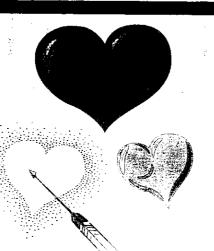
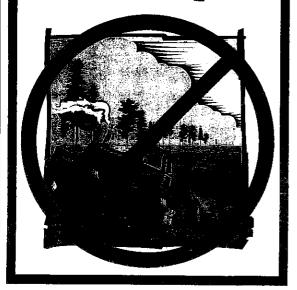
NEWSLETTER ISSUE







Monday, Feb. 14 Valentines Day!



Enclosed in this issue of the newsletter are post cards that can be filled out and returned to the Administration office. We will forward these postco is for you to Premier Arris.

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We're on the Internet www.tyendinaga.net (What's happening)



EUCHRE NIGHT!

Do you have the time and like to play Euchre and have fun? Euchre Every 2nd Tuesday Evening at 7:30! We have business meetings once a month! If you are interested please call 396-6522 OR 967-4708 For more information

MPPs join fight against landfill

By Derek Baldwin

NAPANEE - A plan to expand an Eastern Ontario landfill site six-fold will put the environment in harm's way two local MPPs insist.



Belleville At what was formerly known as the Richmond Township

Leona liquid pollutants are seepDombrowsky ing up to 100
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older, unprotected portion of the 43-year-old dump.
The landfill is used by Belleville and several other Quinte area communities.
Hastings-Frontenac-Lennox and Addington MPP Leona Dombrowsky, and Prince Edward-Hastings MPP Ernie Parsons say concerns of farmers and residents who live on the fringes of the site should take precedence over a business plan by the site's owner Canadian Waste Services (CWS).
The company has submitted an application for review by the Ministry of Environment to expand the Richmond site's capacity from 125,000 tonnes of waste a year to as much as 750,000 tonnes.
Last fall, Minister of Environment Tony Clement approved



Greater Napanee landfill site currently manages 125,000 tonnes of waste a year, but expansion would see that go to 750,000 tonnes.

terms of reference for the proposal paving the way for an environmental assessment by year's end.

The site currently takes in garbage from Belleville through to Kingston but could ultimately provide a home for garbage from Bechard, CWS vice-president of facility development. The site lies north of Deseronto Road and Hwy. 401 and is located in former Richmond Township, now part of a newly-merged Greater Napanee.

Bechard tried to allay fears of neighbouring residents, saying his company would install 60 millimetre thick double polyethylene tiners and contingency plans to prevent further leaching of polluted water runoff.

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While some leachate has migrated, he said, it it has been contained on the site. There is no landfill impact off site, it is being monitored. As part of the Environmental Assessment we will have to define our contingency plan of dealing with the release of containmated ground water off site." said Bechard.

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contaminated ground water on site." said Bechard.
Parsons, however, is fighting on behalf of nearby residents and challenged the environment minister in the House recently to give them money to combat the CWS proposal.
"The process is very unfair, big companies have big dollars, these residents have little money for a fight. This American firm will come in and fill our land with

garbage for 25 years, head south, then leave us with the garbage for-ever," said Parsons. Tuesday "We're putting pressure on the minister. His role isn't to repre-

"We're putting pressure on the minister. His role isn't to represent the company, it's to represent the people."

Parsons has called a press conference for this morning to expand on his plans.

Dombrowsky, meanwhile, said she has reviewed the landfill company's proposal documents and cannot support the dump expansion, citing a recent incident she was told happened at a hazardous waste site in Sarnia where a protective liner designed to contain landfill water runoff broke and leachate flowed from the site.

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these liners won't leak. What if, in 30 or 40 years, it breaks down and there is serious leaking? Can we overlook the potentially damaging effects this could have on many future generations?"

Dombrowsky said the landfill is already having a negative effect on the area with residents complaining of a strong odour daily emanating from the garbage. Some residents nearby "have been told not to drink from their wells," she said.

Stephen Geneja is vice chairman of a 200-member citizens' group calling itself Committee of Concerned Citizens Tyendinaga Stop the Dump which has met several times to fight the expansion.

Residents worry about health effects of landfill site

Story continued from page 1.
The chief concern, said GeneJa. is that the mitustry approved the terrus of reference in September, 1999, while local residents remain still fearful of what the health effects of the existing dump are now.

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January 19, 2000

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

PARSONS LAUNCHES POSTCARD CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE PROPOSED EXPANSION OF THE RICHMOND TOWNSHIP DUMP

BELLEVILLE -- Prince Edward - Hastings MPP Ernie Parsons today launched a postcard campaign, which calls on Premier Mike Harris to stop any expansion of the Richmond Township landfill site.

"My constituents who reside near the dump are worned about the proposed expansion and want to send Premier Harris that message," said Parsons. "This postcard campaign, which will be mailed to all homes in the area will provide my constituents with the opportunity to communicate their opposition directly to the Premier."

election in June 1999 Parsons has been working with local residents to bring their concerns to the Harris government's attention about the potential for environmental damage to area rivers, creeks and ground water. In a recent statement to the Ontario Legislature. Parsons questioned why the Richmond landfill site "should be the dumping ground for all those communities who are unable to take care of their own waste." Parsons went on to tell the Legislature that "not only has the Harris Government been silent on the dump expansion they have not provided one cent to area residents who wish to conduct independent studies as to the potential health risks the proposed dump expansion may cause." expansion may cause.

"Prince Edward - Hastings is blessed with an abundance of creeks, rivers and farm land that helps feed the entire province," Parsons stated. "Mike Harris needs to understand that my constituents are not willing to support any expansion that will potentially jeopardize the quality of their water and the value of their land. Those who live in the area want to be heard on this issue and they demand that their concerns be addressed before any expansion is approved by the Ministry of Environment."

Ernie Parsons, MPP 613-962-1144

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ADMINISTRATION



MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

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TO THE MEMBERS OF THE MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE FROM THE CHIEF

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Thope that this report finds you all in good health and that you are enjoying the winter

was pleased that I iberal MPP's, Ernic Parsons and Leona Dombrowsky have taken a political position against the Richmond Landfill Site expansion

I was pleased to meet with Ernie Parsons following the provincial election to relay the concerns of our community about the dump expansion and the harmful environmental risks that could affect our community

Rick Lindgren is an environmental lawyer from Kingston who acts on behalf of the Tvendinaga Township resident Mr Lindgren has indicated that there should be a judicial review of the matter because the Ontario Minister of the Environment, when approving the terms of reference for the environmental assessment failed to ensure that options to the dump expansion were included.

The new Council met on January 15th, to be briefed on the issue with Alan Gardner in attendance. The Council passed Motion #1 at this meeting was to do the following:

- To draft a fact sheet on the issue to the community which will be reviewed by the oand's lawyer prior to its release.
- band's lawyer prior to its release.
 To be involved in coordinating a demonstration with the Tyendinaga Township Citizen's committee and the public liaison committee.
 To send a letter to the Minister of Fishery and Oceans outlining Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte concerns about the impact that the dump expansion may have on the fish habitat.
- tish natitat. To arrange a meeting with John Donnelly, Regional Director General, for funding for independent consultants.

 To follow-up with Trish Rae regarding the eastern Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory boundary question and the status of the GPS survey. To obtain all historical documents concerning previous environmental assessments leading up to the licensing by the province of Ontario for the existing site. Fold Kring is to report critical time lines and dates to the Council concerning the EA process. 5)
- EA process
- Council will meet with David Galloway to review the plasma waste smelter garbage disposal option. Council has previously met on this issue before.

On Saturday, January 29, 2000, there was an impromptu protest in the Town of Napanee, organized by residents, against the dump expansion. Unfortunately, my staff did not receive information about the protest until Saturday, January 29, 2000 and all the members of Council could not be reached in order to attend. I am sure there will be other demonstrations in the upcoming months.

I have written a letter to Mr. David Anderson, Federal Minister of Environment and Tony Clement, Ontario Minister for the Environment, concerning the dump expansion and the letters are enclosed for your perusal.

I will keep you updated on this issue

Drill Hall

On January 20th. Council met with members of the Brant family on the Drill Hall issue. On August 31, 1999, the representatives of the Brant Family gave notice to Council that the March 1, 1961 lease will be terminated effective March 31, 2000. Council is considering purchasing land at the drill hall location and will be having another meeting with the Brant family in the near future

Third Quarter Budget Review

Council and finance staff met on January 25th, 2000, to review the third quarter budget ending December 31, 1999. As of March 31, 2000, Council is proposing a deficit of \$612,750,23. It is expected that this deficit will be reduced since there are currently a number of band positions that are vacant, resulting in salary savings. The budget is reproduced and enclosed in the newsletter for your information

Casino Rama Funds

The Assembly of First Nations meeting in Ottawa in December, 1999, it was decided that a closure committee would be struck to finalize an agreement with the Rama community, the Casino Corporation of Ontario and the Chiefs of Ontario. The agreement is necessary before any Rama money can be released to the First Nations of Ontario. The closure committee met at the Delta Chelsea Hotel, in Toronto, on January 28 and 29, 2000 to finalize the agreement. A media blackout was ordered.

First Nations are represented by Chief Lorraine Mcrae from Rama, Grand Chief Mike Mitchell, and Mike Sherry, (lawyer at Chiefs office) and Bliss White, (lawyer from the firm of Blake, Cassells in Toronto).

The province of Ontario was represented by Mr. Yan Lazore, (Assistant Deputy Minister of the Ontario Native Affairs Secretariat), Mr. David Aranoff, (Assistant Deputy Minister

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of the Ontario Casino Corporation), and Mr. Mark Freeman, (lawyer for the Ontario Attorney General, Mr. Flaherty).

The closure committee continues to meet as of the writing of this letter and it is expected news release will be forthcoming the first week of February, 2000

Civil Matter Regarding Insurance Claim

On December 1, 1999, Council authorized a payment of \$500.00 to a band member on becenine 1, 1999, Council authorized a payment of about the following representing the deductible portion of that member's insurance policy. Council Doug Maracle and I were opposed to the payment because this was a civil matter between two band members and the band was not responsible for the damage.

On January 12, 2000, the band member's insurance company asked Council to reimburse the \$600.00 settlement that they had paid. On January 19, 2000, Council authorized a letter to go to the insurance company stating that the band accepted no liability for the damage and that it was a public relations gesture which was not to be interpreted as an admission that the band was in any way responsible for the damage.

urchase of Commercial Building

On January 19, 2000, Council passed Motion #33 to investigate the purchasing of a commercial building from the Indian Agricultural Program of Ontario due to a defaulted loan

Chief Administrative Officer

Glenda (Sam) Maracle is on education leave and I wish her well with her studies. I want to recognize her hard work and dedication to the band over the years.

I am happy to provide you with this update and I wish you all best wishes in the year

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R. Donald Maracle Chief



MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

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February 1, 2000

The Honourable Tony Clement, P.C.M.P. Minister of the Environmen 135 St. Clair Avenue West Toronto, Ontario M4V 1P5

Dear Mr. Clement:

Proposed Expansion of Richmond Landfill Site by Canadian Waste Services Inc.

On September 17, 1999, you approved Terms of Reference of an "environmental assessment* prepared by Canadian Waste Services Inc. ("CWS"). I am writing to express the concern of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte regarding your decision, and to protest that

CWS made no attempt in its Terms of Reference to address the need for an expansion of the Richmond Landfill site. It made no attempt to consider alternatives to that expansion, its Terms of Reference were a contemptuous flouting of the Environmental Assessment Act.

Your decision if it stands would grant CWS a green light to pursue its corporate objectives free from any scrutiny of need and alternatives.

The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte are currently investigating a number of matters that are relevant to this proposed expansion.

First, it appears likely that the expansion is occurring on lands that were in fact granted to the Mohawk Nation in 1793, and have never been surrendered. If that is the case, the provincia legislation has no jurisdiction over this proposal.

Second, it appears that the existing landfill site is contaminating the ground waters in its vicinity. If CWS cannot contain leachate from its present facility, how can it be trusted to expand it many/fold?

Third, since the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory is downstream from the existing site and the proposed expansion site, section 48 of the Canadian Environmental Assessment Act is triagered.

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Fourth, there is an excess of landfill capacity for the foreseeable future which renders this destructive expansion absolutely unnecessary.

While we are considering our best course of action, I would appreciate receiving a copy of your September 17, 1999 approval as well as your written reasons for that decision. In particular, can you explain how the approval of these Terms of Reference is consistent with the public of the Environmental Assessment Act and the public interest? It is inconceivable that a uecision to dispense with the requirements to demonstrate the need for the expansion and to review alternatives to the expansion can be justified as being in the interests of the

Hook forward to hearing from you regarding this matter that will affect the wellbeing of our citizens for generations to come

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R. Donald Maracle, Chief

Tyendinaga Mohawk Council The Hon. Pavid Anderson Alan Pratt, Barrister & Solicitor Richard Lindgren, Barrister & Solicitor



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February 1, 2000

The Honourable David Anderson, P.C.M.P. Minister of the Environment Terrasses de la Chaudlere 28th Floor 10 Wellington Street Ottawa, Canada K1A 0H3

Dear Mr. Anderson:

Re: Proposed Expansion of Richmond Landfill Site by Canadian Waste Services Inc.

Thank you for letter of September 2, 1999 in reply to my letter of July 19 to your predecessor the Honourable Christine's. Stewart.

On September 17, 1999, subsequent to your letter, Ontario Minister of the Environment the Honourable Tony Clement approved the Terms of Reference prepared by Canadian Waste Services Inc. ("CWS"). I enclose a copy of my letter dated today to Mr. Clement.

The Terms of Reference are incomplete and any environmental assessment based upon them will be inadequate and unacceptable to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. The them will be inadequate and unacceptable to the wionawks of the Bay of Quinte. The process which occurred prior to the approval of the Terms of Reference failed to provide a forum for meaningful public consultation as required by section 5.1 of the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act ("the EAA"). Furthermore, the accepted Terms of Reference do not ensure that the purpose of the EAA will be fulfilled. A review of key considerations set out in the EAA such as the need for the expansion and alternatives to the expansion is not required under the gurent Terms of Reference. required under the current Terms of Reference.

Your letter indicates that your Department will be considering how potential impacts on water quality have been addressed by CWS. The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte look to you, as the guardian of the environment and as a representative of the Crown in right of Canada, to protect our lands and our environment. Under section 11(1) of the Canadian Environmental Assessment Act, it is your Department's obligation to act in a timely manner on the identified need to conduct a separate federal environmental assessment to address these adverse effects.

The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte are currently investigating a number of matters that are relevant to this proposed expansion.

First, it appears likely that the expansion is occurring on lands that were in fact granted to the Mohawk Nation in 1793, and have never been surrendered. If that is the case, the provincial legislation has no jurisdiction over this proposal.

Second, it appears that the existing landfill site is contaminating the ground water in its vicinity. If CWS cannot contain leachate from its present facility, how can it be trusted to expand it manyfold?

Third, since the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory is downstream from the existing site and the proposed expansion site, section 48 of the Canadian Environmental Assessment Act (the CEAA) is triggered, imposing a positive duty upon your Department to ensure that the environmental issues of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte are addressed. The expansion is likely to cause significant adverse effects for the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte requiring the intervention of your Department. continued....

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Fourth, there is an excess of landfill capacity for the foreseeable future rendering this destructive expansion absolutely unnecessary. This fact underscores the importance of your Department's intervention to protect the interests of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.

It is the view of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte that Mr. Clement has made a decision that. if it stands, is likely to permit a major development upstream from our Territory in a way that jeopardizes our natural environment and negatively impacts upon our cultural heritage. Under these circumstances we must request that you exercise your authority under the CEAA to ensure that the proposed expansion is subjected to a complete and detailed environmental assessment.

I look forward to hearing from you regarding this matter that will affect the wellbeing of our citizens for generations to come

Yours truly,

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R. Donald Maracle, Chief

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> The Deadline for the Newsletter is Thursday Feb. 24 /2000 at noon Call: 396-3424

Media Release

for immediate release: January 27, 2000

Watershed Conditions Bulletin

Quinte Conservation is monitoring conditions on local waterways closely. Frazil ice has been noted in the Salmon, Moira and Napanee Rivers. While no flooding has been reported at this time, frazil ice has caused high water at the Kingsford Conservation Area on the Salmon River. Flows on the Moira and Salmon Rivers are at normal levels for this time of year and flows on the Napanee River are slightly above average.

Cold air temperatures can result in the production of frazil (slush) ice in areas of fast flowing open water. This slushy ice can build up under sheet ice causing water to back up. Cold nighttime temperatures forecast for the next several days will likely contribute to frazil ice buildup.

Ice on local creeks and rivers is unstable due to fast flowing water and strong currents under the ice. Ice sheets over any river current can be quickly eroded and therefore can not be considered safe at any time. Quinte Conservation warns the public to stay off the ice on rivers and creeks and to exercise caution around all watercourses or bodies of water. Unstable ice on the rivers' edge and slippery banks also present a danger.

Quinte Conservation staff will continue to monitor local waterways closely and will issue an update to this bulletin if conditions warrant. Quinte Conservation staff monitor water levels and ice conditions carefully at this time of year as part of their regular flood forecasting and warning program.

(A Watershed Conditions Bulletin is issued to raise public awareness.)

Contact: Terry Murphy 613-968-3434 or 613-354-3312 Lucille Fragomeni 613-968-3434

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PROGRAM	REVENUE PROPOSED BUDGET	REVENUE ACTUAL AS OF DEC 99	EXPENSES PROPOSED BUDGET	EXPENSE ACTUAL AS OF DEC 99	SURPLUS/DEFICIT PROPOSED BUDGET	ACTUAL AS OF DEC
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	\$1,373,286.88	\$1,209,470.05	\$1,430,879.66	\$4.040.500.5°	.A	
BAND PROPERTY MAINTENANCE	\$293,747.76	\$1,209,470.05	\$267,230.36	\$1,216,526.05 \$214,369.59	(\$57,592.78) \$26,517.40	'
GAMEWARDENS/RESOURCES	\$9,625.00	\$9,625.00	\$19,593.00	\$23,284.02	(\$9,968.00)	\$26, (\$13,
POLICE	\$37,400.00	\$20,945.42	\$35,294.90	\$18,431.89	\$2,105.10	1 . (313, 1 \$2,
FIRE	\$162,400.00	\$144,160.00	\$162,400.00	\$148,250.08	\$0.00	(\$4,
ROADS	\$816,280,20	\$686,386.20	\$1,213,088.08	\$542,892.02	(\$396,807.88)	\$143,
PARKS & RECREATION	\$101,451.66	\$86,981.47	\$101,451.66	\$78,506.47	\$0.00	\$8,
ECONOMIC & EMPLOYMENT	\$326,008.00	\$258,654.24	\$326,008.00	\$205,209.46	\$0.00	\$53,
LANDS/RESEARCH CHILD WELFARE	\$132,565.66 \$377,380.34	\$88,719.74 \$266,484.34	\$158,809.38	\$102,153.98	(\$26,243.72)	(\$13,
FAMILY VIOLENCE	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$375,080.34 \$0.00	\$259,085.79	\$2,300.00	\$7,
HOME SUPPORT	\$80,287.00	\$59,560.00	\$80,287.00	\$242.14 \$43,081,59	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$16,
COMMUNITY HEALTH REPS	\$198,563,19	\$117,745.50	\$198,563.19	\$141,210.45	\$0.00	(\$23,
CLERKS	\$62,143.00	\$35,112.00	\$62,143.00	\$47,394.56	\$0.00	(\$12,2
NURSES	\$129,338.00	\$73,014.00	\$129,338.00	\$96,750.23	\$0.00	(\$23,7
PATIENT TRANSPORTATION	\$104,784.00	\$99,912.40	\$104,784.00	\$40,721.44	\$0.00	\$59,1
HEALTH ADMINISTRATION	\$75,167.00	\$65,233.00	\$79,134.72	\$55,816.90	(\$3,967.72)	\$9,4
GENERAL WELFARE	\$680,287.44	\$389,695.73	\$693,915.26	\$453,777.18	(\$13,627.82)	
DAYCARE IUOMEMAKERS	\$296,512.61	\$206,434.19 \$251.367.40	\$296,512.61	\$199,255.12	\$0.00	\$7,1
HOMEMAKERS ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY INS. & LIASON	\$362,304.00 \$738,959.59	\$251,367.49 \$621,358.12	\$362,326.00 \$721,562,33	\$276,029.75	(\$22.00)	(\$24,6
Q.M.S. MAINTENANCE	\$343,608.00	\$279,808.00	\$721,562.33 \$341,669.11	\$504,312.70	\$17,397.26 \$1,938.89	\$117,0
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POST SECONDARY EDUCATION	\$1,405,300.00	\$1,222,000.00	\$1,405,290.93	\$1,109,143.33	\$12,733.59	\$112,8
STUDENT EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS	\$71,604.01	\$71,604.01	\$71,604.01	\$71,604.01	\$0.00	#112 ₁ 0
WATER OPERATION & MAINTENANCE	\$215,031.08	\$172,503.72	\$197,885.26	\$130,981.50	\$17,145.82	\$41,5
CAPITAL PROGRAMS	\$156,000.00	\$153,250.00	\$140,659.19	\$137,598.93	\$15,340.81	\$15,6
LANDFILL SITE	\$579,100.00	\$198,825.00	\$562,419.75	\$50,155.85	\$16,680.25	\$148,6
SPECIFIC PURPOSES LIBRARY	\$30,048.40 \$45,056.61	\$23,988.58 \$43,123.08	\$201,805.00 \$45,056,61	\$30,000.00	(\$171,756.60)	(\$6.0
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BIG MARSH PROJECT	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
AQUACULTURE PROJECT	\$29,753.03	\$29,753.03	\$29,753.03	\$13,903.38	\$0.00	\$15,84
HIDES PROGRAM	\$44,100.00	\$44,732.04	\$56,133.03	\$47,437.73	(\$12,033.03)	(\$2,70
BUILDING HEALTHY COMMUNITIES/8.F.	\$262,372.74	\$150,174.00	\$252,824.68	\$159,458.87	\$9,548.06	(\$9,2
ABORIGINAL WELLNESS ABORIGINAL WELLNESS-(Safe Home Operating)	\$77,728.32 \$309,427.07	\$20,562.50 \$219,577.07	\$77,728.32 \$300,427,07	\$39,474.85	\$0.00	(\$18,9
TECH UNIT	\$64,444.00	\$219,577.07 \$54,167.50	\$309,427.07 \$64,444.00	\$243,478.62 \$53,940.54	\$0,00 \$0,00	(\$23.90 \$23
PRENATAL & NUTRITIONAL PROGRAMMING	\$13,000.00	\$0.00	\$13,000.00	\$7,949.43	\$0.00	(\$7,9
WATER AND SEWER LOOPING PROJECT	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	(41,0
POLICE YOUTH MENTORING PROJECT	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0,00	
YOUTH SERVICES PROJECT	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
TRADITIONAL HEALING & WELLNESS	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
CANTEEN EXPANSION	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
INFORMATION SESSION- SHELTERS	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$76.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	ton a
CAPITAL PLANNING STUDY VIDEO PRODUCTION	\$76,218.19 \$13,500.00	\$76,218.19 \$13,500.00	\$76,218.19 \$13,500.00	\$47,903.74	\$0.00	\$28,3
ABORIGINAL HEAD START	\$13,500.00 \$12,463.31	\$13,500.00 \$12,463.31	\$13,500.00 ; \$12,556.96	\$13,214.67 \$12,556.96	\$0.00 (\$93.65)	\$2 (\$
INTEGRATED HEALTH SERVICES	\$62,492.00	\$40,622.00	\$62,492.00	\$5,249.20	\$0.00	(3 \$35,3
COMMUNITY CENTRE RENOVATIONS	\$521,435.00	\$187,500.00	\$521,435.00	\$25,905.34	\$0.00	\$161.5
DRIVER SAFETY PROGRAM	\$101,350.63	\$45,153.00	\$91,958.59	\$31,466.81	\$9,392.04	\$13,6
NEEDS ASSESSMENT	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$429.60	\$0.00	\$4,5
NATIONAL CHILD BENEFIT	\$18,869.40	\$18,869.40	\$18,869.40	\$18,879.00	\$0.00	
NATURE TRAIL	\$88,901.00	\$51,706.00	\$88,901.00	\$24,148.30	\$0.00	\$27,5
ADULT EDUCATION	\$56,815.00	\$8,742.00	\$56,815.00 \$252,020,74	\$22,439.79	\$0.00	(\$13,6
ABORIGINAL HEAD START-OPERATIONS CESO-BUSINESSES REVIEW	\$252,920.74 \$47,900.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$252,920.74 \$47,900.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	
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NOTICE

We are now accepting housing applications for the 2000 building season.

A change to the scoring is increased points for good credit and landlord reference checks.

Please call the Housing Department for further information or to set up an appointment.

HOUSE FOR SALE/TENDER

The Tyendinaga Mohawk Council has directed that the house located at 2005 York Road (911 number) be sold "as is".

All interested individuals are requested to call the Housing Department at 396-3424 to make arrangements for viewing and obtaining an information package.

Please note that the highest bid will not necessarily be accepted:

Nia:wen.





HURON BRANT DRIVE NORTH SKATING AND TOBOGGANING PARTY

A big nia:wen kowa to Phil and Gladys Bowden, Peter Lewis, Ainsley Leween, Steve Maracle and Darlene Loft for helping out.

Also our appreciation to the Tyendinaga Police Services and Mohawk Coffee for their

In spite of frigid conditions and little snow we had upwards to 40 people get together for the event.

Nia:wen,

Chris Maracle,

Lori Maracle.

Sandra Sero

Mohawk homes honoured

SHANNONVILLE — The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte have been honoured with an Ener-Quality R-2000 Excellence Award from the Ontario Home Builders Association.

It was presented at a Building and Renovation Forum in Toronto. The Mohawks were honoured for technical excellence under 1,500 sq. ft. for their granny flats at Lot 4. Concession 1 of Shannonville.

The small homes, designed to provide housing for Mohawk elders, were found to be 30 per cent under their fuel consumption target, have integrated a forced air heating system, use a rented gas-fired hot water tank as a heating source and have communal waste disposal.

The flats have other benefits leading to energy conservation, the goal of R-2000 homes.

of R-2000 homes.

Those include R50-insulated ceilings, basement walls built with the Blue Maxx wall insulation system, a handicap design for the elderly and above-grade walls.

This article is taken from the Intelligencer January 26/2000

A MESSAGE FROM A MEMBER OF THE MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE BAND COUNCIL (MBQBC) FOR JANUARY 2000 Submitted by William J. Brant

In January new councillors who took office were briefed on some MBQBC policies and projects that were underway when they began their term on council.

We did receive information from the Mohawk Round Table (MRT) partners as to the work that has been completed to date on firearms registration but as of yet MBQBC has not had time to discuss this. From the information I have read, these MRT nations have the basis of a firearms registry by-law for participating Mohawk nations that would be executed and controlled by each individual Mohawk First Nation. Some areas of this by-law need more work and I will comment after MBQBC has had time for its invite the HDT. comment after MBQBC has had time for its input to this MRT presentation. As with any by-law, there would be discussion and comment from our band membership, and a vote taken to approve the said by-law before the same could be implemented here.

Our acting chief administrative officer, Glenda (Sam) Maracle is on an educational leave of absence as of January 7, 2000 and MBQBC has appointed Tom Vincent to fill this position.

Donny C. Maracle, economic development officer for MBQBC has resigned to accept a position with the Ohwistha Capital Corporation. I would like to thank Don for his past service to our community and to wish him well in his new career.

MBQBC has now received information respecting the federal government's decision Re: The Corbiere Case (band members who are not resident on their territory are to be permitted to vote in band elections). The department of Indian Affairs and Martham Davidspace (CIAND) and that it would be improposed. Affairs and Northern Development (DIAND) says that it would be impossible by November 20,2000 to do the necessary consultations with the stakeholders so that the Supreme Court of Canada (SCC) decision be implemented in this time period. The Supreme Court has given DIAND approval to implement this decision in a two-stage approach which will permit these off-reserve band members to vote by November 20,2000.

"Stage one of the strategy involves, as an interim measure, letting the seven words "and is ordinarily resident on the reserve" automatically drop from section 77(1) of the Indian Act upon the expiration of the suspension of the SCC's declaration of invalidity on November 20,2000. Stage One also focuses on amending the two relevant sets of regulations: the Indian Band Election Regulations and the Indian Referendum Regulations. It is our (DIAND) intent to amend these two regulations by the expiration of the SCC suspension to avoid confusion within First nation communities as to how elections and referendum should be conducted when off-reserve members begin to vote."

"Stage Two will involve a more broadly based look at the overall Indian Act and the development of long term sustainable solutions to address the Corbiere decision and any other challenges to the provisions of the Indian Act. This stage will also provide the necessary flexibility to determine what changes to the act are both necessary and feasible."

These are excerpts from a letter to all chiefs from the minister of DIAND.

MBQBC has accepted a program called **Aboriginal Head Start (AHS)** which is funded by Health Canada to a total of approximately \$235,000.00. The following paragraphs contain highlights from the proposal which was submitted by band staff.

This is a program for children from 0-6 years (and includes the participation of the parents/guardians) with a goal of creating balanced early intervention programs that will support children in each of the four growth areas (intellectual, physical, emotional and spiritual). Suitable staff, who will take into consideration the uniqueness of each child and his/her individuality, will implement programs.

It is also the goal of the program to provide an atmosphere wherein the child can sooner reach his/her full potential through a program of varied experiences bolstered with the necessary assistance as provided by social support services as well as parental, family, and community involvement. Children will be monitored closely for any health concerns and medical conditions. High consideration will be given to each child's native heritage and he/she will be exposed to language and culture related activities. Program times would be half days (8:00AM-11: 30 AM and 1:00PM-4: 30PM) with hours of operation from 7:00AM-5: 00PM Monday to Friday. For further information re: time of implementation and place contact the Band Office.

MBQBC has allowed for the establishment of an environmental committee to address garbage and pollution issues on our territory. The committee hasn't as yet elected its executive but this will hopefully be done at the next meeting to be held at 7:00PM, February 3, 2000 at the Band Office. Interested community members are welcome to attend and to bring your specific concerns and/or suggestions to our attention.

A good deal of the time at the environmental committee of January 13, 2000 was utilized to set goals for effective management of garbage and pollution control. I would suggest that part of the agenda for our next meeting is to prioritize these goals, set strategies and time frames to address the issues identified.

On Saturday January 22, 2000 I was asked on very short notice if people of our territory would join with the citizens committee from Tyendinaga township to stage a "Stop the Dump" demonstration during a levee held by the Mayor of Napanee at North Fredricksburg township hall. I did attend with a few band

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members to help raise an awareness of our Band's concerns with this proposed dump expansion.

MBQBC has done some preliminary work on a membership code and residency by-law which we will be submitting for your consideration in the coming months.

MBQBC has had discussion on the selection of candidates from our territory who may qualify as "Elders" and who would participate in important roles involving our membership and residency by-law as well as other community functions. It was agreed that some criteria and standards be set for the selection of band members to receive this honour.

I would be interested in hearing your comments and suggestions on the above matter or any other issue of concern. I may be contacted at 967-9861 or by mail at 1141 Upper Slash Road, K0K1X0.



R.R. #6, Box 178, Rama, Ontario, LOK 1T0. Tel: (705) 329-3325 Fax: (705) 329-3329

CASINO RAMA NAMES NEW DIRECTOR

RAMA, Ontatio (November 15, 1999) – Casino Rama is pleased to announce the appointment of Sherry Lawson as Director of Corporate Affairs and Public Relations. Ms. Lawson brings to the position a wide background in local community service in the Simcoe County area.

From 1993 to 1999, Ms. Lawson served as Justice of the Peace in base courts in Orillia and Barrie. She advanced from a pat-time, non-presiding Justice of the Peace, to a full-time presiding position with the added responsibilities as Administrative Justice of the Peace for Orillia and Muskoka. Prior to becoming a Justice of the Peace, Ms. Lawson was the youngest department head in the history of Orillia Public Library system.

Ms. Lawson has also been extremely active in the communities of native education, culture and arts. She is a former moderator and convenor of the Royal Commission on Aboriginal Peoples Public Hearings; a native liaison worker with the Couchiching Association for Native Social Services; Governor of Georgian College; Chairman of the Native Advisory Committee for the Simcoe Board of Education; and Chairman of the Chippewas of M'njikaning Education

"Ms. Lawson brings a wealth of knowledge about the community, its issues and needs to the position," says Ted Williams, Vice President of Human Resources and Corporate Affairs of Casino Rama. "She has the right blend of skills for this important function at Casino Rama."

Ms. Lawson is a graduate of York University with a BA in Anthropology and Seneca College where she carned an Honours Diploma in Library and Information Science.

For more information, contact: Ted Williams, Vice President of Human Resources and Corporate Affairs Casino Rama 705-329-3325

WOODLOT FOR SALE

WOODLOT FOR SALE APPROXIMATELY 5 ACRES LOCATED NORTHEAST OF THE FORMER DAN LEWEEN PROPERTY ON THE NORTHSIDE OF THE SLASH ROAD IN LOT 24, CONCESSION 2.

VARIOUS TYPES OF WOOD, BOTH HARD AND SOFT, ARE ON THE PROPERTY

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE EVERETT "JOE " MARACLE ON AIRPORT ROAD OR CALL 613-396-3121 $\,$

Ohahase Adult Education * Logo Contest *

We are calling all talented artists of Tyendinaga and surrounding areas!

The Adult Education Program is looking for a logo that will depict what our program is about. We are an Adult Education Facility that is geared to helping people between the ages of 16-120 receive their grade 12 diploma.

We are asking that each entry include:

- · our name Ohahase Adult Education
- · Native content

Ohahase is a Mohawk word meaning New Road and is pronounced Oh-ha-ha-zay. This name was given to us by Sherry Procunier, Nia:wen Kowa Sherry.

We will be offering the following prize money:

- 1st Place \$150.00
- · 2nd Place \$100.00
 - 3rd Place \$50.00

We will take any logo created by anyone regardless of age. All entries will be judged by the Ohahase Student Body who will make the final decision.

All entries must be mailed or dropped off here at First Nations Technical Institute, Attention: Cheryle Maracle or Jan Hill, by the <u>Deadline date is February 21, 2000</u>. Please include your name, address, phone number and age.

Cheryle L. Maracle Ohahase Adult Education Co-ordinator / Intake Worker 613-396-2122 Ohahase New Hours are: Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Jan Hill is available: Mon 9 - 5, Tues - Fri - 9 - 12:30 Thursday - 6 - 8 p.m.

cherylem@fnti.tyendinaga.net

Are you looking to obtain your grade 12?

Now you can do it right here in Tyendinaga!

For more information or to register, **Call**Cheryle Maracle or Jan Hill at

396-2122

Remember if you have an EMERGENCY

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* ANNOUNCEMENT * TO COMMUNITY MEMBERS

The Tyendinaga Mohawk Council has invited the Ontario Ministry of Environment to investigate a pollution complaint. The Community's best interests are being protected

Notice to Community Members

Beware of people canvassing door to door for charitable donations. Not all of these charities are legitimate.

Tyendinaga Mohawk Council

VANDALISM

We are requesting everyone's co-operation in respecting and protecting our community's parks and recreational facilities.

Playground equipment and newly planted trees are intended for the enjoyment and beautification of the community. Parents are encouraged to remind their children of the above. Willful acts of vandalism will not be tolerated. Those found responsible for damage will be requested to reimburse all costs associated with repairs or replacement.

Willful acts of vandalism or theft should be reported to the police immediately.

There are many benefits derived from planting trees such as improved air quality and aesthetics. Lets all do our part in protecting the environment and our communal areas.

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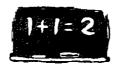
Used Carpet Tender

The Tyendinaga Mohawk Council is accepting tenders for the purchase of approximately 85 years of used "Berber" type carpeting.

- beige/coffee colour blend
- worn and stained in some spots
- 4 5 pieces in total
- approximately 9 years old (used in the council chambers)
- viewing February 11 only at 11:30 1:30 at the Drill Hall
- sealed tenders to be submitted to the Administration Office receptionist by February

For further information call the Housing Department at 396-3424.

The Deadline for the Newsletter is Thursday Feb. 24 /2000 at noon Call: 396-3424



NOTICE TO PARENTS

February 1, 2000

Notice to Parents

There will be Senior Kindergarten Registration for the school year 2000-2001 at Quinte Mohawk School on Friday, February 18th from 8:30-4:00 p.m. A later registration will follow on Friday March 24th.

If your child was born is 1995, please take this opportunity to register him/her for the fall senior kindergarten program. Contact Mrs. Angie Hill to book an appointment at 966-6984. Parents will need to provide proof of birth, health card, band number and record of immunization. Please bring your child with you when registering.

The Tyendinaga Education Committee is conducting a survey to determine the community need for a Junior Kindergarten program. If you would like to enrol your child in a Junior kindergarten program through Quinte Mohawk School, it is urgent that the Education Committee hear from you at your earliest opportunity. Students for Junior Kindergarten, 2000-2001 must be born in 1996.

For this survey, please call Mr. Dave Hill at 396-5489, or Mrs. Linda Thomas at 396-3424 or Mrs. Angie Hill at 966-6984 and provide your child's name, and date of birth and parents' name. From your positive response, it may be possible to establish a Junior Kindergarten program for September 2000. If that happens, a formal junior kindergarten registration will take place later this

PRESS RELEASES



TURTLE ISLAND TOURISM COMPANY

Aboriginal Experiences
Shared with dignity and respect
P. (613) 564-9494 or 1-977-811-3235 F. (613) 722-4667
12 Stirling Ave Ottawa, ON, KIY IPB
smail - tenum@odawa.on.ca

PRESS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

NATIVE SPIRIT OF WINTER

Turtle Island Tourism Company (Winner of Best New Tourism Company, 1999) are proud to present the celebrated "Native Spirit of Winter" program once again during NCC's Winterlude Festival. The propularity of this exciting event, which debuted last year, has lead to the expansion of the program now featured on the first two weekends of Winterlude. Turtle Island guarantees that this program will once again be a unique and vibrant celebration of the culture and activities that Canada's First Peoples empoyed during the long Canadian winters. We intend to bring the rich history of our Native community to life with interactive demonstrations provided by a number of telented local Aboriginal artisans and cultural leaders.

Where else can you watch a demonstration of snow-straking, where "snakes" are thrown up to ½ mile along an icy track on the canal? You will enjoy "living history" where you will share in the knowledge and traditions of the First People that were first passed onto the settlers helping them to survive the long, cold winters. Enjoy watching our traditional crafters building snow shoes, tanning hides or another popular winter activity. traditional drum making. Children of all ages will enjoy storytelling and cooking bannock over an open fire within a tipi. All skaters are invited to take a tour of the Tipis and the Northern Hunt Camp which all display pieces of our heritage and winter life. Ongoing demonstrations of the traditional activities of the north including rare performances of Inuit throat singing and games will keep the winter village alive with activity over the two weekends.

We invite you to share this experience with us on February 5 & 6 and February 12 & 13 on Canada's longest skating rink, the Rideau Canal in Ottawa. You can not miss the site on the canal behind Lansdowne Park, between Dows Lake and the Rideau Centre. Also watch for our ongoing presentations on Sparks St. Mall! We look forward to impressing all Winterlude participants with our rich culture and providing a truly unique Canadian experience! A special thank you, "Meegwetch!" to our spousous Aboriginal Bustness Canada. Department of Indian Affairs and Odawa Native Friendship Centre for making the event possible.

NEW ABORIGINAL ATTRACTION IN NATION'S CAPITAL

Turtle Island Tourism Company who were recently awarded "Best New Tourism Company -1999" by Ottawa Tourism are proud to announce the launch of their new attraction. Over the past two years, Turtle Island have presented unique and authentic programs of Aboriginal culture within Ottawa's festivals, special events and tours. Their interactive and exciting programs of First Nations drumming, dancing, foods, crafts and storytelling have lead to tremendous success in the local tourism industry. The overwhelming response to the program by all local residents and visitors encouraged Turtle Island to develop a native attraction that guests can enjoy throughout the busy tourist season.

Aboriginal experiences of drumming, dancing, foods and storytelling will be offered in a traditional setting on Victoria Island, downtown Ottawa beginning this May. Victoria Island is one of Ottawa's best kept secrets, located just behind Parliament Hill between Ottawa and Hull. This land has long been a place of meeting, trading and celebration for the Aboriginal people of this region and later the settlers who travelled the river. The sights and sounds of the city will disappear as Turtle Island takes you on a journey back in time through Canadian history.

All visitors will gain a greater understanding of the rich history, culture and traditions of the First Nations and how they are still honoured today. Guests can enjoy our most popular program of interactive dance demonstrations with a traditional meal prepared by a cultinary-gold-medal-winning chef 5 days a week. In addition to this program storytelling, cultural displays such as tipis, canoes and other articles will lend to the experience. Authentic arts and crafts created by our local community will also be available for souvenirs of this unique experience.

Victoria island is located downtown: a short walk, drive or bus from most attractions and parking is available on site. The programs are available from May until October, from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. The Trading Post and cultural displays will be available for all to enjoy seven days a week from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. While visiting Ottawa, do not miss your opportunity to participate in this incredible experience - it will certainly be one of the highlights of your visit to the Capital!

For more information on the program schedules and prices, please contact Turtle Island Tourism at (613) 564-9494 or toll free (877) 811-3233. "Meegwetch!" Thanks!

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For press kits, videos or further information on this program please contact Trina Mather at Turtle Island Tourism Company. Phone (613) 564-9494 or Toll Free (877) 811-3233; Fax (613) 722-4667

The Outstanding Achievement Awards for



Voluntarism in Ontario

Purpose

All volunteers are outstanding! That's obvious from the commitment and personal involvement of those who freely give their time and talents to improve the quality of life in their communities and in our province. The Outstanding Achievement Awards for Voluntarism in Ontario recognize exceptional leadership, innovation and creativity. Each year, 20 awards are given to a select group of individuals, organizations and businesses that have made superlative contributions to the their communities and the province through voluntary action.

These awards highlight the contributions of the 20 recipients and serve to inspire others by the positive examples they provide, regardless of their field of endeavour, such as the promotion of literacy training, human rights or community safety, to name only a few. A separate program, the Ontario Volunteer Service Awards, recognizes the continuous years of dedicated service volunteers generously give in our province.

A third program, the Ontario Medal for Young Volunteers, recognizes the outstanding achievements of 10 young volunteers between the ages of 15 and 24 who have made a difference in their communities.

The government is committed to initiatives, including volunteer recognition, which will help to strengthen voluntarism and improve the quality of life in Ontario's communities. By submitting a nomination, individuals and organizations can help ensure that these outstanding contributions receive the recognition they deserve.

Who is eligible?

The Outstanding Achievement Award for Voluntarism in Ontario are presented to individuals, groups, and businesses that have made lasting and meaningful contributions, or provided significant support, to the volunteer activities of: community and not-for-profit organizations or associations; co-operatives; boards; commissions; businesses; government ministries that directly recruit volunteers; art/educational/ correctional institutions and schools; municipalities; long term care facilities; and hospitals.

How are the recipients selected?

Nominations are reviewed by a jury of seven to nine individuals from across the province, who represent a variety of disciplines. 20 recipients are selected each year.

When are the awards presented?

The outstanding Achievement Awards for Voluntarism in Ontario will be presented with the Ontario Volunteer Service Awards at ceremonies held across the province beginning in the spring. Invitations are extended to each recipient and two representatives of the nominating group. A select number of guests, chosen by the recipient, are also invited to the award ceremony.

When is the deadline?

Completed nominations forms for the Outstanding Achievement Award for Voluntarism in Ontario will be accepted no later than February 29, 2000.

For For more information...

Ontario Honours and Awards
Ministry of Citizenship,
Culture and Recreation
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Tel: (416) 314-7526
Fax: (416) 314-7743
E-mail: pat.guy@mczcr.gov.on.ca

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Visit our Web site: www.gov.on.ca/MCZCR

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Contact the nearest field office listed below.

FIRST NATIONS POLICE & PRESS RELEASES



WHAT IS FATAL VISION?

Fatal Vision Simulator Glasses are a specially designed and manufactured pair of goggles that simulate the visual impairment caused by drugs or alcohol. Viewing through the goggles is rather clear but confusing to the mind. Normal movements are AFFECTED which produces one of the EFFECTS of intoxication. Both the wearer and those observing are convinced that such impairment makes activities with known risks, such as driving vehicles, very dangerous.

HOW DO FATAL VISION GOGGLES WORK?

When Fatal Vision goggles are worn, they allow an individual the opportunity to experience the dangers of impairment from drugs and alcohol without suffering the all-to-real consequences. The Fatal Vision goggles have specially cut lenses that distort visual perception. When wearing them people see things in a distorted view. Once a person has them on, they may be asked to perform task that under non-intoxicated conditions would not seem difficult to complete, but with the distortion of the goggles the tasks become difficult and maybe even impossible. Research shows that those who learn from hands-on experience retain two to four times more than those who learn from just listening and seeing.

WHO USES THEM?

Fatal Vision goggles are manufactured by Innocorp, Ltd. Located in Wisconsin. They were first introduced in 1996 at a Wisconsin Highway Safety conference. Fatal Vision goggles are now being used for instruction around the world. Teachers and instructors of many traffic safety programs, as well as drug awareness programs, use them as teaching aids. Services such as law enforcement officers, driver's education instructors, safety officers, and post secondary institutions are all utilizing the benefits of Fatal Vision.

HOW TO GET A PRESENTATION?

The Tyendinaga Police Department is now part of the Fatal Vision Program. If your group would like a Fatal Vision presentation, or would like more information, please contact the Tyendinaga Police office at 613-967-3888.

Tyendinaga Lions Club 50-50 DRAW

The Tyendinaga Lions Club would like to announce our 50-50 Draw winner.

Patricia Istead of Belleville won \$154.00 Congratulations Patricia.

Thanks to Carole Sero for drawing the winning ticket and thanks to all who support the Lions Club draws by purchasing tickets.



Please be advised of a the form to be used for bringing your concerns forward to your police service.

Community Issue/Input Form

a form is to be used to voice your concerns and/or suggestions for improving the delivery of police ser our community. To report an allegation of misconduct against an officer, you must have been directly coted by the officers actions or inaction. Unformostely anonymous concerns cannot be investigated. concerns, compliments or suggestions will be processed initially by the Detachment Commander. by those issues or concerns set out in writing will be taken seriously. Use additional pages if required.

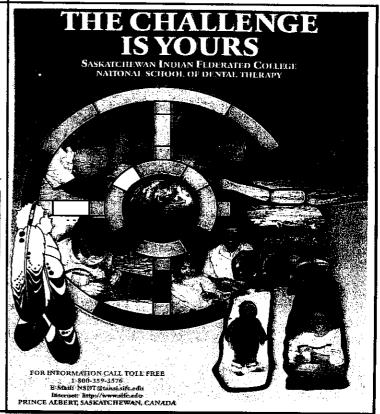


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Recommendation for Action

Date Received

Signature of Detachment Commander



RED CEDARS

MOON CEREMONY





All Women Welcome!

Where: Red Cedars

When: February 20 @ 7:00 p.m. Please wear a dress and bring water.

Bring tobacco and cloth with you

(if you have it).

Any questions call: 967-2003 Potluck After the Ceremony.

"NHY DOESN'T SHE JUST FAVE?" FFERING SUPPORT TO THE BATTERED WOMAN

ne of the biggest myths about those who suffer in abusive situations is that, if what were really solded, they would "just leave". The cycle of abuse is such things were really so bad, they would "just leave". The cycle of abuse is such that the abuser generally creates an atmosphere where it can become almost impossible for the battered partner to leave.

HOW DOES THIS HAPPEN?

Part of the insidious nature of domestic abuse is the gradual onset of the situation. Things may start out okay in the relationship, but go downhill in such a way that the abused may not even realize how deeply she is dependent on the abuser until things are very bad - often, not until the onset of physical abuse.

The abuser will use the following tactics to create dependence

- isolation
- jealousy
- over-protectiveness
- suspicion - intimidation
- blame
- shame

Over time, the abused woman will begin to believe the things that the abuser tells her - that she is worthless, stupid, unworthy, useless, or unlovable by anyone else but her abuser. She may have quit working under pressure from the abusive partner, and may have given up financial control of her life. She may fear losing custody of children, or fear for their lives, or her own life. She may love her partner and believe that if she sticks with him and continues to love him, he will change. Worst of all, she may have become totally isolated from friends and family who don't understand why she stays, and may feel that she has no-one to turn to, and nowhere to go

HOW TO OFFER SUPPORT:

 Be a friend. Offer support without judgment.
 Don't criticize the abused woman's decisions - her self-esteem is low enough from her partner without adding extra stress

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Don't antagonize the abuser - he may laugh off your comments; but take out his anger over what you have said in public on his partner in private.

Let her know that you are available to listen to her whenever she needs help. If you are able, let her know that she can seek refuge from her abuser. If you

aren't able to take her in yourself, research your area's resources - shelters, crisis lines, support lines - and have the information ready when she may need it. - Let her know that you care, and that, no matter what she thinks, she isn't alone.

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15 REASONS TO LEAVE YOUR LOVER: WARNING SIGNS OF AN ABUSIVE PERSONALITY

There are warning signs that a partner may become abusive - violence very seldam occurs out of the blue. Although things may seem to be going along fine, there can be subtle hints that all is not well in your relationship. If you feel that something may be wrong, but you aren't sure just what, consider the following points. If any of them seem familiar, you may be on your way to an abusive relationship. Remember that it's never too early - or too late - to get out and get bein

- 1. A PUSH FOR QUICK INVOLVEMENT: Abusers are often very insecure, and will press for a commitment early in a relationship - often within the first few dates. S/he will say s/he is in love, and wants an exclusive relationship or to marry or move in together right away.
- 2. JEALOUSY: A potential abuser will be very possessive and overly suspicious - demanding to know where you are, who you call, and who you talk to at all times. He or she will show up unexpectedly, call frequently, and if you aren't there whenever s/he wants to see you, will accuse you of seeing other people. Even your family members, close friends, and co-workers may seem like a threat to this kind of person.
- 3. CONTROLLING: Requires you ask 'permission' to see your friends, to go out without him/her, controls your money and finances, transportation. The object is to make you rely on this person for everything.
- 4. UNREALISTIC EXPECTATIONS: Is unreasonable in his/her expectations of you - expects you to be perfect, and is overly critical of mistakes.
- ISOLATION: Pressures you to stop seeing family and friends, may try to stop you from working. May accuse you of caring more about other people than about him/her, thus forcing you to choose between s/he and everyone else in
- 6. BLAMES OTHERS FOR PROBLEMS AND MISTAKES: If anything goes wrong, it is always someone else's problem or fault; s/he will never take responsibility for bad decisions or mistakes
- MAKES EVERYONE ELSE RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS FEELINGS: An abuser will make statements like "Why do you do that when you know it makes me angry?" (\$\frac{1}{2}\) placing the blame for his anger on you. Sine will say that his/her feeingt in the outside: "You make me angry/happy/mad "imstead of "I sel angry Lugowiniad '
- 8. HYPERSENSITIVITY: Will feel a personal slight over things that aren't anyone's fact will say s/he is "hurt" when s/he is really angry. May believe that everyone is ... to get him?
- 9. CRUELTY TO ANIMALS AND TO CHILDREN: Is brutal with animals may harm, punish, or kill them. Has unreasonable expectations of children, may tease or yell at them for things that aren't their fault, or over which they have no control (like spanking an infant for dirtying a diaper). Sixty-five percent of abusers with heat their partner will also abuse children and children who witness sixty behavior fearn by example.
- 10. "PLAYFUL" USE OF FORCE DURING SEX: Will force unwanted or uncomfortable sexual acts, or hold you down during sex against your will. Will only be interested in his/her pleasure and not yours. Male abusers may feel that women shouldn't enjoy sex, because it is 'unladylike'. May fantasize about rape
- 11. VERBAL ABUSE: Calls you names, criticized your dress, behavior, or mannerisms, teases you makes fun of you, swears at you, degrades you, humillates you in from of other people. The abuser may insist that this type of abuse is "all in fun", but will continue to do it and accuse you of being "too
- 12. RIGID SEX ROLES: Has specific and old-fashioned ideas about what men and women are expected to do and be - the breadwinner vs. the homemaker. Men may insist that you stop working, going to school, or improving yourself, so that you can stay at home and be the "perfect wife and mother".
- 13. SUDDEN MOOD SWINGS: May fly off the handle without any warning, will be sweet and loving one minute, angry and hurtful or frightening the next.
- 14. PAST BATTERING: May admit to abusing a previous partner, but will place all of the blame on him/her "S/he made me do it". This is an extremely important warning sign.
- 15. THREATS OF VIOLENCE: Threatens to hurt or kill you; may laugh it off or claim to only be "joking". Threats of physical violence are often the final step before actual physical abuse starts. If you have come this far in a relationship, get out - you are already being abused, and it will probably only get worse from

Adapted from "Signs to Look for in a Battering Personality," from the Project for Victims of Family Violence, Fayetteville, Ark.

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The ABORIGINAL MEDIA PROGRAM at the First Nations Technical Institute will provide you with a chance to cover Native issues from a native perspective, using photography, video, radio and written communication skills.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:



- Two-year college diploma in Print Journalism
- Aboriginal coverage of Aboriginal issues Build a portfolio of published materials
- Radio broadcast training
- Video production training
- Internet research and publishing
- Training provided in an Aboriginal community

Participants may be eligible for financial assistance -



First Nations Technical Institute Old York Road Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory via Ontario KOK IXO

Call Monique Manatch or Michael Asselstine 1-800-267-0637 e mail

monkquem@fnti.tyendinaga.net or mikea@fnti.tyendinaga.net visit our website at www.tyendinaga.net/media.htm



JOB OPPORTUNITY



(FOUR POSITIONS AVAILABLE)

YOUTH WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

Sponsored By:

FIRST NATIONS TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

This work experience program will run for 9 months, with commencement in March 2000. The 4 successful applicants will be placed in an on-the-job training position in the career of their choice.

Eligibility:

- -must be a member of the Mohawks of The Bay of Quinte
- -must be 18-25 years of age
- -must be unemployed
- -must have transportation

To apply or for further information Please contact:

Jake Brant Community Programs First Nations Technical Institute #3 Old York Road Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory K0K 1X0 (613)396-2122



Deadline: Wednesday February 23/2000 at 4:00pm.



Income Tax Information

If you prepare your own income tax Revenue Canada is willing to hold an information session for you to ask questions about your personal income tax return.

If your interested please contact: Bev Hill. Employment Department Mohawk Administration Office

If the interest is high enough a session will be scheduled within the community.

Volunteer Income Tax Program

The volunteer income tax program will be running again this year for low income, single parent families. For further information contact: Bev Hill, **Employment Department** Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte 613-396-3424



SOADI -EASTERN REGION P.O. Box 310 Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory Ontario KOK 3A0 Tel: 613-396-3900 Fax: 613-396-3007

e-mail: soadie@suckercreek.on.ca

January 2000

She:kon Everyone,

As you know by now, I'm the Regional Diabetes Worker for the Eastern Region of Southern Ontario. I work for SOADI (Southern Ontario Aboriginal Diabetes

My office is located at K.C. Builders, 778 Hwy. 49. My address stays the same, with my mail coming to me at P.O. Box 310, etc.

Information I have at the office includes resource materials about diabetes, coping with stress, healthy eating, exercise, etc. I have videos about diabetes, heart health, etc., as well as cookbooks for loan.

If you are interested in obtaining resources or want more information about diabetes, please call me.

I can be reached at 396-3900. My office is opened Monday to Friday from 8:00am to 4:00pm.

Nia:wen.

Carol Loft

Carol Loft

Regional Diabetes Worker



Application Forms available at the Administration Office

The Canada Council for the Arts

WRITING AND PUBLISHING SECTION

Grants to Aboriginal Writers, Storytellers and Publishers

The attached form must be used to apply to this program. Please read the program information sheet carefully before completing the application form, and keep a copy of the program information sheet and the completed form. These documents contain essential information on the conditions of grants.

Competition Closing Date

All application forms and support material must be postmarked no later than 15 May. Incomplete applications, applications sent after the competition closing date and applications sent by fax or e-mail will not be accepted.

Confidentiality of Information

The Privacy Act protects the personal information of individuals and provides them with a right of access to such information about themselves. Personal information will be maintained in Personal information Bank CAC PPU 115 (individuals) and 130 (organizations). All other information may be accessible under the Access to Information Act.

Further Information

Paul Seesequasis
Writing and Publishing Section
The Canada Council for the Arts
350 Albert Street
P.O. Box 1047
Ottawa, Ontario
K1P 5V8

Talephone: Toll-free at 1-800-263-5588, ext. 5482, or (613) 566-4414, ext. 5482 Fax: (613) 566-4410

E-mail: paul.seesequasis@canadacouncil.ca

Visit our Web site at www.canadecouncil.ca

Hearing-impaired callers with a TTY machine may contact the Canada Council for the Arts at (613) 565-5194.

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COPING WITH STRESS

Learning to cope with stressful situations is very important, especially to the person with diabetes. Both good or bad stress can cause sugar levels to increase. Some of the things to consider when coping with stress is the following:

- Coping is having faith
- Coping is being aware, accepting and adjusting
- Coping is a matter of balance
- ★ Coping is changing in a positive way

Finding Balance

Identifying stress isn't enough to reduce its harmful effects, it requires working towards balance We need to be aware of our emotional and physical reactions and reduce them

Questions we need to ask ourselves about our stressors

- ★ Who is involved?
- * Where is it coming from?
- * When does it hannen?
- * Why is it stressful?
- What are we doing that adds to the stress?
- * Can others help us?
- * What can we change?

Coping Techniques

Physical:

- Go to your doctor for a check-up

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 Eat healthy foods, vegetables, fruit, etc.
 Drink water, herbal tea
 Keep physically active, ie) go for walks, bike rides, etc.
 Take breaks from work or studying
 Get proper amount of sleep
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- Learn to relax; unplug the phone, take a bubble bath, do fun things
 Use relaxation techniques, ie) deep breathing, stretching, meditation, massage, chanting
 Avoid smoking, alcohol, drugs, caffeine

Emotional.

- Talk to someone, ie) family, friends, Elders, therapists
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- Stop negative self-talk
 Count to 10 when you are upset

Mental:

- Plan and organize your time
 Set priorities and practical goals
 Make lists, keep an agenda or day planner
 Delegate responsibilities to others
- Do one thing at a time 0
- Try a new hobby or a sport Get involved in your community Read a book on stress management 9 9 9
- Visualize the future in positive healing ways
- Listen to relaxing music

- Listen to rescaring mosts:
 Do journal writing
 Avoid procrastinating (putting things off until later)
 Avoid having high expectations of yourself and others

Spiritual: (use Ceremony in our lives:)

- © Pray
- Pray
 Smudge with Sweetgrass, Sage, Cedar
 Attend Sweat Lodge ceremonies, church, Long House
 Ask a Pipe Carrier to have a Sacred Pipe Ceremony
 Visit with an Elder or a priest
 Participate in Healing Circles

- Drum, sing and/or dance
- Burn tobacco
- Create a quiet space for reflection
 Get connected with the elements of Earth, Air, Fire and Water
- Hug a tree
- Give thanks for all our blessings!



Southern Ontario Aboriginal Diabetes Initiative - Eastern Region

id from Feiruman Management Corp., New York, N.Y., adapted from Life Stress by Rosalind Forbes, 1979

COMMUNITY INTEREST

Written for: Late Cameron Jay Brant Sr. November 9, 1919 - February 15, 1999.

Daddy, you are my world, you are my soul Please don't leave me, just watch me grow Into a woman, with trust and respect You need to see me and watch every step

We haven't had much time to talk and cry I need to spread my wings and learn to fly I cannot do this without you being near Your love and kind words I need to hear

I am your baby no one can take that away I will be here for you and here I'll stay The Creator will hold your hand and lead I will be here to help you if that's what you need

I am not ready to let you die Night after night I pray and ask Hlm why? There is a reason I guess I need to know Please don't take my Daddy, not today, not now

We Miss and Love You so much Dad

Nia:wen

To my family and friends for surprising me on the occasion of my Birthday

You'll never know how much it meant to me to share this precious milestone with some of the people I love the most To my Mom and Dad, Thanks for having me!

To James, Jamie and Joe, Thanks for keeping it so secret (you're good) and, always, for your love and devoted support

To Randy and Danny, hugs and kisses for your part of the evening

To Cubby, Ina, and my Baby Jake, Thanks for organizing and "REORGANIZING" the evening The cake and decorations were "great"

> Cubby, you are my 2nd favorite brother (all the rest are first, Randy, Danny, Garnet and George)

> > I love you all very much **Cindy Thompson**

Program Guide Winter 2000

via Deseronto, Ontario KOK 1 XA Phone:/Fax: 613-967-0463

E-mail: kweradio@suckercreek.on.ca URL: www.suckercreek.on.ca/kweradio



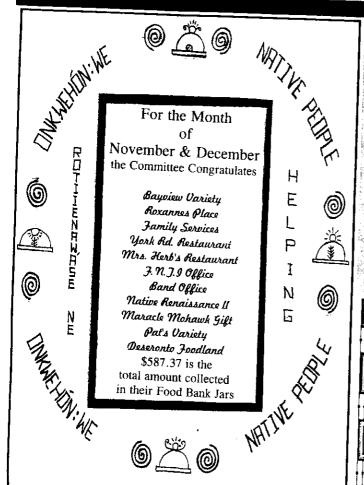
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7:00-10:00-Randy Doreen/SUNDAY COUNTRY GOSPEL	7:00-10:00— Morning Show	7:00-10:00 Morning Show	7:00-10:00 Morning Show	7:00-10:00— Morning Show	7:00-10:00 Morning Show	8:00-11:00-Sean Story /Bill Parry/ ON-KWE CON
10:00-12:00-Ron Parkin/SUNDAY	10:00-1:00 Mid- day Show	10:00-1:00 Mid- day Show	10:00-1:00 Mid- day Show	10:00-1:00– Mid- day Show	10:00-1:00 Mid- day Show	11:00-3:00-Kevii Brant/KWE
COMEDY & THE MYSTERY HOUR	1:00-5:00- After noon Show	1:00-5:00— After- noon Show	1:00-5:00 After- noon Show	1:00-5:00- After- noon Show	1:00-5:00- After- noon Show	COUNTRY
12:00-4:00-Jim Maracle/BACK IN THE COUNTRY	5:00-6:00 SherBear/Manic Monday	5:00-6:00-Steve Bohan/STUDIO 1	5:00-7:00— Joy Brant/THE JOY OF KWE	5:00-7:00 Dylan & Dan/DOUBLE TROUBLE	5:00-10:00— The Crusher/FRIDAY NIGHT FAVORITES	3:00-8:00-Timbit THE GOLDEN OLDIES SHOW 8:00-9:00-
4+00-6:00-Bill Maracle/GOSPEL MUSIC 120		6:00-9:00- Randy Doreen/NATIVE TIME 9:00-12:00- Jim	7:00-10:00– Wheels/MUSICAL MEMORIES	7:00-10:00 Amzy Doreen/KICKIN COUNTRY	10:00-12:00 Jeremy Parkin/THE EXPERIENCE	TUNED IN RA- DIO/TOP 10 DANCE COUNT DOWN
6:00-9:00-Jeremy Parkin/CLASSIC ROCK REVIEW 9:00-12:00-Bill Perry/SUNDAY SUPER SOUNDS		Maracle/BACK IN THE COUNTRY		10:00-12:00 Razor Ramone & The Berndogg/THE TOTALLY TWISTED RADIO		9:00-12:00- Midnight Mike & The Boy Wonder, SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE PARTY

COMMUNITY INTEREST

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Happy Birthday!	Happy Binthday!	Happy Belated Binthday!	Happy Sweet 16!	Happy Birthday
Aunt Bon! Feb. 22	Uncle Sounnie! F	Auntie Jaml	Natalie 2	Aunt Bei Feb. 8
Love Mice, Chenyle Scaina & Austin	Love Mice, Chenyle Seaina & Austin	Love Mice, Chenyle Seaina & Austin	Love Mom, Dad & Jamie	Love Sandy, Paul Rick, Diane & Kids
Happy Binthday!	Happy Birthday!	Happy Belated 25th Birthday!	Happy Binthday!	Happy 4th Binthday
Mita Feb. 14	Aunt Neenee Feb. N	Tanya Tanya Jan. 27	Lee Feb. 25	" Camden Coon" Feb. 29
Love Glenn & Wendy	Love Fishy	Love Mom, Geonge & Dannie	Love Mom, Toni, Jake Nan & Auntie Ang	Love Mom, Dad & Stafford
Happy Binthday!	Happy Binthday!	Happy Birthday!	Happy Binthday!	Happy Binthday
Daddy Feb. 3nd	Unale Veel. Feb. 10	Mom (Shelby) Feb. 6	Kelly	Grandina Feb. 6
Hugs & Kisses Reagan	Love Reagan	Love Curly	Feb. 12 Love Aunt Curly	Love the Grandkids and the Rest of the Family!
Happy Birthday!	Happy Birthday!	Happy	Happy Birthday!	♥ Happy ♥
Dad (Clane Seno)	Uncle Bob Feb. 2	Valentines Day	Cindy Feb. 21st	Birthday Jonah Lewis
Feb. 17- Love the Girls!	Love Mindy & Nathan	Fatman Luv Lynda	Love the Family!	Love Mom, Dad and Donovan January 16

Birthday Advertisements are FREE! If you wish to say Happy Birthday to someone special call 396-3424

COMMUNITY INTEREST



MOHAWKS OF THE BRY OF QUINTE FOOD BANK

The Food Bank Committee wishes to thank all businesses and offices who assist us in our Food Bank Jar Collection. Thanks to:

Aboriginal Expressions Bayview Variety Roxanne's Place TMT Sports Tyendinaga Computer Kagita Mikam Family Services York Rd. Restaurant Ward's Gas Bar Police Services B. & M. Variety Quinte Mohawk School Ka:hniote Library Thayendanega Health Centre

Mrs. Herbs Restaurant F.N.T.I.Administration Office Chief's Inn Restaurant Chief's Inn Store Turtle Island Crafts McMurter Home Centre Native Renaissance ll Maracle Mohawk Gift Centre Miracle Food Mart Shirley's Variety Native Expressions Pat's Variety Deseronto Foodland

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE : 396-3424 **HEALTH CENTRE** : 967-3603 FAMILY SERVICES : 967-0122 RED CEDARS SHELTER : 967-2003 QUINTE MOHAWK SCHOOL: 966-6984 CHILDCARE CENTRE : 967-4401 LIBRARY : 967-6264

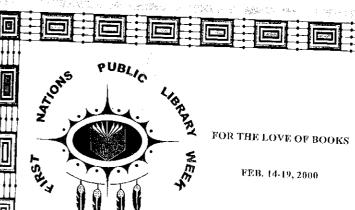


Library

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AMNESTY FOR ALL BOOKS OVERDUE @ KANHIOTE

Please search your home, car and office for books that belong to thelibrary and return them during the week of February 14-19. All fines will be forgiven. Library members with overdue material will not be able to borrow anything else until the books are returned and the fine paid or the purchase price to replace is given to Kanhiote. Niawen ki wahi.



FIRST NATIONS PUBLIC LIBRARY WEEK

WHEREAS, in a world undergoing constant change, libraries provide enduring connections to the past and future of our communities, nations and civilizations;

WHEREAS, libraries provide entry to important research about health, economics, housing, the environment and countless other areas to support better living conditions and to help people lead longer, more productive and fulfilling lives;

WHEREAS, libraries support a competitive workforce with programs, computers and other resources to help children and adults learn to find, evaluate and use information they need for their jobs, health, education and other needs;

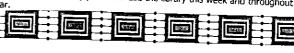
WHEREAS, many libraries offer pre-school story-hour and summer reading programs to encourage children to begin a habit of reading that will serve to benefit their personal and professional lives.

WHEREAS, we recognize that the staff of the First Nation Public Library provides a vital service to our community.

THEREFORE, I Donald manul Chief of mahawke Bay of Quiate First Nation

FEBRUARY14th to FEBRUARY 19th, 2000 To be FIRST NATIONS PUBLIC LIBRARY WEEK

ery person to use the library this week and throughout the



RECREATION & UPCOMING EVENTS



Family Swim

&

Aerobics

This is a family event only

PLACE - REC. PLEX PICTON
DATE - WED. FEB. 23 TO START
TIME - 6 P.M. TO 8:30 P.M.

COST - \$3.00 FOR SWIM \$3.00 FOR AEROBICS

LOCATION FOR PICKUP - KARON HIAK TA'KIE SPORTS COMPLEX

Sponsored by the Mohawk Recreation Committee for more information contact Dar. Loft 396 - 3424



Sorry darts have been cancelled on Sundays at the Canteen.

If anyone would be interested in having an Exercise night at the Canteen, please call Darlene Loft 396 - 3424

Lets do something with your exercise equipment in your basement





To the seniors at the Elders Lodge for the exercise machine.

This was donated to the Recreation Department in Memory of Brandon Claus & Bob Lambert

Nia: wen

To all the people who made the

New Years Party
a success.

The Line Drive Band played excellent!

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To the Social Services Program for the muffin mix.

Muffins will be made as a fundrasier for Recreation.



' Musical Talent Fundraiser "

During the Spring of 2000

The Recreation Department is calling all Committee's who like to be part of this

Musical Talent Fundraisier.

For more information contact Darlene Loft 396 - 3424







UPCOMING EVENTS

The Family of

JOHN JEFFRIES

cordially invite you to celebrate and honour

DAD'S 80th BIRTHDAY ACHIEVEMENT!

OPEN HOUSE SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2000 2PM - 5PM Queen Anne Parish Hall Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory

Since a sinte

Only gifts of your presence and company will be kindly accepted





DOREEN SOUTH WILL BE IN TYENDINAGA
"WOMAN WHO FLOATS ON WATER"
DOREEN IS A SEER WHO HAS WORKED IN
OTHER F. N. COMMUNITIES.

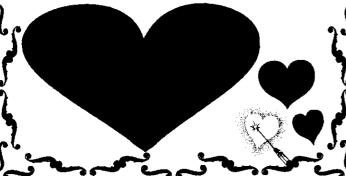
IF YOU WOULD LIKE AN APPOINTMENT CALL BETTY @ 969-9608 (LEAVE MESSAGE) OR EMAIL: earthmother@goplay.com

BOOKING APPOINTMENTS FOR: **February 15, 16 & 17th** \$65.00/HOUR; \$40.00/HALF HOUR OR \$20/15 MINUTES

THIS WILL BE DOREEN'S ONLY VISIT THIS YEAR.







UPCOMING EVENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE ORANGE LODGE



EUCHRE NIGHTS

Every other Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.



BINGO NIGHTS

Every Friday at 7:00 p.m.

MONTHLY DANCES

8:00 p.m. - 12:00 p.m. \$7.00 per person includes lunch. 1st, 2nd and 3rd Saturday of every month.

MUSEUM MEETINGS

are held every 2nd Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at the 59ers Hall (Hwy # 2) All Welcome! 396-3424

Corn Soup

Thursday, Feb. 17/2000 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. Senior 's Hall Hwy #2 \$6.00 per Person \$3.00 (children 12 & under)

> <u>Menu</u> Corn Soup Homemade Bread Homemade Pies Tea Or Coffee



CORN SOUP Supper

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE TYENDINAGA TERRITORY COMMUNITY

On February 7, 2000 at 6:00 p.m. the Mohawk Agricultural Society (Mohawk Fair) will be having a corn soup supper at the Mohawk Firehall.

All members of the Society, and other interested individuals are invited to attend.

The year "2000" is the 100° ? anniversary of the Mohawk Fair and we could really use some help to help plan the Centennial celebrations. Please bring your ideas for special events that we could have to mark this occasion. We will have some interesting facts from past minutes and fair books that will be shared with you all. Imagine, in 1901 it cost \$.15 to enter the grounds! The Fair was held in the middle of the week, on Wednesday and Thursday's, and there was surely no midway. People came from far and wide and we believe in the early days the Fair was held close to the railway line so people could get off the train and enter the west gate! No problem with parking cars on the York Road at that time.

Please plan to attend, we'll see you there.

Junes Lever Resident

Spirit Alive T.V. Ministr

invites you to view our programs for February! We are introducing two new segments to the telecasts:

News from Native Canada with Cree Anchor, Levi Beardy bringing you current topics of what is happening in Native Canada; and

The Adventures of Cree Hawk & Friends a "puppet ministry" reaching out to spiritually and creatively touch the lives of Native children.

Don't miss these upcoming inspirational programs!

SPIRITALIVE

can be seen across Canada on Bell Express Vu Satellite on CTS - Saturday Afternoons at 2:00 p.m., and on Vision TV - Thursday Mornings at 6:30 a.m. and Saturday Mornings at 6:00 a.m. and locally on CKWS - Sunday Mornings at 7:00 a.m.

Spirit Alive Family of Ministries



P. O. Box 280, Deseronto, Ontario KOK 1X0 Telephone: 396-1435 Fax: 396-2555



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Cultural Awareness Sessions



This 36 hour course with

Katsitsiaseh (Betty J. Maracle) is for Tyendinaga residents and staff at Loyalist College.

Non-native spouses are very welcome to attend

Iroquois examples will be shared to show the richness of indigenous cultures.

Wednesday evenings, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. January 12 to March 29, 2000 (12 sessions)

at Betty's home, 6 Bayshore Rd. (southeast corner of Bayshore & #49)

FREE (spansored by The Aboriginal Resource Centre, Loyalist College)

Upon completion, participants will receive a Continuing Education Certificate.

For further information, contact Katsitsiaseh (Betty) at 396-3103. To register, call Katsitsiaseh as above, Carrie at 969-1913, ext. 250 or email McDonald@LoyalistC. On. Ca

Ceramics Classes



Thursdays, 7 to 9 p.m. At Katsitsiaseh's (Betty J. Maracle) 6 Bayshore Rd. (s.e. corner of Bayshore & #49 Highway)

NO Course Fee

(cost of materials only)

For more information, call Katsitsiaseh (Betty) at 396-3103.

Youth Group Gathering



Every Friday evening (Canceled only when Youth Dances are on) 7 - 9 p.m.

Katsitsiaseh's House (Betty J. Maracle's)

Come out and share your ideas and interests! We hope you will come out and have fun with us!

For more information call Betty at 396-3103 or Ruby at 396-5364

February 2000

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
" One Day at Exercise for a he		I Every Tuesday Ka nhiote Library opened 8:30 to 4:30 closed for lunch	2 T.M.C Meeting	3 Every Thursday Ceramics Classes 7 to 9 at Katsitsiaseh House	4	5 Exercise for fun!
6	7 Corn Soup Supper. 6 p.m at the Fire Hall		9 Every Wednesday Ka nhiote Library opened 8:30 to 4:30	10 Every Thursday Volleyball league Q.M.S 6:30 to 9:30	II Every Friday Youth Gathering 7 to 9 at Katsitsiaseh House	12 T.M.C Meeting Honouring our Women 10 to 4 Community Centre Happy B.Day John Jeffries
13	14 First Nations Public Library Week Feb.14 to 19	Doreen South Feb.15,16,17 call 969-9608 for more infor.	16 T.M.C Meeting	17 Send in forms for Family Swim	18 Youth Dance 7 to 10 Community Centre	19
20 Moon Ceremony 7 p.m Red Cedars	21 Every Monday Volleyball League Q.M.S 6:30 to 9:30	22	23 Family Swim & Aerobics Karon biak ta kie pick up at 6	Newsletter items due.	25	26 Grow Younger
Exercise with a friend.	28	29	One month done for the Lose to win Contest Great work!			

UPCOMING EVENTS

* Attention

SECONDARY STUDENTS OF TYENDINAGA **TERRITORY**

Do you need some extra help in Mathematics?

Every Thursday Evening from 4 p.m. - 7 p.m. at Ka:hniote Library extra help is available from a retired math teacher "No Charge!! But Please call by 2:00 p.m.

On Thursdays if you need help. For more information please call: 967-6264



BELLEVILLE BULLS MARCH BREAK HOCKEY CLINIC

MARCH 13 - 17, 2000 MEMORIAL ARENA, BELLEVILLE

- TWO HOURS OF ICE TIME EACH DAY FOR 5 DAYS. (THREE HOURS EACH DAY FOR GOALTENDERS)
- INSTRUCTION BY BELLEVILLE BULLS PLAYERS AND COACHES.
- EMPHASIS ON SKILL DEVELOPMENT FOR ALL PLAYERS.
- SPECIAL GOALTENDER SESSION, LED BY BULLS GOALTENDER CONSULTANT.

DAILY SCHEDULE -

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. REGISTRATION FEE -

\$139,00 FOR SKATERS \$169.00 FOR GOALTENDERS *
(INCLUDES BELLEVILLE BULLS T-SHIRT)

* REGULAR AGE GROUP PLUS GOALTENDER SESSION

LEARN TO PLAY THE BULLS WAY!

CALL 966-8338 OR REGISTER NOW AT THE BULLS OFFICE

Lose Weight & Win Big Contest!

Gather a group of 6 friends or family members who are willing to lose weight $\mathcal E$ exercise. The team that loses the most weight wins the proceeds.

Cost: \$100.00 a team



Sign-up: Weigh in with Darlene Loft on or before Feb.1st

Contest ends: June 30/2000

Write exercise in your daily planner $\mathcal E$ win big with your health



For more information call Darlene Loft at 396 - 3424



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HONOURING THE WOMEN



Ladies come out relax and be pampered!

Massages, haircuts, manicures, reflexology, tarot card reading and so much more.

WHERE: Community Centre

WHEN: February 12, 2000

TIME: Between the hours of 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Door prizes, snacks and beverages to sample There is no cost to you so come out and enjoy the day! If you know you are coming please give me a call so I will have a better Idea of how much food to order. Cail M. J. at 967-6544 or call 967-2003 and leave a message.

Child care will be available for children from 4 to 10 years of age. If you need this service let me know by February 5, 2000 so I can make the necessary arrangements.

UPCOMING EVENTS





Welleville





Press Release

For Immediate Use January 22nd, 2000

"Under The Big Tops!"

The Belleville Rotary Club is sponsoring the "Arts and Crafts Show" at Belleville Waterfront Festival & Folklorama happening July 7-8-9, 2000.

The "Arts and Crafts Show" will be feature over 70 artists from all over Canada. This is a juried; one-of-kind show now entering its fourth year.

Hand crafted jewellery, sculptures, designer clothing for children, pottery and much more will be on display in three large tents at Meyer's Pier.

For this Juried Show, submitted applications must be returned on or before the deadline date of March $17^{\rm th}$, 2000

Space is available for vendors. Please contact Bob Langeland prior to March $17^{\rm th}, 2000$ at (613) 967-8384.

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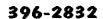
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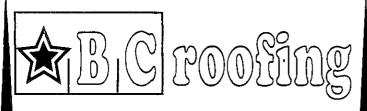
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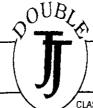
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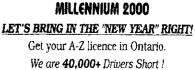
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