March 21, 2025 Flyer

ATIKAMEKSHENG ANISHNAWBEK

WE'RE HIRING

Chief Executive Officer

Full Time

The Chief Executive Officer (CEO) is entrusted with providing visionary leadership and overseeing the comprehensive management and operations of Atikameksheng Anishnawbek, in adherence to the policies, procedures, and guidelines established by Gimaa & Council.

REQUIREMENTS:

- A bachelor's degree in economics, Public Administration, Business Administration or other equivalent with a minimum of five (5) years progressively responsible management and experience in Administration OR
- A college diploma in Business Administration, Marketing, Accounting or other equivalent with a minimum of five (5) years progressively responsible management and experience in Administration OR
- Other combinations of experience and education, which meet the minimum requirements, may be substituted.
- Ideally, at least five to seven (5–7) years of experience in a supervisory role
- Human Resources Management experience
- And more.

Interested applicants must quote the competition number in their cover letter and resume and submit to:

Human Resources
employment@wlfn.com
25 Reserve Rd
Naughton, ON
P0M 2M0

Please visit the employment & tenders page on our website for the full posting!
https://atikamekshenganishnawbek.ca/employment-tenders/

NAME OUR PROGRAM

Quality Improvement Project

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek has secured a three year grant for the development and implementation of an Early Learning Program that holds its strength in culture, language, and natural laws. The Quality Improvement Project (QIP) is based on the Seven Grandfather Teachings in Early Learning and Well Being.

We are looking for a name that reflects the spirit of the project. The QIP is foundational in Anishinaabemowin and culture of Atikameksheng in which we are writing curriculum and creating resources to be used for families. This program will offer interactive activities that honour our Anishinaabe way of life.

We need your help to rename this Quality Improvement Project with an Anishinaabemowin name that honours our young ones and the foundations of our culture. We ask for Atikameksheng members to send in an entry in Anishinaabemowin and the translation in English.

The selected entry will receive $300.00.

The deadline is March 28th @ 4:00 pm.
Atikameksheng Debendaagziwaad of any age can enter.
Must be in Anishinaabemowin.

Please forward your entry by email to Paula Naponse, QIP Coordinator at pnaponse@gmail.com.

We look forward to seeing your entries.
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SAVE THE DATE

JOB FAIR
2025

JUNE 9 & 10, 2025
37 RESERVE RD.
NAUGHTON, ON

Join us for resume & cover letter workshop then a day of networking & job opportunities as we connect jobseekers with top employers in the area. A list of confirmed organizations will be shared soon.

FOR MORE INFORMATION :

Tiana Wabegijig-Jourdain
cdm@wlfn.com

Tasheena Recollet
edi@wlfn.com



Board of Health Seeking Indigenous Representative

Public Health Sudbury & Districts is seeking an Indigenous representative to join its governing body and policy maker, the Board of Health for Public Health Sudbury & Districts.

Qualified persons, who are grounded in community, have lived experience, are from this territory and reside in Greater Sudbury are invited to submit their application until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, March 28, 2025.

The board meets the third Thursday of each month, with exceptions in March, July, August and December. The successful candidate will be appointed to the board until November 14, 2026.

How to Apply

Application forms are available:

1. Online at www.greatersudbury.ca/signon.
2. By mail by calling 311 to request a form.
3. In person at your nearest Greater Sudbury Public Library, Citizen Service Centre or at the One-Stop Services counter at Tom Davies Square.

About the Board of Health

The Board of Health for Public Health Sudbury & Districts is established by the provincial public health legislation, the Health Protection and Promotion Act (HPPA) and regulations. Boards of health monitor all operations within their public health unit and are accountable to the community and to the Ministry of Health.

For more information and to apply, visit www.greatersudbury.ca/signon.

Media Contact:
communications@greatersudbury.ca

Greater | Grand Sudbury

ATIKAMEKSHENG TRUST

UPCOMING GRANT DEADLINE DATE!

MONDAY MARCH 31, 2025

GRANTS:

- HEALTH
- RECREATION & LEISURE
- TRADITIONAL CULTURE
- POST SECONDARY EDUCATION - BURSARY
- POST SECONDARY EDUCATION - SCHOLARSHIP

Note: All grant application forms can be downloaded, completed online or in person at the Trust Office.





Do you require assistance in filling out your application(s)?

ATIKAMEKSHENG TRUST Office staff, Lauretta Miller and Jordon Shawanda are in the office Monday - Friday for drop-in style, one-on-one assistance.





GRANT ASSISTANCE & INFORMATION SESSION

TUESDAY MARCH 25, 2025

TIME: 6-8PM
Location: HEALTH BOARD ROOM
- please use back entrance

PLEASE ENSURE TO BRING YOUR STATUS CARD AND ALL APPLICABLE DOCUMENTATION



Contact Us:

Ms. Jordon Shawanda
Administrative Assistant
admin@atiktrust.ca

1-31 RESERVE ROAD, NAUGHTON, ON P0M 2M0
Phone(705)692-2235 Website: https://www.atiktrust.ca

EDUCATION SESSION!

Addressing Anti-Indigenous Racism

Aanii! The Kinoomaadziwin Education Body invites educators and high school classes to participate in an on-line learning session on understanding and addressing racism.

Wednesday, March 26th, 2025
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Click the link below or scan the QR Code to register!

Register Now!

Randi Ray

These sessions will be provided by Randi Ray, a proud Anishinaabe Kwe from Flying Post First Nation & founder of Miikana Consulting and Noojimo Health (Canada's first Indigenous-owned Virtual Mental Health Clinic).

THE SESSION WILL FOCUS ON:

- Understanding racism, its history for Indigenous people and its various forms (relational & systemic).
- How to identify racism happening at school.
- Practical tools for how to address racism.
- Next steps for those who are on their anti-racism journey.

CONTENT WARNING

This topic can sometimes be triggering for Indigenous people unlearning and re-learning about ongoing colonialism. If you are looking for Indigenous specific support to unpack some of the topics that may be discussed, or need additional support the following resources are available to you:

First Nations, Métis & Inuit Hope for Wellness Help Line
1.855.242.3310

Noojimo Health (all-Indigenous virtual counselling service)
1.833.277.5678
www.noojimohealth.ca

Ontario Aboriginal Housing Services

Start your post-secondary journey with help from the Don McBain Memorial Award...

Just Like Eve!

Eve received the Don McBain Memorial Award in 2024, and is now working towards her goal of completing a Diploma in Electrical Engineering to become a Technician in Process Automation and Trades at Sault College!



Are you a leader? Do you have big dreams and goals to change your community and help others?

Ontario Aboriginal Housing Services (OAHS) is proud to announce another year of the Don McBain Memorial award, in honour of the late OAHS found and Executive Director.

This award is comprised of ***three $5,000 awards*** that will be distributed annually to t***hree Indigenous students from Ontario pursuing their first year of post-secondary studies.***

To be eligible for this award, you must self-identify as an Indigenous student, have confirmed attendance to a post-secondary institution for the 2025-2026 academic year, and demonstrate financial need.

Apply today! Visit OntarioAboriginalHousing.ca

ATIKAMEKSHENG ANISHNAWBEK

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek Joins Korea-Japan Trade Mission to Stimulate Economic Benefits

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek and The City of Greater Sudbury are leading a strategic trade mission to Korea and Japan on April 4-14, 2025. This mission, announced at the Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada (PDAC) convention on Monday, March 3, in Toronto, Ontario, aims to secure new growth and investment opportunities for both Atikameksheng Anishnawbek and Greater Sudbury businesses.

Joining the delegation are key community and industry partners, including Frontier Lithium, Magna Mining, and Electra Mining. These partners play a pivotal role in the mission as they will be showcasing the opportunities, projects, and innovation that is happening in the region, along with highlighting Greater Sudbury's commitment to collaboration and reconciliation with the Indigenous communities.

This mission is vital for establishing connections with Korean and Japanese market leaders, for promoting the EV battery supply chain, and for supporting sustainable practices and clean-tech industries. The creation of these partnerships will create numerous investment opportunities while supporting the development of lands for industrial use. The mission aims to create new jobs, stimulate economic growth, and enhance the economic prosperity of Atikameksheng Anishnawbek through strategic partnerships and formal agreements.

High-level meetings are being planned with prominent Korean and Japanese companies such as Mitsubishi, Mitsui, Sumitomo Mining, Panasonic, Honda, Nissan, Toyota, Hitachi, Hyundai, Kia, LG Energy Solution, POSCO, Samsung SDI, and SK Innovation, and will potentially elevate Atikameksheng Anishnawbek’s economic interests to the global stage.

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“Atikameksheng Anishnawbek, in conjunction with the City of Greater Sudbury and Wahnapitae First Nation, is committed to fostering the development of a complete EV supply chain in our traditional lands. We have always supported mining in our territory and now hope to build on that by developing partnerships with companies from two powerhouse Nations that are leaders in the EV industry in order to create more opportunities in the EV supply chain. By expanding into this exciting market, we will support local businesses, create employment, and bring stability for our People. This trade mission presents a unique opportunity to create relationships with new partners and to further strengthen the existing relationships we have with the City of Greater Sudbury, with Wahnapitae First Nation, and with local and regional industry partners.”
Gimaa Craig Nootchtai



Gimaa Craig Nootchtai speaks at PDAC 2025 in Toronto on the benefits of the Japan/Korea Trade Mission - March 3rd, 2025



Left to Right: Chief Larry Roque of Wahnapitae First Nation, Gimaa Craig Nootchtai of Atikameksheng Anishnawbek, Mayor Paul Lefebvre of Greater Sudbury

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APP INFORMATION SESSION



Want to learn how to use the Atikameksheng Anishnawbek App?

Come sit in on an information session to ask questions!

MARCH 26, 2025

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

2:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

5:30 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.

Session Highlights
Overview of the App
Features to come
Q&A

DOOR PRIZES!

If you can't attend the session and have questions, please contact communications@wlfn.com

Important Public Health Alert: Measles

To: Chiefs, Health Directors, and Community Programming Leads
Date: March 12, 2025

On March 6, 2025, the Chief Public Health Officer of Canada released a statement regarding the **concerning trend of increasing measles cases in Canada**. More measles cases were reported in the first two months of 2025 than in all of 2024. This is due in part to cases associated with outbreaks in New Brunswick, Ontario and Quebec.

Between January 1, 2025 to March 6, 2025, Canada has recorded **227 measles cases**, with many requiring hospitalization. The **majority of cases are unvaccinated or under-vaccinated children** who were exposed in their communities, such as in social events, daycares, schools and health care settings. Measles is very contagious and can cause serious illness, with complications including pneumonia, deafness, brain inflammation, and in severe cases death.

The full statement is available here: Statement from the Chief Public Health Officer of Canada on the Increase in Measles Cases and the Risk to People in Canada.

To assist you with public health promotion, unbranded resources about measles, measles vaccine, and travel are available on the OneHealth portal.

What is measles?

Measles is a highly contagious disease caused by a virus. People can develop measles 7 to 21 days after being exposed. Symptoms include:

- Rash
- Fever
- Cough
- Runny nose
- Red, watery eyes
- Small, white spots inside the mouth
- Sleepiness
- Irritability

While these symptoms are common among many viral illnesses, measles infections usually occur in isolated outbreaks.

Measles complications may include pneumonia, ear infections, blindness, inflammation of the brain, death, and premature labour and low-birth weight for pregnant individuals.

Transmission

Measles spreads very easily through the air when an infected person coughs or sneezes. The measles virus can live for up to 2 hours in the air and on surfaces in a space where an infected person coughed or sneezed. An infected person can spread the virus to others 4 days before the rash appears, and remains contagious until 4 days after.

Recognition of infection and home isolation are critical to preventing the spread of measles.

Who is at risk?

Individuals at greatest risk of measles complications include:

- Unvaccinated babies and young children
- Unvaccinated pregnant people
- Immunocompromised people

Individuals at higher risk of being exposed to measles include:

- Travelers
- Military personnel
- Healthcare workers
- Students

In Canada, adults born before 1970 are presumed to have developed natural immunity to measles.

Treatment

There is no specific treatment for measles infection. Severe complications can be prevented though supportive care that ensures good nutrition and adequate fluid intake. Close contacts to a measles case may be recommended to receive measles-containing vaccine or a preventative treatment called immunoglobulin, which reduces their risk of infection.

Public health measures

Strongly encourage all community members to ensure measles vaccinations are up to date for themselves and their family members. High vaccination rates are critical to prevent measles outbreaks. Additional public health messaging includes:

- Covering your mouth and nose with a tissue or your upper sleeve when coughing or sneezing.
- Washing your hands often with soap and water, or an alcohol-based hand rub.
- Keeping high-touch surfaces clean and disinfected.
- If you suspect you have measles:
  - Self-isolate at home, limit your contact with household members, especially those at higher risk of complications, and do not have visitors.
  - Contact your healthcare provider for assessment, ***but*** make sure to phone ahead to protect others.

Vaccination is the key to preventing measles infection, spread and harm to community.

Respectfully,

Dr. Claudia Sarbu
Regional Medical Officer, Health Protection Unit
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch, Ontario Region, Indigenous Services Canada



Budget Meals: Baked Scone & Fried Klik

Join Us to Learn How to Make Baked Scone!

Light Refreshments Available

- Recipes, Demonstration and Tasting!
- Includes All Ingredients For You to Take Home!

With Chef & Community Food Support Worker
Lauren Abel

With Family Support Worker
Koreen Lewis

26 MARCH, 2025
6:30-8pm

At Waasakwa Children's Center (HBHC side)
601 Gabode Dr, Naughton ON

Registration Required
6 Spots Available

For Registration Call
Koreen Lewis
705-391-6089

Or Email:
family.support2@wlfn.com

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CCP: 20.20

Congratulations!

Congratulations to the recipients of the 2024-2025 Vale Scholarships:

- Dennis Wabegijig
- Alyssa Gagne
- Kianna Bailey
- Jason Shortt
- Hunter Bisschops

Congratulations on your well-deserved success! You've worked incredibly hard for this achievement.

VALE

Students of any age are invited to the

HOMEWORK & SNACK CLUB

Join us for fun & healthy snacks,
a quiet place for homework,
or partner with a peer tutor!

NOW ON THURSDAYS 4-6PM

212 Maani Street (Lower Level)

For more info contact

Stacey Lavallie - education.programmer@wlfn.com



FANTASTICAL MONDAY

MARCH 31, 2-4PM @ LIBRARY

SLAY THE DRAGON!

WRITE A STORY & CREATE A LIBRARY BOOK

Registration Requested

Limited Spaces: 15

Ages: 6–18

Youth under 10 must be accompanied

- Each youth writes a story we turn into a book for the library
- Writers will get to slay a monster for prizes





To register, contact Stacey Lavallie, Education Programmer

education.programmer@wlfn.com

THE CHILD AND YOUTH TEAM, HBHC, AND
PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES PROGRAM PRESENTS

FAMILY EASTER KITS

EASTER KITS INCLUDE DECORATIONS, CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES, SNACKS ETC.,

REGISTER WITH TYRA AT
CHILDYOUTH.WORKER1@WLFN.COM
BY APRIL 3RD, 2025 AT 4:30 PM
INCLUDE NAMES AND AGES OF FAMILY MEMBERS 0-25. **ONE KIT PER HOUSEHOLD.**

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KIT CONTENTS MAY VARY

Monthly Board Game Night

LAST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH!

PRIZES!

WAASAKWA CHILDREN'S CENTER

CHILDREN & YOUTH

7 YEARS +



MARCH

26TH

4-7PM

DINNER | BEVERAGES | DRINKS INCLUDED

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT AMANDA ROSE

childyouth.worker2@wlfn.com

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Scavenger Hunt

For Nutrition Month

Deadline to submit your responses: Tuesday March 25, 2025

PARTICIPATION PRIZES!

Please Send To:
Community Physical Activities Programmer:**Kelly Nootchtai**
Email: **physical.activities@wlfn.com**

Nutrition
SCAVENGER HUNT

1. What is Nutrition and Why is Nutrition Important?
2. What are the 4 main food groups and their functions?
3. List three foods from each of the 4 food groups
4. What are 4 barriers to eating healthy?
5. List 5 unhealthy foods
6. How can you incorporate nutritious foods into your everyday life?
7. What are your health goals? And how will you incorporate into your daily life?

DEADLINE: MARCH 25, 2025 @ 11AM

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YOUTH LUNCH

BUILD YOUR OWN PIZZA & ACTIVITIES

Get to know each other and community workers
Share ideas on programs that you would like to see in the community

MARCH 31, 2025
11:30am-2:00pm
AT THE WAASAKWA CENTRE
AGES 11+



Register by **March 27, 2025 at 2:00pm**
By contacting
physical.activities@wlfn.com

Limited Spots Available!

Let's Talk Self-Care:

Manicures & Nail Art

Self-care is vital for well-being, and manicures can be a joyful part of that. Caring for your nails promotes mindfulness, creativity, and good hygiene. Whether you choose a simple color or intricate designs, it boosts self-esteem and celebrates your individuality.

Waasakwa Children's Centre

April 9th, 2025 4-7 pm

Childyouth.worker1@wlfn.com

The program will be led by Tyra Vincent, our Child and Youth Worker and an Esthetician. Join us to learn the fundamentals of nail care and nail art!

Addictions Wellness Program

Craft & Chat

EVERY THURSDAY
5-7 PM

Join us for an evening of crafting and socializing! Bring your own projects to work on or use our supplies!

Come relax, create, and connect.

ATIKAMEKSHENG KENDAASII-GAMIK (LIBRARY)
212 MAANII ST., NAUGHTON, ON.

Refreshments Available!

All Ages Welcomed!

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MAPLE SYRUP BOILING

Join us for tapping of
Maple Trees this March!

Collection of sap will occur until 200 liters of sap is collected in which boiling will then begin. (After March Break).

A notice will be given once the sap is readied to be boiled into Maple Syrup down at the Grounds.

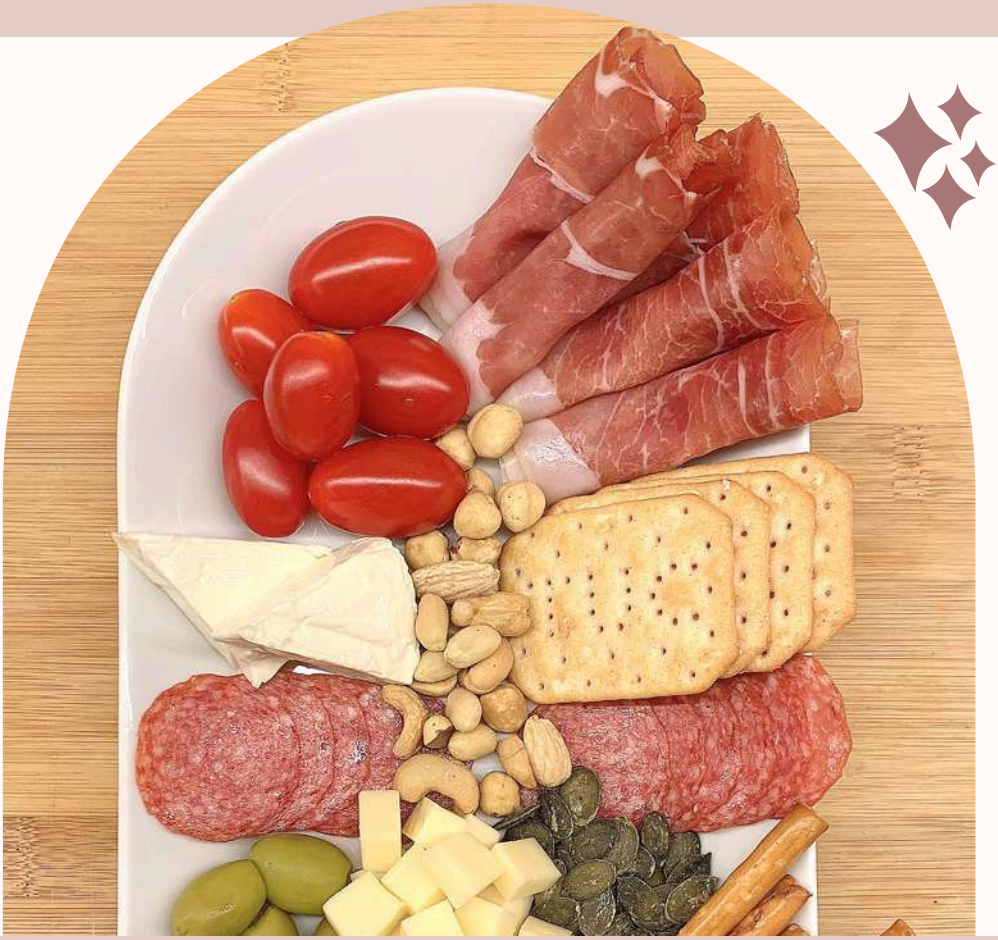
For more information please contact David Trudeau at 705-923-8553
anishinabe.aadziwin.worker2@wlfn.com

YOUTH DIY CHARCUTERIE BOARDS

Come join your CYW team and Lisa-Marie Naponse to make your very own charcuterie boards and discuss vaping prevention!

MARCH 31ST | 4-7PM | WAASAKWA CHILDRENS CENTER

YOUTH 12+ PLEASE REGISTER BY **MARCH 17TH** TO GUARANTEE A SPOT





TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT AMANDA ROSE AT CHILDYOUTH.WORKER2@WLFN.COM | 705-690-7513

March 2025

SUGARING MOON | ZIISBAAKDOKE GIIZIS



Monday *NTAM-GIIZHIGAD*	Tuesday *NIIZHO-GIIZHIGAD*	Wednesday *NSO-GIIZHIGAD*	Thursday *NIIWO-GIZHIGAD*	Friday *NAANO-GIIZHIGAD*	Saturday *NGODWAASO-GIIZHIGAD*	Sunday *NIIZHWAASO-GIIZHIGAD*
24	25	26	27	28	1 **Sudbury 5 Indigenous Game Night** 7PM	2
3	4 **Hand Drumming** @ Healthy Babies Center 6-8pm	5 **Waasakwa Children's Drop-In** 4-7pm	6 **ODR & Hot Chocolate** 5-7PM	7 **PA Day** **ODR & Hot Chocolate** 1-4PM	8	9
10 **Brunch & Beading** 7yrs+ @ Waasakwa 10-2	11 **Hand Drumming** @ Healthy Babies Center 6-8pm	12 **Brunch & Beading** 7yrs+ @ Waasakwa 10-2	13 **ODR & Hot Chocolate** 2-4PM	14 **ODR & Hot Chocolate** 2-4PM	15	16
17	18 **Hand Drumming** @ Healthy Babies Center 6-8pm	19 **Waasakwa Children's Drop-In** 4-7pm	20 **ODR** 5-7PM **Youth Ribbon Shirt Workshop** @ Waasakwa 4-8PM	21 **ODR** 5-7PM **Youth Ribbon Shirt Workshop** @ Waasakwa 4-8PM	22	23
24	25 **Hand Drumming** @ Healthy Babies Center 6-8pm	26 **Waasakwa Children's Drop-In** 4-7pm	27 **ODR & Hot Chocolate** 5-7PM	28	29	30
31 **Youth DIY Charcuterie Board & Vaping Prevention** @ Waasakwa 4-7PM	1					

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

DINER'S CLUB

March Menu 2025

March 5th

HOT DOGS WITH BAKED BEANS, GARDEN SALAD & PUDDING

March 12th

CHICKEN SOUP& BUN WITH LUCKY CHARM BARS

March 19th

BAKED FETA PATSA, CAESAR SALAD AND CAKE

March 26th

MEATLOAF WITH ROASTED POTATOES, MIXED VEGETABLES & STRAWBERRY TARTS

Adult Day Program 2025 March

TUESDAY 4

TEATIME:
VALUE VILLAGE
WHERE:
SUDBURY
TIME: 12PM-3PM

TUESDAY 11

TEATIME: HAM AND CHESSE PIN WHEELS
TIME: 1PM-3PM
WHERE:
WORKSHOP ROOM

TUESDAY 18

TEATIME:
PAINTED ROCKS WITH ART GALLERY OF SUDBURY
TIME: 1-3PM
WHERE:
WORKSHOP ROOM

THURSDAY 20

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:
PROTEINS INFORMATION
TIME: 1-3PM
WHERE:
WORKSHOP ROOM

THURSDAY 27

MOVIE NIGHT
TIME: 2PM-9PM
WHERE:
IMAGINE CINEMAS
PLEASE REGISTER BY MARCH 21 BY 1PM

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

COHI- CHILDRENS ORAL HEALTH INITIATIVE

DENTAL CLINIC

CLINIC HELD MONTHLY

OUR SERVICE

- Dental Screening
- Fluoride Varnish
- Oral Health Teachings
- Dental Sealants
- New Baby Bundles
- Pre/Post Natal Checks

CHILDREN 0-7

Next Appointments Available

March 25 12pm-5:30pm March 26 9am-11:30pm

April 8 12pm-5:30pm April 9 9am-11:30am

CONTACT HBHC WORKER



healthybabies.children@wfln.com

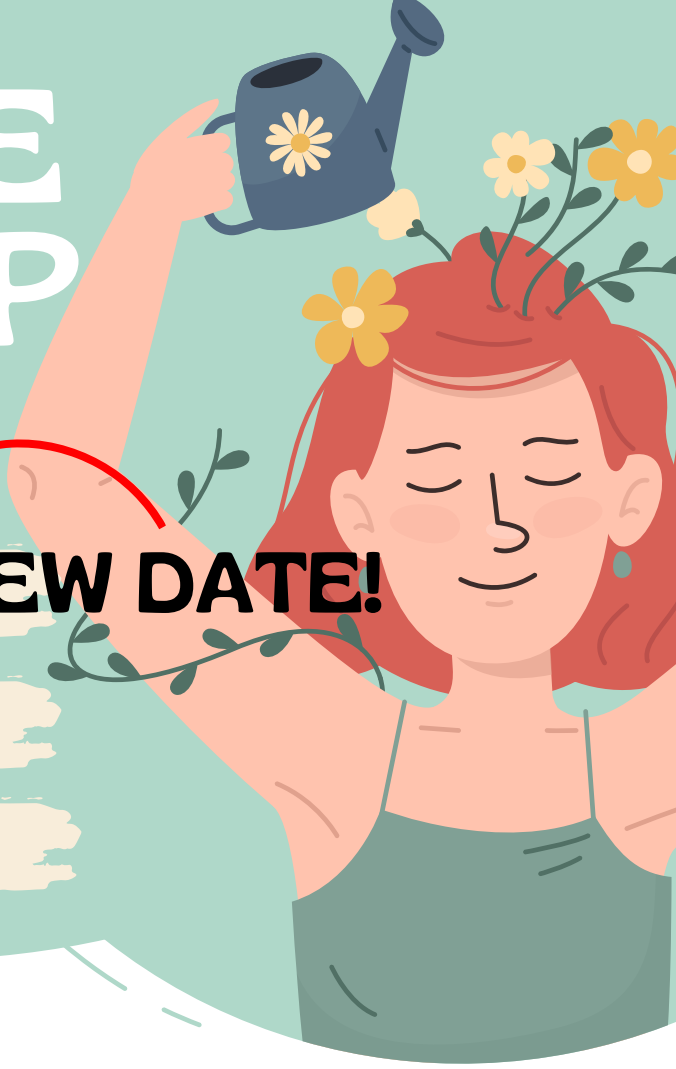


Waasakwa Childrens Center- Ramp Side





SELF CARE WORKSHOP SERIES



NEW DATE!

1PM-4PM Wednesday, April 2, 2025
Register by March 27, 2025 at 2pm

1PM-4PM Thursday, April 24, 2025
Register by April 14, 2025 at 2pm

1PM-4PM Thursday, May 15, 2025
Register by May 5, 2025 at 2pm

What Will We Be Doing?

- Discussion on What Self Care is to you, How to Self Care. New Topic each week!
- Goals and Vision Board Creation
- Make Your Own Face Scrub
- Painting, gratitude/self care journal/interactive games.

LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE!

Book Now!

Giveaways and light snack provided

Location:

Waasakwa Children's Center Side Door where ramp is.

For More Info and to register:

healthybabies.children@wlfn.com

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Healthy Babies
Healthy Children



Expecting A Baby?

Have Children under 6?

Our dedicated Healthy Babies Worker is committed to delivering exceptional services tailored to meet your unique needs.

Our services:

- Home/Hospital Visit
- Resourses and Programming
- Cultural Activities and Workshops
- Drop In Group for new Parents
- And More



Contact Us

705-690-7503

healthybabies.children@wlfn.com

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.

Meet in Council Chambers & Virtual

25 Reserve Road, Naughton or Microsoft Teams

Thursday's at 6pm

PLEASE NOTE: Virtual will have audio enabled only

Sessions will be recorded and transcribed at a later date

March 27th

Topic: **Open Topic Night**

April 3rd

Topic: **Q & A**

If you have any questions or would like a meeting invite please reach out to David Trudeau, anishinabe.aadziwin.worker2@wlfn.comOR Carley Lambert, communications@wlfn.com

FASTING TEACHING & PREPARATION

As part of the Aadizooke: Winter Story Telling Event on
March 27th from 6 pm to 8 pm

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To receive the Microsoft Teams Meeting Link for this Session, please contact Brandon Petahtegoose at oshkaabewis@wlfn.com

SAVE THE DATE: SPRING FASTING CEREMONY AT SACRED GROUNDS - APRIL 14TH TO 18TH, 2025

First Nations Child and Family Services and Jordan's Principle Settlement

The Claims Period for the Removed Child Class and their eligible Caregiving Parents or Caregiving Grandparents opens on March 10, 2025.

It's time to get ready.

1 Removed Child Class

2 Removed Child Family Class

Are you a First Nations individual who was removed from your home as a Child, on Reserve or in the Yukon, between April 1, 1991, and March 31, 2022, and placed into care funded by Indigenous Services Canada? Or are you the Caregiving Parents or Caregiving Grandparents of a Removed Child?

If so, you may be eligible for compensation under this Settlement.

Compensation is not yet available, but you can get ready to submit your Claim by ensuring you have:

- **valid government-issued identification**
- **a mailing address**
- **a bank account in your name for compensation deposit**

For more information about the Settlement and Claims Process, visit **www.FNChildClaims.ca** or contact the Administrator toll-free at **1-833-852-0755.**

Mental health counselling and crisis support is available to Class Members 24 hours a day, seven days a week, through the Hope for Wellness Helpline at **1-855-242-3310**, or online at **HopeForWellness.ca**.

Wellness support is also available through Kids Help Phone at **1-800-668-6868** or text FIRSTNATIONS to **686868**.

Scan here 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
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.
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Indigenous Archaeological Monitoring

Training for Employment Opportunity

Northeast Power Line and Northshore Link Projects

Seeking 20 participants

Waasmoowin Energy Inc. in partnership with Hydro One, are proud to offer Indigenous Archaeological Monitor Training opportunities for interested Partner band members.

- Are you a member from one of the following: Wahnapitae, Atikameksheng, Whitefish River, Sagamok, Serpent River, Mississaugi, Thessalon, Garden River, Batchewana?
- Taking this foundational archaeology training will allow participants to apply for monitoring and technician positions for both projects.

- Training will involve 4 days in Classroom on the basics of archaeological techniques, and 5 days for field training in the methodology of archaeological survey.
- $50 Honorarium per day plus per diem and travel costs covered for the 9 day training.
- Training may lead to immediate full-time employment through to Fall 2025.
  9 positions - one per First Nation
- Training location: Sagamok Anishnawbek
- Training Duration: May 20 to May 23, 2025
  May 26 to May 30, 2025

DEADLINE
APRIL 4, 2025 at 4:00 pm

Qualifications

No Experience is required, however interest in cultural heritage, the outdoors and archaeology are essential.

- Maintain good communication and professional courtesy with clients, staff, management, contractor, regulators, communities, and landowners.
- Willingness and ability to perform physically demanding tasks (e.g. hand shovelling, trowelling, carrying buckets of dirt, screening soil).
- Filling out required paperwork such as site forms and recording artifact recoveries.
- Must have tolerance for working in outdoor environments and working in a wide range of weather conditions.
- Excellent work ethic and team-player attitude as well as the ability to work independently.
- Must have a valid G Driver's Licence

Join now

For more Information and to send your resume and cover letter
EMAIL:
admin@waasmoowin.com

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Keepers of the Circle

Monday Mornings in March

Trades Pathways to Possibilities

Learn about career pathways in the trades & programs that can support your journey

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Hear from Indigenous Union recruiters
- Learn from Red Seal tradespeople
- Upcoming training opportunities and how to apply
- Interactive Q&A
- Prizes and give aways



Every Monday in March
starting on the March 10th
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

On Zoom, use the QR code to register for one or all of the Monday sessions that you are interested in attending!

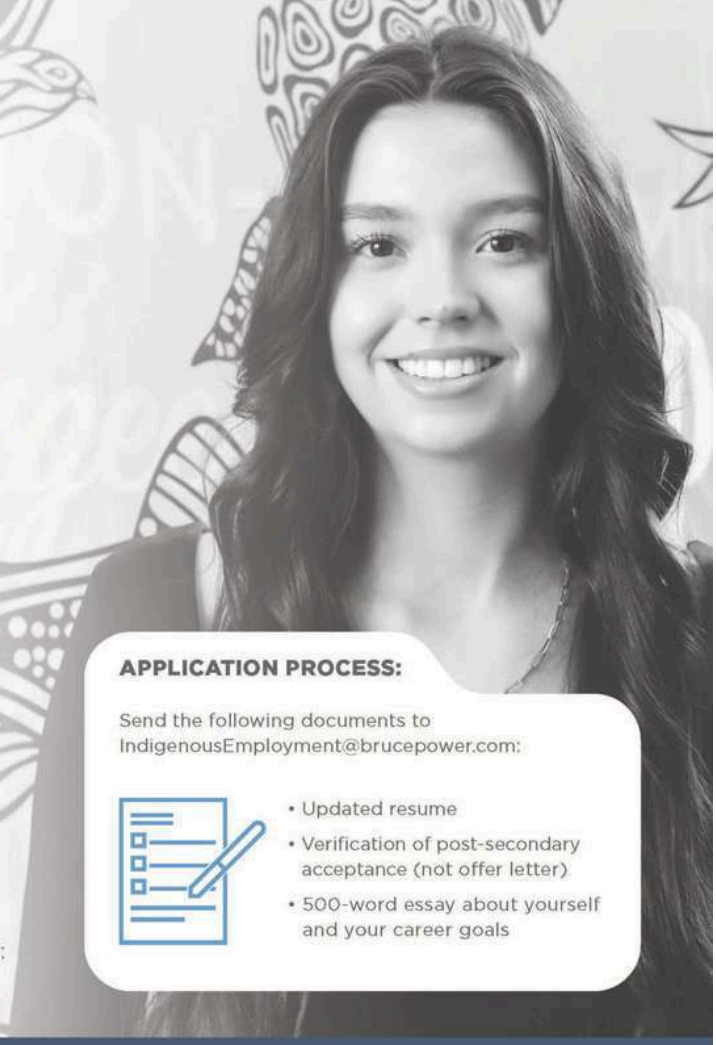
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For more information reach out to:
training@keepersofthecircle.com

www.keepersofthecircle.com

INVESTING IN INDIGENOUS FUTURES

Career Launch Program



Are you interested in a career at Bruce Power? Bruce Power is providing sponsored tuition to 10 Indigenous students, starting September 2025.

Bruce Power offers a wide range of career opportunities to suit a variety of interests and skills. Below is a list of educational programs for a few key roles at Bruce Power. If you are interested in another program that is not listed, or have additional questions, contact Bruce Power's Indigenous Employment Team by email at: **IndigenousEmployment@brucepower.com**.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

Send the following documents to IndigenousEmployment@brucepower.com:

- Updated resume
- Verification of post-secondary acceptance (not offer letter)
- 500-word essay about yourself and your career goals

BRUCE POWER CAREER OPPORTUNITY	PROGRAM EXAMPLES
Nuclear Operator in Training	**Power Engineering Technology** *(2 years – Georgian College)* **Chemical Production and Power Engineering Technology** *(3 years - Lambton College)*
Radiation Protection or Radiation Safety	**Applied Nuclear Science and Radiation Safety** *(2 years – Algonquin College)*
Engineer Trainee	**Engineering** *(4 years – University)*
Shift Control Technician Apprentice	**2-year Electrical College Diploma,** *for example Instrumentation and Control Engineering Technician*
Mechanical Maintainer Apprentice	**2-year Mechanical College Diploma,** *for example Mechanical Technician – Industrial Millwright*

This opportunity closes April 11, 2025.

How to apply: Interested candidates must apply by email at **IndigenousEmployment@brucepower.com**.

Deadline to apply: April 11, 2025 for the 2025/2026 academic year.

Selection: Successful candidates will be notified by April 25, 2025. They will participate in a four-month paid placement at Bruce Power, pending security clearance and successful completion of the first year of a post-secondary program.

Interested candidates should visit the post-secondary websites and adhere to admission requirements.

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General Carpenter

Pre-apprenticeship Program for Women

FREE for Qualified Participants

This training program is geared towards Indigenous women, or any woman interested in carpentry.

Train to use hand and power tools while working with various construction materials. Learn the latest installation methods along with the best practices and workplace safety to make you employable in today's construction industry.

You will be guided and supported in culturally inclusive strategies during training and placement, with continued support as you transition into the workplace or further education.

Location: Canadore College Commerce Court Campus, North Bay
Program Length: 23 weeks
Duration: May 5, 2025 – October 10, 2025
Cost: **FREE** **(Tuition, tools, PPE, and Health and Safety Certifications)**

To determine eligibility or for more information please contact:

Veronica Wesley
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veronica.wesley1@canadorecollege.ca

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General Carpenter **Pre-apprenticeship program for Women**

What You Will Learn

- Essential and Employability Skills Development
- Health and Safety Training
- Exposure to Welding As A Secondary Trade
- General Carpenter Apprenticeship Training Level 1 (8 weeks)
- Work Placement (8 Weeks)

Upon Completion of the Program, Students May Pursue:

- Further Apprenticeship Training

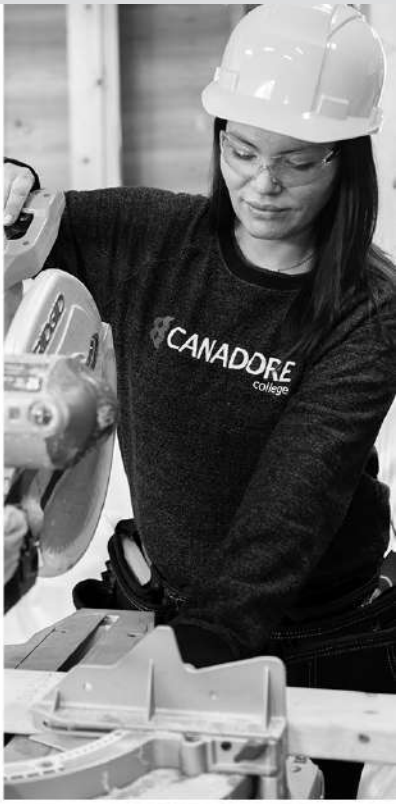
Other Training Opportunities at Canadore College:

- Building Construction Technician
- Electrical Techniques
- Mechanical Technician-Welder
- or other Post-Secondary Programs

Future Career Opportunities:

- General Contracting
- Construction Companies
- Residential ICI Sectors
- Furniture and Cabinet Manufacturers







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