September 12, 2025 Flyer





LOOKING TO GROW YOUR BUSINESS?

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

- **Workshops & Training Opportunities**
- **Grants & Funding Opportunities**
- **Business Loans & Start-Up Financing**
- **Mentorship & Networking Opportunities**
- **Upcoming Indigenous Business Conferences & Forums**
- **Business Plan Support and more!**

Access valuable tools, resources, and connections designed to support the growth and success of your Indigenous business!

SIGN UP NOW

Tiana Wabegijig,
Community Skills Development Manager

cdm@wlfn.com

Giyak Mishkawzid Shkagmikwe
LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

Racialized and Indigenous Supports for Entrepreneurs (RAISE) Grant Program

A grant program that provides access to business development training, culturally responsive and tailored business coaching, networking opportunities, and a one-time grant of $10,000 to support Indigenous, Black and other racialized entrepreneurs.

Who is eligible?

- The business owner must be an Indigenous, Black or other racialized individual who lives and operates their business in Ontario.
- The business must be registered with the Canada Revenue Agency.
- The business must employ 1 to 5 full-time equivalent employees or up to 10 full-time equivalent employees for businesses in the Accommodation and Food Services sector, including the business owner.

How does it work?

- The program is self-paced and runs for approximately 8 weeks. Participants may continue to operate their business while participating in the program.
- Once admitted into the program, participants must complete the following activities within the program timelines to receive a $10,000 grant:
    1. Online business development training – minimum of 5 hours
    2. Business coaching including networking – 5 to 10 hours
    3. Develop a Business Action Plan

How do I apply?

- Visit the RAISE grant program web portal for a full list of program requirements, eligible expenses and what you need to apply.
- Applications must be submitted on or before **October 1, 2025 at 5:00 p.m. ET**.
- **Complete applications are processed on a first-come, first-served basis until the program budget is reached.**

If you need help, email us at raise@ontario.ca. Video Relay Service (VRS) for Deaf and hard of hearing persons is available at 437-538-4850, Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ET, excluding government and statutory holidays.

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MEMBER CALL OUT
RHT LEGAL FEES CASE IN TORONTO

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek Gimaa and Council are heading to Toronto from September 28th to October 3rd to represent Atikameksheng Anishnawbek alongside Garden River First Nation during the RHT Legal Fees Court Case.

We are inviting 10 members to join us during this historic event. We are calling out for Elders, Youth, and General Members to express interest to attend. Meals, Transportation and Accommodations are covered from September 28th to September 30th.

To express interest, please email Stephanie Nebonaionoquet
at execasst.ceo@wlfn.com. The draw will take place on Monday, September 22nd and recipents will be announced on Tuesday, September 23nd.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is a public notice that culvert replacement will begin at Smelt Creek on September 15, 2025.

Work will begin at 9:00 a.m. and will require an approximately five hour road closure due to deep excavation and replacement. Please plan accordingly. Times are dependent of weather but Public Works will ensure at least one open lane way available where possible.

For questions and more information, please contact Darin Migwans at pw.manager@wlfn.com

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SAVE THE DATE

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2025

COMMUNITY CENTRE

Details and agenda to follow in advance.
A virtual option will be available.

FRIENDLY REMINDER

The speed limit in the community is



For everyone's safety, please follow the speed limit in the community.

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NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2025
9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

Join us for a walk around the community
followed by lunch and some teachings!

Sacred Fire will be lit from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

9:00 a.m.	**Sacred Fire is lit**	**Teaching Lodge**
10:30 a.m.	**Opening Prayer**	**Residential School Monument**
11:00 a.m.	**Community walk**	**Residential School Monument**
12:00 p.m.	**Lunch**	**Community Centre**
12:30 p.m.	**Teachings for all ages**	**Community Centre**



For more information, please contact
events.coordinator@wlfn.com



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Pick up an *Orange T-Shirt*



We will be handing out orange t-shirts while supplies last to Atikameksheng members on

Tuesday, September 23
Wednesday, September 24
Friday, September 26

for National Truth and Reconciliation Day.

Please visit the Band Office from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (closed from 12p.m. - 1p.m.)

Available Sizes:
Baby Onesies
Youth small - XL
Adult Small - 4XL

For more information, please contact events.coordinator@wlfn.com

PAINT YOUR TOTE

ORANGE FOR CHANGE



SEPTEMBER 25, 2025
2:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.
ATIKAMKESHENG HUB
66 ELM STREET SUITE 107

GIFT CARD PRIZE FOR THE FIRST 10 ATTENDEES!

Join the Mental Health worker, Josephine, to paint your own tote for National Day for Truth and Reconciliation!

EVERY CHILD MATTERS

Light refreshments available!

For more information, please contact Josephine at mentalhealth.coordinator@wlfn.com



FOOD FUNDRAISER

Join us for a Food Fundraiser! All proceeds goes towards the 2026 Annual Jiingtamok!

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2025
11:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

$10

Three Sister's Soup OR Corn Soup, Scone, and a drink!

FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS

For more information, please contact David Trudeau at Anishinabe.aadziwin.worker2@wlfn.com

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POST-SECONDARY

IN-PERSON OFFICE HOURS



The Post-Secondary Education Support Worker, Keenan Lachance, will be available in-person at Cambrian College and Laurentian University for any support you need! Drop-in and say hi!

CAMBRIAN COLLEGE ON MONDAY'S

9:30 A.M. - 3:30 P.M.

WABNODE CENTRE FOR INDIGENOUS SERVICES

AND

LAURENTIAN UNIVERSITY ON WEDNESDAY'S

9:30 A.M. - 3:30 P.M.

INDIGENOUS SHARING AND LEARNING CENTRE

For more information, connect with Keenan at Education.postsec2@wlfn.com

CALL OUT FOR YOUTH ARTISTS!

The AES Youth Council is looking for Indigenous youth (ages up to 25) to submit their art to be added to our 2026 year calendar!

Prizes for the 12 youth selected to be in the calendar!

Deadline is October 17th, 2025 @4:30PM!

Art pieces can be paintings, drawings, digital art, and/or photography.

PLEASE SEND ALL SUBMISSIONS TO:

Kaelyn Pizzale
Youth Initiatives Coordinator
Kaelyn.pizzale@a-e-s.ca

(OPEN TO ALL INDIGENOUS YOUTH IN ONTARIO)

ANISHINABEK EDUCATION SYSTEM

RECLAIMING OUR PARENTING

• **11, 18, 25** •
SEPTEMBER, 2025
• **2, 9, 16** •
OCTOBER, 2025

• **6:30PM-8:30PM** •
THURSDAYS FOR 6 WEEKS

• **ATIKAMEKSHENG COUNCIL CHAMBERS** •
25 RESERVE ROAD

A SAFE SPACE TO LEARN AND GROW! AS A GROUP, WE WILL EXPLORE PARENTING TECHNIQUES, CHILD STAGES & BEHAVIOURS, AND BUILDING OUR SKILLS.

FACILITATED BY MEGAN ESPANIEL• HOSTED BY FSW

UNFORTUNATELY, NO CHILDCARE PROVIDED
LIMITED SPOTS – PLEASE REGISTER!
CONTACT ROSELLA @ 705-918-3907 OR
FAMILY.SUPPORT1@WLFN.COM

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Community Food Support Trailer

The Community Food Support Trailer will be open on

September 16, 2025.

from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

The Community Food Support Trailer is located beside the Community Centre

Please remember you must be registered in order to collect food from the trailer.
you can email: community.foodsupport@wlfn.com or text/Call: 705-921-5372 to register or to book an appointment for pick up.

Please NOTE this is not for a 2nd pick up day. Access to program is only once per month.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR OWN BAGS.
Donation of bags is greatly appreciated.

Miigwetch,
Kayla Condotta
Community Food Support Worker

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FIRESIDE TEACHINGS



Join Oshkaabewis (Helper), Brandon Petahtegoose, for Fireside Teachings.

The focus will be the Seven Grandfather Teachings!

September 18th, 2025
October 9th, 2025
November 20th, 2025
December 4th, 2025

Teaching Lodge at Community Centre

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. for all Atikameksheng members

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. for Atikameksheng staff

Soup and scone available for all attendees!

The fire will be lit from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. each date. If you can't make it for the teachings, don't worry, come spend time by the fire.

For more information, please contact Brandon at oshkaabewis@wlfn.com or 249-377-6107



Join Us at the ANNUAL HARVEST GATHERING

OCTOBER 1, 2025
TO
OCTOBER 3, 2025

ATIKAMEKSHENG ANISHNAWBEK

LANDS

www.atikamekshenganishnawbek.com

Annual Harvest Gathering 2025



CAMP

Start Date: Wednesday October 1, 2025
End Date: Friday October 3, 2025



Location: Benny - 700 Road - Camp 28

- **This is a family hunt event, come out and enjoy being on the land!**
- **Butcher fee's will be covered by the Lands Department during the event only, with 50% of the meat going to the hunter and 50% of the meat to the community.**
- **If you have a camper trailer, sites will be available and must register.**
- **Hunt at Location or on reserve.**
- ***Registration is strongly encouraged!*** **Registration and information packages will be coming out soon.**

- **If you have any additional questions, please reach out to:**

Shannon Gonawabi
Natural Resources Coordinator
Email: natural.resources@wlfn.com
Phone 705-692-3651 Ext: 1408

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Annual Harvest Gathering 2025



CAMP

START: WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 1, 2025
END: FRIDAY OCTOBER 3, 2025



Camper Trailer Registration

If you plan to attend the Annual Harvest with a Camper trailer, please submit a registration form with us.
Registration is mandatory and *recommended* so we can anticipate the number of participants and space needed for trailers.

Registration forms are at the Lands Office.

All Registrations are due by
Wednesday September 24th, 2025 at 3pm.

Natural Resources Coordinator
Shannon Gonawabi
Email: natural.resources@wlfn.com
Phone: 705-692-3651 Ext: 1408

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FALL FAST CAMP

Join the Oshkaabewis and Oshkaabewis Kwe for Fall Fast Camp and Information Nights leading up to the Fast Camp!

Wednesday, September 24 to Sunday, September 28, 2025

PIGEON MOUNTAIN

INFORMATION NIGHTS

Thursday, September 11, 2025
5:00 p.m.
Teaching Lodge by Community Centre

For more information, please contact
Brandon Petahtegoose
oshkaabewis@wlfn.com or
Kelyn Best at
oshkaabewis.kwe@wlfn.com

Join the

HEALING & SHARING CIRCLE



Month of August & September

COMMUNITY WORKSHOP ROOM

WEDNESDAY'S: 6:30 P.M. TO 7:30 P.M.

FRIDAY'S: 1:30 P.M. TO 3:00 P.M.

The Healing & Sharing Circle is an addictions support group for anyone seeking connection, healing, and the opportunity to share and listen with others on their own wellness journeys.



CONNECT WITH US

Kim M. Nootchtai

health.program@wlfn.com

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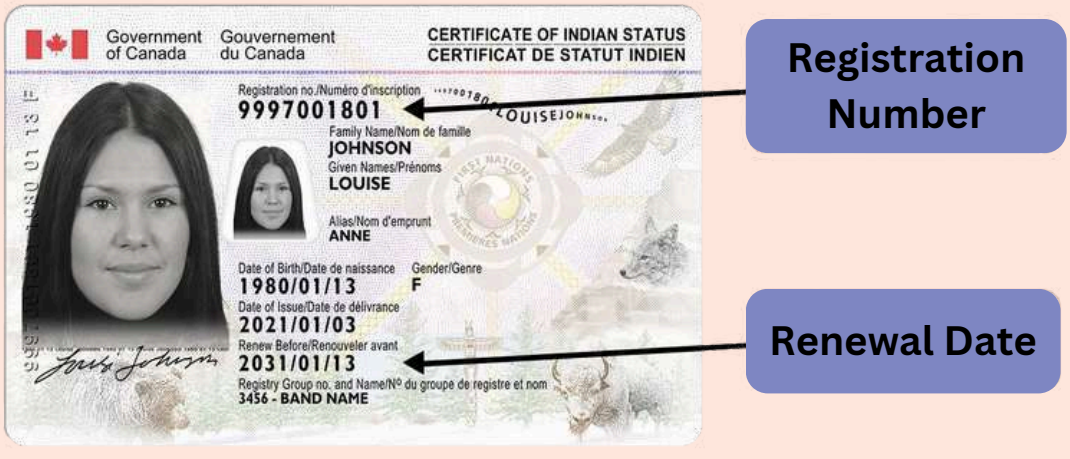
ATTENTION
ATIKAMEKSHENG MEMBERS

Please check the expiry date on your Status Card or secured card.
Please renew your Status Card at least six months ahead of time.

Status Card Use and Protection

- Don’t share your status card or Status Card number with anyone.
- You are responsible for the use of card which is limited to personal use.
- Vendors may refuse transactions or report misuse.
- Report if your card has been lost or stolen.

For more information, contact
Wanda McQueen at membership@wlfn or
705-692-3651 ext. 1112



WE'RE LOOKING FOR YOUR INPUT!

We are looking to find the best days and times to host future programming and events that work for you.

Your input helps us create a schedule that fits your life, please take a minute to answer some questions!



To answer the questions, please scan the QR code or follow the link

https://forms.office.com/r/BYNkWUs8qA

ATTENTION SECONDARY & POST-SECONDARY STUDENTS

APPLY FOR POST-SECONDARY FUNDING THROUGH OUR NEW EDUCATION DATA SYSTEM, DADAVAN!

What is Dadavan?

It's a data management service that allows students to apply for Post-Secondary funding fully online and keep track of their documents and career goals once a student account is made!

When are the funding application deadlines?

Fall/Winter Terms (September-April): May 9th, 2025 **(Closed)**
Winter Term (January-April): October 10th, 2025
Spring/Summer Terms (May-August): March 14th, 2026

To apply for funding through the link below:

https://aafn.dadavan.com/student/pseapplication.jsp

FIND MORE POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION ON THE ATIKAMEKSHENG WEBSITE!

Contact Keenan Lachance for any questions:
education.postsec2@wlfn.com

POST-SECONDARY DADAVAN - OUTCOME INFORMATION SESSIONS

LEARN HOW TO APPLY FOR POST SECONDARY ONLINE, HOW TO UPLOAD DOCUMENTS AND ACCESS YOUR NEW STUDENT PORTAL!

INFORMATION SESSIONS:

SEPTEMBER 16TH 2025 - 10 AM - 12 PM IN-PERSON
SEPTEMBER 17TH 2025 - 9 AM - 3 PM IN-PERSON
SEPTEMBER 18TH 2025 - 3:30 PM - 6 PM -VIRTUAL CLICK HERE
SEPTEMBER 23RD 2025 - 11 AM - 1 PM -VIRTUAL CLICK HERE
SEPTEMBER 25TH 2025 - 10 AM - 12 PM -VIRTUAL CLICK HERE

IN PERSON SESSIONS WILL BE LOCATED AT THE EDUCATION OFFICE- LOWER LEVEL OF THE LIBRARY

Contact Keenan Lachance for any questions or to request the meeting links to be sent to you directly:
education.postsec2@wlfn.com

School Uniform Subsidy

CONTACT

STACEY LAVALLIE
705-692-3651 EXT.1164
education.programmer@wlfn.com

Who is eligible:

- Students attending elementary or secondary schools (Gr. 7-12) where uniforms are required.

Subsidy Amounts:

- New students: $250 subsidy for entering a uniformed school.
- Continuing students: $200 subsidy for subsequent years.

Important Details:

- All cheques will be issued in the parent/guardian/caregiver's name.
- Receipts must be submitted to Education Programmer, Stacey Lavallie after purchasing uniforms.
- If a student does not attend the designated uniform school, the subsidy must be reimbursed to the Education Department.

NOTE: This does not include gym uniforms, team uniforms, etc.

Public Notice of Community Consultation Meeting

Under the Atikameksheng Anishnawbek Land Use Law

Re-Zoning of the Business Park

NEW DATE

REVISED MEETING DATE

SEPTEMBER 19TH, 2025, 6-8PM

@ the Community Centre

Purpose of the meeting:

To present & discuss the Re-Zoning Application submitted by Giyak Mishkawzid Shkagmikwe (GMS) to re-zone the Business Park to a Dual Zone, for Business (C1) & Industrial (M1). With the addition of the Industrial Zoning to the Business Park, this would allow industrial uses within the Business Park and broaden GMS's ability to attract high-end businesses. Additionally, the M1 zoning will bring the existing fuel blending station/storage facility into compliance with the Land Use Law.

The purpose of a community consultation is to bring public notice & inform Debendaagziwad of the proposed Re-Zoning of the Business Park.

For Band Members who cannot attend in person, you may hand in a Written submissions to Courtney Corbiere-Wabegijig, Lands Registry Clerk @ lands.clerk@wlfn.com

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PUBLIC NOTICE - WATER QUALITY ADVISORY

A Water Quality Advisory has been officially issued for Whitefish Lake-Sacred Grounds site due to elevated levels of E. coli found in recent recreational water samples.

The community is strongly advised not to swim or use the water until further notice. This precaution is in place to protect public health, especially from potential gastrointestinal illnesses and other infections that can result from exposure to E. coli-contaminated water.

Additionally, increased surveillance and monitoring of the lake are underway to track water quality changes and determine when it's safe to lift the advisory.

Why E. coli Contaminates Lakes

E. coli (Escherichia coli) is a type of bacteria normally found in the intestines of humans and animals. While many strains are harmless, some—like E. coli O157:H7—can cause severe illness. Common sources of contamination include:

- Wildlife and pet feces: Animals defecating near or in the water contribute to bacterial buildup
- Stormwater runoff: After heavy rains, urban and rural runoff can carry E. coli into lakes
- Warm, stagnant water and recent rainfall can increase the risk, as they create ideal conditions for bacteria to thrive

Symptoms of E. coli Exposure

Exposure to contaminated recreational water—especially through swallowing or contact with open wounds—can lead to:

- Diarrhea (sometimes bloody)
- Stomach cramps
- Nausea and vomiting
- Low-grade fever
- Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome (HUS): A rare but serious condition that can cause:
  - Kidney failure
  - Anemia
  - Low platelet count
  - Long-term health complications or even death, especially in children and the elderly

For more information, please contact director.health-well@wlfn.com

For students enrolled Kindergarten to Grade 12

STUDENT LUNCH MARKET 2025-2026



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

4-7PM @ THE EDUCATION OFFICE

DOWNSTAIRS @ LIBRARY

Open to Atikameksheng Anishnawbek families, on- or off-reserve residency.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Stacey Lavallie
education.programmer@wlfn.com

EACH STUDENT RECEIVES

- Five Fruit
- Five Snacks
- Five Juice Boxes

MOVIE NIGHT

WHERE?
YOUTH CENTER

WHEN?
SEPT 17TH
@ 5 - 7 PM

CHILDREN 7+
RATED PG



COZY UP IN PJS OR BRING A BLANKET FOR A KID-FRIENDLY ALIEN ADVENTURE. SNACKS AND DRINKS PROVIDED!

QUESTIONS? EMAIL TYRA AT CHILDYOUTH.WORKER1@WLFN.COM



BEADED SUNGLASSES

Join the Family Support Worker, Rosella, to bead sunglasses!!

Please bring your own sunglasses to bead.

Register to secure your spot!

1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

September 18 & 25, 2025

Kendaasii Gamik (library)

For more information and to register, please contact Rosella at 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.



YOUTH DROP-IN:

PAINT LIKE BOB!

FOLLOW ALONG WITH BOB ROSS AND CREATE YOUR OWN HAPPY LITTLE TREES AND COLORFUL SCENES— FUN FOR ALL SKILL LEVELS

SEPTEMBER 18TH

@ 4-7 PM

AT THE YOUTH CENTER

ATIKAMEKSHENG ANISHNAWBEK

QUESTIONS? EMAIL TYRA AT CHILDYOUTH.WORKER1@WLFN.COM

Join us for Fitness and Fun



Get Fit with Poles - 6 week program

Everyone Welcome

Beginning Wednesday Sept. 10, 2025

12:30 p.m.

Community Center

Benefits of Pole Walking

- Strengthens muscles
- Improves heart health
- Delays aging
- Boosts immunity
- Reduces stress

For more information contact Lindsay Fraser:

adultday.programmer@wlfn.com

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Seated Yoga



Join us for Seated Yoga on Wednesdays at the Community Centre with Metamorphosis! Yoga helps to keep your mind Sharp, strengthen bones and joints, improve balance and stamina, reduce stress, improve sleeping habits, slow down aging, and reduce pain!

- Start at 10:30 a.m.
- Wednesdays
- Community Centre

September 17, & 24
October 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29
November 5, 12, 19 & 26

For more information, please contact Community Health Nurse, Marina, at communityhealth.nurse@wlfn.com

metamorphosis
creative transformation studio

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Elder's Community Kitchen

This is an invitation to all elders in our community. We will be having our Community Kitchen on the 3rd Thursday of the month



When: September 18th, 2025 @ 1:00 pm
Where: The Kitchen at Band Office
What:Creamy Potato Bacon Soup
Who: Any Elder

Please call or text before September 17, 2025
Your Diner's Club Cook,
Debbie Soucy-Patterson
Cell # (905)431-8687

September 2025

LEAVES CHANGING COLOR

MOON |WAABAABAGAA GIIZIS



Monday *NTAM-GIIZHIGAD*	Tuesday *NIIZHO-GIIZHIGAD*	Wednesday *NSO-GIIZHIGAD*	Thursday *NIIWO-GIZHIGAD*	Friday *NAANO-GIIZHIGAD*	Saturday *NGODWAASO-GIIZHIGAD*	Sunday *NIIZHWAASO-GIIZHIGAD*
1 **Labour Day**	2 **Hand Drumming** @ Teaching Lodge 6- 8pm	3 Back to School!	4	5	6	7
8	9 **Hand Drumming** @ Teaching Lodge 6- 8pm	10 Youth Center Set Up	11	12	13	14
15	16 **Hand Drumming** @ Teaching Lodge 6- 8pm	17 **Movie Night: Elio (PG)** @ YC 5-7 pm	18 **Youth Drop-In: Paint Like Bob** @ YC 4-7 pm	19	20	21
22 First day of Fall	23 **Hand Drumming** @ Teaching Lodge 6- 8pm	24 **Children's Drop-In: Tote Bag Decorating** @ YC 4-7 pm	25 **Youth Drop-In: Fire & S'mores** @ Teaching Lodge 6- 8 pm	26	27 **DIY Spa Day** @ YC 12-5 pm	28
29	30 **Truth & Reconciliation Day**	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	**Contact US** **Child & Youth Worker:** Tyra Vincent, RECE - (705) 690-1867 | childyouth.worker1@wlfn.com **Child & Youth Worker:** Jasmine Wabegijig - (705) 690-7513| childyouth.worker2@wlfn.com				

HBHC SEPT 2025

HUB DAYS

66 Elm Street Suite 107

HBHC will be present at the Hub on Sept 2, 3, 4, 5, 12 and 25.

8:30 a.m. -4:30 p.m.

Hub Bingo Sept 8

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Register by Sept 4 at 2:00 p.m. for Bingo @ the Hub

COHI Dental Screening

OCT 14 12pm-5:30pm

OCT 15 9am-11:30am

Please register by Aug 8 @ 2pm

Pregnant Mom's, New Babies, and children under 7 welcome!

FADS AWARENESS DAY 2025

Join us on September 11 2025,

from 9: 30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. for a walk, guest speaker, and lunch to share awareness for FASD. Details will be in a separate flyer

Orange Shirt Pin/Craft with ECE

Sept 23

1:00 pm-3:00 pm

Join us to make a Pin or craft for Truth and Reconciliation Day

Traditional Indigenous Parenting

Limited Spots

Sept 26 and 27

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Door Prize and Lunch

Register by Sept 18 @ 2pm

Childcare Provided if needed.

Certificate provided

Lap Quilts with Rosella



Sept 10 6:30pm-9pm

Sept 17 6:30pm-9pm

Sept 21 6:30pm-9pm

@ Community Centre

Will Continue into October on Wednesday evenings.

To Register for any of these programs or to set up a home visit for supports please email healthybabies.children@wlfn.com or send a text to 705-690-7503

All programs will be at Waasakwa Children's Centre - Ramp side unless otherwise stated.

Diner's Club
SEPTEMBER
Menu

SEPTEMBER 3RD
Beef Barley Soup
Spinach Salad
Carrot Cake

SEPTEMBER 10TH
Shepherds Pie
Garden Salad
Cherry Cheese Cupcake

SEPTEMBER 17TH
Chicken and Rice Soup
Garden Salad
Brownies

SEPTEMBER 24TH
Chicken Fried Rice
Veggies
Apple Crumble

12:00pm at Community Complex 50+

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COMMUNITY HUB LUNCHES

12:00-1:00 PM Atikameksheng Hub; 66 Elm St.

17 SEPTEMBER	**SPAGHETTI & GARLIC BREAD**
01 OCTOBER	**SHEPHARD'S PIE**
15 OCTOBER	**VEGETABLES AND BEEF SOUP**
29 OCTOBER	**CREAM OF POTATO WITH BACON**

For more info, contact the Outreach team at,

OUTREACH.WORKER@WLFN.COM

OUTREACH.WORKER2@WLFN.COM

Adult Day Program 2025 September



Thursday - 4

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

Tuesday - 9

Teatime:
Apple Tarts
Time : 1 - 3 pm
Where : Health Board Room



Tuesday - 16

Teatime:
Apple Crisp
Time : 1- 3 pm
Where: Health Board Room

Tuesday - 23

Teatime: Arts and Crafts
Time : 1 - 3pm
Where: Health Board Room

Thursday - 25

Movie Night
Time : 2- 9 pm
Where: Cineplex
Please register by Sept 19 at 1pm.



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

Community Food Support Program – Food Support Trailer

ATIKAMEKSHENG ANISHNAWBEK

2025

Monthly Food Support Available for Each Household

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Trailer OPEN: 1pm-7pm	3	4	5 Trailer OPEN: 9:00-5:00pm	6
7	8	9 Wild meat pick up band office 1 to 4pm	10 Wild meat pick up band office 1 to 4pm	11	12 Trailer OPEN: 1pm-6:00pm	13
14	15	16 Trailer OPEN: 1pm-7pm	17	18	19 Trailer OPEN: 9:30-5:00pm	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 Trailer OPEN: 9pm-5pm	27
28	29	30 Trailer CLOSED for Truth & Reconciliation Day				

September

Program Registration Forms are available via Email or in front lobby of the Band Office - 25 Reserve Rd, Naughton ON

OR

The Community Hub - 66 Elm St. Suite 107, Sudbury ON

- Trailer - Open
- No Program
- Volunteers Welcome at the Trailer

community.foodsupport@wlfn.com

37 Reserve Road, Naughton, ON

Book Now: Mon-Thurs 9am - 3pm

Booking Deadline Thursdays @ 3pm

705-921-5372

*Pick-Up on left hand side of the Community Center - At The Community Food Support Trailer

*Must be registered to book an appointment for food pick-up.

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WOLFPACK SECURITY

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek has entered into a partnership with Wolf Pack Security to reinforce the Zero Tolerance Band Council Resolution (BCR #2025-2026-004), which was passed by Gimaa and Council on May 20, 2025.

Patrol Details

Service Period: July 23 – September 14, 2025

Hours of Patrol: 7 days a week, from 5:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m

You may notice uniformed Wolf Pack guards patrolling on foot and in marked company vehicles. Their presence is supplementary to our existing safety measures and not a replacement for OPP services.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Emergencies: 911

Wolfpack: 705-929-9056

Robinson Huron Treaty Per Capita Distribution Submission Process

The Atikameksheng Anishnawbek Administration is continuing to collect information to execute the RHT Per Capita Distribution, which now also includes members added through the referendum held on November 16, 2024. **Kindly note that the Per Capita Distribution (PCD) was a one-time payment. Scheduled payment dates are exclusively for members who have not received their PCD.**

Distribution Schedule

Submission Period	Test Date	Distribution Payment
August 7, 2025 – October 2, 2025	October 9, 2025	October 15, 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

For more questions or application support, please email the RHT Distribution team at pcd@wlfn.com.

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

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

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This training consists of in-person theoretical and hands-on training led by College instructors for 2-3 days a week and will take place at the campus of your choice.

- State-of-the-art tools and use
- Safety—Individual and shop safety
- Introduction to automotive software
- Learn diagnostic trouble codes
- Learn entry level skills such as tire changes, oil changes, and introduction to brakes

Eligibility:

- 18 years of age or older;
- a Canadian citizen, Permanent resident or awaiting Permanent resident status;
- unemployed or underemployed;
- interested in a career in automotive trades;
- a resident of Ontario.

Free training sessions are offered:

- Fall 2025
- Winter 2026

Cambrian College

The training will take place at the Cambrian College, Sudbury Campus.

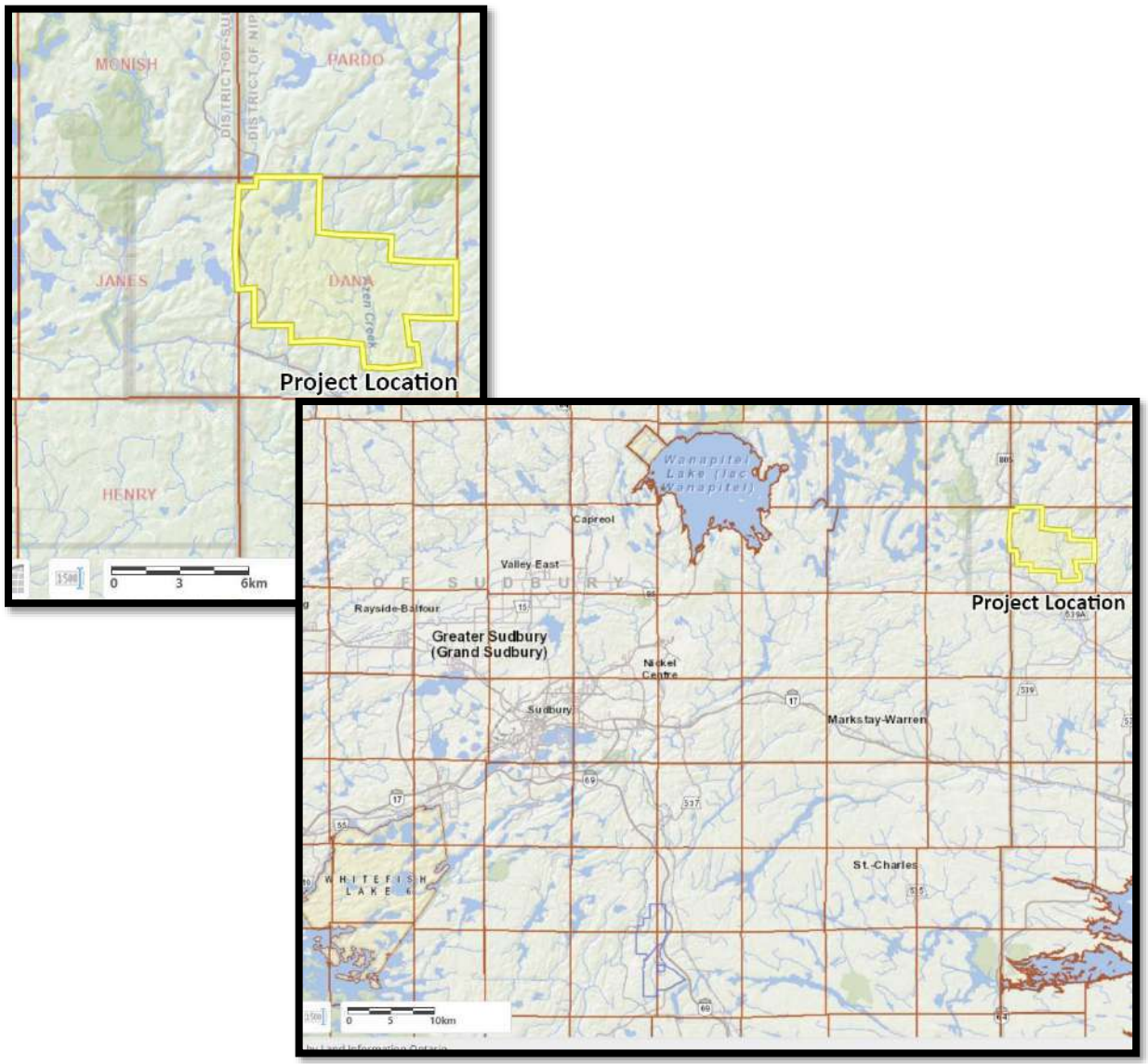
Launch your automotive career. Take the first step today!

Submit your interest for free training today

Early Mineral Exploration Application Notice:

River Valley Platinum Group Metals Project

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek has received an early mineral exploration plan, and an early mineral exploration permit notification from the Ontario Ministry of Energy and Mines (MEM) for proposed activities in Dana, Janes and Pardo Townships, around 63km NE of Sudbury. New Age Metals Inc. has submitted a plan and a permit application to MEM to conduct early exploration activities for the proposed River Valley Platinum Group Metals Project that will include geophysical survey requiring generator and mechanized drilling. The proposed project location is shown in the images below:



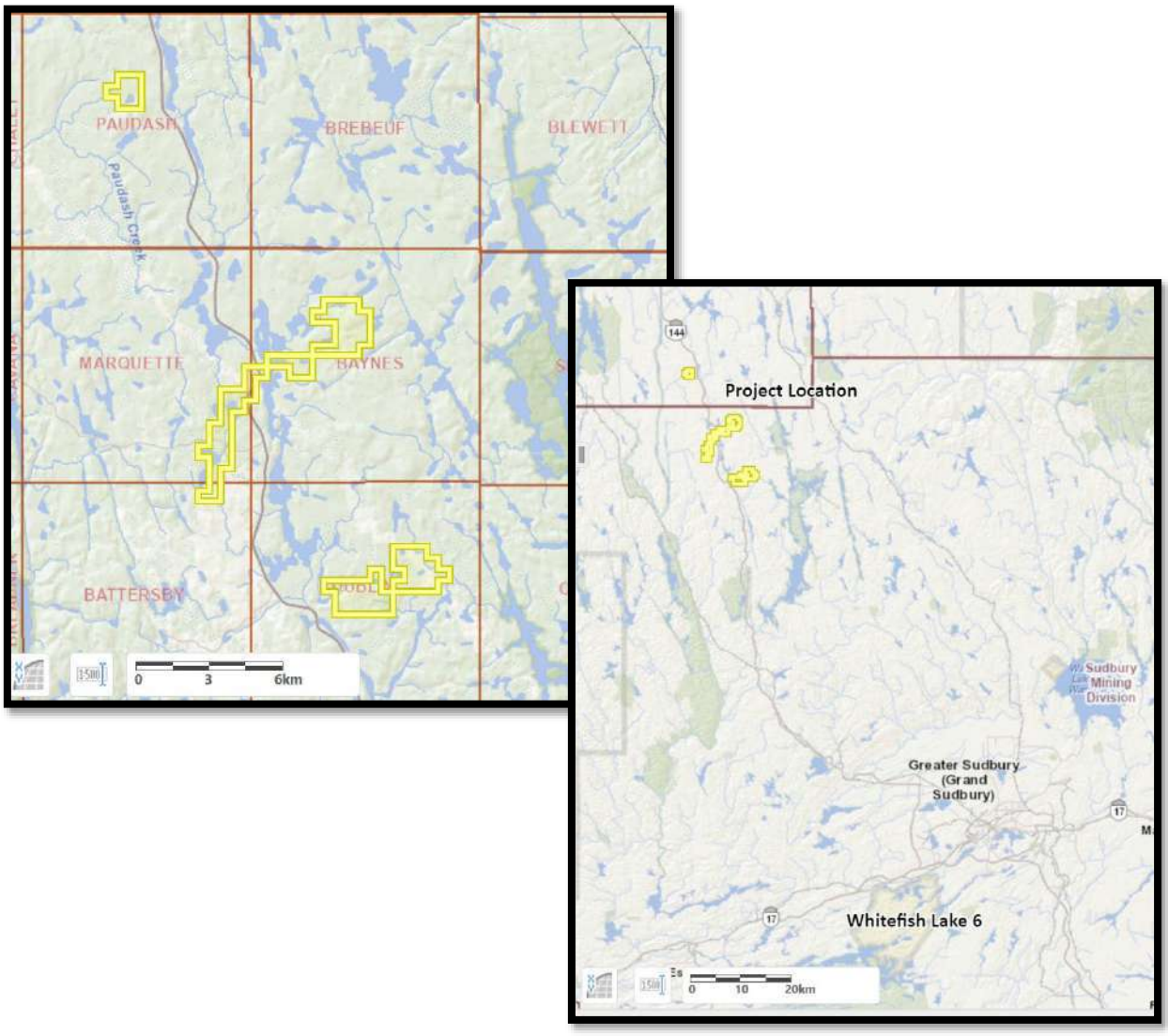
Please send your questions, comments, or concerns regarding this proposed early mineral exploration project by email to mineral.development@wlfn.com before September 15, 2025.

For more information on the proposed project (permit part of this notification), please visit: https://ero.ontario.ca/notice/025-0962

Early Mineral Exploration Application Notice:

Dublin, Paudash and Low Water Projects

Atikameksheng Anishnawbek has received early mineral exploration permit notifications from the Ontario Ministry of Energy and Mines (MEM) for proposed activities in Dublin, Baynes, Marquette, and Paudash Townships, approximately 70-90km NW of Sudbury. VerAI US LLC has submitted three permit applications to MEM to conduct early exploration activities for the proposed Dublin, Paudash, and Low Water Projects that will include geophysical survey requiring generator and mechanized drilling. The proposed project locations (yellow polygons) are shown in the images below:



Please send your questions, comments, or concerns regarding these proposed early mineral exploration projects by email to mineral.development@wlfn.com before September 15, 2025.

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BENEFICIARY REMINDER:

UPCOMING GRANT DEADLINES!

Please review ALL grant guidelines.
NOTE: Incomplete applications will NOT be reviewed.

- **HEALTH**
  - see Health Grant Guidelines
- **RECREATION & LEISURE**
  - up to $300 per year, see grant guidelines
- **TRADITIONAL CULTURE**
  - up to $150 per year, see grant guidelines

This secondary (and FINAL deadline date for 2025) is for eligible beneficiaries who have not exhausted their maximum allowance at the March 2025 deadline date.

- **Post Secondary SCHOLARSHIP** Grant [Winter 2026 Term ONLY] deadline date for application submissions is NOVEMBER 14, 2025

- **Post Secondary BURSARY** Grant [Eligibility: Any FALL 2025 Active Students] deadline date for application submissions is NOVEMBER 28, 2025

Grant Deadline: AUGUST 29, 2025

PHONE: +705-692-2235
EMAIL: GRANTS@ATIKTRUST.CA
WEBSITE: www.atiktrust.ca

For further information or need assistance, contact Lauretta Miller or Jordon Shawanda at the Atikameksheng Trust Office

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MANAGER OF ADMINISTRATION & HUMAN RESOURCES

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- Manage Resources
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Request the full job description and Submit your cover letter & resume here:

PCC@gmsecdev.com
Ashley Nootchtai
Projects & Communications Coordinator

We would like to invite you to our

COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE

Atikameksheng along with 7 other First Nations are partners with Hydro One on the **Northeast Power Line and Northshore Link Transmission Line Projects**

October 9, 2025
4:30-8:00 PM

Community Centre
37 Reserve Road
Naughton, ON

Topics

ECI Updates to Community - Valard and Aecon
(one-on-one session during the day with businesses)
Environmental Updates
Preferred Route Options- Northshore Link
Northeast Power Line Update

DINNER

Giyak Mishkawzid Shkagmikwe LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

We hope you can make it. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out.

To book your one-on-one session contact:
Ashley Nootchtai
PCC@gmsecdev.com
705-669-7078

To register for Virtual option email:
info@waasmoowin.com

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Attention Atikameksheng Anishnawbek Members!



CALL OUT

Are you interested in a Business Park lot or retail space in a potential building?

GMS would like to hear from you regarding your business space needs.

Please contact Natalie Shawana , Manager of Land Assets and Development for more information

Email : mlad@gmsecdev.com

Phone: 249-525-5374

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF

GIYAK MISHKAWZID SHKAGMIKWE

(AGM)

SEPTEMBER 18, 2025

37 RESERVE ROAD - AA COMMUNITY CENTRE

5 PM - HAM DINNER

6 PM - PRESENTATION

No Deadline
Always Hiring



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Safe to the core.

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Drillers Helper

Job Responsibilities:

- Safety – ensures the safety of themselves, their Driller and other crew on site.
- Environment – organization and cleanliness of the drill and drill site location.
- Communication – with the Driller, the Foreman and the rest of the crew.
- Provides support to the Driller in obtaining core samples.
- Safely operating the Rod Handler, stacking and adding drill rods when required.
- Mix additives under the direction of the Driller, and also organize, and maintain stock levels of supplies and equipment including diesel fuel and fuel filters, core boxes, drill rods and more.

Requirements:

- Have a valid Driver's Licence and must provide a current Driver's Abstract annually.
- Pass a Physical Demands Assessment.
- Pass a Drug and Alcohol Test.
- Maintain a clear Criminal Record Check (site-specific requirement).
- Hold a valid First Aid certificate (Not required to be eligible to apply).

Benefits:

- Work where many never have the opportunity to go. Fly in and out of work with paid, pre-arranged travel.
- 100% employer paid benefits including healthcare, dental, vision care, RRSP Matching, and more.
- Earn an average of $75 per day in metre bonuses paid out each paycheck.

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Projects & Communications Coordinator
Ashley Nootchtai

Email: PCC@gmsecdev.com