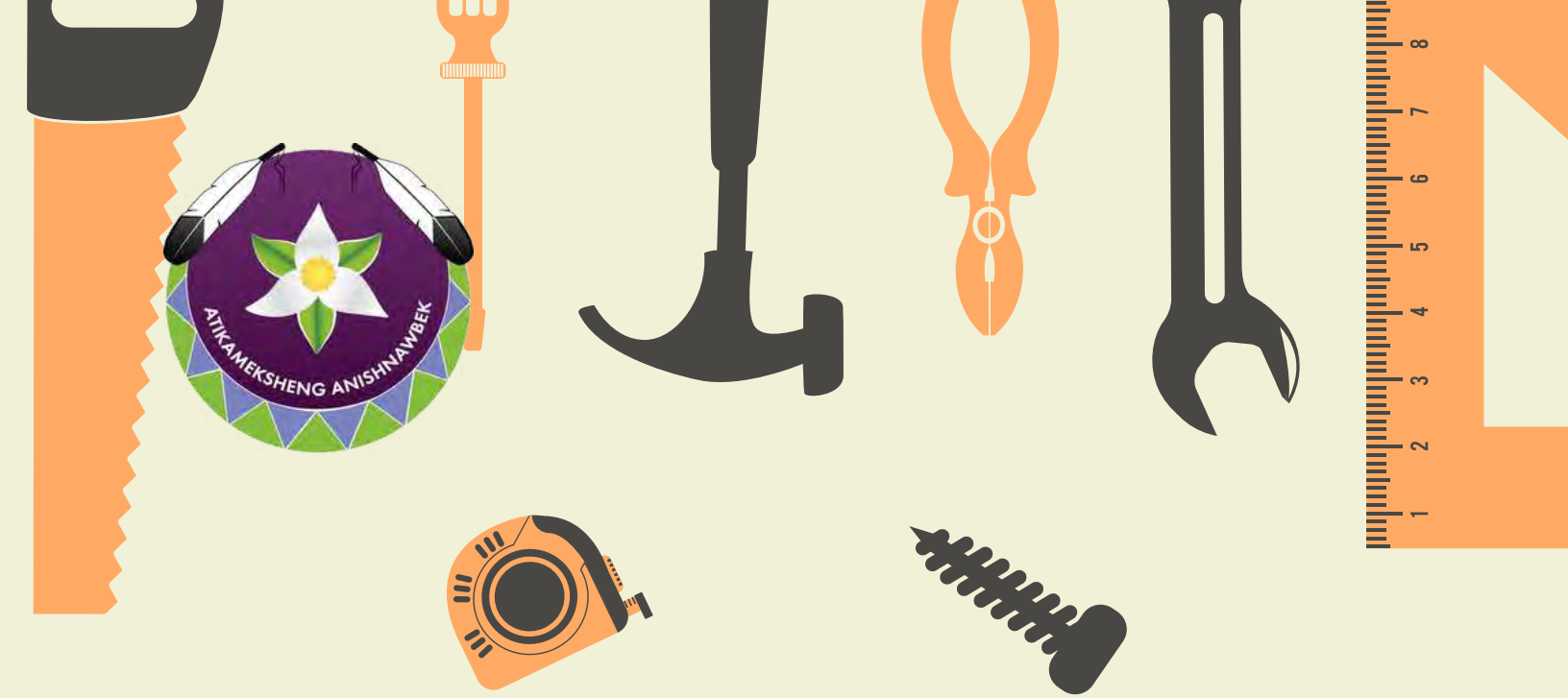
NOTICE TO THE COMMUNITY

CONSTRUCTION ON THE COMMUNITY CENTRE HAS COMMENCED.

PLEASE AVOID THE PREMISES DURING THE CONSTRUCTION PHASE FOR SAFETY REASONS.

For more information please contact
project.manager@wlfn.com



NOTICE TO THE COMMUNITY

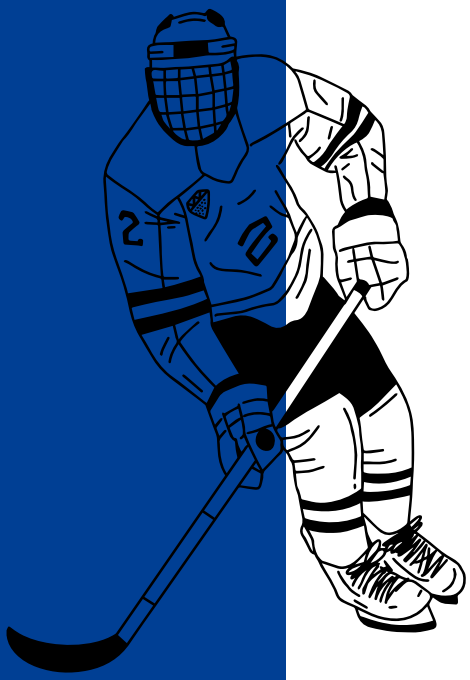
CONSTRUCTION ON THE WAASAKWA DAYCARE CENTRE HAS COMMENCED. PLEASE AVOID THE PREMISES DURING THE CONSTRUCTION PHASE FOR SAFETY REASONS.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

PROJECT.MANAGER@WLFN.COM

RINK HOUSE SCHEDULE

Please see the following times the Rink House at the Atikameksheng Anishnawbek Outdoor Rink will be open.



FEBRUARY 1, 2025 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	**FEBRUARY 15, 2025** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
FEBRUARY 5, 2025 4:30 - 6:30 PM	**FEBRUARY 19, 2025** 4:30 - 6:30 PM
FEBRUARY 6, 2025 5:00 - 7:00 PM	**FEBRUARY 20, 2025** 5:00 - 7:00 PM
FEBRUARY 7, 2025 5:00 - 7:00 PM	**FEBRUARY 21, 2025** 5:00 - 7:00 PM
FEBRUARY 8, 2025 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	**FEBRUARY 22, 2025** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
FEBRUARY 12, 2025 4:30 - 6:30 PM	**FEBRUARY 26, 2025** 4:30 - 6:30 PM
FEBRUARY 13, 2025 5:00 - 7:00 PM	**FEBRUARY 27, 2025** 5:00 - 7:00 PM
FEBRUARY 14, 2025 5:00 - 7:00 PM	**FEBRUARY 28, 2025** 5:00 - 7:00 PM

Mino Bimaadiziwin Team

presents...

Aadizooke with Art Petahtegoose

Come and join us for a 10 session series of Aadizooke "Winter Stories" with our very own Arther Petahtegoose.

Art's life is a beautiful testament to the values of family, tradition, and community. As a member of the Elk Clan of Atikameksheng Anishnawbek, with his mother belonging to the Loon Clan, Art carries forward a deep cultural connection and responsibility. His role as a pipe carrier and drum keeper for the Shadakki drum group showcases his spiritual commitment, while his long-standing position as a fire keeper for the traditional gathering reflects his dedication to preserving important cultural practices.

As a father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, Art is deeply cherished by his family, and his wisdom and guidance extend far beyond his immediate kin. His work as a retired teacher and professor at Cambrian College has allowed him to share his knowledge across generations, enriching the educational experience of students at all levels. His past leadership role as an Ogimaa and councillor for Atikameksheng reflects his strong commitment to his community.

Art's personal interests, such as carving wood and working with split ash basketry, reveal his connection to traditional crafts, while his lifelong love for running demonstrates his enduring physical vitality and spirit. His regular bush walks with his grandchildren are a way of passing on his knowledge of the land, or Anishinaabe aki, further connecting the younger generation with their heritage.

Meet in Council Chambers & Virtual

25 Reserve Road, Naughton or Microsoft Teams

at 6pm

Saturday, January 25th

Topic: The Silver Covenant - 1764

~ Why was it created & what were our people experiencing?

Thursday, January 30th

Topic: Subdivision Living!

~ How has this interrupted our Anishinaabe Culture



Save the Dates...

PLEASE NOTE: Virtual will have audio enabled only

COUNCEIL CHAMBERS & Virtual

February 6, 2025, February 13, 2025,
February 20, 2025, February 27, 2025
March 6, 2025, March 13, 2025,
March 20, 2025, March 27, 2025,
Apr. 3, 2025

Virtual Link: Please email Jen or Carley for a meeting invite to listen live each week.

Sessions will be recorded and transcribed at a later date

If you have any questions or would like a meeting invite please reach out to
Jennifer Brideau, Anishinaabe Aadiziwin Manager
705-690-8055
anishinabe.aadziwin.manager@wlfn.com
Carley Lambert: Communications@WLFN.com



March Break Fun!

Activities for March Break will be put on by the Child and Youth Services team, Health, Education and other collaborators:

March 10th-15th 2025

Stay tuned for more information:

Questions?

Tyra Vincent, RECE - Child and Youth Worker

childyouth.worker1@wlfn.com

705-690-1867

Diners Club

February 2025 Menu

Feb 5th

Chili, bannock, salad and cake

Feb 12th

Baked Ziti with Caesar Salad and chocolate covered strawberries

Feb 19th

Ham & Cheese Sliders with Broccoli salad and Cookies

Feb 26th

Baked rice and Chicken with Salad and Jell-o



Adult Day Program 2025 February

TUESDAY 4

TEATIME: ALZHEIMER'S PRESENTATION
WHERE: WORKSHOP ROOM
TIME: 1PM-3PM

TUESDAY 11

TEATIME: VALENTINES TREATS
TIME: 1PM-3PM
WHERE: WORKSHOP ROOM

THURSDAY 13

Walden Food Bank
Time: 1-3pm
waldenfoodbank215@gmail.com
or call them at
705-692-3144
Open to Home and Community Care Clients

TUESDAY 25

TEATIME: THE PINES- BY LAWREN HARRIS, WITH ART GALLERY OF SUDBURY
TIME: 1-3PM
WHERE: WORKSHOP ROOM

THURSDAY 27

MOVIE NIGHT
TIME: 2PM-9PM
WHERE: IMAGINECINEMAS
PLEASE REGISTER BY FEB21 BY 1PM

IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL LINDSAY FRASER ADULT DAY PROGRAMMER AT
CELL: 705-690-7994
EMAIL: ADULTDAY.PROGRAMMER@WLFN.COM

Hand Drum Night

Everyone Welcome!



Aambe!

madwe'izaago - she is drummed on

Tuesdays
6 - 8PM

HBHC
Left side of Waasakwa Children's Centre

Contact Amanda Rose at childyouth.worker2@wlfn.com
Kelyn Best at childyouth.wellbeing2@wlfn.com

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Sewing Night



JOIN US FOR SEWING NIGHT WITH FRANK!

February 12, 2025

6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Waasakwa Children's Centre (HBHC Side)

Due to limited spots, please sign up with Rosella by contacting family.support1@wlfn.com

CCP: Chapter 1-To re-establish our Anishnawbek cultural and spiritual practices and ceremonial life in the heart of our Nation.

For more information, please contact Rosella at family.support1@wlfn.com



WRIST LANYARD BEADING NIGHT

Join us to bead your own wrist lanyard!!

Six spots available per session. Registration is required!

February 5 & 19, 2025

6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Waasakwa Children's Centre (HBHC Side)

For more information or to register please contact Rosella at family.support1@wlfn.com

ICE FISHING



Join us early afternoons and evenings at The Grounds and/or Vermillion River!

Must have your own ride to and from.

Basic Ice Fishing Gear is available on site!

An ice hut will be provided for warmth and an auger to drill holes in the ice.

February 3 - 8, 2025

1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Tentative dates and times due to ice conditions!

Please contact David Trudeau @

705-923-8553
or
anishinabe.aadziwin.worker2@wlfn.com

JOIN US FOR *Family* VALENTINE'S

Join the Family Wellbeing team and Healthy Babies Healthy Children for a fun family Valentine's Day activity!



Venue: Waasakwa Children's Centre (HBHC Side)
Date: February 13th, 2025
Time: 4 - 6pm

PICK UP DINNER & CRAFT KITS

Limited to 20 families please register by 4pm February 7th, 2025

CONTACT US TO REGISTER!

Josephine Onwuegbuzie
familywellbeing@wlfn.com

Yvonne Desmarais
healthybabies.children@wlfn.com

February 2025



Monday *NTAM GIIZHIGAD*	Tuesday *NIIZHO GIIZHIGAD*	Wednesday *NSWO GIIZHIGAD*	Thursday *NIIWO GIZHIGAD*	Friday *NAANO GIIZHIGAD*	Saturday *NIWEBI GIIZHGAD*	Sunday *NIWEBI GIIZHIGAD*
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3	4 Hand Drumming Group @ Healthy Babies Center 6-8pm	5 Waasakwa Children's Drop-In Meet & Greet Game Night *Internet Safety* 4-7pm	6 Supervised ODR & Hot Chocolate 5-7PM	7	8 Traditional Indigenous Parenting Course (Registration Required) Child & Youth Activities @Waasakwa 9-4PM	9 Winter Carnival @ Sacred Grounds 10AM-2PM
10	11 Hand Drumming Group @ Healthy Babies Center 6-8pm	12 Waasakwa Children's Drop-In *No Sew Heart Pillows* 4-7pm	13 Supervised ODR & Hot Chocolate 5-7PM YOUTH No Sew Heart Pillows *Waasakwa* 4-7pm	14 Supervised ODR & Hot Chocolate 5-7PM	15	16
17	18 Hand Drumming Group @ Healthy Babies Center 6-8pm	19 Waasakwa Children's Drop-In 4-7pm	20 Supervised ODR & Hot Chocolate 5-7PM	21 Supervised ODR & Hot Chocolate 5-7PM	22	23
24	25 Hand Drumming Group @ HBHC 6-8pm PINK SHIRT DAY @ Waasakwa 4-6PM	26 Waasakwa Children's Drop-In 4-7pm	27 Supervised ODR & Hot Chocolate 5-7PM	28 Supervised ODR & Hot Chocolate 5-7PM		

Contact US

Child & Youth Worker: Amanda Rose - (705) 690-7513 | childyouth.worker2@wlfn.com
Child & Youth Worker: Tyra Vincent - | (705) 690-1867 | childyouth.worker1@wlfn.com
Child & Youth Well-Being Worker: Kelyn Best - (226) 239-2822 | childyouth.wellbeing2@wlfn.com

CHILDREN'S DROP-IN

GAME NIGHT PARTY

FEBRUARY 5, 2025

Join us for games and mini pizza making while we discuss internet Safety! Meet new Child & Youth Staff!

AT WAASAKWA
Children's Centre

4 PM - 7 PM

Questions?
Contact Amanda - childyouth.worker2@wlfn.com
or Tyra - childyouth.worker1@wlfn.com

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PLEASE JOIN THE CHILD & YOUTH TEAM FOR

No-Sew Heart Pillow Making



CHILDREN AGED 7-12

FEBRUARY 12TH FROM 4-7 PM

YOUTH AGED 13-21

FEBRUARY 13TH FROM 4-7 PM

@ Waasakwa

CHILDREN'S CENTER

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT AMANDA ROSE @ 705 690 7513

Pink Shirt Workshop!

Ages 7-21

Join the FWB and CY Team to make Shirts for Pink Shirt Day, and Speak Up Through Karaoke!



Waasakwa Children's Center
February 25th | 4-6PM

Food, Refreshments, Giveaways and A Pink T-Shirt To Take Home

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Register by Feb 11th To Amanda Rose

childyouth.worker2@wlfn.com

Let's unite against bullying and support one another, as we strive to create a safe and inclusive environment for everyone in our community.

You're invited

5 free tickets available to Atikameksheng Community Members

To get a free ticket email

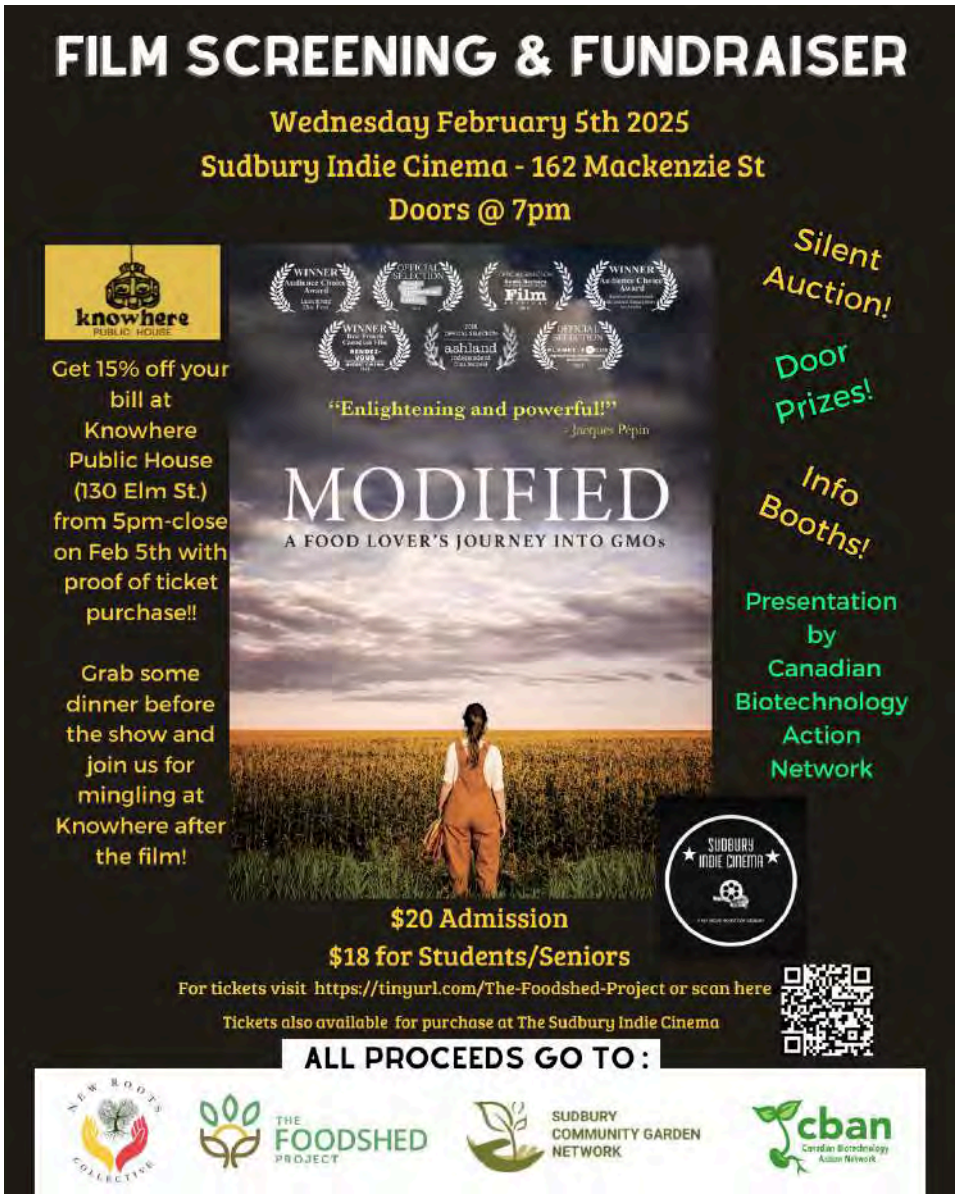
newrootscollective4@gmail.com

or call 705-929-2729

Join The Foodshed Project for a screening of the award-winning documentary "Modified" and learn more about GMOs

Film Screening Date: February 5th, 7pm at the Sudbury Indie Cinema

162 Mackenzie St in Sudbury



$20 Admission, $18 students/seniors

Tree Clearing Contractor Opportunity

The Department of Planning and Infrastructure is seeking qualified contractors from Atikameksheng to clear trees for the future bypass road. An area of 45,000 m² needs to be cleared, and any remaining vegetation and stumps should not exceed a height of 1 meter. Contractors must have their own equipment and the work must be completed by March 21st. If you are interested, please contact project.manager@wlfn.com by February 5th.





YWCA SUDBURY

A TURNING POINT FOR WOMEN

UN POINT TOURNANT POUR LES FEMMES

Building Opportunities for Women (B.O.W.)

New Group Starting Soon

Feb 11, 2025 to Apr 29, 2025 | Tuesdays from 11am to 1pm | Via Zoom

Are you looking to build or enhance your personal skills? Through this program you will be exposed to many exciting learning opportunities that can help you achieve greater social and financial stability.



Participants who complete the program will receive a stipend up to $300.
Option to participate in further research approved by Laurentian University.

Contact Bernouse Davilus to register

Tel: 705-507-4441

Email: b.davilus@ywcasudbury.ca

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Georgian



Canine Foundations Training Academy

Become a professional certified dog trainer!

ACCELERATE your career
GeorgianCollege.ca/continuingeducation

What is Canine Academy?

Canine Foundations Training Academy provides the knowledge and practical experience required to qualify for the CCPDT Knowledge Assessed exam, pass the rigorous standards for knowledge and skills in science-based dog training, and achieve CPDT-KA certification.

Career Opportunities

Graduates will find a range of opportunities as a certified member of the Certification Council for Professional Dog Trainers, including employment with group, competitive and private obedience training companies, the service dog industry, board and train facilities, animal shelters/rescue organizations, veterinary clinics, daycare facilities and breeding programs, or, launching their own training company.

CANINE FOUNDATIONS
Behaviour Consulting & Obedience Training



Class Starts September 2025!

INQUIRE TODAY

705.835.3177
caninefoundations.com
cfta@caninefoundations.com

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LOOKING FOR A JOB?



Join our Employment List! Sign up today to receive exclusive access to:

- Job openings across various industries
- Training programs to boost your skills
- Career resources and job posting updates

SIGN UP NOW

Tiana Wabegijig-Jourdain,
Community Skills Development Coordinator

communityskills.coordinator@wlfn.com

INDIGENOUS STUDENT OUTREACH INITIATIVE

Are you interested in a career or job in the **federal public service?** If so, the Indigenous Career Navigators can help!

COME WORK WITH US!

The **Indigenous Career Navigators Program** can help Indigenous post-secondary students and recent graduates join the federal public service.

What can **Indigenous Career Navigators** do for you?

Provide career advice and guidance.

Help you:

- map out your career path.
- understand how staffing processes work and how to succeed at them.
- draft your resume and cover letter.
- prepare for interviews and exams.
- create your learning plan.

Provide you with information on Indigenous career development and learning programs in the federal government.

Sharing your resume withhiring managers.



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Applicants must either be:

- a current First Nation, Inuk or Métis post-secondary student, or
- a newly graduated Indigenous student.

Act now! Get connected with an Indigenous Career Navigator by contacting **crta-itrc@sac-isc.gc.ca**

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ESSENTIAL NALOXONE TRAINING





Training Includes:

- Identify Naloxone
- Steps to overdose recognition and response
- How to administer Naloxone
- Identify hazards related to administering Naloxone
- Recieve a FREE Naloxone Kit

Training Dates:
February 13/2025 @ 5pm & 5:30pm
March 13/2025 @ 5pm & 5:30pm

Atikameksheng Kendaasii-Gamik (Library)
212 Maanii St., Naughton, ON.

Receive a Tim Horton's Gift Card!

More Info:

Carolyn Joly
Addictions Wellness Coordinator
(705) 690-7819
addictions.coordinator@wlfn.com



traditional
INDIGENOUS PARENTING

This is a flexible series with authentic involvement from the participants on parenting issues/topics which are relevant to them. This allows the classes to be driven by the participants with the content being prepared, delivered, and facilitated by a First Nations registered social worker.



Joey-Lynn Wabie
Wolf Lake First Nation

Waasakwa Children's Centre

Feb 1 & 8
9am-4pm

childcare, snacks & lunch provided

Please register with Yvonne
healthybabies.children@wlfn.com

traditional
INDIGENOUS PARENTING

Day 1 AM
History of Indigenous parenting
Survival/coping skills
Intergenerational trauma/strength
Importance of land, language, culture, traditions

DAY 1 PM
Beadwork & Parenting bundle concepts
Traditional tools to promote mino-bimaadiziwin

DAY 2 AM
Developmental stages, effective discipline
Emotions/communication through the drum
Parents/caregivers' topics of choice

DAY 2 PM
Nourishing your child's spirit
Nourishing parents/caregivers' spirit
Summary of all sessions

All sessions begin with a smudge, circle in & end with a circle out. Traditional Anishinaabe crafts are brought into the sessions as a means of reflection and sharing.

Winter CARNIVAL

Event may change depending on ice conditions

Due to the Community Centre being under renovations, join us for a fun day of family activities and participate in an Ice Fishing Derby!!

Lunch and Hot Beverages Provided!

FEBRUARY 9, 2025

10 AM - 2 PM | SACRED GROUNDS

Ice Fishing Derby
Hayride
Sliding
Water Boiling Contest
Ring Toss

Please email communications@wlfn.com to sign up for the Ice Fishing derby!

Prizes to be won for
Longest Pickerel
Longest Pike
Longest Mystery Fish!

Locations Debendaagziwaad can fish at include Round Lake, Fly Lake, Black Lake, Whitefish Lake, and Simon Lake!

Anyone participating in the Ice Fishing Derby must be a Sacred Grounds for weigh in at 1:30 pm!

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2025 WINTER DATES FOR

BIG DRUM

NIGHT



FEBRUARY 3, 10 & 24

MARCH 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31

5:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.

Open to all!
Parents and caregivers welcome.

Refreshments available.

At the Waasakwa Children's Centre
(Across from the Community Centre, use the front entrance.)

For questions or concerns please contact Brandon at oshkaabewis@wlfn.com

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CATERING CALL OUT



We are looking for catering for a small group of people for the following dates

March 21 & 28, 2025 - Evening refreshments

March 22 & 29, 2025 - Morning Refreshments, Lunch, and afternoon refreshments

March 23 & 30, 2025 - Morning Refreshments, Lunch, and afternoon refreshments

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT

David Trudeau
anishinabe.aadziwin.worker2@wlfn.com
705-923-8553

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Gezhtoojig Employment & Training

February ZOOM and In-Person Workshops

Gezhtoojig Gets People Working!

www.gezhtoojig.ca



Resume/Cover Letter
Feb 4 @ 10:00 a.m.

Programs & Services
Feb 12 @ 10:00 a.m.

Interview Skills
Feb 5 @ 10:00 a.m.

Job Search
Feb 11 @ 10:00 a.m.

Participate for a chance to win a $50.00 Walmart Gift Card!

Email getinfo@gezhtoojig.ca or call 705 524-6772 to register

Gezhtoojig Employment & Training, 117 Elm St., Unit 102, Sudbury, ON P3C 1T3
Tel: 705-524-6772/Toll: 1-800-361-9256/Fax: 705-524-5152

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Gezhtoojig Employment & Training

INDIGENOUS

WORKPLACE READINESS WEEK
Mon. Feb. 24 to Fri. Feb. 28/25

LOCATION: CLARION HOTEL—LORNE MEETING ROOM
117 ELM ST., SUDBURY, ON

Gezhtoojig Employment & Training is seeking interested Indigenous Participants for our In-Person Workplace Readiness Week . Ignite Your Skills and Attain Certified Safety Training!

- Young and New Workers Awareness
- Respect in the Workplace
- AODA
- MOL in 4 Steps
- WHMIS

- Hand Tool Safety & Awareness
- ASERT Fire & Spills
- PPE Overview (& Kits)
- Respiratory/Filter Overview
- Fit Testing

- First Aid, CPR & AED - Day 1

- First Aid, CPR & AED - Day 2

- Working at Heights

GEZHTOOJIG
GETS PEOPLE WORKING

APPLY BY FEBRUARY 18, 2025







For more information EMAIL **getinfo@gezhtoojig.ca**
1-800 -361-9256 705-524-6772 Visit www.gezhtoojig.ca and like us on

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Ontario

Gezhtoojig Employment & Training
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DATES: JUNE 16, 2025—SEPTEMBER 26, 2025

LINE CREW GROUND SUPPORT TRAINING

Location: Cambrian College - Sudbury Campus

15 WEEK CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

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Check out the Video:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hi61N4t7Eg0

★ **REQUIREMENTS** ★

Valid Drivers License
Grade 12 Diploma
Must be 18 & over

TRAINING MODULES

- WHMIS
- Construction Health & Safety
- Traffic Control Temp. Work Zones
- Defensive Driving-Commercial
- Hoisting & Rigging-Basic Safety
- Mobile Crane Operator 0-8 Ton Anchors
- Elec. Safety-Hydrovac Operators
- Equipotential Grounding & Bonding
- Pole Line Construction ...
- 1) Climbing 2) Framing 3) Theory
- 4) and Transformers
- Introduction to Electrical Theory
- Electrical Safety High Voltage
- Working at Heights-Fundamentals of Fall Prevention
- Propane in Construction
- Confined Space Hazard Awareness for construction
- Ladder Handling
- MSD Prevention Workshop-Trades
- Safe Pole Handling
- Hydraulic Aerial Equipment
- Rescue Practices
- Conductor Stringing Methods
- Chainsaw Operation and Maintenance

DEADLINE DATE TO APPLY: **APR. 11/25**

SEND COVER LETTER & RESUME TO:

Gezhtoojig Employment & Training
Sandra Martin, Special Projects Coordinator
smartin@gezhtoojig.ca 705-524-6772

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IS AVAILABLE.



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Call For Interest

Potential Retail and Office Space

Giyak Mishkawzid Shkagmikwe (GMS) is exploring the potential for a new sustainable architecturally designed commercial retail and office space. We are seeking input from potential tenants from Atikameksheng Anishnawbek.

If you are a business owner, existing or budding entrepreneur or professional interested in future retail or office space we want to hear from you.

Your feedback will directly influence:

- Types of Spaces
- Size and Layout
- Amenities and Services

We want to ensure that the development serves the needs of the community and provides the right mix of commercial and office spaces.

Please forward your business or organization needs, space preferences and any specific features you would like to see to **pcc@gmsecdev.com**

Giyak Mishkawzid Shkagmikwe
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COMMERCIAL BUILDING RFP



DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION
JANUARY 30, 2025, at 4:59pm EST

CALL OUT

The Giyak Mishkawzid Shkagmikwe Corporation (GMS) exists to generate unrestricted revenue for Atikameksheng Anishnawbek and to create economic & employment opportunities for Atikameksheng Anishnawbek community members and member businesses. We are seeking a proponent to 1) develop a business plan for a commercial building (the project), 2) to include all five components of a business plan, 3) determine if the project is worth the investment of finance and effort, in addition, 4) provide support financing proposals to government and non-government finance agencies 5) create a implementation/startup workplan and budget to facilitate the orderly launch of the project,6) narratives that explain the rational for the project and supports the data presented in the business plan.

Please contact Ashley Nootchtai
for the full RFP package
705-885-1152 ext 101 or
ea@gmsecdev.com

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VALARD IS SEEKING TO FILL THESE POSITIONS BY THE END OF JANUARY 2025.

LOCATION IS REMOTE, WITH PREFERENCE FOR CANDIDATES BASED IN THE PROJECT AREAS, AS FREQUENT TRAVEL TO COMMUNITIES IS ESSENTIL FOR SUCCESS IN THESE ROLES.

FOR THE FULL JOB DESCRIPTIONS PLEASE EMAIL ASHLEY NOOTCHTAI AT PCC@GMSECDEV.COM

Now Hiring

SURFACE DRILLER HELPER

Responsibilities including, but not limited to:

- **Moving drill parts and consumables**
- **Assisting driller(s) with layout of patterns, maintenance of the drills, including fueling and lubrication**
- **Adhering to safety protocols and regulations at all times**

Qualifications

- **Ability to work well in a team environment**
- **Strong work ethic and commitment to quality, safety and the well-being of others**
- **Valid driver's license and clean driving record**

Hourly Rate
$20.00 - $30.00/ hour depending on experience

***Driller helper who excel in this role may be selected for the driller training program**

Interested applicants can send their resume to their community representative Ashley Nootchtai at EA@gmsecdev.com . If preferred, resumes can also be sent directly to Technica to Kiara Dipietro at kdipietro@technicamining.com.



Why choose Technica?

Working at Technica means choosing a safe environment where no one employee is more important than the other, and where we prioritize people over projects. We pride ourselves on a culture that is built on our core values of respect, integrity, courage, honesty, and humility, which guide our day-to-day operations and decisions.

In addition, Technica offers a series of benefits including:

- Competitive salary
- Comprehensive benefits package including health, dental, life, and disability benefits
- Company matched pension plan
- Travel pay (where applicable)
- Corporate health and Wellness Program (i.e., health risk assessments, training and nutrition plans, etc.)
- Opportunity to grow
- Company events
- Work-life balance

* Indigenous applicants are encouraged to include their status and community when applying. Training will be made available to a select number of Indigenous applicants in line with Technica's commitment to increasing Indigenous representation within its workforce.

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Line Crew Ground Support Training

April 28 - August 8, 2025

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- Propane in Construction
- Confined space hazard awareness for construction
- Ladder handling
- MSD Prevention and more...

DEADLINE DATE: MARCH 7, 2025

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE.

CONTACT:
SANDRA MARTIN, SPECIAL PROJECTS COORDINATOR

REQUIREMENTS:

VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE
GRADE 12 DIPLOMA
MUST BE 18 & OVER

Submit your CV and Cover Leter at: smartin@gezhtoojig.ca